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OVERSEAS TRADE

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REVIEW OF OVERSEAS TRADE

During the month of February 2013, imports to Barbados were valued at \$260.2 million whilst total exports from Barbados were valued at \$97.0 million. This resulted in a visible trade deficit of \$163.2 million, compared with a visible trade deficit of \$174.4 million for February 2012.

Imports for February 2013 were \$38.7 million less than imports recorded for February 2012, a decline of 12.9%. Total exports also decreased in value by some \$27.5 million, or 22.1% of the February 2012 figure. This was as a result of declines recorded in domestic exports of \$4.6 million, or 8.1%, and in the value of re-exports of \$22.9 million, or 33.8%, in comparison with the corresponding month in 2012.

CARICOM TRADE

During the month of February 2013, imports from CARICOM countries were valued at \$99.0 million whilst total exports to CARICOM countries were valued at \$33.9 million. This resulted in a visible trade deficit of \$65.1 million, compared with a visible trade deficit of \$106.5 million for February 2012.

CARICOM imports for February 2013 were \$29.1 million less than CARICOM imports for February 2012, a decline of 22.7%. Total exports to CARICOM countries for February 2013 increased in value by \$12.3 million, or 56.8%, of the total exports figure for February 2012. This increase in exports came as a result of an increase recorded in domestic exports of \$14.4 million, or 91.3%, while the value of re-exports decreased by \$2.1 million, or 36.5%, in comparison with the corresponding month in 2012.

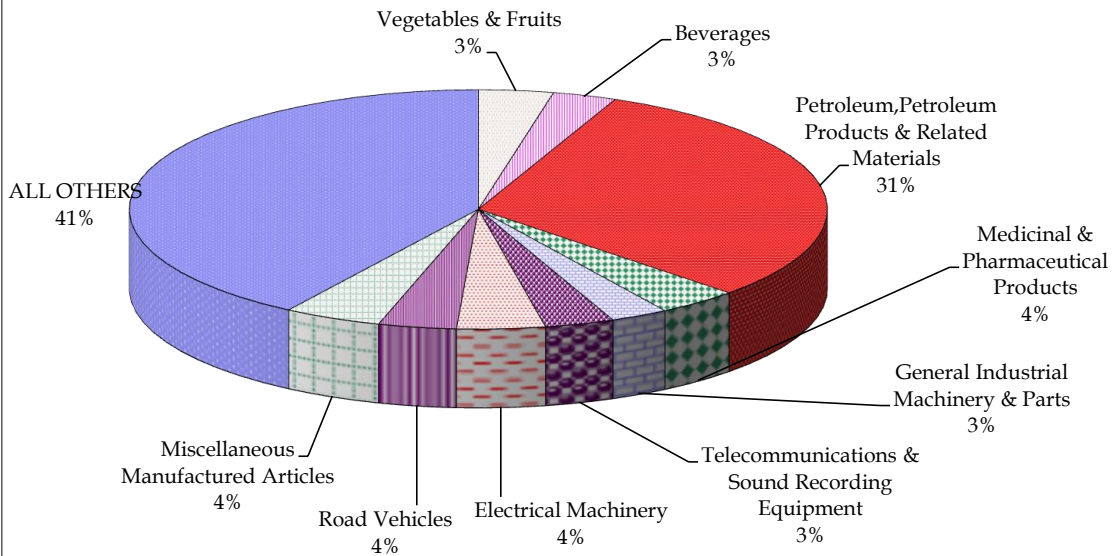
VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

TABLE 1

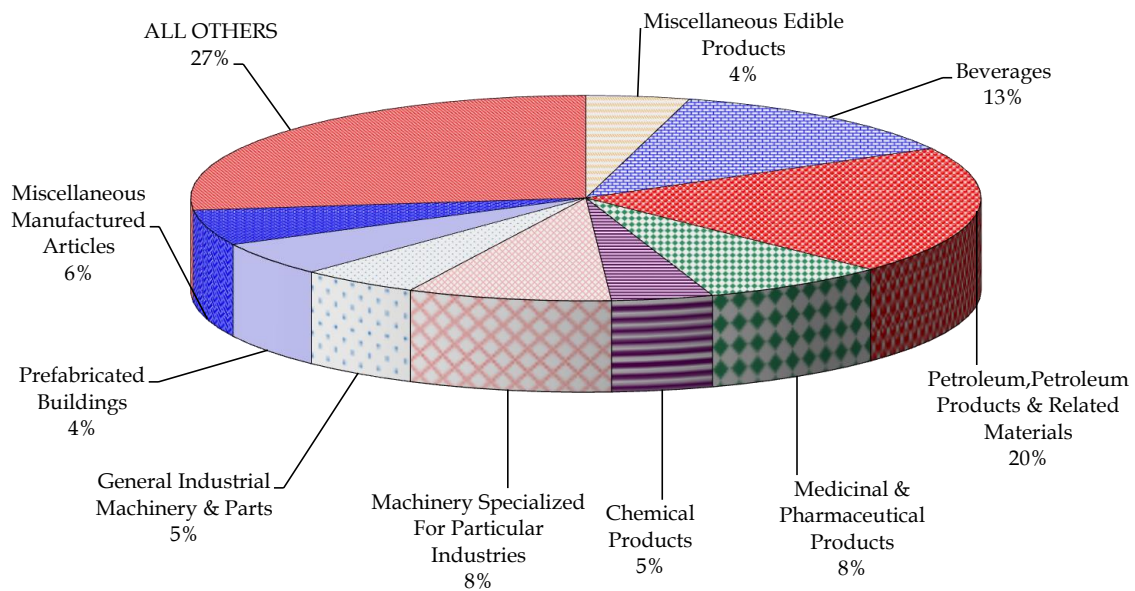
S.I.T.C SECTION		IMPORTS(c.i.f)		EXPORTS(f.o.b)					
				DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
				2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	38,835,005	40,830,324	6,196,377	4,604,458	222,112	667,792	6,418,489	5,272,250
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	9,372,673	8,011,162	6,634,771	10,563,689	648,968	448,812	7,283,739	11,012,501
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	3,992,269	6,081,932	394,967	1,823,589	1,270	34,658	396,237	1,858,247
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	81,610,819	112,065,480	10,530,091	5,954	31,038,917	28,365,554	41,569,008	28,371,508
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	1,338,429	1,183,193	362,198	443,454	341	1,360	362,539	444,814
5	CHEMICALS	24,796,886	25,054,159	6,711,982	22,118,689	7,218,716	4,431,515	13,930,698	26,550,204
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	23,002,409	27,226,936	4,769,045	4,657,620	307,592	266,368	5,076,637	4,923,988
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	45,843,633	48,633,031	8,340,771	4,552,562	246,907	596,359	8,587,678	5,148,921
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	29,573,943	29,102,151	7,714,250	7,483,700	5,291,828	33,090,876	13,006,078	40,574,576
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	1,840,065	698,888	370,981	370,324	-	1,500	370,981	371,824
TOTAL*		260,206,131	298,887,256	52,025,433	56,624,039	44,976,651	67,904,794	97,002,084	124,528,833

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Principal Imports - February 2013



