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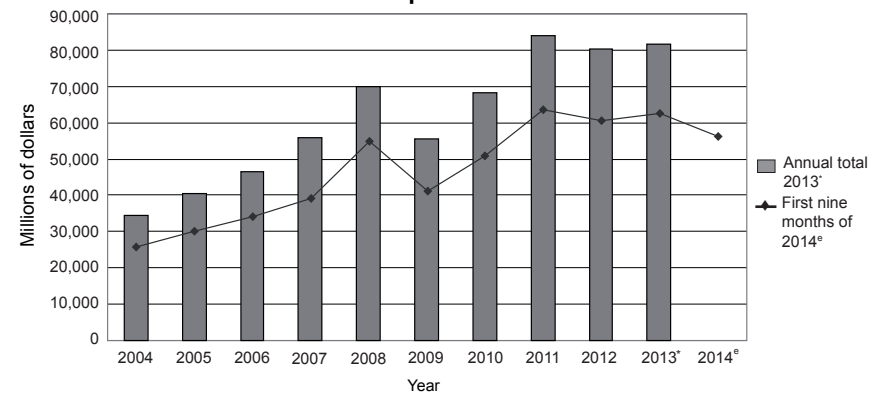
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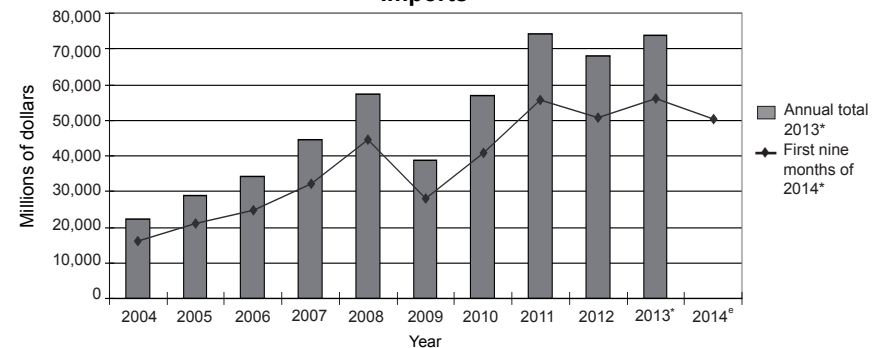
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Exports



Imports



CONCEPTUAL AND METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

Basic Information

INDEC foreign trade statistics are based on the Customs declaration forms that register the imports and exports of goods. Since 1995, complementary sources of information have been incorporated due to the lack of Customs declaration forms regarding certain export and import transactions which should be included in foreign trade statistics; this is the case of trade on electrical energy by bi-national entities such as Salto Grande, Yaciretá, and others.

Customs declaration forms are registered in an interactive entry system which controls the validity of the data, and allows to detect non-received documentation in order to request it to Customs.

Statistics Coverage

The main objective of the official statistics on ARGENTINE FOREIGN TRADE is to measure the change in the stock of material resources of the country resulting from the physical movement of merchandise between Argentina and foreign countries.

The transactions can be classified into two main groups: "ordinary transactions" and "transactions of special treatment".

In ordinary transactions importers and exporters receive or send goods through the usual exchange operations and there are no transportation peculiarities. These operations are included in the statistics and have been classified since 1995 according to the MERCOSUR Common Nomenclature also based on the Harmonized System.

There are some transactions of special treatment which are also included in the statistics such as:

- samples
- donations
- temporary admission of goods for processing
- Non-tangible objects as natural gas or electricity

Special treatment transactions excluded from statistics are:

- Goods consigned by the Government to their representatives abroad
- monetary gold
- luggage and personal belongings of international passengers

- goods in transit
- military goods
- trade between the continental Argentine territory and Tierra del Fuego, Antártida e Islas del Atlántico sur Special Customs Area.

COMMERCIAL SYSTEM

The national compilation of the international merchandise trade statistics is based on the special system (except electricity and trade between the continental territory and the Special Customs Area) by which imports and exports are registered on their way through customs, according to the United Nations Statistical Office definition. On the contrary, those countries which use the general trade system, register the transactions when goods cross the boundary of the national territory. This concept implies that the statistical frontier coincides with the geographic limits of the country, while for the special system the statistical border is the Customs frontier.

STATISTICAL PERIOD

For the compilation of imports, the statistical period corresponds to the dispatch time independently from the arrival of the merchandises to the country; at the same time, exports are registered according to the final load for shipment date.

VALUES

The value assigned to exports is an FOB-type value (free on board), on the port or loading place of the merchandise. It means that the transaction price also includes the cost to deliver the goods to the port or loading place.

The imports are registered on a CIF-type basis (cost, insurance, and freight), although information on imports FOB valued is also available. The CIF value includes the FOB value plus freight and insurance (duties are excluded) to deliver the merchandise from the port or loading place to the first port or place of arrival in Argentina.

Values expressed in currency other than American Dollars, are converted into that currency according to the monthly average exchange rate, calculated by Banco de la Nación Argentina (buyer for the exports, seller for the imports).

TRADING PARTNER

Imports can be classified according to the country of consignment or origin. The definitions recommended by the Customs Cooperation Council are:

Country of consignment is the country "from which goods were initially dispatched to the importing country without any commercial transactions taking place in intermediate countries".

Country of origin is the country "from which goods have been produced or manufactured according to the established criteria to apply Customs tariffs, quantity restrictions or any other trade-related measure".

Initially, INDEC published imports data according to the consignment country. Since 1995, the country of origin has been officially used to define the Argentine imports partner country, but the information regarding the country of consignment continued to be elaborated. Data related to the country of origin have been available since 1987.

Exports are classified according to the country of destination. Country of destination is the country "declared at the moment of shipment as the country where merchandise will finally be delivered".

For imports and exports statistics, data by country are grouped in two different manners: by continent or by a specific economic area. Since January 2001, INDEC has introduced a methodological change in the registration of foreign trade statistics in response to the relevant international recommendations. These changes will contribute to the harmonization of economic statistics and the improvement of their international comparability.

The implemented changes apply only to foreign trade operations in Customs-free zones. In the former system of special registration, applied until 2000, imports included goods passing from Customs-free zones to the Customs-controlled territory. Under the current system, goods are registered upon their entrance to the free zones. Similarly, in the former system, exports included the goods leaving Customs-controlled territory and entering the free zones. With the current system, goods are registered as exports when they leave the free zone limits for a foreign destination.

This decision has been applied to foreign trade statistics since 1997, when the first Customs-free zones started operating in Argentina.

For this reason, as previously announced, INDEC will inform in its annual publication, "Comercio Exterior Argentino", year 2000, the corrections covering the Argentine foreign trade between 1997-1999.

As from January 2004, exports and imports performed under the current regime have been included.

