U.S.-China Deficit and Automotive Trade

Billions of Current U.S. Dollars

	Overall	1									
		Total	İ								
	Total	Total				Ī					
	U.S	U.S	U.SCHINA	U.SCHINA AUTOMOTIVE DEFICIT							
	World	China	Share of Share of		U.SCHINA VEHICLE DEFICIT		U.SCHINA AUTO PARTS DEFICIT				
	Goods	Goods		Total	Total		Share of	Share of		Share of	Share of
	Trade	Trade	Automotive	U.SWorld	U.SChina	Vehicle	Total U.S.	U.SChina	Parts	Total U.S.	U.SChina
	Deficit*	Deficit*	Deficit	Deficit	Deficit	Deficit***	Deficit	Deficit	Deficit	Deficit	Deficit
2004	650.9	161.9	3.2	0.5%	2.0%	-0.1	0.0%	0.0%	3.2	0.5%	2.0%
2005	766.8	201.6	4.5	0.6%	2.2%	-0.3	0.0%	-0.1%	4.8	0.6%	2.4%
2006	818.1	232.5	5.6	0.7%	2.4%	-0.5	-0.1%	-0.2%	6.1	0.7%	2.6%
2007	790.3	256.3	6.7	0.8%	2.6%	-0.7	-0.1%	-0.3%	7.4	0.9%	2.9%
2008	829.5	234.9	6.8	0.8%	2.9%	-0.8	-0.1%	-0.4%	7.7	0.9%	3.3%
07-'08** Chg	5%	-8%	2%	-3%	11%	24%	19%	36%	4%	-1%	13%
JanJune '07	396.56	117.45	3.3	0.8%	2.8%	(0.28)	-0.1%	-0.2%	3.62	0.9%	3.1%
JanJune '08	414.74	117.46	3.4	0.8%	2.9%	(0.42)	-0.1%	-0.4%	3.84	0.9%	3.3%
YTD '07-'08 Chg	5%	0%	2%	-2%	2%	50%	43%	50%	6%	1%	6%

^{*}U.S.-World and U.S.-China trade balances as recorded by the U.S. Census Bureau on a "Census basis" for the FT-900 Monthly Press Release, not the balance of payments basis employed by the Bureau of Economic Analysis to bring the data in line with concepts used to prepare the international and national accounts Census does not report individual country or product data on the BOP basis. The Census basis produces a lower apparent deficit. Automotive product grouping as defined by the Office of Automotive Affairs (OAA) for certain road motor vehicles and automotive parts, and applied to the Census database.

Contact: OAAI, Phone 202-482-1418

^{***}Currently, the United States maintains a vehicle trade surplus with China, thus the data is a negative figure.

This table prepared by the Office of Aerospace and Automotive Industries, USDOC. Last update 12 August 2008

U.S.-China Trade in Auto Parts

1) U.S. Exports of Auto Parts to China, 1993-Present

(millions of U.S. Dollars)

	Year	Change
1993	218.3	
1994	179.2	-17.9%
1995	83.0	-53.7%
1996	130.0	56.6%
1997	310.8	139.1%
1998	132.0	-57.5%
1999	251.0	90.1%
2000	224.8	-10.4%
2001	257.6	14.6%
2002	343.8	33.5%
2003	510.2	48.4%
2004	635.8	24.6%
2005	623.3	-2.0%
2006	815.3	30.8%
2007	1,130.0	38.6%
2008*	996.9	-11.8%

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
2007	268.1	563.1		
2008	243.5	498.5		
% Chg	-9.2%	-11.5%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

1) U.S.Imports of Auto Parts from China, 1993-Present (millions of U.S. Dollars)

	Year	Change
1993	339.5	
1994	558.2	64.4%
1995	635.2	13.8%
1996	711.2	12.0%
1997	795.3	11.8%
1998	1,036.9	30.4%
1999	1,284.1	23.8%
2000	1,635.3	27.4%
2001	1,758.5	7.5%
2002	2,241.8	27.5%
2003	2,788.2	24.4%
2004	3,884.4	39.3%
2005	5,407.6	39.2%
2006	6,927.6	28.1%
2007	8,525.6	23.1%
2008*	8,684.1	1.9%

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
2007	1947.5	4185.9		
2008	2077.1	4342.1		
% Chg	6.7%	3.7%	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!

Full Year '00 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '01 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '02 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '03 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '04 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '05 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '06 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '07 Parts Trade Deficit: Full Year '08 Parts Trade Deficit:	\$1,410.45 \$1,500.87 \$1,897.98 \$2,278.05 \$3,248.64 \$4,784.31 \$6,112.27 \$7,395.56 \$7,687.20
--	--

6.41% Change in parts deficit 2000-01: Change in parts deficit 2001-02: 26.46% Change in parts deficit 2002-03: 20.02% Change in parts deficit 2003-04: 42.61% Change in parts deficit 2004-05: 47.27% Change in parts deficit 2005-06: 27.76% Change in parts deficit 2006-07: 21.00% Change in parts deficit 2007-08: 3.94%

Updated by Office of Aerospace and Automotive Industries, Phone 202-482-1418, on 12 August 2008.