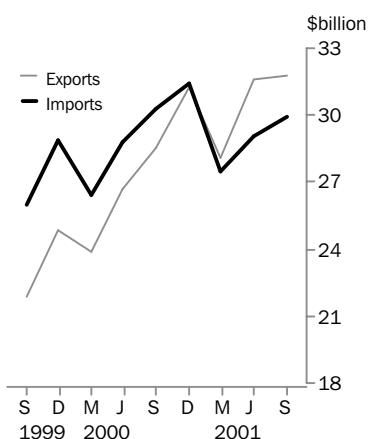


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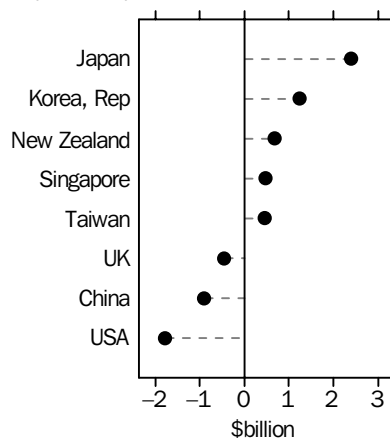
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Exports and imports



Balance by country September quarter 2001



SEPTEMBER QTR KEY FIGURES

	\$m	% change Jun Qtr 2001 to Sep Qtr 2001	% change Sep Qtr 2000 to Sep Qtr 2001
Merchandise exports	31 750	0.4	11.3
Merchandise imports	29 937	3.1	-1.3

SEPTEMBER QTR KEY POINTS

BY COUNTRY

- UK recorded a deficit of \$448 million following a surplus of \$411 million in the June quarter 2001
- China, deficit up by \$743 million to \$898 million
- USA, deficit down \$594 million (25%) to \$1,775 million

BY COMMODITY

MAJOR EXPORTS

- Coal, up \$275 million (9%) to \$3,440 million
- Gas, up \$147 million (17%) to \$996 million
- Wheat and meslin, down \$103 million (9%) to \$1,059 million

MAJOR IMPORTS

- Apparel and clothing accessories, up \$253 million (39%) to \$899 million
- Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods, up \$158 million (54%) to \$453 million

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CHANGES IN THIS ISSUE

This issue contains a feature article - *Harmonized System Changes*. The article summarises changes to the Australian classification resulting from the implementation of a review of the international Harmonized System by the World Customs Organization. The changes will affect trade statistics from 1 January 2002.

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REVISIONS

The revisions policy for imports data has changed since the June quarter 2001 publication. Revisions are now made to data up to six months prior whereas previously only data up to three months prior was available for revision. This change is now consistent with the exports revision period.

Revisions since the last issue of this publication have:

- decreased total merchandise exports for the June quarter 2001 by \$33 million, and decreased them for the year ended June 2001 by \$47 million;
- decreased total merchandise imports for the June quarter 2001 by \$10 million, and decreased them for the year ended June 2001 by \$12 million;
- these movements combined to decrease merchandise trade surplus for the June quarter 2001 by \$23 million, and decrease it for the year ended June by \$34 million.

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Dennis Trewin
Australian Statistician

QUARTERLY ANALYSIS AND COMMENTS

EXCESS OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTS OR IMPORTS

In the September quarter 2001, merchandise exports exceeded merchandise imports by \$1,813 million (6% of exports for the September quarter 2001). This represented a \$791 million (30%) decline from the surplus in the June quarter 2001.

The decrease in the surplus recorded in the September quarter 2001 was a result of a larger increase in imports (up \$902 million or 3%) than in exports (up \$111 million or about half a percentage point).

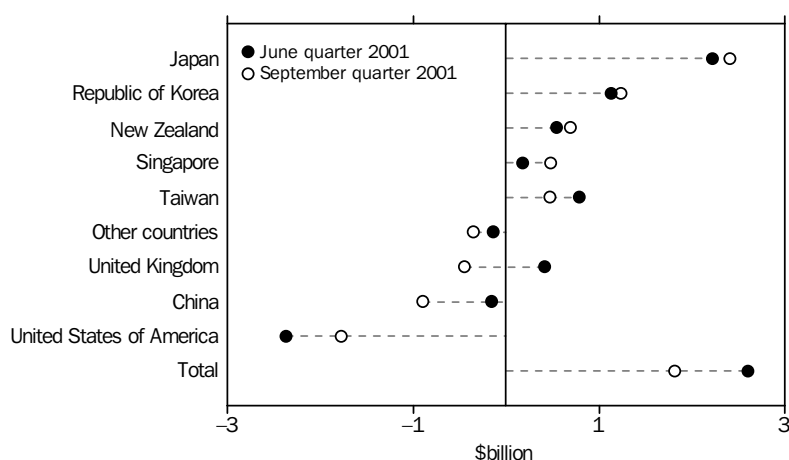
The value of the Australian dollar did not impact significantly on imports as it didn't vary greatly against most currencies during the September quarter 2001. This follows declines in the first half of 2001, particularly against the US dollar.

In the September quarter 2001, there was no direct evidence of any impact on exports or imports from the terrorist attacks on the United States of America on 11 September 2001.

Australia's trade position with many of its major trade partners fluctuated significantly during the September quarter 2001.

- United Kingdom moved from a surplus of \$411 million to a deficit of \$448 million. This was due to a large decrease in exports, down \$529 million (29%) combined with a significant increase in imports, up \$330 million (23%).
- China, the deficit rose \$743 million to \$898 million, due to a large increase in imports, up \$745 million (35%).
- USA, the deficit dropped \$594 million (25%) to \$1,775 million, due to an increase in exports, up \$242 million (8%) and a decrease in imports, down \$352 million (6%). This continues a trend of decreasing deficits, and is the lowest trade deficit recorded with the USA since the June quarter 1992.
- Taiwan, the surplus decreased by \$322 million (41%) to \$468 million.
- Singapore, the surplus increased by \$298 million (166%) to \$478 million.
- Japan, the surplus increased by \$189 million (9%) to \$2,407 million, the highest quarterly surplus ever recorded with Japan.
- New Zealand, the surplus increased by \$153 million (28%) to \$694 million.
- Republic of Korea, the surplus increased by \$106 million (9%) to \$1,235 million.

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

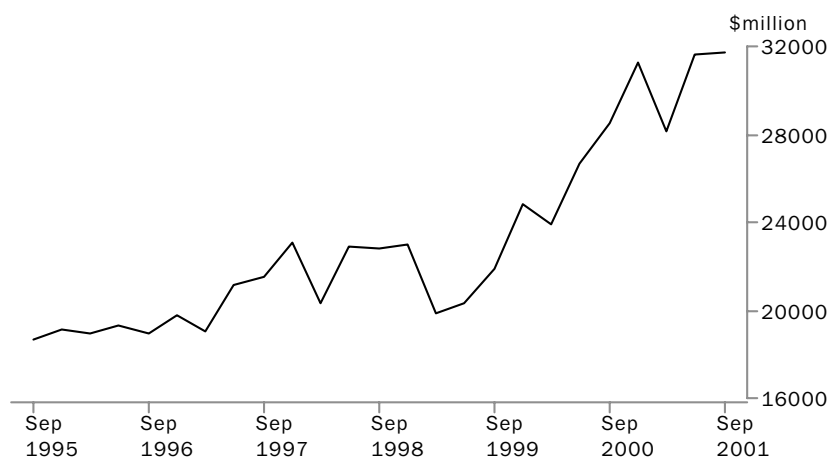


MERCHANDISE EXPORTS

Merchandise exports for the September quarter 2001 were \$31,750 million, an increase of approximately half a percent from the June quarter 2001 (\$31,639 million). From the September quarter 2000 exports have increased 11%.

The small increase in exports is a result of increased quantity and a change in the composition of exports, as the average price of exports as measured by the Export Price Index fell 1% over the quarter. Despite this fall, the Export Price Index increased 10% from the September quarter 2000. For more information on the Export Price Index see *International Trade Price Indexes, Australia* (Cat. no. 6457.0). Estimates of chain volume measures for exports will be published in the September quarter issue of *Balance of Payments and International Investment Position* (Cat. no. 5302.0) to be released on 29 November 2001.

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS



There was no consistent pattern with the value of exports by commodity groups, with some significant increases and decreases. The largest increases between June quarter 2001 and September quarter 2001 were:

- *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials*, up \$457 million (7%) to \$6,912 million due mainly to increases in Coal (SITC 321) and Natural gas (SITC 343).
- *Food and live animals*, up \$156 million (3%) to \$5,412 million due mainly to Fruit and nuts (SITC 057), and Live animals other than fish, etc (SITC 001). These increases were partially offset by a decline in Wheat (SITC 041).

The largest decreases between June quarter 2001 and September quarter 2001 were:

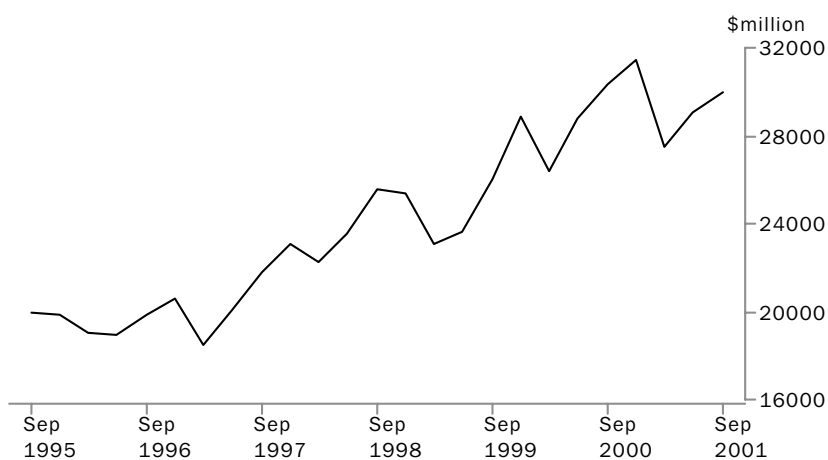
- *Crude materials, inedible, except fuels*, down \$372 million (6%) to \$6,008 million due mainly to Ores and concentrates of base metals (excl. iron, copper, nickel, aluminium, and uranium) (SITC 287), especially in zinc (SITC 28750), and niobium, tantalum and vanadium (SITC 28785), and Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits for the extraction of vegetable oils (SITC 222).
- *Machinery and transport equipment*, down \$160 million (5%) to \$3,326 million mainly due to Telecommunications equipment, parts and accessories (SITC 764).

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS

Merchandise imports in the September quarter 2001 were \$29,937 million, an increase of \$902 million (3%) from the June quarter 2001. Despite this quarterly increase, the value of imports has fallen \$387 million (1%) from the September quarter 2000.

The Import Price Index fell by 3% in the September quarter 2001, due mainly to price falls in electronic goods, computers, medicinal products, inorganic chemicals and petroleum products. It rose by 5% from the September quarter 2000. For more information on the Import Price Index see *International Trade Price Indexes, Australia* (Cat. no. 6457.0).

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS



Several commodity groups recorded increased imports in September quarter 2001 compared to June quarter 2001. The most significant were:

- *Miscellaneous manufactured goods*, up \$796 million (20%) to \$4,685 million due mainly to increases in Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods (SITC 894), and Men's, boys', women's and girls' clothing (SITCs 841 and 842).
- *Machinery and transport equipment*, up \$459 million (4%) to \$13,290 million due mainly to increased imports of Rotating electric plant (SITC 716), Civil engineering plant and equipment (SITC 723) and Heating and cooling equipment (SITC 741). These increases were partially offset by a large decrease in imports of Automatic data processing equipment (SITC 752).
- *Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material*, up \$337 million (10%) to \$3,693 million.

Decreased imports were recorded in:

- *Commodities and transactions, n.e.s.*, down \$373 million (46%) to \$437 million.
- *Chemicals and related products*, down \$230 million (6%) to \$3,574 million due mainly to Fertilisers (SITC 562) and Organo-inorganic compounds (SITC 515).

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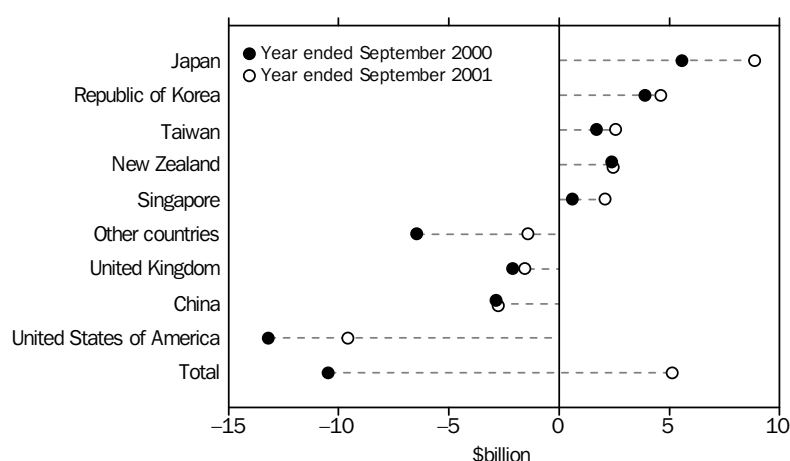
EXCESS OF MERCHANDISE EXPORTS OR IMPORTS

For the year ended September 2001, merchandise exports exceeded merchandise imports by \$4,922 million (4% of exports for the year ended September 2001). This followed a trade deficit (an excess of imports over exports) of \$10,474 million for the year ending September 2000.

Australia recorded an improved trading position (an increased surplus or reduced deficit) with all of its major trading partners and produced the following trade surpluses or deficits:

- USA, deficit down \$3,603 million (27%) to \$9,588 million;
- Japan, surplus up \$3,289 million (59%) to \$8,853 million;
- Singapore, surplus up \$1,459 million (243%) to \$2,060 million;
- Taiwan, surplus up \$852 million (50%) to \$2,545 million;
- Republic of Korea, surplus up \$710 million (18%) to \$4,604 million;
- UK, deficit down \$546 million (26%) to \$1,577 million;
- China, deficit down \$84 million (3%) to \$2,771 million; and,
- New Zealand where the trade surplus increased by \$46 million (2%) to \$2,442 million.

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



MERCHANDISE EXPORTS

Merchandise exports for the year ended September 2001 were \$122,786 million, an increase of \$18,876 million (18%) from the year ended September 2000.

Part of the stimulus for the increase in the value of Australia exports has been the low value of the Australian dollar. Over this period it declined against most major trading currencies (US dollar, Euro, etc.) although it rose slightly against the Japanese Yen.

Most export SITC sections recorded increases with the most significant being:

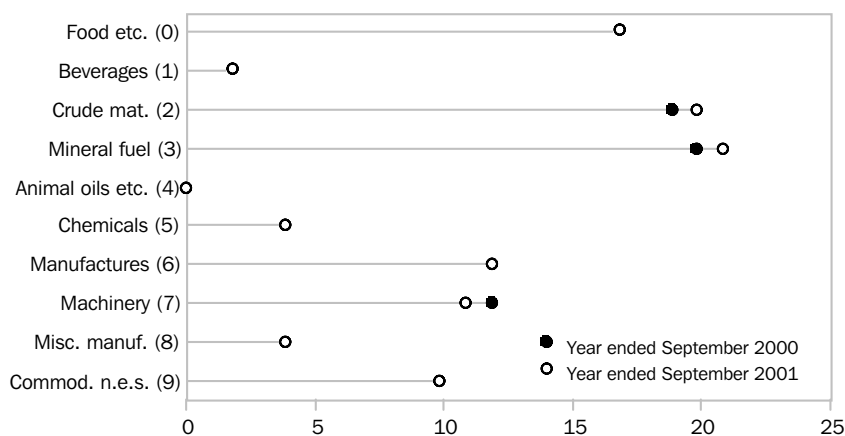
- *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials*, up \$5,611 million (27%) to \$26,023 million due mainly to increases in Coal (SITC 321), up \$3,007 million (34%), Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude (SITC 333), up \$1,333 million (22%) and Natural gas (SITC 343), up \$654 million (30%).
- *Crude materials, inedible, except fuels*, up \$4,333 million (22%) to \$24,089 million due mainly to Iron ore and concentrates (SITC 281), up \$1,044 million (26%), Aluminium ores and concentrates, including alumina (SITC 285), up \$710 million (19%), Wool and other animal hair, including wool tops (SITC 268), up \$672 million (22%), and Cotton (SITC 263), up \$654 million (46%).

MERCHANDISE EXPORTS

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- *Food and live animals*, up \$3,286 million (19%) to \$21,047 million due mainly to Meat of bovine animals, fresh, chilled or frozen (SITC 011), up \$1,100 million (33%), Wheat (incl. spelt) and meslin, unmilled (SITC 041), up \$657 million (18%) and Milk, cream and milk products (excl. butter and cheese) (SITC 022), up \$488 million (36%).

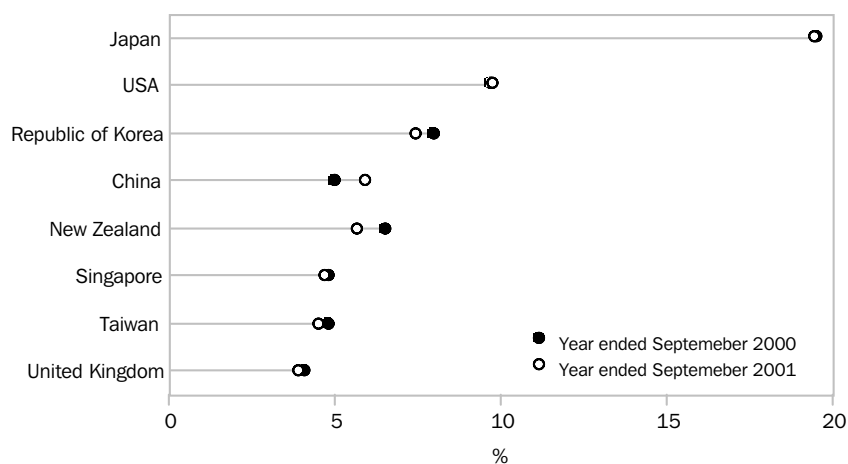
COMMODITY COMPOSITION (SITC SECTION) OF EXPORTS



Australia's major export destinations for the year ended September 2001 were:

- Japan, up \$3,617 million (18%) to \$24,019 million;
- USA, up \$1,902 million (19%) to \$12,119 million;
- Republic of Korea, up \$822 million (10%) to \$9,284 million;
- China, up \$2,041 million (38%) to \$7,396 million;
- New Zealand, up \$205 million (3%) to \$7,083 million;
- Singapore, up \$801 million (16%) to \$5,939 million;
- Taiwan, up \$606 million (12%) to \$5,705 million;
- United Kingdom, up \$614 million (14%) to \$4,966 million;
- Hong Kong, up \$653 million (19%) to \$4,050 million; and
- Indonesia, up \$634 million (24%) to \$3,246 million.

