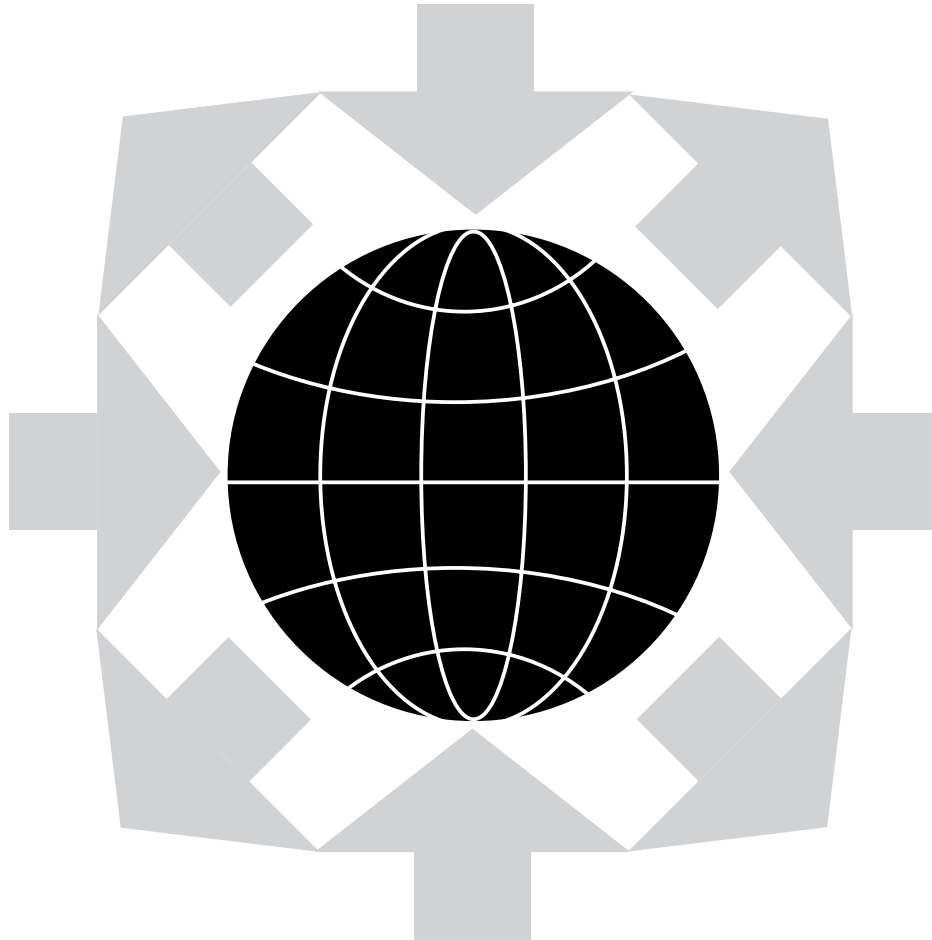


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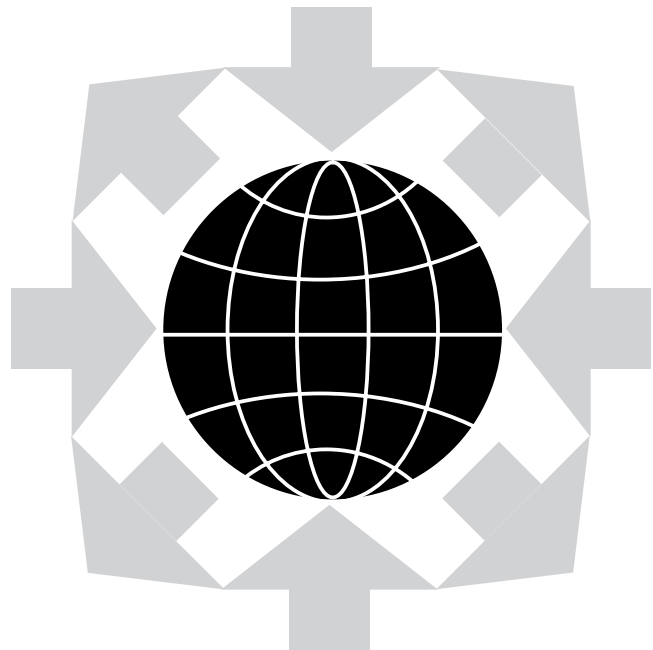


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# Description of the Foreign Trade Statistics Program: Merchandise Trade Statistics

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## INTRODUCTION

This description covers all phases of the foreign trade statistics program and may contain portions not pertinent to this report.

## SOURCE OF INFORMATION

### Exports

Published information on U.S. exports of merchandise from the United States to all countries, except Canada, is compiled primarily from copies of Shipper's Export Declarations (SED's) which are required to be filed with Customs officials. The SED is unique among Census Bureau forms since it is not sent to respondents soliciting responses as in the case of surveys. The U.S. Customs Service initially collects the SED at the port of export and subsequently transmits it to the Census Bureau. Each SED represents a shipment of one or more kinds of merchandise from one exporter to one foreign importer on a single carrier. Filing the SED is mandatory under Chapter 9, Title 13, United States Code. Qualified exporters, forwarders, or carriers submit SED data by automated means directly to the Bureau of the Census.

The United States is substituting Canadian import statistics for U.S. exports to Canada in accordance with a 1987 Memorandum of Understanding signed by the Census Bureau, U.S. Customs Service, Canadian Customs, and Statistics Canada. Similarly, under this Memorandum of Understanding, Canada is substituting U.S. import statistics for Canadian exports to the United States. This data exchange includes only U.S. exports destined for Canada and does not include shipments destined for third countries by routes passing through Canada or shipments of certain grains and oilseeds to Canada for storage prior to exportation to a third country. These shipments are reported on and compiled from SED's.

Department of Defense Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments being transported as Department of Defense cargo are reported directly to the Bureau of the Census by the Department of Defense.

### Imports

Published information on U.S. imports of merchandise is compiled primarily from automated data submitted through the Customs Automated Commercial System. Data are

compiled also from import entry summary forms, warehouse withdrawal forms and Foreign Trade Zone documents as required by law to be filed with the U.S. Customs Service. Data on imports of electricity and natural gas from Canada are obtained from Canadian sources.

## COVERAGE

The official U.S. import and export statistics reflect both government and nongovernment shipments of merchandise between foreign countries and the U.S. Customs Territory (the 50 States, District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico), U.S. Foreign Trade Zones, and the U.S. Virgin Islands, without regard to whether or not a commercial transaction is involved. In general, the statistics record the physical movement of merchandise between the United States and foreign countries.

The following types of transactions are excluded from the statistics used to compile the merchandise trade balance:

1. United States trade with U.S. possessions, trade between U.S. possessions, and trade between U.S. possessions and foreign countries (except Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands).
2. Merchandise shipped in transit through the United States from one foreign country to another.
3. Shipments to the U.S. Armed Forces, including post exchanges, for their own use, as well as U.S. merchandise returned by the U.S. Armed Forces for their own use.
4. Monetary gold and silver.
5. Issued monetary coins (in current circulation) of all component metals.
6. Bunker fuels and other supplies and equipment for use on departing vessels, planes, or other carriers engaged in foreign trade.
7. Shipments of furniture, equipment, and supplies to U.S. government agencies as well as such merchandise when returned to the United States.
8. Imports for repair under warranty.

9. Some other transactions not considered to be of statistical importance, such as shipments of personal and household effects of travelers and certain temporary exports and imports.

## **Exports**

Exports measure the total physical movement of merchandise out of the United States to foreign countries whether such merchandise is exported from within the U.S. Customs territory or from a U.S. Customs bonded warehouse or a U.S. Foreign Trade Zone. The following are examples of some types of shipments which are included in the statistics but are of such a nature that their inclusion merits separate mention:

1. Department of Defense Military Assistance Program Grant-Aid shipments under the Foreign Assistance Act.
2. Foreign military sales.
3. Shipments of commodities for economic assistance under the Foreign Assistance Act. (Totals for exports under this program are published quarterly or as they become available.)
4. Shipments of agricultural commodities under P.L. 480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954) as amended, and related laws. (Totals for exports under this program are published as the data become available from the Department of Agriculture. Additional information may be obtained from the Economic Research Service of the Department of Agriculture.)
5. Sales of U.S. vessels to purchasers in foreign countries.
6. Satellites launched by U.S. space vehicles limited to: (1) foreign origin, and; (2) launched on behalf of international organizations.

## **Domestic Exports**

Exports of domestic merchandise include commodities which are grown, produced or manufactured in the United States; and commodities of foreign origin which have been changed in the United States, including U.S. Foreign Trade Zones, from the form in which they were imported, or which have been enhanced in value by further manufacture in the United States.

## **Foreign Exports (Re-exports)**

Exports of foreign merchandise (re-exports) consist of commodities of foreign origin which have entered the United States for consumption or into Customs bonded warehouses or U.S. Foreign Trade Zones, and which, at the time of exportation, are in substantially the same condition as when imported.

## **Imports**

Imports of merchandise include commodities of foreign origin as well as goods of domestic origin returned to the United States with no change in condition or after having been processed and/or assembled in other countries. (See section entitled "American Goods Returned After Processing and/or Assembly".)

For statistical purposes, imports are classified by the type of transaction.

1. Merchandise entered for immediate consumption ("duty free" merchandise and merchandise on which duty is paid on arrival).
2. Merchandise withdrawn for consumption from Customs bonded warehouses and U.S. Foreign Trade Zones.
3. Merchandise entered into Customs bonded warehouses and U.S. Foreign Trade Zones from foreign countries.

## **Bonded Warehouses**

Bonded warehouses are authorized by U.S. Customs for storage or manufacturing of goods on which payment of duties is deferred until the goods are removed into Customs Territory. These goods are not subject to duties if reshipped to foreign points.

## **Foreign Trade Zones**

Foreign Trade Zones are enclosed areas, operated as public utilities, under control of U.S. Customs, with facilities for handling, storing, manipulating, manufacturing, and exhibiting goods. The merchandise may be exported, destroyed, or sent into Customs territory from the zone, in the original package or otherwise. It is subject to Customs duties if sent into Customs territory, but not if reshipped to foreign points.

## **American Goods Returned After Processing and/or Assembly**

Domestically produced goods are shipped from the United States to other countries for processing and/or assembly and then returned to this country. Imports containing U.S. content which qualify for special duty-free treatment on the U.S. portion fall into the following groups:

1. Articles of metal manufactured in the United States, which were exported for further processing abroad and returned to the United States for more processing.
2. Textile articles assembled abroad and entered under a Special Access Program or Special Regime.
3. Articles assembled abroad from components produced in the United States, except textile articles entered under a Special Access Program or Special Regime.

Separate statistics are available on American goods returned after processing and/or assembly abroad.

## **General Imports**

“General Imports” measure the total physical arrivals of merchandise from foreign countries, whether such merchandise enters consumption channels immediately or is entered into bonded warehouses or Foreign Trade Zones under Customs custody.

## **Imports for Consumption**

“Imports for Consumption” measure the total of merchandise that has physically cleared through Customs either entering consumption channels immediately or entering after withdrawal for consumption from bonded warehouses under Customs custody or from Foreign Trade Zones. Many countries use the term “special imports” to designate statistics compiled on this basis.

## **STATISTICAL MONTH**

The month of importation is the month in which the U.S. Customs Service releases the merchandise to the importer. The month of exportation is based on the date when the merchandise leaves the United States. (For vessel or air shipments it is the date when the carrier departs or is cleared from the port of export.)

## **MERCHANDISE TRADE BALANCE**

The merchandise trade balance represents the difference between U.S. exports based on free alongside ships (f.a.s.) values and U.S. general imports based on Customs values. (See discussion of Valuation below.) This balance corresponds to a measurement of the international payments or credit flows resulting from the physical movement of goods between the United States and foreign countries. Monthly balances are based on seasonally adjusted data.

## **SEASONAL ADJUSTMENT**

The Census Bureau adjusts the merchandise trade data for seasonal and working-day variations at the most detailed end-use level possible. These detailed data are then summed up to the one-digit level for release with the monthly merchandise trade totals.

The seasonal adjustment procedure, based upon a multiplicative model, estimates the monthly movements as percents above or below the general level of the series, unlike other methods that redistribute the seasonal excesses and deficits over the calendar year. As a result, the calendar year totals will differ from the unadjusted totals with the differences generally being quite small in percentage terms.

The seasonally adjusted data also are provided to the Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) for use in compiling the quarterly National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA's). The BEA supplements these data in the NIPA's with quarterly adjustments for six of the end-use categories which exhibit seasonality on a quarterly basis but not on a monthly basis. 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.

The one-digit level end-use categories provide data for the following broad aggregates: (1) Foods, feeds, and beverages; (2) Industrial supplies and materials; (3) Capital goods, except automobiles; (4) Automotive vehicles, parts and engines; (5) Consumer goods (nonfood), except auto; and (6) Other merchandise. This seasonal adjustment procedure is designed to reflect seasonal patterns at the most detailed commodity levels. The adjustment is made at that end-use commodity level for which significant stable seasonality is identified.

The use of the end-use commodity classification system for seasonal adjustment ensures methodological consistency with the quarterly adjusted balance of trade data published by the Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) and reflects the BEA coding descriptions which combine data into broad categories based upon principal uses of the commodities.

The Summary of U.S. Export and Import Merchandise Trade (FT 900) for each month includes revisions for carryover to the prior month's aggregate unadjusted and seasonally adjusted (current and constant dollar) export, import and trade balance figures as well as to the end-use totals. These revisions do not appear in other foreign trade reports.

