

## 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 month-to-month change within each major commodity grouping. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. (R) - Revised.

Item (1)	August 2004	July 2004 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-date 2004	Year-to-date 2003	Year-to-date Change
<b>Total, Balance of Payments Basis</b>	<b>124,832</b>	<b>122,224</b>	<b>2,608</b>	<b>954,638</b>	<b>828,885</b>	<b>125,753</b>
<b>Net Adjustments</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2,095</b>	<b>2,476</b>	<b>-381</b>
<b>Total, Census Basis</b>	<b>124,548</b>	<b>121,953</b>	<b>2,596</b>	<b>952,544</b>	<b>826,410</b>	<b>126,134</b>
<b>Foods, feeds, and beverages</b>	<b>5,102</b>	<b>5,143</b>	<b>-42</b>	<b>40,904</b>	<b>36,425</b>	<b>4,478</b>
Meat products	606	656	-50	4,480	3,616	863
Fish and shellfish	817	864	-46	7,383	7,283	100
Alcoholic beverages, excluding wine	298	325	-27	2,638	2,452	185
Fruits, frozen juices	467	485	-18	3,826	3,625	201
Food oils, oilseeds	225	240	-15	1,581	989	592
Cane and beet sugar	61	65	-5	380	355	25
Tea, spices, etc.	63	63	-1	672	645	26
Cocoa beans	45	43	2	485	482	3
Nonagricultural foods, etc.	38	35	2	267	270	-2
Feedstuff and foodgrains	165	161	4	1,287	1,012	274
Bakery products	405	400	5	3,257	2,973	284
Green coffee	156	150	7	1,226	1,064	162
Dairy products and eggs	109	99	10	912	771	141
Nuts	107	97	11	668	514	154
Wine and related products	532	514	18	4,102	3,944	159
Vegetables	459	429	30	3,606	3,251	355
Other foods	547	517	31	4,135	3,180	955
<b>Industrial supplies and materials</b>	<b>36,279</b>	<b>33,882</b>	<b>2,397</b>	<b>259,331</b>	<b>207,800</b>	<b>51,531</b>
Crude oil	11,150	10,014	1,135	81,672	65,594	16,078
Fuel oil	1,626	1,176	450	10,717	8,363	2,355
Iron and steel mill products	1,757	1,468	289	9,677	5,098	4,579
Nuclear fuel materials	328	173	155	1,561	1,942	-381
Chemicals-organic	1,367	1,244	123	9,910	9,037	874
Iron and steel products, n.e.c.	606	526	80	3,782	2,703	1,079
Petroleum products, other	2,090	2,016	75	14,098	11,063	3,035
Lumber	869	795	74	5,737	3,893	1,843
Other precious metals	427	358	69	3,295	2,325	970
Shingles, wallboard	1,024	977	46	7,705	5,436	2,268
Chemicals-other, n.e.c.	558	513	45	4,225	3,774	451
Blank tapes, audio & visual	342	298	44	2,499	1,840	659
Nickel	170	126	44	1,192	705	487
Plastic materials	847	807	39	6,317	5,595	722
Liquefied petroleum gases	783	746	36	4,757	3,752	1,005
Paper and paper products	631	604	28	4,581	4,180	401
Steelmaking materials	509	491	18	3,266	1,831	1,435
Stone, sand, cement, etc.	401	383	18	3,041	2,597	444
Sulfur, nonmetallic minerals	65	50	15	452	415	37
Chemicals-inorganic	384	371	14	2,909	2,606	303
Synthetic rubber--primary	127	114	13	919	843	76
Industrial supplies, other	1,552	1,540	12	11,787	10,285	1,502
Iron and steel, advanced	559	548	11	3,860	3,228	631
Glass-plate, sheet, etc.	105	96	9	762	624	137
Nonferrous metals, other	148	139	9	1,212	850	362
Chemicals-fertilizers	542	535	8	3,872	3,300	572
Synthetic cloth	393	387	6	3,034	2,776	259
Zinc	86	80	6	695	572	123
Finished textile supplies	250	246	4	1,964	1,724	240
Electric energy	88	85	3	753	970	-217
Nontextile floor tiles	222	221	1	1,645	1,524	121
Materials, excluding chemicals	125	126	(-)	994	979	15
Cotton, natural fibers	6	7	-1	60	65	-5
Wool, silk, etc.	70	72	-1	528	459	69
Natural rubber	101	103	-2	945	692	253
Hides and skins	14	16	-3	101	86	15
Leather and furs	71	74	-3	562	513	49
Farming materials, livestock	69	76	-6	544	558	-14
Tin	36	44	-8	275	129	147
Hair, waste materials	46	55	-9	378	314	64
Pulpwood and woodpulp	258	268	-10	1,981	1,749	232
Copper	229	244	-15	1,587	1,109	478
Plywood and veneers	248	264	-15	1,821	1,151	669
Cotton cloth, fabrics	169	185	-16	1,479	1,374	105
Newsprint	233	253	-19	1,979	1,999	-20
Finished metal shapes	862	900	-38	6,463	5,033	1,431
Nonmonetary gold	283	321	-39	2,446	1,702	744
Bauxite and aluminum	723	777	-54	5,742	4,512	1,230
Tobacco, waxes, etc	337	399	-62	2,740	2,457	283
Gas-natural	2,180	2,269	-89	15,125	12,683	2,442
Coal and related fuels	210	302	-92	1,686	787	898