Principal Domestic Exports - February 2013



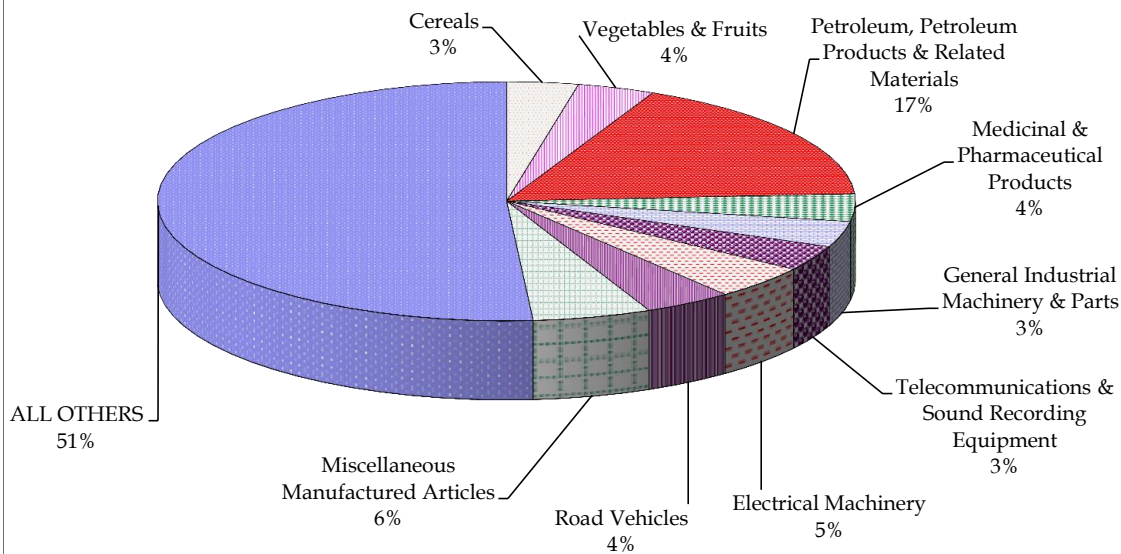
**VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2012**

TABLE 2

S.I.T.C SECTION	IMPORTS(c.i.f)		EXPORTS(f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
			2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012
0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	94,957,770	80,202,307	11,697,115	9,332,070	421,197	864,633	12,118,312	10,196,703
1 BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	15,646,560	13,549,595	15,995,759	19,330,225	1,428,604	4,931,965	17,424,363	24,262,190
2 CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	12,185,584	8,616,344	1,097,010	2,099,901	9,827	61,410	1,106,837	2,161,311
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS*	85,349,508	189,573,995	10,534,887	9,518,286	31,038,942	62,055,924	41,573,829	71,574,210
4 ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	3,185,541	2,816,413	618,093	949,797	2,663	1,415	620,756	951,212
5 CHEMICALS	48,281,969	50,672,078	13,216,411	33,265,391	11,719,656	9,901,928	24,936,067	43,167,319
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	53,221,675	56,719,375	10,582,552	10,109,131	664,474	474,791	11,247,026	10,583,922
7 MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	99,202,819	91,967,753	10,012,191	6,679,213	298,748	870,360	10,310,939	7,549,573
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	64,169,344	59,093,108	13,928,420	11,416,783	10,697,512	37,772,158	24,625,932	49,188,941
9 MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	3,361,549	2,098,114	1,157,924	766,044	-	1,750	1,157,924	767,794
TOTAL*	479,562,319	555,309,082	88,840,362	103,466,841	56,281,623	116,936,334	145,121,985	220,403,175

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Principal Imports January - February 2013



Principal Domestic Exports January - February 2013

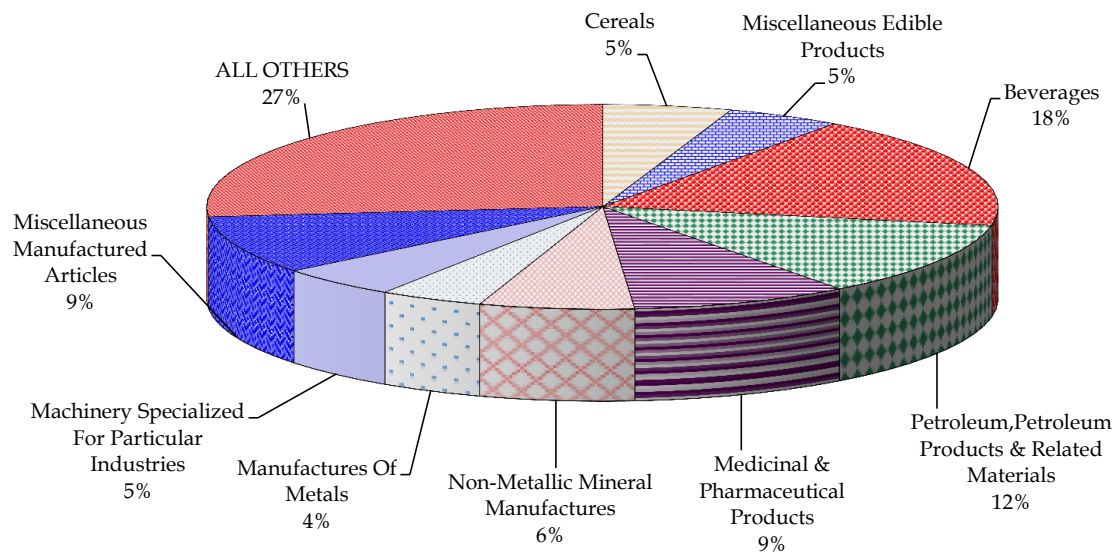


TABLE 3

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY MAJOR COUNTRIES AND GROUP
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

(BDS \$)

COUNTRY	IMPORTS (c.i.f)		EXPORTS (f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012
UNITED KINGDOM	8,230,036	9,940,109	916,126	4,027,395	119,508	95,656	1,035,634	4,123,051
CANADA	7,302,175	7,200,371	2,774,601	1,585,879	210,606	16,145	2,985,207	1,602,024
UNITED STATES	84,277,997	88,643,990	12,353,363	23,601,085	8,111,321	30,932,153	20,464,684	54,533,238
CARICOM *	99,015,855	128,085,915	30,168,660	15,770,986	3,700,108	5,824,237	33,868,768	21,595,223
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	3,083,161	2,722,305	9,863,675	6,440,866	2,114,692	2,723,087	11,978,367	9,163,953
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	273,983	7,490	1,228,344	1,393,165	904,643	551,553	2,132,987	1,944,718
PUERTO RICO	996,697	1,494,740	19,225	25,252	19,468	2,384	38,693	27,636
VENEZUELA	35,024	23,218	32,528	-	112	403	32,640	403
JAPAN	4,914,004	7,924,189	1,350	200	-	-	1,350	200
GERMANY	2,870,953	2,235,890	170,092	346,002	-	7,452	170,092	353,454
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	52,286,881	53,330,183	4,361,144	9,874,075	873,200	3,146,506	5,234,344	13,020,581
STORES/BUNKERS *	2,526	1,161	-	-	31,037,685	27,328,305	31,037,685	27,328,305
TOTAL *	260,206,131	298,887,256	52,025,433	56,624,039	44,976,651	67,904,794	97,002,084	124,528,833

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**MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012**

