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REVIEW OF OVERSEAS TRADE

During the month of July 2020, total imports to Barbados were valued at \$257 million, whilst total exports from Barbados were valued at \$60 million. This resulted in a visible trade deficit of \$197 million, as compared with a visible trade deficit of \$188 million for July 2019.

Imports for July 2020 were \$2.8 million less than imports for July 2019, a decrease of 1.1%. Total exports decreased by \$11.9 million or 16.6% of the July 2019 figure. Domestic exports decreased by \$6.8 million or 15.5% over July 2019, while the value of re-exports decreased by \$5.1 million or 18.2% over the corresponding period 2019.

For the period January – July 2020, the value of imports to Barbados was \$1.7 billion, whilst the value of total exports was \$434 million representing an accumulated visible trade deficit of \$1.3 billion as compared to a similar deficit of \$1.3 billion for January – July 2019.

Imports for January – July 2020 were \$98.1 million less than imports for the same period 2019, a decrease of 5.3%. Total exports showed a decrease of some \$117.1 million or 21.3% over the January - July 2019 figure. Domestic exports decreased by \$56.2 million or 17.9% over January – July 2019. The value of re-exports decreased by \$61.0 million or 25.6% over the corresponding period 2019.

CARICOM TRADE

During the month of July 2020, total imports from CARICOM countries were valued at \$46 million, whilst total exports to CARICOM were valued at \$27 million, resulting in a trade deficit of \$18 million as compared with a visible trade deficit of \$17 million for July 2019.

Total CARICOM imports for July 2020 were \$0.8 million more than CARICOM imports for July 2019, a decrease of 1.7%. Total exports to CARICOM for July 2020 were \$0.5 million less than total exports for July 2019, a decrease of 1.7%. Domestic exports decreased by \$7.2 million or 28.1% over July 2019. The value of re-exports increased by some \$6.7 million, or 297.8%, over the July 2019 figure.

For the period January – July 2020, total imports from CARICOM were valued at \$340 million, whilst total exports were \$169 million resulting in an accumulated visible trade deficit of \$171 million as compared with a deficit of \$136 million for the same period of 2019.

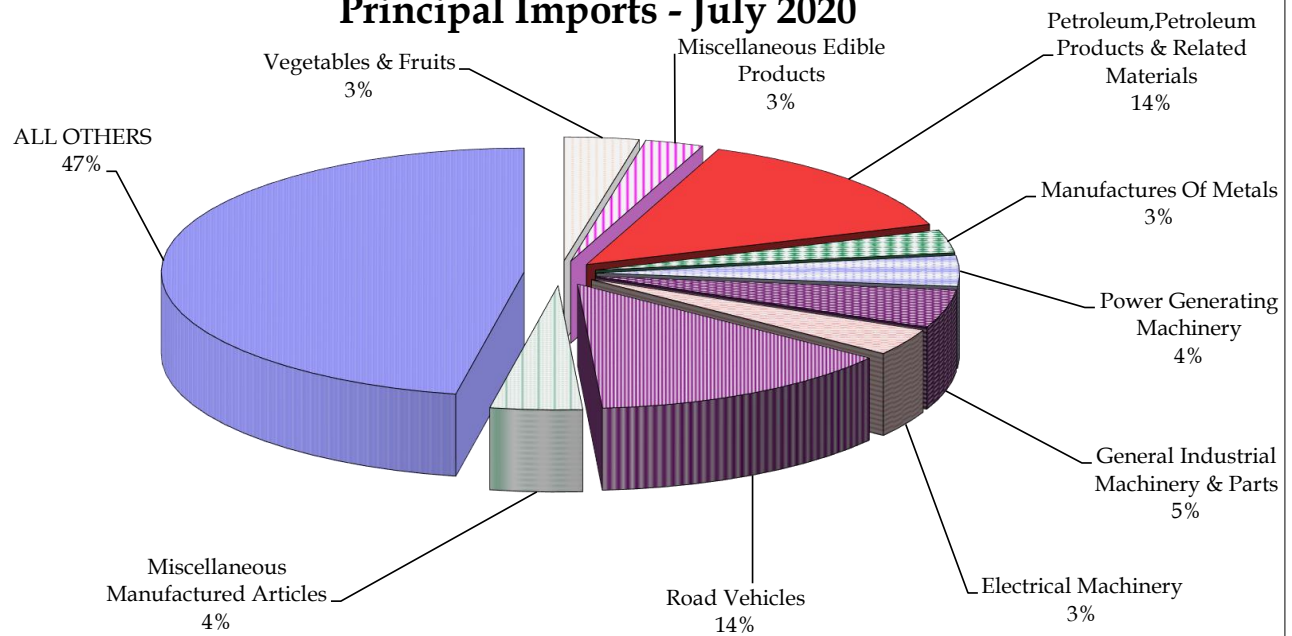
During this period, CARICOM, imports were approximately \$0.0 million less than those over the same period in 2019, a decrease of 0.0%. Total exports to CARICOM for January – July 2020 were 34.9 less than total exports for the corresponding period 2019, a decrease of 17.1%. Domestic exports decreased by approximately 41 million or 22.4% over the same period 2019. The value of re-exports increased by 6 million or 27.8% over the January – July 2019 figure.

**VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019**

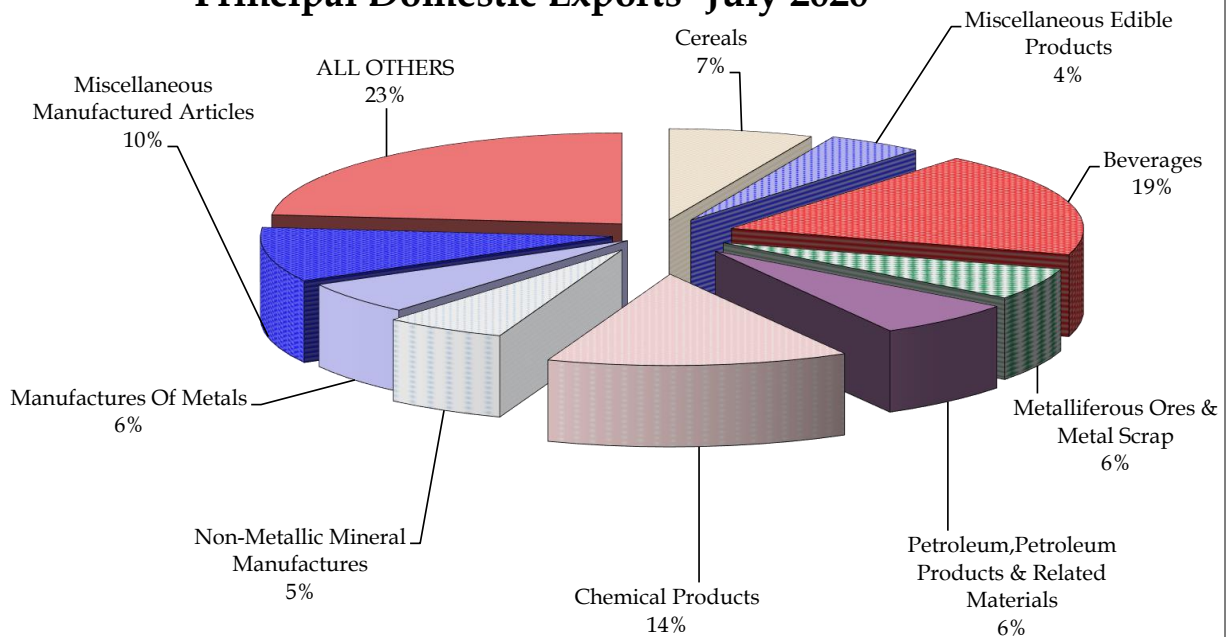
TABLE 1

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S.I.T.C SECTION	IMPORTS(c.i.f)		EXPORTS(f.o.b)						
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL		
			2020*	2019	2020*	2019	2020*	2019	2020*
0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	42,518,207	49,497,032	5,285,358	6,948,828	104,319	149,797	5,389,677	7,098,625	
1 BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	5,231,556	10,041,569	6,905,944	6,689,252	372,363	260,989	7,278,307	6,950,241	
2 CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	6,716,356	6,021,064	2,154,343	1,603,069	112,134	20,118	2,266,477	1,623,187	
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	37,728,825	49,314,957	2,401,943	815,540	8,948,208	12,206,938	11,350,151	13,022,478	
4 ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	1,333,967	1,567,129	210,711	462,886	185	3,595	210,896	466,481	
5 CHEMICALS	23,886,251	26,543,688	7,993,293	6,160,792	7,000,907	2,498,699	14,994,200	8,659,491	
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	31,536,141	33,558,734	5,325,154	9,607,575	1,047,539	590,572	6,372,693	10,198,147	
7 MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	83,560,887	51,045,346	1,734,293	1,872,422	334,224	122,731	2,068,517	1,995,153	
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	23,896,559	30,746,586	4,159,978	9,242,880	4,801,392	11,942,581	8,961,370	21,185,461	
9 MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	301,933	1,222,690	950,695	548,526	12,220	-	962,915	548,526	
TOTAL *	256,710,682	259,558,795	37,121,712	43,951,770	22,733,491	27,796,020	59,855,203	71,747,790	

Principal Imports - July 2020



Principal Domestic Exports - July 2020



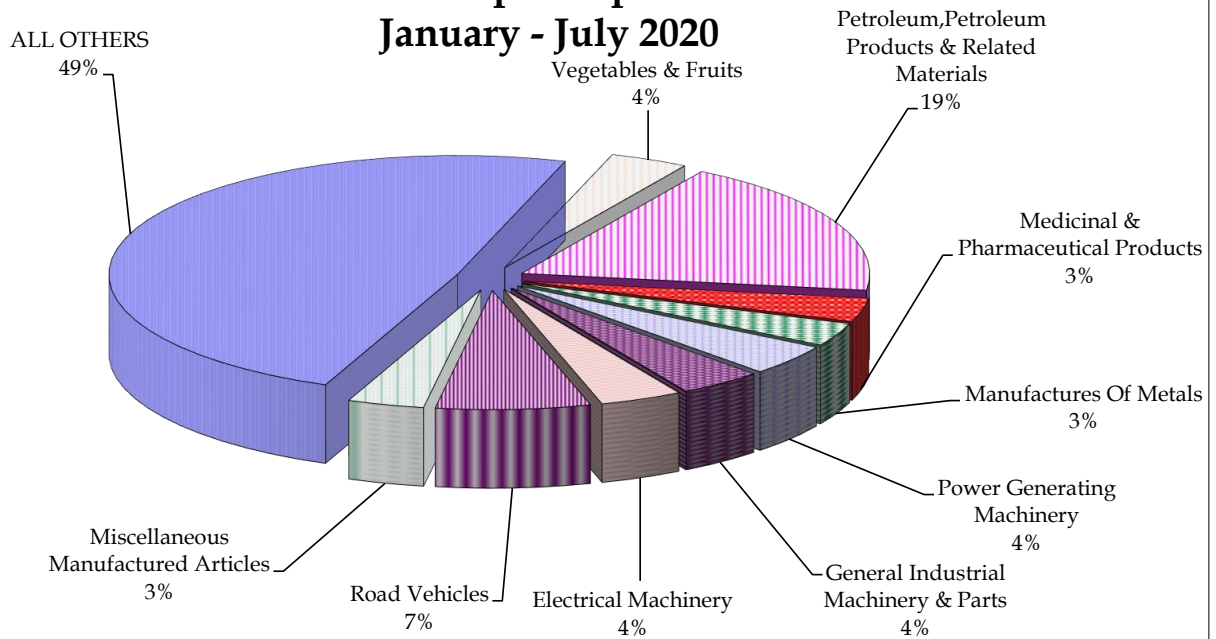
**VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019**

TABLE 2

S.I.T.C SECTION	IMPORTS(c.i.f)		EXPORTS(f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
			2020*	2019	2020*	2019	2020*	2019
0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	332,660,652	348,103,882	40,059,013	42,400,925	1,999,624	1,265,231	42,058,637	43,666,156
1 BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	45,590,788	60,854,161	45,328,307	53,495,046	1,477,932	10,830,639	46,806,239	64,325,685
2 CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	38,175,509	35,852,398	7,269,491	8,852,657	168,486	171,325	7,437,977	9,023,982
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS*	337,021,219	433,945,409	14,654,239	24,328,773	130,152,379	129,106,848	144,806,618	153,435,621
4 ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	13,121,748	10,629,014	1,797,056	2,264,155	3,271	7,847	1,800,327	2,272,002
5 CHEMICALS	179,021,099	176,178,745	46,524,912	47,788,857	21,661,519	21,394,901	68,186,431	69,183,758
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	203,537,811	206,779,283	42,073,854	57,937,298	2,757,475	4,742,543	44,831,329	62,679,841
7 MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	433,840,729	364,647,888	27,853,243	22,798,612	3,825,380	2,972,049	31,678,623	25,770,661
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	157,304,013	199,319,717	29,051,073	50,276,056	14,878,825	67,262,865	43,929,898	117,538,921
9 MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	4,696,502	6,743,704	2,438,048	3,070,152	35,181	171,688	2,473,229	3,241,840
TOTAL*	1,744,970,070	1,843,054,201	257,049,236	313,212,531	176,960,072	237,925,936	434,009,308	551,138,467

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Principal Imports January - July 2020



Principal Domestic Exports January - July 2020

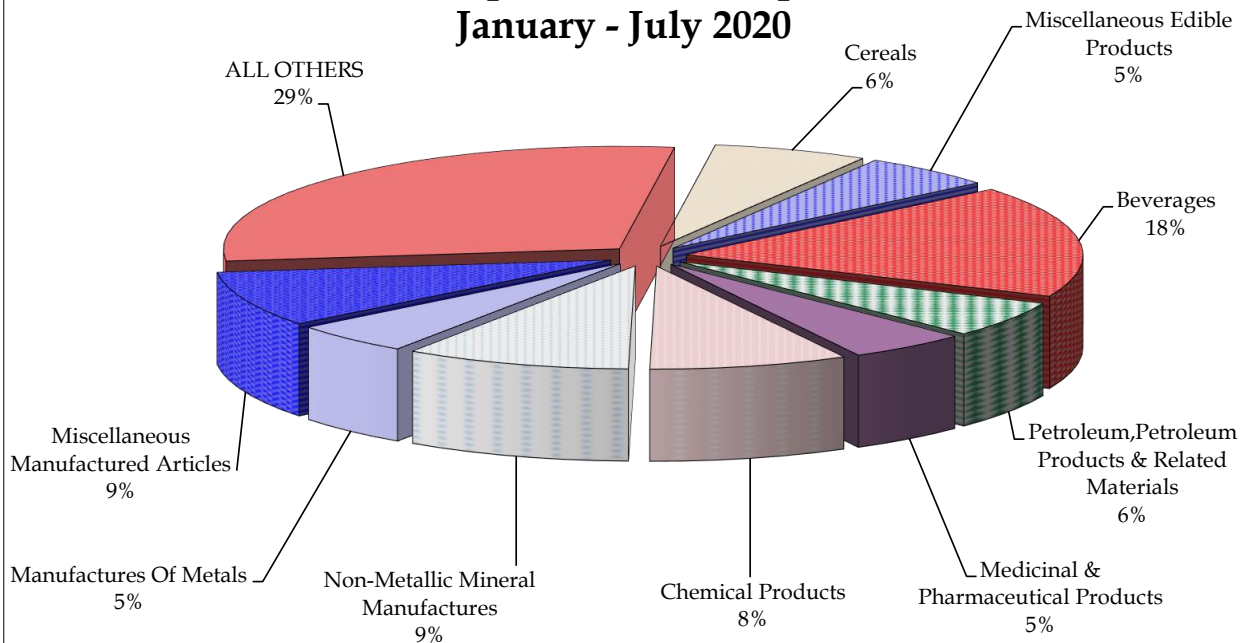


TABLE 3

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY MAJOR COUNTRIES AND GROUP
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019