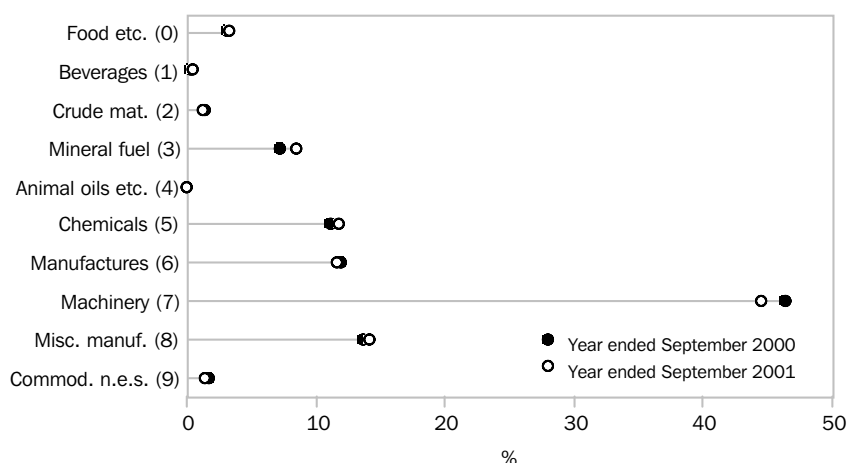
COUNTRY COMPOSITION OF EXPORTS



MERCHANDISE IMPORTS

Merchandise imports for the year ended September 2001 were \$117,864 million, an increase of \$3,480 million (3%) from the year ended September 2000.

COMMODITY COMPOSITION (SITC SECTION) OF IMPORTS



Import SITC sections recording significant movements were:

- *Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials*, up \$1,751 million (20%) to \$10,374 million due mainly to an increase in Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude (SITC 333), up \$1,628 million (25%);
- *Chemicals and related products, nes*, up \$1,313 million (10%) to \$14,355 million due mainly to Medicaments (SITC 542), up \$437 million (14%), Medicinal and pharmaceutical products (excl. medicaments)(SITC 541), up \$284 million (44%), and Inorganic chemical elements (SITC 522), up \$263 million (58%). These increases were partially offset by a fall in Organo-inorganic compounds (SITC 515), down \$282 million (18%);
- *Miscellaneous manufactured articles*, up \$981 million (6%) to \$15,975 million due mainly to Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods (SITC 894), up \$206 million (17%), Measuring, checking, analysing and controlling instruments (SITC 874), up \$152 million (9%), and Clothing of textile fabrics (SITC 845), up \$107 million (12%). These increases were partially offset by a fall in Musical instruments, parts and accessories; and record and tapes (SITC 898), down \$136 million (12%); and
- *Machinery and transport equipment*, down \$612 million (1%) to \$52,749 million due mainly to Aircraft and associated equipment; spacecraft and parts thereof (SITC 792), down \$1,463 million (35%) and Ships, boats and floating structures (SITC 793), down \$690 million (63%). These decreases were partly offset by a large increase in Passenger motor vehicles (SITC 781), up \$1,420 million (20%).

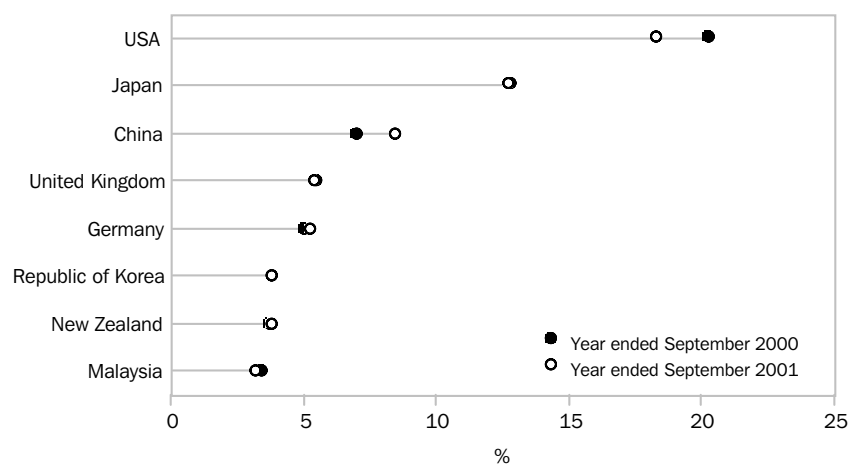
MERCHANDISE IMPORTS

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Australia's major import sources for the year ended September 2001 were:

- USA, down \$1,701 million (7%) to \$21,707 million;
- Japan, up \$328 million (2%) to \$15,166 million;
- China, up \$1,957 million (24%) to \$10,167 million;
- United Kingdom, up \$68 million (1%) to \$6,543 million;
- Germany, up \$513 million (9%) to \$6,404 million;
- Republic of Korea, up \$112 million (2%) to \$4,680 million;
- New Zealand, up \$160 million (4%) to \$4,641 million;
- Malaysia, down \$160 million (4%) to \$3,969 million;
- Singapore, down \$658 million (15%) to \$3,879 million ; and
- Indonesia, up \$817 million (29%) to \$3,634 million.

COUNTRY COMPOSITION OF IMPORTS



INTRODUCTION

Australia and most countries throughout the world use the international Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (the Harmonized System or HS) for the classification of internationally traded goods as they pass their country's customs frontier. The World Customs Organisation (WCO) has designed and maintained the classification system for this purpose. Australia uses extensions of the international HS for the collection and dissemination of statistics on detailed merchandise export and import commodities of particular interest.

Australia extends the international HS to produce the Combined Australian Customs Tariff Nomenclature and Statistical Classification (the Customs Tariff or the Tariff) to classify imports and the Australian Harmonized Export Commodity Classification (AHECC) to classify exports. The extensions exist:

- for Customs purposes, to differentiate between imported goods grouped under a single 6-digit HS code. This is generally driven by the need to impose varying import duty rates on similar goods. This is achieved by adding two digits to the HS code, making an 8-digit code. This extension is maintained by the Australian Customs Service (Customs).
- for statistical purposes, to provide a finer level of detail. This is achieved by adding two digits to the combination of HS and Customs 8-digit codes for imports and to the 6-digit HS codes for exports. The statistical codes are maintained by the ABS.

Several other classifications, such as the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) and the Classification of Broad Economic Categories (BEC), are used for the presentation of broader level statistics in this publication, in line with international standards and practice. The statistics presented for these classifications are prepared by translating the data collected according to the HS via concordances between the classifications. In this way the varying requirements and interests of traders and users of the information can be met efficiently and effectively.

INTERNATIONAL REVIEW

The WCO is introducing the third revision to the international HS on 1 January 2002. The HS was introduced on 1 January 1988 and subsequently revised in 1990 and 1996. The 2002 revisions affect 68 of the 98 chapters in the classification, either through note changes, classification changes or both. Extensive revisions have been made to Petroleum (chapter 27), Chemicals (chapter 29), Hides and skins (chapter 41), and Paper and paper products (chapter 48). In these chapters, the structure of the classification has been altered. In some instances, the WCO has kept the same codes even where there has been a change in the content of that category in the 2002 version. Users of the classification need to be aware of such instances.

In the hierarchy of the HS there were no changes made to either the description or the number of chapters. There has been an increase of 3 in the number of 4-digit HS headings and an increase of 111 in the number of 6-digit HS headings. As a signatory to the HS convention, it is mandatory for Australia to implement the revised international classification in its entirety on 1 January 2002.

Chapter 27, Petroleum, now separately identifies waste oils. In chapter 29, Chemicals, the basis of the classification has changed from a chemical composition description to a mixture of end-use and chemical composition descriptions. In both chapters there has been no reuse of classification codes where categories have changed content.

INTERNATIONAL REVIEW *continued*

Chapter 41, Hides and skins, now incorporates the concept of reversible tanning. Reversible tanning means a hide or skin, which after being washed returns to an unprocessed state and without further tanning processes will begin deteriorating. In industry terms this means a hide or skin that has had no further processing past alum sulphating, leaving the reverse side of the hide or skin coloured white (or close to white). The statistical codes now distinguish between raw skins, not processed beyond drying or salting, and those skins which are partially processed, that is, not a raw skin.

In chapter 48, Paper and paper products, the WCO has placed emphasis on identifying types of paper and the level of processing the paper has undergone, for example bleaching, in the 6-digit structure. In chapters 41 and 48, several of the 1996 HS classification headings have been reused for the 2002 HS version, even though a change in scope of those classification headings has occurred.

AUSTRALIAN EXTENSIONS

Any changes made at the 6-digit level of the international HS necessarily impact on the extensions to the HS for Australian requirements. Accordingly, Customs and the ABS have undertaken reviews of the Australian extensions. Customs has reviewed the 8-digit tariff extensions for imports and the ABS has reviewed the 10-digit extensions for import statistical codes and the 8-digit extensions for export statistical codes.

Proposals for the detailed import and export classifications were developed by the ABS after implementing the WCO changes to the 6-digit level and, in the case of imports, the changed 8-digit tariff codes determined by Customs. The initial extensions to the classifications for statistical purposes were developed by applying the previous dissections wherever possible. The ABS determined areas of the classification where further assistance was required from industry experts. It consulted relevant industry organisations where significant changes were proposed or technical advice and assistance was required with the classification.

Initial classification proposals have been made available on the ABS website and have been distributed as paper copies where this was requested. All known stakeholders were advised by letter of the ABS proposals and an Australian Customs Notice was issued. All submissions made were considered and where necessary further industry advice sought.

The review team contacted organisations who had requested current confidentiality restrictions which were affected by the changes. The organisations were asked to assess their potential level of exposure under the new classification. These assessments have been used to apply restrictions which will be reviewed in the first six months of operation of the new classification. Subsequently, the restrictions will be reviewed every two years, unless there are changes in trading patterns, in accordance with normal procedures.

Throughout the review process the ABS worked closely with the other government agencies involved and consulted with several international and overseas agencies on aspects of the review. Industry experts were consulted on the final structures. Finally the ABS allocated the statistical codes, wrote descriptions of the classifications and prepared the classification manuscript.

STATISTICAL CODES

In conjunction with the review, the ABS examined trade reported for the existing statistical codes in the import and export classifications. It examined low value trade to determine whether continued use of these dissections was warranted. The ABS limits the level of detail to that which can be reasonably provided by importers and exporters and justified by the uses made of the information. 342 import codes and 173 export codes were identified for investigation.

STATISTICAL CODES *continued*

These categories were assessed against the following criteria:

- is trade in the item greater than \$1 million per annum?
- is the code used for the purposes of formulating, administering or monitoring government policy?
- does the statistical code clarify the classification structure and is the classification mutually exclusive?
- is the code likely to have confidentiality restrictions applied to it?

The result of these investigations was to close 111 import codes and 47 export codes, less than 1% of the total number of statistical codes. It should be noted that a substantial review of these codes was previously undertaken relatively recently (in 1999). The changes resulting from these investigations will also be implemented on 1 January 2002.

FINAL STRUCTURES

Table F1 shows the number of categories in the import and export classifications before and after the review. The number of 8-digit export statistical codes increased by 125, or 2.4%, largely the same as the increase in the number of 6-digit HS headings resulting from the WCO review. The number of 10-digit import statistical codes increased by 766 or 9.8 %.

TABLE F1: NUMBER OF CATEGORIES IN HS CLASSIFICATIONS, Before And After Review

	<i>Before</i>	<i>After</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Change</i>
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Sections	21	21	0	–
Chapters	98	98	0	–
HS 4-digit headings	1 253	1 256	3	0.2
HS 6-digit headings	5 124	5 249	125	2.4
AHECC 8-digit commodities	5 640	5 742	102	1.8
8-digit import tariff items	5 787	6 115	328	5.7
HTISC 10-digit commodities	7 782	8 548	766	9.8

STATISTICAL IMPACTS

Users of detailed international merchandise trade statistics may be affected by these changes. There will be some breaks in time series for categories, or combinations of categories, where there is no direct translation between the two versions of the classification. The ABS will not be backcasting any data, but the classification concordances are available for users who wish to do their own modelling. Most series will be unaffected by the changes. There will be no impact on trade statistics classified to the SITC or the BEC, as there are no concordance changes between the HS and these classifications.

The Appendix to this article examines the relationship between the structure and levels in the HS based classifications with Australian trade classified to them. It uses the previous HS classifications, as it will be some time before trade data will be available on the new bases.

FUTURE CHANGES

The detailed Australian classifications for exports and imports change in response to international and national requirements, as determined over time by the WCO, Customs and the ABS. The ABS will continue to update the classifications six monthly, in response to requests from clients for investigations. The next WCO review is scheduled for implementation on 1 January 2007. An Australian Customs Notice has been issued requesting input for this process.

AHECC release practices will change after the release of the 2002 edition on 13 December 2001. Future issues of replacement pages and new editions will be released electronically from the ABS web site. The AHECC Replacement pages (Cat. no. 1233.0.00.001) will be released electronically from 1 July 2002. As a general guide to International Trade developments, readers should check the International Trade theme page on the ABS web site for up-to-date information relating to changing release practices and Australia's trade statistics (www.abs.gov.au, see Themes, International Trade).

APPENDIX: THE HS CLASSIFICATIONS AND AUSTRALIAN TRADE

This Appendix examines the value of Australian trade reported against the chapters of the AHECC and Customs Tariff. It also examines the relationship between Australian trade and the additional categories created in the Australian extensions of the HS.

The first six digits of the HS classification broadly reflect international trade requirements. Patterns of Australian trade do not necessarily accord well with those for international trade, nor do Australian requirements for detailed information necessarily accord well with international requirements. The Australian extensions of the HS classification are designed to overcome such deficiencies, while maintaining international comparability at the 6-digit level.

Readers should note that the AHECC has one more chapter than the Customs Tariff. In the AHECC chapter 98 is used to classify Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind and is maintained by the ABS. It is not an international HS classification chapter. The difference between the number of 6-digit headings in the AHECC and Customs Tariff, is also due to the additional headings in chapter 98 of the AHECC.

Table F2 shows that 54% of Australia's total exports in 2000–01 were classified to just 7 of the 98 chapters: Petroleum, Metal ores and concentrates, Precious and semi-precious stones and metals, Meat, Cereals, Machinery and mechanical appliances, and Aluminium. A further 32% of total exports were classified to the next 17 most significant chapters, bringing the combined total to 86% for the top 24 chapters.

The number of 6-digit headings for these chapters was only 39% of the total number, indicating, not surprisingly, that Australian exports are significant in only a small proportion of a classification system designed to meet international trading requirements. However these chapters account for 61% of the additional categories established to meet Australian statistical requirements. On average, these chapters have 2.4 times the proportion of additional categories per 6-digit heading than the remaining chapters of the classification.

Table F3 shows that 51% of Australia's total imports in 2000–01 were classified to just 4 chapters: Machinery and mechanical appliances, Electrical machinery and equipment, Vehicles and Petroleum. A further 28% of total imports were classified to next 14 most significant chapters, bringing the combined total to 80% for the top 18 chapters.

The number of 6-digit headings for these chapters was 45% of the total number, but accounted for 61% of the additional categories established to meet Australian tariff and statistical requirements. On average, these chapters have 2 times the proportion of additional categories per 8-digit heading than the remaining chapters of the classification.

TABLE F2: THE HS CLASSIFICATION AND AUSTRALIAN TRADE, Exports 2000–01

Value of trade per chapter	Total value	Chapters	6-digit	8-digit	Difference(a)
QUANTITY					
	\$m	no.	no.	no.	no.
\$5,000m+	61 841	7	742	839	97
\$1,000m – \$4,999m	41 360	17	1 275	1 489	214
\$500m – \$999m	8 513	13	843	917	74
\$100m – \$499m	6 564	28	1 412	1 517	105
< \$100m	1 277	33	846	864	18
Total exports	119 555	98	5 118	5 626	508
PROPORTION					
	%	%	%	%	%
\$5,000m+	51.7	7.1	14.5	14.9	19.1
\$1,000m – \$4,999m	34.6	17.3	24.9	26.5	42.1
\$500m – \$999m	7.1	13.3	16.5	16.3	14.6
\$100m – \$499m	5.5	28.6	27.6	27.0	20.7
< \$100m	1.1	33.7	16.5	15.4	3.5
Total exports	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Difference between the number of 8-digit export statistical codes and the 6-digit HS headings.

TABLE F3: THE HS CLASSIFICATION AND AUSTRALIAN TRADE, Imports 2000–01

Value of trade per chapter	Total value	Chapters	6-digit	8-digit	10-digit	Difference(a)
QUANTITY						
	\$m	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
\$5,000m+	60 603	4	919	1 168	1 686	518
\$1,000m – \$4,999m	33 466	14	1 378	1 542	2 180	638
\$500m – \$999m	13 789	19	1 056	1 206	1 614	408
\$100m – \$499m	9 676	41	1 473	1 621	1 939	318
< \$100m	718	19	287	291	302	11
Total imports	118 252	97	5 113	5 828	7 721	1 893
PROPORTION						
	%	%	%	%	%	%
\$5,000m+	51.2	4.1	18.0	20.0	21.8	27.4
\$1,000m – \$4,999m	28.3	14.4	27.0	26.5	28.2	33.7
\$500m – \$999m	11.7	19.6	20.7	20.7	20.9	21.6
\$100m – \$499m	8.2	42.3	28.8	27.8	25.1	16.8
< \$100m	0.6	19.6	5.6	5.0	3.9	0.6
Total imports	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Difference between the number of 10-digit import statistical codes and the 8-digit tariff items.