Table 1. Argentine foreign trade by economic areas

Period	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance	
	2013 ^e	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars	
Total	81,660,000	56,116,100	10.4	73,655,537	50,326,189	- 10.2	8,004,464	5,789,911
MERCOSUR ⁽¹⁾	23,196,602	15,076,677	- 10.8	20,429,069	11,907,437	- 23.0	2,767,534	3,169,239
NAFTA	7,601,959	5,031,630	- 8.5	10,720,296	8,591,790	9.9	- 3,118,337	- 3,560,159
Union Europea	10,589,508	7,842,005	2.6	13,528,992	8,864,789	- 13.9	- 2,939,484	- 1,022,783
Asean, Corea Rep., China ⁽²⁾ , Japan and India	15,200,852	11,350,800	- 9.0	17,146,554	12,150,442	- 4.7	- 1,945,701	- 799,642
MAGREB and Egypt	3,857,094	3,259,284	0.8	191,571	109,233	- 35.5	3,665,523	3,150,051
Rest	21,213,985	13,555,704	- 19.7	11,639,055	8,702,498	- 8.8	9,574,930	4,853,206

⁽¹⁾ Included Venezuela⁽²⁾ Included Hong Kong and Macau**Table 2.** Exports and imports, percent distribution by main countries of destination and origin

Country of destination	Exports (FOB)		Country of origin	Imports (CIF)	
	2013 ^e %	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e		2013* %	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
Total	100	100	Total	100	100
Brazil	21	20	Brazil	26	22
China	7	8	China	15	16
United States of America, the	6	5	United States of America, the	11	14
Chile	5	4	Germany	5	5
Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	3	3	Trinidad and Tobago	3	3
Algeria	2	3	Italy	2	3
India	1	3	Russian Federation, the	2	3
Netherlands, the	3	2	Mexico	3	3
Spain	2	2	Bolivia	2	2
Canada	2	2	France	3	2
Rest	48	47	Rest	27	27

Table 3. Exports and imports according to continent and country of destination and origin

Continent and Country	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance	
	2013 ^e	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
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Total	81,660,000	56,116,100	- 10.4	73,655,537	50,326,189	- 10.2	8,004,464	5,789,911
Africa	5,371,693	4,266,801	- 1.4	717,883	887,735	50.0	4,653,810	3,379,066
Algeria	1,664,310	1,476,322	12.0	10	55,528	///	1,664,299	1,420,794
Angola	137,334	100,373	- 4.0	13	9	- 31.0	137,321	100,364
Benin	3,669	7,698	267.0	1	2	100.0	3,668	7,696
Botswana	-	67	///	1	-	- 69.0	- 1	67
Burkina Faso	905	418	- 35.0	-	19	///	905	399
Burundi	10	-	- 100.0	-	-	-	10	-
Cameroon	51,691	27,482	- 18.0	328	216	10.0	51,362	27,266
Cape Verde	3,704	2,399	- 34.0	-	-	-	3,704	2,399
Central African Republic, the	-	-	-	2	-	-	- 2	-
Chad	1,122	634	- 11.0	66	125	191.0	1,057	508
Comoros, the	2,298	4,696	222.0	27	27	42.0	2,271	4,669
Congo, the	47,253	27,634	40.0	34	73	///	47,218	27,561
Côte D'Ivoire	8,027	34,343	///	1,712	1,318	- 12.0	6,315	33,025
Democratic Republic of the Congo, the	24,506	16,445	- 3.0	-	47	///	24,506	16,398
Djibouti	1,047	191	- 77.0	-	-	-	1,047	191
Egypt	1,317,458	1,004,155	- 16.0	116,543	7,655	- 93.0	1,200,914	996,500
Equatorial Guinea	26,505	18,485	40.0	31	-	- 100.0	26,474	18,485
Eritrea	732	550	59.0	-	-	-	732	550
Ethiopia	1,932	1,527	34.0	134	194	45.0	1,797	1,333
Gabon	17,624	6,799	- 53.0	1,747	2,084	88.0	15,877	4,714
Gambia, the	679	382	- 44.0	1	-	///	678	382
Ghana	49,800	15,569	- 55.0	80	95	217.0	49,720	15,474
Ghinea	775	367	- 33.0	4	4	-	771	364
Guinea-Bissau	239	390	63.0	-	-	-	239	390
Kenya	11,829	8,677	- 14.0	303	39	- 86.0	11,525	8,638
Lesotho	-	-	-	-	11	///	-	- 11
Liberia	3,753	1,600	- 46.0	-	-	-	3,753	1,600
Lbyan Arab Jamahiriya, the	142,990	167,923	82.0	11,707	-	- 100.0	131,283	167,923
Madagascar	12,821	15,874	88.0	744	369	- 40.0	12,077	15,504
Malawi	1,200	910	108.0	4,457	2,539	56.0	- 3,257	- 1,629
Mali	4,705	3,775	- 9.0	-	-	///	4,705	3,775
Mauritania	5,961	4,002	- 31.0	-	14	///	5,960	3,988
Mauritius	58,734	41,531	- 3.0	187	228	46.0	58,547	41,303
Morocco	511,206	450,312	7.0	44,788	40,872	22.0	466,418	409,439
Mozambique	44,135	35,820	- 8.0	2,855	5,156	204.0	41,280	30,664
Namibia	4,234	3,526	15.0	8,225	12	- 100.0	- 3,990	3,514
Niger, the	11,366	19,535	136.0	5	2	- 60.0	11,361	19,534
Nigeria	114,913	47,553	- 46.0	258,905	597,797	193.0	- 143,993	- 550,244
Rwanda	66	134	103.0	-	-	-	66	134
Senegal	56,188	83,696	61.0	99	36	- 22.0	56,089	83,660
Sierra Leone	3,428	6,582	184.0	652	296	- 55.0	2,777	6,287
Somalia	176	-	- 100.0	432	4	- 96.0	- 256	- 4
South Africa	733,107	453,436	- 15.0	242,534	165,483	- 17.0	490,573	287,954