COUNTRY	IMPORTS (c.i.f)		EXPORTS (f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	2020*	2019	2020*	2019	2020*	2019	2020*	2019
UNITED KINGDOM	9,824,332	9,389,266	1,267,771	1,354,409	206,420	140,373	1,474,191	1,494,782
CANADA	6,907,575	6,367,262	3,082,974	3,240,273	3,606	191	3,086,580	3,240,464
UNITED STATES	91,664,396	91,326,696	5,554,117	5,187,770	2,980,641	11,350,433	8,534,758	16,538,203
CARICOM *	45,798,348	45,024,140	18,441,009	25,654,573	8,989,369	2,260,037	27,430,378	27,914,610
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	1,702,486	2,107,298	4,390,205	10,975,473	3,961,947	2,004,437	8,352,152	12,979,910
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	21,386	5,364	2,328,834	1,515,610	253,984	433,798	2,582,818	1,949,408
PUERTO RICO	1,340,671	10,098,908	462,688	66,357	74,050	-	536,738	66,357
VENEZUELA	-	33,529	10,283	210	-	1,493	10,283	1,703
JAPAN	7,249,916	6,419,391	-	66	-	-	-	66
GERMANY	1,077,622	4,772,186	14,543	13,574	700,964	-	715,507	13,574
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	92,770,685	86,074,744	5,959,493	6,918,928	557,642	1,402,982	6,517,135	8,321,910
STORES/BUNKERS *	55,751	-	-	-	8,966,815	12,206,713	8,966,815	12,206,713
TOTAL *	256,710,682	259,511,486	37,121,712	43,951,770	22,733,491	27,796,020	59,855,203	71,747,790

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MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2020	2019
UNITED STATES	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	2,153,968	1,903,518
	098	Edible Products	3,199,320	4,086,439
	248	Wood Simply Worked	2,004,738	1,991,418
	273	Stone, Sand And Gravel	2,866,566	20,054
	741	Heating Cooling Equipment	1,958,605	1,546,397
	752	Data Processing Machines	4,695,352	1,743,993
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	2,725,140	1,488,986
	782	Goods And Special Purpose M.V.	2,032,621	139,560
	872	Medical Appliances	1,964,933	1,048,814
	893	Articles Of Plastic	2,903,035	2,188,953
TRINIDAD & TOB.	034	Fish Fresh, Chilled, Frozen	398,031	745,703
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,644,002	1,169,806
	081	Feeding Stuff, Animals	517,929	125,434
	098	Edible Products	1,529,723	1,127,012
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	1,117,807	2,167,374
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	23,902,154	23,030,792
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	658,512	461,580
	642	Articles Of Paper	1,141,667	994,636
	892	Printed Matter	542,987	278,601
	893	Articles Of Plastic	442,779	351,886
PANAMA	034	Fish Fresh, Chilled, Frozen	286,318	615,575
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	2,177,858	-
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,140,416	165,300
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	318,723	-
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	326,528	-
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	245,812	-
	727	Food Processing Machinery	1,040,035	-
	741	Heating Cooling Equipment	519,808	5,773
	783	Road Motor Vehicles	20,097,000	-
	851	Footwear	254,477	175,799
NETHERLANDS	022	Milk And Cream	87,656	-
	054	Vegetables Fresh/Chilled, Frozen, Dry	428,342	870,216
	056	Vegetables/Roots Prep., Preserved	131,054	147,687
	073	Chocolate And Preparations Of Cocoa	191,150	1,150
	081	Feeding Stuff, Animals	168,175	225,161
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	10,730,173	13,241,729
	512	Alcohols, Phenols	437,095	-
	551	Essential Oils	170,601	-
	562	Fertilizers, Manufactured	86,916	-
	893	Articles Of Plastic	131,675	-
UNITED KINGDOM	012	Other Meat Fresh, Chilled	285,576	299,102
	024	Cheese And Curd	538,729	264,689
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	357,396	207,619
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	540,781	218,156
	098	Edible Products	296,550	169,951
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	291,665	450,120
	676	Iron And Steel Bars, Rods	299,302	41,404
	776	Valves Tubes Diodes	310,356	35,620
	781	Motor Cars	511,549	423,433
	892	Printed Matter	474,882	177,917

MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019

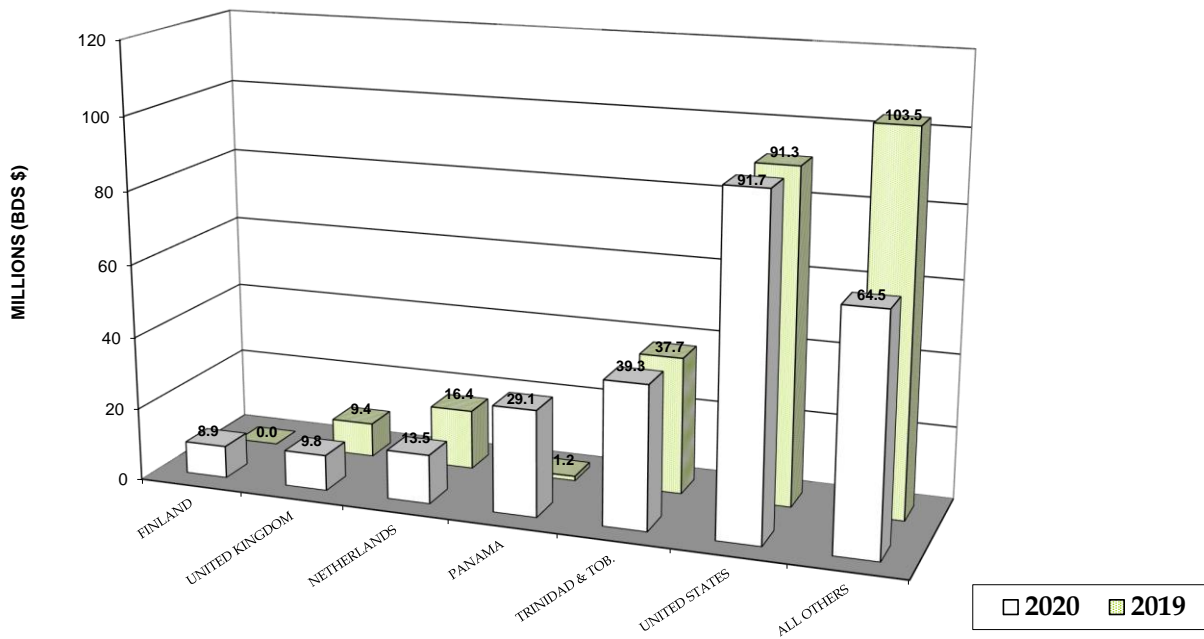
COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2020	2019
UNITED STATES	001	Live Animals For Food	224,200	900
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	565,807	377,719
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	2,109,979	2,167,347
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	356,640	111,717
	692	Metal Containers	143,420	4,600
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	933,316	437,739
	781	Motor Cars	114,000	-
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	94,264	599,940
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	141,360	50,802
	971	Non-Monetary Gold	391,261	120,682
JAMAICA	047	Other Cereals, Meals, Flours	150,287	99,352
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	482,064	213,159
	091	Margarine And Shortening	117,115	46,315
	333	Petroleum Crude	2,356,031	-
	512	Alcohols, Phenols	601,837	895,098
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	89,598	171,780
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	106,700	96,080
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	85,050	-
	692	Metal Containers	751,735	667,473
	892	Printed Matter	488,626	546,432
TRINIDAD & TOB.	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	179,509	356,246
	059	Fruit Juices	37,996	117,068
	091	Margarine And Shortening	748,727	491,829
	421	Fixed Vegetable Oils And Fat, Soft	32,754	125,612
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	113,520	-
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	559,884	583,636
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	975,286	448,505
	642	Articles Of Paper	37,973	34,373
	692	Metal Containers	807,859	358,224
	892	Printed Matter	426,076	322,010
GUYANA	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	258,033	260,697
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	279,745	336,686
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	73,004	101,781
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	59,460	64,654
	582	Plates, Film, Foil Of Plastic	73,918	63,005
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	102,302	-
	642	Articles Of Paper	140,329	103,293
	661	Lime, Cement	2,018,887	4,395,198
	892	Printed Matter	339,130	202,675
	893	Articles Of Plastic	228,458	108,860
CANADA	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	36,695	46,898
	098	Edible Products	10,417	71,386
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	564,495	1,266,533
	282	Ferrous Waste And Scrap	1,872,000	1,188,000
	579	Waste Parings, Scraps, Plastic	80,000	55,000
	642	Articles Of Paper	200,020	280,000
	778	Electrical Machinery & Apparatus	72,000	144,000
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	61,876	-
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	19,813	-
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	135,526	71,200

