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- .. not available for a specific reference period
- ... not applicable
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- p preliminary
- r revised
- x suppressed to meet the confidentiality requirements of the Statistics Act
- E use with caution
- F too unreliable to be published
- \* significantly different from reference category (p < 0.05)

## Note to users

All totals are calculated from full figures and rounded independently; consequently, totals may not equal the sum of their components.

The data is based on commodity groups (sector, subsector and major group).

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## **Highlights**

Canada's merchandise imports rose 2.3% while exports edged up 0.2% in June. As a result, Canada's trade deficit with the world widened from \$954 million in May to \$1.8 billion in June.

Imports continued their upward trend and reached a record high of \$40.9 billion in June. Six out of seven sectors registered gains, the main contributor being the machinery and equipment sector. Volumes (+2.5%) were up in all sectors.

Exports increased to \$39.1 billion. Volumes rose 1.1%, while prices decreased 0.9%. A strong gain in exports of automotive products helped offset declines in five out of seven sectors.

Imports from the United States grew 3.0% to a record high of \$25.9 billion in June, a third consecutive monthly increase. Exports rose 2.2% to \$29.0 billion. This narrowed the trade surplus with the United States from \$3.2 billion in May to \$3.1 billion in June.

Imports from countries other than the United States increased 1.1% to \$15.0 billion. Exports to countries other than the United States fell for the third consecutive month, down 5.2% to \$10.1 billion. Consequently, the trade deficit with countries other than the United States widened from \$4.2 billion in May to \$4.9 billion in June.

#### Note to readers

Merchandise trade is one component of Canada's international balance of payments (BOP), which also includes trade in services, investment income, current transfers as well as capital and financial flows.

International merchandise trade data by country are available on both a BOP and a customs basis for the United States, Japan and the United Kingdom. Trade data for all other individual countries are available on a customs basis only. BOP data are derived from customs data by making adjustments for factors such as valuation, coverage, timing and residency. These adjustments are made to conform to the concepts and definitions of the Canadian System of National Accounts.

Data in this release are on a BOP basis, seasonally adjusted and in current dollars. Constant dollars are calculated using the Laspeyres volume formula.

For more information on seasonal adjustment, see Seasonal adjustment and identifying economic trends.

## New aggregation structure

Statistics Canada will introduce the North American Product Classification System (NAPCS) for merchandise import and export statistics. The new structure will replace the classification structures known as the summary import groups (SIG) and the summary export groups (SEG) and the higher level aggregations (major groups, subsectors, sectors and sections) that have been in use for several decades.

Revised data based on NAPCS for the reference period of January 1988 to August 2012 will be disseminated on October 18.

The first regular release of data based on NAPCS will be on November 8 for the September reference month.

Readers interested in this upcoming change can find more detailed information on our web page dedicated to *classification* consultation and notification.

Chart 1
Exports and imports, seasonally adjusted, on a balance of payments basis

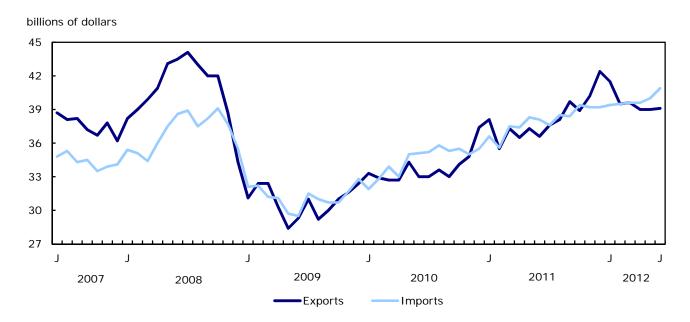
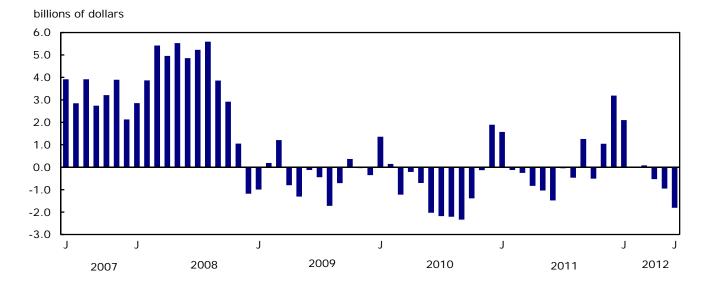


