

Part B: NOT Seasonally Adjusted
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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.
(R) - Revised. (X) - Not applicable. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown.

Item (1)	2008						2007	
	August		July		Year-to-Date		Year-to-Date	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
Total Balance of Payment Basis	116,787	190,938	(R) 114,890	(R) 201,927	888,554	1,456,396	743,481	1,281,375
Net Adjustments	-1,074	635	(R) -828	(R) 1,028	-6,196	8,749	-9,558	7,486
Total Census Basis (2)	117,860	190,303	(R) 115,718	(R) 200,899	894,750	1,447,648	753,039	1,273,889
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

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	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

NOTE: 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 or www.bea.gov/newsreleases/international/trade/tradnewsrelease.htm.