**MAIN RE-EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019**

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2020	2019
SHIPS STORES	334	Petroleum Products Refined	8,948,100	12,206,713
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	18,715	-
UNITED STATES	642	Articles Of Paper	42,648	1,620
	667	Pearls And Precious Stones	64,832	3,055
	831	Travel Goods,Handbags	192,348	123,725
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	503,399	74,248
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	418,990	109,395
	844	Female Clothing Knitted	110,395	26,558
	845	Articles Of Apparel	317,266	317,748
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	51,307	51,233
	851	Footwear	429,658	532,649
	897	Jewellery	546,377	4,739,467
	ST. LUCIA	541	Medicinal Pharmacy Products	109,934
542		Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	254,279	311,001
554		Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	87,484	1,806
598		Misc. Chemical Products	564,802	1,435
658		Made-Up Textile Articles	86,600	-
665		Glassware	100,968	40,692
784		Motor Vehicle Parts	26,889	-
845		Articles Of Apparel	65,600	-
848		Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	82,974	-
872		Medical Appliances	114,510	699
TRINIDAD & TOB.	112	Alcoholic Beverages	273	50,490
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	2,958	986
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	1,372,000	-
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	210,760	-
	845	Articles Of Apparel	10,000	-
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	918	-
	885	Watches And Clocks	24	-
	897	Jewellery	1,195	-
GUYANA	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	40,050	14,972
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	1,040,509	-
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	152,920	-
	845	Articles Of Apparel	8,000	-
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	765	-
	885	Watches And Clocks	266	-
	893	Articles Of Plastic	720	-

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MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - IMPORTS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019



MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019

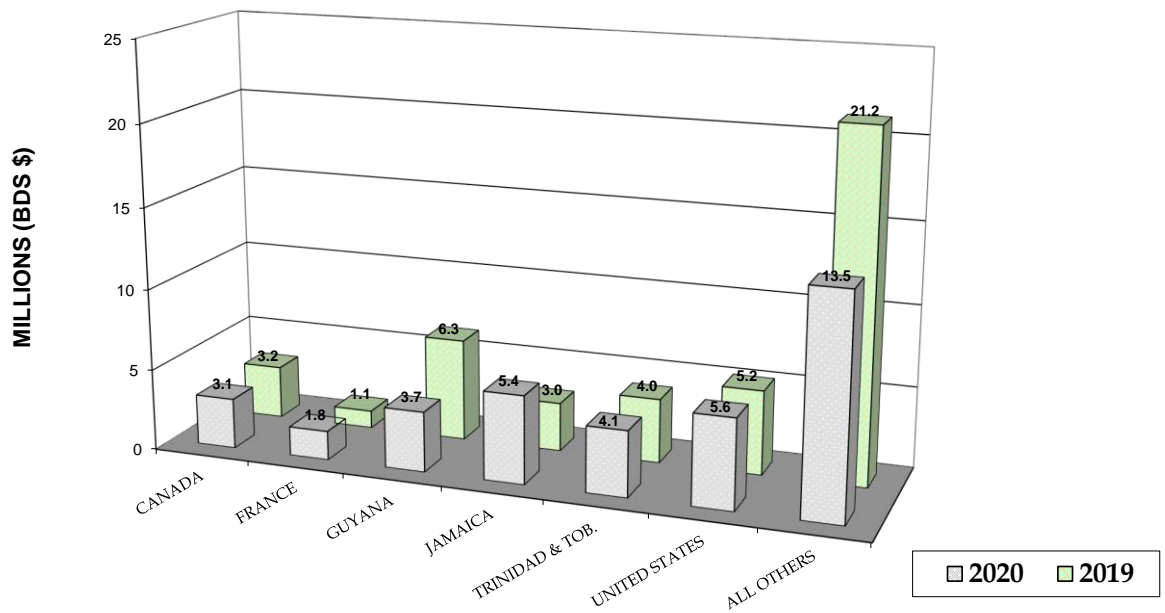


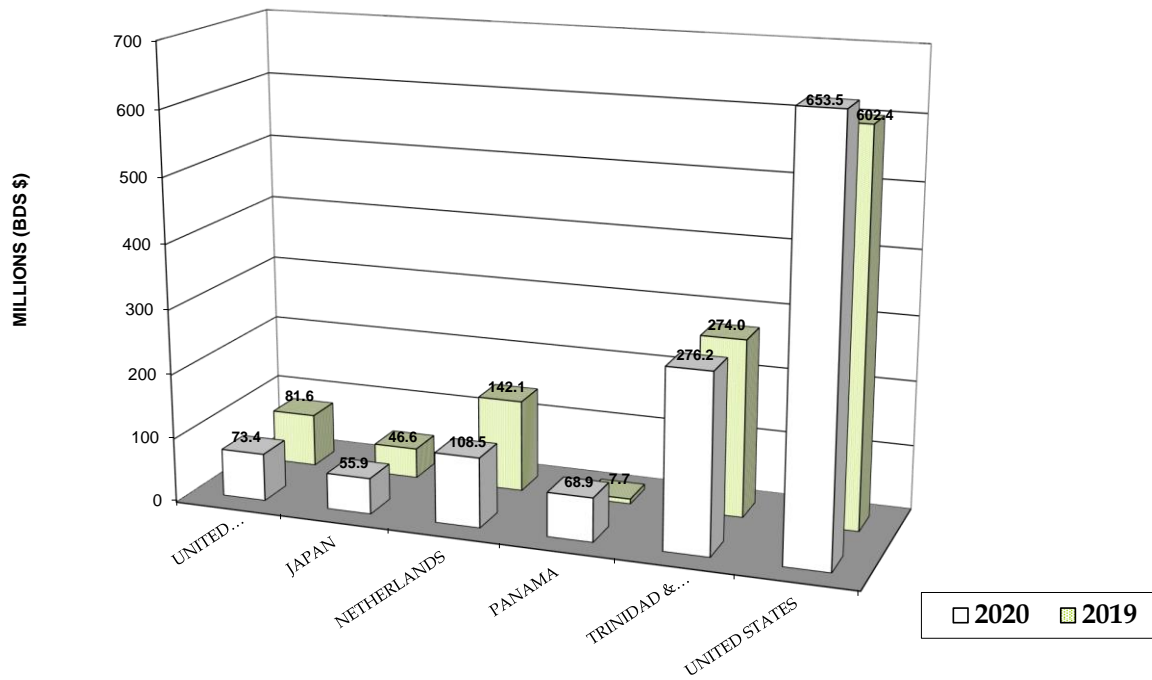
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VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY MAJOR COUNTRIES AND GROUP
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019