Chart 2
Trade balance, seasonally adjusted, on a balance of payments basis



## **Analysis**

## Machinery and equipment leads imports

Imports of machinery and equipment increased 3.2% to a record high of \$11.2 billion in June. Volumes were up 3.0%. Imports of other machinery and equipment led the gain in the sector followed by industrial and agricultural machinery.

Imports of other consumer goods rose 4.7% to \$5.3 billion. Imports of miscellaneous end products, mainly medicinal and pharmaceutical products, led the gain on higher volumes.

Imports of industrial goods and materials rose 2.3% to \$8.5 billion, the third consecutive monthly increase. Widespread gains throughout the sector were led by imports of plastic materials and other iron and steel products.

The only sector to decline in June was energy products, down 3.6% to \$4.2 billion. Prices fell 9.2%. Imports of crude petroleum decreased 18.2% to \$2.2 billion as both volumes and prices fell. In contrast, petroleum and coal products registered strong gains in volumes, mainly on higher imports of light oils and preparations.

## Strong gains in exports of automotive products

Exports of automotive products rose 13.9% to \$6.3 billion in June as volumes were up 13.2%. The main factor was exports of passenger autos and chassis which increased 19.5% to \$4.3 billion, the highest level since January 2006.

Exports of energy products fell 3.5% to \$9.0 billion, as prices fell for the fifth consecutive month. The main contributor was crude petroleum exports which declined 5.3% to \$5.6 billion.

Exports of agricultural and fishing products declined 2.8% to \$3.5 billion, the lowest level since August 2011. Leading the decline was a 27.4% decrease in wheat exports, on lower volumes.

In the machinery and equipment sector, exports declined 1.3% to \$7.2 billion, as volumes fell 2.5%. Lower exports of aircraft and other transportation equipment were the main contributor.

**Note:** In general, merchandise trade data are revised on an ongoing basis for each month of the current year. Current year revisions are reflected in both the customs and BOP based data.

The previous year's customs data are revised with the release of the January and February reference months as well as on a quarterly basis. The previous two years of customs based data are revised annually and are released in February with the December reference month.

The previous year's BOP based data will be revised with the release of the January, February, March and April 2012 reference months.

Factors influencing revisions include late receipt of import and export documentation, incorrect information on customs forms, replacement of estimates produced for the energy sector with actual figures, changes in classification of merchandise based on more current information, and changes to seasonal adjustment factors.

Revised data are available in the appropriate CANSIM tables, free of charge.

Chart 1 Imports of machinery and equipment, seasonally adjusted, on a balance of payments basis

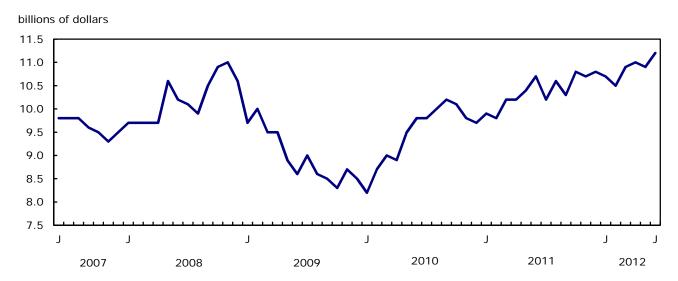


Chart 2 Imports of other consumer goods, seasonally adjusted, on a balance of payments basis