Tables of the seasonal factors are available free of charge from the Foreign Trade Division. Historical data as well as the detailed unadjusted and adjusted data are available on a cost basis on either hard copy or diskette.

## **CONSTANT DOLLAR ADJUSTMENT**

Effective with January 1990 statistics, the Census Bureau is publishing, on an experimental basis, seasonally adjusted merchandise trade data on a constant dollar basis (1987=100). This is a requirement of the Omnibus Trade and Competitiveness Act of 1988. Publication of these additional data improves the ability of users to examine trends in import and export volumes. Because merchandise trade is volatile, cumulations of data over at least a 3-month period are recommended in order to identify underlying trends.

These data are adjusted for price change using monthly deflators developed in accordance with the deflators used in the National Income and Product Accounts (NIPA's) published by the Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA). These deflators are based upon price indexes and deflators produced by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, BEA, and other sources. All series are adjusted at the lowest possible end-use level. (See discussion of End Use Commodity Category under Commodity Classifications.)

## Contacts for further information on:

Adjustments to merchandise trade data for seasonality and price change:

Special Projects Branch  
Foreign Trade Division  
Bureau of the Census  
Washington, DC 20233

NIPA and the deflators used by BEA:

National Income and Wealth Division  
Bureau of Economic Analysis  
U.S. Department of Commerce  
1401 K Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20230

BLS International Price Indexes:

Division of International Prices  
Bureau of Labor Statistics  
U.S. Department of Labor  
Washington, DC 20212

## VALUATION

### Customs Import Value

The Customs value is the value of imports as appraised by the U.S. Customs Service in accordance with the legal requirements of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended. This value is generally defined as the price actually paid or payable for merchandise when sold for exportation to the United States, excluding U.S. import duties, freight, insurance, and other charges incurred in bringing the merchandise to the United States. The term "price actually paid or payable" means the total payment (whether direct or indirect, and exclusive of any costs, charges, or expenses incurred for transportation, insurance, and related services incident to the international shipment of the merchandise from the country of exportation to the place of importation in the United States) made, or to be made, for imported merchandise by the buyer to, or for the benefit of, the seller. In the case of transactions between related parties, the relationship between buyer and seller should not influence the Customs value.

In those instances where assistance was furnished to a foreign manufacturer for use in producing an article which is imported into the United States, the value of the assistance is required to be included in the value reported for the merchandise. Such "assists" include both tangible and intangible assistance, such as machinery, tools, dies and molds, blue prints, copyrights, research and development, and engineering and consulting services. If the value of these "assists" is identified and separately reported, it is subtracted from the value during statistical processing. However, where it is not possible to isolate the value of "assists," they are included. In these cases the unit values may be increased due to the inclusion of such "assists."

## Import Charges

The import charges represent the aggregate cost of all freight, insurance, and other charges (excluding U.S. import duties) incurred in bringing the merchandise from alongside the carrier at the port of exportation in the country of exportation and placing it alongside the carrier at the first port of entry in the United States. In the case of overland shipments originating in Canada or Mexico, such costs shall include freight, insurance, and all other charges, costs and expenses incurred in bringing the merchandise from the point of origin (where the merchandise begins its journey to the United States) in Canada or Mexico to the first port of entry.

### C.I.F. Import Value

The cost, insurance, and freight (c.i.f.) value represents the landed value of the merchandise at the first port of arrival in the United States. It is computed by adding "Import Charges" to the "Customs Value" (see definitions above) and therefore excludes U.S. import duties.

### Dutiable Value of Imports and Calculated Duty

The "dutiable value" represents, in general, the Customs value of foreign merchandise imported into the United States which is subject to duty. The "Calculated duty" represents the estimated import duties collected. Estimated data are calculated based on the applicable rate(s) of duty as shown in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States Annotated for Statistical Reporting Purposes.

### F.A.S. Export Value (Excluding Exports to Canada)

The free alongside ship (f.a.s.) value is the value of exports at the U.S. seaport, airport, or border 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. The value, as defined, excludes the cost of loading the merchandise aboard the exporting carrier and also excludes freight, insurance, and any charges or transportation costs beyond the port of exportation.

### U.S. Exports to Canada

The use of Canada's import data to produce U.S. export data requires some adjustments to make the two comparable.

U.S. exports are valued at the U.S. seaport, airport, or border port of export in the United States and include inland freight charges. Canadian imports are valued at the point of origin in the United States and do not include inland freight to the U.S. port of exit. To compensate, Canada adds an estimated 4.5 percent of the value to each

transaction to cover inland freight (except for shipments where freight is not a consideration, e.g., large aircraft, vessels and drilling platforms).

Average monthly exchange rates as quoted by the Federal Reserve Board are applied to adjust the Canadian import data to U.S. dollars. A formula for converting U.S. total exports to corresponding Canadian imports is provided in the initial release of the statistics (FT 900) along with the monthly conversion rate.

## COMMODITY CLASSIFICATIONS

The export statistics are initially collected and compiled in terms of approximately 8,000 commodity classifications in Schedule B, Statistical Classification of Domestic and Foreign Commodities Exported from the United States. Schedule B is a U.S. Bureau of the Census publication and is based on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (Harmonized System).

The import statistics are initially collected and compiled in terms of approximately 14,000 commodity classifications in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States Annotated for Statistical Reporting Purposes (HTSUSA), an official publication of the U.S. International Trade Commission. The HTSUSA is the U.S. import version of the Harmonized System.

The United States and Canada both compile their merchandise trade statistics in terms of the Harmonized System; however, they have different annotations beyond the basic six-digit codes.

Approximately 80 percent of the U.S. Schedule B export classifications are directly comparable to Canadian import classifications. These classifications account for 85 to 90 percent of the total value of U.S. exports to Canada. Many of the remaining 20 percent of the Schedule B classifications represent little or no trade with Canada. In these cases the Canada import code is recoded to a single Schedule B, usually the class with the most trade or the residual classification for the root six-digit Harmonized System code.

There are some instances where the U.S. and Canadian Customs agencies do not agree on the six-digit Harmonized System code under which a particular commodity or group of commodities should be classified. In these cases each statistical agency may classify under the six-digit code designated by its national Customs agency.

Efforts by the U.S. and Canadian Customs agencies to align detail statistical classifications will continue over the next several years.

In some reports the HTSUSA and Schedule B classifications are rearranged and summarized into other classification systems as indicated below:

1. Standard International Trade Classification (SITC-United Nations Statistical Papers, Series M, No. 34/Rev.3).

The SITC is a statistical classification of the commodities entering external trade designed to provide the

commodity aggregates needed for purposes of economic analysis and to facilitate the international comparison of trade-by-commodity data.

The Harmonized System and SITC Revision 3 are interrelated. The rearrangement of import and export data reported in terms of the Harmonized System into the SITC allows for an additional means of comparison between the United States and its trading partners in terms of commodity classification and trade statistics.

Certain foreign trade reports present HTS and Schedule B classifications summarized into approximately 3,000 five-digit SITC codes.

Within the SITC framework, "Manufactured Goods" includes all products classified in groups 5 through 9.

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

2. Standard Industrial Classification (SIC-Office of Management and Budget, 1987).

The rearrangement of the import and export data into a structure related to the statistical classification of products by industry facilitates the comparison of the U.S. import and export statistics with data related to the domestic production and other U.S. economic statistics.

HTS and Schedule B classifications are summarized into approximately 450 four-digit SIC-based Import and approximately 430 four-digit SIC-based Export codes.

3. End Use Commodity Category.

The HTS and Schedule B classifications are summarized into six principal "end-use" categories and further subdivided into about 140 broad commodity groupings. These categories are used in developing seasonally adjusted and constant dollar totals. The concept of end-use demand was developed for balance of payments purposes by the Bureau of Economic Analysis. (See discussion of Seasonal Adjustment.)

4. Agricultural and Nonagricultural Commodities.

Agricultural commodities consist of nonmarine food products, natural fibers, unmanufactured tobacco, and other farm products subject to federal legislation such as Section 22 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act. Some processed agricultural commodities are included if the value added by manufacturing accounts for less than 50 percent of the final value of shipments as reported in the latest Census of Manufactures. Examples of processed agricultural commodities include cereal flours, dairy products, canned meats, canned fruits and vegetables, vegetable oils, animal hides, fur pelts, wine,

and beer. Textiles, leather products, distilled beverages, forestry, and fishery products are classified as nonagricultural commodities.

Assignments of individual HTS and Schedule B classifications generally are determined by the U.S. Department of Agriculture and differ from the guidelines in the Standard Industrial Classification of the United States (SIC).

#### 5. Advanced Technology Products (ATP)

Approximately 500 of the HTS and Schedule B commodity classification codes used in reporting U.S. exports and imports are identified as “advanced technology” codes that must meet the following criteria:

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

This product and commodity-based measure of advanced technology differs from broader SIC industry-based measures which include all commodities produced by a particular industry group, regardless of the level of technology embodied in the commodities.

## COUNTRY DESIGNATIONS

### Country Classification

The names and codes of the countries of the world are listed in Schedule C, Classification of Country and Territory Designations for U.S. Foreign Trade Statistics, the system used for publishing both import and export country statistics. Schedule C is arranged in geographic order according to continents. Countries and territories are listed in sequence within each continent, generally from north to south and west to east. The classifications appearing in Schedule C conform to those prescribed by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) and are recommended by ISO for international exchange. Schedule C is published as a statistical annex in HTS and as a part of Schedule B.

### Export Country of Destination

Country of destination for exports is the country where the goods are to be consumed, further processed, or manufactured, as known to the shipper at the time of exportation. If the shipper does not know the country of ultimate destination, the shipment is credited to the last country to which the shipper knows that the merchandise will be shipped in the same form as when exported.

### Import Country of Origin

Country of origin for imports is the country where the merchandise was grown, mined, or manufactured, in accordance with U.S. Customs Regulations. In instances where the country of origin cannot be determined, transactions are credited to the country of shipment.

### Import Country Subcodes

Certain foreign trade reports show the following country subcodes to indicate special tariff treatment afforded some imported articles:

Code	Definition
OGN	Country of origin; no special program claimed by importer
SHP	Country of Shipment, Country of Origin Unknown
GSP	Articles imported under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) provisions of the HTS.
PTA	Articles imported under the provisions of the U.S.-Canada Automotive Products Trade Act.
ACA	Articles imported under the provisions of the Agreement on Trade in Civil Aircraft.
CFT	Articles imported under the provisions of the United States-Canada Free-Trade Agreement Implementation Act of 1988.
CBA	Articles imported under the provisions of the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act of 1983.
IFT	Articles imported under the provisions of the Israel Free Trade Implementation Act of 1985.
CFA	Articles imported under the Compact of Free Associations Act.
PRR	Puerto Rico product improved in a Caribbean Basin Initiative Country and returned to the United States

### Statistical Presentation

Abbreviated country designations are used in lieu of complete country names in the foreign trade program. Numerical codes are used for automated purposes. Alphabetic abbreviations are used for published reports.

The designation UNIDENT (Unidentified Countries) in the export statistics reflects shipments of certain grains and oilseeds for storage in Canada but ultimately destined for third countries, the specific country of ultimate destination being unknown at the time of shipment. This is not a part of the United States/Canada Data Exchange. Annually, by Special Announcement, based on information supplied by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, specific country of destination information on exports of such grains and oilseeds is published.

This designation also includes satellites launched in the United States on behalf of international organizations.

The designation OTH CTY used in some reports represents the total for countries from or to which imports or exports of the particular commodity averaged less than \$50,000 per month on a cumulative year-to-date basis.

The major world areas for which foreign trade data are shown represent individual Schedule C countries or groupings of several countries into geographic areas or economic unions.

## QUANTITY AND SHIPPING WEIGHT

### Quantity

Units of quantity shown are published in terms of the units specified in the HTS and Schedule B for each classification.

When two units of quantity are required for an item in the HTS or Schedule B, the first or primary unit is shown along with the value.

### Shipping Weight

Shipping weight represents the gross weight in kilograms of shipments, including the weight of moisture content, wrappings, crates, boxes, and containers (other than cargo vans and similar substantial outer containers). Shipping weight information is available for shipments by vessel and air only.

## CUSTOMS DISTRICTS

### District and Port Classification

The names and codes of the Customs districts and ports are listed in Schedule D, Classification of U.S. Customs Districts and Ports for Foreign Trade Statistics. The geographical limits of each district are published in the U.S. Customs Regulations. Schedule D is published as a statistical annex in HTS and as a part of Schedule B.

### District of Exportation

1. Vessel or air - the Customs district in which the merchandise is loaded on the vessel or aircraft which takes the merchandise out of the country.
2. Rail, truck, pipeline, or other overland transportation - the Customs district through which the merchandise crosses the U.S. border into foreign territory.
3. Aircraft exported under their own power are credited to the Customs district from which they are flown out of the United States.

### Import District of Entry

The district in which merchandise clears Customs for entry into consumption channels, bonded warehouses or Foreign Trade Zones.

### Import District of Unlading

The district where merchandise is unloaded from the importing vessel or aircraft.

### Statistical Presentation

Abbreviated Customs district designations are used instead of complete names in the foreign trade program. Numerical codes are used for automated purposes. Alphabetic abbreviations are used for published reports.

### Special Districts

The following types of shipments are included for statistical purposes in special Customs districts and are not reported by geographical location of the individual Customs district of entry or exportation:

1. Vessels under their own power or afloat (imports and exports).
2. Low-valued imports and exports (see discussion of Low-Valued Statistics below).
3. Mail shipments (exports only).
4. Norfolk, VA-Charleston, SC-Mobile, AL (Exports of bituminous coal). See discussion of Customs Districts under Sources of Error.
5. Wilmington, NC-Savannah, GA (Exports of cotton linter pulp). See discussion of Customs Districts under Sources of Error.