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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
1998-1999	3 948	16 566	6 320	5 838	3 417	4 203	4 473	7 984	85 991
1999-2000	4 966	18 822	7 615	6 739	4 855	4 696	4 158	9 602	97 286
2000-2001	6 842	23 497	9 204	6 882	6 009	5 894	4 653	11 654	119 555
1999									
December	1 133	4 685	1 786	2 200	1 019	1 123	1 512	2 371	24 832
2000									
March	1 299	4 697	2 046	1 439	1 193	1 231	872	2 222	23 876
June	1 489	5 089	2 371	1 490	1 430	1 327	968	2 759	26 682
September	1 434	5 931	2 259	1 749	1 497	1 418	1 000	2 865	28 520
December	1 787	6 086	2 369	1 890	1 740	1 581	912	3 135	31 276
2001									
March	1 634	5 441	2 383	1 546	1 413	1 356	898	2 567	28 121
June	1 987	6 039	2 194	1 696	1 359	1 538	1 843	3 088	31 639
September	1 988	6 453	2 339	1 951	1 427	1 230	1 314	3 330	31 750

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
1998-1999	61 355	10 416	38 814	11 629
1999-2000	71 210	12 867	44 347	12 039
2000-2001	87 411	15 928	56 394	13 968
1999				
December	17 850	3 016	10 702	3 454
2000				
March	17 493	3 045	11 322	2 832
June	19 754	3 742	12 573	3 301
September	21 257	3 872	13 056	3 107
December	23 368	4 478	14 968	3 291
2001				
March	20 420	3 752	13 718	3 227
June	22 366	3 826	14 652	4 343
September	23 350	4 157	14 632	3 619

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

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS, By Country

	<i>China</i>	<i>Japan</i>	<i>Korea, Republic of</i>	<i>New Zealand</i>	<i>Singapore</i>	<i>Taiwan</i>	<i>United Kingdom</i>	<i>United States of America</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Period</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>
1998-1999	6 106	13 587	3 894	3 950	2 944	2 978	5 545	20 893	97 611
1999-2000	7 515	14 110	4 311	4 372	4 359	3 244	6 350	23 135	110 078
2000-2001	9 881	15 370	4 709	4 565	3 898	3 326	6 321	22 353	118 252
1999									
December	1 923	3 488	1 213	1 139	1 764	821	1 402	5 992	28 839
2000									
March	1 806	3 335	987	1 002	803	781	1 670	5 696	26 411
June	1 879	3 764	1 236	1 161	1 002	875	1 864	5 969	28 810
September	2 601	4 250	1 133	1 179	968	928	1 539	5 751	30 324
December	2 786	3 968	1 447	1 143	939	939	1 884	5 707	31 410
2001									
March	2 352	3 331	1 065	1 087	812	711	1 466	5 439	27 483
June	2 142	3 821	1 064	1 155	1 179	748	1 431	5 457	29 035
September	2 887	4 045	1 104	1 256	949	761	1 761	5 105	29 937

MERCHANDISE IMPORTS, By Major Country Group(a)

	<i>Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC)</i>	<i>Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)</i>	<i>Developing Countries (DCs)</i>	<i>European Union (EU)</i>
<i>Period</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>	<i>\$m</i>
1998-1999	68 128	12 368	31 065	23 327
1999-2000	77 773	15 660	37 738	24 340
2000-2001	83 531	17 452	44 225	25 506
1999				
December	20 836	4 835	10 680	5 987
2000				
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	22 050	4 565	12 258	6 749
2001				
March	19 326	3 893	9 969	6 140
June	20 392	4 532	10 629	6 407
September	20 883	4 393	11 324	6 823

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

EXCESS OF EXPORTS OVER IMPORTS, By Country(a)

	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
1998-1999	-2 158	2 979	2 426	1 888	472	1 224	-1 072	-12 910	-11 620
1999-2000	-2 549	4 712	3 305	2 367	496	1 452	-2 193	-13 532	-12 792
2000-2001	-3 039	8 127	4 495	2 317	2 110	2 567	-1 668	-10 699	1 304
1999									
December	- 790	1 196	573	1 061	- 745	302	110	-3 622	-4 007
2000									
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	-1 167	1 681	1 126	570	529	490	- 539	-2 886	-1 804
December	-1 000	2 119	922	747	800	642	- 972	-2 572	- 134
2001									
March	- 718	2 110	1 317	459	601	645	- 569	-2 872	638
June	- 155	2 218	1 129	541	180	790	411	-2 369	2 604
September	- 898	2 407	1 235	694	478	468	- 448	-1 775	1 813

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

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

	Asia Pacific Economic Co-operation (APEC)	Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)	Developing Countries (DCs)	European Union (EU)
Period	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
1998-1999	-6 773	-1 951	7 749	-11 697
1999-2000	-6 563	-2 793	6 610	-12 301
2000-2001	3 880	-1 524	12 170	-11 537
1999				
December	-2 986	-1 819	22	-2 533
2000				
March	- 961	- 423	2 733	-3 324
June	- 457	- 218	2 620	-3 038
September	- 506	- 589	1 688	-3 102
December	1 318	-87	2 710	-3 458
2001				
March	1 094	- 141	3 749	-2 913
June	1 974	- 707	4 023	-2 064
September	2 467	-235	3 309	-3 204

(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	JUN QTR 2001		SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
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Algeria	28	1	2	1	44	5	66	2
Angola	1	—	—	—	2	—	4	—
Argentina	22	30	16	33	80	87	104	133
Australia (Re-imports)	—	113	—	135	—	498	—	449
Austria	15	128	27	115	54	463	68	541
Bahamas	7	1	1	1	6	10	10	3
Bahrain(a)	32	8	18	16	77	52	99	41
Bangladesh	99	11	80	15	273	62	380	55
Barbados	2	—	1	—	9	1	5	1
Belgium-Luxembourg	237	201	189	211	1 021	756	976	844
Bolivia	—	—	—	1	1	3	1	2
Brazil	137	118	112	159	517	553	508	614
Brunei Darussalam	11	103	11	101	39	211	46	419
Bulgaria	1	2	12	2	3	6	16	8
Cambodia	2	1	6	1	10	2	14	4
Canada	450	447	424	384	1 259	1 867	1 822	1 799
Cayman Islands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chile	37	12	39	33	143	80	138	78
China	1 987	2 142	1 988	2 887	5 355	8 210	7 396	10 167
Christmas Island	5	1	5	4	18	7	16	9
Cocos (Keeling) Island	4	—	3	—	8	—	10	—
Colombia	20	3	3	7	19	18	27	20
Cook Islands	2	—	2	—	6	3	7	4
Costa Rica	1	3	4	2	6	22	7	14
Cote d'Ivoire	1	3	1	4	7	10	3	13
Croatia	1	2	1	2	2	10	6	8
Cuba	5	2	1	2	2	6	6	7
Cyprus	5	—	3	1	13	5	14	5
Czech Republic	31	18	19	15	66	71	99	70
Denmark	24	116	29	152	139	560	115	549
Dominican Republic	5	1	1	2	14	3	16	6
Ecuador	8	1	2	1	5	3	12	3
Egypt(a)	153	3	178	3	525	16	662	13
Ethiopia	4	1	1	—	9	2	10	2
Fiji	167	55	167	62	574	324	656	251
Finland	154	167	111	165	398	700	485	693
France	280	606	277	641	881	2 316	1 129	2 480
French Polynesia	50	1	64	—	205	6	242	3
Germany	409	1 714	348	1 705	1 266	5 892	1 527	6 404
Ghana	21	—	15	1	57	6	66	4
Greece	18	29	40	24	202	102	99	106
Guam	5	—	4	—	17	—	20	—
Guatemala	2	1	3	—	10	3	8	2
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	1 060	339	1 038	392	3 397	1 334	4 050	1 397
Hungary	7	23	5	23	8	87	24	93
Iceland(a)	1	1	1	1	3	3	2	4
India	620	189	634	215	1 664	731	2 252	767
Indonesia	757	1 062	872	1 095	2 611	2 817	3 246	3 634
Iran	173	6	185	7	514	28	755	29
Iraq	292	—	196	—	516	149	798	—
Ireland	51	336	56	356	144	939	189	1 214
Israel	72	113	89	111	235	415	258	459
Italy	549	857	538	835	1 686	3 103	2 214	3 308
Jamaica	10	1	6	1	39	1	31	2
Japan	6 039	3 821	6 453	4 045	20 401	14 837	24 019	15 166
Jordan	19	6	29	—	100	9	95	7

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Country *continued*

Country	JUN QTR 2001		SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Kenya	17	5	27	6	78	15	96	21
Kiribati	8	—	7	—	29	—	30	—
Korea, Republic of	2 194	1 064	2 339	1 104	8 462	4 568	9 284	4 680
Kuwait	101	36	101	31	282	111	448	161
Laos	3	—	4	1	5	1	15	1
Lebanon	4	1	13	2	58	7	35	5
Libya	12	—	15	—	32	—	48	—
Lithuania	2	1	1	1	3	2	4	3
Macau (SAR of China)	15	1	8	2	19	7	34	7
Madagascar	2	1	1	—	7	1	7	3
Malawi	—	1	1	1	1	7	5	9
Malaysia	616	954	693	1 008	2 219	4 129	2 581	3 969
Maldives	3	—	3	—	7	—	16	—
Malta	4	2	3	1	13	7	14	6
Marianas Northern	1	—	1	—	2	—	3	—
Marshall Islands	2	—	3	—	5	—	8	—
Mauritius	37	2	34	1	114	4	135	8
Mexico	103	180	121	138	295	402	398	604
Micronesia Fed States of	5	—	4	—	14	—	20	—
Morocco	18	2	4	10	28	31	45	34
Mozambique	50	—	55	—	58	—	192	—
Myanmar	5	5	23	6	20	16	37	22
Namibia	—	2	1	2	59	8	5	7
Nauru	6	2	5	—	25	5	25	9
Nepal	3	1	2	—	6	3	12	2
Netherlands	427	232	362	284	1 602	958	1 677	982
Netherlands Antilles	1	—	4	—	4	—	7	1
New Caledonia	56	16	54	12	219	47	235	52
New Zealand	1 696	1 155	1 951	1 256	6 878	4 482	7 083	4 641
Nigeria	8	—	11	1	19	61	30	1
Norfolk Island	4	—	5	—	19	1	19	—
Norway	23	84	31	40	109	141	131	222
Oman	43	—	56	—	187	98	210	1
Pakistan	115	38	90	43	479	169	409	196
Palau	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—
Panama	1	—	1	2	24	—	3	5
Papua New Guinea	261	361	249	234	946	1 395	1 037	1 343
Peru	14	21	14	19	42	46	57	78
Philippines	295	110	376	133	1 360	516	1 503	488
Poland	6	12	6	12	19	36	24	42
Portugal	9	39	29	48	37	168	52	166
Puerto Rico	11	21	11	47	6	216	29	114
Qatar	19	90	35	149	75	159	110	319
Romania	14	3	8	4	54	10	63	12
Russian Federation	83	7	50	5	219	24	249	25
Samoa	13	19	15	33	48	59	54	91
Samoa (American)	16	1	10	1	68	3	86	4
Saudi Arabia	639	427	590	191	1 431	1 210	2 397	1 445
Seychelles	1	—	1	1	4	—	6	1
Singapore	1 359	1 179	1 427	949	5 138	4 537	5 939	3 879
Slovak Republic	2	4	2	2	6	11	9	13
Slovenia	3	12	3	13	11	39	12	47
Solomon Islands	15	1	16	1	65	5	60	3
South Africa	333	215	354	212	1 170	794	1 309	880
Spain	268	189	212	189	743	662	771	717
Sri Lanka	88	22	78	20	253	82	355	82
Sudan	39	—	41	—	67	46	137	—
Sweden	58	360	88	337	169	1 598	212	1 573
Switzerland	80	309	47	307	217	1 307	267	1 165
Syria	4	—	6	—	19	1	18	1

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Country *continued*

Country	JUN QTR 2001		SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Taiwan	1 538	748	1 230	761	5 098	3 405	5 705	3 160
Tanzania	30	3	40	2	90	6	135	8
Thailand	644	596	614	687	1 855	2 609	2 308	2 686
Tonga	4	—	4	—	15	1	15	1
Trinidad and Tobago	12	—	9	—	39	1	37	2
Tunisia	1	1	2	1	6	3	7	3
Turkey	63	41	78	41	257	143	306	157
Uganda	1	4	4	2	4	14	8	13
Ukraine	20	1	15	1	36	5	51	3
United Arab Emirates	312	223	313	306	953	561	1 208	1 154
United Kingdom	1 843	1 431	1 314	1 761	4 352	6 475	4 966	6 543
United States of America	3 088	5 457	3 330	5 105	10 217	23 408	12 119	21 707
United States Virgin Islands	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	2
Uruguay	3	3	4	1	13	6	16	6
Vanuatu	14	1	13	1	53	1	52	3
Venezuela	4	1	3	1	14	1	11	2
Viet Nam	134	523	130	412	418	1 886	526	2 281
Wallis and Futuna Islands	1	—	2	—	8	—	6	—
Yemen	41	—	22	—	127	67	122	—
Zimbabwe	2	3	1	1	8	13	7	22
Zone of Coop A-Timor Gap	2	—	2	—	19	64	17	—
Other Countries	43	8	42	12	148	67	183	42
Destination or Origin Unknown	7	3	—	9	3	31	8	20
International Waters	148	—	63	—	680	—	383	—
No Country Details(a)	142	—	152	—	460	—	617	—
Ship and aircraft stores	231	—	235	—	831	—	978	1
Country unidentified	—	—	110	—	—	—	110	—
Total trade	31 639	29 035	31 750	29 937	103 910	114 384	122 786	117 864

(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	JUN QTR 2001		SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Asia Pacific Economic								
Co-operation (APEC)	22 366	20 392	23 350	20 883	76 353	81 263	89 504	82 651
Australia (Re-imports)	—	113	—	135	—	498	—	449
Brunei Darussalam(a)	11	103	11	101	39	211	46	419
Canada	450	447	424	384	1 259	1 867	1 822	1 799
Chile	37	12	39	33	143	80	138	78
China	1 987	2 142	1 988	2 887	5 355	8 210	7 396	10 167
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	1 060	339	1 038	392	3 397	1 334	4 050	1 397
Indonesia(a)	757	1 062	872	1 095	2 611	2 817	3 246	3 634
Japan	6 039	3 821	6 453	4 045	20 401	14 837	24 019	15 166
Korea, Republic of	2 194	1 064	2 339	1 104	8 462	4 568	9 284	4 680
Malaysia(a)	616	954	693	1 008	2 219	4 129	2 581	3 969
Mexico	103	180	121	138	295	402	398	604
New Zealand	1 696	1 155	1 951	1 256	6 878	4 482	7 083	4 641
Papua New Guinea	261	361	249	234	946	1 395	1 037	1 343
Peru	14	21	14	19	42	46	57	78
Philippines(a)	295	110	376	133	1 360	516	1 503	488
Russian Federation	83	7	50	5	219	24	249	25
Singapore(a)	1 359	1 179	1 427	949	5 138	4 537	5 939	3 879
Taiwan	1 538	748	1 230	761	5 098	3 405	5 705	3 160
Thailand(a)	644	596	614	687	1 855	2 609	2 308	2 686
United States of America	3 088	5 457	3 330	5 105	10 217	23 408	12 119	21 707
Viet Nam(a)	134	523	130	412	418	1 886	526	2 281
Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)								
Asian Nations (ASEAN)	3 826	4 532	4 157	4 393	13 675	16 724	16 213	17 384
Brunei(a)	11	103	11	101	39	211	46	419
Cambodia	2	1	6	1	10	2	14	4
Indonesia(a)	757	1 062	872	1 095	2 611	2 817	3 246	3 634
Laos	3	—	4	1	5	1	15	1
Malaysia(a)	616	954	693	1 008	2 219	4 129	2 581	3 969
Myanmar	5	5	23	6	20	16	37	22
Philippines(a)	295	110	376	133	1 360	516	1 503	488
Singapore(a)	1 359	1 179	1 427	949	5 138	4 537	5 939	3 879
Thailand(a)	644	596	614	687	1 855	2 609	2 308	2 686
Viet Nam(a)	134	523	130	412	418	1 886	526	2 281
European Union (EU)								
European Union (EU)	4 343	6 407	3 619	6 823	12 694	24 693	14 481	26 120
Austria	15	128	27	115	54	463	68	541
Belgium-Luxembourg	237	201	189	211	1 021	756	976	844
Denmark	24	116	29	152	139	560	115	549
Finland	154	167	111	165	398	700	485	693
France	280	606	277	641	881	2 316	1 129	2 480
Germany	409	1 714	348	1 705	1 266	5 892	1 527	6 404
Greece	18	29	40	24	202	102	99	106
Ireland	51	336	56	356	144	939	189	1 214
Italy	549	857	538	835	1 686	3 103	2 214	3 308
Netherlands	427	232	362	284	1 602	958	1 677	982
Portugal	9	39	29	48	37	168	52	166
Spain	268	189	212	189	743	662	771	717
Sweden	58	360	88	337	169	1 598	212	1 573
United Kingdom	1 843	1 431	1 314	1 761	4 352	6 475	4 966	6 543

(a) Also included in other country groups.

EXPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITIES

Commodity description and SITC code	Sep Qtr 2000		Jun Qtr 2001		Sep Qtr 2001	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
Food and live animals(a)						
Sheep and goats, live (001.21,22)	49	0.2	69	0.2	95	0.3
Meat of bovine animals fresh, chilled or frozen (011.11-22)	936	3.3	1 208	3.8	1 251	3.9
Meat of sheep and goats fresh, chilled or frozen (012.11-13)	211	0.7	272	0.9	260	0.8
Milk and cream and milk products other than butter or cheese (022)	303	1.1	408	1.3	405	1.3
Cheese and curd (024)	206	0.7	227	0.7	206	0.6
Crustaceans, molluscs, and aquatic invertebrates (except canned or bottled) (036)	208	0.7	330	1.0	196	0.6
Wheat (including spelt) and meslin, unmilled (041)	939	3.3	1 162	3.7	1 059	3.3
Rice (042)(a)	106	0.4	71	0.2	78	0.2
Barley, unmilled (043)(a)	129	0.5	1	—	1	—
Sorghum, unmilled (045.30)	1	—	1	—	8	—
Fruit and nuts, fresh, dried or preserved and fruit preparations (including fruit and vegetable juices) (057-059)	232	0.8	193	0.6	270	0.8
Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)						
Hides and skins, bovine and equine, raw (211.11-13,20)(a)	102	0.4	148	0.5	134	0.4
Skins, sheep and lamb, with wool on, raw (211.60)	62	0.2	83	0.3	66	0.2
Wood, in chips or particles (246.11,15)	187	0.7	193	0.6	164	0.5
Cotton (other than linters), not carded or combed (263.10)	511	1.8	675	2.1	618	1.9
Wool, greasy (including fleece-washed wool) (268.11,19)	462	1.6	544	1.7	562	1.8
Wool, other, not carded or combed (268.21,29)	150	0.5	172	0.5	134	0.4
Iron ore concentrates and agglomerates (excluding roasted iron pyrites) (281.50, 60)	1 191	4.2	1 297	4.1	1 415	4.5
Copper ores and concentrates (283.10)	229	0.8	301	1.0	259	0.8
Nickel oxide sinters (284.22)	33	0.1	30	0.1	26	0.1
Alumina (aluminium oxide) (285.20)	1 065	3.7	1 099	3.5	1 135	3.6
Uranium and thorium ores and concentrates (286.10,20)	114	0.4	125	0.4	119	0.4
Zinc ores and concentrates (287.50)	219	0.8	253	0.8	180	0.6
Ores and concentrates of molybdenum, niobium, titanium etc. (287.81-85)(a)	79	0.3	114	0.4	56	0.2
Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials						
Coal, whether or not pulverised but not agglomerated (321)	2 515	8.8	3 166	10.0	3 440	10.8
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude (333)	1 936	6.8	1 679	5.3	1 770	5.6
Petroleum products (334,335)	827	2.9	759	2.4	692	2.2
Gas, natural and manufactured (34)	812	2.8	849	2.7	996	3.1
Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)						
Plastics in primary and non-primary forms (57,58)(a)	111	0.4	113	0.4	129	0.4
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)						
Iron and steel (67)(a)	249	0.9	196	0.6	177	0.6
Copper and copper alloys, unwrought (excluding master alloys) (682.11,12,14)	233	0.8	365	1.2	301	0.9
Nickel and nickel alloys, unwrought (683.11,12)	268	0.9	288	0.9	284	0.9
Aluminium (684)	1 086	3.8	1 205	3.8	1 207	3.8
Lead and lead alloys, unwrought (685.11,12)	44	0.2	90	0.3	91	0.3
Zinc and zinc alloys, unwrought (686.11,12)	218	0.8	127	0.4	142	0.4
Machinery and transport equipment						
Power generating machinery and equipment (71)	291	1.0	208	0.7	177	0.6
Machinery specialised for particular industries (72)	323	1.1	387	1.2	352	1.1
Office machines and automatic data processing machines (75)	356	1.2	401	1.3	397	1.3
Cars and other road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles) (78)	884	3.1	1 007	3.2	969	3.1
Aircraft and associated equipment; spacecraft (including satellites) and spacecraft launch vehicles; and parts thereof (792)	169	0.6	153	0.5	197	0.6
Miscellaneous manufactured articles						
Photographic and cinematographic supplies (882)	125	0.4	95	0.3	108	0.3
Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC						
Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates) (971)	1 205	4.2	1 392	4.4	1 251	3.9
Total major commodities(a)	19 374	67.9	21 455	67.8	21 375	67.3
Total trade	28 520	100.0	31 639	100.0	31 750	100.0

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

Commodity description and SITC code	Sep Qtr 2000		Jun Qtr 2001		Sep Qtr 2001	
	\$m	%	\$m	%	\$m	%
Food and live animals						
Fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof (03)	200	0.7	220	0.8	211	0.7
Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials						
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude (333)	1 935	6.4	1 871	6.4	1 945	6.5
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals (other than crude) (334)	454	1.5	593	2.0	359	1.2
Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)						
Organic chemicals (51)(a)	743	2.5	753	2.6	640	2.1
Inorganic chemicals (52)(a)	181	0.6	288	1.0	269	0.9
Medical and pharmaceutical products (54)	1 077	3.6	1 149	4.0	1 182	3.9
Plastics in primary and non-primary forms (57, 58)	540	1.8	524	1.8	543	1.8
Chemical materials and products, n.e.s. (59)	334	1.1	371	1.3	351	1.2
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)						
Rubber tyres, interchangeable tyre treads, tyre flaps and inner tubes for wheels of all kinds (625)	208	0.7	257	0.9	255	0.9
Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard (64)(a)	650	2.1	521	1.8	601	2.0
Textile yarn (651)	144	0.5	148	0.5	143	0.5
Woven fabrics of cotton or man-made textile material (excluding narrow or special fabrics) (652, 653)	171	0.6	137	0.5	159	0.5
Clay and refractory construction materials and mineral manufactures, n.e.s. (662, 663)	161	0.5	148	0.5	161	0.5
Glass, glassware and pottery (664, 665, 666)	181	0.6	164	0.6	182	0.6
Iron and steel (67)(a)	357	1.2	362	1.2	423	1.4
Manufactures of base metals n.e.s. (699)	294	1.0	258	0.9	270	0.9
Machinery and transport equipment						
Internal combustion piston engines, and parts thereof n.e.s (713)	308	1.0	354	1.2	391	1.3
Tractors, track-laying and wheeled (722)	98	0.3	89	0.3	84	0.3
Civil engineering and contractors' plant and equipment (723)	245	0.8	230	0.8	322	1.1
Machinery and equipment specialised for particular industries and parts thereof (728)	227	0.7	253	0.9	250	0.8
Pumps, centrifuges, filtering or purifying apparatus and parts thereof (743)	262	0.9	260	0.9	274	0.9
Automatic data processing machines and units thereof (752)	1 504	5.0	1 300	4.5	1 158	3.9
Parts and accessories for office and automatic data processing machines (759)	662	2.2	677	2.3	608	2.0
Television and radio broadcast receivers (761, 762)	401	1.3	270	0.9	380	1.3
Telecommunication equipment n.e.s. and parts n.e.s. and accessories (764)	1 687	5.6	1 355	4.7	1 384	4.6
Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits (772)	268	0.9	259	0.9	253	0.8
Household type, electrical and non-electrical equipment n.e.s. (775)	287	0.9	267	0.9	272	0.9
Electrical machinery and apparatus n.e.s. (778)	459	1.5	444	1.5	460	1.5
Passenger motor vehicles (other than public transport type vehicles) including station wagons and racing cars (781)	2 130	7.0	2 239	7.7	2 183	7.3
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods (782.11,19)	647	2.1	556	1.9	618	2.1
Parts and accessories of motor vehicles and tractors, track-laying and wheeled (784)	689	2.3	546	1.9	599	2.0
Aircraft and associated equipment; spacecraft (including satellites) and spacecraft launch vehicles; and parts thereof (792)	672	2.2	483	1.7	556	1.9
Ships, boats (including hovercraft) and floating structures (793)	91	0.3	151	0.5	40	0.1
Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)						
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories (84)	887	2.9	646	2.2	899	3.0
Measuring, checking, analysing and controlling instruments and apparatus n.e.s. (874)	420	1.4	471	1.6	511	1.7
Photographic and cinematographic supplies (882)(a)	152	0.5	125	0.4	126	0.4
Printed matter (892)	268	0.9	241	0.8	284	0.9
Baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods (894)	414	1.4	295	1.0	453	1.5
Total major commodities(a)	20 407	67.3	19 275	66.4	19 799	66.1
Total trade	30 324	100.0	29 035	100.0	29 937	100.0

(a) Excludes commodities subject to a confidentiality restriction.

See paragraph 28 of the Explanatory Notes.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, By Commodity—quarterly

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	SEP QTR 2000		JUN QTR 2001		SEP QTR 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)	4 806	1 033	5 256	1 037	5 412	1 110
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	198	10	211	13	275	15
01 Meat and meat preparations	1 308	30	1 678	30	1 717	43
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	573	67	701	78	676	72
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	514	200	469	220	519	211
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	1 311	88	1 384	65	1 309	85
05 Vegetables and fruit	408	176	366	186	441	187
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	69	31	53	31	72	36
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	70	162	58	151	74	166
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	253	33	226	57	226	46
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	101	235	112	207	103	249
1 Beverages and tobacco	510	218	566	222	596	211
11 Beverages	497	166	548	156	578	163
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	13	52	18	66	18	48
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	5 478	530	6 380	424	6 008	439
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	172	—	244	—	211	1
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	123	23	204	20	118	6
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	2	25	3	32	5	34
24 Cork and wood	224	182	228	97	199	122
25 Pulp and waste paper	12	106	9	54	8	65
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	1 281	35	1 567	38	1 475	39
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(b)	108	40	141	46	134	51
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	3 491	58	3 910	67	3 782	61
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	65	61	74	70	76	60
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(b)	6 094	2 526	6 455	2 590	6 912	2 427
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	2 519	4	3 168	2	3 454	3
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	2 763	2 458	2 438	2 538	2 462	2 379
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	812	64	849	51	996	45
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)	77	74	80	71	73	70
41 Animal oils and fats	56	2	56	4	50	4
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)	9	63	10	58	10	58
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	12	9	13	9	12	8
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	1 187	3 418	1 349	3 804	1 447	3 574
51 Organic chemicals(a)	24	743	30	753	28	640
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	118	181	156	288	152	269
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	169	139	163	138	166	145
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	488	1 077	583	1 149	680	1 182
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	108	268	99	288	96	331
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	17	136	51	292	29	114
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)	61	287	61	293	64	292
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	49	253	51	232	65	251
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	152	334	155	371	169	351

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	SEP QTR 2000		JUN QTR 2001		SEP QTR 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	3 324	3 687	3 618	3 356	3 568	3 693
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	135	53	128	49	137	53
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	41	325	46	390	41	396
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	45	140	62	113	51	129
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	135	650	170	521	173	601
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	161	711	153	605	145	667
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	304	508	213	452	278	496
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	249	357	196	362	177	423
68 Non-ferrous metals(b)	2 088	222	2 464	213	2 384	229
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(b)	164	721	185	652	183	699
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	3 372	14 034	3 486	12 831	3 326	13 290
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	291	665	208	695	177	817
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	323	1 022	387	927	352	1 076
73 Metal working machinery	45	102	48	127	60	134
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)	293	1 384	336	1 433	336	1 552
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	356	2 298	401	2 093	397	1 894
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	457	2 237	340	1 725	268	1 905
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	410	1 736	450	1 612	444	1 603
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	884	3 813	1 007	3 572	969	3 699
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	315	777	309	647	323	612
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	1 116	4 526	1 191	3 889	1 135	4 685
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	24	94	19	96	26	96
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	30	321	36	250	37	316
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	3	142	3	96	3	140
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	99	887	101	646	118	899
85 Footwear(a)	18	286	16	173	19	287
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	294	661	331	728	313	779
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	319	437	300	383	265	428
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	329	1 699	386	1 517	354	1 740
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)(d)	2 556	279	3 258	810	3 272	437
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	348	22	745	9	518	9
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	24	1	7	1	18	4
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	1	—	1	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	1 205	228	1 392	768	1 251	396
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)(d)	978	27	1 113	32	1 485	29

Total trade	28 520	30 324	31 639	29 035	31 750	29 937
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(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 SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)	17 761	4 032	21 047	4 313
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	749	105	949	66
01 Meat and meat preparations	4 707	165	6 204	144
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	2 480	271	3 074	311
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	1 653	808	1 722	882
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	5 142	285	5 646	301
05 Vegetables and fruit	1 357	739	1 544	786
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	197	114	222	131
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	249	616	255	596
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	843	149	989	194
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	383	780	443	902
1 Beverages and tobacco	1 673	741	2 079	900
11 Beverages	1 616	563	2 012	677
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	57	178	67	223
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	19 756	1 953	24 089	1 831
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	497	3	834	2
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	848	74	721	65
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	12	108	13	140
24 Cork and wood	827	681	862	434
25 Pulp and waste paper	46	284	40	288
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	4 493	149	5 795	144
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(b)	450	175	531	208
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	12 312	204	15 008	281
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	271	276	286	268
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(b)	20 412	8 623	26 023	10 374
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	8 762	20	11 778	9
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	8 732	8 455	10 557	10 216
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	2 918	148	3 688	148
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)	309	284	296	282
41 Animal oils and fats	216	8	209	13
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)	45	240	38	236
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	48	36	49	33
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)	4 419	13 041	5 417	14 355
51 Organic chemicals(a)	120	3 009	127	2 751
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	460	712	581	999
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	596	524	658	573
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	1 838	3 753	2 425	4 475
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	367	946	388	1 133
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	54	750	146	814
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)	213	1 113	227	1 214
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	194	958	219	974
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	576	1 277	646	1 422

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	12 899	13 953	14 270	14 059
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	480	173	554	193
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	166	1 264	171	1 483
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	151	586	225	510
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	563	2 404	627	2 395
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	603	2 636	583	2 563
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	990	1 940	999	1 859
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	1 363	1 507	670	1 495
68 Non-ferrous metals(b)	7 939	843	9 697	870
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(b)	643	2 600	744	2 689
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	12 335	53 361	13 392	52 749
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	986	2 709	776	2 852
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	1 161	3 946	1 377	3 889
73 Metal working machinery	238	440	221	469
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)	1 061	5 461	1 261	5 894
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	1 317	8 128	1 605	7 914
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	1 303	7 531	1 265	7 597
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	1 414	6 453	1 753	6 658
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	3 088	13 311	3 926	14 232
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	1 767	5 383	1 208	3 245
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	4 015	15 975	4 499	16 956
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	79	370	91	380
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	120	1 060	143	1 126
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	14	444	14	471
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	345	2 930	370	3 198
85 Footwear(a)	62	874	65	933
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	1 101	2 621	1 272	2 860
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	1 030	1 575	1 063	1 619
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	1 265	6 103	1 481	6 369
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)(d)	10 331	2 421	11 673	2 047
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	2 272	56	2 034	40
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	79	6	63	12
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	9	2	2	1
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	5 003	2 236	5 156	1 856
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)(d)	2 968	121	4 419	138
Total trade	103 910	114 384	122 786	117 864

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

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	51	49	392	129	381	167
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	2	—	11	—	7	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	15	—	36	—	55	1
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	10	—	32	—	65	1
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	12	6	37	17	54	22
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	1	10	242	17	169	26
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	3	19	9	63	10	70
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	3	3	8	6	6	12
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	2	2	3	4	4	6
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	2	1	11	3	7	4
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	1	7	4	20	6	27
1 Beverages and tobacco	1	6	2	18	2	18
11 Beverages	1	—	2	1	2	—
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	6	—	17	—	18
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	936	18	2 743	46	3 710	73
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	45	—	108	—	188	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	—	2	409	11	97	12
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	—	—	—	—	2
24 Cork and wood	3	1	4	1	7	2
25 Pulp and waste paper	2	—	2	—	4	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	365	—	965	1	1 318	—
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	2	8	3	14	11	35
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	512	1	1 215	2	2 055	4
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	7	5	36	17	30	18
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	120	4	661	148	517	138
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	10	—	121	7	60	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	70	4	435	141	297	138
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	39	—	105	—	160	—
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	24	1	73	3	86	4
41 Animal oils and fats	23	—	69	—	82	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	1	—	2	—	4
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	1	—	4	1	3	1
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	54	118	183	303	228	473
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	1	27	1	88	3	123
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	5	31	15	65	21	108
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	29	7	85	18	121	31
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	6	17	22	47	21	76
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	1	15	8	21	7	42
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	—	2	—	18
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	3	1	13	6	13	7
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	5	9	27	24	32	30
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	10	12	31	11	37

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	153	452	341	1 337	551	1 587
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	7	2	22	6	18	7
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	1	24	1	73	2	86
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	6	11	10	36	30	40
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	18	32	34	79	59	106
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	7	136	27	426	27	498
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	2	64	4	204	6	231
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	36	13	39	30	111	47
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	72	27	193	99	282	99
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	5	142	11	384	17	475
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	58	726	174	2 057	243	2 650
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	1	9	10	53	10	47
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	10	13	47	37	38	51
73 Metal working machinery	1	6	3	20	8	29
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	17	70	37	174	78	246
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	3	239	17	619	10	793
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	14	176	21	432	50	627
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	9	164	23	583	37	692
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	2	48	4	128	5	156
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	1	2	13	9	8	9
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	30	1 487	72	4 099	103	4 953
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	1	35	1	110	2	120
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	3	89	3	210	5	280
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	87	—	254	—	277
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	7	622	2	1 821	12	2 180
85 Footwear(a)	—	154	—	469	1	533
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	8	15	29	42	39	53
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	4	60	18	138	18	238
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	6	424	19	1 054	26	1 272
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	563	25	714	70	1 575	103
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	2	—	14	—	10	—
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)	—	—	—	6	—	3
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	561	25	700	63	1 565	99
Total trade	1 988	2 887	5 355	8 210	7 396	10 167