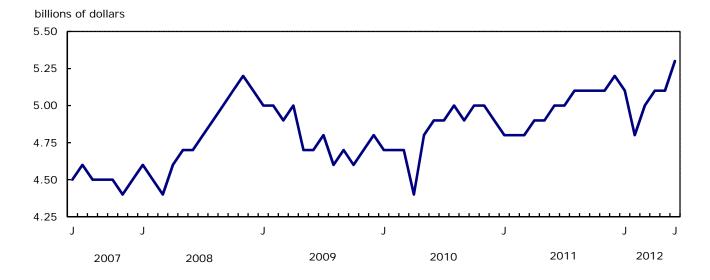


Chart 3
Exports of automotive products, seasonally adjusted, on a balance of payments basis

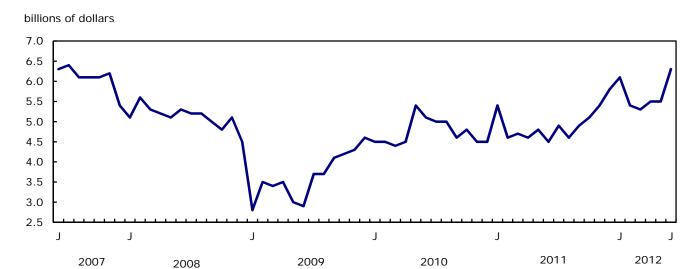
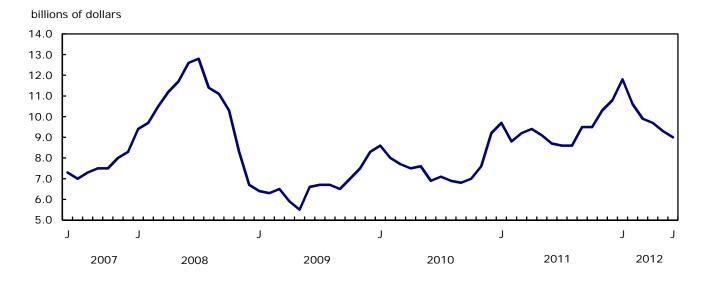


Chart 4
Exports of energy products, seasonally adjusted, on a balance of payments basis



Text table 1
Merchandise trade by principal trading area, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted

	May 2012 June 2012		Cha	ange		Year to d	ate		June 2012/
				•	2011	2012	Chanç	je	June 2011
	millions	of dollars		percent	millio	ons of dollar	s	р	ercent
Export to									
United States	28,362	28,986	624	2.2	161,954	174,191	12,237	7.6	9.1
Japan	745	962	218	29.2	5,419	5,419	0	0.0	33.3
European Union <sup>1</sup> Other Organisation for Economic Co-operation	3,500	3,333	-167	-4.8	19,297	21,087	1,790	9.3	0.1
and Development <sup>2</sup>	1,567	1,420	-147	-9.4	9.776	9,174	-602	-6.2	-9.3
Other countries	4,853	4,395	-457	-9.4	24,903	27,888	2,986	12.0	-1.2
Total	39,027	39,097	70	0.2	221,349	237,759	16,410	7.4	6.8
Imports from									
United States	25,135	25,901	767	3.1	136,828	149,071	12,242	8.9	13.1
Japan	917	987	69	7.5	4,216	5,668	1,452	34.4	55.6
European Union 1	4,117	3,799	-318	-7.7	22,981	22,505	-477	-2.1	-7.7
Other Organisation for Economic Co-operation									
and Development 2	2,909	3,217	308	10.6	16,192	18,597	2,405	14.9	21.6
Other countries	6,903	6,999	96	1.4	43,276	43,044	-232	-0.5	-10.4
Total	39,981	40,903	922	2.3	223,494	238,884	15,390	6.9	7.4
Balance									
United States	3,227	3,085	-143		25,125	25,120	-5		
Japan	-173	-24	148		1,203	-249	-1,452		•••
European Union 1	-617	-465	151		-3,684	-1,418	2,267		
Other Organisation for Economic Co-operation	4.040	4 707	450		0.440	0.400	0.000		
and Development <sup>2</sup>	-1,342	-1,797	-456	•••	-6,416	-9,423	-3,008	•••	•••
Other countries Total	-2,050 <b>-954</b>	-2,603 <b>-1,806</b>	-554 <b>-852</b>		-18,374 <b>-2,145</b>	-15,156 <b>-1,125</b>	3,218 <b>1,020</b>		
IUlai	-934	-1,000	-032	•••	-2,143	-1,125	1,020		

<sup>1.</sup> European Union includes: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom.

