

**Table 6-2**  
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	July	August	Change	Year to date			August 2012/ August 2011		
	2012	2012		2011	2012	Change			
	millions of dollars		percent		millions of dollars		percent		
<b>Total</b>	<b>44,237</b>	<b>43,267</b>	<b>-970</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>339,453</b>	<b>349,702</b>	<b>10,250</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<b>Agricultural and fishing products</b>	<b>2,846</b>	<b>2,743</b>	<b>-103</b>	<b>-3.6</b>	<b>21,476</b>	<b>22,066</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>-2.0</b>
Fruits and vegetables	746	746	0	0.0	5,891	6,088	198	3.4	-3.9
Fresh fruits and berries	277	277	0	0.0	2,180	2,214	34	1.6	-0.2
Dried fruits, fruits and fruit preparations	117	126	10	8.1	968	918	-50	-5.2	5.2
Fresh vegetables	194	188	-6	-3.2	1,513	1,697	184	12.2	-17.1
Other vegetables and vegetable preparations	158	155	-3	-2.2	1,230	1,259	30	2.4	2.1
Other agricultural and fishing products	2,100	1,998	-102	-4.9	15,585	15,978	393	2.5	-1.3
Live animals	15	16	1	6.2	141	129	-12	-8.5	-6.7
Meat and meat preparations	216	208	-8	-3.8	1,563	1,683	121	7.7	3.5
Fish and marine animals	281	283	1	0.5	1,913	1,819	-94	-4.9	12.4
Cocoa, coffee, tea and other food preparations	562	504	-58	-10.3	4,263	4,314	51	1.2	-15.4
Dairy produce, eggs and honey	47	46	-1	-2.3	413	392	-21	-5.1	-7.2
Corn (maize) shelled	14	12	-2	-16.5	153	156	3	1.7	-59.7
Other cereals and cereal preparations	178	173	-5	-2.8	1,147	1,394	247	21.5	14.0
Sugar and sugar preparations	183	180	-2	-1.2	1,402	1,412	10	0.7	0.5
Fodder, feed, excluding unmilled cereal	101	100	-1	-0.8	808	836	28	3.4	1.6
Beverages	338	307	-31	-9.2	2,422	2,534	111	4.6	5.4
Tobacco	35	39	4	11.4	288	286	-2	-0.7	-0.8
Crude vegetable products	130	130	0	0.0	1,062	1,016	-46	-4.4	9.5
Cotton	1	1	0	43.1	10	7	-2	-24.9	-3.7
<b>Energy products</b>	<b>1,934</b>	<b>1,906</b>	<b>-27</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>15,546</b>	<b>15,454</b>	<b>-91</b>	<b>-0.6</b>	<b>-0.1</b>
Crude petroleum	876	954	78	8.9	6,485	6,932	448	6.9	25.5
Other energy products	1,058	952	-105	-10.0	9,061	8,522	-539	-6.0	-17.0
Coal and other related products	485	450	-35	-7.3	3,607	3,560	-47	-1.3	-10.6
Petroleum and coal products	573	503	-70	-12.2	5,454	4,962	-492	-9.0	-22.0
<b>Forestry products</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>2,247</b>	<b>2,390</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>7.4</b>
Forestry products	314	309	-5	-1.6	2,247	2,390	143	6.4	7.4
Crude wood products	52	50	-2	-4.5	360	387	27	7.6	10.2
Wood fabricated materials	261	259	-3	-1.0	1,887	2,003	116	6.1	6.9
<b>Industrial goods and materials</b>	<b>7,295</b>	<b>6,997</b>	<b>-298</b>	<b>-4.1</b>	<b>54,840</b>	<b>56,520</b>	<b>1,680</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>2.4</b>
Metals and metal ores	2,220	2,092	-128	-5.8	16,278	16,861	583	3.6	1.1
Metals in ores, concentrates and scrap	301	286	-15	-4.9	2,748	2,501	-247	-9.0	-22.6
Steel bars, rods, plates, sheets	462	455	-7	-1.5	3,741	3,779	38	1.0	4.4
Other iron and steel products	325	314	-11	-3.3	2,284	2,451	167	7.3	0.2
Precious metals including alloys	700	681	-19	-2.7	4,612	5,104	492	10.7	19.4
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	432	355	-77	-17.8	2,893	3,026	133	4.6	-6.5
Chemicals and plastics	2,393	2,349	-44	-1.8	18,771	18,965	194	1.0	1.1
Organic chemicals	407	434	27	6.7	2,921	3,049	127	4.4	12.3
Plastic materials	981	936	-45	-4.6	7,303	7,577	274	3.8	4.7
Other chemicals and related products	1,004	979	-25	-2.5	8,547	8,339	-208	-2.4	-6.1
Other industrial goods and materials	2,683	2,556	-127	-4.7	19,791	20,694	903	4.6	4.7