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)	1 257	23	3 918	55	4 335	89
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	5	—	13	1	15	2
01 Meat and meat preparations	573	—	1 734	1	2 091	1
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	112	—	432	—	477	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	320	4	732	20	733	19
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	27	1	290	4	189	3
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	55	—	150	2	176	2
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	10	—	31	1	38	1
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	18	12	61	5	64	41
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	127	—	441	4	512	3
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	9	5	33	17	40	17
1 Beverages and tobacco	19	1	61	4	66	5
11 Beverages	19	1	61	3	66	3
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	—	—	1	—	2
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	1 117	14	3 680	49	3 991	56
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	4	—	10	—	13	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	45	—	187	—	181	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	4	—	7	—	14
24 Cork and wood(a)	153	—	484	—	360	—
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	1	—	—	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	110	4	382	12	442	15
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	10	3	30	14	39	13
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	782	1	2 537	6	2 909	6
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	13	2	48	10	47	8
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	1 999	20	5 773	104	7 344	70
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	1 592	—	4 034	2	5 405	1
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	278	20	1 182	101	1 327	69
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	129	—	557	—	612	—
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	10	—	37	1	41	1
41 Animal oils and fats	4	—	10	—	14	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	4	—	14	1	17	—
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	2	—	13	—	9	—
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	78	156	236	460	319	521
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	2	69	11	121	21	180
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	26	6	76	26	106	28
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	11	13	39	42	48	44
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	17	16	35	53	55	64
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	3	4	10	8	10	12
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	—	2	—	3
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	1	20	2	80	2	81
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	1	19	6	85	8	78
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	17	8	56	44	69	32

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	520	370	1 932	1 192	2 329	1 310
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	—	—	6	1	3	1
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	3	119	18	375	15	452
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	11	—	23	1	43	1
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	1	27	2	108	4	109
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	3	19	13	93	11	71
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	34	24	148	102	153	97
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	1	126	44	371	6	390
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	463	7	1 651	36	2 063	28
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	47	26	107	31	160
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	78	3 138	431	11 841	423	11 926
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	15	179	132	349	109	439
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	7	136	15	552	27	481
73 Metal working machinery	2	43	8	97	8	149
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	11	211	41	727	50	798
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	10	284	66	1 205	45	1 178
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	5	215	17	920	54	934
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	12	139	56	561	57	567
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	11	1 928	80	7 407	51	7 284
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	5	3	16	23	22	94
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	42	226	178	847	198	845
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	—	2	2	25	1	29
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	3	9	9	6	13	23
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	—	1	2	1	1
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1	1	8	10	9	8
85 Footwear(a)	—	—	2	—	1	—
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	20	52	72	165	92	188
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	2	85	15	297	17	303
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	15	75	70	341	65	293
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	1 332	97	4 156	284	4 972	343
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	3	—	9	3	12	1
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	2	—	10	—	12	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	1	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	106	—	315	—	302	—
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	1 222	96	3 821	281	4 646	341
Total trade	6 453	4 045	20 401	14 837	24 019	15 166

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	119	11	448	30	478	37
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	1	—	4	—	5	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	68	—	246	—	241	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	20	—	66	—	86	1
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	—	4	2	8	2	13
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	9	3	36	8	46	11
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	6	—	9	1	14	—
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	1	1	4	3	2	3
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	4	—	13	2	11	2
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	5	—	53	—	53	—
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	5	1	15	7	17	6
1 Beverages and tobacco	1	—	5	1	5	1
11 Beverages	1	—	5	1	5	1
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	488	11	1 397	20	1 869	41
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	3	—	1	—	12	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	8	—	28	—	24	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	7	—	7	—	28
24 Cork and wood(a)	7	—	60	—	39	—
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	7	—	1	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	151	3	334	7	491	9
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	—	—	5	—	1	1
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	315	—	961	2	1 296	2
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	2	1	2	3	5	2
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	701	1	2 214	159	2 735	25
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	295	—	816	—	1 165	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	391	1	1 362	159	1 536	23
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	15	—	36	1	34	2
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	5	—	6	—	11	—
41 Animal oils and fats	2	—	1	—	5	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	1	—	—	—	1	—
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	2	—	5	—	6	—
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	66	58	168	218	233	244
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	—	9	1	44	4	38
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	3	3	5	9	19	10
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	33	3	102	15	115	12
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	21	1	43	1	69	1
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	2	2	5	3	8	5
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	—	—	—	—	—	—
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	2	22	5	75	6	112
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	2	14	1	56	4	51
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	2	4	5	15	9	15

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	257	186	922	776	1 039	726
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	—	—	3	3	1	2
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	1	27	1	88	3	107
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	10	—	20	—	40	—
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	—	19	3	107	3	81
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	5	51	15	220	15	199
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	5	12	28	13	23
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	24	41	95	197	61	159
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	208	25	763	47	888	75
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	18	11	86	15	79
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	116	630	579	2 415	429	2 774
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	48	6	358	44	171	21
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	1	9	14	50	7	28
73 Metal working machinery	1	2	2	10	1	7
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	6	58	19	176	32	195
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	4	59	26	231	15	258
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	3	282	7	911	7	1 159
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	5	69	17	264	25	296
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	46	145	133	727	163	808
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	2	—	4	1	7	2
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	28	42	126	170	109	169
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	—	—	1	1	1	3
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	1	1	5	2	2	3
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	1	—	5	—	6
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1	6	2	29	2	24
85 Footwear(a)	—	5	—	19	—	20
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	4	2	15	8	20	10
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	16	3	83	18	63	16
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	5	23	20	86	21	88
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	558	164	2 596	779	2 375	663
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	111	—	698	—	495	—
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)	135	110	891	646	730	504
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	312	54	1 006	134	1 150	159
Total trade	2 339	1 104	8 462	4 568	9 284	4 680

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	178	208	559	746	633	851
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	5	6	27	76	27	43
01 Meat and meat preparations	16	4	42	17	57	16
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	10	51	36	178	33	211
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	2	36	7	149	8	156
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	35	9	102	30	131	31
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	28	40	95	126	89	156
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	13	5	29	14	39	18
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	19	10	69	18	65	31
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	17	6	46	16	66	18
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	34	41	106	122	118	170
1 Beverages and tobacco	40	34	120	96	144	141
11 Beverages	38	33	113	94	136	138
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	2	1	7	2	8	3
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	31	100	76	473	98	382
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	9	—	13	—	28	1
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	2	—	4	1	5	1
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	2	—	5	—	6	—
24 Cork and wood	3	53	8	281	10	178
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	28	—	108	1	126
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	2	11	5	49	7	41
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	6	1	18	3	18	3
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	4	3	12	9	10	10
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	4	4	9	22	13	23
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	246	111	586	328	736	418
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	2	—	3	4	4	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	244	110	583	319	730	414
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	1	1	5	1	3
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	5	1	15	3	18	4
41 Animal oils and fats	1	1	2	1	3	2
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	3	1
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	217	96	759	353	783	391
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	7	5	20	10	21	19
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	10	—	39	1	39	1
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	21	3	71	11	73	11
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	81	12	268	36	283	41
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	39	33	134	97	145	108
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	3	—	8	4	11	1
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	13	5	61	24	52	16
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	17	18	62	56	59	70
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	27	19	96	114	100	124

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	285	258	1 046	1 054	1 050	954
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	2	9	8	30	7	36
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	9	14	33	45	33	47
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	4	22	18	109	16	71
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	81	82	295	313	299	323
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	37	44	133	175	143	157
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	28	3	99	15	106	11
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	32	24	131	82	111	87
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	49	22	164	127	164	93
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	42	38	166	159	171	129
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	509	245	2 210	702	1 991	765
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	15	48	63	12	58	65
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	43	17	141	68	156	67
73 Metal working machinery	7	3	35	6	23	9
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	48	59	179	180	178	192
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	108	4	376	16	445	22
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	27	6	85	32	109	24
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	107	80	311	309	376	281
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	125	17	462	50	465	56
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	29	10	559	31	181	50
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	241	138	874	488	920	499
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	6	3	25	9	27	14
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	9	17	34	60	32	67
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	2	1	7	4	7	4
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	39	34	119	134	129	119
85 Footwear(a)	7	7	23	31	23	26
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	37	12	127	36	138	42
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	31	1	116	3	129	3
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	110	64	423	210	435	225
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	198	64	634	239	711	237
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	73	—	243	1	258	1
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)	5	48	7	183	9	186
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	120	16	383	55	443	50
Total trade	1 951	1 256	6 878	4 482	7 083	4 641

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)	139	27	480	112	557	97
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	2	—	5	—	7	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	42	—	149	—	165	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	37	—	116	—	160	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	12	2	55	10	51	9
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	4	1	12	5	14	5
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	31	—	104	1	116	1
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	2	—	6	—	6	—
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	3	15	10	67	12	50
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	3	1	9	4	11	3
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	4	8	14	24	15	27
1 Beverages and tobacco	11	—	37	2	43	2
11 Beverages	6	—	21	2	25	2
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	5	—	16	—	18	—
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	14	4	54	14	57	13
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	—	—	—	—	1	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	—	—	11	—	—	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	—	1	6	—	1
24 Cork and wood	—	—	1	1	1	1
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	—	—	2
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	12	—	27	—	41	—
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	—	—	4	1	3	—
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	1	2	6	2	8	7
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	1	1	3	3	3	2
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	503	169	1 468	588	2 106	749
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	—	—	3	—	3	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	503	169	1 466	588	2 104	746
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	—	—	—	3
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	1	5	5	18	5	18
41 Animal oils and fats	—	—	3	—	4	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	4	—	13	1	13
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	—	1	1	4	1	4
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	42	84	151	282	158	327
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	—	14	2	53	1	55
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	5	2	4	3	9	6
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	7	8	25	42	22	45
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	15	26	67	48	70	89
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	4	5	15	18	15	20
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	—	2	2	2
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	3	9	14	56	13	40
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	3	2	7	12	7	9
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	17	16	49	19	63

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	74	35	246	143	312	155
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	1	—	11	—	6	—
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	2	5	7	11	9	15
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excl. furniture)(a)	1	1	3	2	2	2
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	6	7	21	39	21	35
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	3	2	17	17	17	10
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	6	2	25	7	26	8
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	11	7	34	15	29	25
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	33	3	92	18	162	21
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	12	8	36	34	40	38
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	141	435	476	2 741	578	1 742
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	4	7	18	12	17	24
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	21	5	68	25	88	26
73 Metal working machinery	1	1	4	5	5	6
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	21	20	72	72	74	90
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	41	265	145	1 147	193	1 013
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	5	76	22	302	24	293
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	19	57	74	270	91	272
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	14	2	39	10	40	6
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	14	2	34	898	46	12
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	59	120	213	411	247	421
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	2	—	6	—	5	1
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	2	2	10	5	15	5
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	—	1	1	1	1
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1	2	8	2	7	4
85 Footwear(a)	—	1	1	1	1	1
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	12	24	36	79	47	92
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	25	6	94	19	102	21
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	16	85	57	305	70	296
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	443	69	2 007	225	1 875	355
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	96	—	38	—	157	—
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	5	—	3	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	309	26	1 881	97	1 548	185
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	37	43	83	127	167	169
Total trade	1 427	949	5 138	4 537	5 939	3 879

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	132	10	634	41	653	42
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	—	—	—	—	—	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	39	—	150	—	194	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	41	—	119	—	147	—
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	27	5	225	21	168	21
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	2	1	33	3	25	3
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	8	1	40	3	36	3
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	1	1	3	1	23	2
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	3	—	16	1	14	1
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	9	1	34	6	37	5
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	1	2	12	6	10	6
1 Beverages and tobacco	1	—	3	12	4	6
11 Beverages	1	—	3	—	4	1
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	—	—	12	—	5
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	187	9	604	30	697	34
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	1	—	5	—	9	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	—	—	2	—	2	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	1	—	2	—	3
24 Cork and wood(a)	1	—	14	—	6	—
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	62	5	213	17	229	19
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	2	—	6	1	6	1
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	118	1	353	7	435	7
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	3	2	10	4	10	4
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	402	—	1 427	15	1 904	5
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	200	—	529	—	745	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	203	—	898	15	1 147	5
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	—	—	11	—
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	8	—	36	2	31	1
41 Animal oils and fats	5	—	27	—	21	—
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	—	—	—	—	—
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	2	—	9	2	10	1
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	34	46	166	217	196	196
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	—	6	1	31	2	23
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	2	1	13	15	13	7
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	4	1	21	5	21	4
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	21	1	97	5	125	5
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	3	6	14	21	14	21
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	—	1	2	1	2
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	1	10	4	57	4	51
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	1	18	4	74	5	74
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	3	2	11	7	11	8

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	232	165	1 164	700	1 170	652
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	1	1	3	4	3	4
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	—	14	2	51	1	53
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	4	1	18	5	19	5
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	2	4	15	14	13	14
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	3	39	8	176	8	148
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	1	12	7	51	7	49
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	1	20	72	97	18	75
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	218	5	1 034	15	1 094	20
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	2	69	6	287	7	285
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	24	375	145	1 833	151	1 647
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	2	9	23	32	31	30
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	4	14	9	64	11	58
73 Metal working machinery	1	9	1	32	2	32
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	4	39	45	134	20	147
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	5	184	27	1 032	21	833
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	1	30	9	150	34	131
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	6	63	15	272	21	277
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	2	26	13	109	8	121
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	—	1	2	8	2	18
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	15	127	53	491	56	469
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	—	7	1	36	1	30
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	1	17	1	82	3	67
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	2	—	7	—	8
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	—	7	1	25	1	23
85 Footwear(a)	—	3	—	10	—	9
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	5	7	17	30	17	30
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	4	11	11	44	13	48
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	5	72	21	256	21	255
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	193	28	867	64	844	107
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	1	—	19	—	9	—
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	7	—	5	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	1	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	36	—	305	—	261	—
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	155	28	535	64	569	107
Total trade	1 230	761	5 098	3 405	5 705	3 160

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	47	40	204	140	202	140
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	—	2	3	16	1	6
01 Meat and meat preparations	21	—	98	—	96	—
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	6	1	32	3	36	5
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	1	1	2	8	2	7
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	3	6	7	17	9	16
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	13	2	48	6	43	5
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	1	2	6	9	5	10
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	—	12	2	41	2	43
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	—	—	1	1	1	1
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	2	12	5	39	7	47
1 Beverages and tobacco	258	43	636	139	779	196
11 Beverages	258	39	636	133	778	182
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	—	4	—	5	—	14
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	56	8	207	35	245	49
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	—	—	1	—	3	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	3	—	1	—	4	—
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	1	—	4	—	5
24 Cork and wood	2	—	5	1	7	1
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	5	2	44	15	36	9
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	1	1	4	4	3	3
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	44	2	142	3	184	24
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	2	2	8	8	9	8
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	115	1	344	4	423	4
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	115	—	344	—	423	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	—	1	—	4	—	4
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	2	1	11	3	10	2
41 Animal oils and fats	2	—	10	1	9	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.	—	—	—	—	1	—
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	71	377	194	1 430	234	1 512
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	—	37	1	245	3	260
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	2	4	5	18	7	17
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	2	14	8	45	8	50
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	52	243	148	819	169	889
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	5	33	14	108	17	110
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	—	1	—	7	—	5
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	—	10	1	38	1	38
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	4	14	6	63	11	55
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	5	20	11	87	18	88

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	84	127	359	540	338	518
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	1	1	—	3	2	3
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	5	12	24	38	23	49
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	—	1	3	3	2	3
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	4	16	9	54	9	59
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	8	18	38	84	31	73
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	8	24	23	100	20	92
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	2	13	7	66	7	59
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	52	10	230	43	219	40
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	6	33	25	150	26	139
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	141	899	425	3 047	464	3 091
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	3	39	55	291	18	211
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	10	69	48	270	41	239
73 Metal working machinery	8	4	16	19	14	16
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	16	63	59	254	56	252
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	22	49	39	131	77	166
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	10	338	26	792	35	743
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	22	82	65	267	91	327
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	12	148	29	408	34	450
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	37	106	90	617	97	687
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	72	258	185	952	255	966
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	1	3	4	12	2	13
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	2	5	5	24	8	29
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	1	—	3	—	3
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	4	5	9	21	11	22
85 Footwear(a)	1	2	2	14	2	11
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	32	54	66	224	102	218
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	3	10	9	38	12	43
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	29	178	90	617	117	628
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	469	7	1 787	185	2 016	64
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	41	1	377	9	419	4
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	1	1	1	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	266	—	829	147	841	32
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	162	7	579	27	756	27
Total trade	1 314	1 761	4 352	6 475	4 966	6 543

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	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	724	90	1 660	413	2 359	424
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	4	5	4	11	10	12
01 Meat and meat preparations	605	2	1 302	7	1 986	8
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	12	1	53	4	72	4
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	35	7	144	41	131	40
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	2	7	3	38	3	33
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	47	24	89	122	91	129
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	14	4	25	14	25	19
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	—	6	2	44	2	27
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	2	11	13	40	13	63
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	2	22	24	91	26	89
1 Beverages and tobacco	121	39	368	140	521	173
11 Beverages	120	24	368	84	519	100
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	1	15	—	56	2	73
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	90	49	356	265	400	263
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	1	—	1	—	2	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	33	—	61	54	75	40
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	6	1	19	—	20
24 Cork and wood	5	6	13	34	18	25
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	4	—	28	—	25
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	12	3	74	14	52	11
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	7	9	31	33	26	34
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	20	3	134	5	178	28
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	11	17	41	79	48	78
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	202	71	1 057	210	1 059	266
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	5	—	7	—	10	—
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	197	70	1 049	208	1 049	263
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	1	1	2	—	3
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	1	1	6	8	9	5
41 Animal oils and fats	—	—	4	1	4	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	1	—	1	2	3	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
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	283	831	459	3 390	860	3 631
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	1	150	24	921	20	703
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	22	31	92	128	81	124
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	2	31	6	106	10	114
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	207	222	113	673	524	955
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	9	108	45	303	47	381
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	—	36	1	308	1	316
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	—	57	2	230	2	251
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	3	65	13	251	13	253
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	39	132	164	470	163	533