Text table 2 Reconciliation of customs and balance of payments trade data, not seasonally adjusted

		2012							
	June	May	April	March	February	January	Annual		
_		millions of dollars							
Exports									
Customs basis	39,026	39,236	38,774	40,694	36,488	37,452	447,501		
Balance of payments adjustments Valuation and residency	740	1,479	206	450	1,106	774	10,690		
Inland freight	653	663	652	627	589	579	7,052		
Other valuation and residency	-912	-766	-778	-1,027	-930	-1,070	-9,506		
Timing	5	-11	55	-66	50	67	496		
Coverage	994	1,593	277	916	1,397	1,198	12,648		
Balance of payments basis	39,766	40,715	38,980	41,144	37,594	38,226	458,191		
Imports									
Customs basis	40,524	40,132	38,392	40,429	37,137	35,791	445,992		
Balance of payments adjustments Valuation and residency	1,033	994	821	1,037	926	924	9,882		
Inland freight	873	862	815	850	775	760	9,426		
Other valuation and residency	15	-11	-14	-7	24	-24	-245		
Timing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Coverage	145	143	20	194	127	188	701		
Balance of payments basis	41,557	41,126	39,213	41,466	38,063	36,715	455,874		

<sup>2.</sup> Other Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development includes: Australia, Canada, Chile, Iceland, Israel, Mexico, New Zealand, Norway, South Korea, Switzerland and Turkey.

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65F0019X	A Database for Analysis of International Markets
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228-0002	Merchandise imports and exports, by major groups and principal trading areas for all countries, quarterly
228-0003	Merchandise imports and exports, by major groups and principal trading areas for all countries, annual
228-0033	Imports, customs-based, by province of clearance, monthly
228-0034	Domestic exports, customs-based, by province of origin, monthly
228-0041	Merchandise imports and exports by sector and sub-sector, customs and balance of payments basis, for all countries, monthly
228-0042	Merchandise imports and exports by sector and sub-sector, customs and balance of payments basis, for all countries, quarterly
228-0043	Merchandise imports and exports by sector and sub-sector, customs and balance of payments basis, for all countries, annual
228-0047	Merchandise imports and exports balance of payments and customs-based price and volume indexes for all countries, monthly
228-0048	Merchandise imports and exports balance of payments and customs-based price and volume indexes for all countries, quarterly
228-0049	Merchandise imports and exports balance of payments and customs-based price and volume indexes for all countries, annual

228-0050	Merchandise imports and exports customs-based price indexes, Canada and United States trade, and Standard International Trade Classification (SITC revision 3) price indexes for all countries and United States, monthly
228-0051	Merchandise imports and exports customs-based price indexes, Canada and United States trade, and Standard International Trade Classification (SITC revision 3) price indexes for all countries and United States, quarterly
228-0052	Merchandise imports and exports customs-based price indexes, Canada and United States trade, and Standard International Trade Classification (SITC revision 3) price indexes for all countries and United States, annual
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- Exports of goods on a balance-of-payments basis
- Imports of goods on a balance-of-payments basis
- Merchandise trade of Canada (monthly)
- Economic indicators, by province and territory (monthly and quarterly)
- Latest statistics (monthly)

# **Statistical tables**

Table 1-1 Merchandise trade of Canada, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Current dollars