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2013	2012
TRINIDAD & TOB.	022	Milk And Cream	534,469	468,078
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,102,013	1,136,926
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	1,096,898	912,940
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	1,392,709	356,739
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	1,237,350	917,125
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	72,177,767	82,817,713
	344	Petrol Gases	1,189,713	1,593,242
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	685,297	918,428
	642	Articles Of Paper	936,105	920,809
	676	Iron And Steel Bars, Rods	1,481,033	327,091
UNITED STATES	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	2,160,535	1,764,088
	098	Edible Products	3,267,939	3,099,489
	248	Wood Simply Worked	1,915,054	2,108,981
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	2,351,117	2,472,571
	642	Articles Of Paper	1,755,087	1,638,078
	752	Data Processing Machines	2,360,416	1,993,697
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	5,638,360	1,564,812
	773	Electric Dist Equipment	2,827,395	2,051,356
	872	Medical Appliances	1,774,433	621,908
	893	Articles Of Plastic	2,352,825	2,153,709
CHINA, PEO.REP.	625	Rubber Tyres,Cases	362,290	694,730
	684	Aluminium	469,163	7,947
	752	Data Processing Machines	823,405	1,103,089
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	562,055	253,332
	821	Furniture And Parts	515,208	234,274
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	644,136	226,674
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	432,323	302,367
	845	Articles Of Apparel	273,139	231,140
	851	Footwear	698,866	493,988
	897	Jewellery	1,112,379	909,583
UNITED KINGDOM	022	Milk And Cream	192,896	61,882
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	212,375	320,308
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	509,458	635,005
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	500,651	593,724
	666	Pottery	194,454	9,982
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	430,651	204,848
	776	Valves Tubes Diodes	308,330	168
	781	Motor Cars	298,554	391,417
	892	Printed Matter	319,957	719,163
	893	Articles Of Plastic	241,232	262,171
CANADA	012	Other Meat Fresh, Chilled	466,617	677,394
	054	Vegetables Fresh/ Chilled,Frozen,Dry	461,715	53,000
	056	Vegetables/Roots Prep., Preserved	453,995	311,688
	098	Edible Products	306,091	278,422
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	352,437	598,257
	752	Data Processing Machines	554,752	134,239
	782	Goods And Special Purpose M.V.	329,640	-
	893	Articles Of Plastic	389,720	432,257
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	276,449	63,932
	961	Coins	794,743	-

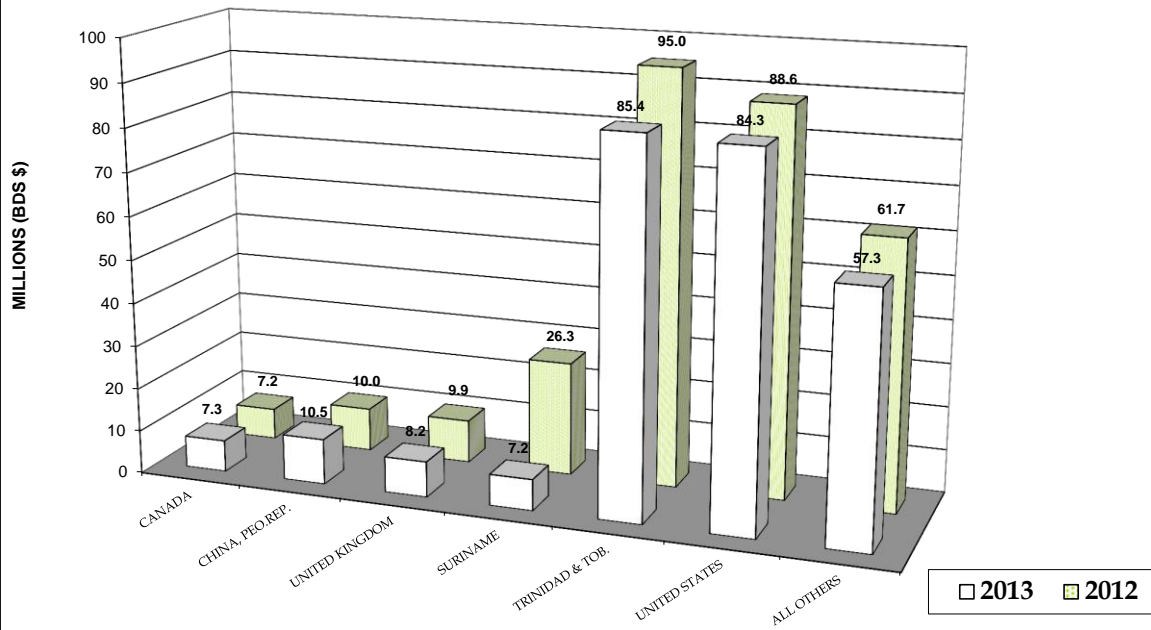
MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2013	2012
TRINIDAD & TOB.	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	116,299	161,581
	091	Margarine And Shortening	556,629	623,427
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	111,626	-
	333	Petroleum Crude	10,529,440	-
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	224,465	101,641
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	321,084	218,018
	692	Metal Containers	624,014	700,046
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	233,298	1,295,370
	741	Heating Cooling Equipment	110,666	-
	892	Printed Matter	197,474	294,743
UNITED STATES	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	573,704	385,365
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	2,684,645	5,613,563
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	4,000,000	-
	744	Mech. Handling Equipment	2,401,926	-
	759	Office Machine Parts	71,946	85,925
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	80,588	1,390,419
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	91,209	80,295
	872	Medical Appliances	1,657,698	240,973
	897	Jewellery	93,665	1,289,550
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	87,762	134,845
ST. LUCIA	017	Meat Prepared	122,245	70,067
	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	262,549	64,972
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	146,750	86,746
	059	Fruit Juices	149,469	125,995
	091	Margarine And Shortening	289,418	305,161
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	120,777	106,511
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	169,623	66,136
	781	Motor Cars	142,000	-
	811	Pre_Fab Buildings	2,747,446	-
	892	Printed Matter	262,386	105,890
GUYANA	017	Meat Prepared	112,258	-
	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	243,873	131,772
	059	Fruit Juices	54,045	104,890
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	56,692	17,200
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	769,233	263,629
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	84,580	2,893
	642	Articles Of Paper	143,438	45,753
	661	Lime, Cement	1,173,637	221,911
	892	Printed Matter	82,561	108,161
	893	Articles Of Plastic	87,549	289,194
CANADA	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	7,650	5,500
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	1,896,842	1,385,166
	291	Crude Animal Materials	34,328	24,048
	292	Crude Vegetable Materials	4,881	5,335
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	170,016	-
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	6,602	1,958
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	605,695	2,000
	821	Furniture And Parts	7,500	-
	872	Medical Appliances	6,820	-
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	24,100	29,575

MAIN RE- EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2013	2012
SHIPS STORES	334	Petroleum Products Refined	31,037,685	27,328,305
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	86,812	61,045
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	3,347,279	96,863
	831	Travel Goods,Handbags	231,784	23,006
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	222,218	50,319
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	96,910	144,720
	845	Articles Of Apparel	169,403	241,202
	851	Footwear	275,547	60,671
	884	Optical Cord	223,413	33,588
	885	Watches And Clocks	2,393,497	8,318,398
UNITED STATES	897	Jewellery	696,125	21,239,501
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	42,081	435
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	1,232	-
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	977,211	1,589,553
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	16,644	17,934
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	1,119	-
	575	Other Plastics Primary	20,890	-
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	1,440	-
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	44	-
	898	Musical Instruments	1,309	111
TRINIDAD & TOB.	054	Vegetables Fresh/ Chilled,Frozen,Dry	34,684	249
	098	Edible Products	33,071	5,461
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	65,896	64,534
	541	Medicinal Pharmacy Products	18,553	33,927
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	265,039	173,127
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	22,833	1,044
	665	Glassware	90,812	-
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	57,019	3,364
	872	Medical Appliances	19,010	7,583
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	19,073	22,281
ST. LUCIA	112	Alcoholic Beverages	15,299	2,808
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	568,906	298,224
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MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - IMPORTS
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012



MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - DOMESTIC EXPORTS
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

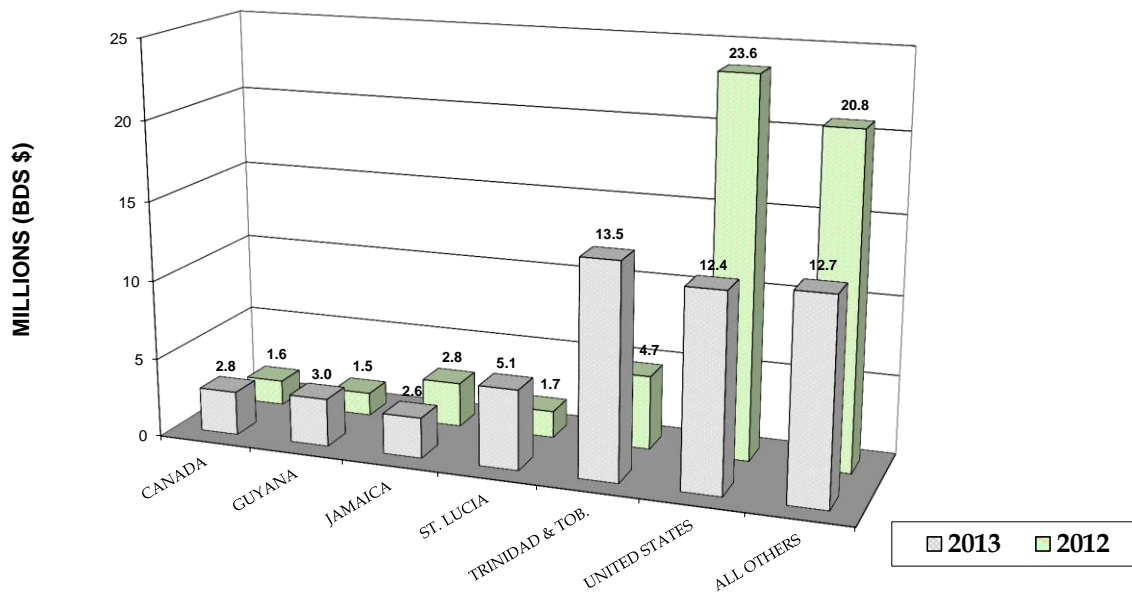


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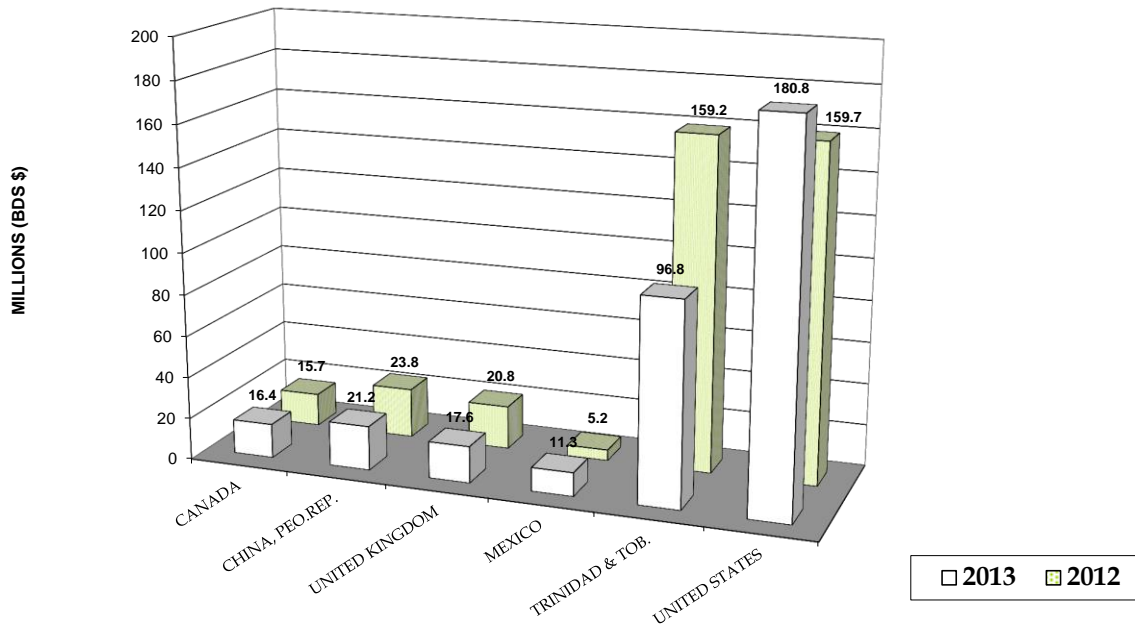
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UNITED KINGDOM	17,559,531	20,799,936	3,054,500	6,892,102	265,118	2,613,462	3,319,618	9,505,564
CANADA	16,372,888	15,712,406	4,626,022	3,869,697	479,287	73,957	5,105,309	3,943,654
UNITED STATES	180,833,079	159,709,458	20,400,994	29,908,813	13,161,011	38,643,107	33,562,005	68,551,920
CARICOM *	117,388,278	220,937,805	48,533,842	41,414,543	8,485,863	8,695,301	57,019,705	50,109,844
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	5,088,644	4,698,453	18,742,250	13,333,077	4,111,121	4,010,901	22,853,371	17,343,978
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	304,021	12,307	2,430,106	2,227,557	1,250,081	994,033	3,680,187	3,221,590
PUERTO RICO	3,238,238	3,013,139	72,469	193,363	32,219	78,281	104,688	271,644
VENEZUELA	39,090	23,296	67,881	46,478	112	403	67,993	46,881
JAPAN	10,895,836	12,885,235	2,450	200	-	1,675	2,450	1,875
GERMANY	5,864,573	4,996,059	193,019	741,520	3,084	7,491	196,103	749,011
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	127,064,259	117,216,697	9,459,079	18,172,568	1,567,163	4,809,949	11,026,242	22,982,517
STORES/BUNKERS *	2,526	2,744	-	-	31,037,685	61,018,675	31,037,685	61,018,675
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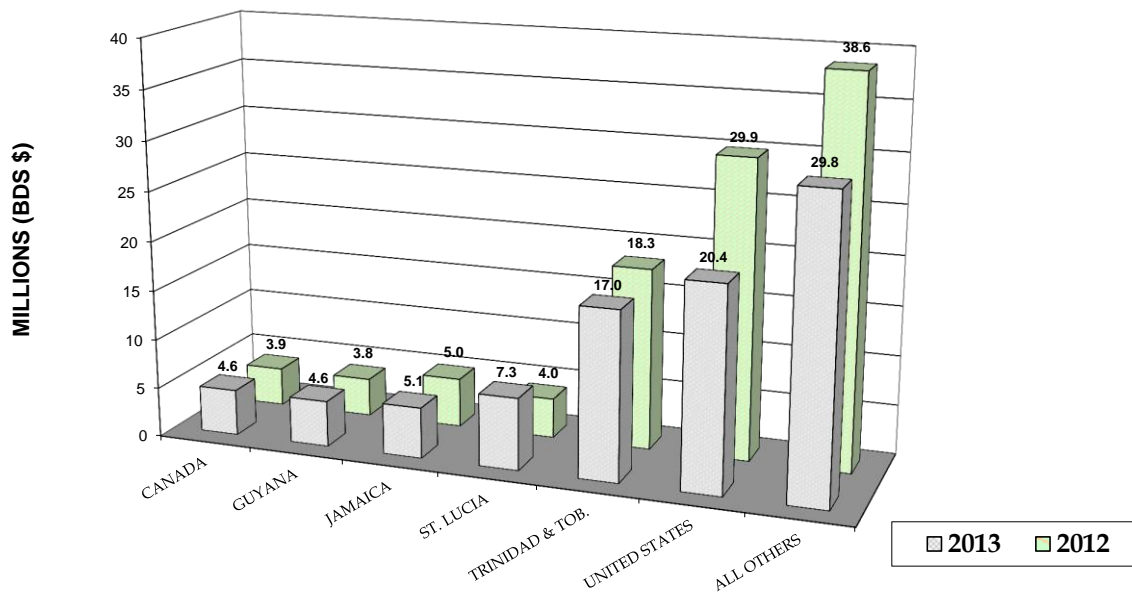
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MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - IMPORTS
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012



MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012



**VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012**

TABLE 5

(BDS \$)

S.I.T.C SECTION	IMPORTS(c.i.f)		EXPORTS(f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
			2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012
0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	6,671,459	6,996,108	4,814,490	3,662,167	218,585	244,364	5,033,075	3,906,531
1 BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	5,137,438	3,844,151	572,735	345,381	156,870	155,476	729,605	500,857
2 CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	671,663	534,486	112,576	159,227	1,078	6,298	113,654	165,525
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	79,464,995	110,069,563	10,530,088	5,822	1,232	1,037,191	10,531,320	1,043,013
4 ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	3,724	3,337	360,129	443,454	-	90	360,129	443,544
5 CHEMICALS	1,697,251	2,273,155	4,513,915	3,939,048	2,619,555	3,478,737	7,133,470	7,417,785
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	3,429,398	2,118,903	4,177,549	3,541,900	271,068	234,788	4,448,617	3,776,688
7 MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	198,153	656,391	695,481	1,528,381	62,651	95,812	758,132	1,624,193
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	1,636,292	1,561,063	4,334,410	2,097,482	369,069	569,981	4,703,479	2,667,463
9 MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	105,482	28,758	57,287	48,124	-	1,500	57,287	49,624
TOTAL *	99,015,855	128,085,915	30,168,660	15,770,986	3,700,108	5,824,237	33,868,768	21,595,223

* Provisional data for Caricom 2006. All petroleum import and export figures are not yet available.

**VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2012**

TABLE 6

S.I.T.C SECTION	IMPORTS(c.i.f)		EXPORTS(f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
			2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012
0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	14,534,063	14,205,280	9,558,021	7,474,817	355,088	364,180	9,913,109	7,838,997
1 BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	7,268,773	5,786,766	1,216,174	660,195	255,584	228,733	1,471,758	888,928
2 CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	1,888,519	890,951	228,689	262,902	9,561	7,450	238,250	270,352
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	82,067,656	186,396,467	10,534,872	9,516,420	1,257	1,037,191	10,536,129	10,553,611
4 ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	3,943	3,377	614,824	949,797	2,182	90	617,006	949,887
5 CHEMICALS	3,373,188	4,027,281	8,834,976	8,624,391	6,542,190	5,749,536	15,377,166	14,373,927
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	4,875,351	5,439,685	9,086,401	8,084,626	557,463	367,610	9,643,864	8,452,236
7 MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	486,114	1,266,288	1,762,278	1,751,982	77,919	119,762	1,840,197	1,871,744
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	2,771,544	2,888,926	6,541,135	3,862,545	684,619	818,999	7,225,754	4,681,544
9 MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	119,127	32,784	156,472	226,868	-	1,750	156,472	228,618
TOTAL *	117,388,278	220,937,805	48,533,842	41,414,543	8,485,863	8,695,301	57,019,705	50,109,844

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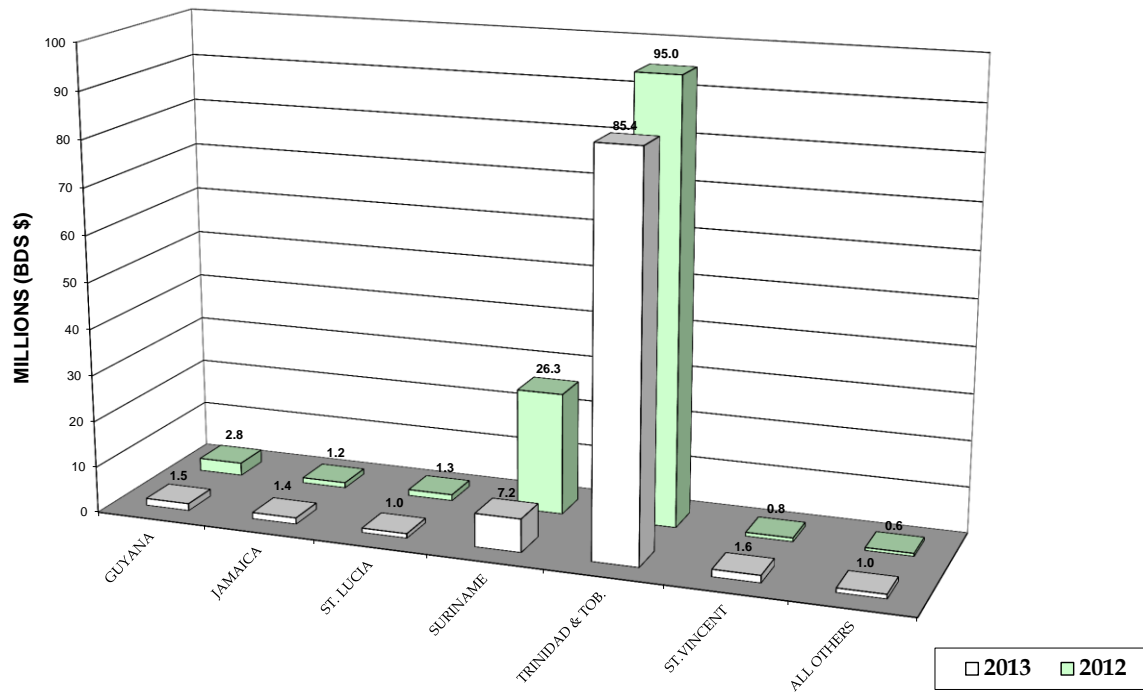
VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