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	333	410	1 082	1 570	1 251	1 637
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)	22	1	78	5	92	3
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	4	64	30	201	15	236
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	5	7	14	49	24	39
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	7	84	24	323	37	352
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	16	46	57	228	81	204
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	28	45	163	135	155	169
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	8	20	336	90	38	88
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	218	18	284	84	698	61
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	24	124	95	455	110	486
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	705	2 669	2 209	13 102	2 694	11 380
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	28	302	128	1 198	138	1 198
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	56	380	242	1 294	253	1 311
73 Metal working machinery	17	22	91	75	81	73
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	69	391	154	1 466	237	1 543
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	106	310	237	1 688	372	1 583
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)	33	223	107	1 490	145	1 222
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	50	298	234	1 394	227	1 318
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	240	373	683	1 289	844	1 387
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	106	370	333	3 208	399	1 744
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	229	839	724	3 443	962	3 399
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	1	9	3	33	4	32
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	5	19	11	56	18	70
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	5	—	14	1	17
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	14	13	54	59	46	55
85 Footwear(a)	3	4	8	15	12	15
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	79	368	316	1 233	348	1 379
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	65	75	141	447	243	327
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	63	348	191	1 585	292	1 505
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	640	105	2 295	866	2 004	529
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	96	5	431	21	183	18
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	4	—	20	2	15	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	3	1	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	1	—	2	292	4	1
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	540	100	1 839	551	1 803	509
Total trade	3 330	5 105	10 217	23 408	12 119	21 707

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	3 520	676	10 986	2 535	13 080	2 738
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	122	12	385	88	429	58
01 Meat and meat preparations	1 525	31	4 146	89	5 452	97
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	498	54	1 706	189	2 138	225
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	499	163	1 606	652	1 656	693
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	166	54	914	185	881	201
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	305	117	837	454	935	492
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	64	20	148	57	185	71
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	64	79	216	311	221	291
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	191	40	701	127	824	172
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	85	109	326	383	359	439
1 Beverages and tobacco	244	94	746	303	964	393
11 Beverages	235	67	713	208	925	278
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	10	27	33	96	40	116
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	3 280	345	10 251	1 559	12 482	1 436
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	77	—	168	1	302	2
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	94	5	753	71	419	60
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	3	27	10	83	11	108
24 Cork and wood(a)	176	114	630	616	457	399
25 Pulp and waste paper	7	60	43	265	37	269
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	1 025	33	2 857	117	3 729	120
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	34	30	124	97	130	128
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	1 815	38	5 491	135	7 217	181
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	49	39	174	174	182	169
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	4 457	1 808	13 884	6 153	17 360	7 496
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	2 194	2	5 780	16	7 646	6
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	2 067	1 796	7 400	6 112	8 875	7 450
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	197	10	703	26	839	40
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	57	35	203	139	213	124
41 Animal oils and fats	37	3	122	6	137	9
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	10	26	39	110	36	94
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	10	6	42	23	40	20
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	1 084	1 556	3 159	5 927	3 997	6 573
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	19	310	91	1 354	94	1 239
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	99	84	308	280	390	314
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	151	77	513	271	585	302
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	483	313	1 044	912	1 626	1 309
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	81	190	322	523	331	651
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	15	47	45	484	86	516
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	42	147	178	653	173	669
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	50	168	160	643	173	655
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	144	222	497	807	539	917

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	2 623	2 385	9 378	8 740	10 672	8 873
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	44	18	189	62	177	73
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	29	303	114	961	117	1 129
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	48	81	134	376	206	302
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	150	336	519	1 336	562	1 318
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	107	439	408	1 694	429	1 661
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	144	272	577	1 056	614	1 006
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	149	290	1 022	1 009	539	997
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	1 803	155	5 899	542	7 429	538
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	149	490	518	1 704	599	1 849
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	2 154	9 639	7 939	40 506	8 511	38 828
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	150	615	819	1 803	655	2 062
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	247	607	817	2 246	975	2 181
73 Metal working machinery	38	91	171	258	157	315
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	257	976	782	3 361	960	3 696
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	330	1 707	1 116	7 486	1 355	7 185
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	122	1 339	491	5 608	575	5 764
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	294	1 091	958	4 538	1 151	4 640
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	519	2 760	1 715	10 665	1 887	10 671
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	197	453	1 071	4 541	796	2 313
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	860	3 512	2 931	11 805	3 350	12 651
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	18	68	57	250	62	270
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	32	249	100	801	116	869
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	2	113	11	338	11	374
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	107	775	304	2 414	326	2 729
85 Footwear(a)	12	211	39	668	44	720
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	196	532	716	1 742	823	1 956
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	220	289	723	1 121	808	1 123
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	273	1 276	981	4 470	1 159	4 610
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	5 069	833	16 877	3 596	18 874	3 539
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	431	6	1 695	30	1 433	23
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	7	4	51	4	39	12
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	6	1	1	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	794	376	4 018	2 033	3 714	1 757
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	3 838	447	11 107	1 527	13 688	1 746
Total trade	23 350	20 883	76 353	81 263	89 504	82 651

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	711	213	2 181	828	2 711	856
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	89	—	286	—	314	—
01 Meat and meat preparations	97	—	313	1	370	1
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	249	—	835	4	1 054	4
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	23	89	75	344	88	377
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	89	20	175	77	298	86
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	94	25	279	100	331	98
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	20	3	39	10	43	10
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	14	41	34	179	44	148
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	21	11	80	37	106	46
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	14	23	66	78	63	85
1 Beverages and tobacco	22	4	73	8	84	16
11 Beverages	16	2	54	4	61	6
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	6	3	20	4	23	11
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	352	68	1 151	342	1 387	290
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	5	—	8	—	22	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	5	—	23	1	12	1
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	—	7	2	46	2	40
24 Cork and wood(a)	3	31	44	145	13	114
25 Pulp and waste paper	5	9	32	82	30	62
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	283	5	774	13	1 058	19
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	5	1	22	8	22	5
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	43	7	234	25	215	22
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	3	7	11	22	11	27
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	695	1 471	1 878	4 243	2 719	5 731
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	31	1	153	1	93	2
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	650	1 462	1 724	4 224	2 611	5 697
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	14	8	—	18	14	32
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	3	29	27	115	14	99
41 Animal oils and fats	1	—	9	1	7	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	25	12	101	1	86
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	2	4	7	14	6	13
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	223	186	750	722	896	792
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	7	33	27	121	21	123
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	15	6	40	16	68	19
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	38	13	142	59	146	64
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	78	33	272	59	336	111
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	15	16	68	46	64	57
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	7	5	26	72	61	74
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	16	28	50	170	53	135
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	8	21	30	82	23	85
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	41	32	96	97	125	125

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	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	610	364	1 955	1 452	2 333	1 375
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	7	3	48	9	35	10
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	6	38	16	116	24	136
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	6	37	18	164	23	138
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	20	76	76	318	73	276
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	22	60	84	256	90	239
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	14	55	55	252	65	211
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	33	35	221	119	125	127
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	454	27	1 302	76	1 728	89
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	49	33	135	141	170	149
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	421	1 395	1 447	6 719	1 672	5 656
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	18	18	59	58	64	69
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	74	13	215	51	294	63
73 Metal working machinery	7	4	21	9	24	12
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	69	114	210	375	249	450
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	65	551	215	2 417	303	2 215
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	21	322	177	1 262	98	1 256
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	56	190	159	858	228	849
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	73	178	285	751	279	705
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	37	5	108	939	132	36
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	115	431	416	1 509	486	1 541
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	6	8	15	20	19	27
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	6	93	25	363	30	341
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	5	1	18	1	19
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	3	59	20	206	18	200
85 Footwear(a)	1	30	2	102	3	97
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	23	42	71	126	91	154
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	35	21	155	65	147	76
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	40	173	126	610	178	626
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	1 005	232	3 796	786	3 912	1 029
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	119	—	110	1	239	1
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	—	—	6	—	3	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	342	123	2 102	446	1 737	614
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	543	108	1 579	339	1 933	414
Total trade	4 157	4 393	13 675	16 724	16 213	17 384

(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—Developing Countries (DCs)

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	1 810	490	6 402	1 752	7 713	1 888
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	261	—	698	1	889	1
01 Meat and meat preparations	364	1	1 117	3	1 384	3
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	511	3	1 763	10	2 271	12
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	143	139	723	490	789	552
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	133	42	719	133	805	152
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	235	84	793	339	909	337
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	32	13	90	32	104	43
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	35	75	107	310	116	274
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	50	22	217	69	252	88
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	47	111	175	366	196	425
1 Beverages and tobacco	50	25	161	105	191	118
11 Beverages	37	8	122	31	144	31
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	13	17	40	74	47	87
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	2 359	171	7 110	662	9 287	674
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	78	—	185	—	334	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	33	4	579	17	314	22
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	1	17	4	56	5	74
24 Cork and wood(a)	16	35	130	170	78	130
25 Pulp and waste paper	7	23	44	107	38	96
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	1 069	14	2 922	40	3 920	49
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	12	22	49	74	53	91
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	1 112	35	3 086	125	4 430	134
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	31	21	111	73	115	77
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	2 638	2 030	8 156	6 689	10 438	8 513
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	1 089	1	2 942	8	3 850	3
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	1 481	1 985	5 049	6 540	6 361	8 368
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	68	43	165	140	227	142
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	51	37	220	144	205	130
41 Animal oils and fats	42	2	178	4	173	7
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	1	30	15	122	3	107
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	7	5	26	18	28	16
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	572	574	1 872	2 009	2 281	2 401
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	12	109	47	391	42	434
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	55	78	136	168	206	234
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	126	32	424	119	481	140
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	189	67	677	151	806	256
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	32	46	139	119	142	156
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	24	36	35	276	125	332
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	33	68	136	330	137	338
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	34	73	90	270	110	279
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	68	64	188	185	232	233

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	1 641	1 486	5 860	5 433	6 557	5 565
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	21	30	110	89	80	104
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	12	124	39	370	54	450
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	29	54	82	220	128	198
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	67	140	207	557	233	514
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	70	412	315	1 550	269	1 577
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	64	215	193	811	243	810
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	119	119	648	482	437	452
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	1 174	99	4 023	293	4 814	331
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	84	293	244	1 062	299	1 130
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	1 317	3 530	4 595	14 273	5 540	14 275
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	81	53	499	220	324	207
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	150	58	492	266	593	272
73 Metal working machinery(b)	20	23	54	81	62	88
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	139	313	455	993	564	1 166
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	114	1 102	452	4 551	508	4 360
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	62	897	314	3 001	326	3 545
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	149	623	404	2 381	574	2 615
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	541	449	1 724	1 808	2 395	1 936
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	59	11	200	972	196	86
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	395	2 410	1 359	7 432	1 464	8 272
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(b)	13	55	33	186	42	199
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	18	210	54	691	64	726
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	1	113	3	342	3	372
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	56	805	137	2 552	158	2 831
85 Footwear(a)	3	222	13	685	11	747
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	72	83	290	266	299	306
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	134	126	497	367	471	484
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	99	796	333	2 343	415	2 607
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	3 798	571	11 919	2 093	14 294	2 344
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	273	—	1 018	3	996	1
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	1	—	21	1	14	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	2	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	868	271	3 824	1 249	3 922	1 225
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	2 656	299	7 053	840	9 362	1 117
Total trade	14 632	11 324	47 654	40 591	57 970	44 180

(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	SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)(b)	140	218	608	777	678	765
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	1	4	4	17	3	8
01 Meat and meat preparations	61	11	204	75	246	45
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	21	15	146	67	155	72
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	16	6	39	34	55	34
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	5	25	11	75	20	77
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)(b)	30	29	111	128	111	125
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	2	10	13	44	9	41
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof(b)	1	48	4	163	3	171
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)(b)	1	1	60	8	46	6
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations(a)	4	68	14	166	30	186
1 Beverages and tobacco	318	105	827	380	992	440
11 Beverages	318	93	827	339	991	387
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	1	13	—	41	1	54
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)(b)	601	37	2 438	192	2 928	184
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	17	—	42	2	62	—
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	4	—	11	1	142	1
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	1	6	1	24	2	29
24 Cork and wood	2	5	12	38	13	19
25 Pulp and waste paper	—	—	—	6	—	2
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	266	5	1 075	28	1 324	19
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)(b)	19	4	51	18	63	17
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	278	3	1 195	7	1 273	28
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	12	14	51	70	50	70
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)(b)	612	8	1 389	21	1 960	26
32 Coal, coke and briquettes(a)	612	1	1 389	3	1 952	3
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(b)	—	7	1	18	8	23
34 Gas, natural and manufactured(a)	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)(b)	3	27	18	116	16	128
41 Animal oils and fats	3	—	14	1	13	1
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)(b)	—	25	3	103	1	115
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	—	2	1	12	2	12
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	183	1 402	763	4 997	741	5 366
51 Organic chemicals(a)(b)	4	194	13	1 096	18	962
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)(b)	16	22	76	91	72	89
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(b)	3	49	44	173	35	183
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	117	755	553	2 340	493	2 747
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations(b)	8	129	22	382	29	434
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(b)	—	22	—	54	—	56
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)(b)	15	62	6	214	28	230
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(b)	8	70	15	268	20	268
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)(b)	10	100	32	378	46	397

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	SEP QTR 2001		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2000		12 MONTHS ENDED SEP 2001	
	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>	<i>Exports</i>	<i>Imports</i>
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)(b)	255	857	955	3 523	1 047	3 480
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.(a)(b)	8	8	97	32	33	34
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(b)	7	69	34	254	34	277
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	1	41	10	189	8	186
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(b)	10	198	12	788	28	812
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)(b)	14	108	65	429	57	409
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)(b)	21	148	74	614	83	564
67 Iron and steel(a)(b)	8	68	154	322	41	300
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)(b)	174	51	461	218	704	246
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)(b)	12	165	49	675	59	651
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)(b)	436	3 166	1 668	11 032	1 575	12 002
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	19	191	112	716	75	743
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)(b)	43	428	122	1 489	153	1 531
73 Metal working machinery(b)	11	33	41	142	38	122
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)(b)	41	488	147	1 733	140	1 829
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	47	153	134	562	183	619
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment(a)(b)	42	498	114	1 694	160	1 557
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)(b)	100	391	331	1 469	407	1 561
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	23	835	75	2 413	83	3 163
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	109	149	593	814	337	876
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)(b)	160	902	488	3 096	626	3 239
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	2	24	10	100	10	93
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	3	57	10	228	12	222
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	—	20	1	77	2	73
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	6	42	20	161	23	174
85 Footwear(a)	2	54	3	138	5	143
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	88	221	235	771	335	796
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(b)	9	85	27	254	36	289
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(b)	50	399	182	1 367	204	1 447
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(c)	910	101	3 540	558	3 918	489
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	48	2	398	20	445	12
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	11	—	16	1	21	—
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	—	2	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	266	—	831	150	842	34
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(c)	585	99	2 293	387	2 609	443
Total trade	3 619	6 823	12 694	24 693	14 481	26 120

(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)

	<i>September quarter 2000</i>	<i>December quarter 2000</i>	<i>March quarter 2001</i>	<i>June quarter 2001</i>	<i>September quarter 2001</i>
State	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Australian produce	27 046	29 738	26 731	29 685	30 006
New South Wales	5 449	6 032	5 326	5 942	5 850
Victoria	5 255	5 990	5 461	5 804	5 799
Queensland	5 240	5 553	4 717	5 958	6 492
South Australia	1 975	1 953	1 985	2 374	2 190
Western Australia	7 231	8 160	7 538	7 949	7 906
Tasmania	514	702	579	641	557
Northern Territory	1 251	1 182	955	872	943
Australian Capital Territory	5	8	5	3	7
State not available for publication(b)(c)	127	158	165	142	262
Re-exports	1 474	1 537	1 390	1 954	1 744
Total trade	28 520	31 276	28 121	31 639	31 750

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

(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.