## STATE STATISTICS

Export data by State denote the State (as reported by the exporter or agent on the Shipper's Export Declaration) from which the merchandise actually starts its journey to the port of export. This may not be, necessarily, the state where the merchandise is grown, produced or manufactured nor necessarily the actual location of the exporter. In the case of consolidated shipments, it is the State of the commodity of greatest value or the State of consolidation. Foreign Trade Zone shipments are included in the U.S. Total, States/Territories total and distributed among individual States and territories. A separate Foreign Trade Zone total is shown for reference only.

## LOW-VALUED STATISTICS

### Exports

Export statistics are fully compiled on shipments to all countries, except Canada, where the value of commodities classified under each individual Schedule B number is over

\$2,500. Value data for such commodities valued under \$2,501 are estimated for individual countries using factors based on the ratios of low-valued shipments to individual country totals for past periods. The estimates for low-valued shipments are shown under a single Schedule B number and are omitted from the statistics for the detailed commodity classifications. Shipments valued under \$2,501 to all countries, except Canada, represent slightly less than 2.5 percent of the monthly value of U.S. exports to those countries.

As a result of the data exchange between the United States and Canada, the United States has adopted the Canadian import exemption level for its export statistics on shipments to Canada. The Canadian import exemption level is based on total value per shipment rather than value per commodity classification line item. Prior to data exchange each month, the United States furnishes Canada with a factor to convert data reported on Canadian import documents from Canadian dollars to U.S. dollars. Line items reported on documents where the total shipment value is the equivalent of \$900 (Can.) or more are included in the appropriate Schedule B classifications in Chapters 1-97. Out of this group, those items valued \$2,500 (U.S.) or less are assigned to the special Customs district for low-value exports with no method of transportation detail. The remaining items, i.e., those valued over \$2,500 (U.S.) are published with both Customs district and method of transportation detail. Items reported on Canadian documents having a total shipment value equivalent to less than \$900 (Can.) are published under a single Schedule B number established for Canadian low value shipments and certain other shipments that Canada does not identify by kind. Such shipments represent 2 percent of the monthly value of U.S. exports to Canada.

## Imports

Import statistics are fully compiled on shipments valued over \$1,250 or, under certain textile programs, for any article which must be reported on a formal entry. Value data for shipments valued under \$1,251 and not required to be reported on formal entries are estimated for individual countries using factors based on the ratios of low-valued shipments to individual country totals for past periods. The estimates for low-valued shipments are shown under a single HTS number. They are omitted from the statistics for the detailed commodity classifications. The total value excluded represents slightly less than 1 percent of the monthly import value.

## TRANSPORTATION STATISTICS

### Method of Transportation

The transportation statistics are presented in terms of three categories—vessel, air and all methods—based on the method of transportation by which the merchandise arrived in or departed from the United States. In some

instances, shipments between the United States and countries abroad enter or depart through Canada or Mexico. Such shipments are recorded under the method of transportation by which they enter or depart the United States regardless of the transportation mode between Canada or Mexico and the country of origin or destination.

There are some differences in the coverage of these statistics, primarily as follows:

1. The data for “all methods of transportation” include exports and general imports by vessel, air, truck, rail, air mail, parcel post, and other methods of transportation.
2. The data for vessel and air exports and general imports represent waterborne and airborne shipments only (merchandise actually leaving or arriving in the United States aboard a vessel or an aircraft).
3. Imports and exports of (a) vessels moving under their own power or afloat and (b) aircraft flown into or out of the United States are included in the “all methods” data but excluded from the vessel and air statistics.
4. Mail and parcel post shipments (including those transported by vessel or air) are included in the “all methods” data but excluded from the vessel and air statistics.
5. Low-value shipments are included in the “all methods” data but excluded from the vessel and air statistics.

### Types of Vessel Service

Waterborne statistics are presented in terms of type of service: (1) liner; (2) irregular or tramp; and (3) tanker.

Liner service is that type of service offered by a regular line operator of vessels on berth. The itineraries and sailing schedules of vessels in liner service are predetermined and fixed. Irregular (or tramp) service is that type of service afforded by vessels, other than tanker vessels, that are chartered or otherwise hired for the carriage of goods on special voyages.

Vessels in this type of service are not on berth and their sailing schedules are not predetermined or fixed.

Tanker vessels are primarily designed for the carriage of liquid cargoes in bulk. All others are classified as dry cargo.

### Intransit Shipments

Shipments of merchandise transported in bond through the United States en route from one foreign country to another without having been entered as an import are called intransit shipments. The intransit statistics include only inbound or outbound merchandise moving by vessel.

Vessel entrances and clearances by Customs district are published monthly.

## **U.S. TRADE WITH PUERTO RICO AND U.S. POSSESSIONS**

### **Source of Information**

Statistics on shipments from the United States to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, and on shipments from Puerto Rico to the United States, are compiled from information furnished on Shipper's Export Declarations, which are required to be filed with Customs officials, and shipments by qualified exporters who have been authorized to submit data by automated means directly to the Bureau of the Census.

Statistics on shipments from the U.S. Virgin Islands and other U.S. possessions to the United States are compiled from automated data submitted through the Customs Automated Commercial System and from import documents filed with Customs officials.

Data on shipments from the United States to other U.S. possessions as well as between the possessions are not compiled.

### **Coverage**

Statistics are separately published covering shipments 1) between the United States and Puerto Rico, 2) between the United States (including Puerto Rico) and the U.S. Virgin Islands, and 3) from other U.S. possessions to the United States. U.S. possessions refers to those listed in Schedule C, Classification of Country and Territory Designations for U.S. Foreign Trade Statistics.

Previous discussions and definitions relating to the export statistics should be applied to statistics on shipments from the United States to Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands, and on shipments from Puerto Rico to the United States. Similarly, previous discussions and definitions relating to the import statistics should be applied to statistics on shipments from the U.S. Virgin Islands and other U.S. possessions to the United States.

### **Trade With Foreign Countries**

Puerto Rico is a Customs district within the U.S. Customs territory, and its trade with foreign countries is included in the U.S. export and import statistics.

The U.S. export and import statistics include merchandise trade between the U.S. Virgin Islands and foreign countries even though the Virgin Islands of the United States are not officially a part of the U.S. Customs territory.

Data on trade of other U.S. outlying possessions with foreign countries are not compiled by the United States.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

### **Sources of Error**

The procedures used to compile the statistics include processing checks designed to protect the accuracy of the statistics to the fullest practicable extent.

Export and import figures are subject to the possibility of errors which may arise from incorrect reporting and/or processing of information as to commodity classification, net quantity, value, and other statistical factors, month of inclusion (see Carryover below), and errors which may result from the estimation of certain shipments. (See the explanation of low-valued data above.)

### **Carryover**

Carryover is the term used to identify the trade records received and/or processed too late for inclusion with records for that transaction month.

There are several causes of carryover. Among them is the Customs procedure which allows importers to file import documentation up to 10 workdays after the date of release of the merchandise. Processing problems such as rejection of a shipment because the data failed to meet certain edit criteria established to protect the accuracy of the statistics also contribute to carryover. The current carryover rate is 0.5 percent for exports and 2.5 percent for imports.

Each month, in the Summary of U.S. Export and Import Merchandise Trade (FT 900) only, the total import, export and trade balance figures as well as the "end-use" totals for the prior month are adjusted for carryover. SITC and country detail data are not revised.

### **Estimated Calculated Duty**

Estimates of calculated duty do not necessarily reflect amounts of duty paid and should, therefore, be used with caution. The figures may be somewhat overstated as a result of the inclusion in the figures of some U.S. products returned after processing or assembly abroad for which a portion of the value is eligible for duty free consideration. In cases where articles are dutiable at various or special rates, a dutiable value is shown but no duty is calculated. Estimates of calculated duty are understated to the extent that these situations exist.

### **Shipments Not Classified by Commodity**

Single classifications are provided for the following shipments without commodity detail:

1. Exports to all countries, except Canada, valued under \$2,501.
2. Exports to Canada, reported on Canadian documents having a total shipment value less than \$900 (Canada).
3. Exports to all countries, except Canada, valued \$2,501 through \$10,000 which are reported on Shipper's Export Declarations without a valid Schedule B number. (The United States/Canada data exchange allows that portion of the value formerly shown under this classification as exports to Canada to be distributed among the appropriate commodity classifications.)

4. Exports of goods of Canadian origin being returned to Canada.
5. Exports of goods of other foreign origin being returned to Canada.
6. Import transactions valued under \$1,251 (and not requiring formal entry).

Classifications other than those listed above exclude the information shown under these provisions and are undercounted to the extent that such shipments are made.

### **Comparison of Commodity Data**

The omission of a commodity number from certain reports does not necessarily mean that there were no exports or imports of the commodity during the month. It is possible that some shipments may not be classified by commodity (see discussion above).

Data users are cautioned that comparison of U.S. exports with corresponding Canadian import data at detailed commodity levels is not recommended. Corrections, differences in classification interpretation and in editing and processing environments make these comparisons uncertain.

In addition, the comparison of data on U.S. exports after 1989 with data for prior years at levels other than for total exports and exports by country may show distortion. These distortions may result from the availability of detailed data for undocumented exports to Canada which were previously estimated only at the total level. Distortions also may result from the changeover to the Harmonized System effective with the January 1989 statistics.

When publication of data under a particular commodity classification causes disclosure of an individual firm's transactions on a world-wide basis, it is sometimes necessary to combine several classifications into one. Even though the detail is reported it is not published.

### **Country Designation**

Statistics tend to be overcounted for shipments to transshipment countries such as Hong Kong and the Netherlands and undercounted for other countries. Further, since the export statistics reflect the country of destination only as known to the exporter at time of shipment, the statistics will not reflect any further distributions of the merchandise made after the shipment leaves the United States.

### **Quantity**

Quantity data for shipments of one commodity to or from a specific country may not be published when the statistics disclose a particular company's transactions with that country. Similarly, quantity data for shipments of one commodity to or from all countries may not be published when disclosure occurs on a world-wide basis.

### **Customs District**

Statistics for two or more Customs Districts may be combined and published under an arbitrary designation or shipping weight may be excluded from an individual Customs District as a solution to disclosure situations. Consequently, statistics for individual ports may be understated due to the suppression of the weight of the affected commodities.

### **State Data**

The term "Not Specified" represents instances where exporters have reported more than one state of origin or where the designation "US" has been reported. Transactions originating in a Foreign Trade Zone for which no number or State designation is reported also are included under "Not Specified".

Other designations are "Re-exports", "Estimated Shipments," and "Unreported". Those shipments designated as "Re-exports" (foreign exports) are exports having a foreign country as the point of origin. The "Unreported" designation includes those cases where either no State of origin was reported or an undecipherable abbreviation was reported. See the section entitled "Low-Valued Statistics" for a discussion of such shipments.

### **REVISIONS TO THE STATISTICS**

Revisions to the import and export statistics occur in several ways.

Monthly, the aggregate import, export and trade balance figures as well as the "end-use" totals for the prior month are adjusted for carryover (data received and/or processed too late for inclusion in the proper month). These revisions will appear only in the Summary of U.S. Export and Import Merchandise Trade (FT 900).

Revisions to the import and export statistics in the form of errata are issued quarterly and are available free of charge upon request. These errata provide corrections to statistics issued in prior months' foreign trade reports. The data are presented by statistical month in commodity number arrangement only. The revisions are shown in commodity classification by country by Customs district order as net amounts to be added to or subtracted from the previously issued statistics. Shipments by all methods of transportation combined are reflected. There are no separate data for shipments by vessel or by air.

Annually, the Bureau of the Census publishes revised merchandise trade statistics for the prior year. These revisions include import and export data adjusted to eliminate carryover (that small portion of the monthly statistics that arrives too late for inclusion in the transaction month). Reflected also in these statistics are the application of quarterly errata and other corrections to the published monthly data.

The initial release of the statistics (FT 900) and certain reports include special announcements as warranted to call attention to the discovery of large or significant errors and to provide information on the appropriate data corrections and program changes.

The Census Bureau receives revisions from Canada; however, our process does not permit corrections to detail for data previously published. Therefore, the Bureau will make corrections for prior period transactions as changes to the cumulative-to-date total for U.S. exports to Canada.

## **SOURCES OF FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE FOREIGN TRADE STATISTICS**

Supplementary information and explanations of interest to users of foreign trade statistics (such as notices of changes in statistical procedures, and so forth) are included

as special announcements in current issues of the statistical publications. Reports providing additional detail compiled but not published may be obtained on a cost basis.