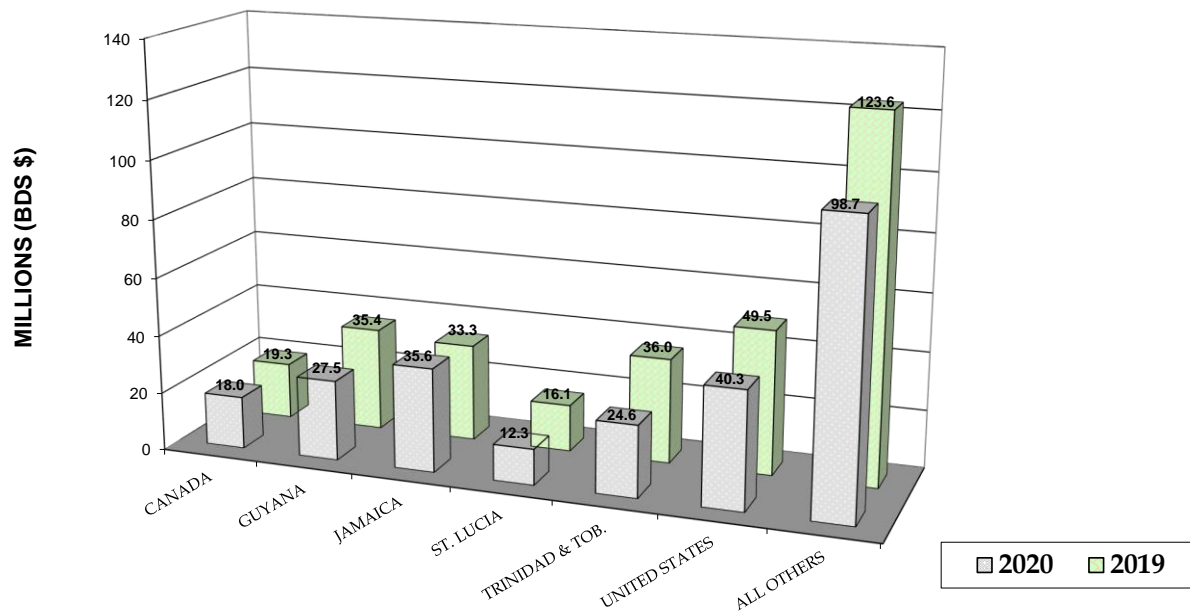
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			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>
UNITED KINGDOM	73,397,730	81,633,279	10,291,460	8,735,073	2,184,820	4,430,795	12,476,280	13,165,868
CANADA	41,240,524	38,439,908	17,969,759	19,329,795	68,121	306,130	18,037,880	19,635,925
UNITED STATES	653,344,204	602,388,058	40,279,683	49,482,835	8,742,369	72,110,265	49,022,052	121,593,100
CARICOM *	340,211,829	340,257,995	141,595,916	182,549,240	27,671,109	21,657,771	169,267,025	204,207,011
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	21,654,194	27,090,724	49,048,521	70,499,338	20,303,822	17,716,502	69,352,343	88,215,840
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	354,652	279,400	6,781,126	8,085,133	2,480,182	2,766,046	9,261,308	10,851,179
PUERTO RICO	38,505,108	97,100,870	1,217,086	569,908	162,759	95,039	1,379,845	664,947
VENEZUELA	-	92,295	68,746	23,899	506	1,493	69,252	25,392
JAPAN	55,876,142	46,552,250	-	349	-	180	-	529
GERMANY	17,936,082	25,993,239	407,835	465,591	797,285	31,366	1,205,120	496,957
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	523,712,714	609,649,568	38,437,620	43,970,708	3,936,519	7,422,240	42,374,139	51,392,948
STORES/BUNKERS *	391,085	43	-	-	130,168,674	129,104,611	130,168,674	129,104,611
TOTAL *	1,744,970,070	1,842,386,905	257,049,231	313,212,531	176,212,344	237,925,936	433,261,575	551,138,467

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MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - IMPORTS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTHS OF 2019



MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS - DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTHS OF 2019



**VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019**

TABLE 5

(BDS \$)								
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0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	10,100,987	8,599,141	3,931,274	5,536,536	101,612	90,003	4,032,886	5,626,539
1 BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	2,240,327	4,482,124	572,324	562,574	19,998	63,472	592,322	626,046
2 CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	831,952	346,064	57,791	67,052	731	-	58,522	67,052
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	24,246,932	24,958,008	2,401,799	815,540	-	185	2,401,799	815,725
4 ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	291	6,236	209,135	460,898	-	-	209,135	460,898
5 CHEMICALS	2,163,741	1,677,000	4,083,383	5,112,024	6,577,797	1,688,273	10,661,180	6,800,297
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	2,891,575	2,264,183	4,520,643	8,997,294	877,881	260,514	5,398,524	9,257,808
7 MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	1,096,059	731,603	226,684	428,538	69,767	37,692	296,451	466,230
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	2,214,546	1,944,574	2,348,296	3,509,682	1,341,583	119,898	3,689,879	3,629,580
9 MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	11,938	15,207	89,680	164,435	-	-	89,680	164,435
TOTAL *	45,798,348	45,024,140	18,441,009	25,654,573	8,989,369	2,260,037	27,430,378	27,914,610

**VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019**

TABLE 6

(BDS \$)

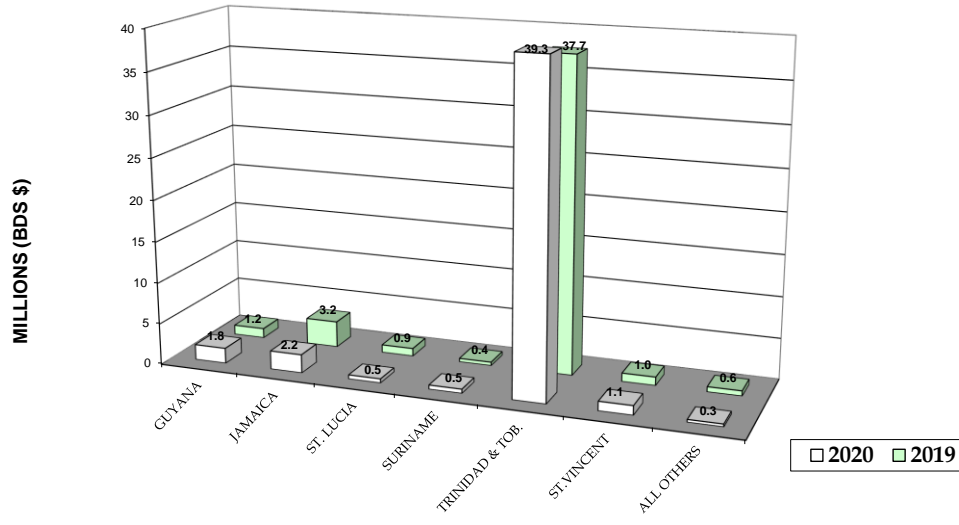
S.I.T.C SECTION	IMPORTS(c.i.f)		EXPORTS(f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>
0 FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	68,991,088	63,483,878	33,145,998	36,812,007	1,822,562	427,417	34,968,560	37,239,424
1 BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	21,692,525	25,090,446	3,981,418	5,254,303	263,544	2,560,863	4,244,962	7,815,166
2 CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	2,773,272	3,169,786	353,981	438,312	5,231	5,831	359,212	444,143
3 MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	198,149,537	210,199,473	14,648,498	24,328,737	2,114	1,798	14,650,612	24,330,535
4 ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	159,381	168,420	1,782,254	2,250,248	2,276	3,370	1,784,530	2,253,618
5 CHEMICALS	15,303,470	12,042,476	32,595,818	38,992,922	19,066,212	12,670,363	51,662,030	51,663,285
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	19,837,471	14,751,889	36,779,840	52,745,922	2,118,718	1,561,761	38,898,558	54,307,683
7 MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	4,858,057	2,896,653	1,162,081	3,837,424	1,082,412	1,497,778	2,244,493	5,335,202
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	8,215,083	8,251,338	16,739,208	17,278,127	3,307,915	2,783,740	20,047,123	20,061,867
9 MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	231,945	203,636	406,820	611,238	125	144,850	406,945	756,088
TOTAL *	340,211,829	340,257,995	141,595,916	182,549,240	27,671,109	21,657,771	169,267,025	204,207,011