	Exports			Period t	o period change	
			balance	Exports	Imports	Balance
_	milli	ons of dollars		percent		millions of dollars
2008 2009 2010 2011	488,754 369,343 404,834 458,191	443,777 374,081 413,833 455,874	44,977 -4,738 -8,999 2,318	0.0 -24.4 9.6 	0.0 -15.7 10.6 10.2	0 -49,715 -4,261 11,316
2010 First quarter Second quarter Third quarter Fourth quarter	98,870 100,071 99,592 106,301	98,583 103,014 106,312 105,924	287 -2,942 -6,720 377	4.0 1.2 -0.5 6.7	3.6 4.5 3.2 -0.4	318 -3,229 -3,778 7,097
2011 First quarter Second quarter Third quarter Fourth quarter	110,901 110,447 115,287 121,555	109,704 113,791 114,545 117,835	1,198 -3,343 742 3,721	4.3 -0.4 4.4 5.4	3.6 3.7 0.7 2.9	821 -4,541 4,086 2,978
2012 First quarter Second quarter	120,592 117,166	118,427 120,457	2,165 -3,290	-0.8 -2.8	0.5 1.7	-1,556 -5,455
2011 January February March April May June July August September October November December	38,129 35,508 37,264 36,533 37,290 36,624 37,560 38,075 39,652 38,894 40,246 42,415	36,557 35,632 37,514 37,364 38,325 38,102 37,604 38,544 38,397 39,404 39,204 39,226	1,572 -125 -250 -830 -1,034 -1,478 -44 -469 1,255 -510 1,042 3,189	2.0 -6.9 -4.9 -2.0 2.1 -1.8 2.6 1.4 4.1 -1.9 3.5 5.4	3.1 -2.5 5.3 -0.4 2.6 -0.6 -1.3 2.5 -0.4 2.6 -0.5	-323 -1,697 -125 -581 -204 -444 1,435 -425 1,724 -1,765 1,551 2,147
2012 January February March April May June	41,488 39,461 39,643 39,042 39,027 39,097	39,388 39,477 39,563 39,572 39,981 40,903	2,101 -16 80 -531 -954 -1,806	-2.2 -4.9 0.5 -1.5 0.0 0.2	0.4 0.2 0.2 0.0 1.0 2.3	-1,088 -2,117 96 -611 -423 -852

Note(s): Because of rounding, monthly data may not add up to quarterly data and quarterly data may not add up to annual data.

Table 1-2
Merchandise trade of Canada, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Constant dollars, 2002

	Exports	Imports	Trade	Period to period char	nge
			balance	Exports	Imports
_	mill	ions of dollars		percent	
2008 2009 2010 2011	412,713 346,916 374,143 389,503	486,735 407,679 470,401 509,403	-74,022 -60,763 -96,259 -119,900	0.0 -15.9 7.8 4.1	0.0 -16.2 15.4 8.3
2010 First quarter Second quarter Third quarter Fourth quarter	90,749 94,368 94,074 94,951	111,192 117,650 120,900 120,659	-20,442 -23,282 -26,826 -25,708	1.8 4.0 -0.3 0.9	3.7 5.8 2.8 -0.2
2011 First quarter Second quarter Third quarter Fourth quarter	96,296 94,834 98,147 100,226	124,664 128,760 127,883 128,096	-28,368 -33,926 -29,736 -27,870	1.4 -1.5 3.5 2.1	3.3 3.3 -0.7 0.2
2012 First quarter Second quarter	101,483 102,726	129,977 132,333	-28,495 -29,607	1.3 1.2	1.5 1.8
2011 January February March April May June July August September October November December	33,076 31,038 32,182 31,450 32,059 31,325 32,745 32,646 32,756 32,523 32,931 34,773	41,770 40,627 42,267 42,837 42,656 43,267 42,904 43,125 41,854 42,579 42,543 42,975	-8,694 -9,589 -10,084 -11,387 -10,597 -11,941 -10,158 -10,479 -9,098 -10,056 -9,612 -8,202	1.5 -6.2 3.7 -2.3 1.9 -2.3 -4.5 -0.3 0.3 -0.7 1.3 5.6	3.7 -2.7 4.0 1.3 -0.4 1.4 -0.8 0.5 -2.9 1.7 -0.1
<b>2012</b> January February March April May June	34,462 33,237 33,784 34,016 34,169 34,541	43,209 42,912 43,856 43,941 43,650 44,742	-8,747 -9,676 -10,072 -9,926 -9,480 -10,201	-0.9 -3.6 1.6 0.7 0.5 1.1	0.5 -0.7 2.2 0.2 -0.7 2.5