Copies of foreign trade statistics are available for public reference use at various International Trade Administration district offices, Census Regional offices, and at some U.S. Customs Service offices. Since the distribution of foreign trade material varies among offices, inquiries regarding the availability of particular types of data should be made to:

Trade Data Services Branch  
Foreign Trade Division  
Bureau of the Census  
Room 2179, Federal Office Building #3  
Washington, DC 20233  
(Located at Suitland, MD)

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	<b>GRAND TOTAL -----</b>	<b>51 105 130</b>	<b>59 526 598</b>	<b>61 507 091</b>	<b>58 332 728</b>	<b>583 030 524</b>	<b>743 505 251</b>	<b>770 944 196</b>	<b>739 660 419</b>
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS ---	3 769 290	2 236 049	2 405 813	2 240 349	42 171 252	27 231 057	29 372 883	27 133 404
1	BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO	681 784	426 815	454 796	341 878	8 086 068	5 305 662	5 673 719	5 010 924
2	CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS --	3 102 312	1 559 492	1 682 007	1 547 115	34 804 794	20 761 180	22 342 910	20 634 035
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS -----	1 103 147	4 978 449	5 285 900	4 553 856	10 453 561	59 206 174	62 984 052	58 678 355
4	ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS, FATS AND WAXES ----	178 191	99 283	104 575	93 726	2 544 311	1 369 505	1 451 593	1 342 459
5	CHEMICALS AND RELATED PRODUCTS, N.E.S.-----	5 016 845	3 185 258	3 316 878	3 127 260	61 703 072	40 379 354	42 165 126	40 260 143
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL -----	4 247 473	6 611 897	6 918 042	6 532 352	53 463 344	89 442 809	93 839 779	88 640 770
7	MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT ---	25 583 633	29 310 269	29 830 626	28 882 306	281 487 561	350 481 530	357 882 112	349 622 924
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES-----	5 640 154	8 812 319	9 175 139	8 725 333	65 444 200	123 867 252	129 457 622	122 972 050
9	COMMODITIES AND TRANSACTIONS NOT CLASSIFIED ELSEWHERE IN THE SITC-----	1 782 302	2 306 768	2 333 317	2 288 553	22 872 363	25 460 729	25 774 399	25 365 355
00	LIVE ANIMALS OTHER THAN FISH, CRUSTACEANS, MOLLUSCS AND AQUATIC INVERTEBRATES OF DIVISION 03 -----	77 785	109 795	112 538	109 795	544 132	1 726 932	1 767 183	1 726 932
01	MEAT AND MEAT PREPARATIONS -----	575 854	179 979	192 430	180 066	6 478 265	2 321 981	2 486 939	2 322 137
02	DAIRY PRODUCTS AND BIRDS' EGGS-----	74 472	74 972	79 501	72 953	796 019	619 862	660 707	608 735
03	FISH (NOT MARINE MAMMALS), CRUSTACEANS, MOLLUSCS AND AQUATIC INVERTEBRATES, AND PREPARATIONS THEREOF --	191 327	557 809	586 897	563 877	3 298 059	6 741 081	7 100 775	6 737 313
04	CEREALS AND CEREAL PREPARATIONS -----	1 581 926	155 150	166 030	155 098	16 054 371	1 807 765	1 946 895	1 806 485
05	VEGETABLES AND FRUIT ----	638 317	553 654	632 282	554 830	7 697 319	6 581 406	7 580 423	6 538 380
06	SUGARS, SUGAR PREPARATIONS AND HONEY-----	48 194	82 442	88 694	82 414	596 586	1 378 917	1 512 961	1 346 174
07	COFFEE, TEA, COCOA, SPICES AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF --	83 229	422 739	442 710	422 256	890 619	4 856 131	5 048 574	4 852 634
08	FEEDING STUFF FOR ANIMALS (NOT INCLUDING UNMILLED CEREALS)-----	326 026	41 905	43 805	41 949	3 798 120	510 387	542 674	508 312
09	MISCELLANEOUS EDIBLE PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS -----	172 160	57 603	60 927	57 111	2 017 762	686 595	725 751	686 300
11	BEVERAGES -----	106 858	326 063	349 696	289 617	1 417 931	4 566 913	4 902 597	4 292 295
12	TOBACCO AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURES -----	574 926	100 752	105 100	52 262	6 668 137	738 750	771 122	718 630
21	HIDES, SKINS AND FURSKINS, RAW-----	128 865	16 848	17 237	16 848	1 776 639	200 160	205 409	200 112
22	OIL SEEDS AND OLEAGINOUS FRUITS-----	705 842	24 821	26 289	24 821	5 920 963	266 722	281 978	266 676
23	CRUDE RUBBER (INCLUDING SYNTHETIC AND RECLAIMED)-----	110 619	132 070	140 893	131 615	1 261 711	2 263 504	2 399 037	2 263 053
24	CORK AND WOOD -----	432 547	468 326	499 220	468 326	5 666 198	6 153 247	6 552 086	6 153 167
25	PULP AND WASTE PAPER ---	458 547	314 383	328 714	314 383	6 279 499	3 826 595	3 983 803	3 826 595
26	TEXTILE FIBERS (OTHER THAN WOOL TOPS AND OTHER COMBED WOOL) AND THEIR WASTES (NOT MANUFACTURED INTO YARN OR FABRIC)-----	638 821	58 509	61 336	58 921	5 403 223	885 797	928 749	894 955
27	CRUDE FERTILIZERS (IMPORTS ONLY), EXCEPT THOSE OF DIVISION 56, AND CRUDE MINERALS (EXCLUDING COAL, PETROLEUM AND PRECIOUS STONES)-----	120 748	86 293	106 122	86 151	1 577 020	1 173 563	1 454 945	1 152 807
28	METALLIFEROUS ORES AND METAL SCRAP -----	383 293	292 366	321 152	280 178	5 594 561	3 999 798	4 330 225	3 886 046

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29	CRUDE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE MATERIALS, N.E.S.-----	123 030	165 877	181 045	165 872	1 324 980	1 991 793	2 206 678	1 990 624
32	COAL, COKE AND BRIQUETTES-----	365 272	61 043	71 515	61 043	3 714 215	702 713	815 833	702 713
33	PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS AND RELATED MATERIALS-----	656 054	4 407 417	4 687 511	3 941 386	5 945 667	52 568 537	56 045 733	51 702 555
34	GAS, NATURAL AND MANUFACTURED-----	75 071	453 863	470 747	495 301	747 030	5 079 226	5 266 788	5 417 389
35	ELECTRIC CURRENT-----	6 751	56 127	56 127	56 127	46 649	855 698	855 698	855 698
41	ANIMAL OILS AND FATS-----	61 744	2 643	2 800	2 643	835 404	37 784	40 212	37 522
42	FIXED VEGETABLE FATS AND OILS, CRUDE, REFINED OR FRACTIONATED-----	89 653	84 385	88 739	78 829	1 525 204	1 170 566	1 239 887	1 144 883
43	ANIMAL OR VEGETABLE FATS AND OILS PROCESSED; WAXES AND INEDIBLE MIXTURES OR PREPARATIONS OF ANIMAL OR VEGETABLE FATS OR OILS, N.E.S.-----	26 794	12 255	13 037	12 255	183 703	161 154	171 494	160 054
51	ORGANIC CHEMICALS-----	1 339 551	1 006 277	1 042 742	958 502	16 395 356	13 325 196	13 866 740	13 301 067
52	INORGANIC CHEMICALS-----	430 190	342 102	368 325	352 253	4 581 261	4 655 226	5 017 343	4 727 198
53	DYEING, TANNING AND COLORING MATERIALS-----	190 273	159 104	163 927	158 076	2 621 308	2 079 878	2 149 063	2 066 775
54	MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS-----	550 820	498 407	503 205	500 032	6 553 981	5 543 710	5 605 343	5 623 042
55	ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS AND PERFUME MATERIALS; TOILET, POLISHING AND CLEANSING PREPARATIONS-----	301 052	176 120	182 034	159 539	3 943 008	2 309 458	2 391 271	2 105 609
56	FERTILIZERS (EXPORTS INCLUDE GROUP 272; IMPORTS EXCLUDE GROUP 272)-----	248 004	130 457	145 970	130 457	3 226 334	1 392 377	1 576 449	1 392 377
57	PLASTICS IN PRIMARY FORMS-----	863 031	317 014	330 333	313 559	10 756 246	4 331 463	4 519 801	4 320 732
58	PLASTICS IN NONPRIMARY FORMS-----	328 558	215 375	224 175	214 520	4 337 220	2 820 573	2 940 608	2 808 044
59	CHEMICAL MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS, N.E.S.-----	765 367	340 403	356 166	340 322	9 288 357	3 921 474	4 098 508	3 915 299
61	LEATHER, LEATHER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S., AND DRESSED FURSKINS-----	60 284	86 955	90 150	86 820	836 325	1 211 673	1 256 129	1 211 232
62	RUBBER MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.-----	284 429	378 022	396 829	368 758	3 554 309	5 149 449	5 415 039	5 002 661
63	CORK AND WOOD MANUFACTURES OTHER THAN FURNITURE-----	151 115	294 766	317 803	294 731	1 718 376	3 798 023	4 077 847	3 804 121
64	PAPER, PAPERBOARD, AND ARTICLES OF PAPER PULP, PAPER OR PAPER BOARD-----	740 049	1 022 396	1 065 749	1 023 512	9 674 735	12 471 911	13 031 426	12 465 761
65	TEXTILE YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP ARTICLES, N.E.S., AND RELATED PRODUCTS-----	576 929	704 079	735 853	696 551	7 372 030	9 985 351	10 440 697	9 909 860
66	NONMETALLIC MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S.-----	531 735	954 887	1 000 997	951 035	6 708 385	14 363 078	15 102 400	14 315 881
67	IRON AND STEEL-----	523 942	1 050 450	1 125 204	1 031 066	5 802 822	14 211 021	15 353 810	14 133 459
68	NONFERROUS METALS-----	562 215	1 086 931	1 105 589	1 060 098	7 514 165	14 523 628	14 800 661	14 340 821
69	MANUFACTURES OF METALS, N.E.S.-----	816 774	1 033 410	1 079 868	1 019 781	10 282 197	13 728 676	14 361 771	13 456 974
71	POWER GENERATING MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT-----	1 975 695	1 534 748	1 558 994	1 390 887	22 429 871	20 486 303	20 922 921	17 065 719
72	MACHINERY SPECIALIZED FOR PARTICULAR INDUSTRIES-----	2 236 616	1 422 745	1 461 446	1 397 975	24 285 978	18 989 570	19 532 001	18 891 861
73	METALWORKING MACHINERY-----	474 823	521 736	537 216	528 362	4 865 093	5 924 606	6 108 175	5 896 192
74	GENERAL INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT, N.E.S., AND MACHINE PARTS, N.E.S.-----	2 193 290	1 821 477	1 873 787	1 784 900	25 048 091	24 113 203	24 870 719	23 430 702
75	OFFICE MACHINES AND AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING MACHINES-----	4 518 554	6 115 913	6 215 049	6 122 998	41 947 095	62 824 254	63 962 696	62 673 959

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76	TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT -----	1 873 973	2 501 110	2 548 723	2 427 766	20 331 591	34 384 233	35 007 739	33 816 124
77	ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES, N.E.S., AND ELECTRICAL PARTS THEREOF (INCLUDING NONELECTRICAL COUNTERPARTS OF HOUSEHOLD TYPE, N.E.S.)---	5 717 425	6 393 370	6 482 557	6 331 929	65 638 406	75 169 464	76 408 190	74 586 006
78	ROAD VEHICLES (INCLUDING AIR-CUSHION VEHICLES) ---	4 006 388	8 431 027	8 576 739	8 322 309	49 221 785	100 254 221	102 639 870	104 984 520
79	TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT, N.E.S. -----	2 586 869	568 144	576 115	575 179	27 719 652	8 335 676	8 429 799	8 277 840
81	PREFABRICATED BUILDINGS; SANITARY, PLUMBING, HEATING AND LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS, N.E.S. -----	113 588	178 588	191 123	178 403	1 323 015	2 282 068	2 447 237	2 278 685
82	FURNITURE AND PARTS THEREOF; BEDDING, MATTRESSES, MATTRESS SUPPORTS, CUSHIONS AND SIMILAR STUFFED FURNISHINGS -----	254 940	666 698	709 124	668 852	3 305 714	8 339 185	8 887 392	8 332 512
83	TRAVEL GOODS, HANDBAGS AND SIMILAR CONTAINERS -----	23 025	205 879	218 051	199 310	286 283	3 410 604	3 629 623	3 332 520
84	ARTICLES OF APPAREL AND CLOTHING ACCESSORIES --	485 095	2 458 948	2 561 134	2 444 918	6 651 087	39 526 297	41 367 074	39 438 265
85	FOOTWEAR -----	69 929	839 331	876 523	831 763	790 922	12 105 541	12 702 719	12 095 267
87	PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, N.E.S. -----	1 766 812	940 761	957 361	908 173	19 371 788	11 572 361	11 807 472	11 153 172
88	PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES AND OPTICAL GOODS, N.E.S.;	434 223	758 452	775 708	743 294	5 200 089	10 164 205	10 415 412	10 009 141
89	WATCHES AND CLOCKS ----	2 492 542	2 763 662	2 886 113	2 750 621	28 515 301	36 466 990	38 200 692	36 332 487
93	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S. -----	406 125	1 668 397	1 694 790	1 650 290	4 695 083	18 024 001	18 335 600	17 930 339
95	SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES NOT CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO KIND -----	2 072	13 595	13 633	13 595	65 698	122 205	122 685	122 205
96	COIN, INCLUDING GOLD COIN; PROOF AND PRESENTATION SETS AND CURRENT COIN -----	582	1 078	1 086	1 078	8 256	5 309	5 379	5 308
97	COIN (OTHER THAN GOLD COIN), NOT BEING LEGAL TENDER -----	229 994	177 843	177 952	177 735	5 098 440	2 152 690	2 154 212	2 150 980
98	GOLD, NONMONETARY (EXCLUDING GOLD ORES AND CONCENTRATES) -----	-	445 855	445 855	445 855	-	5 156 523	5 156 523	5 156 523
99	ESTIMATE OF ITEMS VALUED UNDER \$251 AND OF OTHER LOW VALUED ITEMS NONEXEMPT FROM FORMAL ENTRY -----	1 143 528	-	-	-	13 004 885	-	-	-
001	ESTIMATE OF NON-CANADIAN LOW VALUE SHIPMENTS; COMPILED LOW VALUE SHIPMENTS TO CANADA; AND VARIOUS SHIPMENTS NOT IDENTIFIED BY KIND -----	77 785	109 795	112 538	109 795	544 132	1 726 932	1 767 183	1 726 932
011	LIVE ANIMALS OTHER THAN ANIMALS OF DIVISION 03 --- MEAT OF BOVINE ANIMALS, FRESH, CHILLED OR FROZEN -----	211 196	86 628	94 857	87 007	2 596 576	1 211 694	1 327 288	1 214 279