TABLE 7

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019

COUNTRY	(BDS \$)							
	IMPORTS (c.i.f)		EXPORTS (f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	2020*	2019	2020*	2019	2020*	2019	2020*	2019
ANTIGUA	4,497	677	725,015	1,140,233	438,858	563,919	1,163,873	1,704,152
BELIZE	241,346	461,595	232,282	306,873	35,148	167	267,430	307,040
DOMINICA	9,790	26,550	499,903	1,824,364	197,870	86,949	697,773	1,911,313
GRENADA	56,993	114,359	653,460	2,079,356	823,703	202,448	1,477,163	2,281,804
GUYANA	1,844,688	1,158,477	3,709,401	6,271,226	1,243,230	16,131	4,952,631	6,287,357
HAITI	4,039	17,543	107,447	-	695,223	-	802,670	-
JAMAICA	2,242,745	3,162,606	5,425,820	2,999,224	234,648	178,919	5,660,468	3,178,143
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	7,004	-	328,625	1,536,306	307,993	287,339	636,618	1,823,645
ST. LUCIA	491,095	935,946	1,308,238	2,381,593	1,598,829	505,068	2,907,067	2,886,661
MONSTERRAT	-	-	4,110	208,002	106,195	8,294	110,305	216,296
SURINAME	501,874	419,966	511,263	1,146,558	1,221,045	-	1,732,308	1,146,558
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	39,261,170	37,696,655	4,064,591	3,955,219	1,598,128	60,383	5,662,719	4,015,602
ST. VINCENT	1,133,107	1,029,766	870,854	1,805,619	488,499	350,420	1,359,353	2,156,039
CARICOM TOTAL *	45,798,348	45,024,140	18,441,009	25,654,573	8,989,369	2,260,037	27,430,378	27,914,610
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	1,702,486	2,107,298	4,390,205	10,975,473	3,961,947	2,004,437	8,352,152	12,979,910

CARICOM IMPORTS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019



CARICOM DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019

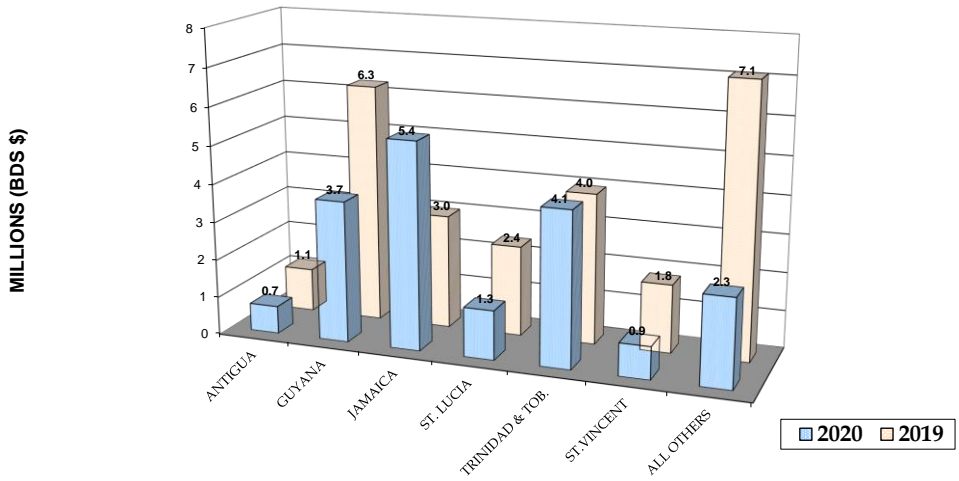


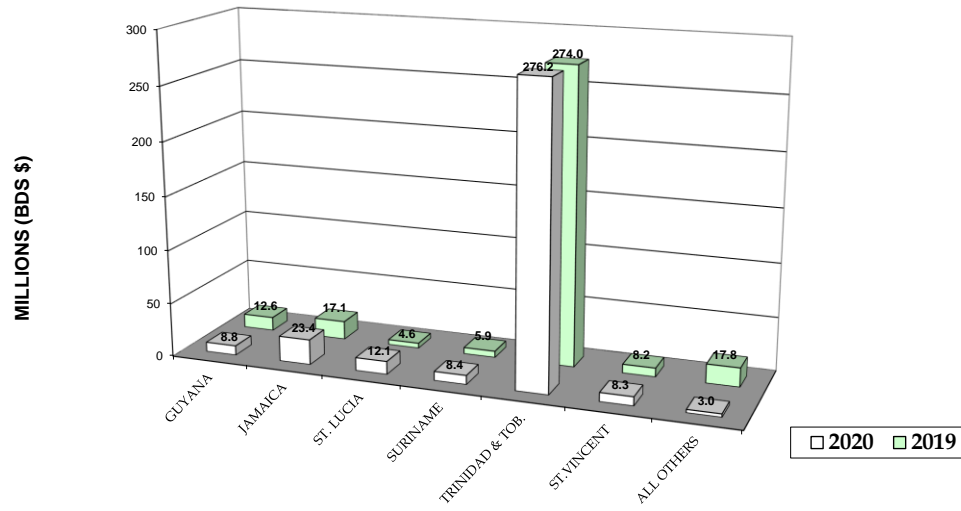
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**VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019**

