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#### **REVIEW OF OVERSEAS TRADE**

During the month of October 2014, total imports to Barbados were valued at \$335.7 million, whilst total exports from Barbados were valued at \$83.8 million. This resulted in a visible trade deficit of \$251.9 million, as compared with a visible trade deficit of \$238.9 for October 2013.

Imports for October 2014 were \$10.8 million more than imports for October 2013, an increase of 3.3%. Total exports decreased by \$2.8 million or 3.2% of the October 2013 figure. Domestic exports increased by \$1.9 million or 3.3% over October 2013, while the value of re-exports increased by \$2.8 million or 3.2% over the corresponding period 2013.

For the period January – October 2014, the value of imports to Barbados was \$2.9 billion, whilst the value of total exports was \$760.4 million representing an accumulated visible trade deficit of \$2.16 billion as compared to a similar deficit of \$2.12 billion for January – October 2013.

Imports for January – October 2014 were \$30.0 million more than imports for the same period 2013, an increase of 1.0% Total exports showed a decrease of some \$15.4 million or 2.0% over the January - October 2013 figure. Domestic exports increased by \$2.0 million or 0.4% over January – October 2013. The value of re-exports decreased by \$17.4 million or 5.5% over the corresponding period 2013.

#### **CARICOM TRADE**

During the month of October 2014, total imports from CARICOM countries were valued at \$57.1 million, whilst total exports to CARICOM were valued at \$30.0 million, resulting in a trade deficit of \$27.1 million as compared with a visible trade deficit of \$75.6 million for October 2013.

Total CARICOM imports for October 2014 were \$43.7 million less than CARICOM imports for October 2013, a decrease of 43.4%. Total exports to CARICOM for October 2014 were \$4.8 million more than total exports for October 2013, an increase of 18.9%. Domestic exports increased by \$5.1 million or 24.3% over October 2013. The value of reexports declined by some \$0.3 million, or 7.4%, over the October 2013 figure.

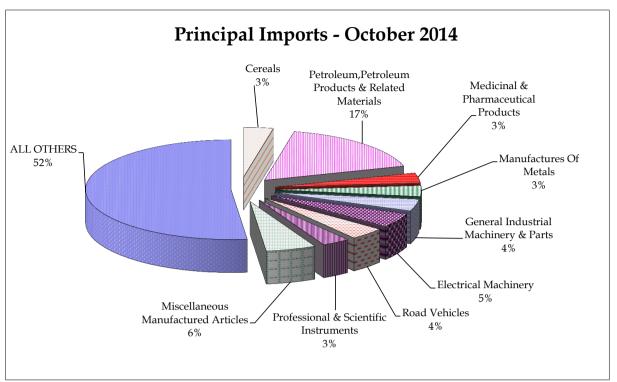
For the period January – October 2014, total imports from CARICOM were valued at \$869.0 million, whilst total exports were \$267.4 million resulting in an accumulated visible trade deficit of \$601.6 million as compared with a deficit of \$705.0 million for the same period of 2013.

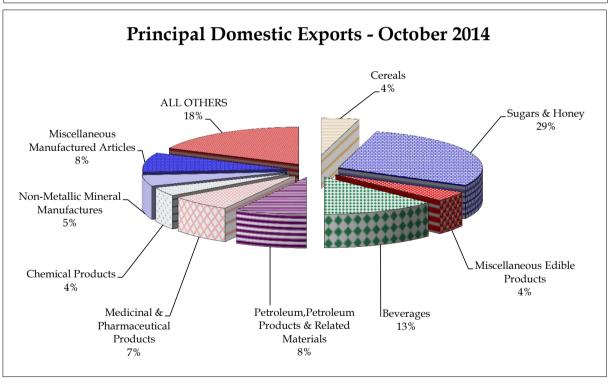
During this period, CARICOM imports were approximately \$116.1 million less than those over the same period in 2013, a decrease of 11.8%. Total exports to CARICOM for January – October 2014 were \$12.6 million less than total exports for the corresponding period 2013, a decrease of 4.5%. Domestic exports decreased by approximately \$6.9 million or 2.9% over the same period 2013. The value of re-exports decreased by \$5.7 million or 13.0% over the January – October 2013 figure.

### VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

TABLE 1

	S.I.T.C	IMPORT	S(c.i.f)			EXPO	RTS(f.o.b)		(600 \$)
	SECTION			DOMI	ESTIC	RE-EXF	PORTS	ТО	TAL
		<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	54,226,976	43,311,437	24,180,684	20,906,283	94,967	157,863	24,275,651	21,064,146
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	11,446,100	10,770,933	7,718,307	9,799,116	568,549	704,439	8,286,856	10,503,555
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	8,751,687	4,475,932	649,261	2,101,758	9,600	299	658,861	2,102,057
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	57,639,687	80,439,595	4,858,945	2,817	6,036,392	14,505,621	10,895,337	14,508,438
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	1,912,164	2,405,285	519,160	453,067	615	-	519,775	453,067
5	CHEMICALS	33,965,698	37,457,450	7,844,941	7,519,846	3,667,370	5,477,749	11,512,311	12,997,595
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	42,248,398	39,815,657	5,717,214	6,652,385	877,906	522,673	6,595,120	7,175,058
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	69,793,189	61,472,716	2,985,881	2,363,289	247,858	190,888	3,233,739	2,554,177
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	54,063,431	43,163,440	5,289,773	8,140,823	12,193,182	6,850,288	17,482,955	14,991,111
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	1,636,411	1,562,744	313,906	196,824	5,100	6,250	319,006	203,074
	TOTAL*	335,683,741	324,875,189	60,078,072	58,136,208	23,701,539	28,416,070	83,779,611	86,552,278