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Sudan, the	7,254	6,686	7.0	239	301	43.0	7,016	6,386
Swaziland	–	33	///	28	6	– 79.0	– 28	27
United Republic of Tanzania, the	10,240	6,443	– 34.0	203	1,854	///	10,036	4,589
Territories linked to France	47,267	2,787	– 87.0	–	–	–	47,267	2,787
Territories linked to Spain	1,208	390	– 63.0	1	–	– 100.0	1,207	390
Territories linked to United Kingdom	48	24	4.0	1	–	– 100.0	48	24
Togo	1,852	396	– 68.0	3	–	– 84.0	1,850	396
Tunisia	215,170	156,570	– 20.0	18,522	5,163	– 67.0	196,648	151,407
Uganda	2,855	163	– 94.0	–	7	///	2,855	156
Zambia	495	251	– 23.0	–	38	///	495	213
Zimbabwe	1,600	662	– 51.0	2,195	84	– 95.0	– 595	578
South Sudan	668	416	167.0	–	–	–	668	416
Rest	603	166	– 51.0	60	25	– 47.0	542	142
America	40,547,561	25,747,005	– 14.0	36,716,295	24,435,108	– 12.0	3,831,267	1,311,898
Antigua and Barbuda	558	410	10.0	–	2	///	558	408
Aruba	3,062	1,158	– 52.0	–	–	–	3,062	1,158
Bahamas, the	32,040	107,865	243.0	24,188	2,062	– 56.0	7,852	105,802
Barbados	1,366	1,061	– 7.0	–	–	133.0	1,366	1,061
Belize	928	504	– 8.0	14	7	75.0	915	498
Bolivia	847,652	599,636	–	1,745,911	1,206,126	– 24.0	– 898,259	– 606,491
Free trade zone Winner (Bolivia)	126	–	– 100.0	–	–	–	126	–
Brazil	17,440,209	11,313,194	– 12.0	19,161,458	11,104,950	– 23.0	– 1,721,249	208,244
Free trade zone Manaus (Brazil)	103	57	– 44.0	160,309	98,307	– 12.0	– 160,207	– 98,250
Canada	1,834,782	1,285,465	– 6.0	489,641	452,383	33.0	1,345,141	833,082
Chile	4,143,314	2,272,841	– 28.0	970,456	622,996	– 14.0	3,172,858	1,649,845
Free trade zone Iquique (Chile)	351	179	– 24.0	–	–	–	351	179
Free trade zone Punta Arenas (Chile)	1,796	1,146	– 25.0	–	–	–	1,796	1,146
Colombia	1,619,427	749,421	– 46.0	435,395	174,464	– 49.0	1,184,032	574,957
Free trade zone Pacific (Colombia)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Costa Rica	112,460	39,671	– 60.0	53,031	33,225	– 17.0	59,429	6,446
Cuba	323,245	208,407	– 23.0	11,303	9,419	–	311,942	198,988
Dominica	959	183	– 81.0	7	62	///	952	121
Dominican Republic	273,363	109,581	– 52.0	2,738	2,423	19.0	270,625	107,159
Ecuador	374,501	351,692	28.0	274,020	189,969	5.0	100,481	161,722
El Salvador	33,418	13,982	– 47.0	609	343	– 31.0	32,808	13,639
Grenada	355	250	– 16.0	–	–	–	355	250
Guatemala	159,444	46,748	– 64.0	4,002	3,142	5.0	155,442	43,606
Guyana	1,163	2,147	214.0	15	4	– 73.0	1,148	2,143
Haiti	19,105	9,087	– 35.0	108	57	– 5.0	18,997	9,031
Honduras	32,251	32,093	14.0	8,675	9,248	82.0	23,576	22,845
Jamaica	14,878	2,919	– 77.0	8	5	–	14,871	2,914
Mexico	1,154,902	637,593	– 23.0	2,161,330	1,260,533	– 19.0	– 1,006,428	– 622,941
Netherland Antilles	5,772	3,928	–	5,029	5,639	44.0	743	– 1,711
Nicaragua	40,153	26,373	– 21.0	400	223	– 38.0	39,753	26,150
Panama	101,086	61,544	– 24.0	290	293	20.0	100,796	61,251

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Free trade zone Colon (Panama)	19,919	19,193	37.0	1,842	–	– 100.0	18,077	19,193
Paraguay	1,392,700	948,760	– 6.0	528,662	360,513	– 11.0	864,038	588,247
Peru	1,550,916	958,076	– 24.0	133,232	99,716	– 2.0	1,417,684	858,360
Saint Kitts and Nevis	5,389	29	– 82.0	63	13	– 79.0	5,326	16
St, Lucia	697	591	15.0	–	–	///	697	591
St, Vincent and the Grenadines	715	418	60.0	–	–	–	715	418
Surinam	10,577	6,689	– 20.0	1	–	///	10,576	6,689
Territories linked to Denmark	–	–	–	–	–	///	–	–
Territories linked to France	644	599	51.0	1	–	– 79.0	643	599
Territories linked to Netherlands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Territories linked to United Kingdom	1,112	1,150	51.0	1	9	///	1,111	1,141
Territories linked to the United States	202	113	4.0	6,470	10	///	– 6,268	103
Trinidad and Tobago	16,293	9,147	– 23.0	1,861,350	1,555,995	4.0	– 1,845,057	– 1,546,849
United States of America, the	4,528,546	3,071,868	– 6.0	8,008,379	6,834,518	16.0	– 3,479,833	– 3,762,649
Puerto Rico (Associated to the United States)	83,489	36,572	– 15.0	54,477	44,345	4.0	29,012	– 7,773
Uruguay	1,921,497	1,180,215	– 16.0	500,779	318,963	– 19.0	1,420,718	861,251
Free trade zone Colonia (Uruguay)	6,891	5,843	4.0	22,573	12,543	– 42.0	– 15,682	– 6,701
Free trade zone Florida (Uruguay)	191	–	– 100.0	–	–	–	191	–
Free trade zone Libertad (Uruguay)	385	1,036	223.0	–	–	–	385	1,036
Free trade zone Zonamerica (Uruguay)	91,753	63,078	– 4.0	–	–	–	91,753	63,078
Free trade zone Nueva Helvecia (Uruguay)	14	–	– 100.0	615	131	– 74.0	– 601	– 131
Free trade zone Nueva Palmira (Uruguay)	–	–	–	2,589	2,241	8.0	– 2,589	– 2,241
Free trade zone Rio Negro (Uruguay)	173	–	– 100.0	482	332	– 21.0	– 309	– 332
Free trade zone Rivera (Uruguay)	–	–	–	1	–	– 100.0	– 1	–
Free trade zone San Jose (Uruguay)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Free trade zone Punta Pereira (Uruguay)	481	–	– 100.0	–	645	///	481	– 645
Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of	2,342,206	1,564,494	2.0	51,601	8,813	– 77.0	2,290,605	1,555,681
Rest	–	–	–	34,240	20,436	– 24.0	– 34,240	– 20,436
Asia	20,077,841	14,809,319	– 11.0	19,065,928	13,420,299	– 6.0	1,011,914	1,389,020
Afghanistan	185	1,129	///	441	18	– 96.0	– 256	1,110
Armenia	6,376	3,797	– 27.0	1	1	– 30.0	6,375	3,796
Azerbaijan	5,913	4,685	32.0	51	27	– 47.0	5,862	4,658
Bahrain	5,114	3,521	– 23.0	6,841	329	– 34.0	– 1,727	3,192
Bangladesh	325,917	326,498	16.0	9,296	6,955	–	316,621	319,543
Bhutan	15	–	– 100.0	–	2	376.0	15	– 2
Brunei Darussalam	3,112	6,119	97.0	8	1	– 88.0	3,104	6,118
Cambodia	17,649	12,665	– 4.0	15,358	6,460	– 53.0	2,291	6,205
China	5,762,377	4,363,713	– 9.0	11,312,451	8,273,659	– 2.0	– 5,550,074	– 3,909,946
Hong Kong	351,595	266,587	7.0	28,525	30,041	55.0	323,070	236,546
Macau	–	19	///	145	308	112.0	– 145	– 288
Timor - Leste	–	–	–	–	11	///	–	– 11
Georgia	34,624	9,421	– 70.0	376	278	321.0	34,248	9,143
India	1,159,580	1,462,267	63.0	776,689	550,976	– 4.0	382,891	911,292
Indonesia	1,576,470	1,023,091	– 16.0	380,522	234,373	– 12.0	1,195,949	788,718
Iran, Islamic Republic of	1,158,995	716,919	– 32.0	68	1,864	///	1,158,928	715,055
Iraq	124,818	132,863	95.0	3	25	///	124,815	132,839
Israel	210,198	150,028	– 17.0	148,548	90,421	– 18.0	61,650	59,608