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012	MEAT, OTHER THAN OF BOVINE ANIMALS, AND EDIBLE OFFAL, FRESH, CHILLED OR FROZEN (EXCEPT MEAT AND MEAT OFFAL NOT SUITABLE FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION) ----	316 763	49 086	51 764	49 086	3 398 646	580 334	609 440	579 257
016	MEAT AND EDIBLE MEAT OFFAL, SALTED, IN BRINE, DRIED OR SMOKED; EDIBLE FLOURS AND MEALS OF MEAT OR MEAT OFFAL ----	7 813	6 101	6 277	6 101	95 912	63 977	65 838	63 933
017	MEAT AND EDIBLE MEAT OFFAL, PREPARED OR PRESERVED N.E.S. -----	40 083	38 165	39 532	37 872	387 131	465 977	484 374	464 668
022	MILK AND CREAM AND MILK PRODUCTS OTHER THAN BUTTER OR CHEESE -----	47 119	5 425	5 723	4 843	467 048	46 433	49 441	37 734
023	BUTTER AND OTHER FATS AND OILS DERIVED FROM MILK -----	762	137	149	137	63 180	2 610	2 907	1 382
024	CHEESE AND CURD -----	10 856	67 783	71 949	66 347	101 386	550 363	586 850	549 166
025	BIRDS' EGGS AND EGG YOLKS, FRESH, DRIED OR OTHERWISE PRESERVED, SWEETENED OR NOT; EGG ALBUMIN -----	15 736	1 626	1 679	1 626	164 405	20 455	21 509	20 454
034	FISH, FRESH (LIVE OR DEAD), CHILLED OR FROZEN -----	74 227	160 908	176 972	161 093	2 078 142	2 249 522	2 457 786	2 249 462
035	FISH, DRIED, SLTD R IN BRINE; SMKD FISH (WHETHR R NT COOKD BEFORE OR DURNG THE SMOKNG PROCESS); FLOURS, MEALS N PELLETS R FISH, FIT F HUMAN CONSUMPTN -----	4 367	11 573	12 075	11 573	104 404	132 076	137 284	131 860
036	CRUSTACEANS MOLLUSCS,AQUTC INVTRBRTS FRSH (LVE/ DEAD) CH SLTD ETC.; CRUSTACEANS IN SHLL CKD BY STM R BLNG WTR WH R NT CH FZ DRD FLR MLS PLLTS HUM CNSMP ----	86 234	314 216	324 330	314 216	790 158	3 423 911	3 535 397	3 422 129
037	FISH, CRUSTACEANS, MOLLUSCS AND OTHER AQUATIC INVERTEBRATES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED, N.E.S. -----	26 499	71 112	73 520	76 995	325 355	935 572	970 307	933 863
041	WHEAT (INCLUDING SPELT) AND MESLIN, UNMILLED ----	536 709	15 342	15 657	15 342	5 457 780	237 971	250 750	237 971
042	RICE -----	93 917	12 785	14 953	12 785	996 528	121 092	141 220	121 092
043	BARLEY, UNMILLED -----	37 714	16 605	17 234	16 605	178 142	122 961	132 527	122 961
044	MAIZE (NOT INCLUDING SWEET CORN) UNMILLED ---	697 013	7 932	8 434	7 932	7 534 947	65 924	70 759	65 924
045	CEREALS, UNMILLED (OTHER THAN WHEAT, RICE, BARLEY AND MAIZE) -----	112 171	15 450	16 824	15 450	718 280	176 354	195 082	176 354
046	MEAL AND FLOUR OF WHEAT AND FLOUR OF MESLIN -----	20 754	3 338	3 514	3 338	241 048	47 032	49 542	47 032
047	CEREAL MEALS AND FLOURS, N.E.S. -----	8 475	1 908	2 037	1 908	90 746	17 773	18 968	17 773
048	CEREAL PREPARATIONS AND PREPARATIONS OF FLOUR OR STARCH OF FRUITS OR VEGETABLES ---	75 173	81 791	87 376	81 739	836 899	1 018 657	1 088 049	1 017 378
054	VEGETABLES, FRESH, CHILLED, FROZEN OR SIMPLY PRESERVED; ROOTS, TUBERS AND OTHER EDIBLE VEGETABLE PRODUCTS, N.E.S., FRESH OR DRIED -----	138 654	170 825	193 769	170 690	1 629 377	1 759 254	1 978 612	1 754 930
056	VEGETABLES, ROOTS AND TUBERS, PREPARED OR PRESERVED, N.E.S. -----	86 824	65 560	71 441	66 129	1 044 671	874 973	952 211	870 565
057	FRUIT AND NUTS (NOT INCLUDING OIL NUTS), FRESH OR DRIED -----	319 923	211 666	251 903	211 819	3 871 086	2 686 082	3 263 497	2 678 450

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058	FRUIT PRESERVED, AND FRUIT PREPARATIONS (EXCLUDING FRUIT JUICES)-----	35 093	48 509	54 023	48 560	445 462	604 103	678 023	599 800
059	FRUIT JUICES (INCL. GRAPE MUST) AND VEGETABLE JUICES, UNFERMENTED AND NOT CONTAINING ADDED SPIRIT, WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING ADDED SWEETENING MATTER-----	57 823	57 095	61 145	57 632	706 723	656 995	708 079	634 636
061	SUGARS, MOLASSES, AND HONEY-----	29 276	51 462	56 220	51 441	368 320	917 513	1 028 491	884 848
062	SUGAR CONFECTIONERY-----	18 918	30 980	32 475	30 973	228 266	461 405	484 470	461 326
071	COFFEE AND COFFEE SUBSTITUTES-----	42 695	255 325	263 843	255 319	404 613	3 268 086	3 356 841	3 267 830
072	COCOA-----	5 074	90 141	96 874	90 130	85 518	722 865	775 439	722 787
073	CHOCOLATE AND OTHER FOOD PREPARATIONS CONTAINING COCOA, N.E.S.-----	29 869	39 743	41 541	39 306	320 010	387 939	402 970	382 721
074	TEA AND MATE-----	2 104	12 841	13 787	12 841	34 258	156 881	169 983	158 980
075	SPICES-----	3 487	24 689	26 666	24 660	46 220	320 360	343 341	320 316
081	FEEDING STUFF FOR ANIMALS (NOT INCLUDING UNMILLED CEREALS)-----	326 026	41 905	43 805	41 949	3 798 120	510 387	542 674	508 312
091	MARGARINE AND SHORTENING-----	6 123	699	725	675	61 986	4 864	5 055	4 768
098	EDIBLE PRODUCTS AND PREPARATIONS, N.E.S.-----	166 037	56 905	60 203	56 436	1 955 776	681 731	720 696	681 532
111	NONALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, N.E.S.-----	15 503	20 833	23 685	20 787	334 218	354 643	404 468	353 443
112	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES-----	91 355	305 230	326 011	268 829	1 083 713	4 212 269	4 498 130	3 938 852
121	TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED; TOBACCO REFUSE-----	141 019	83 261	87 068	37 995	1 404 297	554 658	581 546	550 136
122	TOBACCO, MANUFACTURED (WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING TOBACCO SUBSTITUTES)-----	433 907	17 491	18 032	14 267	5 263 840	184 092	189 576	168 494
211	HIDES AND SKINS (EXCEPT FURSKINS), RAW-----	122 140	8 654	8 981	8 654	1 644 204	141 083	145 619	141 035
212	FURSKINS, RAW (INCLUDING FURSKIN HEADS, TAILS AND OTHER PIECES OR CUTTINGS, SUITABLE FOR FURRIERS' USE)-----	6 725	8 195	8 256	8 195	132 435	59 077	59 789	59 077
222	OIL SEEDS AND OLEAGINOUS FRUITS USED FOR THE EXTRACTION OF SOFT FIXED VEGETABLE OILS (EXCLUDING FLOURS AND MEALS)-----	703 991	17 893	18 855	17 893	5 884 790	197 508	208 133	197 462
223	OIL SEEDS AND OLEAGINOUS FRUITS, WHOLE OR BROKEN, OF A KIND USED FOR EXTRACTING OTHER FIXED VEGETABLE OILS (INCLUDING THEIR FLOURS AND MEALS, N.E.S.)-----	1 850	6 928	7 433	6 928	36 174	69 214	73 844	69 214
231	NATURAL RUBBER, BALATA, GUTTA-PERCHA, GUAYULE, CHICLE AND SIMILAR NATURAL GUMS, IN PRIMARY FORMS (INCLUDING LATEX) OR IN PLATES, SHEETS OR STRIP-----	4 547	94 237	100 750	94 237	60 770	1 629 275	1 728 439	1 629 268
232	SYNTHETIC RUBBER; RECLAIMED RUBBER; WASTE, PAIRINGS AND SCRAP OF UNHARDENED RUBBER-----	106 073	37 834	40 143	37 379	1 200 942	634 230	670 598	633 785
244	CORK, NATURAL, RAW AND WASTE (INCLUDING NATURAL CORK IN BLOCKS OR SHEETS)-----	33	392	460	392	1 627	3 165	3 721	3 159
245	FUEL WOOD (EXCLUDING WOOD WASTE) AND WOOD CHARCOAL-----	646	2 125	2 183	2 125	12 596	15 611	17 249	15 611

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246	WOOD IN CHIPS OR PARTICLES AND WOOD WASTE-----	59 184	9 865	12 442	9 865	563 046	74 825	101 347	74 825
247	WOOD IN THE ROUGH OR ROUGHLY SQUARED-----	172 970	12 630	13 137	12 630	2 450 674	118 830	127 435	118 830
248	WOOD, SIMPLY WORKED AND RAILWAY SLEEPERS OF WOOD-----	199 715	443 314	470 997	443 314	2 638 255	5 940 816	6 302 334	5 940 741
251	PULP AND WASTE PAPER---	458 547	314 383	328 714	314 383	6 279 499	3 826 595	3 983 803	3 826 595
261	SILK TEXTILE FIBERS---	55	575	594	575	736	4 582	4 787	4 582
263	COTTON TEXTILE FIBERS---	498 564	1 723	1 794	1 723	3 765 358	34 315	35 772	34 267
264	JUTE AND OTHER TEXTILE BAST FIBERS, N.E.S., RAW OR PROCESSED BUT NOT SPUN; TOW AND WASTE OF THESE FIBRES (INCLUDING YARN WASTE AND GARNETTED STOCK)-----	174	331	425	331	1 112	3 174	3 894	3 174
265	VEGETABLE TEXTILE FIBERS (OTHER THAN COTTON AND JUTE), RAW OR PROCESSED BUT NOT SPUN; WASTE OF THESE FIBERS-----	75	2 775	2 990	2 775	1 688	40 431	43 958	40 431
266	SYNTHETIC FIBERS SUITABLE FOR SPINNING---	37 696	38 890	40 674	38 582	502 890	499 779	523 629	499 583
267	MANMADE FIBERS, N.E.S. SUITABLE FOR SPINNING AND WASTE OF MANMADE FIBERS-----	60 961	2 479	2 661	2 479	692 018	49 674	53 021	49 659
268	WOOL AND OTHER ANIMAL HAIR (INCLUDING WOOL TOPS)-----	7 335	10 353	10 716	11 073	98 876	237 583	246 031	247 000
269	WORN CLOTHING AND OTHER WORN TEXTILE ARTICLES; RAGS-----	33 962	1 384	1 481	1 384	340 543	16 258	17 658	16 258
272	FERTILIZER, CRUDE, EXCEPT THOSE OF DIVISION 56, (IMPORTS ONLY)---	-	3 745	4 289	3 745	-	50 464	60 246	49 896
273	STONE, SAND AND GRAVEL---	22 809	10 751	18 133	10 751	250 259	153 468	243 372	153 468
274	SULFUR AND UNROASTED IRON PYRITES-----	3 380	6 901	9 344	6 901	60 065	99 975	128 847	99 975
277	NATURAL ABRASIVES, N.E.S. (INCLUDING INDUSTRIAL DIAMONDS)-----	14 072	10 679	11 065	10 679	166 694	135 561	138 956	135 587
278	CRUDE MINERALS, N.E.S.---	80 487	54 218	63 291	54 076	1 100 002	734 095	883 524	713 881
281	IRON ORE AND CONCENTRATES-----	17 542	47 593	55 545	47 593	184 620	486 338	567 198	486 338
282	FERROUS WASTE AND SCRAP; REMELTING INGOTS OF IRON OR STEEL-----	128 104	22 140	23 441	22 602	1 699 832	279 947	295 957	287 518
283	COPPER ORES AND CONCENTRATES; COPPER MATTES; CEMENT COPPER---	21 510	322	336	322	497 855	137 757	143 470	127 602
284	NICKEL ORES AND CONCENTRATES; NICKEL MATTES, NICKEL OXIDE SINTERS AND OTHER INTERMEDIATE PRODUCTS OF NICKEL METALLURGY---	1 069	1 635	2 183	1 635	12 130	20 334	26 686	20 334
285	ALUMINUM ORES AND CONCENTRATES (INCLUDING ALUMINA)-----	36 109	84 799	97 469	82 417	343 944	1 120 031	1 266 159	1 100 060
286	ORES AND CONCENTRATES OF URANIUM OR THORIUM---	-	-	-	-	-	2 708	2 762	2 708
287	ORES AND CONCENTRATES OF BASE METALS, N.E.S.---	37 250	40 081	43 840	29 844	888 257	517 145	553 255	425 803
288	NONFERROUS BASE METAL WASTE AND SCRAP, N.E.S.---	107 194	79 586	82 043	79 586	1 569 347	1 224 050	1 260 595	1 224 084
289	ORES AND CONCENTRATES OF PRECIOUS METALS; WASTE, SCRAP AND SWEEPINGS OF PRECIOUS METALS (OTHER THAN GOLD)-----	34 516	16 211	16 294	16 180	398 577	211 488	214 144	211 598
291	CRUDE ANIMAL MATERIALS, N.E.S.---	33 606	26 752	28 137	26 747	409 180	335 349	355 966	334 199
292	CRUDE VEGETABLE MATERIALS, N.E.S.---	89 424	139 125	152 908	139 125	915 799	1 656 444	1 850 713	1 656 425
321	COAL, PULVERIZED OR NOT, BUT NOT AGGLOMERATED---	352 958	25 578	31 831	25 578	3 569 032	245 085	301 581	245 085
322	BRIQUETTES, LIGNITE AND PEAT-----	375	7 739	8 461	7 739	8 214	124 465	135 800	124 465