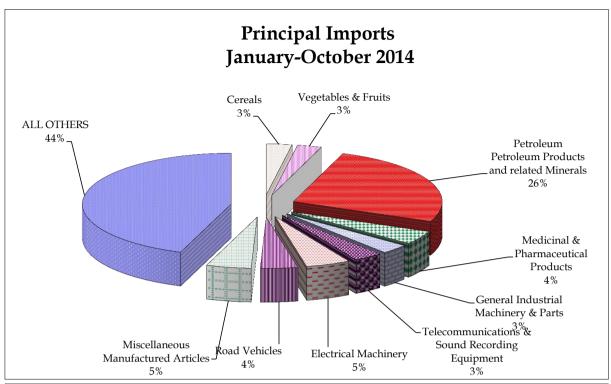




#### VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

TABLE 2

	S.I.T.C	IMPORTS	(c.i.f)	EXPORTS(f.o.b)							
	SECTION			DOME	STIC	RE-EXPO	ORTS	TC	TAL		
		<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>		
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	455,272,361	445,942,631	79,941,858	70,368,655	1,166,255	1,596,271	81,108,113	71,964,926		
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	76,579,534	88,958,066	77,941,080	87,839,998	6,697,352	6,578,472	84,638,432	94,418,470		
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	63,821,112	62,246,886	10,566,600	9,831,001	844,695	101,047	11,411,295	9,932,048		
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS*	773,680,958	807,912,972	29,516,974	48,615,693	184,679,513	200,819,677	214,196,487	249,435,370		
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	17,436,074	15,912,976	3,724,654	4,241,202	7,400	9,552	3,732,054	4,250,754		
5	CHEMICALS	311,118,084	289,055,265	73,826,379	68,539,685	38,251,225	49,669,911	112,077,604	118,209,596		
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	317,415,685	314,759,913	61,809,430	61,796,124	5,248,500	3,544,199	67,057,930	65,340,323		
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	556,652,670	521,190,818	41,638,491	27,923,516	5,138,158	10,118,456	46,776,649	38,041,972		
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	340,785,499	333,750,155	72,330,655	71,019,609	60,013,218	47,126,781	132,343,873	118,146,390		
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	10,940,957	13,946,235	6,911,308	5,986,621	117,906	38,351	7,029,214	6,024,972		
	TOTAL*	2,923,702,934	2,893,675,917	458,207,429	456,162,104	302,164,222	319,602,717	760,371,651	775,764,821		



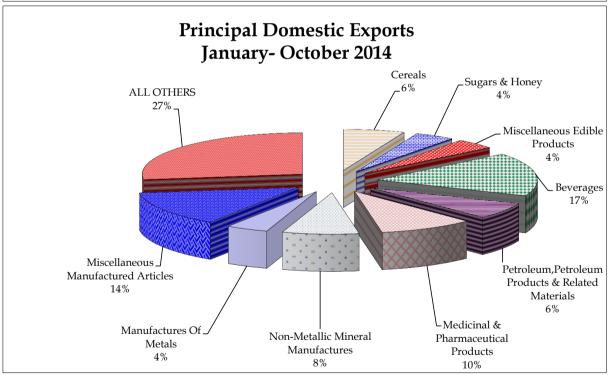


TABLE 3

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY MAJOR COUNTRIES AND GROUP

OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

	IMPORTS	(c.i.f)	EXPORTS (f.o.b)							
COUNTRY			DOMES	STIC	RE-EX	PORTS	TOTAL			
	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>		
UNITED KINGDOM	17,166,320	12,670,612	6,331,458	1,532,075	3,716,140	45,346	10,047,598	1,577,421		
CANADA	7,853,094	7,335,276	1,973,587	1,855,761	35,559	181,525	2,009,146	2,037,286		
UNITED STATES	120,358,287	112,935,380	13,302,051	8,798,701	6,539,267	7,886,204	19,841,318	16,684,905		
CARICOM *	57,084,168	100,800,830	26,056,969	20,959,582	3,961,190	4,276,755	30,018,159	25,236,337		
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	7,830,133	2,701,456	8,698,903	9,256,694	2,093,845	2,060,768	10,792,748	11,317,462		
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	7,205	57,313	997,186	1,020,088	525,029	461,256	1,522,215	1,481,344		
PUERTO RICO	21,453,971	1,585,991	83,097	96,204	13,007	688	96,104	96,892		
VENEZUELA	1,804	2,465	64,178	6,125	-	387	64,178	6,512		
JAPAN	5,966,213	5,500,115	15,050	202	-	136,633	15,050	136,835		
GERMANY	5,250,750	3,922,179	75,020	98,020	1,083	79,007	76,103	177,027		
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	100,541,895	80,065,028	11,179,476	23,769,450	2,873,932	842,792	14,053,408	24,612,242		
STORES/BUNKERS *	-	-	-	-	6,036,332	14,505,477	6,036,332	14,505,477		
TOTAL *	335,683,707	324,875,189	60,078,072	58,136,208	23,701,539	28,416,070	83,779,611	86,552,278		

# MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	В	DS(\$)
			2014	2013
	044	Maize Unmilled	2,434,778	2,170
	098	Edible Products	3,989,785	3,363,116
	222	Oil Seeds For Soft Veg. Oil	3,371,459	80,971
	248	Wood Simply Worked	2,579,065	1,754,981
UNITED STATES	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	3,215,617	3,398,383
	642	Articles Of Paper	2,418,111	1,982,648
	744	Mech. Handling Equipment	3,290,654	505,021
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	3,492,671	4,175,993
	821	Furniture And Parts	3,848,577	2,785,145
	893	Articles Of Plastic	3,292,225	2,739,659
	022	Milk And Cream	616,261	339,745
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,286,409	982,450
	098	Edible Products	1,120,524	1,046,678
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	2,074,073	2,134,111
TRINIDAD & TOB.	122	Tobacco Manufactured	1,035,414	1,091,957
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	29,900,841	66,687,538
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	906,660	588,520
	642	Articles Of Paper	1,356,950	1,132,988
	892	Printed Matter	382,361	167,171
	893	Articles Of Plastic	383,612	341,729
	625	Rubber Tyres, Cases	920,221	926,775
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	1,763,523	1,120,604
	752	Data Processing Machines	1,604,759	1,465,459
	761	Television Receivers	1,256,567	565,087
CHINA, PEO.REP.	764	Telecommunication Equipment	1,573,848	2,722,797
	775	Household Type Equipment	937,162	242,390
	821	Furniture And Parts	857,017	276,426
	851	Footwear	945,438	982,302
	894	Toys Games, Baby Carriages	984,373	743,446
	897	Jewellery	1,391,158	1,101,826
	098	Edible Products	66,053	-
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	19,467,734	-
	516	Other Organic Chemicals	28,244	-
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	238,130	180,307
PUERTO RICO	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	60,907	4,593
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	277,962	193,159
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	158,192	-
	692	Metal Containers	532,320	153,420
	745	Other Non-Electric Machinery	35,644	1,063
	893	Articles Of Plastic	384,217	747,590
	024	Cheese And Curd	571,690	150,057
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	428,472	708,149
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	825,205	860,002
	073	Chocolate And Preparations Of Cocoa	445,097	117,534
UNITED KINGDOM	098	Edible Products	438,700	430,317
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	781,743	515,460
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	581,573	637,449
	781	Motor Cars	441,883	1,137,745
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	5,418,773	45,184
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	610,412	410,524

# MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	ВГ	OS(\$)
			2014	2013
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	603,758	442,978
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	6,694,776	2,100
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	3,110,383	4,547,769
	289	Ores Of Precious Metal	62,915	1,444,440
UNITED STATES	541	Medicinal Pharmacy Products	91,771	646
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	84,278	135,195
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	1,280,259	852,578
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	136,665	400
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	525,154	583,500
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	69,347	7,888
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	259,213	352,687
	091	Margarine And Shortening	1,005,237	1,035,521
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	100,000	112,000
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	551,284	392,683
TRINIDAD & TOB.	333	Petroleum Crude	4,857,970	-
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	407,662	448,470
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	1,004,355	441,219
	692	Metal Containers	956,741	683,772
	892	Printed Matter	88,852	159,210
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	116,646	11,208
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	39,777	98,542
	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	51,030	53,866
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	5,242,550	-
	098	Edible Products	58,421	120
UNITED KINGDOM	112	Alcoholic Beverages	191,359	613,845
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	41,853	155,926
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	447,721	379,108
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	81,581	33,702
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	46,430	122,100
	961	Coins	54,629	-
PORTUGAL	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	5,242,550	14,796,439
	022	Milk And Cream	96,580	-
	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	203,208	203,062
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	98,957	104,041
	059	Fruit Juices	123,675	-
	091	Margarine And Shortening	106,958	104,524
GUYANA	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	128,427	146,196
	582	Plates, Film, Foil Of Plastic	98,144	50,560
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	97,806	-
	661	Lime, Cement	2,439,660	1,979,600
	893	Articles Of Plastic	151,763	316,882

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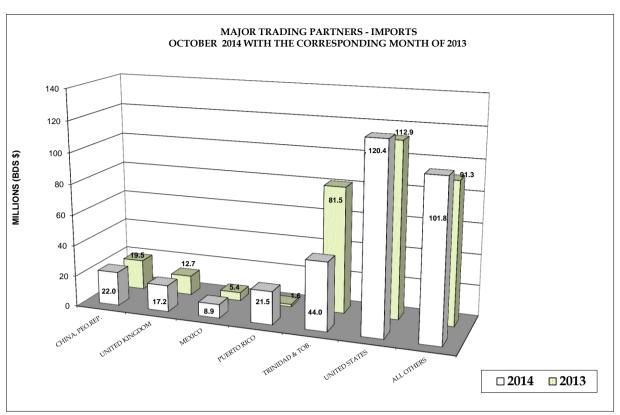
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#### MAIN RE- EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

SITC GROUP

COUNTRY

	112	Alcoholic Beverages	71,202	170,459
	666	Pottery	91,863	2,779
	667	Pearls And Precious Stones	195,102	25,924
	697	Household Equipment Base Metals	68,131	1,008
UNITED STATES	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	78,279	274,529
	845	Articles Of Apparel	96,359	226,648
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	110,091	14,974
	885	Watches And Clocks	1,719,954	1,605,044
	895	Office Supplies	99,769	2,959
	897	Jewellery	3,468,173	1,013,287
SHIPS STORES	334	Petroleum Products Refined	6,036,332	14,505,477
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	42,070	6,616
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	266,105	30,205
	642	Articles Of Paper	2,369	-
	666	Pottery	1,342	-
UNITED KINGDOM	699	Base Metal Manufactures	1,676	-
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	9,147	70
	845	Articles Of Apparel	17,352	222
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	3,352,300	-
	884	Optical Cord	5,795	-
	894	Toys Games, Baby Carriages	12,260	-
	EE2	Perference Connection	24.750	
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	24,750	144 207
	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	1,319,685	144,397
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	79,201	67,107
FRANCE	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	239,560	53,239
	845	Articles Of Apparel	56,667	10,917
	846	Clothing Accessories	62,147	40,447
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	72,116	17,660
	851	Footwear	255,417	48,935
	884	Optical Cord	60,294	10,861
	897	Jewellery	67,210	34,038
	022	Milk And Cream	494	-
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	618	_
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	1,760	_
TRINIDAD &TOBAGO	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	1,127,686	1,160,109
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	4,884	3,142
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	98	-
	775	Household Type Equipment	3,118	_
	872	Medical Appliances	50,484	39,656
	884	Optical Cord	622	
	504	Spacia Cora	022	_