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Japan	1,462,568	580,449	- 54.0	1,520,911	1,005,454	- 11.0	-58,343	-425,004
Jordan	260,393	224,008	- 2.0	1,776	1,965	63.0	258,617	222,043
Kazakhstan	56,745	16,258	- 62.0	4,533	17,133	292.0	52,212	- 875
Korea Republic of, the	1,047,566	373,461	- 60.0	1,239,823	729,127	- 18.0	- 192,256	- 355,666
Kuwait	56,018	46,703	- 14.0	--	1,789	///	56,018	44,914
Kyrgyzstan	271	314	72.0	--	-	- 100.0	271	314
Lebanon	111,963	120,542	48.0	2,688	299	- 89.0	109,275	120,243
Malaysia	1,021,753	807,999	- 2.0	490,005	311,844	- 19.0	531,748	496,154
Maldives	870	140	- 82.0	-	-	-	870	140
Myanmar	2,773	4,133	81.0	8,183	4,297	- 26.0	- 5,410	- 164
Nepal	2,393	3,721	140.0	205	270	36.0	2,187	3,451
Oman	35,814	20,334	- 40.0	1,445	2,803	131.0	34,369	17,531
Pakistan	151,217	263,850	80.0	61,602	44,358	- 7.0	89,615	219,492
Philippines, the	436,876	599,681	47.0	104,926	79,505	4.0	331,949	520,176
Qatar	5,560	10,384	120.0	1,060,505	674,865	- 27.0	- 1,054,945	- 664,482
Saudi Arabia	1,239,504	754,839	- 30.0	19,660	35,075	92.0	1,219,844	719,763
Singapore	124,026	113,530	48.0	123,287	164,536	72.0	739	- 51,006
Sri Lanka	2,908	1,349	- 37.0	6,402	4,952	- 5.0	- 3,494	- 3,603
Syrian Arab Republic, the	168,353	170,812	47.0	86	52	- 37.0	168,267	170,760
Taiwan	402,992	124,751	- 66.0	544,399	362,782	- 12.0	- 141,407	- 238,032
Tajikistan	45	275	///	2	--	- 87.0	42	274
Thailand	978,636	474,111	- 40.0	945,947	611,834	- 13.0	32,689	- 137,723
Turkmenistan	161	9	- 94.0	1	--	- 90.0	160	9
United Arab Emirates, the	271,375	180,255	- 21.0	49,494	22,028	- 53.0	221,881	158,227
Uzbekistan	21,286	1,585	- 58.0	940	1,515	172.0	20,346	70
Viet Nam	1,255,872	1,262,972	24.0	199,734	148,013	- 2.0	1,056,138	1,114,959
Yemen	212,807	166,819	- 13.0	11	40	264.0	212,796	166,779
Rest	4,159	2,712	- 10.0	41	14	- 60.0	4,118	2,698
Europe	12,613,800	9,413,489	2.0	16,282,017	10,917,995	- 14.0	- 3,668,218	- 1,504,506
Albania	7,981	2,194	- 9.0	155	296	91.0	7,825	1,898
Austria	15,668	9,565	- 10.0	229,436	143,923	- 18.0	- 213,768	- 134,358
Belarus	10,197	6,902	- 15.0	7,491	2,210	- 68.0	2,706	4,692
Belgium	321,411	206,754	- 11.0	766,959	347,964	- 45.0	- 445,548	- 141,210
Bosnia and Herzegovina	5,336	3,530	- 12.0	1,582	580	- 57.0	3,754	2,950
Bulgaria	159,555	79,109	- 41.0	18,003	7,849	- 49.0	141,552	71,260
Croatia	24,198	86,753	428.0	3,461	2,566	6.0	20,737	84,188
Cyprus	17,132	12,426	- 26.0	106	46	- 56.0	17,026	12,380
Czech Republic, the	17,362	39,344	486.0	164,499	125,076	-	- 147,137	- 85,732
Denmark	293,342	246,625	6.0	161,256	126,642	4.0	132,086	119,983
Estonia	10,141	5,719	- 25.0	4,056	3,931	18.0	6,085	1,788
Finland	88,089	15,999	- 72.0	173,636	116,786	- 13.0	- 85,547	- 100,787
France	469,138	282,152	- 6.0	2,072,082	1,162,139	- 21.0	- 1,602,944	- 879,987
Monaco	46	-	- 100.0	1,300	1,095	20.0	- 1,254	- 1,095
Germany	1,726,678	1,221,212	-	3,892,128	2,695,060	- 9.0	- 2,165,449	- 1,473,848
Greece	140,671	110,730	8.0	14,587	44,049	297.0	126,084	66,681
Hungary	13,617	7,390	- 21.0	148,555	84,820	- 17.0	- 134,937	- 77,430
Iceland	2,178	1,350	- 28.0	482	2,945	///	1,696	- 1,595
Ireland	274,928	201,948	16.0	230,264	168,841	- 1.0	44,664	33,107

Table 3. (concluded)

Continent and Country	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance	
	2013 ^e	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013 [*]	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 [*]	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013 [*]	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 [*]
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars	
Italy	1,168,205	908,836	8.0	1,665,754	1,283,986	1.0	- 497,549	- 375,150
San Marino	22	300	///	268	209	5.0	- 246	91
Latvia	204,179	193,302	25.0	13,770	22,926	77.0	190,409	170,376
Liechtenstein	25	-	- 100.0	1,062	1,078	65.0	- 1,036	- 1,078
Lithuania	128,934	44,410	- 54.0	17,338	19,640	17.0	111,596	24,770
Luxembourg	1,999	1,011	- 20.0	9,580	9,711	33.0	- 7,580	- 8,700
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	4,738	3,305	- 15.0	2,388	5,433	///	2,351	- 2,128
Malta	822	3,114	495.0	4,434	2,033	- 40.0	- 3,612	1,081
Montenegro	1,025	1,328	41.0	-	-	185.0	1,025	1,328
Netherlands, the	2,055,018	1,345,973	- 11.0	1,074,998	673,696	- 24.0	980,020	672,277
Norway	21,540	14,183	- 22.0	90,287	145,692	79.0	- 68,747	- 131,509
Poland	663,727	583,901	22.0	222,211	154,363	- 1.0	441,516	429,538
Portugal	62,381	35,314	- 26.0	228,294	74,721	- 63.0	- 165,913	- 39,407
Romania	131,406	108,653	7.0	57,540	54,740	21.0	73,865	53,913
Russian Federation, the	780,465	593,822	1.0	1,720,946	1,268,214	- 18.0	- 940,481	- 674,392
Slovakia	2,089	2,417	52.0	72,373	39,868	- 25.0	- 70,284	- 37,451
Slovenia	2,419	2,724	65.0	22,589	20,789	22.0	- 20,170	- 18,066
Spain	1,856,254	1,316,455	-	1,371,240	856,909	- 20.0	485,015	459,546
Sweden	74,621	52,624	- 12.0	309,060	235,268	16.0	- 234,438	- 182,643
Switzerland	605,073	415,938	- 10.0	510,500	399,388	4.0	94,573	16,550
Serbia	6,452	5,608	11.0	1,018	14,571	///	5,434	- 8,962
Territories linked to United Kingdom	25	197,522	///	21	-	- 98.0	4	197,521
Turkey	471,691	290,605	- 26.0	381,196	197,330	- 32.0	90,495	93,275
Ukraine	81,534	33,018	- 50.0	18,952	7,601	- 42.0	62,581	25,417
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the	688,444	716,856	38.0	582,675	385,143	- 13.0	105,769	331,713
Rest	3,044	2,570	3.0	13,485	7,869	- 23.0	- 10,441	- 5,299
Oceania	932,902	681,099	- 1.0	222,509	144,203	- 21.0	710,394	536,896
Australia	788,317	557,176	- 5.0	206,057	125,837	- 26.0	582,260	431,339
Fiji	811	392	23.0	44	8	- 65.0	767	384
Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands, the	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Micronesia, Federated States of	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nauru	-	-	-	17	3	- 82.0	- 17	- 3
New Zealand	137,705	120,143	28.0	16,332	18,306	44.0	121,373	101,837
Palau	-	-	-	-	-	///	-	-
Papua New Guinea	153	16	- 90.0	13	4	- 69.0	140	12
Samoa	5	-	- 100.0	44	1	- 98.0	- 40	- 1
Solomon Islands	139	42	- 63.0	-	-	-	139	42
Territories linked to Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Territories linked to France	5,659	3,298	- 17.0	-	-	-	5,659	3,298
Territories linked to the United States	39	19	- 10	-	-	-	39	19
Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vanuatu	26	9	- 65.0	-	-	-	26	9
Rest	49	5	- 77.0	2	44	///	47	- 39
Rest	2,116,203	1,198,387	- 28.0	650,905	520,850	9.4	1,465,297	677,537