COUNTRY	(BDS \$)							
	IMPORTS (c.i.f)		EXPORTS (f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012
ANTIGUA	40,944	44,472	1,270,133	803,909	219,325	217,666	1,489,458	1,021,575
BELIZE	408,630	32,316	131,461	238,023	26,542	32,007	158,003	270,030
DOMINICA	259,285	191,704	475,858	295,375	289,514	312,370	765,372	607,745
GRENADA	220,924	328,612	778,368	1,190,483	412,876	414,790	1,191,244	1,605,273
GUYANA	1,530,516	2,786,629	3,028,781	1,459,163	68,003	5,154	3,096,784	1,464,317
HAITI	38,971	44,710	93,287	-	14,656	-	107,943	-
JAMAICA	1,361,988	1,150,209	2,560,806	2,812,730	414,245	1,099,043	2,975,051	3,911,773
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	170	1,791	882,075	419,023	196,293	171,886	1,078,368	590,909
ST. LUCIA	972,116	1,324,936	5,054,172	1,692,810	727,689	1,105,709	5,781,861	2,798,519
MONSTERRAT	-	-	21,834	10,308	-	1,336	21,834	11,644
SURINAME	7,192,766	26,315,289	970,249	148,143	-	-	970,249	148,143
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	85,399,823	95,034,457	13,520,401	4,672,061	1,061,970	1,964,946	14,582,371	6,637,007
ST. VINCENT	1,589,722	830,790	1,381,235	2,028,958	268,995	499,330	1,650,230	2,528,288
CARICOM TOTAL *	99,015,855	128,085,915	30,168,660	15,770,986	3,700,108	5,824,237	33,868,768	21,595,223
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	3,083,161	2,722,305	9,863,675	6,440,866	2,114,692	2,723,087	11,978,367	9,163,953

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2. O.C.E.S countries include Antigua, Dominica, Grenada, St.Kitts/Nevis, St.Lucia, Monsterrat and St.Vincent.

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CARICOM DOMESTIC EXPORTS
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

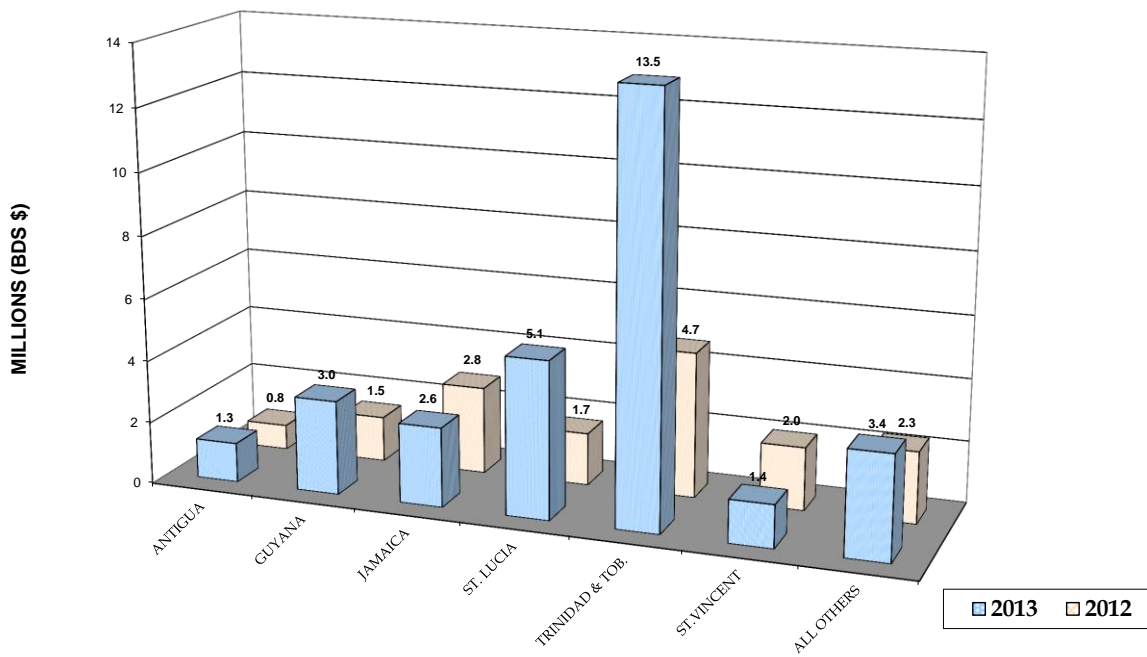


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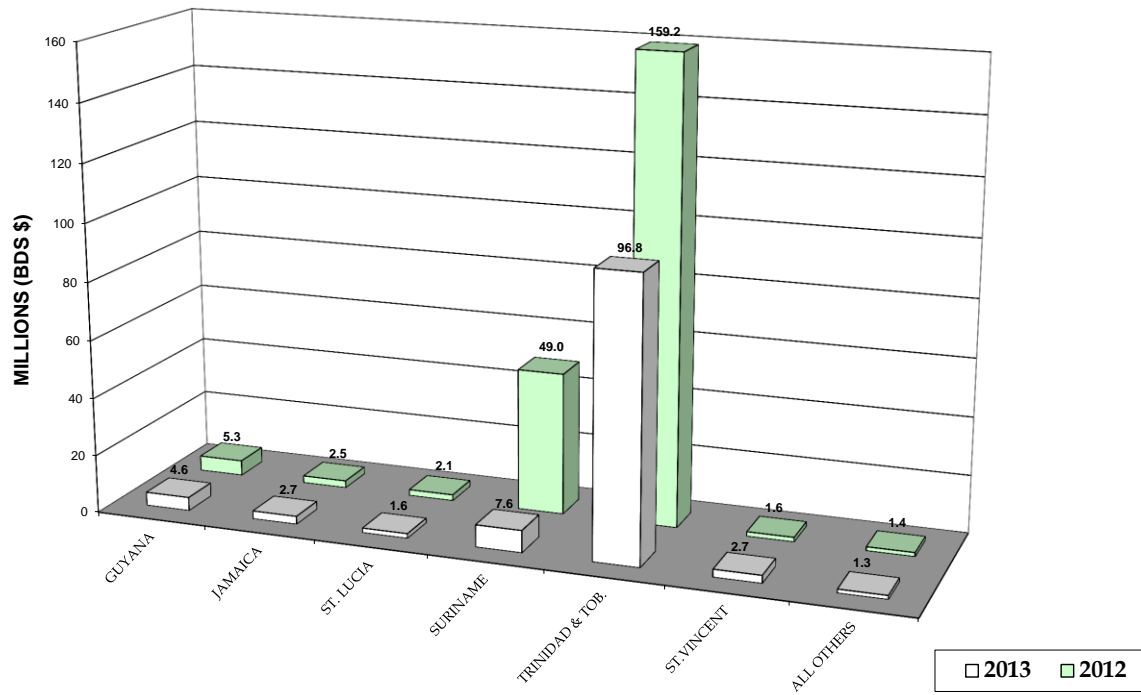
VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2012

COUNTRY	(BDS \$)							
	IMPORTS (c.i.f)		EXPORTS (f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012	2013*	2012
ANTIGUA	49,914	49,961	2,826,624	2,111,802	572,971	368,307	3,399,595	2,480,109
BELIZE	447,825	268,472	255,813	241,707	26,542	56,307	282,355	298,014
DOMINICA	352,414	350,495	1,395,769	831,853	544,800	414,411	1,940,569	1,246,264
GRENADA	396,995	648,250	2,852,997	2,139,820	753,827	939,599	3,606,824	3,079,419
GUYANA	4,640,352	5,255,532	4,619,827	3,844,746	78,836	109,016	4,698,663	3,953,762
HAITI	44,660	45,108	96,384	874	198,680	15,945	295,064	16,819
JAMAICA	2,746,254	2,454,463	5,118,345	4,966,864	1,176,176	1,579,248	6,294,521	6,546,112
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	10,234	7,671	1,269,500	870,073	377,716	215,755	1,647,216	1,085,828
ST. LUCIA	1,594,959	2,067,262	7,262,333	4,017,789	1,239,265	1,278,225	8,501,598	5,296,014
MONSTERRAT	8,660	-	48,772	13,042	4,814	1,336	53,586	14,378
SURINAME	7,627,873	49,032,529	2,723,754	759,369	-	-	2,723,754	759,369
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	96,792,670	159,183,248	16,977,469	18,267,906	2,894,508	2,923,884	19,871,977	21,191,790
ST. VINCENT	2,675,468	1,574,814	3,086,255	3,348,698	617,728	793,268	3,703,983	4,141,966
CARICOM TOTAL *	117,388,278	220,937,805	48,533,842	41,414,543	8,485,863	8,695,301	57,019,705	50,109,844
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	5,088,644	4,698,453	18,742,250	13,333,077	4,111,121	4,010,901	22,853,371	17,343,978

