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## U.S. INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN GOODS AND SERVICES

### August 2008

#### Goods and Services

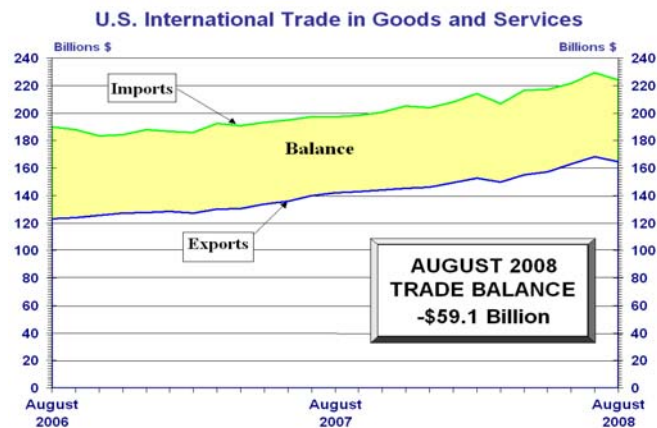
The U.S. Census Bureau and the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, through the Department of Commerce, announced today that total August exports of **\$164.7 billion** and imports of **\$223.9 billion** resulted in a goods and services deficit of **\$59.1 billion**, down from \$61.3 billion in July, revised. August exports were \$3.4 billion less than July exports of \$168.1 billion. August imports were \$5.5 billion less than July imports of \$229.4 billion.

In August, the goods deficit decreased \$3.2 billion from July to \$70.9 billion, and the services surplus decreased \$1.0 billion to \$11.8 billion. Exports of goods decreased \$3.2 billion to \$117.6 billion, and imports of goods decreased \$6.4 billion to \$188.5 billion. Exports of services decreased \$0.2 billion to \$47.1 billion, and imports of services increased \$0.9 billion to \$35.3 billion.

In August 2008, the goods and services deficit increased \$3.8 billion from August 2007. Exports were up \$22.6 billion, or 15.9 percent, and imports were up \$26.4 billion, or 13.4 percent.

#### Goods

The July to August change in exports of goods reflected decreases in *automotive vehicles, parts, and engines* (\$1.7 billion); *industrial supplies and materials* (\$1.2 billion); *consumer goods* (\$0.9 billion); and *foods,*



*feeds, and beverages* (\$0.2 billion). Increases occurred in *capital goods* (\$0.8 billion) and *other goods* (\$0.2 billion).

The July to August change in imports of goods reflected decreases in *industrial supplies and materials* (\$6.2 billion); *automotive vehicles, parts, and engines* (\$1.2 billion); *capital goods* (\$0.8 billion); and *other goods* (\$0.3 billion). Increases occurred in *consumer goods* (\$2.3 billion) and *foods, feeds, and beverages* (\$0.2 billion).

The August 2007 to August 2008 change in exports of goods reflected increases in *industrial supplies and materials* (\$9.7 billion); *capital goods* (\$4.2 billion); *foods, feeds, and beverages* (\$2.6 billion); *consumer goods* (\$1.6 billion); *other goods* (\$0.8 billion); and *automotive vehicles, parts, and engines* (\$0.2 billion).

The August 2007 to August 2008 change in imports of goods reflected increases in *industrial supplies and materials* (\$20.2 billion); *consumer goods* (\$4.1 billion); *capital goods* (\$1.0 billion); *foods, feeds, and beverages* (\$0.8 billion); and *other goods* (\$0.4 billion). A decrease occurred in *automotive vehicles, parts, and engines* (\$2.7 billion).

## Services

Services exports decreased \$0.2 billion from July to August. The decrease was more than accounted for by decreases in *other private services* (which includes items such as business, professional, and technical services, insurance services, and financial services) and *other transportation* (which includes freight and port services). Increases in *royalties and license fees* and *transfers under U.S. military sales contracts* were partly offsetting. Changes in other categories of services exports were small.

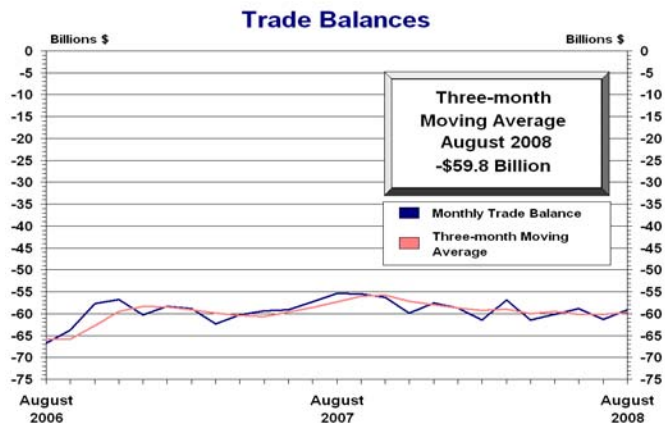
Services imports increased \$0.9 billion from July to August. *Royalties and license fees* increased \$0.9 billion; it includes payments for the rights to broadcast the 2008 Summer Olympic Games. Decreases in *other transportation* and *passenger fares* were partly offsetting. Changes in other categories of services imports were small.

From August 2007 to August 2008, services exports increased \$3.5 billion. The largest increases were in *travel* (\$1.4 billion), *other transportation* (\$0.9 billion), and *passenger fares* (\$0.7 billion).

From August 2007 to August 2008, services imports increased \$3.1 billion. The largest increases were in *royalties and license fees* (\$1.2 billion) and *other transportation* (\$0.6 billion).

## Goods and Services Moving Average

For the three months ending in August, exports of goods and services averaged \$165.2 billion, while imports of goods and services averaged \$225.0 billion, resulting in an average trade deficit of \$59.8 billion. For the three months ending in July, the average trade deficit was \$60.1 billion, reflecting average exports of \$162.6 billion and average imports of \$222.7 billion.



## Selected Not Seasonally Adjusted Goods Details

The August figures showed surpluses, in billions of dollars, with Hong Kong \$1.2 (\$1.1 for July), Singapore \$1.2 (\$0.9), Australia \$1.0 (\$1.2), and Egypt \$0.4 (\$0.5). Deficits were recorded, in billions of dollars, with China \$25.3 (\$24.9), OPEC \$19.2 (\$24.2), Canada \$7.4 (\$8.2), the European Union \$6.8 (\$11.0), Mexico \$5.9 (\$5.5), Japan \$4.8 (\$6.3), Venezuela \$4.6 (\$5.4), Nigeria \$3.4 (\$3.8), Taiwan \$1.1 (\$0.5), and Korea \$0.7 (\$1.3).

Advanced technology products (ATP) exports were \$25.1 billion in August and imports were \$28.3 billion, resulting in a deficit of \$3.2 billion. August exports were \$1.8 billion more than the \$23.3 billion in July, while imports were \$2.1 billion less than the \$30.4 billion in July.

## Revisions

Goods carry-over in August was \$0.3 billion (0.2 percent) for exports and \$2.5 billion (1.3 percent) for imports. For July, revised export carry-over was \$0.1 billion (0.1 percent), revised down from \$0.4 billion (0.3 percent). For July, revised import carry-over was \$0.2 billion (0.1 percent), revised down from \$2.2 billion (1.1 percent).

Services exports for July were revised down \$0.1 billion to \$47.3 billion. The revision was mostly accounted for by a downward revision in *other transportation*. Services imports for July were revised down \$0.3 billion to \$34.4 billion. The revision was mostly accounted for by downward revisions in *travel* and *passenger fares*.

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**Part A: Seasonally Adjusted**

**Exhibit 1. U.S. International Trade in Goods and Services**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Balance			Exports			Imports		
	Total	Goods (1)	Services	Total	Goods (1)	Services	Total	Goods (1)	Services
<b>2006</b>									
Jan.- Dec.	-753,283	-838,270	84,987	1,457,014	1,023,109	433,905	2,210,298	1,861,380	348,918
Jan.- Aug.	-514,615	-567,834	53,219	952,505	669,735	282,770	1,467,120	1,237,569	229,551
January	-65,538	-72,390	6,852	115,225	80,577	34,648	180,763	152,967	27,796
February	-62,298	-68,315	6,017	116,026	81,421	34,605	178,324	149,736	28,588
March	-61,251	-67,902	6,651	117,929	82,682	35,247	179,179	150,583	28,596
April	-62,690	-69,252	6,562	117,882	82,749	35,133	180,572	152,001	28,571
May	-65,166	-71,899	6,733	119,928	84,171	35,757	185,094	156,070	29,024
June	-63,986	-70,534	6,548	121,960	86,412	35,548	185,945	156,945	29,000
July	-66,965	-73,638	6,673	120,314	84,645	35,669	187,278	158,282	28,996
August	-66,720	-73,905	7,185	123,244	87,080	36,164	189,965	160,986	28,979
September	-63,786	-71,080	7,294	124,086	87,553	36,533	187,872	158,633	29,239
October	-57,726	-65,617	7,891	125,640	87,983	37,657	183,365	153,599	29,766
November	-56,850	-64,975	8,125	127,268	89,005	38,263	184,118	153,980	30,138
December	-60,310	-68,765	8,455	127,514	88,834	38,680	187,823	157,598	30,225
<b>2007</b>									
Jan.- Dec.	-700,258	-819,373	119,115	1,645,726	1,148,481	497,245	2,345,983	1,967,853	378,130
Jan.- Aug.	-471,012	-543,716	72,704	1,067,482	745,832	321,650	1,538,494	1,289,548	248,946
January	-58,411	-66,208	7,797	128,315	90,257	38,058	186,726	156,465	30,261
February	-58,810	-66,443	7,633	126,987	89,007	37,980	185,797	155,450	30,347
March	-62,322	-70,712	8,390	130,134	91,054	39,080	192,456	161,766	30,690
April	-60,259	-68,754	8,495	130,520	91,210	39,310	190,779	159,964	30,815
May	-59,435	-68,472	9,037	133,687	93,411	40,276	193,122	161,883	31,239
June	-59,125	-68,661	9,536	135,744	94,867	40,877	194,869	163,528	31,341
July	-57,317	-67,794	10,477	139,982	97,502	42,480	197,299	165,296	32,003
August	-55,333	-66,672	11,339	142,113	98,524	43,589	197,446	165,196	32,250
September	-55,464	-66,738	11,274	142,778	99,468	43,310	198,243	166,207	32,036
October	-56,333	-67,713	11,380	144,108	100,371	43,737	200,441	168,084	32,357
November	-59,871	-71,697	11,826	145,214	100,968	44,246	205,084	172,664	32,420
December	-57,579	-69,509	11,930	146,144	101,842	44,302	203,722	171,350	32,372
<b>2008</b>									
Jan.- Aug.	-478,103	-572,377	94,274	1,259,267	893,601	365,666	1,737,370	1,465,978	271,392
January	-58,711	-70,147	11,436	149,389	104,686	44,703	208,100	174,833	33,267
February	-61,435	-72,483	11,048	152,551	108,098	44,453	213,985	180,580	33,405
March	-56,964	-68,403	11,439	149,706	105,029	44,677	206,670	173,432	33,238
April	-61,508	-72,950	11,442	155,094	110,059	45,035	216,602	183,009	33,593
May	-60,208	-72,111	11,903	156,935	110,998	45,937	217,143	183,109	34,034
June	-58,835	-71,267	12,432	162,788	116,255	46,533	221,624	187,523	34,101
July (R)	-61,305	-74,116	12,811	168,089	120,834	47,255	229,393	194,949	34,444
August	-59,138	-70,901	11,763	164,715	117,642	47,073	223,853	188,543	35,310
September									
October									
November									
December									

July data as published last month:

-62,198      -74,874      12,676      168,148      120,776      47,372      230,347      195,651      34,696

NOTE: (1) Data presented on a Balance of Payments (BOP) basis. For information on data sources and methodology, see the information section on page A-1 of this release, or at [www.census.gov/ft900](http://www.census.gov/ft900) or [www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm](http://www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm).

<b>Part A: Seasonally Adjusted</b>
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**Exhibit 2. U.S. International Trade in Goods and Services  
Three-month Moving Averages**

(R) - Revised.

Month of Moving Average	Balance			Exports			Imports		
	Total	Goods (1)	Services	Total	Goods (1)	Services	Total	Goods (1)	Services
<b>2006</b>									
January	-64,322	-71,022	6,700	113,047	79,080	33,967	177,369	150,102	27,268
February	-63,928	-70,502	6,574	114,821	80,394	34,426	178,748	150,896	27,852
March	-63,029	-69,536	6,507	116,393	81,560	34,833	179,422	151,095	28,327
April	-62,080	-68,490	6,410	117,279	82,284	34,995	179,358	150,773	28,585
May	-63,035	-69,684	6,649	118,580	83,201	35,379	181,615	152,885	28,730
June	-63,947	-70,561	6,614	119,923	84,444	35,479	183,870	155,005	28,865
July	-65,372	-72,023	6,651	120,734	85,076	35,658	186,106	157,099	29,007
August	-65,890	-72,692	6,802	121,839	86,045	35,794	187,729	158,738	28,992
September	-65,824	-72,874	7,051	122,548	86,426	36,122	188,371	159,300	29,071
October	-62,744	-70,201	7,457	124,323	87,538	36,785	187,067	157,739	29,328
November	-59,454	-67,224	7,770	125,664	88,180	37,484	185,118	155,404	29,714
December	-58,295	-66,452	8,157	126,807	88,607	38,200	185,102	155,059	30,043
<b>2007</b>									
January	-58,524	-66,649	8,126	127,699	89,365	38,334	186,222	156,014	30,208
February	-59,177	-67,138	7,962	127,605	89,366	38,239	186,782	156,504	30,278
March	-59,848	-67,788	7,940	128,479	90,106	38,373	188,326	157,894	30,433
April	-60,464	-68,637	8,173	129,214	90,424	38,790	189,677	159,060	30,617
May	-60,672	-69,313	8,641	131,447	91,892	39,555	192,119	161,204	30,915
June	-59,606	-68,629	9,023	133,317	93,163	40,154	192,923	161,792	31,132
July	-58,626	-68,309	9,683	136,471	95,260	41,211	195,097	163,569	31,528
August	-57,258	-67,709	10,451	139,280	96,964	42,315	196,538	164,673	31,865
September	-56,038	-67,068	11,030	141,624	98,498	43,126	197,662	165,566	32,096
October	-55,710	-67,041	11,331	143,000	99,455	43,545	198,710	166,496	32,214
November	-57,223	-68,716	11,493	144,033	100,269	43,764	201,256	168,985	32,271
December	-57,928	-69,640	11,712	145,155	101,060	44,095	203,083	170,700	32,383
<b>2008</b>									
January	-58,720	-70,451	11,731	146,915	102,498	44,417	205,636	172,949	32,686
February	-59,242	-70,713	11,471	149,361	104,875	44,486	208,603	175,588	33,015
March	-59,036	-70,344	11,308	150,549	105,938	44,611	209,585	176,282	33,303
April	-59,969	-71,278	11,310	152,450	107,729	44,722	212,419	179,007	33,412
May	-59,560	-71,154	11,595	153,912	108,695	45,216	213,471	179,850	33,622
June	-60,184	-72,109	11,926	158,272	112,437	45,835	218,456	184,547	33,909
July (R)	-60,116	-72,498	12,382	162,604	116,029	46,575	222,720	188,527	34,193
August	-59,759	-72,095	12,335	165,197	118,244	46,954	224,957	190,338	34,618
September									
October									
November									
December									

(1) Data presented on a Balance of Payments (BOP) basis. For information on data sources and methodology, see the information section on page A-1 of this release, or at [www.census.gov/ft900](http://www.census.gov/ft900) or [www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm](http://www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm).

NOTE: The three-month moving averages shown in this exhibit are computed by summing the subject month, the two prior months, dividing by three and showing the average at the end month of the period. A moving average is useful in smoothing the volatile trade data so that trends can better be discerned.

**Part A: Seasonally Adjusted**

**Exhibit 3. U.S. Services by Major Category--Exports**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Total Services	Travel	Passenger Fares	Other Transportation	Royalties and License Fees	Other Private Services	Transfers Under U.S. Military Sales Contracts	U.S. Government Misc. Services
<b>2006</b>								
Jan. - Dec.	433,905	85,720	22,036	46,323	72,191	189,050	17,430	1,155
Jan.-Aug.	282,770	56,504	14,588	30,634	46,402	122,143	11,740	759
January	34,648	7,112	1,860	3,668	5,443	14,910	1,564	91
February	34,605	6,856	1,732	3,642	5,634	15,084	1,564	93
March	35,247	6,938	1,784	3,805	5,768	15,386	1,474	93
April	35,133	7,059	1,814	3,879	5,767	15,107	1,412	95
May	35,757	7,193	1,836	3,861	5,843	15,473	1,456	95
June	35,548	7,032	1,815	3,885	5,920	15,416	1,384	96
July	35,669	7,177	1,876	3,852	5,963	15,273	1,430	98
August	36,164	7,137	1,871	4,043	6,065	15,494	1,456	98
September	36,533	7,161	1,900	3,893	6,192	15,832	1,457	98
October	37,657	7,229	1,825	3,861	6,477	16,737	1,429	99
November	38,263	7,360	1,854	3,952	6,557	17,078	1,363	99
December	38,680	7,466	1,868	3,983	6,563	17,261	1,441	99
<b>2007</b>								
Jan. - Dec.	497,245	96,712	25,586	51,586	82,614	223,483	16,052	1,212
Jan.-Aug.	321,650	61,732	16,116	33,430	53,389	144,953	11,242	788
January	38,058	7,219	1,903	3,986	6,325	16,883	1,643	99
February	37,980	7,079	1,891	3,958	6,312	17,034	1,606	99
March	39,080	7,520	2,006	4,132	6,354	17,590	1,380	98
April	39,310	7,586	1,964	4,179	6,465	17,714	1,305	97
May	40,276	7,740	2,007	4,231	6,607	18,182	1,414	96
June	40,877	7,828	2,025	4,230	6,793	18,626	1,281	95
July	42,480	8,292	2,155	4,326	7,191	19,090	1,324	101
August	43,589	8,468	2,165	4,389	7,341	19,834	1,289	103
September	43,310	8,481	2,210	4,366	7,408	19,472	1,268	105
October	43,737	8,753	2,379	4,483	7,258	19,568	1,190	106
November	44,246	8,866	2,399	4,695	7,265	19,725	1,188	107
December	44,302	8,880	2,481	4,611	7,294	19,765	1,163	107
<b>2008</b>								
Jan.-Aug.	365,666	74,999	21,269	40,862	59,054	158,371	10,273	839
January	44,703	8,880	2,457	4,900	7,127	19,493	1,745	100
February	44,453	9,069	2,528	4,870	7,181	19,291	1,414	99
March	44,677	9,111	2,638	4,862	7,250	19,504	1,212	100
April	45,035	9,102	2,493	5,108	7,343	19,729	1,153	107
May	45,937	9,482	2,623	5,202	7,421	19,893	1,207	109
June	46,533	9,659	2,788	5,268	7,499	20,055	1,156	109
July (R)	47,255	9,828	2,864	5,369	7,578	20,342	1,168	107
August	47,073	9,868	2,878	5,283	7,654	20,063	1,218	108
September								
October								
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NOTE: For information on data sources, methodology, and details of what is included in each service category, see the information section on page A-1 of this release, or at [www.census.gov/ft900](http://www.census.gov/ft900) or [www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm](http://www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm).

**Part A: Seasonally Adjusted**

**Exhibit 4. U.S. Services by Major Category--Imports**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Total Services	Travel	Passenger Fares	Other Transportation	Royalties and License Fees	Other Private Services	Direct Defense Expenditures	U.S. Government Misc. Services
<b>2006</b>								
Jan. - Dec.	348,918	72,104	27,501	65,262	23,777	125,221	31,032	4,021
Jan.-Aug.	229,551	47,584	18,271	43,329	15,645	81,234	20,792	2,695
January	27,796	5,861	2,211	5,321	1,872	9,639	2,561	331
February	28,588	5,810	2,269	5,186	2,458	9,956	2,577	332
March	28,596	5,953	2,268	5,370	1,900	10,188	2,585	333
April	28,571	5,969	2,288	5,355	1,885	10,173	2,565	337
May	29,024	6,056	2,325	5,537	1,874	10,319	2,575	339
June	29,000	5,931	2,315	5,484	1,997	10,339	2,594	340
July	28,996	6,064	2,309	5,494	1,869	10,252	2,666	342
August	28,979	5,940	2,286	5,584	1,790	10,369	2,669	341
September	29,239	6,017	2,295	5,544	1,847	10,548	2,649	339
October	29,766	6,117	2,275	5,518	2,023	10,963	2,539	331
November	30,138	6,163	2,322	5,530	2,101	11,173	2,521	328
December	30,225	6,223	2,338	5,341	2,160	11,304	2,531	328
<b>2007</b>								
Jan. - Dec.	378,130	76,167	28,486	67,050	25,048	144,375	32,820	4,184
Jan.-Aug.	248,946	50,182	18,636	44,384	17,021	94,595	21,385	2,744
January	30,261	6,163	2,210	5,385	2,211	11,346	2,610	336
February	30,347	6,130	2,236	5,310	2,223	11,469	2,640	339
March	30,690	6,245	2,275	5,328	2,208	11,628	2,665	341
April	30,815	6,248	2,296	5,495	2,115	11,638	2,682	340
May	31,239	6,286	2,309	5,706	2,083	11,818	2,697	339
June	31,341	6,315	2,374	5,565	2,061	11,981	2,706	339
July	32,003	6,345	2,435	5,848	2,066	12,274	2,681	353
August	32,250	6,450	2,501	5,746	2,052	12,439	2,704	357
September	32,036	6,452	2,486	5,524	2,036	12,431	2,747	359
October	32,357	6,547	2,440	5,718	1,996	12,438	2,857	360
November	32,420	6,519	2,447	5,752	1,992	12,447	2,902	360
December	32,372	6,467	2,477	5,671	2,002	12,465	2,929	361
<b>2008</b>								
Jan.-Aug.	271,392	54,525	21,620	49,174	18,992	100,560	23,632	2,889
January	33,267	6,810	2,663	5,935	2,172	12,412	2,914	361
February	33,405	6,840	2,646	6,040	2,227	12,368	2,923	361
March	33,238	6,753	2,619	5,894	2,263	12,416	2,932	361
April	33,593	6,754	2,658	6,110	2,253	12,509	2,949	360
May	34,034	6,975	2,687	6,218	2,270	12,572	2,954	359
June	34,101	6,831	2,788	6,231	2,287	12,651	2,953	360
July (R)	34,444	6,770	2,807	6,407	2,303	12,807	2,987	363
August	35,310	6,792	2,752	6,339	3,217	12,826	3,020	364
September								
October								
November								
December								

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## Exhibit 5. U.S. Trade in Goods

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Balance		Exports			Imports		
	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Total Census Basis	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Net Adjustments	Total Census Basis	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Net Adjustments	Total Census Basis
<b>2006</b>								
Jan.- Dec.	-838,270	-817,304	1,023,109	-13,525	1,036,635	1,861,380	7,441	1,853,938
Jan.- Aug.	-567,834	-554,969	669,735	-7,879	677,614	1,237,569	4,986	1,232,584
January	-72,390	-70,861	80,577	-831	81,408	152,967	698	152,269
February	-68,315	-66,850	81,421	-898	82,319	149,736	567	149,168
March	-67,902	-66,323	82,682	-906	83,587	150,583	673	149,910
April	-69,252	-67,760	82,749	-930	83,679	152,001	562	151,439
May	-71,899	-70,285	84,171	-1,025	85,196	156,070	589	155,481
June	-70,534	-68,994	86,412	-973	87,384	156,945	567	156,378
July	-73,638	-71,906	84,645	-1,102	85,747	158,282	629	157,653
August	-73,905	-71,992	87,080	-1,213	88,294	160,986	700	160,285
September	-71,080	-69,191	87,553	-1,284	88,837	158,633	605	158,027
October	-65,617	-63,675	87,983	-1,283	89,265	153,599	659	152,940
November	-64,975	-62,739	89,005	-1,610	90,615	153,980	626	153,354
December	-68,765	-66,729	88,834	-1,470	90,304	157,598	565	157,033
<b>2007</b>								
Jan.- Dec.	-819,373	-794,483	1,148,481	-13,999	1,162,479	1,967,853	10,892	1,956,962
Jan.- Aug.	-543,716	-526,671	745,832	-9,558	755,390	1,289,548	7,486	1,282,061
January	-66,208	-64,418	90,257	-1,247	91,504	156,465	543	155,922
February	-66,443	-64,954	89,007	-1,014	90,021	155,450	475	154,975
March	-70,712	-67,923	91,054	-1,373	92,427	161,766	1,417	160,350
April	-68,754	-66,245	91,210	-1,336	92,546	159,964	1,173	158,791
May	-68,472	-66,103	93,411	-1,248	94,659	161,883	1,122	160,761
June	-68,661	-66,923	94,867	-1,097	95,965	163,528	641	162,888
July	-67,794	-65,546	97,502	-1,167	98,669	165,296	1,081	164,215
August	-66,672	-64,561	98,524	-1,076	99,600	165,196	1,035	164,161
September	-66,738	-64,744	99,468	-900	100,368	166,207	1,094	165,112
October	-67,713	-65,795	100,371	-1,043	101,414	168,084	876	167,209
November	-71,697	-69,632	100,968	-1,433	102,401	172,664	632	172,033
December	-69,509	-67,640	101,842	-1,065	102,906	171,350	804	170,547
<b>2008</b>								
Jan.- Aug.	-572,377	-557,432	893,601	-6,196	899,797	1,465,978	8,749	1,457,229
January	-70,147	-68,557	104,686	-796	105,482	174,833	794	174,039
February	-72,483	-69,919	108,098	-906	109,004	180,580	1,657	178,923
March	-68,403	-66,307	105,029	-512	105,541	173,432	1,584	171,848
April	-72,950	-70,583	110,059	-776	110,835	183,009	1,590	181,418
May	-72,111	-70,811	110,998	-546	111,544	183,109	754	182,355
June	-71,267	-69,802	116,255	-758	117,014	187,523	707	186,816
July (R)	-74,116	-72,260	120,834	-828	121,662	194,949	1,028	193,922
August	-70,901	-69,192	117,642	-1,074	118,716	188,543	635	187,908
September								
October								
November								
December								
July data as published last month:								
	-74,874	-73,018	120,776	-827	121,603	195,651	1,029	194,622

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**Part A: Seasonally Adjusted**

**Exhibit 6. Exports and Imports of Goods by Principal End-Use Category**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Net Adjustments	Total Census Basis (1)	End-Use Commodity Category					
				Foods, Feeds, & Beverages	Industrial Supplies (2)	Capital Goods	Automotive Vehicles, etc.	Consumer Goods	Other Goods
<b>Exports</b>									
<b>2007</b>									
Jan.- Dec.	1,148,481	-13,999	1,162,479	84,264	316,335	447,433	121,045	146,102	47,300
Jan.- Aug.	745,832	-9,558	755,390	52,557	204,447	292,129	79,177	95,860	31,220
January	90,257	-1,247	91,504	6,088	23,783	36,764	9,196	11,730	3,943
February	89,007	-1,014	90,021	6,271	23,755	35,248	9,358	11,549	3,839
March	91,054	-1,373	92,427	6,114	24,874	35,468	9,843	11,931	4,197
April	91,210	-1,336	92,546	6,515	25,352	34,950	9,838	11,937	3,954
May	93,411	-1,248	94,659	6,475	25,874	36,655	9,861	12,087	3,707
June	94,867	-1,097	95,965	6,677	26,979	36,711	9,945	11,837	3,815
July	97,502	-1,167	98,669	6,912	26,466	38,225	10,853	12,349	3,864
August	98,524	-1,076	99,600	7,505	27,365	38,108	10,282	12,440	3,901
September	99,468	-900	100,368	8,054	27,636	38,095	10,428	12,614	3,542
October	100,371	-1,043	101,414	7,700	27,555	38,991	10,502	12,480	4,186
November	100,968	-1,433	102,401	7,967	27,994	38,815	10,836	12,346	4,443
December	101,842	-1,065	102,906	7,986	28,704	39,404	10,101	12,802	3,909
<b>2008</b>									
Jan.- Aug.	893,601	-6,196	899,797	77,775	271,975	320,514	84,278	109,099	36,156
January	104,686	-796	105,482	8,629	29,729	39,377	10,328	13,281	4,137
February	108,098	-906	109,004	9,113	31,775	39,331	10,826	13,364	4,594
March	105,029	-512	105,541	9,599	31,549	37,831	9,442	12,586	4,533
April	110,059	-776	110,835	9,864	32,724	40,111	10,032	13,426	4,678
May	110,998	-546	111,544	9,663	34,178	39,439	10,218	13,422	4,624
June	116,255	-758	117,014	10,402	36,713	40,597	10,796	14,134	4,371
July (R)	120,834	-828	121,662	10,363	38,269	41,500	12,160	14,884	4,487
August	117,642	-1,074	118,716	10,141	37,039	42,327	10,477	14,001	4,732
September									
October									
November									
December									
<b>Imports</b>									
<b>2007</b>									
Jan.- Dec.	1,967,853	10,892	1,956,962	81,683	634,746	444,486	258,920	474,892	62,234
Jan.- Aug.	1,289,548	7,486	1,282,061	53,790	406,594	293,312	171,852	315,499	41,014
January	156,465	543	155,922	6,518	48,741	36,098	21,130	38,498	4,937
February	155,450	475	154,975	6,556	45,603	36,453	21,190	40,044	5,127
March	161,766	1,417	160,350	6,779	49,812	36,324	21,870	40,509	5,055
April	159,964	1,173	158,791	6,616	50,539	36,067	21,345	39,241	4,983
May	161,883	1,122	160,761	6,720	52,042	36,672	20,732	39,429	5,167
June	163,528	641	162,888	6,755	52,826	37,186	21,425	39,490	5,205
July	165,296	1,081	164,215	6,883	53,548	37,228	22,233	39,056	5,268
August	165,196	1,035	164,161	6,963	53,483	37,283	21,928	39,231	5,272
September	166,207	1,094	165,112	6,963	53,505	37,907	22,075	39,377	5,284
October	168,084	876	167,209	6,922	55,139	37,704	22,170	39,975	5,299
November	172,664	632	172,033	7,102	59,198	37,851	22,099	40,314	5,468
December	171,350	804	170,547	6,907	60,310	37,712	20,722	39,727	5,168
<b>2008</b>									
Jan.- Aug.	1,465,978	8,749	1,457,229	59,200	551,426	308,192	166,452	327,357	44,602
January	174,833	794	174,039	7,081	63,954	37,446	21,229	39,059	5,272
February	180,580	1,657	178,923	7,183	64,510	38,272	22,794	40,963	5,201
March	173,432	1,584	171,848	7,088	61,521	37,882	20,299	39,531	5,526
April	183,009	1,590	181,418	7,379	67,502	39,112	21,474	40,194	5,757
May	183,109	754	182,355	7,640	67,067	39,782	20,472	41,840	5,554
June	187,523	707	186,816	7,500	73,363	38,441	20,530	41,331	5,652
July (R)	194,949	1,028	193,922	7,544	79,857	39,012	20,443	41,073	5,992
August	188,543	635	187,908	7,786	73,652	38,244	19,211	43,366	5,650
September									
October									
November									
December									

(1) Detailed data are presented on a Census basis. The information needed to convert to a BOP basis is not available.