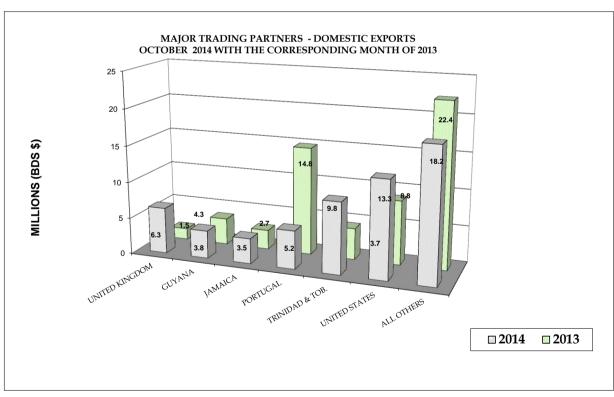
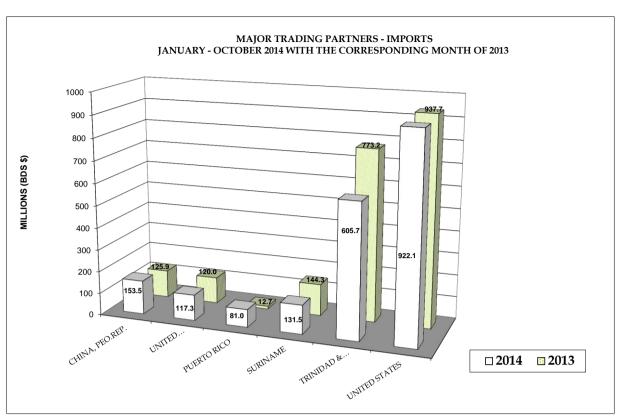
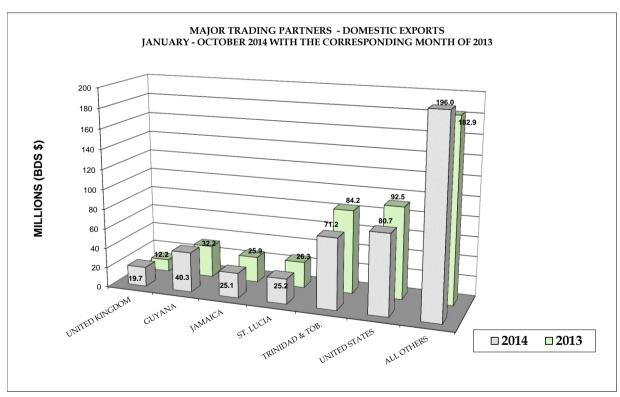


TABLE 4

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY MAJOR COUNTRIES AND GROUP
JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

	IMPORTS	(c.i.f)		( 550 \$)				
COUNTRY			DOMES			PORTS	TOTAL	
	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>
UNITED KINGDOM	117,267,189	119,998,801	19,686,385	12,177,306	5,895,647	2,563,497	25,582,032	14,740,803
CANADA	67,984,352	82,861,030	16,851,803	18,542,168	2,050,475	1,370,724	18,902,278	19,912,892
UNITED STATES	922,075,972	937,677,326	80,711,770	92,506,383	44,654,057	48,125,920	125,365,827	140,632,303
CARICOM *	868,981,408	985,077,027	228,915,746	235,825,515	38,481,934	44,215,849	267,397,680	280,041,364
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	92,920,075	27,666,797	85,199,984	80,141,757	21,848,510	22,420,682	107,048,494	102,562,439
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	288,293	1,021,939	10,386,248	10,566,375	6,188,036	6,026,854	16,574,284	16,593,229
PUERTO RICO	80,997,318	12,724,663	553,894	724,943	569,112	489,857	1,123,006	1,214,800
VENEZUELA	91,238	143,931	334,361	346,709	101,975	3,386	436,336	350,095
JAPAN	54,531,699	56,433,879	79,694	69,978	40,601	153,321	120,295	223,299
GERMANY	40,214,265	37,666,951	1,879,642	1,604,458	68,839	2,523,056	1,948,481	4,127,514
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	771,227,697	660,065,728	98,787,886	83,798,269	19,439,467	13,312,230	118,227,353	97,110,499
STORES/BUNKERS *	553	4,642	-	-	184,674,079	200,818,023	184,674,079	200,818,023
TOTAL *	2,923,659,984	2,893,675,917	458,187,429	456,162,104	302,164,222	319,602,717	760,351,651	775,764,821





### VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

**TABLE 5** 

	S.I.T.C	IMPOR	TS(c.i.f)			EXPO	ORTS(f.o.b)		(BD3 \$)
	SECTION			DOM	ESTIC	RE-EXP	ORTS	TOTA	\L
		<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	9,053,257	7,229,110	6,048,875	5,329,577	81,996	104,107	6,130,871	5,433,684
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	4,328,020	4,992,393	1,201,278	1,044,542	81,769	87,612	1,283,047	1,132,154
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	869,714	816,901	153,486	82,764	4,214	-	157,700	82,764
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	35,516,478	77,605,311	4,858,945	2,813	-	144	4,858,945	2,957
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	11,778	139	519,160	453,067	315	-	519,475	453,067
5	CHEMICALS	1,954,559	1,881,914	5,313,052	4,737,416	2,956,631	3,336,649	8,269,683	8,074,065
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	3,299,994	6,188,569	5,232,575	5,843,871	246,632	277,612	5,479,207	6,121,483
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	509,417	205,107	584,916	428,407	196,414	38,695	781,330	467,102
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	1,504,786	1,862,936	2,000,192	2,924,550	388,119	428,686	2,388,311	3,353,236
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	36,165	18,450	144,490	112,575	5,100	3,250	149,590	115,825
	TOTAL *	57,084,168	100,800,830	26,056,969	20,959,582	3,961,190	4,276,755	30,018,159	25,236,337

### VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

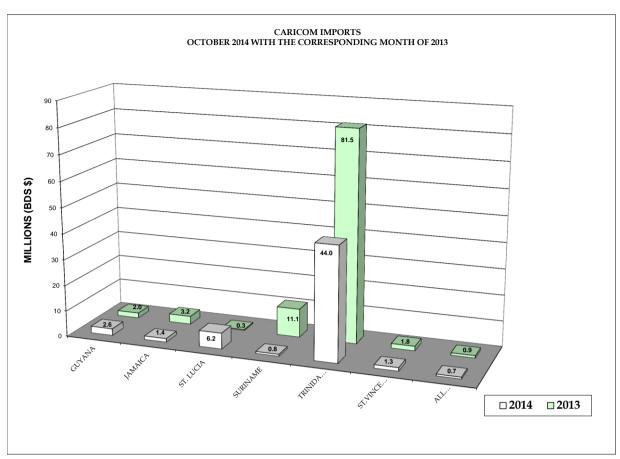
TABLE 6

	S.I.T.C	IMPORT	S(c.i.f)			EXPOR	TS(f.o.b)		(603 %)
	SECTION			DOMES	TIC	RE-EXPO	RTS	TOTAL	
		<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	72,882,986	69,646,652	52,955,790	46,556,376	1,043,334	1,069,313	53,999,124	47,625,689
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	35,030,640	44,282,597	7,017,640	6,775,903	997,192	1,447,066	8,014,832	8,222,969
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	5,757,204	8,034,787	3,430,570	897,478	44,195	31,487	3,474,765	928,965
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	686,544,989	787,864,577	29,495,718	48,612,729	5,316	1,549	29,501,034	48,614,278
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	216,742	259,186	3,720,471	4,231,709	5,976	6,786	3,726,447	4,238,495
5	CHEMICALS	20,138,437	19,238,122	47,532,399	45,597,384	27,164,987	30,473,142	74,697,386	76,070,526
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	27,805,151	33,143,722	53,612,930	54,013,809	2,847,063	2,744,782	56,459,993	56,758,591
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	5,549,673	4,901,022	4,998,806	5,316,264	1,978,208	4,015,688	6,977,014	9,331,952
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	14,549,673	17,254,101	24,714,432	22,495,591	4,379,213	4,400,475	29,093,645	26,896,066
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	505,913	452,261	1,436,990	1,328,272	16,450	25,561	1,453,440	1,353,833
	TOTAL *	868,981,408	985,077,027	228,915,746	235,825,515	38,481,934	44,215,849	267,397,680	280,041,364

TABLE 7

## VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

	IMPORT	S (c.i.f)			EXPORTS (f.	.o.b)		
COUNTRY			DOMI	ESTIC	RE-EX	PORTS	TOT	
	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>
ANTIGUA	25,354	6,246	1,113,218	838,492	341,828	305,635	1,455,046	1,144,127
BELIZE	421,282	382,513	3,465	505,898	-	-	3,465	505,898
DOMINICA	137,637	305,618	775,674	621,907	313,582	229,351	1,089,256	851,258
GRENADA	114,114	235,490	1,303,806	1,337,038	284,250	440,691	1,588,056	1,777,729
GUYANA	2,639,081	2,009,276	3,813,970	3,653,764	84,947	99,231	3,898,917	3,752,995
HAITI	13,111	-	4	-	40,672	8,706	40,676	8,706
JAMAICA	1,395,502	3,161,284	3,457,911	2,677,778	551,962	888,404	4,009,873	3,566,182
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	147	12,528	893,383	1,201,518	288,314	177,737	1,181,697	1,379,255
ST. LUCIA	6,200,325	347,592	2,536,703	2,676,929	514,507	592,290	3,051,210	3,269,219
MONSTERRAT	6,000	-	6,423	13,290	5,448	288	11,871	13,578
SURINAME	751,763	11,094,672	308,255	541,927	-	-	308,255	541,927
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	44,033,296	81,451,629	9,774,461	4,323,521	1,189,764	1,219,646	10,964,225	5,543,167
ST. VINCENT	1,346,556	1,793,982	2,069,696	2,567,520	345,916	314,776	2,415,612	2,882,296
CARICOM TOTAL *	57,084,168	100,800,830	26,056,969	20,959,582	3,961,190	4,276,755	30,018,159	25,236,337
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	7,830,133	2,701,456	8,698,903	9,256,694	2,093,845	2,060,768	10,792,748	11,317,462