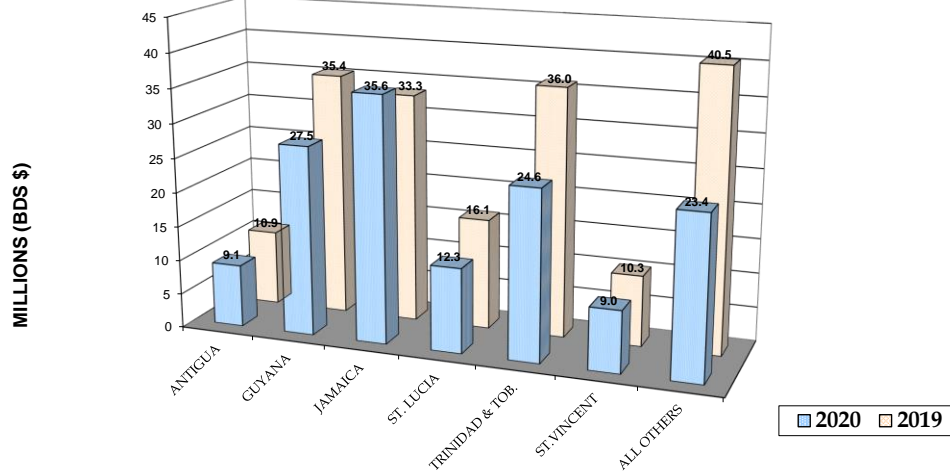
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COUNTRY	IMPORTS (c.i.f)		EXPORTS (f.o.b)					
			DOMESTIC		RE-EXPORTS		TOTAL	
	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020*</u>	<u>2019</u>
ANTIGUA	118,821	13,076,064	9,078,218	10,928,529	3,310,123	3,732,529	12,388,341	14,661,058
BELIZE	1,729,513	3,429,554	1,242,427	1,110,973	118,592	110,719	1,361,019	1,221,692
DOMINICA	399,281	356,813	5,628,521	9,847,698	1,060,736	1,930,380	6,689,257	11,778,078
GRENADA	659,864	787,271	7,023,332	12,947,763	4,677,437	2,449,500	11,700,769	15,397,263
GUYANA	8,805,012	12,629,548	27,531,291	35,392,900	2,180,201	433,997	29,711,492	35,826,897
HAITI	36,518	110,877	511,522	414,072	954,998	87,428	1,466,520	501,500
JAMAICA	23,410,250	17,093,821	35,625,917	33,316,953	680,827	2,100,414	36,306,744	35,417,367
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	51,929	7,228	5,430,585	9,767,501	1,313,481	1,368,851	6,744,066	11,136,352
ST. LUCIA	12,126,352	4,625,787	12,314,022	16,115,171	6,606,179	4,164,742	18,920,201	20,279,913
MONSTERRAT	-	9,627	600,017	579,895	230,742	112,879	830,759	692,774
SURINAME	8,430,288	5,891,588	3,006,625	5,791,166	1,262,476	15,009	4,269,101	5,806,175
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	276,146,054	274,011,883	24,629,613	36,023,838	2,170,193	1,193,702	26,799,806	37,217,540
ST. VINCENT	8,297,947	8,227,934	8,973,826	10,312,781	3,105,124	3,957,621	12,078,950	14,270,402
CARICOM TOTAL *	340,211,829	340,257,995	141,595,916	182,549,240	27,671,109	21,657,771	169,267,025	204,207,011
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	21,654,194	27,090,724	49,048,521	70,499,338	20,303,822	17,716,502	69,352,343	88,215,840

CARICOM IMPORTS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019



CARICOM DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019



**PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019**

SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
		2020	2019
IMPORTS	048 Cereal, Flour, Starch	4,356,131	3,954,019
	098 Edible Products	6,528,204	7,375,652
	334 Petroleum Products Refined	35,391,958	45,203,287
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	5,055,452	7,345,584
	716 Rotating Electric Plant	9,038,756	1,165,209
	752 Data Processing Machines	5,039,764	2,875,458
	781 Motor Cars	6,131,210	5,468,921
	782 Goods And Special Purpose M.V.	5,628,106	3,612,204
	783 Road Motor Vehicles	21,185,118	342,713
	893 Articles Of Plastic	5,360,998	6,021,625
DOMESTIC EXPORTS	048 Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,953,414	1,970,076
	091 Margarine And Shortening	1,387,124	1,661,698
	112 Alcoholic Beverages	6,861,198	6,627,884
	282 Ferrous Waste And Scrap	2,084,000	1,448,000
	333 Petroleum Crude	2,356,031	-
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	953,995	1,999,229
	591 Disinfectants,Insecticides	5,138,543	1,233,431
	661 Lime, Cement	2,031,461	5,386,237
	692 Metal Containers	1,716,390	1,070,748
	892 Printed Matter	2,964,307	2,300,073
RE-EXPORTS	334 Petroleum Products Refined	8,948,100	12,206,753
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,260,665	1,773,714
	598 Misc. Chemical Products	4,052,545	10,606
	658 Made-Up Textile Articles	619,855	45,616
	841 Male Clothing-Non Knitted	503,399	78,621
	842 Female Clothing Non Knitted	418,990	301,371
	845 Articles Of Apparel	942,091	318,207
	851 Footwear	432,077	759,736
	874 Measuring Checking Instruments	727,885	16,814
	897 Jewellery	553,826	4,942,406

**SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019**

TABLE 9

COMMODITY	SITC CODE	(BDS \$)			
		<u>2020</u>	%	<u>2019</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	40,000	0.1	145,714	0.3
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	1,387,124	3.7	1,661,698	3.8
RUM	112.441/449	6,484,292	17.5	6,116,111	13.9
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	611,996	1.6	1,409,317	3.2
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	954,247	2.6	2,006,967	4.6
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	25,258	0.1	42,330	0.1
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	5,138,543	13.8	1,233,431	2.8
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	613,932	1.7	568,845	1.3
CEMENT	661.222	2,018,897	5.4	5,353,778	12.2
METAL CONTAINERS	692	1,716,390	4.6	1,070,748	2.4
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	19,380	0.1	63,815	0.1
CLOTHING	841-848	8,649	0.0	14,772	0.0
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		19,018,708	51.2	19,687,526	44.8
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	935,510	2.5	737,814	1.7
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		17,167,494	46.2	23,526,430	53.5
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		37,121,712	100.0	43,951,770	100.0

NOTE: Electronic Components includes printed circuits for motor vehicles

**SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019**

TABLE 10

(BDS \$)					
COMMODITY	SITC CODE	JANUARY - JULY			
		<u>2020</u>	%	<u>2019</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	264,050	0.1	265,736	0.1
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	11,865,197	4.6	10,839,486	3.5
RUM	112.441/449	41,182,985	16.0	48,202,937	15.4
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	5,629,924	2.2	10,574,216	3.4
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	12,485,654	4.9	20,101,524	6.4
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	162,023	0.1	287,155	0.1
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	20,706,647	8.1	9,015,366	2.9
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	3,436,883	1.3	4,237,007	1.4
CEMENT	661.222	19,593,259	7.6	32,520,865	10.4
METAL CONTAINERS	692	8,154,077	3.2	7,935,683	2.5
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	504,040	0.2	316,327	0.1
CLOTHING	841-848	25,559	0.0	107,701	0.0
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		124,010,298	48.2	144,404,003	46.1
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	6,199,457	2.4	7,828,432	2.5
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		126,845,681	49.3	160,980,096	51.4
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		257,055,436	100.0	313,212,531	100.0