(2) Includes petroleum and petroleum products.

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## Exhibit 7. Exports of Goods by End-Use Category and Commodity

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. The commodities in this exhibit are ranked on the monthly change within each major commodity grouping. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. (R) - Revised.

Item (1)	August 2008	July 2008 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-Date 2008	Year-to-Date 2007	Year-to-Date Change
<b>Total, Balance of Payments Basis</b>	<b>117,642</b>	<b>120,834</b>	<b>-3,192</b>	<b>893,601</b>	<b>745,832</b>	<b>147,769</b>
<b>Net Adjustments</b>	<b>-1,074</b>	<b>-828</b>	<b>-246</b>	<b>-6,196</b>	<b>-9,558</b>	<b>3,362</b>
<b>Total, Census Basis</b>	<b>118,716</b>	<b>121,662</b>	<b>-2,946</b>	<b>899,797</b>	<b>755,390</b>	<b>144,407</b>
<b>Foods, feeds, and beverages</b>	<b>10,141</b>	<b>10,363</b>	<b>-221</b>	<b>77,775</b>	<b>52,557</b>	<b>25,217</b>
Soybeans	1,460	1,836	-376	12,966	6,557	6,410
Animal feeds, n.e.c.	513	612	-99	4,214	2,890	1,324
Fish and shellfish	368	390	-22	2,932	2,895	37
Rice	208	226	-18	1,545	976	570
Wine, beer, and related products	107	120	-13	863	797	66
Nonagricultural foods, etc.	107	113	-6	853	753	100
Other foods	717	717	-1	5,525	4,776	749
Bakery products	350	351	(-)	2,640	2,253	387
Alcoholic beverages, excluding wine	112	112	(-)	873	759	114
Nuts	369	365	5	2,731	2,280	451
Dairy products and eggs	301	281	20	2,417	1,372	1,045
Corn	1,491	1,468	24	10,856	6,961	3,894
Wheat	1,210	1,184	26	8,680	4,453	4,227
Vegetables	468	440	28	3,359	2,793	566
Fruits, frozen juices	644	615	29	4,803	4,017	786
Sorghum, barley, oats	121	84	36	1,113	518	594
Oilseeds, food oils	275	230	45	2,446	1,219	1,226
Meat, poultry, etc.	1,321	1,220	100	8,959	6,287	2,673
<b>Industrial supplies and materials</b>	<b>37,039</b>	<b>38,269</b>	<b>-1,230</b>	<b>271,975</b>	<b>204,447</b>	<b>67,528</b>
Nonmonetary gold	942	1,849	-907	13,703	9,176	4,527
Petroleum products, other	2,685	3,232	-547	20,007	12,315	7,692
Nonferrous metals, other	534	728	-195	5,260	5,028	232
Plastic materials	2,964	3,110	-146	22,569	18,917	3,652
Gas-natural	317	436	-119	3,284	2,287	997
Agric. farming-unmanufactured	194	306	-111	1,751	1,370	381
Nuclear fuel materials	186	284	-98	1,565	1,558	7
Precious metals, other	940	1,010	-70	8,207	5,352	2,855
Tobacco, unmanufactured	43	99	-56	851	762	89
Iron and steel mill products	1,133	1,175	-42	7,842	5,723	2,119
Aluminum and alumina	865	902	-37	6,151	5,162	989
Natural gas liquids	292	328	-37	2,372	1,218	1,154
Logs and lumber	381	417	-35	3,036	3,173	-137
Manmade cloth	513	543	-30	4,139	3,834	305
Chemicals-other	2,052	2,080	-28	15,703	13,409	2,294
Coal and fuels, other	161	184	-23	1,688	984	704
Glass-plate, sheet, etc.	143	164	-22	1,131	949	183
Hides and skins	148	169	-21	1,398	1,468	-70
Synthetic rubber-primary	342	361	-20	2,663	2,360	304
Pulpwood and woodpulp	705	723	-18	5,647	4,432	1,215
Electric energy	119	133	-14	1,054	576	478
Leather and furs	68	82	-14	694	754	-60
Finished textile supplies	205	217	-12	1,641	1,670	-29
Cotton fiber cloth	244	251	-8	1,907	1,913	-6
Tapes, audio and visual	45	52	-7	358	414	-56
Mineral supplies-manufactured	444	450	-6	3,396	3,232	164
Shingles, molding, wallboard	356	362	-6	2,586	2,219	367
Hair, waste materials	56	62	-6	421	397	24
Wood supplies, manufactured	125	129	-4	977	820	157
Finished metal shapes	1,469	1,471	-2	11,399	10,052	1,348
Industrial rubber products	295	296	-1	2,260	2,158	103
Nontextile floor tiles	43	44	-1	333	298	35
Iron and steel products, other	665	665	-1	4,799	3,772	1,027
Agriculture-manufactured, other	194	192	2	1,469	1,254	215
Other industrial supplies	1,812	1,802	10	13,679	13,169	509
Nonmetallic minerals	98	77	21	550	378	172
Newsprint	1,118	1,089	29	8,385	7,583	802
Chemicals-fertilizers	1,175	1,141	33	7,008	3,823	3,185
Steelmaking materials	1,609	1,575	34	10,227	6,383	3,845
Copper	692	648	44	4,477	3,544	933
Crude oil	155	103	52	605	519	87
Agric. industry-unmanufactured	357	276	81	2,146	1,319	826
Metallurgical grade coal	467	373	94	3,456	1,923	1,533
Chemicals-inorganic	825	715	111	5,784	4,741	1,043
Cotton, raw	484	327	157	3,048	2,678	369
Chemicals-organic	3,458	3,261	197	24,028	20,577	3,451
Fuel oil	4,923	4,376	547	26,319	8,804	17,516

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Exhibit 7. Exports of Goods by End-Use Category and Commodity--continued

Item (1)	August 2008	July 2008 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-Date 2008	Year-to-Date 2007	Year-to-Date Change
<b>Capital goods, except automotive</b>	<b>42,327</b>	<b>41,500</b>	<b>827</b>	<b>320,514</b>	<b>292,129</b>	<b>28,385</b>
Civilian aircraft	5,510	4,176	1,334	34,468	30,665	3,803
Drilling & oilfield equipment	1,575	1,265	310	9,644	8,415	1,229
Engines-civilian aircraft	2,068	1,928	140	14,581	12,596	1,985
Generators, accessories	1,048	948	100	8,060	6,793	1,267
Industrial engines	1,913	1,815	98	14,136	11,814	2,322
Nonfarm tractors and parts	289	257	32	2,163	1,937	226
Industrial machines, other	3,167	3,138	28	25,824	25,215	609
Semiconductors	4,460	4,440	20	34,802	32,918	1,884
Metalworking machine tools	677	665	12	5,014	4,489	525
Photo, service industry machinery	877	867	10	6,553	6,053	501
Marine engines, parts	122	123	-1	929	880	49
Spacecraft, excluding military	1	5	-5	19	21	-2
Food, tobacco machinery	271	277	-6	2,016	1,740	276
Vessels, excluding scrap	(-)	10	-9	55	87	-32
Commercial vessels, other	19	29	-10	263	190	73
Laboratory testing instruments	775	787	-12	5,977	5,298	680
Measuring, testing, control instruments	1,795	1,810	-15	14,473	14,507	-34
Textile, sewing machines	109	125	-16	893	931	-37
Agricultural machinery, equipment	666	686	-20	5,407	4,000	1,408
Materials handling equipment	1,281	1,304	-23	9,777	7,704	2,073
Business machines and equipment	345	371	-27	2,888	1,883	1,006
Pulp and paper machinery	249	278	-30	2,000	1,790	210
Specialized mining	107	154	-47	900	656	244
Medicinal equipment	2,315	2,363	-48	17,786	15,523	2,263
Parts-civilian aircraft	1,669	1,741	-71	13,690	12,447	1,243
Electric apparatus	2,609	2,693	-85	20,684	20,668	15
Wood, glass, plastic	351	448	-96	2,783	2,345	438
Excavating machinery	1,339	1,454	-115	9,983	8,241	1,741
Railway transportation equipment	257	375	-118	2,165	1,806	359
Computers	1,311	1,444	-133	10,128	8,821	1,307
Telecommunications equipment	2,581	2,741	-160	21,874	19,892	1,982
Computer accessories	2,571	2,782	-211	20,578	21,804	-1,226
<b>Automotive vehicles, parts, and engines</b>	<b>10,477</b>	<b>12,160</b>	<b>-1,683</b>	<b>84,278</b>	<b>79,177</b>	<b>5,101</b>
<b>Consumer goods</b>	<b>14,001</b>	<b>14,884</b>	<b>-883</b>	<b>109,099</b>	<b>95,860</b>	<b>13,239</b>
Artwork, antiques, stamps, etc.	833	1,112	-279	6,160	4,858	1,302
Gem diamonds	1,256	1,475	-220	10,861	7,685	3,176
Pharmaceutical preparations	3,492	3,612	-120	26,021	23,627	2,394
Toys, games, and sporting goods	972	1,072	-101	8,138	6,736	1,403
Records, tapes, and disks	451	502	-51	3,757	3,267	489
Pleasure boats and motors	275	316	-41	2,416	2,135	281
TV's, VCR's, etc.	297	330	-33	2,567	2,489	78
Books, printed matter	483	510	-27	3,917	3,667	250
Apparel, household goods - textile	429	452	-23	3,243	3,193	50
Other household goods	1,530	1,550	-19	11,428	10,305	1,123
Tobacco, manufactured	64	82	-18	581	826	-245
Stereo equipment, etc.	193	210	-17	1,600	1,630	-30
Musical instruments	184	201	-17	1,485	1,316	169
Sports apparel and gear	47	54	-7	403	373	30
Numismatic coins	14	19	-5	224	141	84
Rugs	103	106	-4	748	679	69
Writing and art supplies	586	589	-3	4,512	3,989	523
Nursery stock, etc.	33	35	-2	293	280	13
Toiletries and cosmetics	777	777	(-)	5,801	4,895	906
Cookware, cutlery, tools	94	94	(-)	708	656	52
Glassware, chinaware	49	48	(-)	353	319	33
Apparel, household goods-nontextile	197	193	3	1,467	1,292	176
Furniture, household goods, etc.	357	353	4	2,725	2,317	408
Household appliances	656	651	5	4,941	4,576	364
Jewelry, etc	628	540	88	4,749	4,608	142
<b>Other goods</b>	<b>4,732</b>	<b>4,487</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>36,156</b>	<b>31,220</b>	<b>4,936</b>

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## Part A: Seasonally Adjusted

## Exhibit 8. Imports of Goods by End-Use Category and Commodity

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. The commodities in this exhibit are ranked on the monthly change within each major commodity grouping. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. (R) - Revised.

Item (1)	August 2008	July 2008 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-Date 2008	Year-to-Date 2007	Year-to-Date Change
<b>Total, Balance of Payments Basis</b>	<b>188,543</b>	<b>194,949</b>	<b>-6,407</b>	<b>1,465,978</b>	<b>1,289,548</b>	<b>176,430</b>
<b>Net Adjustments</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>1,028</b>	<b>-393</b>	<b>8,749</b>	<b>7,486</b>	<b>1,263</b>
<b>Total, Census Basis</b>	<b>187,908</b>	<b>193,922</b>	<b>-6,014</b>	<b>1,457,229</b>	<b>1,282,061</b>	<b>175,167</b>
<b>Foods, feeds, and beverages</b>	<b>7,786</b>	<b>7,544</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>59,200</b>	<b>53,790</b>	<b>5,410</b>
Food oils, oilseeds	558	479	79	3,641	2,071	1,570
Wine, beer, and related products	759	709	50	5,654	5,536	118
Meat products	625	582	43	4,912	5,300	-389
Cane and beet sugar	120	84	37	628	519	109
Alcoholic beverages, excluding wine	468	448	20	3,551	3,608	-57
Other foods	747	731	16	5,950	5,630	320
Vegetables	678	663	15	5,186	4,791	395
Nuts	136	122	15	952	809	143
Nonagricultural foods, etc.	76	62	14	436	298	138
Fish and shellfish	1,198	1,186	12	9,249	9,164	85
Dairy products and eggs	128	121	7	1,097	1,016	81
Fruits, frozen juices	898	891	7	6,469	5,945	524
Tea, spices, etc.	109	109	(-)	840	729	112
Bakery products	547	549	-2	4,313	3,985	328
Cocoa beans	44	63	-20	562	439	123
Green coffee	322	344	-21	2,590	2,099	491
Feedstuff and foodgrains	371	400	-29	3,171	1,852	1,319
<b>Industrial supplies and materials</b>	<b>73,652</b>	<b>79,857</b>	<b>-6,206</b>	<b>551,426</b>	<b>406,594</b>	<b>144,832</b>
Crude oil	33,441	39,578	-6,137	250,596	144,444	106,152
Petroleum products, other	4,460	5,057	-596	36,621	30,956	5,665
Fuel oil	3,981	4,519	-539	29,735	20,089	9,646
Nickel	233	315	-81	2,692	3,396	-704
Nonmonetary gold	443	524	-81	4,445	2,988	1,457
Finished metal shapes	1,562	1,624	-62	11,887	11,285	602
Electric energy	296	355	-59	2,412	1,996	416
Liquefied petroleum gases	1,780	1,836	-56	13,493	8,331	5,162
Plastic materials	1,131	1,173	-42	8,998	8,402	597
Nuclear fuel materials	791	830	-39	4,336	3,232	1,105
Iron and steel mill products	1,930	1,960	-30	14,242	13,089	1,153
Bauxite and aluminum	1,147	1,173	-27	8,677	9,058	-380
Paper and paper products	634	652	-18	5,181	5,315	-134
Newsprint	187	202	-15	1,569	1,670	-102
Zinc	119	133	-15	1,302	1,904	-602
Nontextile floor tiles	213	221	-8	1,705	1,890	-185
Lumber	382	389	-8	3,230	4,699	-1,470
Stone, sand, cement, etc.	424	431	-8	3,574	4,208	-635
Plywood and veneers	212	219	-7	1,690	1,960	-270
Chemicals-other, n.e.c.	777	783	-6	6,130	5,578	552
Pulpwood and woodpulp	346	352	-6	2,784	2,467	316
Tin	56	60	-4	516	376	140
Cotton, natural fibers	5	7	-2	62	57	5
Glass-plate, sheet, etc.	98	99	(-)	753	787	-34
Leather and furs	55	55	(-)	473	538	-65
Hides and skins	14	13	1	116	109	7
Hair, waste materials	69	67	2	517	540	-23
Blank tapes, audio & visual	156	151	5	1,213	1,536	-323
Materials, excluding chemicals	124	117	7	922	897	24
Wool, silk, etc.	79	71	8	621	580	41
Tobacco, waxes, etc.	549	540	9	4,156	3,409	747
Synthetic rubber--primary	220	208	12	1,438	1,326	111
Shingles, wallboard	698	685	13	5,619	6,765	-1,146
Nonferrous metals, other	364	350	14	3,062	2,317	744
Cotton cloth, fabrics	126	110	16	877	987	-110
Farming materials, livestock	110	93	17	863	786	78
Finished textile supplies	317	296	20	2,419	2,350	68
Natural rubber	290	266	24	1,860	1,362	498
Synthetic cloth	471	443	28	3,677	3,691	-14
Chemicals-organic	2,046	2,006	41	15,359	12,480	2,878
Sulfur, nonmetallic minerals	221	175	46	1,196	572	624
Industrial supplies, other	2,072	2,026	46	16,086	15,447	640
Iron and steel products, n.e.c.	948	901	47	6,674	6,187	487
Coal and related fuels	602	555	48	3,020	1,566	1,454
Copper	843	795	48	5,291	5,216	75
Iron and steel, advanced	770	709	61	5,490	5,172	319
Chemicals-inorganic	738	625	114	5,062	4,093	969
Steelmaking materials	1,250	1,113	137	7,345	4,671	2,673
Other precious metals	1,261	1,021	240	8,938	7,361	1,577
Gas-natural	2,866	2,565	302	22,754	22,367	387
Chemicals-fertilizers	1,744	1,410	335	9,748	6,089	3,660

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## Exhibit 8. Imports of Goods by End-Use Category and Commodity--continued

Item (1)	August 2008	July 2008 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-Date 2008	Year-to-Date 2007	Year-to-Date Change
<b>Capital goods, except automotive</b>	<b>38,244</b>	<b>39,012</b>	<b>-769</b>	<b>308,192</b>	<b>293,312</b>	<b>14,880</b>
Computer accessories	5,095	5,302	-206	42,814	43,280	-465
Semiconductors	2,095	2,252	-157	17,629	17,628	1
Civilian aircraft	773	926	-153	8,427	8,901	-474
Computers	3,531	3,642	-111	28,156	26,595	1,561
Engines-civilian aircraft	1,131	1,212	-80	9,654	8,295	1,359
Measuring, testing, control instruments	1,210	1,278	-68	10,194	9,928	265
Drilling & oilfield equipment	960	1,022	-61	6,541	5,423	1,118
Generators, accessories	1,768	1,812	-43	13,540	12,877	663
Railway transportation equipment	130	168	-38	1,108	1,023	86
Industrial machines, other	3,058	3,092	-35	24,520	22,593	1,926
Food, tobacco machinery	210	231	-22	1,719	1,530	189
Wood, glass, plastic	497	516	-18	4,078	4,177	-99
Pulp and paper machinery	462	476	-14	3,730	3,706	25
Textile, sewing machines	128	142	-14	972	863	109
Marine engines, parts	67	79	-13	684	699	-15
Business machines and equipment	418	430	-11	3,475	4,506	-1,031
Metalworking machine tools	835	846	-11	6,579	5,843	736
Photo, service industry machinery	1,189	1,194	-5	9,603	9,302	301
Commercial vessels, other	6	9	-3	68	233	-165
Spacecraft, excluding military	1	3	-2	11	72	-62
Vessels, except scrap	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Agricultural machinery, equipment	670	668	2	5,193	4,406	786
Nonfarm tractors and parts	139	136	4	1,090	1,048	43
Specialized mining	84	78	6	600	609	-9
Laboratory testing instruments	370	358	12	2,862	2,363	499
Materials handling equipment	1,085	1,070	15	8,115	7,622	493
Excavating machinery	728	708	21	5,797	5,806	-9
Parts-civilian aircraft	822	792	29	6,349	5,390	959
Telecommunications equipment	3,898	3,859	38	30,440	28,588	1,853
Electric apparatus	3,031	2,980	51	24,408	23,545	862
Medicinal equipment	2,240	2,181	59	17,796	16,265	1,531
Industrial engines	1,611	1,550	61	12,040	10,194	1,846
<b>Automotive vehicles, parts, and engines</b>	<b>19,211</b>	<b>20,443</b>	<b>-1,232</b>	<b>166,452</b>	<b>171,852</b>	<b>-5,401</b>
<b>Consumer goods</b>	<b>43,366</b>	<b>41,073</b>	<b>2,293</b>	<b>327,357</b>	<b>315,499</b>	<b>11,858</b>
Pharmaceutical preparations	7,789	6,310	1,478	53,694	48,405	5,290
Apparel, household goods - cotton	4,329	3,930	400	32,962	34,047	-1,086
Apparel, textiles, nonwool or cotton	2,618	2,466	153	20,145	21,091	-947
Toys, games, and sporting goods	3,218	3,078	140	23,544	22,848	696
Footwear	1,379	1,254	125	10,231	10,171	60
Motorcycles and parts	412	309	103	2,701	2,830	-129
Camping apparel and gear	728	631	97	5,100	5,221	-121
Photo equipment	583	546	37	5,010	4,942	68
Apparel, household goods-nontextile	672	637	35	5,433	5,317	115
Numismatic coins	101	66	35	578	205	373
Cookware, cutlery, tools	613	588	25	4,399	4,359	39
Toiletries and cosmetics	624	601	23	4,582	4,158	424
Writing and art supplies	1,141	1,120	21	8,949	8,687	262
Pleasure boats and motors	239	225	14	1,842	2,023	-181
Rugs	167	153	13	1,329	1,415	-86
Musical instruments	158	146	12	1,145	1,070	75
Stereo equipment, etc	656	647	10	4,776	5,725	-949
Nursery stock, etc.	127	118	9	991	1,023	-32
Furniture, household goods, etc.	2,060	2,061	-1	16,052	16,691	-638
Gem stones, other	221	222	-1	1,848	1,767	81
Books, printed matter	375	379	-4	3,087	3,070	17
Glassware, chinaware	174	178	-4	1,455	1,567	-111
Jewelry	967	975	-7	7,947	8,954	-1,007
Records, tapes, and disks	257	265	-8	2,206	2,130	76
Apparel, household goods - wool	304	317	-13	2,575	2,545	30
Gem diamonds	1,747	1,763	-16	14,291	12,280	2,010
Household appliances	1,688	1,737	-48	12,857	13,262	-405
Artwork, antiques, stamps, etc.	664	738	-73	6,595	7,200	-605
Other household goods	5,674	5,773	-99	41,966	36,882	5,084
TV's, VCR's, etc	3,679	3,842	-162	29,068	25,613	3,455
<b>Other goods</b>	<b>5,650</b>	<b>5,992</b>	<b>-342</b>	<b>44,602</b>	<b>41,014</b>	<b>3,588</b>

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**Part A: Seasonally Adjusted**

**Exhibit 9. Exports, Imports, and Balance of Goods, Petroleum and Non-Petroleum End-Use Category Totals**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Balance				Exports				Imports			
	Total	Net Adjustments	Petroleum (1)	Non-petroleum	Total	Net Adjustments	Petroleum (1)	Non-petroleum	Total	Net Adjustments	Petroleum (1)	Non-petroleum
<b>2007</b>												
Jan.- Dec.	-819,373	-24,890	-293,221	-501,261	1,148,481	-13,999	37,758	1,124,722	1,967,853	10,892	330,979	1,625,983
Jan.- Aug.	-543,716	-17,044	-180,965	-345,707	745,832	-9,558	22,856	732,534	1,289,548	7,486	203,820	1,078,241
January	-66,208	-1,790	-22,039	-42,379	90,257	-1,247	2,634	88,870	156,465	543	24,673	131,249
February	-66,443	-1,489	-18,859	-46,094	89,007	-1,014	2,492	87,529	155,450	475	21,352	133,623
March	-70,712	-2,790	-22,173	-45,749	91,054	-1,373	2,598	89,829	161,766	1,417	24,772	135,578
April	-68,754	-2,510	-22,532	-43,713	91,210	-1,336	2,674	89,873	159,964	1,173	25,205	133,586
May	-68,472	-2,369	-23,527	-42,576	93,411	-1,248	2,848	91,811	161,883	1,122	26,375	134,386
June	-68,661	-1,738	-23,412	-43,511	94,867	-1,097	3,139	92,826	163,528	641	26,551	136,336
July	-67,794	-2,248	-24,009	-41,537	97,502	-1,167	3,232	95,437	165,296	1,081	27,241	136,974
August	-66,672	-2,111	-24,413	-40,148	98,524	-1,076	3,238	96,361	165,196	1,035	27,651	136,509
September	-66,738	-1,994	-24,930	-39,814	99,468	-900	3,197	97,171	166,207	1,094	28,127	136,985
October	-67,713	-1,919	-26,732	-39,062	100,371	-1,043	3,245	98,169	168,084	876	29,977	137,232
November	-71,697	-2,065	-29,732	-39,900	100,968	-1,433	4,205	98,196	172,664	632	33,937	138,096
December	-69,509	-1,868	-30,862	-36,778	101,842	-1,065	4,255	98,651	171,350	804	35,117	135,429
<b>2008</b>												
Jan.- Aug.	-572,377	-14,945	-281,140	-276,292	893,601	-6,196	49,304	850,493	1,465,978	8,749	330,444	1,126,785
January	-70,147	-1,590	-34,803	-33,754	104,686	-796	4,459	101,023	174,833	794	39,263	134,776
February	-72,483	-2,564	-32,624	-37,295	108,098	-906	5,259	103,745	180,580	1,657	37,883	141,040
March	-68,403	-2,096	-30,207	-36,099	105,029	-512	4,820	100,721	173,432	1,584	35,027	136,821
April	-72,950	-2,366	-34,774	-35,809	110,059	-776	4,771	106,064	183,009	1,590	39,545	141,873
May	-72,111	-1,300	-32,837	-37,974	110,998	-546	6,005	105,538	183,109	754	38,843	143,512
June	-71,267	-1,465	-37,336	-32,467	116,255	-758	7,895	109,118	187,523	707	45,231	141,585
July (R)	-74,116	-1,856	-42,950	-29,310	120,834	-828	8,039	113,622	194,949	1,028	50,990	142,932
August	-70,901	-1,708	-35,608	-33,584	117,642	-1,074	8,055	110,661	188,543	635	43,662	144,246
September												
October												
November												
December												

(1) The petroleum products aggregated in the end-use commodity classification system include virtually the same energy related petroleum products as those aggregated in the SITC. The end-use petroleum products, however, include some products such as ethane, butane, benzene, and toluene which are included in "Manufactured Goods".