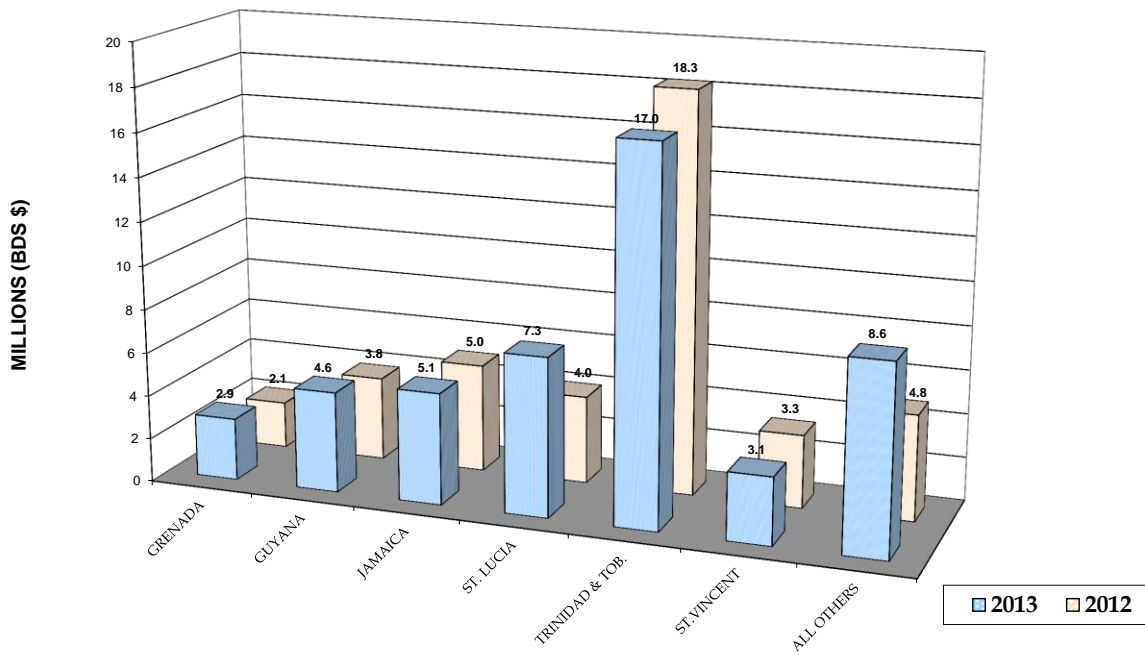
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CARICOM IMPORTS
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CARICOM DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012



**PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012**

SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
		2013	2012
IMPORTS	048 Cereal, Flour, Starch	3,265,680	3,331,378
	098 Edible Products	6,158,383	6,312,490
	112 Alcoholic Beverages	4,924,869	4,442,566
	334 Petroleum Products Refined	79,184,030	109,493,683
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	9,095,123	8,314,590
	642 Articles Of Paper	3,686,218	3,441,843
	752 Data Processing Machines	4,214,292	3,516,918
	764 Telecommunication Equipment	7,308,914	3,151,921
	781 Motor Cars	4,281,532	7,630,197
	893 Articles Of Plastic	4,640,632	4,509,379
DOMESTIC EXPORTS	091 Margarine And Shortening	1,947,031	1,507,664
	112 Alcoholic Beverages	6,408,488	10,394,987
	333 Petroleum Crude	10,529,440	-
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	3,943,808	19,495,596
	661 Lime, Cement	1,915,288	548,251
	723 Contractors Plant Equipment	4,233,298	1,296,330
	744 Mech. Handling Equipment	2,402,797	-
	811 Pre_Fab Buildings	2,747,446	-
	872 Medical Appliances	1,827,394	273,043
RE-EXPORTS	892 Printed Matter	1,563,798	1,694,707
	112 Alcoholic Beverages	370,206	289,214
	122 Tobacco Manufactured	271,502	146,509
	334 Petroleum Products Refined	31,038,917	28,363,034
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	3,521,998	4,008,349
	553 Perfumery, Cosmetics	3,384,403	140,551
	831 Travel Goods, Handbags	289,733	23,593
	851 Footwear	289,870	63,963
	884 Optical Cord	228,416	33,588
	885 Watches And Clocks	2,417,931	10,448,290
	897 Jewellery	800,087	21,278,598

**SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS
FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012**

TABLE 9

(BDS \$)					
COMMODITY	SITC CODE				
		<u>2013</u>	%	<u>2012</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	319,454	0.6	50	0.0
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	1,947,031	3.7	1,507,664	2.7
RUM	112.441/449	5,449,877	10.5	10,044,240	17.7
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	1,328,602	2.6	990,208	1.7
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	3,950,337	7.6	19,517,443	34.5
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	110,429	0.2	109,837	0.2
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	1,175,511	2.3	1,044,458	1.8
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	341,013	0.7	333,096	0.6
CEMENT	661.222	1,915,029	3.7	547,687	1.0
METAL CONTAINERS	692	1,236,678	2.4	1,706,066	3.0
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	37,476	0.1	299,662	0.5
CLOTHING	841-848	98,936	0.2	111,568	0.2
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		17,910,373	34.4	36,211,979	64.0
ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS	771.21,776.1-3,81 772.31-33,35,38,41 44-46,49,51-56,59 778.6,72-74,79,849 841,759.95	119,290	0.2	1,757,678	3.1
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		33,995,770	65.3	18,654,382	32.9
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		52,025,433	100.0	56,624,039	100.0

*NOTE: Electronic Components includes printed
circuits for motor vehicles*

**SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2012**

TABLE 10

COMMODITY	SITC CODE	JANUARY -			
		<u>2013</u>	%	<u>2012</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	319,454	0.4	1,790	0.0
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	3,840,487	4.3	3,028,103	2.9
RUM	112.441/449	14,093,813	15.9	18,157,851	17.5
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	1,913,696	2.2	1,903,382	1.8
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	7,902,884	8.9	27,549,433	26.6
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	205,095	0.2	281,706	0.3
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	2,487,527	2.8	2,438,088	2.4
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	630,834	0.7	670,929	0.6
CEMENT	661.222	5,141,428	5.8	2,001,783	1.9
METAL CONTAINERS	692	2,358,600	2.7	3,613,329	3.5
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	88,871	0.1	303,625	0.3
CLOTHING	841-848	142,052	0.2	133,789	0.1
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		39,124,741	44.0	60,083,808	58.1
ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS	771.21,776.1-3,81 772.31-33,35,38,41 44-46,49,51-56,59 778.6,72-74,79,849 841,759.95	227,086	0.3	2,895,547	2.8
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		49,488,535	55.7	40,487,486	39.1
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		88,840,362	100.0	103,466,841	100.0