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

MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2019

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2020	2019
UNITED STATES	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	16,929,581	13,962,058
	098	Edible Products	25,258,985	27,757,178
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	12,284,764	14,796,535
	642	Articles Of Paper	16,294,432	19,549,390
	716	Rotating Electric Plant	12,495,305	2,180,143
	741	Heating Cooling Equipment	13,103,244	11,043,764
	752	Data Processing Machines	26,914,658	13,078,126
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	13,041,644	11,361,373
	872	Medical Appliances	13,996,156	6,796,293
	893	Articles Of Plastic	16,301,859	14,911,866
TRINIDAD & TOB.	034	Fish Fresh, Chilled, Frozen	4,955,490	3,071,635
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	11,025,425	9,894,673
	098	Edible Products	9,891,704	6,438,256
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	9,467,844	11,679,795
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	4,016,225	2,194,991
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	171,929,699	191,029,161
	342	Liquified Propane, Butane	5,312,983	3,063,886
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	5,596,586	4,659,313
	642	Articles Of Paper	8,614,574	8,218,813
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	3,208,672	110,233
PANAMA	034	Fish Fresh, Chilled, Frozen	1,053,658	3,329,970
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	4,858,074	-
	541	Medicinal Pharmacy Products	1,186,911	39,623
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	24,739,395	1,424,576
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	699,894	5,252
	641	Paper And Paper Products	1,627,403	2,114
	727	Food Processing Machinery	1,040,035	-
	783	Road Motor Vehicles	20,097,000	-
	851	Footwear	1,396,854	440,335
	893	Articles Of Plastic	798,805	84,868
NETHERLANDS	022	Milk And Cream	469,135	974,286
	054	Vegetables Fresh/Chilled,Frozen,Dry	3,721,988	4,153,554
	056	Vegetables/Roots Prep., Preserved	1,622,508	1,446,864
	081	Feeding Stuff, Animals	526,273	332,473
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	91,207,187	116,807,317
	512	Alcohols, Phenols	660,975	74,565
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	458,698	105,090
	562	Fertilizers, Manufactured	569,945	-
	597	Prep. Additives For Mineral Oils	963,251	872,778
	893	Articles Of Plastic	617,194	224,588
UNITED KINGDOM	012	Other Meat Fresh, Chilled	2,951,247	2,739,533
	022	Milk And Cream	2,827,362	851,303
	024	Cheese And Curd	2,651,300	3,589,134
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,895,301	2,172,017
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	3,398,994	1,909,828
	776	Valves Tubes Diodes	3,206,414	1,400,194
	781	Motor Cars	3,745,641	2,319,340
	784	Motor Vehicle Parts	2,924,235	3,030,480
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	2,240,764	414,366
	892	Printed Matter	4,063,042	4,601,868

MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2020	2019
UNITED STATES	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	3,076,069	2,223,813
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	14,037,987	21,665,778
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	1,495,478	1,255,839
	713	Internal Combustion Engines	5,001,000	57,290
	726	Printing, Binding Machinery	586,616	5,235
	745	Other Non-Electric Machinery	2,452,585	29,368
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	4,956,052	5,121,739
	793	Ships And Boats	1,632,600	3,943,270
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	1,249,906	3,223,049
	971	Non-Monetary Gold	909,148	1,114,360
JAMAICA	047	Other Cereals, Meals, Flours	751,561	761,742
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	3,086,078	2,214,911
	098	Edible Products	679,126	229,641
	333	Petroleum Crude	13,753,788	8,423,606
	512	Alcohols, Phenols	2,989,021	5,110,101
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	417,683	413,044
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,974,739	3,628,334
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	1,623,669	876,993
	692	Metal Containers	4,659,564	5,369,729
	892	Printed Matter	3,507,305	3,668,263
TRINIDAD & TOB.	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,683,266	1,619,502
	091	Margarine And Shortening	6,155,933	4,946,861
	098	Edible Products	284,124	280,785
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	318,710	472,303
	421	Fixed Vegetable Oils And Fat, Soft	580,962	808,299
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	3,439,819	2,943,793
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	660,659	233,930
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	4,952,899	3,019,958
	692	Metal Containers	2,923,864	1,898,674
	892	Printed Matter	1,878,343	1,401,582
GUYANA	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	1,497,264	1,587,922
	047	Other Cereals, Meals, Flours	387,056	308,502
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,634,289	1,593,165
	091	Margarine And Shortening	755,245	702,518
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	729,695	1,763,315
	591	Disinfectants,Insecticides	612,814	168,870
	642	Articles Of Paper	539,632	703,398
	661	Lime, Cement	16,779,626	23,616,001
	892	Printed Matter	1,424,264	1,602,489
	893	Articles Of Plastic	788,293	826,374
CANADA	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	548,577	337,705
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	6,500,914	9,200,160
	282	Ferrous Waste And Scrap	5,472,000	6,228,000
	512	Alcohols, Phenols	1,066,897	-
	579	Waste Parings, Scraps, Plastic	230,000	255,000
	642	Articles Of Paper	1,440,020	1,540,152
	713	Internal Combustion Engines	1,000,000	-
	778	Electrical Machinery & Apparatus	720,000	612,000
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	300,572	39,793
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	185,166	232,934

MAIN RE- EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2020	2019
SHIPS STORES	334	Petroleum Products Refined	130,149,959	129,104,611
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	18,715	-
UNITED STATES	778	Electrical Machinery & Apparatus	248,259	175,018
	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	301,631	1,233,142
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	1,406,094	1,396,040
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	1,134,906	1,847,488
	844	Female Clothing Knitted	249,889	300,176
	845	Articles Of Apparel	1,013,109	2,192,520
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	240,868	475,484
	851	Footwear	825,972	2,189,975
	885	Watches And Clocks	257,815	24,405,143
	897	Jewellery	1,276,772	20,761,382
ST. LUCIA	541	Medicinal Pharmacy Products	410,480	319,597
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,286,291	1,632,202
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	853,619	62,636
	574	Polyacetate Expoxide Primary	148,128	4,322
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	600,736	30,243
	665	Glassware	300,762	244,809
	782	Goods And Special Purpose M.V.	237,598	-
	784	Motor Vehicle Parts	194,012	1,116
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	256,613	539,073
TRINIDAD & TOB.	872	Medical Appliances	320,329	150,971
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	19,600	314,290
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	4,649	228,020
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	283,853	155,765
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	1,376,162	7,274
	621	Materials Of Rubber	2,400	-
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	210,760	30
	821	Furniture And Parts	204,560	8,000
	845	Articles Of Apparel	10,000	-
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	38,991	250
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	6,000	-
GUYANA	017	Meat Prepared	58,943	-
	037	Fish, Crustaceans	18,975	-
	056	Vegetables/Roots Prep., Preserved	38,828	-
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	100,375	135,659
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	613,776	281,701
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	33,530	-
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	1,040,509	3,115
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	152,920	-
	724	Textile Leather Machinery	52,800	-
	752	Data Processing Machines	39,718	-

PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM
JANUARY - JULY 2020 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2019

SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
		2020	2019
IMPORTS	048 Cereal, Flour, Starch	28,892,383	30,599,970
	098 Edible Products	49,950,355	53,217,638
	334 Petroleum Products Refined	322,568,717	415,906,839
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	50,479,560	51,509,298
	642 Articles Of Paper	35,561,512	36,482,802
	716 Rotating Electric Plant	64,735,772	5,601,743
	752 Data Processing Machines	30,459,179	20,063,074
	781 Motor Cars	49,840,949	48,574,275
	782 Goods And Special Purpose M.V.	28,907,720	31,497,543
	893 Articles Of Plastic	33,618,196	34,346,087
DOMESTIC EXPORTS	048 Cereal, Flour, Starch	13,183,962	11,590,413
	091 Margarine And Shortening	11,865,197	10,839,486
	112 Alcoholic Beverages	43,952,388	52,759,000
	282 Ferrous Waste And Scrap	6,860,513	7,925,000
	333 Petroleum Crude	13,753,788	19,285,221
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	12,465,761	20,016,691
	591 Disinfectants,Insecticides	20,706,647	9,015,366
	661 Lime, Cement	19,702,361	32,577,841
	692 Metal Containers	8,154,077	7,935,683
	892 Printed Matter	15,123,356	15,493,392
RE-EXPORTS	098 Edible Products	1,451,314	310,372
	334 Petroleum Products Refined	130,151,356	129,104,755
	542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	13,701,204	12,107,383
	554 Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	1,589,456	419,856
	598 Misc. Chemical Products	4,366,894	338,504
	752 Data Processing Machines	1,635,902	24,301
	841 Male Clothing-Non Knitted	1,426,776	1,568,063
	845 Articles Of Apparel	1,673,117	2,402,570
	874 Measuring Checking Instruments	2,493,970	614,666
	897 Jewellery	2,112,581	21,705,372