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**Exhibit 10. Real Exports and Imports of Goods by Principal End-Use Category  
2000 Chain-weighted Dollars**

In millions of dollars. The values in this exhibit are subject to periodic change, reflecting revisions to the source information for monthly deflators.  
(-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. (R) - Revised.

Period	Total Census Basis (1)	End-Use Commodity Category						
		Foods, Feeds, & Beverages	Industrial Supplies (2)	Capital Goods	Automotive Vehicles etc.	Consumer Goods	Other Goods	Residual (3)
<b>Exports</b>								
<b>2007</b>								
Jan.-Dec.	998,071	54,055	213,822	450,567	114,926	135,977	38,088	-9,365
Jan.-Aug.	654,012	35,240	140,457	293,992	75,278	89,460	25,416	-5,829
January	80,269	4,306	17,037	36,642	8,765	11,035	3,276	-792
February	78,666	4,289	16,738	35,417	8,912	10,866	3,164	-719
March	80,365	4,083	17,258	35,750	9,363	11,220	3,433	-743
April	80,117	4,387	17,338	35,241	9,353	11,151	3,216	-569
May	81,674	4,377	17,588	36,995	9,371	11,112	3,001	-770
June	82,572	4,399	18,237	36,959	9,447	11,028	3,080	-579
July	84,804	4,536	17,826	38,533	10,303	11,489	3,111	-994
August	85,545	4,862	18,435	38,455	9,763	11,559	3,134	-663
September	85,814	4,989	18,542	38,468	9,897	11,725	2,830	-638
October	86,074	4,582	18,277	39,348	9,945	11,581	3,315	-973
November	86,049	4,683	18,047	39,136	10,257	11,415	3,479	-969
December	86,122	4,561	18,499	39,624	9,550	11,796	3,048	-955
<b>2008</b>								
Jan.-Aug.	725,159	39,519	161,710	321,401	79,271	99,512	26,982	-3,236
January	87,745	4,671	19,033	39,660	9,754	12,230	3,197	-800
February	90,007	4,732	20,151	39,558	10,210	12,283	3,520	-447
March	85,013	4,778	18,736	38,070	8,895	11,508	3,380	-354
April	89,214	5,068	19,322	40,226	9,423	12,242	3,486	-553
May	90,007	4,953	20,387	39,520	9,599	12,218	3,454	-124
June	93,227	5,188	21,211	40,707	10,151	12,848	3,218	-97
July (R)	95,048	4,844	21,324	41,449	11,414	13,503	3,233	-718
August	94,898	5,284	21,547	42,211	9,826	12,679	3,493	-142
September								
October								
November								
December								
<b>Imports</b>								
<b>2007</b>								
Jan.-Dec.	1,652,863	65,461	356,446	487,430	246,836	465,682	55,631	-24,623
Jan.-Aug.	1,101,976	43,831	239,236	322,426	164,407	310,254	36,846	-15,024
January	137,628	5,395	31,134	39,565	20,262	37,925	4,472	-1,124
February	136,951	5,431	29,182	40,089	20,294	39,446	4,641	-2,132
March	140,300	5,628	30,820	40,008	20,944	39,888	4,563	-1,551
April	136,789	5,404	29,790	39,804	20,432	38,651	4,483	-1,774
May	136,876	5,440	29,688	40,399	19,834	38,810	4,623	-1,918
June	138,029	5,473	29,763	40,893	20,481	38,841	4,646	-2,069
July	137,885	5,512	29,476	40,858	21,236	38,325	4,704	-2,226
August	137,518	5,548	29,383	40,810	20,925	38,370	4,714	-2,231
September	138,175	5,448	29,430	41,460	21,026	38,479	4,726	-2,394
October	137,905	5,347	29,147	41,203	21,058	39,019	4,707	-2,575
November	138,515	5,498	29,304	41,267	20,867	39,280	4,815	-2,515
December	136,293	5,337	29,329	41,075	19,478	38,650	4,538	-2,114
<b>2008</b>								
Jan.-Aug.	1,083,942	42,567	226,765	333,884	155,227	312,659	37,575	-24,735
January	137,883	5,318	30,570	40,874	19,890	37,810	4,588	-1,168
February	140,915	5,423	30,445	41,727	21,339	39,498	4,491	-2,007
March	132,229	5,211	27,468	41,236	18,961	37,912	4,710	-3,269
April	136,139	5,332	28,488	42,317	19,994	38,262	4,844	-3,097
May	133,536	5,456	26,613	42,919	19,069	39,757	4,647	-4,926
June	133,375	5,270	27,277	41,530	19,114	39,280	4,690	-3,786
July (R)	135,974	5,228	28,516	42,036	19,005	38,984	4,933	-2,727
August	133,890	5,329	27,388	41,245	17,856	41,156	4,671	-3,754
September								
October								
November								
December								

(1) Detailed data are presented on a Census basis. The information needed to convert to a BOP basis is not available.

(2) Includes petroleum and petroleum products.

(3) The "residual" represents the difference between total exports or imports, and the sum of the components in the table.

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## Part A: Seasonally Adjusted

**Exhibit 11. Real Exports, Imports, and Balance of Goods, Petroleum and Non-Petroleum End-Use Commodity Category Totals  
2000 Chain-weighted Dollars**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. The values in this exhibit are subject to periodic change, reflecting revisions to the source information for the monthly deflators. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. (R) - Revised.

Period	Trade Balance				Exports				Imports			
	Total Census Basis (1)	Petroleum	Non-petroleum	Residual (2)	Total Census Basis (1)	Petroleum	Non-petroleum	Residual (2)	Total Census Basis (1)	Petroleum	Non-petroleum	Residual (2)
<b>2006</b>												
Jan.- Dec.	-698,493	-125,010	-577,731	4,248	924,341	13,458	911,978	-1,094	1,622,834	138,468	1,489,708	-5,342
Jan.- Aug.	-470,812	-85,020	-386,437	644	607,183	8,338	600,319	-1,474	1,077,995	93,358	986,756	-2,118
January	-61,359	-11,657	-48,934	-768	74,089	951	73,364	-226	135,448	12,608	122,298	542
February	-58,327	-11,606	-45,799	-921	74,828	1,000	74,019	-191	133,155	12,606	119,818	731
March	-58,517	-10,296	-48,623	402	75,846	1,103	74,847	-105	134,362	11,399	123,470	-507
April	-58,276	-9,755	-49,429	907	75,347	1,192	74,154	1	133,624	10,946	123,583	-906
May	-58,576	-10,588	-47,965	-23	75,948	1,023	75,146	-220	134,524	11,611	123,110	-197
June	-57,552	-10,287	-47,662	398	77,603	1,025	76,830	-252	135,154	11,312	124,493	-650
July	-59,269	-10,287	-49,408	427	75,809	1,079	74,871	-142	135,077	11,367	124,279	-569
August	-58,937	-10,544	-48,616	223	77,714	966	77,087	-339	136,651	11,509	125,703	-562
September	-58,120	-10,063	-48,879	822	78,449	1,472	76,673	303	136,569	11,535	125,552	-519
October	-55,979	-9,425	-47,921	1,368	79,219	1,361	77,689	170	135,197	10,786	125,610	-1,198
November	-55,443	-10,005	-46,283	845	80,050	1,232	78,782	35	135,493	11,237	125,065	-809
December	-58,139	-10,496	-48,212	570	79,441	1,055	78,514	-128	137,580	11,551	126,726	-697
<b>2007</b>												
Jan.- Dec.	-654,792	-121,078	-545,171	11,457	998,071	14,884	982,922	264	1,652,863	135,962	1,528,093	-11,193
Jan.- Aug.	-447,963	-81,865	-372,932	6,834	654,012	9,500	644,715	-203	1,101,976	91,365	1,017,647	-7,037
January	-57,359	-11,502	-45,552	-305	80,269	1,239	78,995	35	137,628	12,741	124,547	341
February	-58,284	-9,949	-49,287	951	78,666	1,142	77,555	-31	136,951	11,091	126,842	-982
March	-59,935	-11,040	-49,122	227	80,365	1,119	79,325	-79	140,300	12,159	128,447	-306
April	-56,673	-10,243	-47,152	721	80,117	1,082	79,152	-117	136,789	11,324	126,303	-838
May	-55,202	-10,150	-45,864	812	81,674	1,150	80,588	-64	136,876	11,299	126,452	-876
June	-55,457	-9,921	-46,732	1,196	82,572	1,236	81,311	24	138,029	11,157	128,043	-1,172
July	-53,081	-9,575	-45,093	1,587	84,804	1,240	83,575	-11	137,885	10,816	128,668	-1,599
August	-51,972	-9,487	-44,130	1,645	85,545	1,292	84,214	39	137,518	10,779	128,345	-1,606
September	-52,361	-9,647	-44,216	1,502	85,814	1,242	84,598	-26	138,175	10,890	128,813	-1,529
October	-51,832	-9,744	-43,407	1,319	86,074	1,245	84,858	-28	137,905	10,988	128,265	-1,347
November	-52,466	-9,911	-43,638	1,083	86,049	1,415	84,423	211	138,515	11,326	128,061	-872
December	-50,170	-9,911	-40,978	718	86,122	1,482	84,329	311	136,293	11,393	125,307	-407
<b>2008</b>												
Jan.- Aug.	-358,783	-73,536	-300,311	15,064	725,159	13,743	706,273	5,143	1,083,942	87,279	1,006,584	-9,922
January	-50,138	-11,056	-37,882	-1,200	87,745	1,481	85,992	272	137,883	12,536	123,874	1,472
February	-50,908	-10,245	-41,290	627	90,007	1,819	87,456	732	140,915	12,064	128,746	105
March	-47,217	-8,972	-40,157	1,913	85,013	1,462	83,264	286	132,229	10,434	123,421	-1,627
April	-46,925	-9,539	-38,708	1,322	89,214	1,386	87,793	35	136,139	10,925	126,501	-1,287
May	-43,529	-8,123	-39,439	4,033	90,007	1,639	87,865	503	133,536	9,762	127,304	-3,530
June	-40,149	-8,449	-34,566	2,866	93,227	1,948	90,205	1,073	133,375	10,397	124,771	-1,793
July (R)	-40,926	-9,282	-32,678	1,034	95,048	1,849	92,441	758	135,974	11,131	125,119	-275
August	-38,992	-7,870	-35,592	4,470	94,898	2,160	91,256	1,483	133,890	10,029	126,848	-2,987
September												
October												
November												
December												

(1) Detailed data presented on a Census Basis. The information to convert to a BOP basis is not available.

(2) The "residual" represents the difference between total exports or imports, and the sum of the components in the table.

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<b>Part B: NOT Seasonally Adjusted</b>
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### Exhibit 12. U.S. Trade in Goods

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Balance		Exports			Imports		
	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Total Census Basis	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Net Adjustments	Total Census Basis	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Net Adjustments	Total Census Basis
<b>2006</b>								
Jan.- Dec.	-838,270	-817,304	1,023,109	-13,525	1,036,635	1,861,380	7,441	1,853,938
Jan.- Aug.	-562,694	-549,830	667,492	-7,879	675,371	1,230,186	4,986	1,225,200
January	-71,051	-69,522	74,208	-831	75,040	145,259	698	144,562
February	-58,418	-56,952	76,852	-898	77,750	135,270	567	134,702
March	-63,754	-62,176	90,959	-906	91,864	154,713	673	154,040
April	-65,314	-63,822	82,167	-930	83,097	147,481	562	146,919
May	-73,033	-71,419	86,721	-1,025	87,746	159,754	589	159,164
June	-71,405	-69,865	89,650	-973	90,622	161,054	567	160,487
July	-79,477	-77,745	78,920	-1,102	80,023	158,398	629	157,768
August	-80,243	-78,329	88,015	-1,213	89,228	168,258	700	167,558
September	-71,951	-70,061	87,124	-1,284	88,408	159,075	605	158,470
October	-73,502	-71,560	91,185	-1,283	92,468	164,687	659	164,028
November	-68,158	-65,922	89,757	-1,610	91,367	157,915	626	157,288
December	-61,966	-59,931	87,551	-1,470	89,021	149,517	565	148,952
<b>2007</b>								
Jan.- Dec.	-819,373	-794,483	1,148,481	-13,999	1,162,479	1,967,853	10,892	1,956,962
Jan.- Aug.	-537,894	-520,850	743,481	-9,558	753,039	1,281,375	7,486	1,273,889
January	-66,705	-64,915	84,671	-1,247	85,918	151,376	543	150,833
February	-56,362	-54,873	83,907	-1,014	84,921	140,268	475	139,793
March	-63,641	-60,851	99,138	-1,373	100,511	162,779	1,417	161,363
April	-67,428	-64,918	90,329	-1,336	91,665	157,757	1,173	156,583
May	-67,791	-65,421	96,655	-1,248	97,902	164,445	1,122	163,323
June	-67,078	-65,340	98,025	-1,097	99,122	165,103	641	164,462
July	-77,156	-74,908	90,690	-1,167	91,857	167,846	1,081	166,765
August	-71,734	-69,623	100,067	-1,076	101,143	171,801	1,035	170,766
September	-66,698	-64,704	97,168	-900	98,068	163,866	1,094	162,772
October	-77,400	-75,482	105,520	-1,043	106,563	182,920	876	182,044
November	-74,365	-72,301	101,929	-1,433	103,362	176,295	632	175,663
December	-63,014	-61,146	100,383	-1,065	101,448	163,397	804	162,594
<b>2008</b>								
Jan.- Aug.	-567,842	-552,898	888,554	-6,196	894,750	1,456,396	8,749	1,447,648
January	-69,402	-67,812	98,753	-796	99,549	168,155	794	167,362
February	-61,714	-59,151	105,024	-906	105,930	166,739	1,657	165,081
March	-60,550	-58,454	111,574	-512	112,085	172,123	1,584	170,539
April	-73,115	-70,749	110,355	-776	111,131	183,471	1,590	181,880
May	-69,145	-67,845	113,745	-546	114,291	182,891	754	182,136
June	-72,728	-71,263	117,426	-758	118,184	190,153	707	189,447
July (R)	-87,037	-85,181	114,890	-828	115,718	201,927	1,028	200,899
August	-74,151	-72,443	116,787	-1,074	117,860	190,938	635	190,303
September								
October								
November								
December								

July data as published last month:

-71,516	-70,046	117,825	-758	118,584	189,341	711	188,630
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**Part B: NOT Seasonally Adjusted**

**Exhibit 13. Exports and Imports of Goods by Principal End-Use Category**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (R) - Revised.

Period	Total Balance of Payments Basis	Net Adjustments	Total Census Basis (1)	End-Use Commodity Category					
				Foods, Feeds, & Beverages	Industrial Supplies (2)	Capital Goods	Automotive Vehicles, etc.	Consumer Goods	Other Goods
<b>Exports</b>									
<b>2007</b>									
Jan.- Dec.	1,148,481	-13,999	1,162,479	84,264	316,335	447,433	121,045	146,102	47,300
Jan.- Aug.	743,481	-9,558	753,039	50,249	206,620	291,326	78,391	95,548	30,905
January	84,671	-1,247	85,918	6,183	23,151	33,929	7,812	11,064	3,779
February	83,907	-1,014	84,921	6,247	22,610	32,378	8,983	11,087	3,616
March	99,138	-1,373	100,511	6,501	26,182	39,559	11,061	13,123	4,085
April	90,329	-1,336	91,665	5,915	25,555	34,251	10,343	11,539	4,063
May	96,655	-1,248	97,902	5,991	27,162	37,500	10,976	12,532	3,741
June	98,025	-1,097	99,122	6,055	27,181	38,948	10,420	12,572	3,946
July	90,690	-1,167	91,857	6,172	26,000	36,119	8,310	11,399	3,856
August	100,067	-1,076	101,143	7,185	28,777	38,642	10,487	12,232	3,820
September	97,168	-900	98,068	7,528	26,464	37,573	10,462	12,492	3,548
October	105,520	-1,043	106,563	9,015	28,288	40,474	11,496	13,080	4,210
November	101,929	-1,433	103,362	8,994	27,570	38,220	11,324	12,734	4,521
December	100,383	-1,065	101,448	8,479	27,394	39,840	9,372	12,248	4,116
<b>2008</b>									
Jan.- Aug.	888,554	-6,196	894,750	73,575	274,202	319,751	82,713	108,692	35,818
January	98,753	-796	99,549	8,881	29,069	36,476	8,535	12,621	3,967
February	105,024	-906	105,930	9,549	31,035	37,255	10,429	13,244	4,418
March	111,574	-512	112,085	9,992	32,486	41,165	10,557	13,503	4,382
April	110,355	-776	111,131	9,131	33,170	40,151	10,640	13,238	4,801
May	113,745	-546	114,291	8,739	35,291	40,495	11,242	13,867	4,657
June	117,426	-758	118,184	8,747	37,100	41,823	11,320	14,698	4,496
July (R)	114,890	-828	115,718	9,182	38,488	40,109	9,489	13,957	4,493
August	116,787	-1,074	117,860	9,355	37,563	42,277	10,499	13,563	4,604
September									
October									
November									
December									
<b>Imports</b>									
<b>2007</b>									
Jan.- Dec.	1,967,853	10,892	1,956,962	81,683	634,746	444,486	258,920	474,892	62,234
Jan.- Aug.	1,281,375	7,486	1,273,889	53,678	411,108	291,978	170,262	306,426	40,436
January	151,376	543	150,833	6,760	47,453	34,890	19,287	37,575	4,867
February	140,268	475	139,793	6,086	40,620	32,793	20,394	35,191	4,709
March	162,779	1,417	161,363	7,069	49,901	37,464	23,515	38,253	5,160
April	157,757	1,173	156,583	6,604	51,095	35,749	21,804	36,414	4,917
May	164,445	1,122	163,323	6,884	55,013	36,327	21,359	38,565	5,176
June	165,103	641	164,462	6,678	54,456	38,233	21,825	38,165	5,105
July	167,846	1,081	166,765	6,767	56,046	38,224	19,927	40,576	5,225
August	171,801	1,035	170,766	6,829	56,525	38,298	22,150	41,687	5,278
September	163,866	1,094	162,772	6,397	52,495	36,821	20,765	41,139	5,154
October	182,920	876	182,044	7,334	56,701	40,283	24,285	47,810	5,631
November	176,295	632	175,663	7,278	57,322	38,308	23,463	43,414	5,878
December	163,397	804	162,594	6,996	57,119	37,096	20,145	36,103	5,135
<b>2008</b>									
Jan.- Aug.	1,456,396	8,749	1,447,648	59,033	556,610	306,337	164,468	317,192	44,007
January	168,155	794	167,362	7,329	61,865	35,832	19,347	37,727	5,262
February	166,739	1,657	165,081	6,906	57,381	35,832	22,338	37,666	4,958
March	172,123	1,584	170,539	7,351	60,952	38,652	21,468	36,640	5,476
April	183,471	1,590	181,880	7,513	68,640	39,443	22,325	38,287	5,672
May	182,891	754	182,136	7,636	70,255	38,513	20,549	39,637	5,545
June	190,153	707	189,447	7,400	76,110	39,638	20,880	39,890	5,529
July (R)	201,927	1,028	200,899	7,531	84,327	40,556	18,869	43,514	6,103
August	190,938	635	190,303	7,369	77,079	37,872	18,691	43,830	5,462
September									
October									
November									
December									

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(2) Includes petroleum and petroleum products.

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## Part B: NOT Seasonally Adjusted

## Exhibit 14. Exports, Imports, and Balance of Goods By Selected Countries and Areas--2008

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown.  
(R) - Revised. (X) - Not applicable.

Item (1)	Balance			Exports			Imports		
	August 2008	July 2008	Year-to-Date	August 2008	July 2008	Year-to-Date	August 2008	July 2008	Year-to-Date
<b>Total Balance of Payments Basis</b>	<b>-74,151 (R)</b>	<b>-87,037</b>	<b>-567,842</b>	<b>116,787 (R)</b>	<b>114,890</b>	<b>888,554</b>	<b>190,938 (R)</b>	<b>201,927</b>	<b>1,456,396</b>
Net Adjustments	-1,708 (R)	-1,856	-14,945	-1,074 (R)	-828	-6,196	635 (R)	1,028	8,749
<b>Total Census Basis</b>	<b>-72,443 (R)</b>	<b>-85,181</b>	<b>-552,898</b>	<b>117,860 (R)</b>	<b>115,718</b>	<b>894,750</b>	<b>190,303 (R)</b>	<b>200,899</b>	<b>1,447,648</b>
North America	-13,296 (R)	-13,699	-101,432	35,915 (R)	36,238	282,510	49,212	49,937	383,942
Canada	-7,417 (R)	-8,243	-54,395	22,188 (R)	22,436	181,001	29,604	30,679	235,396
Mexico	-5,880	-5,456	-47,037	13,727	13,802	101,509	19,607	19,258	148,546
Europe	-8,993	-12,817	-71,902	28,119	29,416	228,043	37,111	42,234	299,945
European Union	-6,784	-11,035	-62,913	23,624	23,835	189,931	30,408	34,869	252,844
Austria	-319	-584	-4,307	210	187	1,788	529	770	6,096
Belgium	1,456	872	7,864	2,529	2,663	20,221	1,073	1,791	12,358
Czech Republic	-107	-141	-822	117	102	927	224	243	1,749
Finland	-76	-197	-1,473	352	354	2,626	427	551	4,099
France	-988	-1,714	-9,725	2,508	2,364	19,901	3,496	4,077	29,626
Germany	-3,188	-4,601	-30,480	4,723	4,774	37,428	7,911	9,375	67,908
Hungary	-53	-161	-1,200	140	119	969	193	280	2,169
Ireland	-1,706	-1,991	-14,325	529	572	6,093	2,236	2,563	20,419
Italy	-1,925	-2,462	-14,569	1,288	1,278	10,908	3,213	3,740	25,477
Netherlands	1,871	1,690	13,136	3,718	3,620	27,572	1,848	1,930	14,435
Poland	242	39	971	461	279	2,725	219	240	1,754
Spain	60	79	988	1,046	1,152	8,473	986	1,073	7,484
Sweden	-449	-601	-5,065	486	406	3,464	935	1,008	8,529
United Kingdom	-1,301	-809	-2,089	4,443	4,809	38,418	5,743	5,618	40,507
Other EU	-303	-454	-1,817	1,075	1,156	8,418	1,377	1,610	10,234
Norway	-457	-364	-3,094	273	248	2,372	730	613	5,466
Russia	-1,798	-2,338	-12,809	975	815	6,449	2,773	3,153	19,258
Switzerland	-124	538	4,038	1,369	2,227	15,693	1,493	1,689	11,656
Other Europe	170	382	2,876	1,877	2,291	13,598	1,706	1,910	10,722
Euro Area	-4,645	-8,670	-51,790	17,447	17,648	139,279	22,093	26,318	191,069
Pacific Rim Countries	-30,825	-32,572	-223,841	27,359	26,979	211,175	58,184	59,551	435,016
Australia	956	1,151	8,359	1,949	2,150	15,428	993	1,000	7,069
China	-25,334	-24,877	-167,673	6,507	6,437	49,635	31,840	31,314	217,309
Japan	-4,766	-6,328	-50,788	6,366	5,644	46,021	11,132	11,972	96,810
Malaysia	-1,336	-1,614	-12,481	1,271	1,227	9,184	2,608	2,841	21,665
Philippines	-49	-37	-119	725	729	5,790	773	766	5,909
Newly Industrialized Countries (NICs)	650	198	6,181	9,542	9,998	78,902	8,893	9,799	72,721
Hong Kong	1,233	1,094	10,313	1,759	1,758	14,665	526	663	4,352
Korea	-749	-1,335	-8,045	3,115	3,180	24,679	3,864	4,515	32,724
Singapore	1,242	928	9,492	2,444	2,322	20,543	1,202	1,394	11,052
Taiwan	-1,076	-489	-5,578	2,224	2,738	19,015	3,300	3,227	24,593
Other Pacific Rim	-946	-1,065	-7,319	999	794	6,214	1,945	1,859	13,533
South/Central America	-1,646	-4,504	-19,338	14,175	12,563	93,586	15,821	17,067	112,925
Argentina	196	246	1,509	728	630	5,260	531	384	3,751
Brazil	1,327	-43	1,263	3,894	2,984	21,720	2,567	3,028	20,457
Chile	282	487	2,790	1,038	1,282	8,800	756	796	6,010
Colombia	-233	-281	-1,419	1,188	1,057	7,912	1,421	1,338	9,331
Other S/C A	-3,219	-4,913	-23,481	7,327	6,609	49,894	10,546	11,522	73,375
OPEC	-19,199	-24,184	-137,932	6,993	5,417	41,763	26,193	29,601	179,695
Indonesia	-928	-914	-6,386	629	539	4,111	1,557	1,453	10,497
Nigeria	-3,373	-3,751	-26,580	479	460	2,723	3,852	4,211	29,304
Saudi Arabia	-4,868	-6,441	-32,787	1,006	872	7,228	5,874	7,314	40,015
Venezuela	-4,580	-5,366	-30,183	1,204	1,099	7,776	5,784	6,465	37,959
Other OPEC	-5,450	-7,712	-41,996	3,676	2,446	19,925	9,126	10,158	61,920
Africa	-8,470	-10,243	-65,152	3,208	2,669	19,306	11,678	12,912	84,458
Algeria	-1,947	-1,857	-13,263	81	64	863	2,028	1,921	14,125
Egypt	431	457	2,918	690	644	4,352	258	187	1,434
South Africa	-439	-380	-2,976	589	601	4,235	1,028	981	7,211
Other Africa	-6,516	-8,462	-51,831	1,849	1,361	9,857	8,364	9,823	61,688
Other Countries	-3,877	-3,898	-30,703	5,343	5,152	37,940	9,220	9,051	68,643
India	-346	-83	-4,420	1,864	1,987	12,726	2,211	2,070	17,145
Thailand	-1,207	-1,106	-9,471	838	867	6,156	2,044	1,972	15,627
Other	-2,324	-2,709	-16,813	2,641	2,299	19,058	4,965	5,009	35,871
Unidentified Countries (2)	10	(-)	18	10	(-)	18	(-)	(-)	(-)
Timing Adjustments	(X)	668	-710	(X)	-49	74	(X)	-718	784

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## Part B: NOT Seasonally Adjusted

## Exhibit 14a. Exports, Imports, and Balance of Goods By Selected Countries and Areas--2007

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown.  
(X) - Not applicable.