Table 4. Exports and Imports, percent distribution according to the Sections of the Harmonized System

Section	Exports		Imports	
	2013 ^e	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
Total	100	100	100	100
		%		
I Live animals and products of animal origin	7	7	--	--
II Products of vegetable origin	20	19	1	1
III Fats and oils	7	7	--	--
IV Feeding products, beverages and tobacco	21	24	1	1
V Mineral products	6	7	16	19
VI Industrial products	7	8	14	15
VII Plastic, rubber and its manufactures	2	2	6	6
VIII Leathers and leather manufactures (except footwear)	1	2	--	--
IX Wood, charcoal, cork, cork manufactures, cross-ties of wood	--	--	--	--
X Wood pulp, paper, paperboard	1	1	2	2
XI Textile stuff and manufactures	1	1	2	2
XII Footwear, umbrellas, artificial flowers and others	--	--	1	1
XIII Stone manufactures, plaster, cement, amianthus, mica, ceramic, glass	--	--	1	1
XIV Fine pearls, stones and precious metals, coins and others	3	3	--	--
XV Common metals and manufactures	3	3	5	5
XVI Machines, instruments and electric material	3	3	26	26
XVII Transport equipment	14	12	21	16
XVIII Optical instruments, medical-surgical precision, watches and music	--	--	2	3
XIX Arms and ammunition	--	--	--	--
XX Commodities and different products	--	--	1	1
XXI Works of art, antiques	--	--	--	--
Special transactions	2	2	1	1

Table 5. Exports and imports according to Sections and Chapters of the Harmonized System

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars
Total	81,660,000	56,116,100	- 10.4	73,655,537	50,326,189	- 10.2	5,789,911
I Live animals and products of animal origin	5,552,753	4,076,258	5.2	197,882	129,590	- 16.2	3,946,668
1 Live animals	18,820	19,208	22.5	17,170	12,990	1.1	6,218
2 Meat and edible meat offal	2,037,301	1,514,242	1.8	55,469	27,582	- 42.4	1,486,659
3 Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	1,597,361	1,202,088	7.5	57,674	40,806	- 0.3	1,161,282
4 Dairy produce; birds, eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin, n.e.s.o.i.	1,816,837	1,284,173	7.1	27,898	21,959	- 6.2	1,262,215
5 Products of animal origin, n.e.s.o.i.	82,435	56,546	0.1	39,670	26,253	- 11.3	30,293
II Products of vegetable origin	16,039,514	10,671,844	- 26.6	623,082	448,691	1.2	10,223,152
6 Live trees and other plants; bulbs, roots and the like; cut flowers and ornamental foliage	2,645	2,992	19.2	5,709	3,511	- 21.3	- 519
7 Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers	477,569	394,801	- 8.1	16,977	10,280	- 23.6	384,521
8 Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melon	1,332,635	904,037	- 17.6	270,606	213,757	21.8	690,280
9 Coffee, tea, mate and spices	219,548	191,348	13.6	132,520	78,461	- 25.3	112,887
10 Cereals	8,697,292	4,581,553	- 44.1	18,011	8,111	- 40.0	4,573,442
11 Milling industry products; malt; starches; inulin; wheat gluten	456,094	430,981	21.7	19,337	12,246	- 10.7	418,735
12 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	4,840,966	4,156,258	- 3.0	77,145	56,981	- 1.3	4,099,277
13 Lac; gums; resins and other vegetable saps and extracts	5,306	4,863	33.0	78,701	62,438	9.6	- 57,575
14 Vegetable plaiting materials and vegetable products, n.e.s.o.i.	7,457	5,012	- 7.7	4,075	2,907	- 3.7	2,104
III Fats and oils	5,535,027	3,748,193	- 13.9	139,970	61,153	- 51.0	3,687,040
15 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	5,535,027	3,748,193	- 13.9	139,970	61,153	- 51.0	3,687,040
IV Feeding products, beverages and tobacco	16,967,209	13,546,486	6.5	944,108	687,647	- 3.4	12,858,839
16 Edible preparations of meat, fish, crustaceans molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates	137,008	84,956	- 15.9	139,667	71,665	- 30.0	13,291
17 Sugars and sugar confectionary	266,000	108,122	- 41.1	44,139	28,025	- 14.5	80,097
18 Cocoa and cocoa preparations	157,747	109,883	11.8	189,229	157,520	5.4	- 47,637
19 Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; bakers wares	515,039	394,331	11.8	30,465	20,626	- 14.7	373,706