Crude animal products	25	26	1	3.7	188	239	51	26.9	40.7
Wool and man-made fibres	28	27	-1	-4.0	210	206	-4	-2.1	24.6
Crude non-metallic minerals	54	58	4	7.6	442	446	4	0.9	-0.9
Textile fabricated materials	284	271	-13	-4.6	2,242	2,226	-16	-0.7	-1.9
Metal fabricated basic products	1,091	1,083	-9	-0.8	7,815	8,501	686	8.8	11.7
Rubber fabricated materials	115	112	-3	-2.6	895	927	31	3.5	4.0
Oils, fats, animal and vegetable	91	90	0	-0.4	729	709	-20	-2.8	-2.5
Non-metallic minerals	423	373	-50	-11.8	3,071	3,201	130	4.2	-2.0
Other fabricated materials	572	516	-55	-9.7	4,199	4,240	41	1.0	0.0

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<b>Machinery and equipment</b>	<b>15,866</b>	<b>15,513</b>	<b>-353</b>	<b>-2.2</b>	<b>126,457</b>	<b>127,491</b>	<b>1,034</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>-3.6</b>
Industrial and agricultural machinery	3,862	3,924	62	1.6	29,692	30,701	1,009	3.4	4.8
Engines, turbines and electric motors	467	434	-33	-7.0	3,582	3,692	109	3.0	0.3
Drilling mining machinery	215	216	1	0.6	2,697	1,766	-931	-34.5	-10.5
Excavating machinery	459	441	-18	-3.9	2,893	3,383	490	16.9	12.7
Metal working machinery	242	222	-20	-8.1	1,899	1,830	-70	-3.7	-2.9
Other industrial machinery	1,874	1,895	21	1.1	14,461	15,143	682	4.7	2.0
Agricultural machinery including tractors	605	715	110	18.1	4,160	4,888	728	17.5	20.9
Aircraft and other transportation equipment	1,388	1,357	-30	-2.2	12,775	11,848	-928	-7.3	-19.0
Aircraft, engines, parts	817	787	-30	-3.6	7,736	6,995	-742	-9.6	-20.6
Other transportation equipment and parts	571	570	-1	-0.1	5,039	4,853	-186	-3.7	-16.6
Office machines and equipment	3,096	3,021	-75	-2.4	24,176	24,567	392	1.6	-7.3
Other machinery and equipment	7,520	7,211	-309	-4.1	59,814	60,375	561	0.9	-2.7
Other communication and related equipment	3,027	2,821	-206	-6.8	26,206	24,763	-1,442	-5.5	-10.2
Other equipment and tools	4,493	4,390	-103	-2.3	33,608	35,612	2,004	6.0	2.9
<b>Automotive products</b>	<b>8,477</b>	<b>8,315</b>	<b>-162</b>	<b>-1.9</b>	<b>59,207</b>	<b>66,269</b>	<b>7,062</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>7.6</b>
Passenger autos and chassis	2,560	2,591	31	1.2	17,399	19,883	2,484	14.3	8.2
Trucks and other motor vehicles	2,084	1,971	-112	-5.4	14,756	16,326	1,570	10.6	-2.6
Motor vehicle parts	3,834	3,753	-80	-2.1	27,052	30,060	3,008	11.1	13.3
<b>Other consumer goods</b>	<b>6,371</b>	<b>6,299</b>	<b>-72</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>52,242</b>	<b>50,773</b>	<b>-1,469</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>-3.3</b>
Apparel and footwear	1,385	1,355	-30	-2.1	11,649	10,913	-736	-6.3	-5.1
Apparel and apparel accessories	1,149	1,114	-34	-3.0	9,692	9,058	-634	-6.5	-5.7
Footwear	236	241	5	2.0	1,957	1,854	-103	-5.2	-2.0
Miscellaneous consumer goods	4,986	4,944	-43	-0.9	40,592	39,860	-733	-1.8	-2.7
Television, radios, phonographs	216	238	23	10.5	1,798	1,889	90	5.0	5.5
Printed matter	337	346	9	2.6	2,894	2,730	-164	-5.7	-3.9
Watches, sporting goods and toys	636	634	-2	-0.3	5,332	5,163	-169	-3.2	-2.1
House furnishings	1,000	965	-34	-3.4	7,583	7,812	230	3.0	0.9
Photographic goods	430	422	-9	-2.0	3,767	3,540	-227	-6.0	-3.4
Miscellaneous end products	2,368	2,338	-29	-1.2	19,218	18,727	-491	-2.6	-4.8
<b>Special transactions trade</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>4,012</b>	<b>4,683</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>29.6</b>
<b>Unallocated balance of payments adjustments</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>-55</b>	<b>-10.0</b>	<b>3,426</b>	<b>4,056</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>12.7</b>