Item (1)	Balance			Exports			Imports		
	August 2007	July 2007	Year-to-Date	August 2007	July 2007	Year-to-Date	August 2007	July 2007	Year-to-Date
<b>Total Balance of Payments Basis</b>	<b>-71,734</b>	<b>-77,156</b>	<b>-537,894</b>	<b>100,067</b>	<b>90,690</b>	<b>743,481</b>	<b>171,801</b>	<b>167,846</b>	<b>1,281,375</b>
Net Adjustments	-2,111	-2,248	-17,044	-1,076	-1,167	-9,558	1,035	1,081	7,486
<b>Total Census Basis</b>	<b>-69,623</b>	<b>-74,908</b>	<b>-520,850</b>	<b>101,143</b>	<b>91,857</b>	<b>753,039</b>	<b>170,766</b>	<b>166,765</b>	<b>1,273,889</b>
North America	-12,335	-11,515	-93,108	33,683	29,992	252,247	46,018	41,507	345,355
Canada	-5,524	-5,838	-46,309	21,379	18,772	162,076	26,903	24,610	208,385
Mexico	-6,812	-5,677	-46,799	12,304	11,220	90,171	19,115	16,897	136,970
Europe	-10,759	-14,309	-78,984	23,984	22,012	189,055	34,743	36,321	268,038
European Union	-9,936	-12,518	-70,724	20,257	18,877	163,033	30,193	31,396	233,757
Austria	-473	-594	-4,293	260	231	2,202	733	824	6,495
Belgium	1,007	695	6,098	2,156	2,036	16,366	1,148	1,340	10,268
Czech Republic	-103	-118	-739	92	91	841	195	209	1,581
Finland	-87	-143	-1,470	307	247	2,087	394	390	3,557
France	-1,388	-1,761	-9,044	2,049	2,205	18,251	3,437	3,966	27,295
Germany	-4,155	-4,549	-29,976	4,325	3,836	32,380	8,480	8,385	62,356
Hungary	-133	-122	-923	107	107	868	239	229	1,790
Ireland	-1,973	-1,796	-15,253	557	504	5,636	2,530	2,299	20,889
Italy	-2,114	-2,270	-14,061	1,035	1,139	9,160	3,148	3,410	23,221
Netherlands	1,025	926	10,540	2,727	2,471	21,953	1,701	1,545	11,413
Poland	173	132	514	360	313	1,953	187	181	1,439
Spain	-8	-258	-808	976	709	6,301	984	966	7,110
Sweden	-510	-704	-5,845	330	314	2,954	840	1,018	8,798
United Kingdom	-898	-1,324	-3,188	3,807	3,699	33,821	4,704	5,023	37,009
Other EU	-302	-633	-2,276	1,170	976	8,261	1,472	1,609	10,537
Norway	-323	-514	-3,044	222	269	2,000	545	783	5,044
Russia	-887	-1,424	-8,092	914	537	4,645	1,801	1,962	12,737
Switzerland	371	145	2,208	1,624	1,426	11,782	1,253	1,281	9,574
Other Europe	16	3	669	968	902	7,594	952	899	6,925
Euro Area	-7,962	-9,903	-57,836	15,055	13,758	118,354	23,018	23,661	176,190
Pacific Rim Countries	-31,634	-35,197	-238,862	24,386	21,883	182,792	56,020	57,080	421,655
Australia	908	739	6,687	1,771	1,512	12,415	863	773	5,727
China	-22,542	-23,809	-163,799	5,883	4,793	41,233	28,425	28,601	205,031
Japan	-6,899	-7,910	-54,947	5,076	4,859	41,410	11,976	12,769	96,357
Malaysia	-1,926	-1,831	-13,805	930	889	7,549	2,855	2,720	21,354
Philippines	-197	-214	-1,030	666	572	5,062	863	786	6,093
Newly Industrialized Countries (NICs)	48	-1,108	-4,247	9,321	8,668	70,091	9,273	9,776	74,338
Hong Kong	1,057	924	8,202	1,657	1,559	12,634	601	635	4,432
Korea	-808	-1,471	-9,574	2,984	2,789	22,827	3,792	4,260	32,401
Singapore	640	486	4,860	2,175	2,022	17,303	1,535	1,536	12,443
Taiwan	-841	-1,046	-7,736	2,504	2,298	17,327	3,345	3,345	25,062
Other Pacific Rim	-1,026	-1,065	-7,721	740	590	5,033	1,766	1,656	12,754
South/Central America	-2,596	-2,632	-18,925	9,477	8,939	67,610	12,073	11,571	86,535
Argentina	146	142	827	501	530	3,633	355	388	2,806
Brazil	-182	-166	-1,573	2,205	2,087	15,417	2,387	2,254	16,991
Chile	-120	-137	-1,174	734	680	5,216	854	817	6,389
Colombia	-131	-228	-551	808	697	5,377	939	924	5,928
Other S/C A	-2,309	-2,243	-16,455	5,228	4,945	37,967	7,537	7,188	54,421
OPEC	-11,366	-10,812	-78,050	4,562	3,881	29,482	15,928	14,693	107,531
Indonesia	-948	-826	-6,710	414	371	2,774	1,362	1,197	9,484
Nigeria	-2,647	-2,406	-17,771	231	247	1,698	2,878	2,653	19,469
Saudi Arabia	-2,460	-2,684	-15,897	888	658	5,583	3,348	3,343	21,480
Venezuela	-2,619	-2,301	-17,043	900	907	6,772	3,519	3,208	23,815
Other OPEC	-2,693	-2,594	-20,629	2,129	1,698	12,655	4,822	4,292	33,283
Africa	-6,349	-6,045	-44,408	2,197	1,827	14,584	8,546	7,871	58,992
Algeria	-1,819	-1,621	-11,559	165	115	841	1,984	1,736	12,400
Egypt	403	124	1,487	565	364	3,257	161	240	1,771
South Africa	-396	-173	-2,482	560	525	3,514	955	698	5,996
Other Africa	-4,537	-4,375	-31,853	908	822	6,972	5,446	5,198	38,825
Other Countries	-4,027	-2,758	-32,031	4,674	5,133	30,712	8,700	7,891	62,743
India	-362	574	-5,216	1,818	2,354	10,447	2,180	1,780	15,663
Thailand	-1,257	-1,181	-9,619	737	666	5,176	1,994	1,847	14,795
Other	-2,408	-2,151	-17,196	2,119	2,113	15,089	4,526	4,264	32,285
Unidentified Countries (2)	44	22	124	44	22	124	(-)	(-)	(-)

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### Exhibit 15. Exports and Imports of Goods By Principal SITC Commodities

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. This exhibit is not additive.  
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Item (1)	2008						2007	
	August		July		Year-to-Date		Year-to-Date	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
<b>Total Balance of Payment Basis</b>	<b>116,787</b>	<b>190,938</b>	<b>(R) 114,890</b>	<b>(R) 201,927</b>	<b>888,554</b>	<b>1,456,396</b>	<b>743,481</b>	<b>1,281,375</b>
Net Adjustments	-1,074	635	(R) -828	(R) 1,028	-6,196	8,749	-9,558	7,486
<b>Total Census Basis (2)</b>	<b>117,860</b>	<b>190,303</b>	<b>(R) 115,718</b>	<b>(R) 200,899</b>	<b>894,750</b>	<b>1,447,648</b>	<b>753,039</b>	<b>1,273,889</b>
Manufactured goods (3)	82,941	129,134	80,206	133,247	636,492	1,006,956	568,623	970,294
Agricultural commodities (3)	9,686	6,549	9,669	6,749	78,157	54,234	53,936	47,790
Mineral fuels (3)	8,510	50,718	8,982	57,840	54,760	358,468	25,480	229,487
Selected commodities (3)								
ADP equipment and office machines	2,284	8,190	2,563	9,046	19,730	66,166	19,396	66,699
Airplane parts	1,821	773	1,835	833	15,098	6,425	14,290	5,512
Airplanes	5,774	797	3,561	925	36,625	8,449	32,845	8,904
Alcoholic beverages, distilled	101	407	96	467	670	3,339	601	3,386
Aluminum	561	1,200	578	1,228	4,332	9,170	3,934	9,696
Animal feeds	639	108	723	114	5,316	837	3,436	638
Artwork and antiques	429	455	563	489	4,197	5,033	2,725	5,552
Basketware, etc.	626	993	660	1,164	5,064	8,106	4,720	7,087
Cereal flour	256	367	245	364	1,857	2,722	1,889	2,348
Chemicals - cosmetics	1,055	808	1,026	901	7,700	6,375	6,545	5,760
Chemicals - dyeing	578	265	591	281	4,288	2,166	3,842	2,111
Chemicals - fertilizers	955	861	880	557	4,769	5,219	2,003	3,108
Chemicals - inorganic	1,169	1,697	1,209	1,690	8,653	11,265	7,075	8,534
Chemicals - medicinal	3,198	5,430	3,191	5,254	24,342	40,328	22,062	35,993
Chemicals - n.e.s.	2,297	1,066	2,244	1,049	17,441	8,541	13,660	7,220
Chemicals - organic	3,606	4,565	3,232	4,121	25,005	32,487	22,362	28,914
Chemicals - plastics	3,841	1,615	3,876	1,740	28,751	12,922	24,499	12,165
Cigarettes	51	12	63	19	476	111	729	135
Clothing	297	7,718	294	7,745	2,150	51,697	2,221	53,816
Coal	603	412	592	408	4,819	2,666	2,670	1,536
Coffee	(-)	321	(-)	345	2	2,650	3	2,183
Copper	288	1,169	310	1,147	2,558	7,867	2,313	7,864
Cork, wood, and lumber	380	495	363	529	2,921	4,123	3,008	5,866
Corn	1,312	6	1,189	12	10,036	319	6,026	230
Cotton, raw and linters	425	(-)	474	1	3,521	11	3,345	12
Crude fertilizers and minerals	245	313	230	297	1,567	1,920	1,324	1,196
Crude oil	290	38,003	245	43,814	1,498	259,966	645	149,887
Electrical machinery	7,319	9,722	7,061	10,024	55,976	75,945	53,804	74,366
Fish and preparations	505	1,280	423	1,230	2,687	8,886	2,661	8,789
Footwear	63	1,932	56	1,884	435	13,319	367	13,406
Furniture and bedding	496	2,647	456	2,718	3,611	21,636	3,336	22,611
Gem diamonds	412	1,411	464	2,118	4,586	14,308	3,341	12,293
General industrial machines	4,846	5,645	4,758	6,001	37,146	46,124	32,043	43,372
Glass	318	230	316	242	2,436	1,836	2,199	1,950
Glassware	87	210	85	231	669	1,692	610	1,659
Gold, nonmonetary	934	442	1,861	531	13,712	4,484	9,191	2,983
Hides and skins	149	5	156	5	1,211	36	1,301	40
Iron and steel mill products	1,783	3,398	1,777	3,697	12,496	24,146	9,195	21,652
Jewelry	434	729	329	817	3,110	5,876	2,981	6,784
Lighting and plumbing	234	746	236	679	1,607	5,071	1,295	5,283
Liquefied propane and butane	56	546	72	479	750	3,459	594	2,502
Live animals	43	177	53	162	425	1,811	320	1,815

## Part B: NOT Seasonally Adjusted

## Exhibit 15. Exports and Imports of Goods By Principal SITC Commodities--continued

Item (1)	2008						2007	
	August		July		Year-to-Date		Year-to-Date	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
Meat and preparations	1,243	423	1,196	429	8,223	3,335	5,745	3,726
Metal manufactures, n.e.s.	1,651	2,709	1,589	2,797	12,645	20,508	11,498	19,781
Metal ores and scrap	3,369	1,033	3,426	944	21,926	6,743	14,719	4,967
Metalworking machines	550	734	528	770	4,042	5,784	3,522	5,186
Mineral fuels, other	687	393	788	434	4,630	2,998	3,089	2,640
Natural gas	317	2,648	436	2,532	3,281	22,425	2,264	22,154
Nickel	126	225	134	316	1,050	2,656	901	3,539
Oils and fats of vegetable	229	509	176	439	1,987	3,237	944	1,888
Optical goods	237	382	236	446	2,023	3,472	2,175	3,129
Paper and paperboard	1,324	1,545	1,312	1,582	9,860	12,011	8,867	11,904
Petroleum preparations	6,434	8,304	6,714	9,724	38,704	64,432	15,627	48,692
Photographic equipment	323	214	321	231	2,442	1,716	2,462	1,851
Plastic articles, n.e.s.	856	1,370	834	1,460	6,484	10,636	6,294	10,276
Platinum	66	684	109	625	911	5,759	1,081	5,228
Pottery	10	147	11	131	76	991	72	1,112
Power generating machines	4,822	4,498	4,247	4,460	35,648	35,498	31,630	33,230
Printed materials	556	504	564	506	4,220	3,578	4,001	3,569
Pulp and waste paper	717	367	697	359	5,510	2,802	4,305	2,482
Records and magnetic media	429	583	455	598	3,489	4,440	3,234	4,664
Rice	187	47	193	58	1,438	407	907	255
Rubber articles, n.e.s.	167	275	155	272	1,293	2,191	1,318	2,166
Rubber tires and tubes	395	789	343	815	2,692	6,545	2,251	6,214
Scientific instruments	3,762	2,958	3,611	3,206	29,389	24,794	28,016	23,115
Ships and boats	216	103	247	94	2,325	1,042	2,313	1,483
Silver and bullion	116	353	81	266	668	2,109	462	1,590
Soybeans	650	13	826	15	9,632	128	4,952	68
Spacecraft	(-)	(-)	67	(-)	217	(-)	359	66
Specialized industrial machines	4,450	2,838	4,501	3,229	35,221	24,816	32,601	24,043
Sugar	4	63	3	53	29	414	25	431
TV's, VCR's, etc.	2,051	11,839	2,039	12,043	16,675	86,992	16,124	78,985
Textile yarn, fabric	1,054	1,923	1,035	1,911	8,197	14,885	7,983	15,217
Tobacco, unmanufactured	25	53	47	79	771	560	676	526
Toys, games, and sporting goods	360	3,380	384	2,806	3,139	18,626	3,259	18,244
Travel goods	38	709	42	766	307	5,226	285	4,968
Vegetables and fruits	1,157	1,379	1,199	1,424	8,984	13,358	7,465	12,313
Vehicles	8,539	15,036	7,849	15,490	67,373	134,177	60,926	137,695
Watches, clocks, and parts	34	335	34	407	285	2,824	250	2,663
Wheat	1,330	70	1,201	88	8,344	827	4,220	349
Wood manufactures	197	777	205	806	1,605	5,934	1,395	7,119
Re-exports	11,064	(X)	11,234	(X)	86,948	(X)	75,665	(X)
Agricultural commodities	218	(X)	192	(X)	2,014	(X)	1,694	(X)
Manufactured goods	10,720	(X)	10,895	(X)	83,662	(X)	72,877	(X)
Mineral fuels	29	(X)	53	(X)	492	(X)	305	(X)

(1) Detailed data are presented on a Census basis. The information needed to convert to a BOP basis is not available.

(2) Total exports (Domestic and Foreign)

(3) Domestic exports

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**Exhibit 16. Exports, Imports, and Balance of Advanced Technology Products**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Period	Balance	Exports	Imports
<b>2006</b>			
Jan.- Dec.	-38,053	252,708	290,761
Jan.- Aug.	-22,518	162,493	185,011
January	-3,342	18,310	21,652
February	-1,338	18,460	19,798
March	-2,521	22,827	25,348
April	-1,716	19,801	21,517
May	-3,150	19,938	23,088
June	-2,283	22,251	24,534
July	-4,572	19,580	24,151
August	-3,597	21,327	24,923
September	-4,180	22,022	26,202
October	-4,939	22,298	27,237
November	-4,279	22,925	27,205
December	-2,136	22,969	25,105
<b>2007</b>			
Jan.- Dec.	-52,649	274,160	326,809
Jan.- Aug.	-31,830	177,561	209,391
January	-4,430	20,937	25,367
February	-3,913	19,542	23,455
March	-3,035	24,308	27,343
April	-4,569	20,649	25,219
May	-2,922	22,437	25,358
June	-3,360	24,270	27,631
July	-4,950	22,171	27,121
August	-4,650	23,247	27,897
September	-5,140	22,932	28,072
October	-6,578	25,188	31,766
November	-6,377	23,647	30,024
December	-2,724	24,832	27,556
<b>2008</b>			
Jan.- Aug.	-33,119	190,008	223,127
January	-3,481	22,130	25,611
February	-3,338	22,254	25,592
March	-3,271	24,654	27,925
April	-5,311	23,423	28,734
May	-3,546	24,078	27,624
June	-3,876	25,037	28,912
July	-7,084	23,311	30,395
August	-3,212	25,122	28,334
September			
October			
November			
December			

NOTE: Data not available on a Balance of Payments basis. For information on data sources, nonsampling errors and definitions, see the information section on page A-1 of this release, or at [www.census.gov/ft900](http://www.census.gov/ft900) or [www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm](http://www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm).

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## Exhibit 16a. Exports, Imports, and Balance of Advanced Technology Products by Technology Group and Selected Countries and Areas

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Technology Group	2008									2007		
	August			July			Year-to-Date			Year-to-Date		
	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports
<b>Total</b>	<b>-3,212</b>	<b>25,122</b>	<b>28,334</b>	<b>-7,084</b>	<b>23,311</b>	<b>30,395</b>	<b>-33,119</b>	<b>190,008</b>	<b>223,127</b>	<b>-31,830</b>	<b>177,561</b>	<b>209,391</b>
Advanced Materials	-34	179	213	-46	155	201	-327	1,279	1,606	-455	1,103	1,558
Aerospace	6,827	9,394	2,567	4,016	7,022	3,006	40,805	64,954	24,149	37,517	59,692	22,175
Biotechnology	176	867	691	3	776	773	1,991	5,859	3,869	530	5,153	4,623
Electronics	2,426	4,537	2,111	2,258	4,542	2,285	17,485	35,194	17,709	15,416	33,238	17,823
Flexible Manufacturing	176	933	756	110	964	853	1,558	8,430	6,872	2,978	10,056	7,078
Information and Communications	-9,460	6,467	15,928	-10,202	6,734	16,936	-70,588	51,663	122,251	-65,919	48,016	113,936
Life Science	-1,035	2,090	3,125	-1,303	2,038	3,340	-10,080	16,465	26,545	-10,465	13,815	24,280
Nuclear Technology	-482	128	610	-292	263	555	-1,728	1,342	3,070	-1,216	1,649	2,865
Opto-Electronics	-1,840	430	2,269	-1,917	436	2,353	-13,111	3,403	16,514	-10,898	3,665	14,563
Weapons	33	97	64	289	381	92	878	1,419	541	682	1,175	492

Selected Countries and Areas	2008									2007		
	August			July			Year-to-Date			Year-to-Date		
	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports	Balance	Exports	Imports
<b>Total</b>	<b>-3,212</b>	<b>25,122</b>	<b>28,334</b>	<b>-7,084</b>	<b>23,311</b>	<b>30,395</b>	<b>-33,119</b>	<b>190,008</b>	<b>223,127</b>	<b>-31,830</b>	<b>177,561</b>	<b>209,391</b>
North America	-1,139	3,784	4,923	-960	4,008	4,968	-6,754	31,317	38,071	-6,680	28,718	35,398
Canada	813	2,057	1,244	843	2,287	1,445	7,351	18,671	11,320	5,584	17,341	11,757
Mexico	-1,952	1,727	3,679	-1,803	1,720	3,523	-14,105	12,645	26,750	-12,264	11,378	23,641
European Union	247	5,918	5,671	-588	5,854	6,443	4,501	51,130	46,629	6,228	49,957	43,729
France	126	927	801	-355	766	1,122	-846	7,363	8,209	-82	8,040	8,122
Germany	470	1,411	941	330	1,318	988	3,676	11,330	7,653	2,349	10,575	8,226
Ireland	-1,184	146	1,330	-1,377	154	1,532	-8,698	2,917	11,614	-8,763	2,455	11,218
Italy	-32	217	250	-34	235	269	5	1,963	1,959	140	1,726	1,586
United Kingdom	-78	1,131	1,209	-13	1,096	1,110	2,454	9,581	7,127	2,796	9,112	6,316
Other EU	945	2,086	1,141	861	2,284	1,423	7,910	17,976	10,066	9,788	18,050	8,261
Pacific Rim Countries	-6,617	9,190	15,807	-8,645	8,476	17,121	-54,253	69,277	123,530	-50,548	66,784	117,332
China	-6,130	2,170	8,299	-7,171	1,776	8,947	-46,586	13,681	60,267	-41,912	12,963	54,876
Japan	166	2,310	2,143	-804	1,466	2,270	-4,831	13,459	18,289	-5,410	12,946	18,356
Australia	221	301	80	360	435	75	2,749	3,283	534	2,136	2,674	538
Indonesia	0	122	122	2	97	95	-182	623	805	-47	591	639
Malaysia	-863	752	1,614	-1,235	710	1,945	-9,198	5,519	14,718	-10,010	4,526	14,536
Philippines	85	359	274	96	390	294	881	3,136	2,255	733	3,053	2,320
Newly Industrialized Countries (NICs)	-220	3,039	3,259	52	3,532	3,480	2,438	28,981	26,542	3,176	29,126	25,950
Hong Kong	532	604	71	511	581	69	4,551	5,026	474	4,217	4,743	526
Korea	-581	737	1,318	-623	912	1,536	-3,992	6,970	10,962	-1,410	8,330	9,740
Singapore	288	916	628	129	903	774	3,443	9,279	5,836	1,404	7,962	6,559
Taiwan	-459	783	1,242	35	1,136	1,101	-1,563	7,706	9,269	-1,034	8,091	9,125
Other Pacific Rim	122	137	15	56	71	15	476	595	119	787	905	118
South/Central America	2,315	2,671	357	1,936	2,228	293	13,384	16,390	3,006	10,749	13,013	2,264
Brazil	1,286	1,477	190	820	958	138	5,660	7,354	1,694	4,246	5,348	1,102
Other S/C America	1,028	1,194	166	1,115	1,270	155	7,724	9,037	1,313	6,503	7,664	1,162
Other Countries	1,983	3,558	1,576	1,174	2,745	1,571	10,002	21,894	11,891	8,420	19,089	10,669
India	129	224	95	504	593	89	2,910	3,579	668	4,145	4,573	428
Israel	271	518	247	-16	256	272	152	2,256	2,104	242	2,399	2,157
Thailand	-445	255	701	-423	244	667	-3,536	1,949	5,485	-2,978	1,992	4,970
Other	2,028	2,561	533	1,109	1,652	543	10,475	14,110	3,634	7,011	10,125	3,114

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### Exhibit 17. Imports of Energy-Related Petroleum Products, Including Crude Oil

Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

Period	Total energy-related petroleum products (1)		Crude oil			
	Quantity (thousands of barrels)	Value (thousands of dollars)	Quantity (thousands of barrels)	Thousands of barrels per day (average)	Value (thousands of dollars)	Unit price (dollars)
<b>2007</b>						
Jan. - Dec.	4,807,811	318,822,423	3,690,568	10,111	237,211,653	64.28
Jan. - Aug.	3,239,129	197,484,702	2,474,881	10,185	144,983,192	58.58
January	419,828	22,065,916	321,272	10,364	16,763,529	52.18
February	334,586	17,471,845	256,750	9,170	13,001,677	50.64
March	418,262	23,186,425	318,783	10,283	16,941,702	53.15
April	404,329	24,344,989	305,965	10,199	17,514,576	57.24
May	427,007	27,038,265	322,212	10,394	19,128,841	59.37
June	414,174	26,723,896	321,757	10,725	19,623,027	60.99
July	406,277	27,755,742	310,556	10,018	20,361,977	65.57
August	414,665	28,897,623	317,585	10,245	21,647,863	68.16
September	391,646	27,435,637	302,410	10,080	20,700,725	68.45
October	404,808	30,039,497	315,071	10,164	22,869,846	72.59
November	389,483	31,771,542	300,371	10,012	23,990,094	79.87
December	382,745	32,091,045	297,836	9,608	24,667,796	82.82
<b>2008</b>						
Jan. - Aug.	3,108,520	322,918,769	2,432,241	9,968	251,479,803	103.39
January	420,916	35,836,371	322,206	10,394	27,093,581	84.09
February	367,098	31,356,495	286,483	9,879	24,281,817	84.76
March	363,252	33,146,123	278,571	8,986	25,030,666	89.85
April	388,145	38,185,528	303,050	10,102	29,339,760	96.81
May	373,287	40,360,232	293,995	9,484	31,245,288	106.28
June	382,675	45,207,376	297,532	9,918	34,850,146	117.13
July	424,467	52,813,717	342,024	11,033	42,637,563	124.66
August	388,679	46,012,928	308,380	9,948	37,000,980	119.99
September						
October						
November						
December						

(1) Details shown for these Energy-Related Petroleum Products are not available on a Balance of Payments basis. These products include the following SITC commodity groupings: crude oil, petroleum preparations, and liquefied propane and butane gas.

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## Part B: NOT Seasonally Adjusted

## Exhibit 18. Exports and Imports of Motor Vehicles and Parts by Selected Countries: 2008

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (X) Not applicable. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of the measurement shown.

Country	Exports											
	Total			Passenger Cars			Trucks, Buses, Special Purpose Vehicles			Parts		
	August	July	Year-to-Date	August	July	Year-to-Date	August	July	Year-to-Date	August	July	Year-to-Date
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,919</b>	<b>9,904</b>	<b>85,985</b>	<b>4,243</b>	<b>3,982</b>	<b>33,447</b>	<b>1,606</b>	<b>1,704</b>	<b>13,043</b>	<b>5,070</b>	<b>4,218</b>	<b>39,495</b>
Australia	228	236	1,656	61	79	530	82	90	538	86	67	589
Austria	43	24	324	1	3	45	(-)	(-)	1	42	21	278
Belgium	63	77	586	17	22	207	4	21	85	42	34	293
Brazil	109	74	630	14	8	75	20	3	57	75	63	498
Canada	4,506	3,977	38,433	1,234	1,039	10,716	863	1,045	8,114	2,409	1,893	19,603
Germany	1,025	1,011	7,432	844	839	6,047	28	17	145	153	155	1,240
Japan	150	179	1,649	22	45	377	13	13	100	115	121	1,172
Korea	79	84	617	30	41	271	9	7	58	40	36	288
Mexico	1,688	1,364	12,640	334	242	2,533	113	87	713	1,241	1,034	9,394
Saudi Arabia	255	239	1,832	212	202	1,523	18	19	124	25	19	185
Sweden	36	36	335	9	14	116	2	2	19	25	20	200
Taiwan	8	14	95	3	3	37	(-)	(-)	3	4	11	55
United Kingdom	215	242	1,665	117	152	843	6	10	91	91	80	731
Other	2,513	2,347	18,089	1,346	1,294	10,128	446	390	2,994	721	663	4,968
Country	Imports											
	August	July	Year-to-Date	August	July	Year-to-Date	August	July	Year-to-Date	August	July	Year-to-Date
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>18,553</b>	<b>18,783</b>	<b>164,092</b>	<b>9,431</b>	<b>10,552</b>	<b>88,801</b>	<b>1,407</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>10,865</b>	<b>7,715</b>	<b>7,258</b>	<b>64,426</b>
Australia	111	127	803	95	112	674	1	1	6	14	15	123
Austria	34	132	1,540	9	83	1,299	(-)	(-)	(-)	26	49	241
Belgium	24	63	720	9	32	555	6	15	66	9	16	99
Brazil	166	150	1,282	(-)	(-)	1	6	6	68	159	144	1,213
Canada	4,576	3,291	37,775	2,600	1,846	21,893	724	432	4,147	1,253	1,013	11,734
Germany	1,725	2,782	18,293	1,061	2,065	12,647	22	22	168	642	694	5,478
Japan	4,334	4,848	39,944	3,125	3,674	29,976	49	43	313	1,160	1,131	9,655
Korea	863	962	8,137	554	628	5,303	(-)	1	2	309	333	2,831
Mexico	4,123	3,357	32,899	1,340	1,061	9,150	554	359	5,523	2,228	1,937	18,226
Saudi Arabia	(-)	2	5	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	2
Sweden	29	167	1,503	7	124	1,186	3	21	134	19	22	182
Taiwan	192	192	1,519	8	6	48	2	(-)	4	182	186	1,466
United Kingdom	338	579	3,711	250	455	2,789	7	35	212	81	89	710
Other	2,037	2,132	15,960	373	464	3,278	32	39	221	1,633	1,629	12,461

NOTE: Data not available on a Balance of Payments basis. For information on data sources, nonsampling errors and definitions, see the information on page A-1 of this release, or at [www.census.gov/ft900](http://www.census.gov/ft900) or [www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm](http://www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm).