Table 5. (continuation)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars
20 Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts, or other parts of plants	1,386,081	803,061	- 18.7	117,453	96,196	14.8	706,865
21 Miscellaneous edible preparations	203,170	156,061	6.9	196,732	154,148	- 0.5	1,913
22 Beverages, spirits and vinegar	1,063,299	739,023	- 1.3	77,221	52,359	- 6.8	686,664
23 Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal feed	12,860,528	10,915,594	11.0	79,825	51,376	- 14.3	10,864,218
24 Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	378,337	235,454	- 13.9	69,378	55,732	15.5	179,722
V Mineral products	5,181,882	3,656,204	- 6.6	11,936,207	9,407,703	- 5.9	- 5,751,499
25 Salt; sulfur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	138,549	90,606	- 9.6	157,388	156,364	39.6	- 65,757
26 Ores, slag and ash	1,397,498	960,753	- 6.4	881,011	701,843	9.0	258,910
27 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes	3,645,834	2,604,844	- 6.6	10,897,809	8,549,496	- 7.5	- 5,944,652
VI Industrial products	5,770,958	4,222,316	5.3	10,107,518	7,400,344	- 2.7	- 3,178,028
28 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	356,048	260,616	5.6	752,664	564,017	2.0	- 303,401
29 Organic chemicals	562,335	466,182	11.1	3,043,366	2,293,788	0.4	- 1,827,606
30 Pharmaceutical products	985,347	683,950	0.0	2,137,987	1,573,810	- 2.9	- 889,860
31 Fertilizers	95,019	44,459	- 19.3	853,063	583,701	- 13.6	- 539,242
32 Tanning or dyeing extracts; tannins and derivatives dyes, pigments and other coloring matter; paints and varnishes; putty and other mastics; inks	192,212	130,663	- 8.6	485,634	357,503	- 0.7	- 226,840
33 Essential oils and resinoids; perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations	852,393	565,598	- 6.2	574,722	368,740	- 16.8	196,858
34 Soap etc.; lubricating products; waxes, polishing or scouring products; candles etc; modeling pastes; dental waxes and dental preparations with a basic of plaster	216,237	140,001	- 14.1	382,452	288,862	2.1	- 148,860
35 Albuminoidal substances; modified starches; glues; enzymes	374,360	244,701	- 7.5	187,045	129,334	- 8.0	115,367
36 Explosives; pyrotechnic products; matches; pyrophoric alloys; certain combustible preparations	5,345	3,321	- 7.9	25,578	18,209	4.1	- 14,888
37 Photographic or cinematographic goods	19,772	8,291	- 48.4	87,638	59,569	- 8.1	- 51,277
38 Miscellaneous chemical products	2,111,889	1,674,533	18.7	1,577,371	1,162,811	-	511,722
VII Plastic, rubber and its manufactures	1,790,954	1,309,237	2.9	4,206,908	2,831,924	- 11.9	- 1,522,687
39 Plastics and articles thereof	1,389,622	1,031,932	4.9	2,786,593	1,927,940	- 8.7	- 896,008
40 Rubber and articles thereof	401,332	277,304	- 3.9	1,420,315	903,984	- 17.9	- 626,679

Table 5. (continuation)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars
			previous year %			previous year %	
VIII Leathers and leather manufactures (except footwear)	1,069,251	888,902	18.7	138,254	96,649	3.1	792,253
41 Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather	990,266	830,988	20.3	29,332	22,586	3.0	808,402
42 Articles of leather; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of gut	31,346	20,214	- 12.7	107,996	73,612	3.3	- 53,398
43 Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof	47,639	37,700	7.6	926	451	-24.4	37,249
IX Wood, charcoal, cork, cork manufactures, cross-ties of wood	212,957	153,353	- 3.7	176,230	133,007	4.2	20,346
44 Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	211,836	152,295	- 3.8	125,532	98,007	6.3	54,289
45 Cork and articles of cork	1,017	1,036	24.7	46,691	33,147	2.1	- 32,111
46 Manufactures of straw, esparto or other plaiting materials; Basketware and wickerwork	104	22	- 76.8	4,006	1,854	- 37.2	- 1,832
X Wood pulp, paper, paperboard	523,623	371,061	- 2.4	1,218,426	834,425	- 7.6	- 463,364
47 Pulp of wood or other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper and paperboard	146,761	118,296	15.2	99,949	85,647	15.1	32,649
48 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper or paperboard	311,383	211,771	- 8.0	1,025,475	696,078	- 8.1	- 484,307
49 Printed books, newspapers, pictures and other printed products; manuscripts, typescripts and plans	65,479	40,994	- 13.6	93,002	52,700	- 25.8	- 11,706
XI Textile stuff and manufactures	577,969	474,057	14.9	1,523,942	1,070,118	- 6.9	- 596,061
50 Silk, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	60	40	- 11.3	2,244	1,892	- 1.2	- 1,852
51 Wool and fine or coarse animal hair, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof; horsehair yarn and woven	208,065	157,966	8.8	8,240	4,808	- 20.7	153,158
52 Cotton, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	65,873	110,629	147.7	144,621	91,104	- 13.7	19,525
53 Vegetable textile fibers nesoi; yarns and woven fabrics of vegetable textile fibers nesoi and paper	139	99	6.0	4,881	4,067	7.0	- 3,968
54 Manmade filaments, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	64,583	57,507	26.4	211,164	153,136	- 0.7	- 95,629
55 Manmade staple fibers, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof	3,659	3,484	30.3	302,746	203,038	- 11.4	- 199,554
56 Wadding, felt and nonwovens; special yarns; twine, cordage, ropes and cables and articles thereof	81,497	56,085	- 9.5	120,262	99,916	10.0	- 43,831
57 Carpets and other textile floor coverings	10,067	6,271	- 9.8	22,247	13,539	- 22.6	- 7,267
58 Special woven fabrics; tufted textile fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery	6,281	1,738	- 59.9	34,619	21,058	- 18.0	- 19,319
59 Impregnated, coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics; textile articles suitable for industrial use	16,497	9,435	- 25.4	112,826	70,075	- 16.5	- 60,640
60 Knitted or crocheted fabrics	14,540	8,472	- 20.4	139,597	126,686	36.6	- 118,214
61 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	50,054	27,092	- 27.6	120,907	86,969	- 12.3	- 59,877
62 Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted	43,472	26,106	- 16.4	205,847	140,222	- 14.7	- 114,115

Table 5. (continuation)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars
63 Made-up textile articles nesoi; needlecraft sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	13,182	9,133	- 2.2	93,742	53,610	- 27.5	- 44,477
XII Footwear, umbrellas, artificial flowers and others	37,186	21,168	- 25.3	488,023	332,412	- 11.8	- 311,244
64 Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	33,851	19,871	- 24.2	458,717	311,220	- 12.4	- 291,349
65 Headgear and parts thereof	2,480	1,177	- 35.6	16,367	11,163	- 8.6	- 9,987
66 Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof	420	54	- 75.7	6,812	6,230	29.7	- 6,176
67 Prepared feathers and down and articles thereof; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	436	66	- 1.7	6,127	3,798	- 16.4	- 3,732
XIII Stone manufactures, plaster, cement, amianthus, mica,ceramic, glass	163,497	107,160	- 11.0	568,045	422,501	0.2	- 315,341
68 Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials	80,065	57,630	2.1	130,318	86,174	- 12.0	- 28,544
69 Ceramic products	38,880	21,889	- 28.4	142,434	106,200	0.4	- 84,311
70 Glass and glassware	44,553	27,641	- 17.2	295,293	230,127	5.7	- 202,486
XIV Fine pearls, stones and precious metals, coins and others	2,217,853	1,605,468	- 2.0	87,649	83,916	46.9	1,521,552
71 Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals; precious metal clad metals, and articles thereof; imitation jewelry; coin	2,217,853	1,605,468	- 2.0	87,649	83,916	46.9	1,521,552
XV Common metals and manufactures	2,729,509	1,720,605	- 12.0	3,643,361	2,701,140	- 1.0	- 980,535
72 Iron and steel	490,253	297,673	- 21.0	1,161,291	811,081	- 11.2	- 513,409
73 Articles of iron or steel	1,268,593	807,159	- 8.6	1,051,250	800,468	4.8	6,691
74 Copper and articles thereof	15,094	12,514	10.2	378,446	303,965	13.1	- 291,451
75 Nickel and articles thereof	66	14	- 64.5	37,496	23,085	- 18.4	- 23,071
76 Aluminum and articles thereof	783,668	499,688	- 11.5	334,258	244,250	- 3.1	255,438
78 Lead and articles thereof	52,810	37,705	13.6	1,856	1,072	- 29.3	36,633
79 Zinc and articles thereof	17,753	4,727	- 55.0	22,211	17,949	7.0	- 13,222
80 Tin and articles thereof	1	35	///	25,992	14,793	- 28.8	- 14,757
81 Base metals nesoi; cermets; articles thereof	3,232	1,727	- 33.2	26,685	15,680	- 26.4	- 13,953
82 Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof of base metal	38,131	24,539	- 17.4	291,171	256,177	25.8	- 231,637
83 Miscellaneous articles of base metal	59,909	34,825	- 20.6	312,707	212,621	- 10.7	- 177,796
XVI Machines, instruments and electric material	2,449,305	1,533,970	- 13.9	18,808,073	13,027,592	- 6.8	- 11,493,622
84 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	2,021,540	1,302,616	- 10.9	10,356,592	7,342,587	- 5.0	- 6,039,971
85 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television recorder	427,765	231,354	- 27.9	8,451,481	5,685,005	- 9.1	- 5,453,651
XVII Transport equipment	12,267,610	6,529,015	- 25.2	15,373,734	8,185,552	- 27.9	- 1,656,537