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

IMPORTS, By State(a)

	<i>September quarter 2000</i>	<i>December quarter 2000</i>	<i>March quarter 2001</i>	<i>June quarter 2001</i>	<i>September quarter 2001</i>
State	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
New South Wales	13 912	14 250	11 695	12 646	13 262
Victoria	9 268	9 704	8 667	8 846	9 351
Queensland	3 513	3 740	3 204	3 331	3 383
South Australia	1 217	1 230	1 222	1 376	1 492
Western Australia	2 048	2 160	2 466	2 557	2 144
Tasmania	136	151	123	113	119
Northern Territory	229	174	103	165	184
Australian Capital Territory	2	1	2	1	1
Total trade	30 324	31 410	27 483	29 035	29 937

(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	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000	March quarter 2001	June quarter 2001	September quarter 2001
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
A Agriculture, forestry and fishing	2 885	3 159	3 178	3 300	3 225
01 Agriculture	2 086	2 455	2 599	2 313	2 275
02 Services to agriculture; hunting and trapping	560	464	343	739	672
03 Forestry and logging	22	19	18	19	20
04 Commercial fishing	217	220	218	230	259
B Mining	7 621	8 433	7 486	8 386	8 770
11 Coal mining	2 516	2 590	2 560	3 166	3 442
12 Oil and gas extraction	2 748	3 263	2 605	2 528	2 766
13 Metal ore mining	2 297	2 515	2 259	2 614	2 491
14 Other mining	61	66	62	78	71
C Manufacturing	16 566	18 197	16 296	18 037	17 578
21 Food, beverage and tobacco	3 901	4 469	3 841	4 409	4 463
22 Textile, clothing, footwear and leather	729	739	716	752	720
23 Wood and paper products	388	406	399	442	402
24 Printing, publishing and recorded media	127	152	128	140	134
25 Petroleum, coal, chemical and associated products	2 123	2 406	2 092	2 250	2 271
26 Non-metallic mineral products	93	95	99	91	89
27 Metal products	4 909	5 358	5 226	5 542	5 298
28 Machinery and equipment	4 076	4 331	3 578	4 204	3 976
29 Other manufacturing	221	241	216	207	224
Other industries(a)(b)	1 447	1 486	1 161	1 915	2 177
Total trade	28 520	31 276	28 121	31 639	31 750

(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	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000	March quarter 2001	June quarter 2001	September quarter 2001
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
A Agriculture, forestry and fishing	211	221	216	182	152
01 Agriculture	143	161	164	138	124
02 Services to agriculture; hunting and trapping	2	1	1	1	2
03 Forestry and logging	1	2	1	1	2
04 Commercial fishing	65	58	49	41	24
B Mining	2 080	2 489	2 178	2 013	2 079
11 Coal mining	2	2	1	2	3
12 Oil and gas extraction	1 999	2 367	2 081	1 922	1 990
13 Metal ore mining	47	70	45	42	43
14 Other mining	33	50	50	47	42
C Manufacturing	27 924	28 624	25 003	26 760	27 631
21 Food, beverage and tobacco	1 254	1 360	1 221	1 255	1 309
22 Textile, clothing, footwear and leather	2 076	1 819	1 919	1 575	2 045
23 Wood and paper products	1 017	971	842	747	865
24 Printing, publishing and recorded media	510	544	422	441	533
25 Petroleum, coal, chemical and associated products	4 676	4 681	4 704	5 225	4 833
26 Non-metallic mineral products	382	355	322	343	378
27 Metal products	1 702	1 838	1 677	2 225	1 882
28 Machinery and equipment	15 332	16 000	13 193	14 149	14 746
29 Other manufacturing	975	1 058	703	800	1 039
Other industries(a)	109	75	86	80	75
Total trade	30 324	31 410	27 483	29 035	29 937

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

EXPORTS, By Broad Economic Categories (BEC)

Broad Economic Categories	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000	March quarter 2001	June quarter 2001	September quarter 2001
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Food and beverages	5 181	5 694	5 444	5 778	5 889
<i>Primary</i>	2 009	2 104	2 333	2 215	2 139
Mainly for industry	1 397	1 529	1 819	1 580	1 460
Mainly for household consumption	612	575	514	635	678
<i>Processed</i>	3 172	3 590	3 111	3 563	3 751
Mainly for industry	266	409	328	324	353
Mainly for household consumption	2 905	3 181	2 783	3 239	3 398
Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified	11 128	12 106	11 230	12 470	11 950
Primary	4 419	4 931	4 312	5 100	4 827
Processed	6 709	7 176	6 918	7 370	7 123
Fuels and lubricants	6 093	6 756	5 893	6 456	6 908
Primary	4 453	4 951	4 223	4 846	5 212
<i>Processed</i>	1 640	1 805	1 670	1 610	1 696
Motor spirit	142	119	106	143	132
Other	1 498	1 686	1 563	1 467	1 565
Capital goods (except transport equipment), and parts and accessories thereof	2 204	2 385	1 987	2 362	2 177
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	1 128	1 192	974	1 170	1 049
Parts and accessories	1 076	1 192	1 013	1 192	1 128
Transport equipment and parts and accessories thereof	1 468	1 564	1 267	1 477	1 454
Passenger motor cars	606	766	653	711	659
<i>Other</i>	213	203	153	219	190
Industrial	175	137	91	158	93
Non-industrial	38	66	61	61	97
Parts and accessories	649	594	461	547	605
Consumer goods not elsewhere specified	1 088	1 285	1 107	1 220	1 345
Durable	184	212	178	205	212
Semi-durable	255	319	243	284	281
Non-durable	650	755	687	731	852
Goods not elsewhere specified(a)(b)	1 356	1 485	1 194	1 876	2 027
Total trade	28 520	31 276	28 121	31 639	31 750

(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	September quarter 2000	December quarter 2000	March quarter 2001	June quarter 2001	September quarter 2001
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Food and beverages	1 246	1 367	1 209	1 209	1 287
<i>Primary</i>	243	254	214	223	231
Mainly for industry	44	44	35	35	40
Mainly for household consumption	199	210	179	187	191
<i>Processed</i>	1 003	1 113	996	987	1 057
Mainly for industry	105	101	86	97	91
Mainly for household consumption	898	1 011	910	890	966
Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified	6 605	6 660	6 564	7 113	6 756
Primary	269	303	286	272	254
Processed	6 335	6 357	6 278	6 841	6 502
Fuels and lubricants	2 471	2 824	2 432	2 536	2 371
Primary	1 937	2 329	2 074	1 873	1 948
<i>Processed</i>	534	495	358	663	423
Motor spirit	5	10	12	6	4
Other	529	484	346	657	419
Capital goods (except transport equipment), and parts and accessories thereof	8 774	8 953	7 515	8 234	8 356
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	5 788	6 042	4 910	5 427	5 745
Parts and accessories	2 986	2 911	2 606	2 808	2 611
Transport equipment and parts and accessories thereof	5 270	5 611	4 696	4 955	5 100
Passenger motor cars	2 130	2 265	1 945	2 239	2 183
<i>Other</i>	1 291	1 388	1 071	943	1 140
Industrial	1 031	1 028	852	756	893
Non-industrial	260	360	219	186	247
Parts and accessories	1 849	1 958	1 679	1 773	1 778
Consumer goods not elsewhere specified	5 855	5 825	4 944	4 850	5 960
Durable	1 605	1 743	1 189	1 256	1 559
Semi-durable	2 200	2 113	1 923	1 703	2 226
Non-durable	2 049	1 969	1 832	1 890	2 175
Goods not elsewhere specified(a)	103	171	122	138	105
Total trade	30 324	31 410	27 483	29 035	29 937

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

HISTORICAL EXPORTS, By Commodity(a)(b)

	1989-1 990	1990- 1991	1991- 1992	1992- 1993	1993- 1994	1994- 1995
Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)	9 884	9 252	9 716	11 679	12 967	12 565
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	193	160	209	247	323	452
01 Meat and meat preparations	2 942	3 180	3 436	3 744	4 044	3 661
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	709	721	815	1 102	1 287	1 413
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	674	720	832	952	1 115	1 144
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	3 301	2 438	2 353	2 953	3 206	2 522
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	536	628	728	872	932	873
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	1 103	948	747	1 074	1 316	1 729
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	68	88	97	125	166	174
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	257	257	356	467	385	387
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	100	113	145	144	194	209
1 Beverages and tobacco	242	310	366	417	506	551
11 Beverages	225	289	346	385	474	508
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	17	21	21	32	32	44
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)	13 537	13 398	13 617	13 112	12 917	14 073
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw	575	413	362	388	392	487
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	50	48	63	80	121	110
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	8	9	9	11	10	12
24 Cork and wood	396	437	444	465	519	627
25 Pulp and waste paper	25	28	7	12	16	44
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)	4 739	3 745	4 614	4 017	3 977	4 595
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)	222	263	297	369	358	367
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	7 375	8 296	7 639	7 572	7 315	7 604
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	148	159	181	197	208	226
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	8 419	10 706	10 878	12 102	11 116	11 242
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	5 933	6 481	6 948	7 623	7 255	6 938
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	1 996	3 220	2 912	3 244	2 676	2 949
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	489	1 006	1 017	1 236	1 185	1 355
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)	118	138	136	192	207	263
41 Animal oils and fats	106	118	115	156	170	220
42 Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)	2	4	3	4	7	4
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	11	16	18	31	31	38
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)	1 261	1 377	1 662	1 996	2 351	2 679
51 Organic chemicals(a)	89	113	89	88	81	84
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)	164	201	229	197	257	309
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	262	186	241	328	363	402
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	270	321	456	564	701	771
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	89	124	132	172	208	258
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	10	19	14	12	19	24
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)	134	161	189	210	201	283
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	66	77	86	100	113	143
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	177	175	226	324	408	405

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000	2000– 2001
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals(a)	15 272	16 311	16 046	15 503	16 892	20 441
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	660	706	631	615	734	871
01 Meat and meat preparations	3 296	2 958	3 731	4 007	4 467	5 796
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	1 673	1 759	1 907	2 226	2 383	2 971
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof(a)	1 114	1 087	1 177	1 221	1 538	1 718
04 Cereals and cereal preparations(a)	4 929	5 954	5 098	5 001	4 940	5 648
05 Vegetables and fruit(a)	1 008	1 147	1 133	1 142	1 305	1 511
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey(a)	1 710	1 695	1 341	184	173	218
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	193	191	183	190	233	251
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)(a)	458	531	540	598	750	1 017
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	231	283	304	318	369	441
1 Beverages and tobacco	648	782	1 059	1 240	1 572	1 993
11 Beverages	605	715	994	1 176	1 515	1 931
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	43	67	65	64	57	61
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)	14 752	15 615	17 878	17 173	18 381	23 560
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw(a)	504	505	572	393	413	795
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	206	200	375	700	809	726
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	11	10	8	9	13	10
24 Cork and wood	624	618	720	686	777	886
25 Pulp and waste paper	27	13	19	26	42	45
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)(a)	4 065	4 619	5 105	4 076	4 299	5 600
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)	426	378	417	416	443	505
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap(a)	8 666	9 051	10 422	10 614	11 314	14 717
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	223	220	241	253	272	275
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	12 591	13 705	15 401	14 146	18 083	25 205
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	7 840	8 005	9 587	9 288	8 337	10 843
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	3 188	3 805	3 846	3 131	7 145	10 858
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	1 562	1 895	1 968	1 727	2 601	3 504
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)	238	232	333	379	303	300
41 Animal oils and fats(a)	197	184	230	257	212	215
42 Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)	11	10	55	70	43	37
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	29	38	48	52	47	49
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)	3 015	3 045	3 298	3 585	4 195	5 157
51 Organic chemicals(a)	87	116	137	168	128	123
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)	365	317	327	315	450	548
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	435	407	497	522	551	661
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products(a)	894	979	1 144	1 333	1 715	2 233
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	300	296	291	301	346	400
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)(a)	26	24	19	34	45	134
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)	326	297	277	243	211	225
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	159	154	161	168	193	203
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	423	455	443	502	556	630

HISTORICAL EXPORTS, By Commodity(a)(b) *continued*

	1989– 1990	1990– 1991	1991– 1992	1992– 1993	1993– 1994	1994– 1995
Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)	6 073	6 404	6 690	7 341	7 911	9 022
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	167	180	221	284	368	515
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	65	65	79	108	120	146
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	23	37	63	66	92	98
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(a)	162	188	212	259	258	267
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	179	210	236	307	385	465
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	460	507	616	558	666	739
67 Iron and steel	767	981	1 144	1 211	1 496	1 580
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)	3 882	3 758	3 558	3 996	3 900	4 518
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.	369	477	561	551	625	694
7 Machinery and transport equipment	3 684	4 630	5 033	6 415	7 502	8 138
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	428	543	610	615	586	732
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	423	517	535	695	822	924
73 Metal working machinery	69	82	84	105	92	140
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.	384	475	536	719	891	943
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	564	720	832	995	1 370	1 589
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	238	320	307	502	674	541
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)	363	470	595	763	968	1 222
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	595	847	770	989	1 074	1 081
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	619	657	765	1 031	1 024	965
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1 381	1 319	1 619	1 887	2 106	2 314
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	30	43	72	63	45	52
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	44	34	42	64	71	77
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	6	5	5	7	9	15
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	114	130	154	199	247	304
85 Footwear	24	24	30	41	61	58
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	255	276	329	395	416	442
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks	231	255	287	397	460	511
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	676	553	701	722	798	857
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(b)	4 479	4 865	5 309	5 562	6 965	6 205
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	185	174	211	219	348	413
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	283	230	300	267	253	206
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	2	1	—	1	1	1
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	2 872	3 672	4 023	4 315	5 269	4 699
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(b)	1 138	787	775	759	1 095	886
Total trade	49 078	52 399	55 027	60 702	64 548	67 052

HISTORICAL EXPORTS, By Commodity *continued*

Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000	2000– 2001
	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)	9 844	9 257	10 541	10 173	12 328	14 025
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	463	470	518	450	461	553
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	157	150	169	177	170	172
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)(a)	104	103	113	124	138	220
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(a)	296	394	430	429	543	590
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	553	583	615	603	600	599
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	746	716	791	735	966	1 025
67 Iron and steel(a)	1 757	1 623	1 858	1 542	1 410	742
68 Non-ferrous metals	5 043	4 434	5 316	5 438	7 395	9 401
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.	725	785	731	675	644	725
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)	9 720	10 683	11 088	10 286	11 619	13 438
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	826	914	986	714	927	890
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	1 078	1 160	1 161	1 382	1 112	1 348
73 Metal working machinery	163	207	210	191	243	207
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)	1 143	1 194	1 087	1 032	1 040	1 217
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	1 903	1 627	1 725	1 459	1 312	1 564
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	719	648	1 091	741	1 183	1 454
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)	1 394	1 297	1 273	1 273	1 322	1 719
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	1 199	1 826	1 729	2 091	2 808	3 840
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	1 295	1 811	1 826	1 403	1 672	1 200
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)	2 718	2 827	3 215	3 510	3 826	4 480
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	76	85	89	80	77	89
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	97	97	101	110	123	135
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	14	15	13	13	13	14
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	320	356	372	352	338	351
85 Footwear(a)	66	65	55	65	64	64
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	543	613	802	931	1 061	1 253
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks	562	580	677	708	928	1 117
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	1 039	1 017	1 106	1 250	1 220	1 457
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(b)	7 208	6 476	8 909	9 996	10 088	10 957
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	459	517	571	1 073	2 249	1 863
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	145	116	137	115	89	69
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	1	2	5	9	3
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	5 545	4 717	6 263	6 335	5 031	5 110
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s(b)	1 058	1 125	1 937	2 467	2 709	3 912
Total trade	76 005	78 932	87 768	85 991	97 286	119 555

(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.

	1989– 1990	1990– 1991	1991– 1992	1992– 1993	1993– 1994	1994– 1995
Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals	1 898	1 916	2 058	2 228	2 478	2 821
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	139	73	60	60	77	101
01 Meat and meat preparations	22	36	43	33	46	47
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	106	124	135	159	161	173
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	425	447	474	500	542	609
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	94	105	112	136	143	207
05 Vegetables and fruit	415	383	469	470	515	534
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	51	61	59	77	67	86
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	331	309	309	337	383	505
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)	69	65	90	67	102	109
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	246	313	306	389	441	451
1 Beverages and tobacco	396	395	392	438	467	522
11 Beverages	304	293	281	319	332	336
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	92	103	111	119	135	186
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)	1 539	1 220	1 280	1 506	1 595	1 794
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw	12	10	6	5	3	4
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	27	58	61	68	81	133
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	93	77	82	104	117	153
24 Cork and wood	518	436	459	571	659	613
25 Pulp and waste paper	243	147	142	157	126	160
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)	149	132	141	144	162	188
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)	230	118	139	147	141	171
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	146	132	129	165	141	179
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	120	110	123	146	165	193
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)	2 540	3 129	2 731	3 857	3 441	3 668
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	18	5	9	7	27	22
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(a)	2 505	3 116	2 712	3 829	3 392	3 608
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	16	8	10	21	23	38
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes(a)	124	129	150	190	203	232
41 Animal oils and fats	2	2	2	2	3	3
42 Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated(a)	110	115	134	171	181	208
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.(a)	12	13	13	17	18	20
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)	5 235	5 118	5 575	6 625	7 045	8 009
51 Organic chemicals(a)	1 071	1 004	1 095	1 402	1 615	1 795
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)	767	661	720	655	488	639
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials(a)	233	233	270	320	340	372
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	820	942	1 053	1 393	1 427	1 562
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	331	338	383	463	527	568
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	252	276	312	351	394	535
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)	650	595	602	706	741	923
58 Plastics in non-primary forms(a)	484	439	483	562	635	719
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.(a)	627	629	659	773	878	896

	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000	2000– 2001
Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
0 Food and live animals	2 894	2 985	3 460	3 760	3 954	4 236
00 Live animals other than fish, crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates	94	103	125	122	128	61
01 Meat and meat preparations	46	67	63	73	155	131
02 Dairy products and birds' eggs	193	195	219	263	267	306
03 Fish (not marine mammals), crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	601	604	691	745	781	871
04 Cereals and cereal preparations	166	178	219	244	266	304
05 Vegetables and fruit	590	588	623	715	736	775
06 Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	86	85	95	106	110	126
07 Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof	504	502	651	661	610	592
08 Feeding stuff for animals (excluding unmilled cereals)	94	122	150	146	152	182
09 Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	520	542	626	685	749	888
1 Beverages and tobacco	503	502	575	622	706	907
11 Beverages	339	351	428	453	542	680
12 Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	165	152	146	169	165	227
2 Crude materials, inedible, except fuels(a)	1 576	1 487	1 605	1 611	1 848	1 922
21 Hides, skins and furskins, raw	2	2	2	2	3	2
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	98	95	81	62	81	82
23 Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	155	136	123	110	108	131
24 Cork and wood	421	430	479	477	618	494
25 Pulp and waste paper	191	136	138	202	232	329
26 Textile fibres and their wastes (not manufactured into yarn or fabric)	175	151	145	135	151	140
27 Crude fertilisers (excluding those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excluding coal, petroleum and precious stones)(a)	150	139	175	179	170	197
28 Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	178	174	205	174	203	279
29 Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.	206	223	256	271	283	269
3 Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials(a)	4 312	5 164	4 437	4 621	7 655	10 473
32 Coal, coke and briquettes	18	11	24	25	21	10
33 Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials(a)	4 234	5 055	4 338	4 526	7 516	10 295
34 Gas, natural and manufactured	59	97	75	70	117	167
4 Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	268	266	258	296	277	285
41 Animal oils and fats	5	8	7	8	8	11
42 Fixed vegetable fats & oils, crude, refined or fractionated	241	235	229	261	232	240
43 Fats and oils (processed), waxes and inedible mixtures or preparations, of animal or vegetable origin, n.e.s.	23	23	22	27	36	34
5 Chemical and related products, n.e.s.(a)	8 901	9 028	10 276	11 435	12 497	14 198
51 Organic chemicals(a)	1 919	2 040	2 135	2 388	2 874	2 854
52 Inorganic chemicals(a)	832	700	678	752	682	911
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	385	408	453	483	518	566
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	1 830	1 998	2 544	3 041	3 520	4 370
55 Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials: toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	609	636	750	850	915	1 070
56 Fertilisers (excluding crude)	669	703	768	785	717	836
57 Plastics in primary forms(a)	925	855	1 005	992	1 093	1 209
58 Plastics in non-primary forms	757	721	808	895	937	976
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	975	968	1 134	1 249	1 241	1 406