## INFORMATION ON GOODS AND SERVICES

### GOODS

#### CENSUS BASIS

The Census basis goods data are compiled from the documents collected by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection and reflect the movement of goods between foreign countries and the 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and U.S. Foreign Trade Zones. They include government and non-government shipments of goods, and exclude shipments between the United States and its territories and possessions, transactions with U.S. military, diplomatic and consular installations abroad, U.S. goods returned to the United States by its Armed Forces, personal and household effects of travelers, and in-transit shipments. The General Imports value reflects the total arrival of merchandise from foreign countries that immediately enters consumption channels, warehouses, or Foreign Trade Zones.

For imports, the value reported is the U.S. Customs and Border Protection appraised value of merchandise; generally, the price paid for merchandise for export to the United States. Import duties, freight, insurance, and other charges incurred in bringing merchandise to the United States are excluded.

Exports are valued at the f.a.s.- free alongside ship value of merchandise at the U.S. port of export, based on the transaction price including inland freight, insurance, and other charges incurred in placing the merchandise alongside the carrier at the U.S. port of exportation.

Monthly data include actual month's transactions as well as a small number of transactions for previous months. Each month we revise the aggregate seasonally adjusted (current and chain-weighted dollar) and unadjusted export, import and trade balance figures, as well as the end-use totals for the prior month. SITC and country detail data are not revised monthly. The timing adjustment shown in Exhibit 14 is the difference between monthly data as originally reported and as recompiled. Quarterly revisions are made to the chain-weighted dollar series. In the last month of each quarter, the current and previous quarter are revised to incorporate the Bureau of Labor Statistics' monthly revisions and align Census and the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis' quarterly data. Annual revisions for the months are made in June to reflect corrections received subsequent to the monthly revisions. These revisions are reflected in totals, end-use, SITC, and country summary data. The monthly end-use, commodity, and country area data presented in this release are on a Census basis. This refers to Exhibits 6 - 18.

#### ***U.S./CANADA DATA EXCHANGE AND SUBSTITUTION***

The data for U.S. exports to Canada are derived from import data compiled by Canada. The use of Canada's import data to produce U.S. export data requires several alignments in order to compare the two series.

1. *Coverage* -- Canadian imports are based on country of origin. U.S. goods shipped from a third country are included. U.S. exports exclude these foreign shipments. For August 2008, these shipments totaled \$136.2 million. U.S. export coverage also excludes certain Canadian postal shipments. For August 2008, these shipments totaled \$21.3 million.

U.S. import coverage includes shipments of railcars and locomotives from Canada. Effective with January 2004 statistics, Canada excludes these shipments from its goods exports to the United States, therefore creating coverage differences between the two countries for these goods.

2. *Valuation* -- Canadian imports are valued at the point of origin in the United States. However, U.S. exports are valued at the port of exit in the United States and include inland freight charges, making the U.S. export value slightly larger. Canada requires inland freight to be reported. Inland freight charges for August 2008 accounted for 2.3 percent of the value of U.S. exports to Canada.
3. *Reexports* -- U.S. exports include reexports of foreign goods. Again, the aggregate U.S. export figure is slightly larger. For August 2008, reexports to Canada were \$3,208.6 million.
4. *Exchange Rate* -- Average monthly exchange rates are applied to convert the published data to U.S. currency. For August 2008, the average exchange rate was 1.0535 Canadian dollars per U.S. dollar.
5. *Other* -- There are other minor differences, which are statistically insignificant, such as rounding error.

## Canadian Estimates

Effective with January 2001 statistics, the current month data for exports to Canada contain an estimate for late arrivals and corrections. The following month, this estimate is replaced, in the press release tables only, with the actual value of late receipts and corrections. This estimate improves the current month data for exports to Canada and treats late receipts for exports to Canada in a manner more consistent with the treatment of late receipts for exports to other countries.

### *Nonsampling errors*

The goods data are a complete enumeration of documents collected by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection and are not subject to sampling errors; but they are subject to several types of nonsampling errors. Quality assurance procedures are performed at every stage of collection, processing and tabulation; however the data are still subject to several types of nonsampling errors. The most significant of these include reporting errors, undocumented shipments, timeliness, data capture errors, and errors in the estimation of low-valued transactions.

**Reporting Errors:** Reporting errors are mistakes or omissions made by importers, exporters or their agents in their import or export declarations. Most errors involve missing or invalid commodity classification codes and missing or incorrect quantities or shipping weights. They have a negligible effect on import, export and balance of trade statistics. However, they can affect the detailed commodity statistics.

**Undocumented Shipments:** Federal regulations require importers, exporters or their agents to report all merchandise shipments above established exemption levels. The U.S. Census Bureau has determined that not all required documents are filed, particularly for exports.

**Timeliness and Data Capture Errors:** The U.S. Census Bureau captures import and export information from administrative documents and through various automated collection programs. Documents may be lost, and data may be incorrectly keyed, coded or recorded. Transactions may be included in a subsequent month's statistics if received late.

**Low-valued Transactions:** The total values of transactions valued as much as or below \$2,500 for exports and \$2,000 (\$250 for certain quota items) for imports are estimated for each country, using factors based on the ratios of low-valued shipments to individual country totals for past periods.

The U.S. Census Bureau recommends that data users incorporate this information into their analyses, as nonsampling errors could impact the conclusion drawn from the results. For a detailed discussion of errors affecting the goods data, see "U.S. Merchandise Trade Statistics: A Quality Profile" available on the internet at [www.census.gov/foreign-trade/aip/index.html#infopapers](http://www.census.gov/foreign-trade/aip/index.html#infopapers) or from the Foreign Trade Division, U.S. Census Bureau.

## AREA GROUPINGS (See Exhibits 14 and 14A)

### North America - Canada, Mexico

**Europe** - Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Faroe Islands, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Gibraltar, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Kosovo, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Svalbard-Jan Mayen Island, Sweden, Switzerland, Tajikistan, Turkey, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Uzbekistan, Vatican City.

**European Union** - Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom.

**Euro Area** - Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain.

**Pacific Rim** - Australia, Brunei, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Macao, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan.

**South/Central America** - Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, Bolivia, Brazil, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Falkland Islands, French Guiana, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Martinique, Montserrat, Netherlands Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Turks and Caicos Islands, Uruguay, Venezuela.

**OPEC** - Algeria, Angola, Ecuador, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela.

**Africa** - Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, British Indian Ocean Territories, Burkina, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo (Brazzaville), Congo (Kinshasa), Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Reunion, Rwanda, St. Helena, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Western Sahara, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

### *Adjustments for Seasonal and Working-Day Variations*

Goods are initially classified under the Harmonized System (HS) which describes and measures the characteristics of goods traded. Combining trade into approximately 140 export and 140 import end-use categories makes it possible to examine goods according to their principal uses (See Exhibits 7 and 8). These categories are used as the basis for computing the seasonal and working-day adjusted data. These adjusted data are then summed to the six end-use aggregates for publication (Exhibit 6). These data are provided to the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, from the U.S. Census Bureau, for use in the Balance of Payments and the National Income and Product Accounts.

The seasonal adjustment procedure is based on a model that estimates the monthly movements as percentages above or below the general level of each end-use commodity series (unlike other methods that redistribute the actual series values over the calendar year). Because of the extremely variable movements of the data series for aircraft, users studying data trends may wish to analyze aircraft separately from other trade.

### *Adjustments for Price Change*

Data adjusted for seasonal variation on a chained-dollar basis (2000 base year) are presented in Exhibits 10 and 11. This adjustment for price change is done using the Fisher chain-weighted methodology. The deflators are primarily based upon the monthly price indexes published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics using techniques developed for the National Income and Product Accounts by the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis.

### *SITC Data*

Goods data appearing in Exhibit 15 are classified in terms of the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC) Revision 3. Agricultural goods consist of non-marine food products and other products of agriculture which have not passed through complex processes of manufacture, such as raw hides and skins, fats and oils, and wine. A few goods such as essential oils, starches, casein, and albumin, considered to be agricultural by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, have been excluded from agricultural goods and are included in manufactured goods where they are classified in the SITC.

Manufactured goods conform to the SITC sections that include chemicals and related products; manufactured goods classified chiefly by material; machinery and transport equipment; miscellaneous manufactured articles; and goods and transactions not classified elsewhere.

Reexports are foreign merchandise entering the country as imports, and at the time of exportation are in substantially the same condition as when imported. Reexports, included in overall export totals, appear as separate line items in Exhibit 15.

### *Advanced Technology Products (ATP)*

About 500 of some 22,000 commodity classification codes used in reporting U.S. merchandise trade are identified as "advanced technology" codes and they meet the following criteria:

1. The code contains products whose technology is from a recognized high technology field (e.g., biotechnology).
2. These products represent leading edge technology in that field.
3. Such products constitute a significant part of all items covered in the selected classification code.

The aggregation of the goods results in a measure of advanced technology trade which appears in Exhibits 16 and 16A. This product and commodity-based measure of advanced technology differs from broader NAICS industry-based measures which include all goods produced by a particular industry group, regardless of the level of technology embodied in the goods.

### **BALANCE OF PAYMENTS (BOP) BASIS**

Goods on a Census basis are adjusted by the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis to goods on a BOP basis to bring the data in line with the concepts and definitions used to prepare the international and national accounts. Broadly, the adjustments include changes in ownership that occur without goods passing into or out of the customs territory of the United States. These adjustments are necessary to supplement coverage of the Census basis data, to eliminate duplication of transactions recorded elsewhere in the international accounts, and to value transactions according to a standard definition.

The export adjustments include:

**U.S. military sales contracts** - This *deduction* of U.S. military sales contracts is made because the U.S. Census Bureau has included these contracts in the goods data, but BEA includes them in the service category "Transfers Under U.S. Military Sales Contracts." BEA's source material for these contracts is more comprehensive, but has no distinction between goods and services.

**Private gift parcels** - This *addition* is made for parcels mailed to foreigners by individuals through the U.S. Postal Service. (Only commercial shipments are covered in Census goods exports.)

**Gold exports, nonmonetary** - This *addition* is made for gold that is purchased by foreign official agencies from private dealers in the United States and held at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. The Census data only include gold that leaves the customs territory.

Some smaller adjustments are also made to exports:

*Deductions* for repairs of goods, developed motion picture film, and military grant-aid. *Additions* for sales of fish in U.S. territorial waters, exports of electricity to Mexico, and vessels and oil rigs that change ownership for which no export document is filed.

The import adjustments include:

**Inland freight in Canada** - An *addition* is made for inland freight in Canada. Imports of goods from all countries are valued at the foreign port of export, including inland freight charges ("customs value"). In the case of Canada, this should be the cost of the goods at the U.S. border. However, the customs value for imports for certain Canadian goods is the point of origin in Canada. The BEA makes an *addition* for the inland freight charges of transporting these Canadian goods to the U.S. border to make the value comparable to the customs value as reported by all other countries. Insurance and freight charges for transporting goods to the United States from all other countries to the U.S. border are included in services by the BEA. (The same procedure is used for Mexico as an Other Adjustment, but is much smaller.)

**Gold imports, nonmonetary** - This *addition* is made for gold sold by foreign official agencies to private purchasers out of stock held at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. The Census data only include gold that enters the customs territory.

**Imports by U.S. military agencies** - This *deduction* of U.S. military sales contracts is made because the U.S. Census Bureau has included these contracts in the goods data, but BEA includes them in the service category "Direct Defense Expenditures." BEA's source material is more comprehensive, but has no distinction between goods and services.

Some smaller adjustments are also made to imports:

*Deductions* for repairs of goods and developed motion picture film. *Additions* for imported electricity from Mexico, conversion of vessels for commercial use, repairs to U.S. vessels abroad, and valuation of prepackaged software imports at market value.

## SERVICES

The statistics are estimates of services transactions between foreign countries and the 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and other U.S. territories and possessions. Transactions with U.S. military, diplomatic, and consular installations abroad are excluded because they are considered to be part of the U.S. economy.

Services are shown in seven broad categories. Types of services for imports and exports are the same for six of the seven categories. For the seventh, exports is "Transfers Under U.S. Military Sales Contracts" while for imports the category

is "Direct Defense Expenditures." The following is a brief description of the types of services included in each category:

**Travel** - Purchases of services and goods by U.S. travelers abroad and by foreign visitors to the United States. A traveler is defined as a person who stays for a period of less than 1 year in a country of which the person is not a resident. Includes expenditures for food, lodging, recreation, gifts, and other items incidental to a foreign visit.

**Passenger Fares** - Fares paid by residents of one country to residents of other countries. Receipts consist of fares received by U.S. carriers from foreign residents for travel between the United States and foreign countries and between two foreign points. Payments consist of fares paid by U.S. residents to foreign carriers for travel between the United States and foreign countries.

**Other Transportation** - Charges for the transportation of goods by ocean, air, waterway, pipeline, and rail carriers to and from the United States. Includes freight charges, operating expenses that transportation companies incur in foreign ports, and payments for vessel charter and aircraft rentals with crew.

**Royalties and License Fees** - Transactions with affiliated and unaffiliated foreign residents. (The term "affiliated" refers to a direct investment relationship, which exists when a U.S. person has ownership or control, directly or indirectly, of 10 percent or more of a foreign business enterprise's voting securities or the equivalent, or when a foreign person has a similar interest in a U.S. enterprise.) Transactions involve intangible assets and proprietary rights such as the use of patents, techniques, processes, formulas, designs, know-how, trademarks, copyrights, franchises, and manufacturing rights. The term "royalties" generally refers to payments for the utilization of copyrights or trademarks, and the term "license fees" generally refers to payments for the use of patents or industrial processes.

**Other Private Services** - Transactions with affiliated and unaffiliated foreign residents. (The term "affiliated" refers to a direct investment relationship, which exists when a U.S. person has ownership or control, directly or indirectly, of 10 percent or more of a foreign business enterprise's voting securities or the equivalent, or when a foreign person has a similar interest in a U.S. enterprise.) Transactions consist of education services; financial services (includes commissions and other transactions fees associated with the purchase and sale of securities and noninterest income of banks, and excludes investment income); insurance services; telecommunications services (includes transmission services and value-added services); and business, professional, and technical services. Included in the last group are advertising services; computer and data processing services; database and other information services; research, development, and testing services;

management, consulting, and public relations services; legal services; construction, engineering, architectural, and mining services; industrial engineering services; installation, maintenance, and repair of equipment; and other services, including medical services and film and tape rentals.

**Transfers Under U.S. Military Sales Contracts** (*Exports only*) - Exports of goods and services in which U.S. Government military agencies participate. Includes both goods, such as equipment, and services, such as repair services and training, that cannot be separately identified.

**Direct Defense Expenditures** (*Imports only*) - Expenditures incurred by U.S. military agencies abroad, including expenditures by U.S. personnel, payments of wages to foreign residents, construction expenditures, payments for foreign contractual services, and procurement of foreign goods. Includes both goods and services that cannot be separately identified.

**U.S. Government Miscellaneous Services** - Transactions of U.S. Government nonmilitary agencies with foreign residents. Most of these transactions involve the provision of services to, or purchases of services from, foreigners; transfers of some goods are also included.

Services estimates are based on quarterly, annual, and benchmark surveys and partial information generated from monthly reports. Service transactions are estimated at market prices. Estimates are seasonally adjusted when statistically significant seasonal patterns are present. No country or area detail is available due to the lack of adequate source data upon which to base estimates.

**The revision policy is as follows:** Each month, a preliminary estimate for the current month and a revised estimate for the immediately preceding month are released. After a revised month is released, no further changes are made to that month until more complete source data become available in March, June, September, and December. The releases in March, June, September, and December contain revised data for the previous six months. The release in March also contains revisions for all months of the previous year in order to align the seasonally adjusted monthly data with annual totals. The release in June contains annual revisions, which reflect updated source data and changes in estimating methodologies.

Quarterly and annual estimates of services are included as part of the U.S. international transactions accounts, published in the January, April, August, and October issues of the Survey of Current Business. The next release of the U.S. international transactions accounts is scheduled for December 17, 2008. The Survey is available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, or online at [www.bea.gov/scb/index.htm](http://www.bea.gov/scb/index.htm).

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Additional data and information on goods are obtainable from: **Foreign Trade Division, U.S. Census Bureau, Washington, D.C. 20233**

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**FT-900 SUPPLEMENT**  
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**Exhibit 1: Exports, Imports and Balance of Goods by Selected NAICS-Based Product Code,  
Not Seasonally Adjusted: August 2008**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal total due to rounding. (X) Not Applicable. (-) Represents zero or less than one-half unit of measurement shown.

NAICS-Based Product Code Description	Balance		Exports		Imports for Consumption (Customs Value)			
	August	Cumulative to Date	August	Cumulative to Date	Totals		Calculated Duty	
					August	Cumulative to Date	August	Cumulative to Date
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	-70,790.2	-540,296.3	117,860.4	894,749.9	188,650.7	1,435,046.3	2,383.3	17,171.0
Agricultural, Forestry & Fishery Products	2,406.1	18,503.6	5,570.1	46,398.7	3,164.0	27,895.2	3.5	41.3
<i>(Domestic)</i>								
Agricultural Products, Total	3,342.1	25,838.3	4,848.4	41,658.1	1,506.3	15,819.8	2.9	36.5
Livestock And Livestock Products	-234.6	-2,025.8	84.8	964.7	319.4	2,990.5	0.2	1.3
Forestry Products	-168.5	-974.6	167.1	1,284.4	335.5	2,259.0	0.1	0.8
Fish, Fresh Or Chilled; And Other Marine Products	-532.9	-4,334.3	469.8	2,491.6	1,002.8	6,825.9	0.3	2.7
Mining, Total	-32,907.6	-227,042.4	2,247.0	16,050.5	35,154.7	243,092.8	7.0	55.8
<i>(Domestic)</i>								
Oil And Gas	-33,177.7	-229,497.2	707.3	5,906.1	33,884.9	235,403.3	6.7	53.8
Minerals And Ores	270.0	2,454.8	1,539.8	10,144.3	1,269.7	7,689.5	0.2	2.0
Manufacturing, Total	-51,535.8	-416,834.0	91,669.5	690,337.1	143,205.3	1,107,171.1	2,365.5	17,025.0
<i>(Domestic)</i>								
Food And Kindred Products	884.2	6,542.1	4,377.7	32,746.5	3,493.5	26,204.4	48.7	409.6
Beverages And Tobacco	-913.3	-7,116.8	443.3	3,161.5	1,356.5	10,278.3	6.7	47.1
Textile And Fabrics	127.1	881.4	716.1	5,693.7	589.1	4,812.3	30.9	251.2
Textile Mill Products	-1,120.8	-8,357.0	240.0	1,755.8	1,360.8	10,112.8	82.9	603.7
Apparel And Accessories	-7,178.8	-47,958.1	285.4	2,075.3	7,464.2	50,033.4	933.0	5,999.8
Leather And Allied Products	-2,599.9	-18,365.3	199.0	1,552.1	2,798.9	19,917.4	274.6	1,954.8
Wood Products	-838.1	-6,590.3	443.7	3,506.1	1,281.8	10,096.4	12.9	95.6
Paper Products	-120.6	-1,292.1	1,968.1	14,725.6	2,088.7	16,017.7	6.6	47.8
Printing, Publishing & Similar Products	-0.1	170.2	567.7	4,313.3	567.8	4,143.1	0.3	1.9
Petroleum And Coal Products	-5,427.9	-51,010.6	7,172.1	43,383.7	12,600.0	94,394.4	13.4	108.7
Chemicals	-2,240.5	-17,515.4	15,927.4	115,614.2	18,167.9	133,129.5	123.5	832.2
Plastic And Rubber Products	-632.3	-6,445.2	2,163.7	15,932.7	2,796.0	22,377.9	65.7	531.2
Nonmetallic Mineral Products	-802.1	-6,017.8	825.9	6,244.6	1,628.0	12,262.4	48.3	352.1
Primary Metal Products	-4,922.5	-29,745.2	4,320.8	38,273.1	9,243.3	68,018.3	31.8	222.9
Fabricated Metal Products	-1,818.6	-12,866.8	2,814.2	21,882.9	4,632.8	34,749.7	95.3	703.6
Machinery, Except Electrical	1,343.7	5,533.7	11,683.1	90,162.2	10,339.5	84,628.5	87.8	696.6
Computers and Electronic Products	-14,178.1	-108,110.8	11,598.7	92,834.8	25,776.8	200,945.5	89.7	678.2
Electrical Equipment, Appliances and Components	-3,047.9	-21,859.4	3,013.2	23,372.5	6,061.1	45,231.9	110.6	753.1
Transportation Equipment	-1,229.2	-37,041.6	19,112.2	141,742.4	20,341.4	178,783.9	224.3	2,101.0
Furniture and Fixtures	-1,830.9	-15,397.4	368.4	2,623.4	2,199.3	18,020.8	3.1	24.0
Miscellaneous Manufactured Commodities	-4,989.2	-34,650.0	3,428.8	28,362.4	8,418.0	63,012.4	75.4	610.0
Special Classification Provisions	183.4	-1,945.7	7,310.2	54,941.5	7,126.7	56,887.1	7.3	48.9
<i>(Domestic)</i>								
Scrap & Waste	2,463.4	17,678.7	3,053.3	21,974.4	589.9	4,295.7	(-)	0.3
Used Or Second-Hand Merchandise	149.9	420.2	633.7	5,626.7	483.7	5,206.6	(-)	(-)
Goods Returned Or Reimported	-3,173.7	-26,681.7	7.6	29.9	3,181.3	26,711.7	(-)	0.1
Special Classification Provision, Nspf	743.8	6,637.2	3,615.6	27,310.5	2,871.8	20,673.2	7.3	48.6
Reexports	11,063.6	86,948.3	11,063.6	86,948.3	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Timing Adjustments	(X)	73.8	(X)	73.8	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

**Exhibit 2. Origin of Movement of U. S. Exports of Goods by State by NAICS-Based Product Code Groupings, Not Seasonally Adjusted: August 2008 and Cumulative to Date 2008**

In millions of dollars. Foreign Trade Zone (FTZ) shipments are included in the U. S. total and distributed among individual states and territories. Separate FTZ total line is for reference only. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (X) Not applicable.  
(-) Represents zero or less than 0.05 percent.

Item	NAICS-Based Product Code Groupings						Reexports		Total	
	Manufactured Commodities			Non-Manufactured Commodities (1)			August	Cumulative to Date	August	Cumulative to Date
	August	Cumulative to Date		August	Cumulative to Date					
		Total	Percent		Total	Percent				
<b>U.S. Total</b>	<b>91,670.0</b>	<b>690,416.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15,126.8</b>	<b>117,385.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>11,063.6</b>	<b>86,948.3</b>	<b>117,860.4</b>	<b>894,749.9</b>
Foreign Trade Zone	2,105.8	15,353.9	2.2	97.0	711.7	0.6	165.9	1,163.5	2,368.7	17,229.1
Alabama	1,284.7	9,109.2	1.3	204.5	1,338.7	1.1	32.8	269.0	1,522.0	10,716.9
Alaska	80.0	334.2	(-)	517.7	1,974.8	1.7	4.5	58.6	602.2	2,367.6
Arizona	1,123.9	9,501.3	1.4	223.8	1,565.0	1.3	249.2	2,265.8	1,597.0	13,332.1
Arkansas	428.6	3,313.5	0.5	26.1	345.6	0.3	14.0	107.7	468.6	3,766.8
California	9,114.5	70,330.5	10.2	1,538.4	11,281.5	9.6	2,249.4	17,280.0	12,902.2	98,892.0
Colorado	489.8	3,744.5	0.5	61.4	488.6	0.4	107.3	977.0	658.5	5,210.2
Connecticut	1,265.9	9,071.7	1.3	47.4	637.9	0.5	32.1	343.5	1,345.4	10,053.1
Delaware	432.6	3,006.6	0.4	4.5	26.2	(-)	63.1	308.6	500.1	3,341.4
Florida	4,278.6	28,756.9	4.2	327.8	3,117.1	2.7	644.0	4,471.1	5,250.5	36,345.1
Georgia	2,094.6	15,587.7	2.3	221.3	1,581.7	1.3	148.7	1,320.6	2,464.6	18,490.1
Hawaii	31.3	580.2	0.1	27.4	106.3	0.1	5.3	69.4	63.9	756.0
Idaho	264.9	2,028.2	0.3	27.8	283.1	0.2	154.9	1,140.5	447.6	3,451.8
Illinois	3,908.7	29,451.0	4.3	404.6	3,071.8	2.6	425.6	3,166.8	4,738.9	35,689.6
Indiana	2,247.4	16,681.6	2.4	62.1	488.6	0.4	129.7	1,043.8	2,439.3	18,214.0
Iowa	854.7	6,870.1	1.0	127.1	965.2	0.8	26.1	199.4	1,007.9	8,034.7
Kansas	827.8	6,886.8	1.0	184.7	1,486.7	1.3	61.1	515.2	1,073.6	8,888.6
Kentucky	1,359.6	11,036.2	1.6	41.6	280.5	0.2	199.6	1,672.3	1,600.7	12,989.0
Louisiana	2,732.0	18,205.6	2.6	1,364.6	11,294.2	9.6	36.2	155.4	4,132.9	29,655.2
Maine	187.1	1,639.5	0.2	73.4	271.5	0.2	4.9	45.8	265.4	1,956.8
Maryland	659.4	6,284.4	0.9	63.8	584.3	0.5	98.6	801.5	821.7	7,670.2
Massachusetts	1,866.3	15,938.5	2.3	303.2	1,656.0	1.4	248.3	1,838.0	2,417.9	19,432.5
Michigan	3,345.6	25,666.9	3.7	457.2	3,245.1	2.8	216.2	1,810.7	4,019.0	30,722.7
Minnesota	1,380.1	10,841.2	1.6	182.9	1,197.1	1.0	102.6	781.7	1,665.6	12,820.0
Mississippi	757.0	3,814.9	0.6	66.0	385.9	0.3	75.8	569.3	898.8	4,770.1
Missouri	782.2	7,246.5	1.0	132.4	1,081.1	0.9	32.2	277.7	946.9	8,605.3
Montana	105.3	717.4	0.1	23.0	212.5	0.2	3.5	32.3	131.9	962.2
Nebraska	356.7	2,695.6	0.4	61.1	959.5	0.8	14.0	127.6	431.7	3,782.7
Nevada	418.6	3,176.3	0.5	108.2	573.7	0.5	45.9	375.9	572.7	4,125.9
New Hampshire	267.3	2,038.0	0.3	16.6	202.3	0.2	22.3	170.5	306.1	2,410.8
New Jersey	2,430.8	17,766.0	2.6	279.4	2,714.7	2.3	479.6	4,196.5	3,189.7	24,677.3
New Mexico	205.4	1,636.2	0.2	21.7	132.6	0.1	18.3	154.6	245.4	1,923.3
New York	4,050.3	36,226.2	5.2	1,166.7	9,444.4	8.0	1,146.4	10,811.4	6,363.4	56,482.1
North Carolina	1,843.7	14,417.0	2.1	102.9	1,235.2	1.1	180.4	1,359.3	2,127.0	17,011.5
North Dakota	130.0	1,333.0	0.2	69.5	588.3	0.5	3.8	40.0	203.3	1,961.2
Ohio	3,892.2	27,087.2	3.9	182.7	1,098.9	0.9	240.1	1,956.2	4,315.0	30,142.3
Oklahoma	395.8	2,844.6	0.4	31.2	232.6	0.2	22.5	190.0	449.5	3,267.3
Oregon	1,389.2	9,534.2	1.4	259.0	2,550.6	2.2	138.5	1,286.3	1,786.7	13,371.0
Pennsylvania	2,691.2	20,172.6	2.9	194.7	1,549.9	1.3	197.2	1,586.8	3,083.1	23,309.3
Rhode Island	107.0	778.1	0.1	47.8	433.0	0.4	33.9	188.3	188.7	1,399.3
South Carolina	1,638.5	12,144.6	1.8	48.0	358.3	0.3	77.2	890.1	1,763.7	13,393.0
South Dakota	139.5	1,040.9	0.2	12.0	80.7	0.1	2.0	16.0	153.5	1,137.7
Tennessee	1,585.1	11,848.7	1.7	127.4	915.4	0.8	419.5	2,828.3	2,132.0	15,592.4
Texas	14,883.1	110,198.0	16.0	1,153.3	9,115.1	7.8	2,081.0	14,599.6	18,117.4	133,912.8
Utah	735.2	6,526.7	0.9	55.2	589.2	0.5	22.3	174.7	812.7	7,290.5
Vermont	184.2	1,393.4	0.2	9.3	77.4	0.1	111.6	930.4	305.2	2,401.2
Virginia	1,320.0	9,828.2	1.4	313.7	2,176.1	1.9	86.4	721.8	1,720.1	12,726.1
Washington	5,851.6	39,007.3	5.6	1,034.3	10,018.1	8.5	192.1	1,624.5	7,077.9	50,649.9
West Virginia	299.2	2,350.3	0.3	159.9	1,210.0	1.0	7.0	39.0	466.1	3,599.3
Wisconsin	1,626.1	12,238.5	1.8	111.9	800.7	0.7	99.5	720.7	1,837.4	13,759.9
Wyoming	74.6	561.1	0.1	12.3	110.0	0.1	2.1	12.7	89.0	683.8
Dist of Columbia	108.1	648.5	0.1	76.2	145.6	0.1	2.3	25.8	186.6	819.9
Puerto Rico	1,602.8	13,344.6	1.9	24.7	140.4	0.1	44.7	299.7	1,672.1	13,784.7
US Virgin Islands	220.6	1,910.9	0.3	18.9	20.5	(-)	1.9	23.9	241.4	1,955.3
Other	1,320.6	10,950.5	1.6	2,713.8	20,945.3	17.8	5.5	76.0	4,039.9	31,971.8
Estimated Shipments	0.0	0.0	(-)	2,106.9	15,528.6	13.2	(-)	(-)	2,106.9	15,528.6
Unreported (2)	1,320.6	10,950.5	1.6	607.0	5,416.6	4.6	5.5	76.0	1,933.0	16,443.2
Timing Adjustment	(X)	73.8	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(X)	73.8

(1) Includes agricultural, forestry, fishery products, mineral commodities, scrap, waste and used or second-hand merchandise. The state of origin of movement value totals for non-manufactured commodities usually reflect the state where the U. S. port of export is located.