Table 5. (concluded)

Section chapter	Exports (FOB)			Imports (CIF)			Balance
	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*
	Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars			Thousand of dollars
86 Railway or tramway locomotives, rolling stock, track fixtures and fittings, and parts thereof; mechanical	12,915	8,358	- 9.0	374,302	496,489	108.5	- 488,130
87 Vehicles, other than railway or tramway rolling stock, and parts and accessories thereof	10,842,061	6,431,256	- 19.2	14,359,483	6,902,274	- 35.7	- 471,018
88 Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof	1,320,585	46,376	- 93.4	613,166	762,552	116.6	- 716,175
89 Ships, boats and floating structures	92,049	43,024	- 27.0	26,784	24,238	61.3	18,786
XVIII Optical instruments, medical-surgical precision, watches and music	192,438	120,140	- 13.9	1,762,139	1,263,274	- 5.1	- 1,143,135
90 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	179,868	112,285	- 14.5	1,661,770	1,201,910	- 4.4	- 1,089,625
91 Clocks and watches and parts thereof	8,590	5,454	0.1	61,344	39,082	- 9.3	- 33,628
92 Musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	3,980	2,401	- 12.6	39,024	22,282	- 28.7	- 19,882
XIX Arms and ammunition	20,652	10,844	- 19.7	16,553	9,843	- 22.7	1,001
93 Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	20,652	10,844	-19.7	16,553	9,843	- 22.7	1,001
XX Commodities and different products	235,850	146,182	- 15.5	1,041,760	675,439	- 12.8	- 529,257
94 Furniture; bedding, cushions, etc.; lamps and Lighting fittings n.e.s.o.i.; illuminated signs, nameplates and the like; prefabricated buildings	103,929	61,700	- 20.9	441,690	280,269	- 16.4	- 218,568
95 Toys, games and sports equipment; parts and accessories thereof	10,959	6,195	- 2.6	376,508	241,089	- 12.9	- 234,893
96 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	120,962	78,286	- 11.8	223,561	154,082	- 5.6	- 75,796
XXI Works of art, antiques	3,832	1,869	- 33.6	1,847	1,295	- 14.5	575
97 Works of art-collectors pieces and antiques	3,832	1,869	- 33.6	1,847	1,295	- 14.5	575
Special transactions	2,120,171	1,201,769	- 27.5	651,826	521,974	9.5	679,794
Transportation fuel supply	2,013,598	1,112,074	- 29.5	452,978	357,241	5.3	754,834
Other shipping stores	74,470	66,163	14.3	35,171	21,776	- 18.9	44,386
Residual	169	1,074	608.4	-	-	-	1,074
Couriers	27,965	19,077	- 7.4	162,757	141,833	29.2	- 122,756
Samples	3,968	3,382	5.4	921	1,124	79.6	2,257

Table 6. Exports by main groups of commodities according to the tariff schedule of the Harmonized System

Groups of commodities	2013 ^e	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e	
	Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
TOTAL	81,660	56,116	- 10.4
230400 Soybean oil cake and other solid residues resulting from the extraction of soy bean oil, whether or not ground in the form of pellets	11,393	10,073	14.8
100590 Corn (maize) , excluding seeds	5,776	2,768	- 50.1
120190 Soya beans, whether or not broken. (excluding seeds)	4,243	3,798	- 1.4
150710 Soybean oil and its fractions not chemically modified, crude, whether or not degummed	4,207	2,862	- 13.4
870421 Motor vehicles, for the transport of goods, with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engine (diesel or semidiesel) gvw not over 5 metric tons	3,743	2,379	- 13.1
710812 Gold unwrought forms	1,994	1,417	- 3.2
270900 Petroleum oils and oils from bituminous minerals crude	1,737	1,345	- 8.1
870323 Motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons with spark-ignition internal combustion reciprocating piston engine, cylinder capacity over 1,500 cc but over 3,000 cc	1,694	898	- 21.6
880240 Airplanes and otherairgraf, of an unladen weight exceeding 15,000 kg	1,296	40	- 94.2
870321 Other vehicles, of a cylinder capacity not exceeding 1,000 cc	1,205	877	- 3.6
382600 Biodiesel and mixtures thereof, not containing or containing less than 70 percent by weight of petroleum oils or oils obtained from bituminous materials	1,166	987	33.2
870322 Other vehicles, with spark-ignition internal combustion reciprocating piston engine of a cylinder capacity exceeding 1,000 cc but not exceeding 1,500 cc	1,112	306	- 65.8
100390 Barley , excluding seeds	975	655	- 25.3
260300 Copper ores and concentrates	954	710	- 1.2
040221 Milk and cream, concretated not sweetened, in powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1,5%	919	611	8.4
271012 Lights oils and preparations	903	641	- 1.8
220421 Wine of fresh grapes excluding grape of heading 2009 in containers holding 2 liters or less	810	589	1.4
730429 Casing and tubing pipes, seamless, of a kind used in drilling for oil or gas, of iron (except cast iron) or steel, n.e.s.o.i.	800	523	- 0.1
100199 Wheat or meslin (excluding durum wheat and others seeds)	766	546	- 28.7
870840 Gear boxes for motor vehicles	734	515	- 5.9
020130 Meat of bovine animals, fresh or chilled: boneless	706	536	2.8
230990 Other preparations of a kind used in animal feeding	683	306	- 32.6
030617 Shrimps and prawns, (excluding cold-water shrimps and prawns). Frozen	675	527	34.1
870431 Motor vehicles for the transport of goods. Other, with spark-ignition internal combustion piston engine not exceeding 5 metric tons	646	471	3.3

Table 6. (concluded)