	1989– 1990	1990– 1991	1991– 1992	1992– 1993	1993– 1994	1994– 1995
Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)	8 219	7 396	7 884	8 779	9 445	10 908
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	137	121	127	134	146	167
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	750	661	748	812	954	1 045
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)	227	214	238	259	288	329
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(a)	1 297	1 155	1 334	1 419	1 518	1 859
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products(a)	1 955	1 818	2 021	2 144	2 246	2 454
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	1 069	958	928	1 033	1 080	1 213
67 Iron and steel	1 039	883	825	945	1 041	1 287
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)	396	385	380	465	498	679
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)	1 349	1 201	1 283	1 569	1 674	1 876
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)	23 452	21 687	21 995	25 911	28 911	35 160
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	1 384	1 259	1 292	1 605	1 690	1 769
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries(a)	2 756	2 148	1 903	2 646	3 061	3 792
73 Metal working machinery	392	317	320	288	378	573
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.(a)	2 977	2 716	2 718	3 110	3 638	4 299
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	3 557	3 375	3 637	4 239	4 828	5 728
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	1 805	1 737	1 981	2 347	2 538	3 362
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)	2 718	2 521	2 836	3 362	4 051	4 909
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	5 062	4 459	4 808	6 161	7 108	8 678
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	2 801	3 156	2 499	2 154	1 620	2 050
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)	6 880	6 955	7 768	8 918	9 798	10 708
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.	145	139	155	177	191	218
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	338	291	320	350	396	444
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	210	215	241	270	286	338
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	908	956	1 100	1 330	1 480	1 637
85 Footwear	339	384	411	512	512	570
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	1 144	1 199	1 282	1 569	1 707	1 834
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(a)	783	778	839	977	1 066	1 206
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.(a)	3 015	2 994	3 419	3 733	4 160	4 462
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(b)	1 050	966	1 150	1 122	1 086	797
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	599	214	28	30	31	25
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	35	20	9	2	1	2
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	8	2	—	—	—	—
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	285	623	1 040	1 021	981	710
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(b)	123	108	74	69	72	59
Total trade	51 333	48 912	50 984	59 575	64 470	74 619

HISTORICAL IMPORTS, By Commodity *continued*

	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000	2000– 2001
Section and Division of the SITC Rev3	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
6 Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material(a)	11 039	10 724	12 531	12 855	13 654	14 052
61 Leather, leather manufactures, and dressed furskins, n.e.s.	164	162	145	148	159	193
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.(a)	1 125	1 115	1 252	1 272	1 255	1 412
63 Cork and wood manufactures (excluding furniture)	317	333	408	456	568	521
64 Paper, paperboard, and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard(a)	1 942	1 769	1 990	2 082	2 329	2 444
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related products	2 359	2 284	2 521	2 588	2 632	2 607
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	1 188	1 244	1 462	1 579	1 878	1 871
67 Iron and steel(a)	1 410	1 295	1 621	1 472	1 505	1 430
68 Non-ferrous metals(a)	645	619	802	850	804	863
69 Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.(a)	1 890	1 902	2 330	2 408	2 522	2 711
7 Machinery and transport equipment(a)	36 458	36 782	41 908	45 418	51 442	53 493
71 Power generating machinery and equipment	1 998	1 895	2 040	2 264	2 655	2 700
72 Machinery specialised for particular industries	3 924	4 043	4 244	4 234	4 153	3 835
73 Metal working machinery	492	608	581	497	445	436
74 General industrial machinery and equipment, n.e.s. and machine parts, n.e.s.	4 470	4 649	5 439	5 770	5 398	5 726
75 Office machines and automatic data processing machines	6 033	5 984	6 961	7 104	7 589	8 319
76 Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	3 759	3 669	3 980	4 926	6 773	7 930
77 Electrical machinery, apparatus, appliances, parts (including non-electrical counterparts of electrical domestic equipment)(a)	5 316	4 912	5 426	5 870	6 213	6 791
78 Road vehicles (including air-cushion vehicles)	7 980	8 579	11 300	11 904	12 784	14 346
79 Transport equipment (excluding road vehicles)	2 487	2 443	1 936	2 848	5 432	3 409
8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles(a)	11 035	11 349	13 458	14 463	15 479	16 797
81 Prefabricated buildings; sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, n.e.s.(a)	221	234	287	310	359	377
82 Furniture, parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	464	532	678	797	998	1 130
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	362	339	357	366	410	473
84 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1 766	1 841	2 278	2 459	2 794	3 187
85 Footwear	574	623	708	780	848	932
87 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.	1 911	1 944	2 295	2 533	2 593	2 742
88 Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.; watches and clocks(a)	1 258	1 252	1 378	1 418	1 516	1 628
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	4 479	4 585	5 478	5 801	5 962	6 328
9 Commodities and transactions n.e.c. in the SITC(b)	804	712	2 177	2 531	2 566	1 889
93 Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	28	32	42	39	42	53
95 Gold coin whether or not legal tender, and other coin being legal tender	5	9	9	6	8	10
96 Coin (excluding gold coin), not being legal tender	—	1	—	—	7	1
97 Gold, non-monetary (excluding gold ores and concentrates)	708	590	2 006	2 351	2 397	1 688
98 Combined confidential items of trade and commodities n.e.s.(b)	62	80	120	134	112	137
Total trade	77 792	78 998	90 684	97 611	110 078	118 252

(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 EXPORTS, By Country(a)

	1989– 1990	1990– 1991	1991– 1992	1992– 1993	1993– 1994	1994– 1995	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000	2000– 2001
Country or country group	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)												
Brunei Darussalam	14	15	19	53	61	55	77	59	52	49	40	44
Cambodia	1	1	46	46	9	19	22	16	10	14	11	9
Indonesia	1 030	1 462	1 627	1 715	1 906	2 113	2 716	3 305	2 751	2 199	2 408	3 111
Laos	2	1	5	28	25	35	15	8	2	4	2	14
Malaysia	925	985	1 103	1 311	1 759	2 033	2 289	2 332	2 097	1 859	2 141	2 499
Myanmar	9	29	15	7	4	11	13	15	26	13	17	21
Philippines	470	437	513	598	699	839	1 075	1 226	1 163	1 207	1 304	1 500
Singapore	1 985	2 769	3 189	3 787	3 197	3 643	3 556	3 410	3 697	3 417	4 855	6 009
Thailand	591	665	816	1 205	1 278	1 560	1 779	1 693	1 390	1 306	1 703	2 222
Viet Nam	84	25	50	76	111	150	198	211	325	349	385	499
European Union (EU)												
Austria	22	26	24	27	28	32	36	21	32	44	51	56
Belgium-Luxembourg	482	448	594	618	458	466	668	923	1 154	1 085	1 089	1 004
Denmark	79	89	95	67	63	100	117	100	205	77	140	109
Finland	84	80	114	116	117	247	335	303	295	191	371	467
France	870	774	939	850	792	794	727	799	856	914	871	1 081
Germany	1 249	1 056	1 092	991	1 006	1 083	1 152	1 058	1 243	1 409	1 245	1 488
Greece	48	30	46	41	25	20	34	39	61	55	102	166
Ireland	16	16	19	22	28	42	50	53	66	174	134	178
Italy	1 038	923	979	872	1 052	1 250	1 282	1 354	1 752	1 564	1 575	2 099
Netherlands	1 042	1 016	856	876	703	707	695	584	829	866	1 378	1 737
Portugal	48	32	28	41	26	50	48	32	31	54	41	34
Spain	221	196	286	289	268	277	292	328	514	562	714	713
Sweden	148	127	145	136	139	155	200	220	157	160	169	184
United Kingdom	1 736	1 796	1 930	2 394	2 901	2 275	2 829	2 357	3 040	4 473	4 158	4 653
Other countries												
Brazil	128	138	225	289	319	307	389	333	408	447	470	543
Canada	760	802	845	1 158	1 149	1 150	1 267	1 178	1 276	1 274	1 175	1 769
China	1 171	1 348	1 458	2 268	2 590	2 964	3 781	3 584	3 872	3 948	4 966	6 842
Fiji	203	240	246	327	325	378	479	524	526	556	591	642
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	1 342	1 560	2 106	2 597	2 797	2 632	3 052	3 105	4 138	3 071	3 211	3 909
India	588	667	754	889	865	979	1 185	1 493	1 852	1 837	1 588	2 087
Iran	546	477	261	371	535	237	541	925	274	450	410	755
Japan	12 781	14 378	14 574	15 206	15 924	16 282	16 429	15 377	17 580	16 566	18 822	23 497
Korea, Republic of	2 700	3 237	3 365	3 970	4 706	5 250	6 615	7 134	6 397	6 320	7 615	9 204
New Zealand	2 616	2 545	2 830	3 365	4 009	4 791	5 609	6 214	5 662	5 838	6 739	6 882
Papua New Guinea	815	779	883	855	954	933	1 048	1 272	1 152	1 014	927	1 051
Saudi Arabia	287	218	266	329	344	277	452	448	545	1 060	1 334	2 196
South Africa	112	178	226	334	350	566	776	1 014	1 093	944	1 039	1 300
Switzerland	712	1 256	655	302	270	286	519	237	1 097	443	319	273
Taiwan	1 821	1 962	2 519	2 680	2 757	3 102	3 452	3 620	4 180	4 203	4 696	5 894
Turkey	88	169	171	264	206	228	366	384	636	349	231	309
United Arab Emirates	274	278	329	408	417	338	542	665	1 006	835	872	1 164
United States of America	5 426	5 778	5 220	4 940	5 075	4 643	4 619	5 526	7 794	7 984	9 602	11 654
Other countries	4 015	2 707	2 977	3 159	3 495	3 198	3 954	4 857	5 751	6 213	6 407	8 097
Country unknown	7	6	5	1	3	—	1	1	—	1	2	8
International waters	—	—	58	188	249	—	93	—	208	125	626	595
Ship & aircraft stores	486	679	568	617	566	574	656	612	579	467	735	988
Unidentified	6	—	—	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total trade	49 078	52 399	55 027	60 702	64 548	67 052	76 005	78 932	87 768	85 991	97 286	119 555

(a) See paragraph 16 of the Explanatory Notes..

HISTORICAL IMPORTS, By Country

	1989– 1990	1990– 1991	1991– 1992	1992– 1993	1993– 1994	1994– 1995	1995– 1996	1996– 1997	1997– 1998	1998– 1999	1999– 2000	2000– 2001
Country or country group	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN)												
Brunei Darussalam	24	41	82	50	17	22	—	—	5	11	211	351
Cambodia	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	1	1	2	3
Indonesia	441	784	995	1 305	1 105	1 198	1 522	1 864	2 868	3 275	2 701	3 279
Laos	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Malaysia	658	732	867	974	1 103	1 421	1 636	1 891	2 404	2 845	3 765	4 177
Myanmar	1	5	4	11	11	8	7	9	13	12	17	19
Philippines	150	129	143	177	188	259	260	282	418	405	457	513
Singapore	1 213	1 271	1 301	1 509	1 792	2 246	2 613	2 620	2 643	2 944	4 359	3 898
Thailand	479	505	647	756	794	970	1 005	1 201	1 480	1 902	2 422	2 780
Viet Nam	17	18	79	237	291	295	329	433	664	972	1 726	2 432
European Union (EU)												
Austria	189	203	210	226	223	279	313	423	458	474	484	542
Belgium-Luxembourg	433	380	387	512	541	686	755	760	739	662	737	828
Denmark	251	207	230	274	300	340	336	383	399	459	542	535
Finland	311	303	322	415	463	635	684	606	686	601	668	721
France	1 166	1 233	1 336	1 481	1 542	1 754	1 867	1 980	2 029	2 202	2 228	2 477
Germany	3 443	3 115	3 007	3 383	3 759	4 861	4 862	4 558	5 207	6 082	5 791	6 173
Greece	68	45	49	51	52	63	78	95	91	101	97	109
Ireland	186	199	193	255	296	432	448	498	830	1 000	937	1 140
Italy	1 635	1 390	1 229	1 349	1 617	2 026	2 231	2 304	2 614	2 916	3 043	3 258
Netherlands	520	550	588	624	664	712	702	817	847	917	990	906
Portugal	61	52	59	63	66	81	94	106	121	141	168	162
Spain	219	204	179	218	288	484	519	458	652	653	659	710
Sweden	896	767	793	1 013	1 072	1 426	1 617	1 497	1 557	1 575	1 646	1 624
United Kingdom	3 356	3 302	3 102	3 395	3 698	4 439	4 882	5 182	5 593	5 545	6 350	6 321
Other countries												
Brazil	352	316	316	329	348	452	447	351	363	342	441	647
Canada	1 228	902	849	984	1 055	1 278	1 557	1 265	1 436	1 547	1 848	1 866
China	1 241	1 503	1 976	2 557	3 120	3 649	4 010	4 203	5 303	6 106	7 515	9 881
Fiji	93	90	101	130	163	185	235	264	307	349	356	254
Hong Kong (SAR of China)	847	741	792	796	801	923	970	900	1 031	1 228	1 280	1 362
India	278	260	288	362	427	532	549	577	687	666	714	754
Iran	11	10	14	14	16	21	22	26	25	27	29	27
Japan	9 872	8 849	9 290	11 139	11 700	12 777	10 816	10 241	12 660	13 587	14 110	15 370
Korea, Republic of	1 254	1 254	1 213	1 696	1 882	2 028	2 293	2 550	3 767	3 894	4 311	4 709
New Zealand	2 173	2 150	2 399	2 785	3 201	3 554	3 591	3 685	3 723	3 950	4 372	4 565
Papua New Guinea	235	584	953	1 254	1 296	1 125	1 220	1 091	768	781	1 353	1 457
Saudi Arabia	676	843	643	812	593	750	874	858	648	532	1 002	1 613
South Africa	119	99	114	192	268	302	433	424	582	537	749	877
Switzerland	567	664	580	721	818	991	966	895	950	1 092	1 279	1 171
Taiwan	1 946	1 752	1 979	2 213	2 362	2 570	2 585	2 522	2 809	2 978	3 244	3 326
Turkey	55	32	46	39	45	58	73	74	112	114	134	152
United Arab Emirates	452	419	469	698	617	627	475	800	492	201	401	1 114
United States of America	12 373	11 475	11 743	13 004	14 017	16 044	17 545	17 642	19 834	20 893	23 135	22 353
Other countries	1 825	1 512	1 382	1 534	1 815	2 082	2 326	2 617	2 809	3 032	3 586	3 772
Country unknown	21	21	35	40	32	31	46	47	57	61	219	22
International waters	—	—	—	1	8	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unidentified	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total trade	51 333	48 912	50 984	59 575	64 470	74 619	77 792	78 998	90 684	97 611	110 078	118 252

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. More detailed information on methods used in compiling data can be found in *International Merchandise Trade, Australia: Concepts, Sources and Methods* (Cat. no. 5489.0). This publication can be accessed on the ABS website <URL:<http://www.abs.gov.au>> see Statistics; Statistical Concepts Library; ABS concepts, sources, methods and statistical framework; 5489.0 – International Merchandise Trade, Australia, CSM.

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).

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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.

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.

BASIS OF COMPILATION

7 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.

8 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.

9 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.

STATISTICAL PERIOD

10 Exports are recorded in the calendar month in which the goods departed from Australia.

11 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.

12 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.

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VALUATION

13 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.

14 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.

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.

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COUNTRY *continued*

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.

STATE

24 State information for exports presented in table 25 refers to the State in which the final stage of production or manufacture occurs.

25 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.

INDUSTRY OF ORIGIN

26 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 *Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC), 1993 Edition* (Cat. no. 1292.0).

BROAD ECONOMIC CATEGORIES

27 Merchandise trade in tables 29 and 30 are classified according to the categories of the United Nations' *Classification By Broad Economic Categories* (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.

CONFIDENTIALITY

28 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 *Data Confidentiality* in the December 1999 issue.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

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29 More information on the treatment of confidential data in international merchandise trade statistics can be obtained from *Information Paper: International Merchandise Trade Statistics, Australia: Data Confidentiality* (Cat. no. 5487.0), or the Confidentiality Manager on Canberra 02 6252 5409. Copies of the current Confidential Commodities List (CCL), can be obtained from the Confidentiality Manager or from the ABS Website <URL: <http://www.abs.gov.au>>, see Publications, 54 International Trade, 5487.0 – Information Paper: Appendix B: Confidential Commodities List and Explanatory notes.

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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

A P P E N D I X

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)
Cambodia(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(a)
Cameroon
Cape Verde
Cayman Islands
Central African Republic
Chad
Chile(a)
China(a)
Colombia

Developing Countries (DCs)(c) *continued*

Comoros, Republic of
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

APPENDIX

MAJOR COUNTRY GROUPS

Developing countries (DCs)(c) *continued*

Mozambique
Myanmar(a)
Nauru
Namibia
Nepal
Netherlands Antilles
New Caledonia
Nicaragua
Niger
Nigeria
Niue
Oman
Pakistan
Palau
Panama
Paraguay
Peru(a)
Philippines(a)
Pitcairn Island
Poland
Qatar
Romania
Rwanda
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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