NOTE: Electronic Components includes printed circuits for motor vehicles

MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2012

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2013	2012
TRINIDAD & TOB.	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,843,179	2,077,640
	098	Edible Products	1,591,926	1,464,972
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	1,909,422	1,542,998
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	1,782,509	668,738
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	1,237,350	1,351,185
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	73,109,880	134,543,858
	344	Petrol Gases	2,524,288	4,256,753
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	1,533,619	1,508,394
	642	Articles Of Paper	1,872,322	1,450,805
	676	Iron And Steel Bars, Rods	1,481,033	2,390,728
UNITED STATES	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	4,243,741	3,501,235
	098	Edible Products	6,476,097	5,475,619
	222	Oil Seeds For Soft Veg. Oil	4,596,007	2,589,493
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	4,534,126	4,192,579
	642	Articles Of Paper	4,016,575	3,290,571
	752	Data Processing Machines	4,833,168	3,941,456
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	8,017,222	3,039,107
	773	Electric Dist Equipment	6,276,825	3,116,136
	821	Furniture And Parts	3,772,930	2,830,657
	893	Articles Of Plastic	4,650,715	4,507,949
CHINA, PEO.REP.	625	Rubber Tyres,Cases	973,332	1,079,193
	684	Aluminium	703,293	30,592
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	552,947	483,614
	752	Data Processing Machines	1,760,226	1,885,865
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	1,041,138	3,974,504
	821	Furniture And Parts	962,686	579,150
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	806,762	325,694
	851	Footwear	1,149,271	903,686
	893	Articles Of Plastic	743,981	562,972
	897	Jewellery	1,550,797	1,666,864
UNITED KINGDOM	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	1,216,348	1,210,504
	073	Chocolate And Preparations Of Cocoa	741,062	684,720
	098	Edible Products	649,289	816,392
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	515,352	334,831
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	805,884	1,143,832
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	615,197	497,363
	716	Rotating Electric Plant	503,760	95,427
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	568,623	398,333
	781	Motor Cars	603,326	895,748
	892	Printed Matter	554,485	1,068,893
CANADA	012	Other Meat Fresh, Chilled	962,065	1,148,230
	054	Vegetables Fresh/Chilled,Frozen,Dry	817,999	68,599
	056	Vegetables/Roots Prep., Preserved	912,561	921,897
	098	Edible Products	550,804	443,482
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	852,683	1,906,869
	621	Materials Of Rubber	660,517	11,521
	752	Data Processing Machines	602,378	151,051
	872	Medical Appliances	867,060	767,125
	893	Articles Of Plastic	984,732	855,552
	961	Coins	794,743	341,202

MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2012

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2013	2012
TRINIDAD & TOB.	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	283,724	274,735
	091	Margarine And Shortening	1,680,437	1,195,456
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	220,836	13,850
	333	Petroleum Crude	10,529,440	9,510,598
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	827,703	855,123
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	404,800	203,023
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	421,661	872,012
	692	Metal Containers	1,064,697	1,515,530
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	233,298	1,295,370
	892	Printed Matter	387,048	487,900
UNITED STATES	034	Fish Fresh, Chilled, Frozen	167,201	137,585
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	937,361	665,483
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	7,292,584	8,836,153
	282	Ferrous Waste And Scrap	353,200	245,000
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	181,997	325,337
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	4,002,688	-
	744	Mech. Handling Equipment	2,401,926	-
	759	Office Machine Parts	211,241	147,285
	872	Medical Appliances	1,797,088	263,003
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	1,262,162	1,574,074
ST. LUCIA	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	816,810	129,473
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	298,306	190,647
	091	Margarine And Shortening	408,923	622,994
	421	Fixed Vegetable Oils And Fat, Soft	224,359	187,985
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	192,437	274,323
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	326,793	285,568
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	304,146	146,300
	661	Lime, Cement	197,440	213,874
	811	Pre_Fab Buildings	2,762,616	-
	892	Printed Matter	341,194	214,316
GUYANA	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	522,585	131,772
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	170,081	146,301
	091	Margarine And Shortening	169,360	110,810
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	136,080	94,606
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	886,575	623,158
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	135,403	31,231
	642	Articles Of Paper	163,033	154,207
	661	Lime, Cement	1,186,165	976,475
	892	Printed Matter	384,543	385,143
	893	Articles Of Plastic	266,874	388,195
CANADA	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	35,993	36,475
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	3,562,165	3,398,590
	291	Crude Animal Materials	63,047	49,563
	292	Crude Vegetable Materials	12,318	12,535
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	170,016	-
	695	Hand Or Machine Tools	25,543	20,538
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	605,695	2,000
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	73,383	178,146
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	10,470	14,340
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	25,350	88,600

**MAIN RE- EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2012**

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2013	2012
SHIPS STORES	334	Petroleum Products Refined	31,037,685	61,018,675
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	236,951	3,710,817
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	3,347,526	427,771
	831	Travel Goods,Handbags	329,856	63,644
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	297,420	108,915
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	444,222	220,678
	845	Articles Of Apparel	270,799	326,765
	851	Footwear	486,259	72,693
	884	Optical Cord	265,759	126,668
	885	Watches And Clocks	4,770,258	9,138,730
UNITED STATES	897	Jewellery	1,970,093	22,871,015
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	42,081	1,195
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	1,232	-
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,712,654	2,403,026
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	16,644	17,934
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	1,119	-
	575	Other Plastics Primary	20,890	-
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	2,259	862
	872	Medical Appliances	94,128	400,496
	892	Printed Matter	528	-
TRINIDAD & TOB.	898	Musical Instruments	2,527	899
	054	Vegetables Fresh/ Chilled,Frozen,Dry	36,076	6,038
	098	Edible Products	34,465	6,622
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	74,293	70,594
	541	Medicinal Pharmacy Products	26,111	35,941
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	556,829	212,386
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	33,281	4,205
	641	Paper And Paper Products	34,316	24,085
	665	Glassware	152,366	-
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	57,019	3,364
ST. LUCIA	872	Medical Appliances	22,818	10,263

PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM
JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2013 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2012

	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2013	2012
IMPORTS	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	8,532,073	4,413,079
	098	Edible Products	13,503,233	11,882,435
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	8,335,008	7,231,432
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	81,091,721	184,013,491
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	16,708,576	17,964,200
	642	Articles Of Paper	7,865,574	6,526,794
	752	Data Processing Machines	8,093,760	6,877,717
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	12,592,147	8,908,250
	781	Motor Cars	8,972,377	11,676,540
	893	Articles Of Plastic	10,014,958	9,251,608
DOMESTIC EXPORTS	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	3,119,549	2,942,248
	091	Margarine And Shortening	3,840,487	3,028,103
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	15,550,299	19,047,682
	333	Petroleum Crude	10,529,440	9,510,598
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	7,866,087	27,488,985
	661	Lime, Cement	5,144,148	2,002,347
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	4,236,386	1,296,330
	811	Pre_Fab Buildings	2,762,616	-
	892	Printed Matter	3,347,070	3,798,110
RE-EXPORTS	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	3,763,788	4,288,626
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	807,395	4,199,003
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	613,712	712,949
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	31,038,917	62,053,404
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	7,695,881	8,952,971
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	3,419,089	494,913
	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	500,821	64,431
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	489,871	231,560
	851	Footwear	534,074	81,817
	885	Watches And Clocks	4,809,376	11,543,021
	897	Jewellery	2,169,584	23,790,691