Groups of commodities	2013 ^e	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014 ^e		
	Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %	
020712	Meat of fowls of the species Gallus domesticus (the poultry of heading 01.05,).Not cut in pieces, frozen	528	325	- 10.7
100790	Grain sorghum , excluding seeds	517	148	- 69.3
410441	Full grain, unsplit, grain splits tanned or crust hides and skins of bovine or equine animals, without hair on, whether or not split, but not further prepared	505	392	11.7
151211	Sunflower-seed or safflower oil, and fractions thereof, crude, not chemically modified	478	270	- 36.5
300490	Medicaments, in measured doses, etc., (excluding vaccines etc) coated bandages etc., and pharmaceutical goods, n.e.s.o.i.	475	324	- 5.7
200811	Peanuts (ground-nuts)	460	278	- 12.3
080830	Pears, fresh	449	383	- 7.6
870333	Motor cars and other motors vehicles of a cylinder capacity exceeding 2,500 cc	428	341	13.8
330720	Personal deodorants and antiperspirants	368	294	8.2
020230	Meat of bovine animals frozen: boneless	344	287	10.2
760110	Aluminum, not alloyed	344	215	- 12.7
230250	Bran, sharps (middlings) and other residues, whether or not in the form of pellets, derived from of leguminous plants	344	240	- 6.4
110710	Malt,not roasted	331	281	15.5
240120	Tobacco partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	328	207	- 13.3
870210	Motor vehicles for the transport of ten or more persons, including the driver:with compression-igniton	325	194	- 20.4
100510	Corn (maize):seed	313	190	- 30.4
261610	Silver ores and concentrates	312	157	- 30.3
380893	Herbicides, anti-sprouting products and plant-growth regulators	304	204	- 7.4
271112	Propane	299	205	18.0
840820	Compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semidiesel), for the propulsion of vehicles of chapter 87	296	219	- 0.4
870829	Other parts and accessories of bodies (including cabs)	287	131	- 38.3
120242	Ground-nuts, not roasted or otherwise cooked,shelled, whether or not broken (excluding seeds).	260	135	- 27.2
760120	Aluminum alloys	258	174	- 6.3
030799	Other molluscs, including fi ours,meals and pellets,fi t for human consumption	246	162	- 30.2
080550	Lemons (Citrus limon,Citrus limonem) and limes (Citrus aurantifolia,Citrus latifolia)	241	146	- 39.2
100630	Semi-millet or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or gazed	237	174	5.8
Rest		23,249	15,662	- 7.7

Table 7. Imports by main groups of commodities according to the tariff schedule of the Harmonized System

Groups of commodities	2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	
	Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
TOTAL	73,656	50,326	- 10.2
870323 Motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons with spark-ignition internal combustion reciprocating piston engine, cylinder capacity over 1,500 cc but over 3,000 cc	5,069	1,931	- 48.5
271019 Other petroleum products, n.e.s.o.i.	4,639	3,339	- 15.0
271111 Natural gas liquefied	3,590	3,027	2.0
851770 Parts of telephone sets	1,970	1,190	- 18.2
870322 Other vehicles, with spark-ignition internal combustion reciprocating piston engine of a cylinder capacity exceeding 1,000 cc but not exceeding 1,500 cc	1,504	784	- 28.4
271121 Natural gas, gaseous	1,433	939	- 31.9
870829 Other parts and accessories of bodies (including cabs)	1,022	525	- 34.8
870840 Gear boxes for motor vehicles	908	568	- 18.6
852990 Other printed circuit assemblies	834	490	- 23.1
300490 Medicaments, in measured doses, etc., (excluding vaccines etc) coated bandages etc., and pharmaceutical goods, n.e.s.o.i.	819	591	- 5.4
300210 Antisera and other blood obtained by means of biotechnological processes	668	486	- 2.3
293190 Other Dithionites and sulfoxylates	629	505	8.7
870899 Other parts and accessories of the motor vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705	587	355	- 22.9
260112 Iron ores and concentrate, other than roasted iron pyrites, agglomerated	551	432	8.2
870120 Road tractors for semi-trailers	535	233	- 41.5
870422 Motor vehicles for the transport of good, g.v.w. Exceeding 5 metric tons but not exceeding 20 metric tons	506	267	- 30.8
880240 Airplanes and otherairgraf, of an unlanden weight exceeding 15,000 kg	503	713	157.2
851762 Machines for the reception, conversion and transmission or regeneration of voice, images or other data	494	364	0.2
870421 Motor vehicles, for the transport of goods, with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engine (diesel or semidiesel) gvw not over 5 metric tons	490	241	- 29.1
840999 Parts for use with compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines, n.e.s.o.i.	484	348	- 5.5
840734 Spark ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines of a cylinder capacity not over 1,000 cc	441	251	- 25.0
871120 With reciprocating internal combustion piston engine of a cylinder capacity exceeding 50 cc but not exceeding 250 cc	427	229	- 28.0
870850 Drive axles with differential, whether or not provided with other transmission components	397	259	- 14.9
380893 Herbicides, anti-sprouting products and plant-growth regulators	395	344	11.2

Table 7. (concluded)

Groups of commodities		2013*	Accumulated Jan-Sep 2014*	
		Millions of dollars	Millions of dollars	Rate of growth respect to the same period of the previous year %
840820	Compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semidiesel), for the propulsion of vehicles of chapter 87	395	219	- 30.3
847330	Parts and accessories for automatic data processing machines and units thereof magnetic or optical reader, transcribing machines, list n.e.s.o.i.	392	210	- 32.1
271012	Lights oils and preparations	372	411	23.3
271600	Electrical energy	342	289	15.8
870431	Motor vehicles for the transport of goods. Other, with spark-ignition internal combustion piston engine not exceeding 5 metric tons	317	211	- 6.1
854231	Processors and controllers, whether or not combined with memories, converters, logic circuits, amplifiers, clock and timing circuits, or other circuits	297	139	- 41.4
390110	Polythylene having a specific gravity of less than 0,94 in primary forms	283	204	- 9.0
850300	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the machines of heading 8501 or 8502	279	15	- 80.1
841430	Compressors of a kind used in refrigerating equipment (including air conditioning)	279	190	- 10.0
382490	Chemical products and preparations of the chemical or allied industries, n.e.s.o.i.	274	219	7.9
847130	Portable automatic data processing machines, weighing not more than 10 kg. consisting of at least central processing unit, a keyboard and display	271	119	- 42.1
310540	Ammonium hydrogenorthoposphate	268	202	- 4.3
870830	Brakes and servo-brakes; parts thereof	267	166	- 20.4
847170	Storage units	262	144	- 28.6
401120	New pneumatic tires, of rubber of a kind used on buses or trucks	257	160	- 16.6
401110	New pneumatic tires, of rubber, radial	248	142	- 27.2
270900	Petroleum oils and oils from bituminous minerals crude	245	297	76.0
903289	Other instruments and apparatus	240	179	- 2.4
860500	Railway or tramway passenger coaches, not self-propelled: luggage vans, post office coaches and other special purpose railway or coaches, not self-propelled (excluding those of heading 8604)	239	217	52.5
281820	Aluminium oxide, except artificial corundum, n.e.s.o.i.	238	177	3.1
854430	Ignition wiring sets and other wiring sets of a kind used in vehicles, aircraft or ships	236	145	- 18.9
848180	Other appliances: hand operated	232	196	9.4
392690	Other articles of plastics and articles of other materials of headings 3901 to 3914	231	153	- 12.3
260111	Iron ores concentrate, other than roasted iron pyrites, non agglomerated	224	169	3.8
291736	Terephthalic acid and its salts	222	142	- 12.2
870190	Other tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709)	218	64	- 60.5
Rest		37,634	27,143	- 3.7