(2) Includes prior month's revision to exports to Canada.

### Exhibit 3. General Imports of Crude Oil by Country, Not Seasonally Adjusted

Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (-) Represents zero or less than one-half unit of measurement shown.

Country	Quantity in thousands of barrels			Customs value in thousands of dollars			C.I.F. value in thousands of dollars		
	August 2008	July 2008	Cumulative 2008	August 2008	July 2008	Cumulative 2008	August 2008	July 2008	Cumulative 2008
<b>Total</b>	<b>308,380</b>	<b>342,024</b>	<b>2,432,241</b>	<b>37,000,980</b>	<b>42,637,563</b>	<b>251,479,803</b>	<b>37,974,170</b>	<b>43,666,593</b>	<b>257,856,353</b>
<b>OPEC Total</b>	<b>177,327</b>	<b>197,402</b>	<b>1,398,467</b>	<b>21,680,730</b>	<b>24,956,871</b>	<b>147,809,161</b>	<b>22,381,232</b>	<b>25,671,542</b>	<b>152,285,975</b>
Algeria	10,889	6,135	73,683	1,371,347	853,216	8,382,948	1,413,990	876,853	8,611,068
Angola	16,216	20,965	126,821	2,035,642	2,764,431	14,091,270	2,097,766	2,846,932	14,480,084
Ecuador	8,475	8,004	54,121	899,860	946,676	5,332,376	933,230	976,182	5,525,416
Indonesia	1,067	526	3,441	126,365	64,147	363,472	134,464	66,468	379,261
Iran	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Iraq	21,084	23,066	163,383	2,609,329	2,836,702	16,634,750	2,723,258	2,945,241	17,331,793
Kuwait	5,962	4,846	50,189	678,367	611,075	4,939,726	700,412	627,435	5,104,325
Libya	2,646	1,598	15,999	350,545	217,304	1,830,132	361,646	222,125	1,890,060
Nigeria	24,929	28,011	238,794	3,357,036	3,885,116	27,027,078	3,479,670	3,998,505	27,775,351
Qatar	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Saudi Arabia	45,886	59,220	373,022	5,635,705	7,205,155	39,010,945	5,834,513	7,434,390	40,354,810
United Arab Emirates	(-)	697	1,395	(-)	98,350	161,603	(-)	102,529	171,028
Venezuela	40,173	44,334	297,618	4,616,533	5,474,700	30,034,860	4,702,284	5,574,882	30,662,779
<b>Non-OPEC</b>	<b>131,052</b>	<b>144,622</b>	<b>1,033,775</b>	<b>15,320,250</b>	<b>17,680,692</b>	<b>103,670,641</b>	<b>15,592,938</b>	<b>17,995,050</b>	<b>105,570,378</b>
Argentina	992	(-)	6,839	109,059	(-)	690,120	111,730	(-)	713,611
Bahamas	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Brazil	6,054	8,975	54,513	687,034	1,116,539	5,653,159	718,729	1,160,566	5,862,265
Brunei	(-)	(-)	356	(-)	(-)	36,526	(-)	(-)	37,635
Cameroon	(-)	800	2,632	(-)	107,993	335,245	(-)	112,481	343,140
Canada	55,047	63,183	450,139	6,472,071	7,623,636	43,903,798	6,540,041	7,707,333	44,471,317
Chad	2,624	3,565	24,708	299,510	432,873	2,388,005	309,698	451,065	2,477,469
China	243	764	3,962	29,045	102,479	444,718	30,742	106,183	463,693
Colombia	7,350	5,666	43,529	822,482	724,109	4,569,569	849,540	743,079	4,704,718
Congo (Brazzaville)	2,843	2,423	34,225	363,096	333,909	3,714,786	373,889	343,641	3,796,058
Congo (Kinshasa)	(-)	468	468	(-)	65,234	65,234	(-)	68,316	68,316
Egypt	515	(-)	515	63,607	(-)	63,607	67,054	(-)	67,054
Equatorial Guinea	1,270	2,991	11,853	172,648	392,185	1,364,940	178,025	403,969	1,403,553
Gabon	1,962	1,609	13,200	254,709	215,456	1,465,387	260,967	222,525	1,512,404
Malaysia	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Mexico	36,243	37,555	279,052	4,054,174	4,387,735	26,825,206	4,097,950	4,432,262	27,145,333
Netherlands Antilles	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Norway	723	265	5,672	99,429	29,000	665,525	101,627	30,167	680,607
Oman	1,321	1,123	5,026	157,928	145,992	602,729	166,592	152,378	631,129
Peru	(-)	1,078	2,715	(-)	124,207	281,870	(-)	127,181	291,288
Russia	4,024	3,613	25,141	497,539	477,627	2,903,982	510,672	491,491	2,980,752
Trinidad and Tobago	(-)	510	4,555	(-)	70,588	467,903	(-)	72,388	479,733
United Kingdom	1,276	1,491	14,722	154,180	205,773	1,635,129	156,232	208,585	1,667,471
Vietnam	651	390	5,544	90,900	53,595	625,208	94,896	55,548	650,277
All Other	7,917	8,153	44,407	992,839	1,071,761	4,967,995	1,024,553	1,105,893	5,122,555

**Exhibit 4. Exports and Imports of Goods by SITC Commodity Sections: Not Seasonally Adjusted**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (X) - Not applicable. (R) Revised.

SITC Section Description	2008						2007			
	August		July		Cumulative to Date		August		Cumulative to Date	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
<b>Total</b>	<b>117,860.4</b>	<b>190,303.0</b>	<b>(R) 115,718.0</b>	<b>(R) 200,899.4</b>	<b>894,749.9</b>	<b>1,447,647.6</b>	<b>101,142.7</b>	<b>170,765.9</b>	<b>753,038.7</b>	<b>1,273,888.8</b>
Summary:										
Food and live animals	7,873.8	5,364.8	7,560.5	5,420.9	56,827.3	44,070.1	6,014.6	4,969.7	39,771.5	40,303.3
Beverages and tobacco	375.8	1,418.4	415.3	1,580.9	3,373.2	11,146.9	411.5	1,468.8	3,281.5	11,187.9
Crude materials, inedible except fuels	6,726.2	3,133.5	6,955.7	3,054.7	52,848.5	22,775.5	5,408.3	2,594.9	38,561.0	20,578.8
Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	8,509.8	50,718.3	8,982.4	57,839.7	54,759.7	358,467.7	3,719.8	32,966.7	25,479.5	229,487.1
Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	370.4	534.2	314.6	474.4	3,048.8	3,447.6	271.8	316.0	1,657.2	2,037.7
Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	16,699.0	16,307.1	16,248.9	15,592.8	120,949.0	119,302.4	13,523.8	12,753.1	102,048.9	103,805.2
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	9,612.6	20,572.6	9,572.4	21,721.2	74,312.4	158,097.9	8,685.0	19,998.1	64,985.9	152,969.2
Machinery and transport equipment	42,879.3	60,291.6	39,565.1	63,067.7	327,875.2	492,414.5	40,065.9	63,047.0	301,357.0	480,458.3
Miscellaneous manufac- tured articles	9,529.4	26,099.3	9,684.7	26,429.0	75,061.5	189,745.8	8,991.4	27,174.0	70,856.2	190,471.4
Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	4,220.5	5,863.2	5,234.2	6,436.0	38,672.2	47,395.4	3,935.5	5,477.8	29,374.9	42,589.9
Reexports	11,063.6	(X)	11,233.6	(X)	86,948.3	(X)	10,115.0	(X)	75,665.0	(X)
Timing adjustments	(X)	(X)	-49.4	-717.8	73.8	783.9	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

## Exhibit 5. Exports, Imports, and Trade Balance of Goods

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. (R) Revised.

Period	Trade balance		Exports	Imports	
	Customs	C.I.F.	F.A.S. Value	Customs value	C.I.F. Value
<b>Seasonally Adjusted</b>					
<b>2007</b>					
Jan.- Dec.	-794,482.5	-857,923.8	1,162,479.3	1,956,961.8	2,020,403.1
Jan.- Aug.	-526,671.3	-569,001.4	755,390.1	1,282,061.4	1,324,391.5
January	-64,417.7	-69,771.0	91,504.0	155,921.8	161,275.1
February	-64,953.8	-70,094.7	90,020.8	154,974.6	160,115.5
March	-67,922.6	-73,121.0	92,426.9	160,349.6	165,547.9
April	-66,244.8	-71,492.7	92,546.3	158,791.2	164,039.0
May	-66,102.6	-71,471.4	94,658.6	160,761.2	166,130.0
June	-66,922.8	-72,262.4	95,964.8	162,887.6	168,227.2
July	-65,546.2	-70,951.6	98,668.8	164,215.0	169,620.3
August	-64,560.7	-69,836.6	99,599.9	164,160.6	169,436.5
September	-64,744.4	-70,062.3	100,368.0	165,112.4	170,430.2
October	-65,794.6	-70,974.3	101,414.2	167,208.9	172,388.5
November	-69,631.8	-74,949.8	102,400.8	172,032.6	177,350.7
December	-67,640.5	-72,936.0	102,906.2	170,546.6	175,842.1
<b>2008</b>					
Jan.- Aug.	-557,432.1	-601,709.1	899,796.7	1,457,228.7	1,501,505.7
January	-68,557.2	-74,082.7	105,482.1	174,039.3	179,564.8
February	-69,919.2	-75,494.9	109,003.8	178,923.0	184,498.7
March	-66,306.9	-71,454.4	105,540.9	171,847.8	176,995.3
April	-70,583.4	-76,042.8	110,835.0	181,418.4	186,877.8
May	-70,810.7	-76,294.0	111,543.8	182,354.5	187,837.8
June	-69,802.5	-75,256.0	117,013.7	186,816.2	192,269.7
July (R)	-72,260.0	-78,035.4	121,661.7	193,921.7	199,697.1
August	-69,192.3	-75,048.8	118,715.7	187,908.0	193,764.5
September					
October					
November					
December					
<b>Not Seasonally Adjusted</b>					
<b>2007</b>					
Jan.- Dec.	-794,482.5	-857,923.8	1,162,479.3	1,956,961.8	2,020,403.1
Jan.- Aug.	-520,850.1	-563,170.8	753,038.7	1,273,888.8	1,316,209.5
January	-64,915.5	-70,149.8	85,917.6	150,833.0	156,067.4
February	-54,872.5	-59,518.7	84,920.7	139,793.2	144,439.3
March	-60,851.3	-66,061.2	100,511.5	161,362.8	166,572.6
April	-64,918.2	-70,172.5	91,665.3	156,583.5	161,837.7
May	-65,421.2	-70,914.1	97,902.2	163,323.5	168,816.3
June	-65,339.7	-70,739.3	99,122.2	164,461.9	169,861.5
July	-74,908.4	-80,475.1	91,856.6	166,764.9	172,331.7
August	-69,623.3	-75,140.3	101,142.7	170,765.9	176,283.0
September	-64,704.4	-69,922.8	98,067.5	162,771.9	167,990.3
October	-75,481.7	-81,060.3	106,562.7	182,044.4	187,623.0
November	-72,300.6	-77,627.6	103,362.5	175,663.0	180,990.0
December	-61,145.8	-66,142.3	101,447.9	162,593.7	167,590.2
<b>2008</b>					
Jan.- Aug.	-552,897.7	-597,120.4	894,749.9	1,447,647.6	1,491,870.3
January	-67,812.3	-73,206.8	99,549.3	167,361.6	172,756.0
February	-59,150.8	-64,315.2	105,930.4	165,081.3	170,245.6
March	-58,453.9	-63,566.9	112,085.3	170,539.1	175,652.2
April	-70,749.1	-76,278.3	111,131.2	181,880.3	187,409.5
May	-67,845.0	-73,340.6	114,291.4	182,136.3	187,631.9
June	-71,262.7	-76,810.1	118,183.9	189,446.7	194,994.0
July (R)	-85,181.4	-91,216.0	115,718.0	200,899.4	206,934.0
August	-72,442.6	-78,386.6	117,860.4	190,303.0	196,247.0
September					
October					
November					
December					

**Exhibit 6. Exports, Imports and Trade Balance by Country and Area, Not Seasonally Adjusted: 2008**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (X) Not applicable. (-) Represents zero or less than one-half unit of value shown.

Country	Trade balance			Exports			Imports					
	(Customs imports)			Domestic & Foreign, F.A.S. basis			Customs basis			C.I.F. basis		
	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>-72,442.6</b>	<b>-552,897.7</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>117,860.4</b>	<b>894,749.9</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>190,303.0</b>	<b>1,447,647.6</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>196,247.0</b>	<b>1,491,870.3</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Afghanistan	33.5	237.7	190	35.7	311.3	96	2.1	73.6	126	2.2	74.9	127
Albania	3.0	18.1	138	4.0	25.7	171	1.0	7.6	159	1.1	8.0	159
Algeria	-1,947.1	-13,262.9	12	80.9	862.5	72	2,027.9	14,125.4	24	2,100.3	14,546.1	24
Andorra	1.5	9.8	128	1.5	10.4	191	(-)	0.6	203	(-)	0.7	203
Angola	-1,656.3	-13,081.5	13	403.6	1,286.6	63	2,059.9	14,368.1	23	2,123.8	14,772.7	23
Anguilla	4.9	48.2	156	5.3	50.7	152	0.4	2.5	180	0.4	2.6	181
Antigua and Barbuda	13.0	112.3	174	13.4	115.6	126	0.4	3.3	176	0.4	3.4	177
Argentina	196.1	1,509.0	217	727.6	5,260.1	32	531.5	3,751.1	47	560.5	3,974.2	46
Armenia	16.2	79.3	166	20.8	104.8	128	4.6	25.5	145	4.7	25.9	147
Aruba	-279.9	-1,569.4	39	98.5	486.0	85	378.3	2,055.4	61	387.5	2,100.8	61
Australia	955.5	8,359.0	227	1,948.5	15,427.9	15	993.0	7,068.9	34	1,029.3	7,320.8	34
Austria	-318.8	-4,307.3	27	210.0	1,788.5	54	528.8	6,095.8	37	543.4	6,242.2	38
Azerbaijan	-767.8	-3,147.8	30	18.7	136.1	124	786.6	3,283.9	48	809.8	3,375.0	49
Bahamas	162.3	1,560.8	218	212.5	1,895.3	51	50.2	334.5	90	51.6	350.2	90
Bahrain	-8.4	148.4	180	50.2	491.5	84	58.6	343.1	89	63.1	362.6	89
Bangladesh	-309.5	-2,191.6	36	39.7	279.4	101	349.3	2,471.0	54	371.9	2,626.8	54
Barbados	35.6	287.3	195	38.4	316.0	93	2.8	28.8	144	2.9	29.9	144
Belarus	-99.0	-641.8	49	11.0	82.5	138	110.0	724.3	78	113.3	754.2	78
Belgium	1,456.4	7,863.9	226	2,529.5	20,221.5	11	1,073.0	12,357.6	25	1,101.8	12,628.1	25
Belize	10.5	139.0	178	29.2	241.9	107	18.6	103.0	117	19.7	109.3	119
Benin	107.0	600.0	204	118.6	611.9	78	11.6	11.9	152	12.3	12.6	154
Bermuda	59.9	557.3	203	60.7	586.9	79	0.8	29.6	143	0.8	30.0	143
Bhutan	(-)	3.3	109	0.1	3.7	208	(-)	0.4	207	0.1	0.4	207
Bolivia	-31.1	-43.3	71	41.3	266.7	103	72.4	310.0	93	75.1	319.3	93
Bosnia-Herzegovina	0.5	9.4	127	2.2	24.0	175	1.8	14.5	151	1.9	15.4	151
Botswana	-15.9	-118.5	66	9.2	45.7	154	25.1	164.2	110	25.2	164.9	110
Brazil	1,327.1	1,262.9	213	3,893.8	21,720.2	9	2,566.8	20,457.3	15	2,700.7	21,508.8	15
British Indian Ocean Territories	-1.0	-1.3	87	(-)	0.8	219	1.0	2.1	183	1.0	2.1	185
British Virgin Islands	50.8	184.2	184	51.2	190.4	113	0.5	6.1	163	0.5	6.3	164
Brunei	4.7	-12.2	79	10.7	76.7	141	6.0	88.9	121	6.2	91.4	123
Bulgaria	-31.8	53.2	159	35.8	308.6	97	67.7	255.4	97	72.7	273.5	97
Burkina Faso	6.1	17.3	137	6.1	17.7	179	(-)	0.5	205	(-)	0.5	205
Burma (Myanmar)	1.0	5.8	117	1.0	5.8	202	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)
Burundi	0.1	-0.2	90	0.1	1.9	210	(-)	2.1	184	(-)	2.2	184
Cambodia	-215.0	-1,505.3	40	10.7	119.6	125	225.8	1,625.0	65	239.5	1,717.8	65
Cameroon	-40.1	-469.5	53	10.6	69.1	145	50.7	538.6	85	55.3	560.3	85
Canada	-7,416.7	-54,394.7	2	22,187.8	181,001.3	1	29,604.4	235,396.0	1	29,931.5	238,197.0	1
Cape Verde	0.2	6.3	120	0.2	6.7	200	(-)	0.3	208	(-)	0.4	208
Cayman Islands	67.7	491.2	202	68.5	499.0	83	0.8	7.8	158	0.8	8.1	158
Central African Republic	3.0	13.3	131	3.3	17.2	180	0.3	3.9	171	0.3	4.4	170
Chad	-298.3	-2,420.9	34	8.6	36.5	161	306.9	2,457.4	55	317.2	2,548.7	56
Chile	282.3	2,789.6	221	1,037.9	8,799.9	22	755.6	6,010.3	38	803.0	6,577.8	37
China	-25,333.5	-167,673.2	1	6,506.7	49,635.5	3	31,840.2	217,308.7	2	33,590.3	229,445.7	2
Christmas Island	0.6	1.1	102	0.6	1.7	212	(-)	0.6	202	(-)	0.7	202
Cocos (Keeling) Island	0.2	0.1	95	0.2	0.8	220	0.1	0.7	199	0.1	0.7	200
Colombia	-232.9	-1,418.7	42	1,188.2	7,911.8	24	1,421.1	9,330.5	29	1,495.3	9,826.5	29
Comoros	-0.1	-0.1	91	(-)	0.3	225	0.1	0.4	206	0.1	0.4	206
Congo (Brazzaville)	-377.9	-3,712.4	28	15.0	100.6	130	392.9	3,813.0	46	404.8	3,898.4	47
Congo (Kinshasa)	2.0	-167.5	60	9.7	79.6	139	7.7	247.1	98	7.7	251.2	100
Cook Islands	0.2	0.7	99	0.2	1.6	213	(-)	0.9	194	(-)	1.0	194
Costa Rica	189.0	1,020.5	211	520.8	3,789.3	38	331.8	2,768.8	51	352.9	2,944.1	51
Cote d'Ivoire	-26.4	-655.9	48	16.9	177.0	118	43.3	832.9	75	46.0	885.7	75
Croatia	22.0	142.9	179	40.0	311.4	95	18.0	168.6	109	18.8	175.6	109
Cuba	43.8	475.6	199	43.8	475.7	86	(-)	(-)	223	(-)	(-)	222
Cyprus	13.5	98.7	172	14.6	108.1	127	1.1	9.4	156	1.2	10.2	156
Czech Republic	-106.6	-821.8	47	116.9	926.8	70	223.5	1,748.6	63	232.1	1,817.4	63
Denmark	-350.6	-2,279.2	35	225.6	1,872.0	53	576.2	4,151.2	43	597.8	4,270.0	43
Djibouti	15.2	50.5	157	15.3	55.2	149	(-)	4.7	168	(-)	4.8	168
Dominica	9.1	70.0	164	9.3	71.8	144	0.1	1.8	187	0.1	1.9	187
Dominican Republic	334.2	1,920.8	219	658.6	4,596.7	33	324.4	2,675.9	53	333.3	2,754.3	53
East Timor	0.5	4.1	110	0.5	4.2	205	(-)	(-)	225	(-)	(-)	225
Ecuador	-722.2	-4,440.7	25	348.4	2,265.9	47	1,070.7	6,706.6	35	1,118.6	7,042.1	35
Egypt	431.4	2,918.4	222	689.6	4,352.0	34	258.2	1,433.6	69	271.1	1,501.5	69
El Salvador	47.3	240.4	192	231.3	1,742.8	57	184.0	1,502.4	68	191.0	1,556.4	68
Equatorial Guinea	-360.7	-2,026.0	38	14.0	103.4	129	374.7	2,129.4	60	388.1	2,207.0	60
Eritrea	5.7	14.0	135	5.7	14.1	186	(-)	0.1	218	(-)	0.1	218
Estonia	-62.7	-143.8	62	18.6	154.7	121	81.3	298.5	94	85.5	311.2	94

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Country	Trade balance			Exports			Imports					
	(Customs imports)			Domestic & Foreign, F.A.S. basis			Customs basis			C.I.F. basis		
	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank
Ethiopia	-6.4	79.9	168	14.0	190.1	114	20.3	110.2	116	21.2	114.9	118
Falkland Islands	0.1	-4.4	83	0.1	0.5	221	(-)	4.9	167	(-)	5.0	167
Faroe Islands	-0.4	1.1	103	0.3	6.7	199	0.8	5.6	165	1.0	6.8	161
Federal Republic of Germany	-3,187.7	-30,480.4	6	4,723.3	37,427.6	6	7,911.0	67,908.0	5	8,103.0	69,465.6	5
Federated States of Micronesia	2.5	20.4	140	3.1	22.8	177	0.6	2.3	181	0.8	3.5	176
Fiji	-8.5	-71.2	69	3.7	26.4	169	12.2	97.6	119	14.6	119.0	116
Finland	-75.5	-1,473.1	41	351.7	2,625.8	45	427.2	4,098.9	44	446.3	4,265.2	44
France	-988.1	-9,725.1	16	2,507.9	19,901.0	12	3,496.0	29,626.1	10	3,569.0	30,200.0	10
French Guiana	1.0	12.6	130	1.0	12.8	188	(-)	0.1	216	(-)	0.1	216
French Polynesia	6.9	30.1	148	9.4	86.7	134	2.5	56.6	131	2.6	57.2	132
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	(-)	3.2	107	(-)	3.7	207	(-)	0.5	204	(-)	0.5	204
Gabon	-211.0	-1,375.2	43	56.8	175.0	119	267.9	1,550.2	66	275.8	1,608.0	67
Gambia	2.3	20.1	139	2.3	20.4	178	(-)	0.3	210	(-)	0.3	210
Gaza Strip Administered by Israel	-0.2	-1.6	86	(-)	(-)	230	0.2	1.6	188	0.2	1.7	188
Georgia	47.5	225.1	189	51.8	395.1	88	4.3	170.0	108	4.5	181.1	107
Ghana	3.4	197.3	186	39.7	388.1	89	36.3	190.8	106	37.9	206.3	105
Gibraltar	242.5	2,073.5	220	242.5	2,074.8	48	(-)	1.4	190	(-)	1.4	191
Greece	170.5	647.8	205	227.6	1,242.7	65	57.1	595.0	83	62.4	657.1	82
Greenland	0.2	8.9	124	0.5	11.9	189	0.4	3.0	178	0.4	3.0	180
Grenada	3.6	39.7	152	4.7	45.7	155	1.1	5.9	164	1.1	6.4	163
Guadeloupe	17.0	239.1	191	17.6	245.3	106	0.6	6.3	161	0.6	7.2	160
Guatemala	90.0	787.6	207	386.9	3,226.0	42	296.9	2,438.3	56	318.2	2,622.7	55
Guinea	0.8	-3.6	85	8.1	72.1	143	7.3	75.7	125	10.0	98.9	120
Guinea-Bissau	(-)	0.9	100	(-)	1.1	216	(-)	0.2	215	(-)	0.2	215
Guyana	18.8	91.2	170	27.6	189.6	115	8.8	98.5	118	10.1	115.7	117
Haiti	57.0	285.6	194	93.6	574.0	81	36.6	288.4	95	37.5	298.6	95
Heard and McDonald Islands	(-)	0.2	96	(-)	0.3	226	(-)	(-)	226	(-)	(-)	226
Honduras	112.8	767.3	206	458.7	3,453.3	41	345.9	2,686.0	52	360.0	2,826.5	52
Hong Kong	1,232.5	10,312.9	230	1,758.9	14,664.9	16	526.4	4,352.0	42	548.8	4,511.1	42
Hungary	-52.8	-1,199.6	44	139.7	969.5	69	192.5	2,169.1	59	197.0	2,212.1	59
Iceland	31.3	211.3	188	43.1	354.9	91	11.8	143.7	111	12.4	151.6	111
India	-346.2	-4,419.7	26	1,864.4	12,725.8	17	2,210.6	17,145.5	18	2,308.0	17,911.4	18
Indonesia	-928.5	-6,385.8	19	629.0	4,110.8	37	1,557.5	10,496.6	28	1,643.3	11,105.4	28
Iran	131.9	165.9	183	137.5	237.8	108	5.6	71.9	128	5.8	74.3	128
Iraq	-2,405.4	-15,261.0	9	233.7	1,666.1	59	2,639.0	16,927.1	19	2,753.0	17,625.0	19
Ireland	-1,706.4	-14,325.4	11	529.4	6,093.4	30	2,235.8	20,418.8	16	2,248.0	20,511.2	16
Israel	-415.9	-5,425.9	22	1,508.3	10,378.9	19	1,924.1	15,804.9	20	1,947.1	16,009.1	21
Italy	-1,924.8	-14,568.9	10	1,287.8	10,907.8	18	3,212.6	25,476.7	12	3,325.6	26,431.2	12
Jamaica	174.8	1,372.8	216	236.1	1,888.1	52	61.3	515.3	86	67.4	556.3	86
Japan	-4,765.9	-50,788.2	3	6,366.3	46,021.4	4	11,132.2	96,809.5	4	11,468.9	99,633.0	4
Jordan	-37.2	-178.9	58	78.9	580.0	80	116.1	758.9	77	121.5	787.8	77
Kazakhstan	-17.7	-551.8	51	45.0	639.8	76	62.7	1,191.6	71	66.1	1,223.8	71
Kenya	84.6	124.9	176	115.2	340.7	92	30.7	215.7	101	32.3	226.7	101
Kiribati	2.1	6.3	119	2.2	7.0	198	0.1	0.6	201	0.1	0.8	197
Korea, South	-749.3	-8,045.1	18	3,115.0	24,678.7	8	3,864.3	32,723.8	9	4,004.0	33,919.4	9
Kuwait	-532.1	-3,531.9	29	201.3	1,687.6	58	733.4	5,219.5	41	760.6	5,422.8	41
Kyrgyzstan	1.6	23.3	145	1.8	25.4	172	0.2	2.1	185	0.3	2.2	183
Laos	-2.7	-19.9	77	1.2	10.8	190	3.9	30.7	142	4.1	32.1	142
Latvia	28.4	122.5	175	38.1	261.3	104	9.6	138.8	112	10.3	146.8	112
Lebanon	221.8	911.3	208	228.8	984.6	68	7.0	73.4	127	7.2	75.6	126
Lesotho	-35.8	-238.1	57	0.1	1.2	215	35.9	239.3	100	38.5	252.2	99
Liberia	0.8	-10.1	80	15.3	84.8	136	14.5	94.9	120	14.7	97.0	121
Libya	-435.3	-2,780.1	33	60.7	469.8	87	496.0	3,249.9	49	515.8	3,383.6	48
Liechtenstein	-15.9	-151.8	61	1.6	23.4	176	17.5	175.2	107	17.8	178.3	108
Lithuania	17.1	-42.0	72	84.9	542.8	82	67.8	584.8	84	70.3	619.7	84
Luxembourg	36.3	414.0	198	82.8	771.8	73	46.5	357.9	88	48.6	372.9	88
Macao	-61.1	-450.3	54	17.9	226.1	109	79.0	676.5	80	82.2	707.1	80
Macedonia (Skopje)	-13.7	-36.6	74	2.1	26.2	170	15.8	62.8	130	16.0	64.6	130
Madagascar	-27.6	-168.7	59	4.2	39.8	159	31.8	208.5	103	33.5	219.3	102
Malawi	3.5	9.1	125	7.4	34.4	165	3.8	25.4	146	4.2	27.1	146
Malaysia	-1,336.1	-12,481.4	15	1,271.4	9,183.9	21	2,607.5	21,665.3	14	2,677.6	22,232.7	14
Maldives	1.4	13.9	134	1.6	16.1	183	0.2	2.1	182	0.2	2.5	182