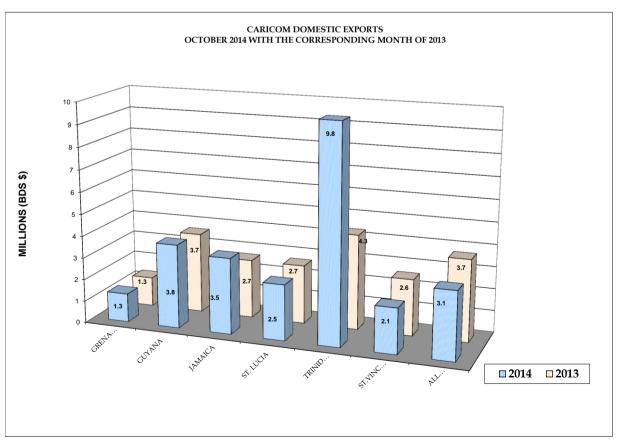
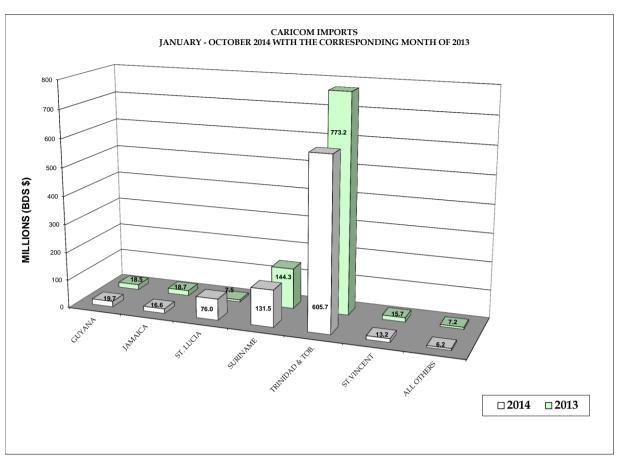
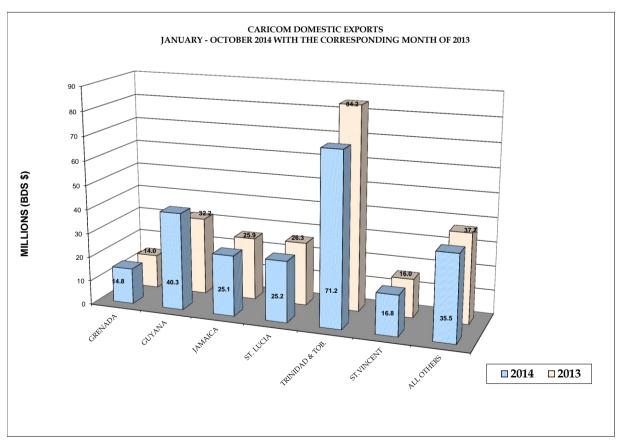


TABLE 8

#### VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

	IMPORTS	6 (c.i.f)			EXPORTS (f.c	o.b)		( 550
COUNTRY			DOMES	STIC	RE-EXP	ORTS	TOTA	L
	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014*</u>	<u>2013</u>
ANTIGUA	200,288	158,511	14,351,531	11,190,804	2,816,718	3,229,584	17,168,249	14,420,388
BELIZE	2,357,598	2,544,938	2,016,097	2,159,972	85,396	101,280	2,101,493	2,261,252
DOMINICA	1,723,530	1,925,301	5,643,576	4,867,337	2,244,602	1,925,233	7,888,178	6,792,570
GRENADA	1,711,185	2,374,760	14,803,082	13,998,487	3,170,705	3,747,258	17,973,787	17,745,745
GUYANA	19,731,402	18,519,732	40,295,757	32,184,316	773,079	693,512	41,068,836	32,877,828
HAITI	140,570	126,575	1,218,383	853,625	250,545	325,353	1,468,928	1,178,978
JAMAICA	16,582,056	18,700,420	25,070,787	25,939,573	6,275,214	7,508,958	31,346,001	33,448,531
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	85,211	28,721	8,091,873	7,452,239	2,991,733	2,080,684	11,083,606	9,532,923
ST. LUCIA	76,022,836	7,505,817	25,245,620	26,294,788	5,825,635	7,423,889	31,071,255	33,718,677
MONSTERRAT	6,040	8,815	287,973	300,868	64,110	115,637	352,083	416,505
SURINAME	131,529,100	144,324,547	3,937,393	10,395,303	50,599	17,918	3,987,992	10,413,221
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	605,720,607	773,194,018	71,177,345	84,150,969	9,198,591	13,148,146	80,375,936	97,299,115
ST. VINCENT	13,170,985	15,664,872	16,776,329	16,037,234	4,735,007	3,898,397	21,511,336	19,935,631
CARICOM TOTAL *	868,981,408	985,077,027	228,915,746	235,825,515	38,481,934	44,215,849	267,397,680	280,041,364
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	92,920,075	27,666,797	85,199,984	80,141,757	21,848,510	22,420,682	107,048,494	102,562,439





# PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

	SITC GROUP DESCRIPTION		BD	DS(\$)	
			2014	2013	
	098	Edible Products	8,922,820	8,040,373	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	6,112,577	4,813,922	
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	56,005,642	77,661,368	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	10,363,743	9,700,889	
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	5,078,296	4,746,541	
<b>IMPORTS</b>	764	Telecommunication Equipment	5,904,685	8,721,326	
	781	Motor Cars	8,147,616	7,917,836	
	821	Furniture And Parts	8,106,235	5,148,445	
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	6,567,292	1,639,412	
	893	Articles Of Plastic	7,590,034	6,979,398	
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	17,179,966	14,798,559	
	091	Margarine And Shortening	2,384,782	2,072,038	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	7,304,503	9,368,483	
	333	Petroleum Crude	4,857,970	-	
DOMESTIC	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	4,082,908	4,463,907	
EXPORTS	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	2,257,996	1,271,565	
	661	Lime, Cement	2,724,589	2,363,036	
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	1,743,324	1,393,770	
	892	Printed Matter	2,409,453	3,244,258	
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	2,228,725	2,440,646	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	281,935	325,959	
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	6,036,332	14,505,477	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	3,401,614	3,607,103	
	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	1,384,739	252,357	
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	332,993	347,208	
RE-EXPORTS	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	368,894	150,378	
	851	Footwear	334,199	143,266	
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	3,362,769	19,347	
	885	Watches And Clocks	1,754,397	1,620,100	
	897	Jewellery	3,539,198	1,064,904	

## SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

TABLE 9

(BDS \$)

				(RD2 2)	
COMMODITY	SITC CODE	<u>2014</u>	%	<u>2013</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	17,179,876	28.6	14,796,439	25.5
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	2,384,782	4.0	2,072,038	3.6
RUM	112.441/449	6,224,818	10.4	8,100,655	13.9
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	994,898	1.7	1,249,729	2.1
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	4,207,794	7.0	4,492,915	7.7
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	105,637	0.2	89,348	0.2
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	2,257,996	3.8	1,271,565	2.2
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	164,071	0.3	356,082	0.6
CEMENT	661.222	2,720,339	4.5	2,363,036	4.1
METAL CONTAINERS	692	1,443,710	2.4	1,505,733	2.6
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	33,084	0.1	41,619	0.1
CLOTHING	841-848	7,064	0.0	66,307	0.1
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		37,724,069	62.8	36,405,466	62.6
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	1,747,744	2.9	1,474,025	2.5
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		20,609,259	34.3	20,256,717	34.8
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		60,081,072	100.0	58,136,208	100.0

NOTE: Electronic Components includes printed circuits for motor vehicles

### SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

TABLE 10

(BDS \$)

	T.			(BDS \$)	
COMMODITY	SITC CODE	JANUA	ARY -		
COMMODITY	SITC CODE	<u>2014</u>	%	<u>2013</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	18,112,818	4.0	15,578,705	3.4
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	16,841,902	3.7	16,779,055	3.7
RUM	112.441/449	67,059,725	14.6	76,007,179	16.7
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	9,336,044	2.0	9,533,464	2.1
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	43,918,746	9.6	39,609,377	8.7
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	776,307	0.2	676,822	0.1
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	16,227,863	3.5	14,150,063	3.1
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	3,420,362	0.7	3,322,413	0.7
CEMENT	661.222	31,924,835	7.0	33,530,837	7.4
METAL CONTAINERS	692	10,422,023	2.3	10,807,649	2.4
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	641,015	0.1	341,591	0.1
CLOTHING	841-848	382,401	0.1	565,059	0.1
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		219,064,041	47.8	220,902,214	48.4
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	13,830,623	3.0	9,458,937	2.1
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		225,315,765	49.2	225,812,548	49.5
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		458,210,429	100.0	456,173,699	100.0

NOTE: Electronic Components includes printed circuits for motor vehicles

# MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2013

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	В	BDS(\$)	
			2014	2013	
	098	Edible Products	33,175,075	32,991,230	
UNITED STATES	222	Oil Seeds For Soft Veg. Oil	25,735,441	21,369,560	
	248	Wood Simply Worked	17,918,269	18,234,940	
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	23,877,087	23,795,634	
	642	Articles Of Paper	21,441,443	20,347,836	
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	17,273,300	18,105,336	
	752	Data Processing Machines	22,378,960	23,467,410	
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	29,315,503	33,789,866	
	821	Furniture And Parts	20,446,468	20,757,129	
	893	Articles Of Plastic	26,007,189	25,044,700	
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	10,423,270	10,325,367	
	098	Edible Products	9,118,748	8,554,981	
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	15,111,464	16,019,696	
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	4,816,537	8,511,636	
TRINIDAD & TOB.	333	Petroleum Crude	5,812,768	-	
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	475,331,011	637,632,696	
	344	Petrol Gases	12,708,577	9,835,257	
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	8,478,063	8,077,993	
	642	Articles Of Paper	10,638,038	10,685,352	
	676	Iron And Steel Bars, Rods	5,248,090	6,950,329	
	625	Rubber Tyres, Cases	5,716,043	5,444,892	
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	4,074,348	3,455,090	
	752	Data Processing Machines	9,657,441	9,632,322	
	761	Television Receivers	4,938,440	2,527,333	
CHINA, PEO.REP.	764	Telecommunication Equipment	27,745,055	17,749,086	
	776	Valves Tubes Diodes	3,707,233	1,626,278	
	821	Furniture And Parts	4,148,182	3,336,901	
	851	Footwear	8,084,664	7,867,705	
	893	Articles Of Plastic	6,395,910	4,731,634	
	897	Jewellery	6,350,349	5,429,124	
	081	Feeding Stuff, Animals	840,004	1,185,572	
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	70,321,447	2,264	
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	460,494	36,566	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	1,702,507	2,075,374	
PUERTO RICO	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	266,726	298,387	
	581	Tubes, Pipes, Hoses Of Plastic	209,130	76,711	
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	1,385,743	1,445,051	
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	548,425	437,014	
	692	Metal Containers	532,320	553,447	
	893	Articles Of Plastic	2,268,498	2,243,018	
	022	Milk And Cream	3,064,174	2,165,423	
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	4,323,591	3,414,778	
UNITED KINGDOM	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	6,879,265	8,115,029	
	098	Edible Products	4,355,362	3,941,172	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	4,221,418	4,344,872	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	6,823,892	6,666,103	
	728	Other Machinery	3,459,198	751,741	
	781	Motor Cars	5,372,450	5,008,500	
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	9,252,729	879,335	
	892	Printed Matter	6,489,425	6,544,665	

# MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	ВІ	OS(\$)
			2014	2013
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	5,049,012	4,318,782
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	6,694,776	2,445
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	36,029,824	45,193,128
	289	Ores Of Precious Metal	2,932,236	4,879,513
UNITED STATES	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	1,230,186	1,063,481
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	9,378,815	6,047,819
	872	Medical Appliances	875,290	3,189,573
	897	Jewellery	1,550,301	2,563,175
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	4,509,346	6,694,663
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	3,251,229	1,197,308
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	4,750,474	2,417,675
	091	Margarine And Shortening	7,293,037	7,736,627
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	1,203,661	1,120,428
	278	Other Crude Minerals	2,094,053	-
TRINIDAD & TOB.	333	Petroleum Crude	29,475,841	48,592,711
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	5,330,066	4,957,258
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	951,325	1,117,658
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	5,918,919	4,455,958
	692	Metal Containers	5,954,173	4,921,941
	892	Printed Matter	2,113,416	1,764,818
	012	Other Meat Fresh, Chilled	235,524	162,501
	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	266,382	336,083
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	5,828,791	782,383
	098	Edible Products	308,281	348,498
UNITED KINGDOM	112	Alcoholic Beverages	4,251,218	2,942,205
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	3,696,899	2,644,763
	781	Motor Cars	351,090	36,876
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	1,028,333	331,502
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	1,471,593	566,674
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	634,998	1,225,854
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	5,242,550	14,796,439
PORTUGAL	872	Medical Appliances	3,750	-
	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	2,093,033	2,188,888
	047	Other Cereals, Meals, Flours	454,190	490,513
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,908,620	861,090
	059	Fruit Juices	613,674	499,648
	091	Margarine And Shortening	863,341	804,426
GUYANA	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	1,530,536	2,194,104
	642	Articles Of Paper	769,812	514,207
	661	Lime, Cement	24,828,961	17,079,164
	892	Printed Matter	2,072,616	1,607,981
	893	Articles Of Plastic	1,652,004	1,928,068
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### MAIN RE- EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

COUNTRY SITC GROUP DESCRIPTION BDS(\$) 2013 2014 112 Alcoholic Beverages 1,228,868 1,351,926 122 824,184 Tobacco Manufactured 1,268,706 553 Perfumery, Cosmetics 2,231,290 10,795,582 598 Misc. Chemical Products 775,249 131 UNITED STATES 1,033,279 841 Male Clothing-Non Knitted 1,070,125 842 Female Clothing Non Knitted 1,410,812 1,317,309 845 Articles Of Apparel 1,365,589 1,433,867 851 Footwear 873,962 1,061,138 885 Watches And Clocks 13,764,465 11,851,806 897 Jewellery 10,544,172 14,175,145 SHIPS STORES 334 Petroleum Products Refined 184,674,079 200,818,023 112 Alcoholic Beverages 122,753 97,249 122 Tobacco Manufactured 576,019 683,147 288 Non-Ferrous Metal/Scrap 68,595 UNITED KINGDOM 553 Perfumery, Cosmetics 30,371 65,371 723 Contractors Plant Equipment 56,819 764 20,134 Telecommunication Equipment 29,299 781 Motor Cars 1,248,916 47,000 842 Female Clothing Non Knitted 40,552 94,481 874 Measuring Checking Instruments 3,352,300 931 Special Transactions And Commodities 90,484 7,000 542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med. 59,198 2,752 831 Travel Goods, Handbags 3,833,417 2,530,819 841 Male Clothing-Non Knitted 218,461 148,020 FRANCE 201,140 842 Female Clothing Non Knitted 624,628 845 Articles Of Apparel 229,123 138,121 846 Clothing Accessories 230,550 129,763 848 Headgear-Non Textile Clothing 90,925 233,720 851 Footwear 635,313 849,812 884 Optical Cord 97,529 223,217 897 117,004 Jewellery 181,031 098 Edible Products 39,753 112 Alcoholic Beverages 121,553 99,492 Medicaments Including Vet. Med. 542 7,534,750 10,134,908 TRINIDAD & TOB. 553 85,441 Perfumery, Cosmetics 84,740 773 Electric Dist Equipment 47,748 523,113 Valves Tubes Diodes 776 172,473 821 **Furniture And Parts** 55,213 20,775 841 Male Clothing-Non Knitted 50,257 195,369 872 Medical Appliances 791,837 332,306 332,306 872 Medical Appliances 791,837 894 Toys Games, Baby Carriages 45,711

# PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM JANUARY - OCTOBER 2014 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2013

	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	ВГ	BDS(\$)	
			2014	2013	
	098	Edible Products	70,967,429	70,314,920	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	38,442,896	45,226,646	
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	746,877,774	783,215,592	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	117,902,463	98,300,636	
	642	Articles Of Paper	42,923,720	41,870,944	
<b>IMPORTS</b>	764	Telecommunication Equipment	71,711,734	64,012,431	
	773	Electric Dist Equipment	46,081,490	30,792,669	
	781	Motor Cars	67,487,061	64,627,756	
	821	Furniture And Parts	38,058,449	41,285,291	
	893	Articles Of Plastic	59,831,646	56,429,159	
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	21,330,326	16,061,896	
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	18,129,590	15,588,486	
	091	Margarine And Shortening	16,841,902	16,779,055	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	74,802,189	84,678,161	
DOMESTIC	333	Petroleum Crude	29,475,841	48,592,711	
<b>EXPORTS</b>	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	43,296,173	39,390,540	
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	16,227,863	14,150,063	
	661	Lime, Cement	32,054,559	33,542,671	
	892	Printed Matter	24,032,854	22,023,196	
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	30,510,020	28,305,856	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	3,755,916	3,978,429	
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	2,810,246	2,469,430	
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	184,678,689	200,819,331	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	31,149,774	35,549,212	
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	2,742,411	11,290,451	
RE-EXPORTS	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	4,581,833	3,571,626	
	872	Medical Appliances	2,556,712	2,132,261	
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	4,013,321	1,037,447	
	885	Watches And Clocks	16,787,277	13,073,527	
	897	Jewellery	17,588,130	11,589,631	