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Item (1)	August 2004	July 2004 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-date 2004	Year-to-date 2003	Year-to-date Change
<b>Capital goods, except automotive</b>	<b>29,030</b>	<b>29,178</b>	<b>-149</b>	<b>223,625</b>	<b>193,083</b>	<b>30,542</b>
Civilian aircraft	675	1,065	-389	7,072	7,709	-636
Generators, accessories	937	998	-61	7,452	6,826	626
Parts-civilian aircraft	387	438	-51	3,068	2,986	82
Industrial machines, other	1,978	2,013	-35	14,763	12,330	2,433
Business machines and equipment	668	699	-31	5,270	4,648	622
Engines-civilian aircraft	624	654	-30	5,201	4,920	281
Excavating machinery	686	702	-16	4,711	3,028	1,683
Agricultural machinery, equipment	530	546	-15	4,196	3,056	1,141
Measuring, testing, control instruments	977	985	-8	7,556	6,339	1,217
Marine engines, parts	58	64	-6	529	499	31
Commercial vessels, other	6	7	-1	264	216	47
Semiconductors	2,310	2,310	(-)	18,077	16,316	1,761
Computer accessories	5,473	5,471	1	42,164	37,024	5,140
Medicinal equipment	1,622	1,620	1	12,619	10,615	2,004
Laboratory testing instruments	234	233	2	1,810	1,427	383
Spacecraft, excluding military	2	1	2	23	85	-63
Nonfarm tractors and parts	97	96	2	651	474	177
Vessels, except scrap	2	(-)	2	2	5	-3
Specialized mining	37	35	3	305	269	36
Railway transportation equipment	104	102	3	762	670	92
Drilling & oilfield equipment	173	170	3	1,197	1,368	-171
Computers	2,176	2,170	7	15,718	12,901	2,817
Textile, sewing machines	88	79	9	713	690	22
Food, tobacco machinery	178	161	16	1,251	1,101	150
Wood, glass, plastic	481	459	22	3,585	3,297	289
Metalworking machine tools	645	616	29	4,528	4,051	477
Materials handling equipment	732	695	37	5,104	4,233	871
Electric apparatus	2,350	2,296	54	17,990	14,857	3,133
Pulp and paper machinery	393	336	57	2,796	2,517	279
Industrial engines	952	887	65	7,179	6,019	1,161
Photo, service industry machinery	1,038	962	77	7,687	6,692	995
Telecommunications equipment	2,417	2,310	106	19,381	15,918	3,462
<b>Automotive vehicles, parts, and engines</b>	<b>19,264</b>	<b>19,127</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>151,022</b>	<b>138,213</b>	<b>12,809</b>
<b>Consumer goods</b>	<b>30,471</b>	<b>30,486</b>	<b>-15</b>	<b>244,126</b>	<b>219,250</b>	<b>24,877</b>
Artwork, antiques, stamps, etc.	504	604	-100	4,542	3,821	721
Footwear	1,008	1,089	-81	8,278	8,028	250
Motorcycles and parts	312	378	-66	2,739	2,287	452
Apparel, textiles, nonwool or cotton	2,418	2,476	-58	19,451	18,069	1,382
Toys, games, and sporting goods	1,958	2,015	-57	15,548	15,277	271
Apparel, household goods-nontextile	546	598	-52	4,756	4,270	486
Camping apparel and gear	556	604	-48	4,559	4,352	208
Other household goods	3,480	3,528	-48	28,587	23,018	5,569
Writing and art supplies	947	988	-41	7,594	6,887	707
Household appliances	1,157	1,182	-24	9,026	7,746	1,280
Cookware, cutlery, tools	437	460	-23	3,444	3,237	207
Photo equipment	93	107	-14	971	1,121	-150
Gem diamonds	1,209	1,218	-9	9,593	8,400	1,193
Apparel, household goods - wool	273	279	-7	2,191	2,049	142
Musical instruments	145	148	-3	1,112	1,012	100
Records, tapes, and disks	122	125	-3	951	936	14
Gem stones, other	162	165	-3	1,267	1,117	150
Glassware, chinaware	186	188	-2	1,513	1,504	9
Numismatic coins	15	17	-2	189	150	40
Nursery stock, etc.	121	120	(-)	932	824	108
Books, printed matter	331	328	3	2,512	2,355	157
Furniture, household goods, etc.	1,702	1,699	3	13,656	11,858	1,798
Pleasure boats and motors	199	194	5	1,787	1,646	141
Toiletries and cosmetics	406	401	6	3,205	2,873	332
Rugs	157	147	10	1,196	1,106	91
Apparel, household goods - cotton	3,412	3,374	38	26,487	26,498	-11
Jewelry	931	880	51	7,103	6,315	787
Stereo equipment, etc	665	610	55	5,541	4,656	885
TV's, VCR's, etc	2,443	2,378	65	19,651	15,693	3,958
Pharmaceutical preparations	4,575	4,185	390	35,747	32,146	3,601
<b>Other goods</b>	<b>4,403</b>	<b>4,136</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>33,536</b>	<b>31,639</b>	<b>1,897</b>

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

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