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	(Customs imports)			Domestic & Foreign, F.A.S. basis			Customs basis			C.I.F. basis		
	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank
Mali	1.7	21.1	143	2.0	24.5	173	0.3	3.4	173	0.3	3.5	175
Malta	-7.3	14.4	136	15.2	207.5	112	22.4	193.0	105	22.9	196.9	106
Marshall Islands	-2.9	5.2	114	1.7	16.0	185	4.7	10.8	155	5.2	13.2	152
Martinique	26.6	202.8	187	29.1	209.0	111	2.5	6.2	162	2.6	6.3	165
Mauritania	15.2	84.3	169	15.2	85.7	135	(-)	1.4	189	(-)	1.4	189
Mauritius	-12.1	-83.4	67	3.2	35.8	163	15.3	119.2	114	15.9	124.1	114
Mayotte	(-)	(-)	92	(-)	(-)	231	(-)	(-)	228	(-)	(-)	228
Mexico	-5,879.6	-47,037.0	4	13,727.5	101,508.9	2	19,607.1	148,545.9	3	19,785.2	150,040.5	3
Moldova	6.0	39.1	151	7.1	47.4	153	1.1	8.3	157	1.2	8.9	157
Monaco	11.9	11.7	129	13.3	27.2	168	1.4	15.5	150	1.4	15.9	150
Mongolia	-0.6	-5.8	81	5.0	33.0	166	5.6	38.8	138	5.9	40.8	138
Montenegro	13.6	31.3	149	13.6	31.6	167	0.1	0.3	212	0.1	0.3	212
Montserrat	0.5	4.4	111	0.5	4.6	204	(-)	0.2	214	(-)	0.2	214
Morocco	31.8	478.5	200	136.5	1,079.4	67	104.7	600.9	82	112.2	650.4	83
Mozambique	7.5	132.6	177	9.7	144.4	123	2.2	11.8	153	2.2	12.6	153
Namibia	-49.1	4.7	113	58.4	215.3	110	107.5	210.6	102	107.7	211.4	103
Nauru	1.7	8.2	123	1.7	8.9	194	(-)	0.7	198	(-)	0.8	199
Nepal	-4.0	-38.9	73	2.4	16.0	184	6.4	54.9	132	7.1	59.6	131
Netherlands	1,870.9	13,136.3	231	3,718.4	27,571.8	7	1,847.6	14,435.4	22	1,907.5	14,895.1	22
Netherlands Antilles	325.8	1,324.7	215	349.6	1,983.4	50	23.8	658.7	81	24.6	674.8	81
New Caledonia	5.5	26.1	146	8.1	61.7	147	2.6	35.6	141	2.7	36.3	141
New Zealand	40.9	-441.6	55	337.0	1,764.7	55	296.1	2,206.2	58	312.9	2,342.4	58
Nicaragua	-62.2	-472.3	52	90.6	679.7	75	152.9	1,152.0	72	158.3	1,196.6	72
Niger	2.5	-4.9	82	2.6	38.5	160	0.1	43.4	135	0.1	44.0	136
Nigeria	-3,373.3	-26,580.4	8	478.6	2,723.3	44	3,851.9	29,303.7	11	3,998.6	30,143.0	11
Niue	(-)	0.3	97	(-)	0.4	222	(-)	0.1	220	(-)	0.1	220
Norfolk Island	(-)	1.8	105	(-)	1.8	211	(-)	(-)	222	(-)	(-)	223
North Korea	10.7	34.4	150	10.7	34.4	164	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)
Norway	-457.4	-3,093.6	31	272.8	2,372.2	46	730.1	5,465.8	40	755.1	5,674.2	40
Oman	-55.4	160.2	181	113.0	924.3	71	168.3	764.1	76	177.2	802.5	76
Pakistan	-233.3	-825.3	46	117.5	1,524.1	61	350.8	2,349.4	57	374.7	2,504.3	57
Palau	1.5	7.5	121	1.5	8.6	195	(-)	1.1	192	(-)	1.1	192
Panama	548.4	3,266.7	223	572.4	3,525.5	39	24.0	258.8	96	25.7	276.8	96
Papua New Guinea	-2.0	-29.2	75	4.7	36.0	162	6.7	65.3	129	7.1	69.2	129
Paraguay	160.6	1,117.6	212	167.1	1,156.4	66	6.4	38.8	137	7.6	45.4	135
Peru	277.8	327.4	197	761.5	4,346.0	35	483.7	4,018.6	45	503.1	4,189.2	45
Philippines	-48.6	-118.6	65	724.6	5,790.4	31	773.2	5,909.0	39	806.8	6,162.4	39
Pitcairn Island	0.3	1.3	104	0.3	1.6	214	(-)	0.3	211	(-)	0.3	211
Poland	242.1	970.7	209	460.7	2,724.8	43	218.6	1,754.0	62	230.7	1,849.7	62
Portugal	-30.3	55.0	160	181.2	1,755.5	56	211.5	1,700.5	64	218.6	1,758.1	64
Qatar	424.5	1,287.1	214	433.3	1,600.7	60	8.8	313.6	91	8.8	334.5	91
Republic of Yemen	41.4	303.6	196	41.8	308.1	98	0.3	4.5	169	0.3	4.7	169
Reunion	1.4	5.4	116	1.4	6.2	201	(-)	0.7	196	(-)	0.8	198
Romania	17.5	-12.6	78	105.8	695.7	74	88.3	708.4	79	93.3	751.3	79
Russia	-1,798.0	-12,808.5	14	975.4	6,449.4	28	2,773.4	19,257.9	17	2,897.9	20,034.1	17
Rwanda	1.5	9.4	126	1.8	13.5	187	0.3	4.1	170	0.3	4.3	171
San Marino	0.2	7.7	122	0.3	8.0	196	(-)	0.3	209	(-)	0.4	209
Sao Tome and Principe	0.2	2.5	106	0.2	2.6	209	(-)	0.1	219	(-)	0.1	219
Saudi Arabia	-4,868.1	-32,786.9	5	1,005.6	7,228.0	27	5,873.7	40,015.0	7	6,087.2	41,422.5	6
Senegal	6.2	79.7	167	6.4	95.3	133	0.3	15.5	149	0.3	16.3	149
Serbia	12.3	104.4	173	18.8	149.7	122	6.6	45.3	134	6.8	46.9	133
Seychelles	11.4	13.3	132	11.8	16.9	182	0.4	3.6	172	0.4	3.6	174
Sierra Leone	11.7	20.7	141	13.2	43.4	158	1.5	22.7	147	2.0	28.7	145
Singapore	1,242.5	9,491.5	229	2,444.1	20,543.3	10	1,201.7	11,051.8	27	1,223.9	11,238.2	27
Slovakia	-88.9	-616.2	50	22.6	313.4	94	111.5	929.6	74	114.3	953.0	74
Slovenia	-14.4	-128.5	64	22.0	183.4	116	36.4	311.9	92	37.9	325.7	92
Solomon Islands	0.2	3.3	108	0.3	4.0	206	0.2	0.7	197	0.2	1.0	193
Somalia	21.7	43.6	155	21.8	43.7	157	(-)	0.1	217	(-)	0.1	217
South Africa	-439.2	-2,976.2	32	588.6	4,235.0	36	1,027.7	7,211.2	33	1,051.4	7,358.8	33
Spain	60.3	988.4	210	1,045.9	8,472.9	23	985.6	7,484.5	32	1,022.7	7,802.9	32
Sri Lanka	-127.7	-1,165.3	45	38.1	160.1	120	165.8	1,325.4	70	176.2	1,401.9	70
St Helena	(-)	-4.0	84	(-)	0.9	218	(-)	5.0	166	(-)	5.0	166
St Kitts and Nevis	4.7	40.2	153	8.6	77.3	140	3.8	37.1	139	4.0	38.8	139
St Lucia	7.4	162.2	182	17.1	182.3	117	9.7	20.0	148	10.0	20.9	148



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Country	Trade balance			Exports			Imports					
	(Customs imports)			Domestic & Foreign, F.A.S. basis			Customs basis			C.I.F. basis		
	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank
St Pierre and Miquelon	-0.1	-0.6	89	0.1	0.3	224	0.1	1.0	193	0.1	1.0	195
St Vincent and the Grenadines	11.7	52.7	158	11.9	53.3	151	0.2	0.7	200	0.2	0.7	201
Sudan	26.4	95.2	171	26.8	97.0	132	0.4	1.8	186	0.4	2.0	186
Suriname	29.4	194.1	185	39.0	274.3	102	9.6	80.2	124	10.2	84.5	124
Svalbard, Jan Mayen Island	0.2	0.9	101	0.2	1.0	217	(-)	(-)	224	(-)	(-)	224
Swaziland	-14.3	-77.9	68	1.2	8.9	193	15.5	86.9	122	16.3	92.6	122
Sweden	-449.5	-5,065.1	23	485.6	3,463.7	40	935.1	8,528.7	30	962.2	8,768.8	30
Switzerland	-123.6	4,037.7	224	1,369.5	15,693.3	14	1,493.0	11,655.6	26	1,514.6	11,833.3	26
Syria	-7.0	64.8	163	44.3	306.3	99	51.4	241.5	99	54.7	254.8	98
Taiwan	-1,076.0	-5,578.5	21	2,224.2	19,014.8	13	3,300.2	24,593.3	13	3,429.4	25,559.4	13
Tajikistan	3.9	13.5	133	4.2	16.9	181	0.3	3.4	174	0.3	3.4	178
Tanzania	12.1	57.5	161	15.4	97.7	131	3.3	40.2	136	3.4	41.4	137
Thailand	-1,206.5	-9,470.7	17	837.7	6,156.2	29	2,044.2	15,626.9	21	2,133.8	16,329.8	20
Togo	9.5	72.4	165	9.6	83.1	137	(-)	10.8	154	0.1	11.6	155
Tokelau	2.6	20.8	142	3.1	24.1	174	0.5	3.4	175	0.5	3.7	173
Tonga	0.5	6.2	118	0.8	9.3	192	0.3	3.2	177	0.4	4.1	172
Trinidad and Tobago	-541.5	-4,929.2	24	299.3	1,492.1	62	840.8	6,421.3	36	884.8	6,734.2	36
Tunisia	3.8	-131.1	63	34.1	369.7	90	30.3	500.8	87	31.0	521.4	87
Turkey	784.2	4,675.2	225	1,108.9	7,522.8	26	324.8	2,847.6	50	350.2	3,043.6	50
Turkmenistan	-6.6	-70.2	70	10.7	44.4	156	17.3	114.5	115	19.2	121.8	115
Turks and Caicos Islands	36.0	280.5	193	36.8	286.8	100	0.8	6.4	160	0.8	6.5	162
Tuvalu	0.1	(-)	93	0.1	0.1	228	(-)	(-)	221	(-)	0.1	221
Uganda	9.3	27.3	147	10.6	72.9	142	1.3	45.6	133	1.4	46.6	134
Ukraine	-117.1	-249.3	56	202.0	1,254.0	64	319.1	1,503.2	67	336.9	1,610.4	66
United Arab Emirates	1,692.2	8,909.6	228	1,776.8	9,847.5	20	84.6	937.9	73	88.6	976.8	73
United Kingdom	-1,300.7	-2,088.8	37	4,442.7	38,418.1	5	5,743.5	40,506.9	6	5,832.9	41,289.8	7
Uruguay	65.4	484.0	201	82.0	621.1	77	16.6	137.0	113	17.6	145.1	113
Uzbekistan	8.4	42.1	154	9.0	248.4	105	0.6	206.3	104	0.6	206.6	104
Vanuatu	0.2	61.8	162	0.3	62.7	146	0.1	0.8	195	0.1	0.9	196
Vatican City	1.9	5.4	115	2.0	5.6	203	(-)	0.2	213	(-)	0.2	213
Venezuela	-4,579.5	-30,182.9	7	1,204.1	7,776.3	25	5,783.7	37,959.2	8	5,902.4	38,805.8	8
Vietnam	-1,019.9	-6,104.8	20	216.5	2,028.3	49	1,236.4	8,133.0	31	1,328.2	8,743.6	31
Wallis and Futuna	0.1	0.4	98	0.1	0.4	223	(-)	(-)	227	(-)	(-)	227
West Bank Administered by Israel	-0.2	-1.2	88	(-)	0.1	227	0.2	1.3	191	0.3	1.4	190
Western Sahara	(-)	0.1	94	(-)	0.1	229	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)
Western Samoa	0.3	4.7	112	0.6	7.6	197	0.3	2.9	179	0.3	3.2	179
Zambia	7.2	21.4	144	9.0	57.6	148	1.9	36.3	140	1.9	36.5	140
Zimbabwe	9.9	-26.4	76	18.3	54.7	150	8.3	81.1	123	8.6	82.4	125
Unidentified	9.9	17.7	(X)	9.9	17.7	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)
Timing adjustment	(-)	-710	(X)	(-)	73.8	(X)	(-)	783.9	(X)	(-)	798.6	(X)

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Country	Trade balance			Exports			Imports					
	Customs imports)			Domestic & Foreign, F.A.S. basis			Customs basis			C.I.F. basis		
	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank
North America	-13,296.3	-101,431.7	(X)	35,915.2	282,510.2	(X)	49,211.5	383,941.9	(X)	49,716.7	388,237.6	(X)
Europe	-8,992.5	-71,901.5	(X)	28,118.7	228,043.5	(X)	37,111.2	299,945.0	(X)	38,110.4	307,790.3	(X)
Euro Area	-4,645.4	-51,790.3	(X)	17,447.3	139,279.2	(X)	22,092.7	191,069.5	(X)	22,658.8	195,762.4	(X)
European Union	-6,783.9	-62,912.9	(X)	23,624.4	189,930.6	(X)	30,408.3	252,843.5	(X)	31,158.0	259,025.8	(X)
Africa	-8,470.4	-65,152.1	(X)	3,207.8	19,306.4	(X)	11,678.2	84,458.5	(X)	12,092.0	87,041.5	(X)
OECD	-24,324.8	-209,391.9	(X)	73,765.8	583,814.5	(X)	98,090.6	793,206.4	(X)	99,928.1	808,546.5	(X)
Pacific Rim Countries	-30,824.9	-223,840.7	(X)	27,359.2	211,175.1	(X)	58,184.0	435,015.8	(X)	60,830.6	454,338.4	(X)
Asia Near East	-5,817.5	-45,233.9	(X)	5,853.4	36,241.4	(X)	11,670.9	81,475.3	(X)	12,075.0	84,153.0	(X)
NICS	649.7	6,180.9	(X)	9,542.3	78,901.7	(X)	8,892.5	72,720.9	(X)	9,206.1	75,228.2	(X)
Asia - SOUTH	-987.2	-8,403.1	(X)	2,097.8	15,016.7	(X)	3,085.0	23,419.8	(X)	3,240.0	24,579.0	(X)
ASEAN	-3,509.3	-26,601.4	(X)	6,146.9	48,025.7	(X)	9,656.2	74,627.2	(X)	10,063.4	77,653.5	(X)
APEC	-47,524.4	-350,089.0	(X)	67,085.5	521,238.8	(X)	114,609.9	871,327.9	(X)	118,131.1	897,743.4	(X)
South/Central America	-1,646.1	-19,338.5	(X)	14,174.8	93,586.1	(X)	15,820.9	112,924.6	(X)	16,441.8	117,810.2	(X)
Twenty Latin American Republics	-7,775.6	-67,339.7	(X)	26,236.4	183,696.2	(X)	34,012.0	251,035.9	(X)	34,745.9	256,950.7	(X)
Central American Common Market	376.9	2,343.6	(X)	1,688.4	12,891.1	(X)	1,311.5	10,547.5	(X)	1,380.4	11,146.2	(X)
LAFTA	-9,135.9	-75,632.0	(X)	23,179.6	161,633.3	(X)	32,315.6	237,265.3	(X)	32,969.0	242,474.8	(X)
NATO Allies	-11,298.4	-90,457.1	(X)	45,630.6	366,894.8	(X)	56,929.0	457,351.9	(X)	57,983.3	466,097.6	(X)
OPEC	-19,199.1	-137,931.6	(X)	6,993.5	41,762.9	(X)	26,192.6	179,694.5	(X)	27,106.8	185,654.7	(X)

North America - Canada, Mexico

Europe - Albania; Andorra; Armenia; Austria; Azerbaijan; Belarus; Belgium; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; Cyprus; Czech Republic; Denmark; Estonia; Faroe Islands; Finland; France; Germany; Georgia; Gibraltar; Greece; Hungary; Iceland; Ireland; Italy; Liechtenstein; Kazakhstan; Kyrgyzstan; Latvia; Lithuania; Luxembourg; Malta and Gozo; Macedonia; Moldova; Monaco; Montenegro; Netherlands; Norway; Poland; Portugal; Romania; Russia; San Marino; Serbia; Slovakia; Slovenia; Spain; Svalbard, Jan Mayen Island; Sweden; Switzerland; Turkey; Tajikistan; Turkmenistan; Ukraine; United Kingdom; Uzbekistan; Vatican City.

Euro Area - Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain.

European Union - Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom.

Africa - Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, British Indian Ocean Territories, Burkina, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo (Brazzaville), Congo (Kinshasa), Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Reunion, Rwanda, St. Helena, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Western Sahara, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) - Austria, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, South Korea, Luxembourg, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom.

Pacific Rim Countries - Australia, Brunei, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Macao, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan.

Asia Near East - Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates, Yemen.

Newly Industrialized Countries (NICs) - Hong Kong, Korea, Singapore, Taiwan.

Asia - SOUTH - Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka.

Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) - Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam.

Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) - Australia, Brunei, Canada, Chile, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Russia, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam.

South/Central America - Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, Bolivia, Brazil, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Falkland Islands, French Guiana, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Martinique, Montserrat, Netherlands Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Turks and Caicos Islands, Uruguay, Venezuela.

Twenty Latin American Republics - Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

Central American Common Market - Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua.

Latin American Free Trade Area (LAFTA) - Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

NATO Allies - Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, United Kingdom.

OPEC - Algeria, Angola, Ecuador, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela.

(1) The export totals reflect shipments of certain grains, oilseeds, and satellites that are not included in the country/area totals.

NOTE: Country grouping data reflect the groups as they were at the time of reporting. Ecuador joined OPEC in December 2007; Cyprus and Malta joined the Euro Area in January 2008.

**Exhibit 6a. Exports, Imports and Trade Balance by Country and Area, Not Seasonally Adjusted: 2007**

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Country	Trade balance (Customs imports)			Exports Domestic & Foreign, F.A.S. basis			Imports					
	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	Customs basis			C.I.F. basis		
							August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>-69,623.3</b>	<b>-520,850.1</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>101,142.7</b>	<b>753,038.7</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>170,765.9</b>	<b>1,273,888.8</b>	<b>(X)</b>	<b>176,283.0</b>	<b>1,316,209.5</b>	<b>(X)</b>
Afghanistan	37.4	276.5	202	46.9	326.3	89	9.4	49.7	132	9.9	51.4	132
Albania	1.5	15.1	150	2.2	22.4	169	0.7	7.3	158	0.7	7.7	158
Algeria	-1,819.0	-11,559.0	12	164.5	840.8	66	1,983.5	12,399.8	22	2,040.6	12,862.7	21
Andorra	0.7	9.6	139	0.7	9.9	189	(-)	0.3	208	(-)	0.3	209
Angola	-813.9	-7,243.8	18	113.8	801.5	67	927.8	8,045.3	28	960.2	8,351.2	28
Anguilla	12.2	54.9	175	12.4	58.5	141	0.2	3.6	172	0.2	3.7	174
Antigua and Barbuda	27.7	153.6	192	28.1	159.8	110	0.4	6.2	162	0.5	6.3	162
Argentina	145.6	827.1	216	500.7	3,633.2	33	355.1	2,806.1	47	374.8	3,023.3	46
Armenia	3.2	44.5	169	5.4	64.2	138	2.2	19.7	145	2.3	20.4	145
Aruba	-171.3	-1,660.4	35	38.9	336.8	88	210.2	1,997.2	57	215.4	2,054.7	57
Australia	908.5	6,687.2	228	1,771.1	12,414.7	15	862.7	5,727.5	38	904.9	5,970.2	38
Austria	-473.3	-4,293.2	26	260.0	2,202.1	43	733.3	6,495.3	32	751.5	6,643.2	33
Azerbaijan	-88.6	-660.2	51	14.0	102.3	124	102.6	762.6	75	107.5	791.0	75
Bahamas	168.2	1,169.6	220	191.7	1,451.9	55	23.6	282.3	96	25.0	294.6	97
Bahrain	-26.7	-122.1	69	38.0	350.3	86	64.8	472.5	81	67.4	491.1	81
Bangladesh	-324.0	-2,083.7	31	64.9	279.2	91	388.9	2,362.9	52	409.6	2,502.8	52
Barbados	33.8	265.2	200	36.6	289.2	90	2.7	24.0	144	2.9	25.2	144
Belarus	-61.8	-499.0	54	11.1	68.6	137	73.0	567.6	79	77.1	611.2	79
Belgium	1,007.1	6,098.2	226	2,155.5	16,365.9	12	1,148.5	10,267.7	24	1,181.9	10,531.4	24
Belize	16.2	83.5	182	20.5	156.2	112	4.3	72.7	124	5.0	79.8	123
Benin	26.4	160.9	194	26.4	161.4	108	0.1	0.5	201	0.1	0.6	201
Bermuda	56.6	378.4	208	60.4	395.9	84	3.9	17.5	147	3.9	17.8	148
Bhutan	-0.1	3.2	127	0.1	3.6	200	0.1	0.5	204	0.1	0.5	203
Bolivia	2.8	-52.9	81	24.0	164.6	106	21.1	217.4	101	21.9	226.5	102
Bosnia-Herzegovina	0.5	-2.4	98	2.7	12.1	181	2.2	14.5	153	2.5	15.5	153
Botswana	-15.6	-92.1	72	5.1	39.3	152	20.7	131.4	111	20.9	132.2	111
Brazil	-181.6	-1,573.4	36	2,205.5	15,417.4	13	2,387.1	16,990.8	16	2,532.5	18,039.7	16
British Indian Ocean Territories	(-)	0.3	110	(-)	0.3	225	(-)	(-)	227	(-)	(-)	227
British Virgin Islands	10.4	65.6	176	11.0	105.4	122	0.6	39.8	136	0.7	40.3	137
Brunei	-32.1	-197.3	63	4.0	119.6	119	36.1	316.9	93	37.6	330.3	93
Bulgaria	-42.6	-98.2	71	27.8	178.6	102	70.4	276.8	97	74.4	295.4	96
Burkina Faso	8.6	26.3	159	8.6	27.4	163	(-)	1.0	191	(-)	1.1	195
Burma (Myanmar)	0.1	7.3	134	0.1	7.3	195	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)
Burundi	0.4	4.0	128	0.4	5.0	198	(-)	1.0	195	(-)	1.0	196
Cambodia	-239.8	-1,543.3	37	10.1	81.5	130	249.9	1,624.8	62	264.1	1,714.9	61
Cameroon	-14.8	-52.0	82	12.6	85.2	129	27.4	137.2	109	30.3	148.3	108
Canada	-5,523.8	-46,309.3	4	21,379.0	162,075.6	1	26,902.8	208,384.9	1	27,261.6	211,244.4	2
Cape Verde	0.7	1.2	117	0.7	2.8	208	(-)	1.6	184	(-)	1.6	185
Cayman Islands	54.1	407.5	209	56.2	423.6	81	2.1	16.2	149	2.3	16.8	150
Central African Republic	1.9	11.3	146	2.2	13.2	179	0.3	1.9	183	0.4	2.0	184
Chad	-284.4	-1,261.8	40	4.2	49.5	148	288.7	1,311.2	67	298.2	1,382.0	67
Chile	-120.1	-1,173.7	42	734.4	5,215.6	27	854.5	6,389.3	33	899.9	6,985.1	32
China	-22,541.7	-163,798.6	1	5,882.8	41,232.6	4	28,424.5	205,031.2	2	30,111.3	217,045.6	1
Christmas Island	0.2	-1.9	100	0.2	1.9	210	(-)	3.8	169	(-)	3.9	170
Cocos (Keeling) Island	0.2	0.2	109	0.3	0.9	220	0.1	0.6	199	0.1	0.7	200
Colombia	-131.3	-550.7	53	807.9	5,377.2	26	939.2	5,927.8	37	989.3	6,325.4	36
Comoros	0.0	-0.2	104	(-)	0.3	226	(-)	0.5	203	(-)	0.5	204
Congo (Brazzaville)	-267.3	-1,839.6	34	16.1	89.4	128	283.4	1,928.9	58	291.9	2,013.8	58
Congo (Kinshasa)	10.9	-73.5	73	15.6	53.3	146	4.8	126.8	112	5.1	128.5	113
Cook Islands	0.1	0.5	113	0.2	1.4	215	(-)	0.8	198	(-)	0.9	198
Costa Rica	26.4	83.0	181	361.0	2,781.8	38	334.6	2,698.8	48	356.5	2,882.2	48
Cote d'Ivoire	-10.7	-294.5	59	13.9	107.6	121	24.7	402.1	84	25.7	428.7	84
Croatia	9.9	-61.7	78	29.7	155.7	113	19.9	217.4	102	20.4	223.5	103
Cuba	54.0	271.9	201	54.1	272.2	92	0.1	0.3	212	0.1	0.3	213
Cyprus	9.3	113.8	187	10.5	125.3	118	1.3	11.5	154	1.4	12.3	154
Czech Republic	-102.7	-739.4	50	92.3	841.5	65	195.0	1,580.9	63	201.9	1,642.4	63
Denmark	-373.7	-2,124.7	30	216.3	1,940.0	48	590.0	4,064.7	41	601.6	4,173.6	41
Djibouti	4.0	22.5	156	4.2	25.6	165	0.2	3.1	176	0.2	3.2	178
Dominica	5.4	53.2	173	5.6	54.6	143	0.1	1.3	188	0.1	1.4	188
Dominican Republic	173.4	1,036.7	219	564.3	3,859.6	32	390.9	2,822.9	46	400.4	2,898.8	47
East Timor	1.6	8.7	136	1.7	9.0	193	(-)	0.3	209	(-)	0.3	210
Ecuador	-337.0	-1,906.7	32	231.5	1,911.2	49	568.5	3,817.8	42	600.8	4,094.9	42
Egypt	403.3	1,486.5	222	564.8	3,257.3	35	161.5	1,770.7	60	173.3	1,892.3	59
El Salvador	0.8	178.6	195	206.4	1,531.7	53	205.6	1,353.1	66	214.4	1,403.6	66
Equatorial Guinea	-68.3	-973.1	46	14.7	161.4	109	83.1	1,134.5	68	86.7	1,196.3	68
Eritrea	2.4	4.7	130	2.4	4.9	199	(-)	0.2	215	(-)	0.2	215
Estonia	-1.0	-57.3	79	28.5	163.5	107	29.5	220.7	100	31.0	232.4	100