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325	COKE AND SEMICOKE (INCLUDING CHAR) OF COAL, OF LIGNITE OR OF PEAT, AGGLOMERATED OR NOT; RETORT CARBON -----	11 938	27 726	31 223	27 726	136 969	333 163	378 452	333 163
333	PETROLEUM OILS AND OILS FROM BITUMINOUS MINERALS, CRUDE -----	10	3 599 017	3 822 191	3 078 226	5 041	42 798 980	45 481 859	42 077 059
334	PETROLEUM OILS AND OILS FROM BITUMINOUS MINERALS (OTHER THAN CRUDE), AND PRODUCTS THEREFROM CONTAINING 70% (BY WT) OR MORE OF THESE OILS, N.E.S. -----	498 427	777 469	829 503	771 031	4 261 129	9 388 660	10 123 359	8 973 842
335	RESIDUAL PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, N.E.S. AND RELATED MATERIALS -----	157 617	30 931	35 817	92 129	1 679 497	380 896	440 515	651 653
342	LIQUEFIED PROPANE AND BUTANE -----	30 427	87 931	95 224	99 184	316 133	851 583	925 958	936 246
343	NATURAL GAS, WHETHER OR NOT LIQUEFIED -----	20 996	288 686	289 467	288 686	266 049	3 274 659	3 277 863	3 274 659
344	PETROLEUM GASES AND OTHER GASEOUS HYDROCARBONS, N.E.S. -----	23 616	77 245	86 057	107 431	164 418	952 984	1 062 966	1 206 484
345	COAL GAS, WATER GAS, PRODUCER GAS AND SIMILAR GASES, OTHER THAN PETROLEUM GASES AND OTHER GASEOUS HYDROCARBONS -----	32	-	-	-	429	-	-	-
351	ELECTRIC CURRENT -----	6 751	56 127	56 127	56 127	46 649	855 698	855 698	855 698
411	ANIMAL OILS AND FATS -----	61 744	2 643	2 800	2 643	835 404	37 784	40 212	37 522
421	FIXED VEGETABLE FATS AND OILS, SOFT, CRUDE, REFINED OR FRACTIONATED -----	85 255	60 709	62 963	55 152	1 482 181	667 937	695 718	642 951
422	FIXED VEGETABLE FATS AND OILS (OTHER THAN SOFT), CRUDE, REFINED OR FRACTIONATED -----	4 397	23 676	25 775	23 676	43 024	502 629	544 169	501 932
431	ANIMAL OR VEGETABLE FATS AND OILS PROCESSED; WAXES AND INEDIBLE MIXTURES OR PREPARATIONS OF ANIMAL OR VEGETABLE FATS OR OILS, N.E.S. -----	26 794	12 255	13 037	12 255	183 703	161 154	171 494	160 054
511	HYDROCARBONS, N.E.S. AND THEIR HALOGENATED, SULFONATED, NITRATED OR NITROSATED DERIVATIVES -----	295 601	106 846	112 211	113 197	3 726 632	1 382 414	1 479 794	1 501 686
512	ALCOHOLS, PHENOLS, PHENOL-ALCOHOLS AND THEIR HALOGENATED, SULFONATED, NITRATED OR NITROSATED DERIVATIVES -----	177 937	69 519	76 199	70 743	2 096 736	1 412 083	1 547 707	1 405 786
513	CARBOXYLIC ACIDS AND ANHYDRIDES, HALIDES, PEROXIDES AND PEROXYACIDS; THEIR HALOGENATED, SULFONATED, NITRATED OR NITROSATED DERIVATIVES -----	215 915	124 666	129 876	124 802	2 721 293	1 647 293	1 723 841	1 668 358
514	NITROGEN-FUNCTION COMPOUNDS -----	229 982	188 580	192 321	168 505	3 080 909	2 335 371	2 389 642	2 241 115
515	ORGANO-INORGANIC COMPOUNDS, HETEROCYCLIC COMPOUNDS, NUCLEIC ACIDS AND THEIR SALTS -----	278 392	366 972	371 967	332 113	3 040 419	4 665 740	4 734 094	4 615 409
516	ORGANIC CHEMICALS, N.E.S. -----	141 723	149 695	160 168	149 142	1 729 368	1 882 295	1 991 662	1 868 714
522	INORGANIC CHEMICAL ELEMENTS, OXIDES AND HALOGEN SALTS -----	150 405	175 647	194 889	186 062	1 723 254	2 305 184	2 574 209	2 378 408
523	METALLIC SALTS AND PEROXYSALTS OF INORGANIC ACIDS -----	128 964	58 298	62 968	58 208	1 474 121	744 535	809 239	743 633

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524	INORGANIC CHEMICALS, N.E.S.; ORGANIC AND INORGANIC COMPOUNDS OF PRECIOUS METALS -----	26 601	31 300	33 004	31 126	343 370	367 267	384 094	366 141
525	RADIOACTIVE AND ASSOCIATED MATERIALS --	124 219	76 857	77 464	76 857	1 040 517	1 238 240	1 249 801	1 239 015
531	SYNTHETIC ORGANIC COLORING MATTER AND COLOR LAKES AND PREPARATIONS BASED THEREON -----	36 428	64 206	65 701	63 140	537 008	912 503	935 735	899 504
532	DYEING AND TANNING EXTRACTS, AND SYNTHETIC TANNING MATERIALS -----	1 723	3 727	3 922	3 727	31 934	55 411	58 575	55 348
533	PIGMENTS, PAINTS, VARNISHES AND RELATED MATERIALS -----	152 122	91 171	94 303	91 209	2 052 367	1 111 963	1 154 753	1 111 923
541	MEDICINAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS, OTHER THAN MEDICAMENTS (OF GROUP 542) -----	357 325	234 185	236 974	238 462	4 258 806	2 740 769	2 774 556	2 760 285
542	MEDICAMENTS (INCLUDING VETERINARY MEDICAMENTS) -----	193 495	264 222	266 232	261 570	2 295 175	2 802 941	2 830 787	2 862 757
551	ESSENTIAL OILS, PERFUME AND FLAVOR MATERIALS --	57 238	36 934	38 062	37 443	795 345	457 594	470 862	463 866
553	PERFUMERY, COSMETICS, OR TOILET PREPARATIONS, EXCLUDING SOAPS -----	152 451	105 114	108 374	88 047	1 970 176	1 377 267	1 425 140	1 167 556
554	SOAP, CLEANSING AND POLISHING PREPARATIONS -----	91 364	34 072	35 598	34 049	1 177 487	474 597	495 270	474 187
562	FERTILIZERS (EXPORTS INCLUDE GROUP 272; IMPORTS EXCLUDE GROUP 272) -----	248 004	130 457	145 970	130 457	3 226 334	1 392 377	1 576 449	1 392 377
571	POLYMERS OF ETHYLENE, IN PRIMARY FORMS -----	163 402	79 054	81 746	79 054	1 996 103	1 195 560	1 233 518	1 192 266
572	POLYMERS OF STYRENE, IN PRIMARY FORMS -----	57 747	22 757	23 634	22 757	793 182	350 944	367 454	350 888
573	POLYMERS OF VINYL CHLORIDE OR OTHER HALOGENATED OLEFINS, IN PRIMARY FORMS -----	83 328	31 550	32 982	31 550	1 069 289	395 940	415 162	395 950
574	POLYACETALS, OTHER POLYETHERS AND EPOXIDE RESINS, IN PRIMARY FORMS; POLYCARBONATES, ALKYD RESINS AND OTHER POLYESTERS, IN PRIMARY FORMS -----	196 094	47 361	49 124	46 937	2 184 803	652 029	679 489	650 859
575	PLASTICS, N.E.S., IN PRIMARY FORMS -----	350 756	126 994	132 378	123 963	4 494 130	1 616 037	1 688 744	1 609 795
579	WASTE, PARINGS AND SCRAP, OF PLASTICS -----	11 703	9 298	10 471	9 298	218 738	120 952	135 435	120 975
581	TUBES, PIPES AND HOSES OF PLASTICS -----	41 971	29 284	30 584	29 239	541 550	396 890	412 849	393 118
582	PLATES, SHEETS, FILM, FOIL AND STRIP OF PLASTICS -----	279 864	176 811	184 060	176 021	3 702 038	2 279 593	2 379 958	2 270 867
583	MONOFILAMENT WITH A CROSS-SECTIONAL DIMENSION EXCEEDING 1 MM, RODS, STICKS AND PROFILE SHAPES OF PLASTICS, NOT MORE THAN SURFACE-WORKED -----	6 723	9 280	9 531	9 261	93 632	144 091	147 801	144 059
591	INSECTICIDES, FUNGICIDES, HERBICIDES, PLANT GROWTH REGULATORS, ETC., DISINFECTANTS AND SIMILAR PRODUCTS, PUT UP OR PACKED FOR RETAIL SALE, ETC. -----	87 887	29 846	30 548	29 583	1 320 296	341 744	350 396	356 335
592	STARCHES, INULIN AND WHEAT GLUTEN; ALBUMINOIDAL SUBSTANCES; GLUES -----	60 185	76 894	81 246	77 229	801 279	910 174	961 917	909 499
593	EXPLOSIVES AND PYROTECHNIC PRODUCTS..	21 627	19 130	21 499	19 130	235 388	171 734	190 878	171 896

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597	PREPARED ADDITIVES FOR MINERAL OILS ETC.; LIQUIDS FOR HYDRAULIC TRANSMISSIONS; ANTIFREEZES AND DEICING FLUIDS; LUBRICATING PREPARATIONS -----	129 262	21 127	22 268	21 237	1 664 933	261 713	274 390	257 661
598	MISCELLANEOUS CHEMICAL PRODUCTS, N.E.S. -----	466 406	193 405	200 605	193 144	5 266 460	2 236 109	2 320 927	2 219 909
611	LEATHER -----	51 513	65 610	67 791	65 472	709 184	954 386	986 458	953 992
612	MANUFACTURES OF LEATHER OR COMPOSITION LEATHER, N.E.S.; SADDLERY AND HARNESS... FURSKINS, TANNED OR DRESSED (INCLUDING PIECES OR CUTTINGS), ASSEMBLED OR UNASSEMBLED WITHOUT THE ADDITION OF OTHER MATERIALS, OTHER THAN APPAREL, ETC. -----	7 114	18 633	19 521	18 637	95 180	229 173	240 195	229 116
613	MATERIALS OF RUBBER, INCLUDING PASTES, PLATES, SHEETS, RODS, THREAD, TUBES, ETC. -----	1 656	2 711	2 838	2 711	31 960	28 114	29 475	28 124
621	RUBBER TIRES, INTERCHANGEABLE TIRE TREADS, TIRE FLAPS AND INNER TUBES FOR WHEELS OF ALL KINDS -----	59 366	44 721	46 438	42 273	735 803	588 235	610 567	542 774
625	ARTICLES OF RUBBER, N.E.S. -----	154 718	229 101	242 307	228 362	1 901 039	3 144 002	3 328 453	3 137 403
629	CORK MANUFACTURES -----	70 345	104 200	108 084	98 123	917 468	1 417 212	1 476 019	1 322 485
633	veneers, PLYWOOD, PARTICLE BOARD, AND OTHER WOOD, WORKED, N.E.S. -----	3 562	9 802	10 097	9 802	50 232	111 321	115 801	111 319
634	WOOD MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. -----	100 169	174 227	190 056	173 812	1 055 851	2 002 821	2 178 430	2 003 952
635	PAPER AND PAPERBOARD --	47 384	110 736	117 650	111 117	612 292	1 683 880	1 783 617	1 688 850
641	PAPER AND PAPERBOARD, CUT TO SIZE OR SHAPE, AND ARTICLES OF PAPER OR PAPERBOARD -----	501 965	869 540	906 358	870 220	6 731 328	10 577 450	11 053 666	10 576 877
642	TEXTILE YARN -----	238 084	152 856	159 391	153 292	2 943 407	1 894 461	1 977 760	1 888 883
651	COTTON FABRICS, WOVEN (NOT INCLUDING NARROW OR SPECIAL FABRICS) -----	127 731	105 676	109 449	105 003	1 530 345	1 410 292	1 461 382	1 407 402
652	WOVEN FABRICS OF MANMADE TEXTILE MATERIALS (NOT INCLUDING NARROW OR SPECIAL FABRICS) -----	61 422	113 724	118 444	110 210	833 695	1 632 864	1 700 639	1 612 813
653	WOVEN FABRICS OF TEXTILE MATERIALS, OTHER THAN COTTON OR MANMADE FIBERS AND NARROW OR SPECIAL FABRICS -----	68 397	96 671	101 469	95 148	951 789	1 259 710	1 321 006	1 223 736
654	KNITTED OR CROCHETED FABRICS (INCLUDING TUBULAR KNIT FABRICS, N.E.S., PILE FABRICS AND OPEN-WORK FABRICS), N.E.S. -----	20 525	47 852	50 044	46 939	257 924	695 558	725 721	689 825
655	TULLES, LACE, EMBROIDERY, RIBBONS, TRIMMINGS AND OTHER SMALL WARES -----	32 443	22 965	24 053	22 987	440 578	335 544	351 906	334 395
656	SPECIAL YARNS, SPECIAL TEXTILE FABRICS AND RELATED PRODUCTS -----	25 459	21 326	22 474	21 321	335 897	317 924	334 753	317 363
657	MADE-UP ARTICLES, WHOLLY OR CHIEFLY OF TEXTILE MATERIALS, N.E.S. -----	133 365	82 633	86 121	81 888	1 748 171	1 045 297	1 094 218	1 039 899
658	FLOOR COVERINGS, ETC. ---	47 353	151 593	158 863	151 739	538 117	2 419 395	2 536 010	2 417 866
659	LIME, CEMENT, AND FABRICATED CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS, EXCEPT GLASS AND CLAY MATERIALS -----	60 234	61 639	64 936	61 315	735 516	868 769	915 061	866 562
661		13 176	72 051	83 244	72 056	178 101	1 136 185	1 342 660	1 136 216

