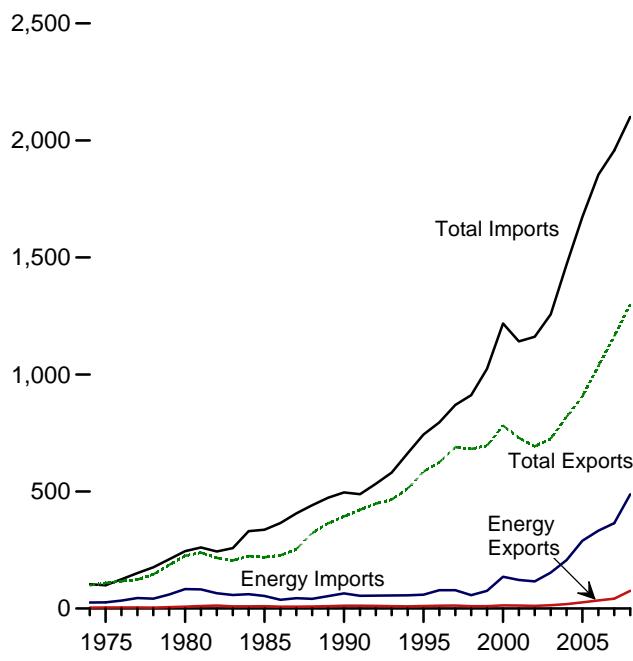
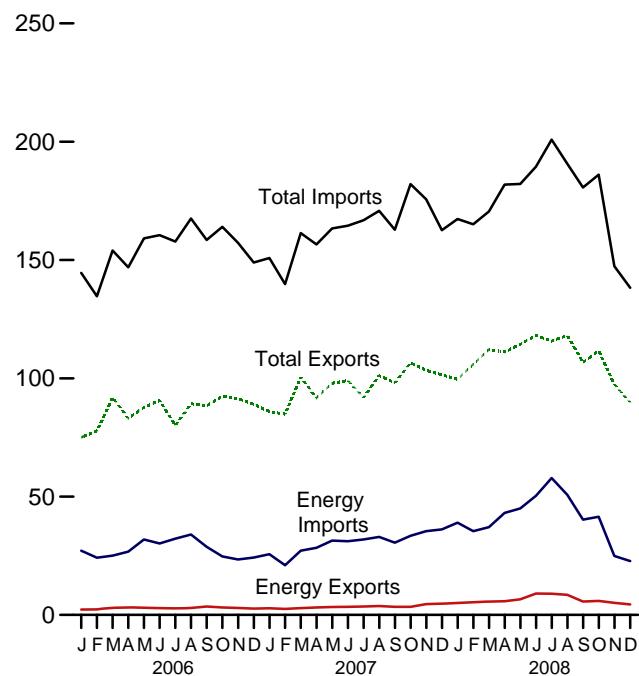


Figure 1.5 Merchandise Trade Value
(Billion Nominal Dollars^a)

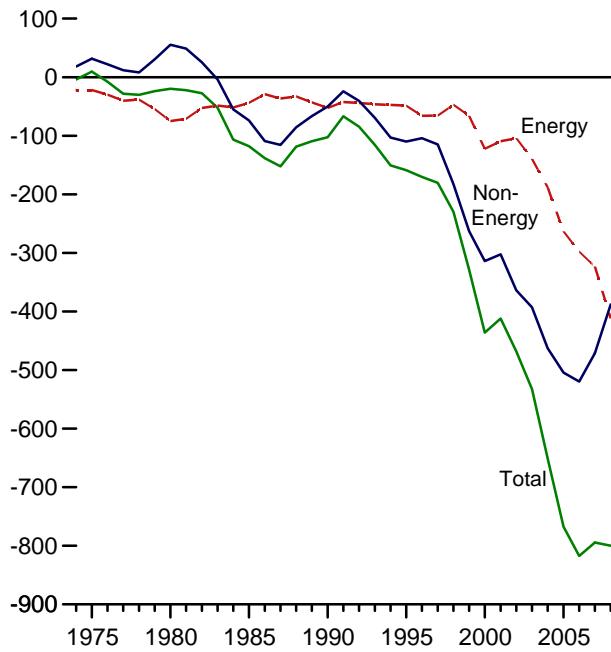
Imports and Exports, 1974-2008



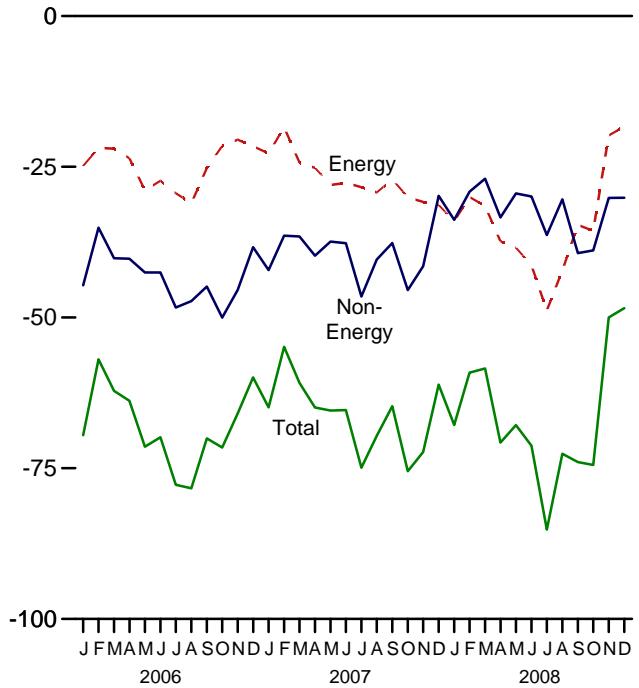
Imports and Exports, Monthly



Trade Balance, 1974-2008



Trade Balance, Monthly



^aSee "Nominal Dollars" in Glossary.

Note: Because vertical scales differ, graphs should not be compared.

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Source: Table 1.5.