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Ethiopia	3.1	34.4	166	18.7	97.2	126	15.6	62.7	128	16.4	66.3	128
Falkland Islands	-2.2	-3.1	97	0.1	0.7	221	2.3	3.8	170	2.3	3.9	172
Faroe Islands	0.4	-2.3	99	0.4	1.9	211	(-)	4.3	167	(-)	5.5	165
Federal Republic of Germany	-4,155.1	-29,976.5	5	4,325.0	32,379.6	6	8,480.1	62,356.1	5	8,676.0	63,875.5	5
Federated States of Micronesia	3.6	22.3	155	3.9	25.1	166	0.3	2.8	180	0.4	3.9	171
Fiji	-14.2	-72.4	74	2.3	15.4	178	16.4	87.8	119	20.1	109.5	116
Finland	-86.9	-1,469.6	38	306.7	2,087.1	44	393.6	3,556.7	43	411.5	3,712.3	43
France	-1,387.9	-9,043.9	15	2,049.1	18,251.2	9	3,436.9	27,295.1	8	3,504.9	27,872.7	8
French Guiana	5.2	24.7	158	5.2	24.8	167	(-)	0.1	221	(-)	0.1	221
French Polynesia	5.9	32.9	164	9.7	74.3	134	3.8	41.4	135	4.0	42.2	136
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	(-)	-0.2	105	(-)	0.3	223	(-)	0.5	202	(-)	0.5	202
Gabon	-213.7	-1,205.9	41	13.0	419.3	82	226.6	1,625.3	61	232.5	1,672.4	62
Gambia	2.1	12.4	148	2.1	12.5	180	(-)	0.1	218	(-)	0.1	219
Gaza Strip Administered by Israel	2.9	2.2	122	3.0	3.2	206	0.1	1.0	193	0.1	1.0	197
Georgia	-13.7	132.2	190	19.8	230.9	97	33.4	98.7	117	34.6	105.3	117
Ghana	25.1	155.0	193	34.1	267.9	94	9.0	112.9	115	9.8	121.6	115
Gibraltar	104.7	342.0	206	105.0	345.1	87	0.3	3.1	175	0.3	3.3	176
Greece	20.7	750.4	215	145.5	1,561.3	52	124.8	810.9	74	136.2	881.2	73
Greenland	-0.7	-4.2	96	0.2	2.7	209	0.9	6.9	161	1.0	7.1	161
Grenada	5.8	51.7	171	6.3	58.8	140	0.5	7.1	159	0.6	7.6	159
Guadeloupe	10.9	101.2	185	11.4	104.1	123	0.4	3.0	178	0.5	3.0	179
Guatemala	80.4	482.8	211	345.6	2,601.8	40	265.2	2,119.0	55	284.7	2,278.8	54
Guinea	-1.3	-32.2	87	5.9	39.0	154	7.2	71.2	125	9.8	102.4	118
Guinea-Bissau	0.6	1.8	121	0.6	1.8	212	(-)	(-)	223	(-)	(-)	223
Guyana	7.5	52.1	172	18.9	130.9	117	11.4	78.8	121	13.6	93.0	121
Haiti	7.7	119.7	188	50.6	444.1	78	42.8	324.4	90	43.8	333.5	92
Heard and McDonald Islands	(-)	1.5	120	(-)	1.6	214	(-)	(-)	224	(-)	(-)	225
Honduras	-2.3	291.6	203	367.5	2,906.3	37	369.8	2,614.7	49	383.8	2,748.9	49
Hong Kong	1,056.7	8,202.1	229	1,657.5	12,633.8	14	600.8	4,431.7	40	626.8	4,613.5	40
Hungary	-132.5	-922.6	47	106.5	867.6	62	239.0	1,790.2	59	244.5	1,831.2	60
Iceland	38.0	292.8	204	51.4	432.1	80	13.4	139.3	108	14.0	147.6	109
India	-362.2	-5,215.9	23	1,818.1	10,446.8	17	2,180.3	15,662.6	17	2,283.5	16,402.7	17
Indonesia	-948.0	-6,709.6	19	414.0	2,774.0	39	1,362.0	9,483.6	26	1,447.8	10,087.3	25
Iran	-2.4	-67.5	77	6.6	53.8	145	9.0	121.3	114	9.4	124.9	114
Iraq	-933.4	-5,995.4	20	135.6	865.2	63	1,069.0	6,860.7	30	1,116.6	7,191.5	31
Ireland	-1,973.0	-15,253.1	9	556.6	5,635.6	24	2,529.6	20,888.8	14	2,540.2	20,982.9	14
Israel	-413.3	-4,985.3	24	1,219.0	8,636.2	19	1,632.3	13,621.6	19	1,655.7	13,784.6	19
Italy	-2,113.6	-14,060.9	10	1,034.6	9,160.3	18	3,148.2	23,221.2	11	3,276.1	24,169.7	11
Jamaica	119.8	917.5	217	182.3	1,436.0	56	62.5	518.6	80	67.4	559.1	80
Japan	-6,899.1	-54,946.9	2	5,076.5	41,409.8	3	11,975.6	96,356.7	4	12,298.0	98,961.2	4
Jordan	-8.5	-309.3	58	128.1	563.6	73	136.6	872.9	71	142.4	907.6	71
Kazakhstan	18.4	-138.5	66	49.9	522.7	75	31.5	661.2	78	32.7	686.7	78
Kenya	-9.6	231.4	198	23.0	442.9	79	32.6	211.5	104	34.2	223.0	104
Kiribati	0.1	0.0	106	0.1	0.9	218	(-)	0.9	196	0.1	1.1	192
Korea, South	-807.8	-9,574.2	14	2,984.2	22,827.2	7	3,792.0	32,401.4	7	3,933.4	33,595.7	7
Kuwait	-107.6	-1,065.9	43	196.4	1,527.1	54	304.0	2,593.0	50	315.5	2,724.5	50
Kyrgyzstan	2.6	28.8	161	2.7	29.9	161	0.1	1.2	190	0.1	1.2	190
Laos	-1.3	-13.1	94	0.2	3.6	201	1.5	16.7	148	1.6	17.7	149
Latvia	-18.7	-18.4	90	28.2	229.2	98	46.9	247.7	98	48.8	261.3	98
Lebanon	37.8	440.0	210	53.6	509.9	76	15.8	69.9	126	17.4	73.7	126
Lesotho	-41.4	-286.9	60	0.4	3.3	205	41.8	290.1	94	43.9	303.6	95
Liberia	-3.5	-24.0	89	5.8	50.1	147	9.3	74.1	122	9.5	76.2	125
Libya	-337.1	-1,853.5	33	29.2	269.5	93	366.3	2,123.0	54	380.8	2,231.2	55
Liechtenstein	-22.3	-176.4	65	1.5	12.1	182	23.8	188.5	106	24.3	192.7	106
Lithuania	15.5	151.2	191	57.4	474.3	77	42.0	323.0	91	45.3	349.5	88
Luxembourg	276.9	307.0	205	315.6	668.4	70	38.7	361.4	87	40.8	379.4	87
Macao	-81.3	-553.7	52	19.8	158.6	111	101.1	712.3	76	105.4	743.3	76
Macedonia (Skopje)	-0.3	-13.3	93	1.5	21.1	174	1.8	34.3	140	1.9	36.0	141
Madagascar	-33.5	-193.5	64	3.4	22.3	170	37.0	215.8	103	39.3	228.4	101
Malawi	1.1	-4.8	95	4.2	37.5	155	3.1	42.3	134	3.3	45.5	134
Malaysia	-1,925.8	-13,804.9	11	929.5	7,548.6	20	2,855.3	21,353.5	13	2,935.9	21,957.3	13
Maldives	1.5	10.0	142	1.6	11.5	185	0.1	1.6	185	0.1	2.8	181

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Mali	2.0	17.6	152	2.6	20.5	175	0.6	2.9	179	0.7	2.9	180
Malta	-13.0	-70.5	76	10.6	137.6	115	23.7	208.1	105	24.1	212.1	105
Marshall Islands	2.6	8.9	137	3.2	16.3	177	0.6	7.4	157	0.7	8.5	156
Martinique	20.1	131.4	189	21.0	134.4	116	0.9	3.0	177	1.0	3.2	177
Mauritania	10.6	78.1	179	10.6	78.5	133	(-)	0.4	206	(-)	0.4	206
Mauritius	-14.9	-101.8	70	3.3	21.9	172	18.2	123.7	113	19.0	129.7	112
Mayotte	(-)	-0.3	103	(-)	(-)	230	(-)	0.3	210	(-)	0.3	211
Mexico	-6,811.7	-46,798.9	3	12,303.6	90,171.4	2	19,115.3	136,970.2	3	19,278.0	138,408.7	3
Moldova	4.8	15.0	149	6.8	30.1	160	2.0	15.0	152	2.2	16.1	151
Monaco	8.8	11.7	147	12.0	27.1	164	3.2	15.4	151	3.3	15.9	152
Mongolia	-8.2	-34.4	86	1.7	18.5	176	9.9	52.9	130	10.3	55.8	130
Montenegro	3.8	18.7	154	3.9	22.0	171	0.1	3.3	174	0.1	3.5	175
Montserrat	0.3	3.1	126	0.3	3.6	202	(-)	0.5	205	(-)	0.5	205
Morocco	48.9	371.8	207	101.0	775.0	68	52.2	403.3	83	57.5	440.9	83
Mozambique	13.3	75.9	178	13.6	79.5	132	0.2	3.5	173	0.2	3.8	173
Namibia	5.5	-56.0	80	12.2	79.8	131	6.7	135.8	110	7.0	138.3	110
Nauru	1.4	3.1	125	1.5	3.4	204	(-)	0.3	211	(-)	0.3	212
Nepal	-3.8	-36.5	84	3.7	21.1	173	7.5	57.7	129	8.1	62.6	129
Netherlands	1,025.2	10,540.3	230	2,726.6	21,953.0	8	1,701.4	11,412.7	23	1,759.3	11,913.2	23
Netherlands Antilles	126.2	691.0	213	174.4	1,142.1	59	48.2	451.1	82	50.1	468.2	82
New Caledonia	-3.1	-18.4	91	2.6	34.4	157	5.7	52.7	131	5.8	53.3	131
New Zealand	40.5	-232.7	62	295.7	1,941.8	47	255.2	2,174.5	53	272.9	2,318.4	53
Nicaragua	-68.5	-478.1	56	86.7	556.0	74	155.2	1,034.1	69	160.8	1,073.9	69
Niger	3.9	53.6	174	3.9	55.0	142	(-)	1.4	187	(-)	1.5	187
Nigeria	-2,646.8	-17,771.0	6	231.3	1,697.8	50	2,878.1	19,468.8	15	2,967.5	20,146.1	15
Niue	-0.1	1.5	119	(-)	1.6	213	0.1	0.1	219	0.1	0.1	218
Norfolk Island	(-)	0.9	115	(-)	0.9	219	(-)	(-)	222	(-)	(-)	222
North Korea	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)
Norway	-322.8	-3,043.9	28	222.2	2,000.5	45	545.0	5,044.4	39	565.0	5,234.5	39
Oman	-42.1	215.4	197	78.5	578.0	72	120.6	362.6	86	127.7	381.4	86
Pakistan	-204.0	-1,014.3	45	137.2	1,382.3	57	341.1	2,396.6	51	364.9	2,564.1	51
Palau	1.3	9.2	138	1.3	9.4	191	0.1	0.2	216	0.1	0.4	208
Panama	341.3	2,115.5	223	373.5	2,344.4	42	32.2	228.9	99	33.9	246.0	99
Papua New Guinea	-4.9	-28.2	88	6.4	39.1	153	11.4	67.2	127	12.1	71.3	127
Paraguay	110.7	731.8	214	119.6	769.7	69	8.9	37.9	137	10.4	44.0	135
Peru	-116.6	-794.4	49	356.1	2,434.0	41	472.8	3,228.4	44	494.7	3,379.0	44
Philippines	-197.2	-1,030.4	44	665.8	5,062.4	29	863.0	6,092.8	34	902.0	6,359.9	35
Pitcairn Island	0.1	1.3	118	0.1	1.3	216	(-)	(-)	226	(-)	(-)	226
Poland	173.3	513.5	212	360.3	1,952.9	46	187.0	1,439.4	64	200.3	1,521.4	64
Portugal	-82.3	-490.6	55	174.2	1,591.7	51	256.5	2,082.3	56	265.8	2,155.2	56
Qatar	214.0	946.7	218	271.9	1,263.9	58	57.9	317.1	92	63.0	343.9	91
Republic of Yemen	13.0	-34.8	85	85.2	254.6	96	72.2	289.3	95	76.1	310.4	94
Reunion	0.2	0.8	114	0.2	3.1	207	(-)	2.2	182	(-)	2.3	183
Romania	-37.8	-261.8	61	55.4	403.8	83	93.2	665.6	77	98.2	709.7	77
Russia	-887.0	-8,092.5	16	913.5	4,644.8	30	1,800.5	12,737.2	20	1,872.5	13,340.7	20
Rwanda	1.5	4.5	129	2.1	11.5	186	0.6	7.0	160	0.6	7.3	160
San Marino	6.3	9.9	141	6.3	10.9	187	(-)	1.0	194	(-)	1.1	194
Sao Tome and Principe	0.2	5.6	132	0.3	6.0	197	0.1	0.3	207	0.1	0.4	207
Saudi Arabia	-2,459.5	-15,897.3	8	888.4	5,583.0	25	3,347.9	21,480.3	12	3,497.2	22,516.6	12
Senegal	23.0	80.8	180	23.2	96.9	127	0.2	16.2	150	0.2	18.4	147
Serbia	0.8	35.4	167	8.0	71.0	135	7.2	35.7	139	7.5	37.2	140
Seychelles	-0.3	0.9	116	0.5	6.9	196	0.7	6.0	163	0.7	6.1	163
Sierra Leone	2.6	2.4	123	9.0	34.3	158	6.4	32.0	142	8.0	39.5	138
Singapore	640.0	4,860.4	225	2,175.1	17,303.3	11	1,535.1	12,442.8	21	1,558.7	12,647.1	22
Slovakia	-42.8	-341.5	57	70.6	590.5	71	113.4	932.0	70	116.5	960.1	70
Slovenia	-12.4	-135.8	67	29.7	196.4	101	42.1	332.3	88	43.7	344.9	90
Solomon Islands	0.4	2.7	124	0.6	3.5	203	0.1	0.9	197	0.2	1.2	191
Somalia	1.2	9.6	140	1.3	9.8	190	(-)	0.1	217	(-)	0.2	217
South Africa	-395.5	-2,482.3	29	559.8	3,513.6	34	955.3	5,995.9	36	980.7	6,135.4	37
Spain	-7.6	-808.3	48	976.3	6,301.2	23	983.9	7,109.6	29	1,024.3	7,479.5	29
Sri Lanka	-154.7	-1,265.2	39	38.0	153.4	114	192.7	1,418.6	65	202.7	1,497.2	65
St Helena	-1.3	-1.3	101	(-)	1.0	217	1.3	2.3	181	1.4	2.3	182
St Kitts and Nevis	4.6	34.2	165	9.7	70.4	136	5.1	36.2	138	5.4	38.2	139
St Lucia	10.4	103.8	186	11.7	115.3	120	1.3	11.5	155	1.4	12.3	155

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St Pierre and Miquelon	-0.4	-1.2	102	(-)	0.1	228	0.4	1.3	189	0.4	1.3	189
St Vincent and the Grenadines	4.6	43.3	168	4.6	44.3	150	0.1	1.0	192	0.1	1.1	193
Sudan	1.2	49.3	170	1.9	54.0	144	0.6	4.7	164	0.7	5.0	166
Suriname	27.4	87.5	183	30.4	169.4	105	3.1	81.8	120	3.4	86.2	122
Svalbard, Jan Mayen Island	0.1	0.4	112	0.1	0.6	222	(-)	0.2	213	(-)	0.2	216
Swaziland	-11.6	-71.0	75	1.6	24.6	168	13.2	95.6	118	13.9	100.4	120
Sweden	-509.6	-5,844.6	21	330.1	2,953.7	36	839.7	8,798.2	27	866.5	9,022.8	27
Switzerland	370.9	2,208.1	224	1,623.9	11,781.7	16	1,253.0	9,573.6	25	1,271.8	9,718.1	26
Syria	3.2	97.6	184	6.7	170.6	104	3.4	73.0	123	3.7	79.3	124
Taiwan	-841.4	-7,735.7	17	2,504.0	17,326.7	10	3,345.4	25,062.4	9	3,483.6	26,110.4	9
Tajikistan	1.6	31.1	163	1.6	31.3	159	(-)	0.2	214	(-)	0.2	214
Tanzania	12.1	67.0	177	18.1	100.5	125	6.0	33.5	141	6.2	34.6	142
Thailand	-1,257.0	-9,619.4	13	737.0	5,176.0	28	1,994.0	14,795.3	18	2,087.6	15,482.3	18
Togo	40.0	199.7	196	40.2	204.2	99	0.2	4.5	166	0.2	5.0	167
Tokelau	4.9	30.5	162	5.3	35.1	156	0.4	4.6	165	0.4	4.9	168
Tonga	0.8	5.2	131	1.3	9.1	192	0.5	4.0	168	0.7	5.5	164
Trinidad and Tobago	-568.3	-4,961.4	25	154.3	1,108.4	60	722.6	6,069.8	35	773.0	6,467.5	34
Tunisia	-1.5	-127.1	68	35.9	203.1	100	37.4	330.2	89	38.8	345.1	89
Turkey	151.3	1,215.9	221	506.9	4,275.8	31	355.6	3,059.9	45	377.5	3,264.6	45
Turkmenistan	-49.5	28.3	160	2.7	174.8	103	52.2	146.6	107	56.5	157.2	107
Turks and Caicos Islands	34.9	249.5	199	36.7	257.1	95	1.8	7.5	156	1.8	7.8	157
Tuvalu	(-)	0.0	107	(-)	(-)	229	(-)	(-)	225	(-)	(-)	224
Uganda	-0.3	24.1	157	2.3	41.7	151	2.6	17.6	146	2.7	18.7	146
Ukraine	-54.2	18.5	153	116.9	845.1	64	171.1	826.7	72	177.6	894.2	72
United Arab Emirates	1,106.6	6,209.6	227	1,210.7	7,032.9	21	104.1	823.2	73	108.6	857.9	74
United Kingdom	-897.6	-3,187.9	27	3,806.7	33,820.6	5	4,704.3	37,008.6	6	4,797.9	37,814.7	6
Uruguay	16.6	11.3	144	58.7	385.0	85	42.2	373.7	85	44.9	397.7	85
Uzbekistan	-53.1	-37.1	83	2.1	64.1	139	55.3	101.2	116	55.3	101.7	119
Vanuatu	0.1	11.3	145	0.2	11.9	183	0.1	0.6	200	0.1	0.7	199
Vatican City	2.1	10.4	143	2.1	10.5	188	(-)	0.1	220	(-)	0.1	220
Venezuela	-2,618.9	-17,043.0	7	899.8	6,772.3	22	3,518.8	23,815.3	10	3,612.2	24,586.1	10
Vietnam	-867.7	-5,648.8	22	154.5	1,043.8	61	1,022.3	6,692.6	31	1,096.3	7,196.9	30
Wallis and Futuna	(-)	0.2	108	(-)	0.2	227	(-)	(-)	228	(-)	(-)	228
West Bank Administered by Israel	-0.3	6.4	133	(-)	7.9	194	0.3	1.4	186	0.3	1.6	186
Western Sahara	(-)	0.3	111	(-)	0.3	224	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)
Western Samoa	1.1	8.0	135	1.5	11.8	184	0.4	3.7	171	0.5	4.3	169
Zambia	4.2	16.0	151	7.6	44.7	149	3.4	28.7	143	3.4	29.0	143
Zimbabwe	-3.2	-17.6	92	4.1	29.9	162	7.2	47.5	133	7.4	48.9	133
Unidentified	43.7	123.7	(X)	43.7	123.7	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)	(-)	(-)	(X)

**Exhibit 6a. Exports, Imports and Trade Balance by Country and Area, Not Seasonally Adjusted: 2007**

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding. (X) Not applicable. (-) Represents zero or less than one-half unit of value shown.

Country	Trade balance (Customs imports)			Exports Domestic & Foreign, F.A.S. basis			Imports					
	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	Customs basis			C.I.F. basis		
							August	Cumulative to Date	Rank	August	Cumulative to Date	Rank
North America	-12,335.5	-93,108.1	(X)	33,682.5	252,247.0	(X)	46,018.0	345,355.2	(X)	46,539.6	349,653.1	(X)
Europe	-10,759.4	-78,983.5	(X)	23,983.8	189,054.5	(X)	34,743.1	268,038.0	(X)	35,672.4	275,613.0	(X)
Euro Area	-7,962.3	-57,836.1	(X)	15,055.3	118,354.0	(X)	23,017.6	176,190.1	(X)	23,612.2	180,941.1	(X)
European Union	-9,936.2	-70,724.4	(X)	20,256.6	163,033.1	(X)	30,192.8	233,757.5	(X)	30,964.5	239,980.0	(X)
Africa	-6,348.5	-44,408.0	(X)	2,197.5	14,583.9	(X)	8,546.0	58,991.9	(X)	8,830.1	61,280.0	(X)
OECD	-28,691.3	-220,849.3	(X)	66,222.9	510,454.9	(X)	94,914.2	731,304.2	(X)	96,775.0	746,425.7	(X)
Pacific Rim Countries	-31,633.5	-238,862.5	(X)	24,386.5	182,792.1	(X)	56,020.0	421,654.5	(X)	58,630.3	440,811.6	(X)
Asia Near East	-2,618.8	-20,568.4	(X)	4,318.8	27,389.1	(X)	6,937.7	47,957.5	(X)	7,200.5	49,787.3	(X)
NICS	47.5	-4,247.4	(X)	9,320.8	70,090.9	(X)	9,273.3	74,338.3	(X)	9,602.5	76,966.7	(X)
Asia - SOUTH	-1,011.3	-9,339.1	(X)	2,108.7	12,609.1	(X)	3,120.0	21,948.2	(X)	3,278.8	23,080.7	(X)
ASEAN	-4,828.7	-33,699.1	(X)	5,090.3	39,120.1	(X)	9,919.1	72,819.2	(X)	10,331.4	75,793.9	(X)
APEC	-47,136.2	-356,745.6	(X)	60,944.7	453,394.6	(X)	108,080.9	810,140.2	(X)	111,515.4	836,105.5	(X)
South/Central America	-2,596.2	-18,925.1	(X)	9,476.7	67,610.1	(X)	12,073.0	86,535.2	(X)	12,636.2	91,259.8	(X)
Twenty Latin American Republics	-9,428.3	-64,221.5	(X)	20,651.6	149,549.5	(X)	30,079.9	213,771.0	(X)	30,737.8	219,376.3	(X)
Central American Common Market	36.8	558.0	(X)	1,367.2	10,377.7	(X)	1,330.4	9,819.7	(X)	1,400.2	10,387.4	(X)
LAFTA	-10,041.6	-68,323.3	(X)	18,241.9	132,251.5	(X)	28,283.5	200,574.8	(X)	28,859.4	205,510.4	(X)
NATO Allies	-12,547.0	-91,751.6	(X)	40,941.5	318,675.7	(X)	53,488.5	410,427.3	(X)	54,587.4	419,285.4	(X)
OPEC	-11,366.0	-78,049.8	(X)	4,562.4	29,481.7	(X)	15,928.4	107,531.4	(X)	16,519.3	112,023.8	(X)

North America - Canada, Mexico

Europe - Albania; Andorra; Armenia; Austria; Azerbaijan; Belarus; Belgium; Bosnia-Herzegovina; Bulgaria; Croatia; Cyprus; Czech Republic; Denmark; Estonia; Faroe Islands; Finland; France; Germany; Georgia; Gibraltar; Greece; Hungary; Iceland; Ireland; Italy; Liechtenstein; Kazakhstan; Kyrgyzstan; Latvia; Lithuania; Luxembourg; Malta and Gozo; Macedonia; Moldova; Monaco; Montenegro; Netherlands; Norway; Poland; Portugal; Romania; Russia; San Marino; Serbia; Slovakia; Slovenia; Spain; Svalbard, Jan Mayen Island; Sweden; Switzerland; Turkey; Tajikistan; Turkmenistan; Ukraine; United Kingdom; Uzbekistan; Vatican City.

Euro Area - Austria, Belgium, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain.

European Union - Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom.

Africa - Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, British Indian Ocean Territories, Burkina, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo (Brazzaville), Congo (Kinshasa), Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mayotte, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Reunion, Rwanda, St. Helena, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Western Sahara, Zambia, Zimbabwe.

Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) - Austria, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, South Korea, Luxembourg, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom.

Pacific Rim Countries - Australia, Brunei, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Macao, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan.

Asia Near East - Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates, Yemen.

Newly Industrialized Countries (NICs) - Hong Kong, Korea, Singapore, Taiwan.

Asia - SOUTH - Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka.

Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) - Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam.

Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) - Australia, Brunei, Canada, Chile, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Mexico, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Peru, Philippines, Russia, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam.

South/Central America - Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, Bolivia, Brazil, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Falkland Islands, French Guiana, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Martinique, Montserrat, Netherlands Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago, Turks and Caicos Islands, Uruguay, Venezuela.

Twenty Latin American Republics - Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

Central American Common Market - Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua.

Latin American Free Trade Area (LAFTA) - Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

NATO Allies - Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, United Kingdom.

OPEC - Algeria, Angola, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Kuwait, Libya, Nigeria, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Venezuela.

(1) The export totals reflect shipments of certain grains, oilseeds, and satellites that are not included in the country/area totals.

NOTE: Country grouping data reflect the groups as they were at the time of reporting.