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662	CLAY CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS AND REFRACTORY CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS -----	34 585	51 614	59 647	51 924	393 651	734 564	851 396	733 378
663	MINERAL MANUFACTURES, N.E.S. -----	95 631	106 285	111 867	106 157	1 236 461	1 358 814	1 448 404	1 352 782
664	GLASS -----	123 558	104 687	109 259	103 560	1 652 831	1 466 811	1 543 761	1 446 000
665	GLASSWARE -----	56 917	95 618	101 188	94 026	657 564	1 334 918	1 418 500	1 324 269
666	POTTERY -----	9 012	108 636	118 473	107 315	118 771	1 666 110	1 810 731	1 657 560
667	PEARLS, PRECIOUS AND SEMIPRECIOUS STONES, UNWORKED OR WORKED ---	198 858	415 996	417 318	415 996	2 471 006	6 665 676	6 686 949	6 665 675
671	PIG IRON AND SPIEGELEISEN, SPONGE IRON, IRON OR STEEL GRANULES AND POWDERS AND FERROALLOYS -----	18 199	177 507	190 303	173 340	236 489	1 915 514	2 060 062	1 906 587
672	IRON OR STEEL INGOTS AND OTHER PRIMARY FORMS, AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF IRON OR STEEL -----	15 563	115 867	124 809	115 867	238 796	1 568 441	1 752 692	1 574 468
673	IRON OR NONALLOY STEEL FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS, NOT CLAD, PLATED OR COATED -----	153 146	147 939	160 856	138 369	1 432 651	2 591 211	2 854 825	2 564 117
674	IRON AND NONALLOY STEEL FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS, CLAD, PLATED OR COATED ---	64 749	58 693	62 168	57 540	536 218	1 248 491	1 330 410	1 237 421
675	ALLOY STEEL FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS -----	37 592	162 714	170 683	161 466	534 393	1 847 245	1 936 086	1 823 298
676	IRON AND STEEL BARS, RODS, ANGLES, SHAPES AND SECTIONS, INCLUDING SHEET PILING -----	60 610	189 653	205 797	188 608	837 106	2 320 711	2 509 631	2 317 434
677	IRON AND STEEL RAILS AND RAILWAY TRACK CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL ---	3 236	15 097	17 043	15 097	45 330	165 359	182 198	164 906
678	IRON AND STEEL WIRE -----	12 596	41 011	43 512	41 142	175 975	563 239	601 116	563 033
679	IRON AND STEEL TUBES, PIPES AND HOLLOW PROFILES, FITTINGS FOR TUBES AND PIPES -----	158 252	141 969	150 033	139 637	1 765 865	1 990 811	2 126 788	1 982 194
681	SILVER, PLATINUM AND OTHER PLATINUM GROUP METALS -----	69 109	183 000	183 361	183 000	1 144 308	2 272 839	2 280 646	2 273 053
682	COPPER -----	117 057	268 195	273 233	240 349	1 743 837	2 983 458	3 057 100	2 787 516
683	NICKEL -----	29 102	92 733	93 734	92 581	291 698	1 196 181	1 208 676	1 192 508
684	ALUMINUM -----	297 526	363 668	371 859	364 545	3 814 135	5 818 749	5 947 763	5 827 492
685	LEAD -----	5 206	15 291	15 717	15 291	48 173	181 952	186 931	181 952
686	ZINC -----	5 426	64 524	66 557	64 524	62 496	923 615	950 990	931 909
687	TIN -----	8 325	21 695	22 106	21 820	81 880	273 583	279 563	273 013
689	MISCELLANEOUS NONFERROUS BASE METALS EMPLOYED IN METALLURGY AND CERMETS -----	30 465	77 826	79 023	77 988	327 637	873 251	888 991	873 378
691	METAL STRUCTURES AND PARTS, N.E.S., OF IRON, STEEL OR ALUMINUM -----	52 407	26 954	27 727	26 954	587 673	388 433	402 879	386 659
692	METAL CONTAINERS FOR STORAGE OR TRANSPORT ---	62 915	26 914	28 285	26 907	806 988	380 213	400 115	379 787
693	WIRE PRODUCTS (EXCLUDING INSULATED ELECTRICAL WIRING) AND FENCING GRILLS -----	25 251	56 192	58 862	55 920	332 331	686 645	724 858	678 846
694	NAILS, SCREWS, NUTS, BOLTS, RIVETS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES, OF IRON, STEEL, COPPER OR ALUMINUM -----	90 818	163 409	172 496	161 869	1 130 212	2 209 493	2 342 977	2 168 564
695	TOOLS FOR USE IN THE HAND OR IN MACHINES -----	150 500	174 556	180 982	174 316	1 806 605	2 383 038	2 463 865	2 386 192
696	CUTLERY -----	25 320	52 647	54 613	52 578	352 095	712 884	738 315	708 568
697	HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT OF BASE METAL, N.E.S. -----	37 649	140 312	148 752	140 220	526 581	1 939 901	2 054 128	1 937 457
699	MANUFACTURES OF BASE METAL, N.E.S. -----	371 915	392 427	408 151	381 018	4 739 712	5 028 070	5 234 635	4 810 901

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711	STEAM OR OTHER VAPOR GENERATING BOILERS, SUPER-HEATED WATER BOILERS AND AUXILIARY PLANT FOR USE THEREWITH; AND PARTS THEREOF -----	38 283	76 454	77 251	76 436	511 137	169 114	172 066	168 987
712	STEAM TURBINES AND OTHER VAPOR TURBINES, AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	47 333	9 876	10 145	9 876	737 175	137 099	140 523	136 831
713	INTERNAL COMBUSTION PISTON ENGINES AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	684 023	745 739	759 323	609 567	8 833 323	11 153 806	11 436 870	7 829 254
714	ENGINES AND MOTORS, NONELECTRIC (OTHER THAN STEAM TURBINES, INTERNAL COMBUSTION PISTON ENGINES AND POWER GENERATING MACHINERY); PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	865 054	411 934	414 192	411 136	8 648 898	5 161 427	5 213 022	5 157 237
716	ROTATING ELECTRIC PLANT AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	283 991	240 681	246 531	236 040	3 077 045	3 322 731	3 401 794	3 258 513
718	POWER GENERATING MACHINERY AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	57 012	50 065	51 552	47 831	622 294	542 126	558 646	514 898
721	AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY (EXCLUDING TRACTORS) AND PARTS THEREOF -----	193 319	63 272	65 076	63 272	2 125 233	914 607	940 096	914 607
722	TRACTORS (OTHER THAN MECHANICAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT) -----	110 118	112 076	114 721	112 076	1 354 407	1 939 285	1 985 345	1 938 746
723	CIVIL ENGINEERING AND CONTRACTORS' PLANT AND EQUIPMENT -----	595 644	251 030	261 231	226 139	7 467 930	3 623 798	3 778 837	3 557 845
724	TEXTILE AND LEATHER MACHINERY, AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	99 115	203 102	208 543	201 823	1 272 190	2 650 745	2 715 435	2 621 557
725	PAPER MILL AND PULP MILL MACHINERY, PAPER CUTTING MACHINES AND MACHINERY FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF PAPER ARTICLES; PARTS THEREOF -----	84 738	80 720	82 215	81 114	821 235	893 351	913 579	896 738
726	PRINTING AND BOOKBINDING MACHINERY, AND PARTS THEREOF -----	154 845	177 034	179 971	179 246	1 430 445	2 036 055	2 075 315	2 042 140
727	FOOD-PROCESSING MACHINES (EXCLUDING DOMESTIC) -----	61 592	43 119	44 800	43 119	669 069	522 504	541 636	522 741
728	MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT SPECIALIZED FOR PARTICULAR INDUSTRIES, AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	937 246	492 393	504 890	491 186	9 145 468	6 409 225	6 581 759	6 397 487
731	MACHINE TOOLS WORKING BY REMOVING METAL OR OTHER MATERIAL -----	197 129	250 986	258 626	250 971	1 987 256	2 844 279	2 935 532	2 815 664
733	MACHINE TOOLS FOR WORKING METAL, SINTERED METAL CARBIDES OR CERMETS, WITHOUT REMOVING MATERIAL -----	55 897	73 558	75 222	73 730	568 221	870 183	893 910	867 984
735	PARTS AND ACCESSORIES SUITABLE FOR USE SOLELY OR PRINCIPALLY WITH METAL WORKING MACHINE TOOLS, WHETHER OR NOT REMOVING METAL; HAND HELD TOOL HOLDERS -----	129 161	85 500	88 351	85 535	1 224 368	1 020 005	1 054 344	1 009 882
737	METALWORKING MACHINERY (OTHER THAN MACHINE TOOLS) AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	92 636	111 692	115 017	118 125	1 085 249	1 190 138	1 224 388	1 202 661
741	HEATING AND COOLING EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	481 887	202 803	208 452	202 037	5 656 059	2 673 065	2 754 518	2 663 442

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742	PUMPS FOR LIQUIDS, WHETHER OR NOT FITTED WITH A MEASURING DEVICE; LIQUID ELEVATORS; PARTS FOR SUCH PUMPS AND LIQUID ELEVATORS -----	210 190	158 775	163 080	158 085	2 418 776	1 987 315	2 048 275	1 966 580
743	PUMPS (NOT FOR LIQUIDS), AIR OR GAS COMPRESSORS AND FANS; VENTILATING HOODS INCORPORATING A FAN; CENTRIFUGES; FILTERING ETC. APPARATUS; PARTS THEREOF -----	469 886	353 018	363 710	341 348	5 221 897	4 751 998	4 929 593	4 602 885
744	MECHANICAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT, AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	329 971	231 662	239 785	230 399	3 474 056	3 090 086	3 204 743	3 072 060
745	NONELECTRICAL MACHINERY, TOOLS AND MECHANICAL APPARATUS, AND PARTS THEREOF, N.E.S. -----	254 683	201 181	206 323	202 497	2 790 717	2 413 833	2 478 606	2 413 939
746	BALL OR ROLLER BEARINGS -----	71 587	110 854	113 660	105 808	878 655	1 394 195	1 436 626	1 308 903
747	TAPS, COCKS, VALVES AND SIMILAR APPLIANCES FOR PIPES, BOILER SHELLS, TANKS, ETC. (INCLUDING PRESSURE AND TEMPERATURE CONTROLLED VALVES) -----	189 190	234 923	241 779	229 884	2 238 455	3 016 437	3 108 073	2 931 255
748	TRANSMISSION SHAFTS AND CRANKS; BEARING HOUSINGS AND PLAIN SHAFT BEARINGS; GEARS AND GEARING; BALL SCREWS; GEAR BOXES, CLUTCHES, ETC.; PARTS THEREOF -----	100 702	206 289	212 661	193 388	1 318 200	2 820 990	2 912 762	2 519 133
749	NONELECTRIC PARTS AND ACCESSORIES OF MACHINERY, N.E.S. -----	85 194	121 971	124 336	121 453	1 051 276	1 965 285	1 997 523	1 952 506
751	OFFICE MACHINES -----	99 517	345 185	351 429	347 313	1 101 647	4 500 995	4 585 948	4 496 979
752	AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING MACHINES AND UNITS THEREOF; MAGNETIC OR OPTICAL READERS; MACHINES TRANSCRIBING CODED MEDIA AND PROCESSING SUCH DATA, N.E.S. -----	2 546 621	3 432 223	3 493 181	3 435 791	23 077 534	34 779 139	35 422 920	34 741 829
759	PARTS AND ACCESSORIES SUITABLE FOR USE SOLELY OR PRINCIPALLY WITH OFFICE MACHINES OR AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING MACHINES -----	1 872 416	2 338 505	2 370 439	2 339 894	17 767 915	23 544 120	23 953 829	23 435 151
761	TV RECEIVERS (INCLUDING VIDEO MONITORS & PROJECTORS) WHETHER OR NOT INCORPORATING RADIOBROADCAST RECEIVERS OR SOUND OR VIDEO RECORDING OR REPRODUCING APPARATUS -----	64 326	282 593	285 239	280 646	868 790	3 783 804	3 820 491	3 754 872
762	RADIO-BROADCAST RECEIVERS, WHETHER OR NOT INCORPORATING SOUND RECORDING OR REPRODUCING APPARATUS OR A CLOCK -----	58 084	347 258	355 021	334 263	760 395	6 008 256	6 142 471	5 977 265
763	SOUND RECORDERS OR REPRODUCERS; TELEVISION IMAGE AND SOUND RECORDERS OR REPRODUCERS -----	68 547	422 604	428 370	405 801	860 086	6 301 303	6 397 405	6 033 665

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764	TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT, N.E.S.; AND PARTS, N.E.S., AND ACCESSORIES OF APPARATUS FALLING WITHIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS, ETC.-----	1 683 016	1 448 654	1 480 092	1 407 055	17 842 320	18 290 870	18 647 372	18 050 322
771	ELECTRIC POWER MACHINERY (OTHER THAN ROTATING ELECTRIC PLANT OF POWER GENERATING MACHINERY) AND PARTS THEREOF-----	172 757	276 232	282 798	275 645	2 153 193	3 562 281	3 653 624	3 537 228
772	ELECTRICAL APPARATUS FOR SWITCHING OR PROTECTING ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS OR FOR MAKING CONNECTIONS TO OR IN ELECTRICAL CIRCUITS (EXCLUDING TELEPHONE ETC.)-----	668 538	722 808	739 341	706 830	8 319 059	9 449 781	9 698 619	9 189 467
773	EQUIPMENT FOR DISTRIBUTING ELECTRICITY, N.E.S.-----	322 262	410 264	417 542	409 328	4 322 292	5 495 775	5 594 322	5 469 098
774	ELECTRO-DIAGNOSTIC APPARATUS FOR MEDICAL, SURGICAL, DENTAL OR VETERINARY SCIENCES AND RADIOLOGICAL APPARATUS-----	333 505	185 842	188 735	183 667	3 349 185	2 038 182	2 071 919	2 018 144
775	HOUSEHOLD TYPE ELECTRICAL AND NONELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, N.E.S.-----	194 654	241 969	251 110	240 929	2 431 294	3 748 940	3 891 005	3 755 993
776	THERMIONIC, COLD CATHODE OR PHOTOCATHODE VALVES AND TUBES; DIODES, TRANSISTORS AND SIMILAR SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES; INTEGRATED CIRCUITS, ETC.; PARTS-----	3 240 429	3 747 262	3 774 988	3 735 774	35 711 214	40 595 983	40 956 517	40 558 029
778	ELECTRICAL MACHINERY AND APPARATUS, N.E.S.-----	785 279	808 994	828 044	779 755	9 352 168	10 278 523	10 542 184	10 058 047
781	MOTOR CARS AND OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES PRINCIPALLY DESIGNED FOR THE TRANSPORT OF PERSONS (NOT PUBLIC TRANSPORT), INCLUDING STATION WAGONS AND RACING CARS-----	1 601 223	5 651 590	5 736 847	5 728 228	17 072 460	64 908 900	66 366 477	72 862 675
782	MOTOR VEHICLES FOR THE TRANSPORT OF GOODS AND SPECIAL PURPOSE MOTOR VEHICLES-----	430 262	848 131	860 351	846 972	5 045 090	9 790 516	9 953 314	9 782 517
783	ROAD MOTOR VEHICLES, N.E.S.-----	103 516	184 979	185 871	184 979	1 431 173	2 228 419	2 238 687	2 228 310
784	PARTS AND ACCESSORIES FOR TRACTORS, MOTOR CARS AND OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES, TRUCKS, PUBLIC-TRANSPORT VEHICLES AND ROAD MOTOR VEHICLES N.E.S.---	1 735 800	1 520 201	1 560 307	1 339 702	23 816 631	20 505 191	21 155 994	17 338 550
785	MOTORCYCLES (INCLUDING MOPEDS) AND CYCLES, MOTORIZED AND NOT MOTORIZED; INVALID CARRIAGES-----	82 585	189 732	194 936	186 034	957 258	2 265 442	2 340 808	2 216 788
786	TRAILERS AND SEMI-TRAILERS; OTHER VEHICLES, NOT MECHANICALLY PROPELLED; SPECIALLY DESIGNED AND EQUIPPED TRANSPORT CONTAINERS...	53 002	36 393	38 427	36 394	899 172	555 753	584 590	555 679
791	RAILWAY VEHICLES (INCLUDING HOVERTRAINS) AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT-----	76 960	67 130	68 625	67 130	863 467	1 183 414	1 204 078	1 183 387

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792	AIRCRAFT AND ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT; SPACECRAFT (INCLUDING SATELLITES) AND SPACECRAFT LAUNCH VEHICLES; AND PARTS THEREOF -----	2 392 596	439 742	442 965	439 140	25 612 616	6 335 768	6 387 220	6 206 775
793	SHIPS, BOATS (INCLUDING HOVERCRAFT) AND FLOATING STRUCTURES ---	117 312	61 272	64 526	68 910	1 243 569	816 494	838 500	887 677
811	PREFABRICATED BUILDINGS -----	37 901	6 074	6 261	6 074	411 866	67 255	69 256	67 255
812	SANITARY, PLUMBING AND HEATING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS, N.E.S. -----	22 450	22 029	22 956	22 026	245 944	281 909	295 440	281 900
813	LIGHTING FIXTURES AND FITTINGS, N.E.S. -----	53 238	150 486	161 907	150 304	665 206	1 932 904	2 082 541	1 929 529
821	FURNITURE AND PARTS THEREOF; BEDDING, MATTRESSES, MATTRESS SUPPORTS, CUSHIONS AND SIMILAR STUFFED FURNISHINGS -----	254 940	666 698	709 124	668 852	3 305 714	8 339 185	8 887 392	8 332 512
831	TRUNKS, SUITCASES, VANITY CASES, BINOCULAR AND CAMERA CASES, HANDBAGS, WALLETS, ETC. OF LEATHER, ETC.; TRAVEL SETS FOR PERSONAL TOILET, SEWING, ETC. -----	23 025	205 879	218 051	199 310	286 283	3 410 604	3 629 623	3 332 520
841	MEN'S OR BOYS' COATS, JACKETS, SUITS, TROUSERS, SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR ETC. OF WOVEN TEXTILE FABRICS (EXCEPT SWIMWEAR AND COATED OR LAMINATED APPAREL) -----	91 899	537 738	557 781	535 170	1 392 129	9 093 475	9 481 675	9 076 153
842	WOMEN'S OR GIRLS' COATS, CAPES, JACKETS, SUITS, TROUSERS, DRESSES, SKIRTS, UNDERWEAR, ETC. OF WOVEN TEXTILES (EXCEPT SWIMWEAR AND COATED ETC. APPAREL) ---	59 394	626 232	654 500	622 433	828 841	9 660 735	10 164 254	9 651 326
843	MEN'S OR BOYS' COATS, CAPES, JACKETS, SUITS, BLAZERS, TROUSERS, SHIRTS, ETC. (EXCEPT SWIMWEAR OR COATED APPAREL), KNITTED OR CROCHETED TEXTILE FABRIC -----	26 868	135 591	141 214	134 054	406 368	2 109 806	2 216 932	2 104 133
844	WOMEN'S OR GIRLS' COATS, CAPES, JACKETS, SUITS, TROUSERS, DRESSES, UNDERWEAR, ETC. (EXCEPT SWIMWEAR AND COATED ETC. APPAREL), KNITTED OR CROCHETED -----	35 928	210 418	219 430	209 772	452 879	3 210 000	3 358 628	3 202 020
845	ARTICLES OF APPAREL, OF TEXTILE FABRICS, WHETHER OR NOT KNITTED OR CROCHETED, N.E.S. -----	156 068	643 873	669 963	640 956	2 082 629	10 836 340	11 329 500	10 822 979
846	CLOTHING ACCESSORIES, OF TEXTILE FABRICS, WHETHER OR NOT KNITTED OR CROCHETED (OTHER THAN THOSE FOR BABIES) -	76 452	73 249	75 789	71 085	960 132	1 193 064	1 238 782	1 161 798
848	ARTICLES OF APPAREL AND CLOTHING ACCESSORIES OF OTHER THAN TEXTILE FABRICS; HEADGEAR OF ALL MATERIALS -----	38 487	231 847	242 456	231 447	528 110	3 422 877	3 577 303	3 419 856
851	FOOTWEAR -----	69 929	839 331	876 523	831 763	790 922	12 105 541	12 702 719	12 095 267
871	OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, N.E.S. -----	86 847	68 465	69 897	68 168	757 966	890 168	914 358	810 296
872	INSTRUMENTS AND APPLIANCES, N.E.S., FOR MEDICAL, SURGICAL, DENTAL OR VETERINARY PURPOSES -----	418 110	223 773	227 899	221 926	4 795 195	2 681 587	2 737 593	2 673 591
873	METERS AND COUNTERS, N.E.S. -----	36 773	69 903	71 059	50 677	495 720	1 005 228	1 019 311	979 152

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874	MEASURING, CHECKING, ANALYSING AND CONTROLLING INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, N.E.S. -----	1 225 081	578 619	588 507	567 401	13 322 907	6 995 378	7 136 209	6 690 133
881	PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT, N.E.S. -----	94 454	201 933	206 178	198 446	1 141 148	2 624 555	2 690 542	2 609 320
882	PHOTOGRAPHIC AND CINEMATOGRAPHIC SUPPLIES -----	203 197	188 898	192 828	187 062	2 420 464	2 521 289	2 578 649	2 501 065
883	CINEMATOGRAPHIC FILM, EXPOSED AND DEVELOPED, WHETHER OR NOT INCORPORATING SOUND TRACK OR CONSISTING ONLY OF SOUND TRACK ----	2 882	7 579	7 696	7 579	35 080	85 525	86 653	85 525
884	OPTICAL GOODS, N.E.S. -----	97 751	186 492	190 684	186 177	1 199 242	2 147 756	2 203 327	2 140 681
885	WATCHES AND CLOCKS -----	35 938	173 550	178 321	164 030	404 154	2 785 080	2 856 242	2 672 551
891	ARMS AND AMMUNITION ----	424 285	56 528	57 593	52 835	4 308 179	708 038	722 777	703 162
892	PRINTED MATTER -----	394 529	201 715	210 187	201 799	4 406 556	2 587 796	2 701 967	2 592 949
893	ARTICLES, N.E.S. OF PLASTICS -----	300 603	377 751	402 583	375 313	3 944 606	5 102 549	5 435 279	5 049 804
894	BABY CARRIAGES, TOYS, GAMES AND SPORTING GOODS -----	325 343	966 478	1 020 634	965 705	3 881 987	13 080 727	13 886 804	13 065 349
895	OFFICE AND STATIONERY SUPPLIES, N.E.S. -----	52 469	86 648	89 820	85 914	600 682	1 186 740	1 233 561	1 173 923
896	WORKS OF ART, COLLECTORS' PIECES AND ANTIQUES -----	124 355	209 064	211 215	209 073	1 679 919	2 670 817	2 695 337	2 670 710
897	JEWELRY, GOLDSMITHS' AND SILVERSMITHS' WARES, AND OTHER ARTICLES OF PRECIOUS OR SEMIPRECIOUS MATERIALS, N.E.S. -----	68 207	335 306	340 021	331 224	1 069 940	4 297 970	4 363 230	4 274 202
898	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, PARTS AND ACCESSORIES THEREOF; RECORDS, TAPES AND OTHER SOUND OR SIMILAR RECORDINGS (EXCLUDING PHOTOGRAPHIC FILM, ETC.) -----	636 807	302 441	309 929	301 380	6 584 540	3 891 986	3 989 169	3 868 275
899	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES, N.E.S. -----	165 942	227 731	244 131	227 378	2 038 893	2 940 365	3 172 570	2 934 113
931	SPECIAL TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES NOT CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO KIND -----	406 125	1 668 397	1 694 790	1 650 290	4 695 083	18 024 001	18 335 600	17 930 339
950	COIN, INCLUDING GOLD COIN; PROOF AND PRESENTATION SETS AND CURRENT COIN -----	2 072	13 595	13 633	13 595	65 698	122 205	122 685	122 205
961	COIN (OTHER THAN GOLD COIN), NOT BEING LEGAL TENDER -----	582	1 078	1 086	1 078	8 256	5 309	5 379	5 308
971	GOLD, NONMONETARY (EXCLUDING GOLD ORES AND CONCENTRATES) -----	229 994	177 843	177 952	177 735	5 098 440	2 152 690	2 154 212	2 150 980
984	ESTIMATE OF ITEMS VALUED UNDER \$251 AND OF OTHER LOW VALUED ITEMS NONEXEMPT FROM FORMAL ENTRY -----	-	445 855	445 855	445 855	-	5 156 523	5 156 523	5 156 523
992	SHIPMENTS VALUED NOT OVER \$10,000, NOT IDENTIFIED BY KIND -----	72 468	-	-	-	936 278	-	-	-
994	ESTIMATE OF NON-CANADIAN LOW VALUE SHIPMENTS; COMPILED LOW VALUE SHIPMENTS TO CANADA; AND SHIPMENTS TO CANADA NOT IDENTIFIED BY KIND -----	1 071 060	-	-	-	12 068 607	-	-	-
0011	BOVINE ANIMALS, LIVE -----	8 021	79 224	80 407	79 224	86 426	1 413 407	1 438 367	1 413 407
0012	SHEEP AND GOATS, LIVE -----	1 466	427	431	427	12 776	5 321	5 528	5 321
0013	SWINE, LIVE -----	601	16 004	16 414	16 004	3 931	138 364	142 110	138 364