Note(s): Because of rounding, monthly data may not add up to quarterly data and quarterly data may not add up to annual data.

Table 1-3 Merchandise trade of Canada, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Price indices (Laspeyres)

	:	2002=100		Period	to period change	
	Exports	Imports	Terms of trade	Exports	Imports	Terms of trade
_	price inc	dices (Laspeyres)			percent	
2008 2009 2010 2011	116.2 105.2 106.8 113.9	97.2 96.2 94.1 98.2	119.6 109.3 113.4 116.0	0.0 -9.5 1.5 6.7	0.0 -1.0 -2.2 4.4	0.0 -8.5 3.7 2.3
2010 First quarter Second quarter Third quarter Fourth quarter	107.1 105.7 106.1 108.2	93.7 93.6 94.5 94.6	114.2 112.9 112.3 114.4	1.7 -1.3 0.4 2.0	0.7 -0.1 0.9 0.1	0.9 -1.2 -0.5 1.9
2011 First quarter Second quarter Third quarter Fourth quarter	111.6 113.5 114.5 115.9	96.0 97.7 98.5 100.6	116.2 116.3 116.2 115.2	3.1 1.8 0.9 1.2	1.5 1.7 0.9 2.1	1.6 0.1 0.0 -0.9
2012 First quarter Second quarter	113.8 112.5	100.3 101.3	113.5 111.1	-1.8 -1.1	-0.3 1.0	-1.5 -2.1
2011 January February March April May June July August September October November December	111.2 111.6 112.4 113.4 113.6 114.1 112.5 113.3 115.7 116.7 116.7	95.9 96.9 97.0 96.9 97.2 98.1 96.3 98.2 99.4 100.1 101.1	115.9 115.1 115.8 117.0 116.9 116.3 116.3 116.5 115.7 115.7	0.4 0.4 0.7 0.9 0.2 0.4 -1.4 0.7 2.2 0.0 0.9 -0.8	0.5 1.1 0.1 -0.1 0.3 0.9 -1.9 2.0 1.2 0.7 1.1	-0.2 -0.7 0.6 1.0 -0.1 -0.5 -1.3 1.0 -0.7 -0.2
2012 January February March April May June	115.1 113.7 112.9 112.0 112.7 112.8	101.0 100.2 101.5 100.7 100.9 101.5	114.0 113.5 111.3 111.2 111.7 111.1	-0.6 -1.2 -0.7 -0.8 0.7 0.0	-0.2 -0.8 1.3 -0.7 0.2 0.6	-0.3 -0.4 -2.0 -0.1 0.5 -0.5

Note(s): Because of rounding, monthly data may not add up to quarterly data and quarterly data may not add up to annual data.

Table 2-1 Exports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Current dollars

	May 2012	June 2012	Ch	ange		Year to d	ate		June 2012
					2011	2012	Chan	ge	June 2011
_	millions	of dollars		percent	millio	ons of dollar	s		percent
 Total	39,027	39,097	70	0.2	221,349	237,759	16,410	7.4	6.8
Agricultural and fishing products	3,562	3,461	-102	-2.9	19,518	21,580	2,062	10.6	5.9
Wheat	443	321	-121	-27.4	2,587	2,959	372	14.4	-37.0
Other agricultural and fishing products	3,120	3,139	20	0.6	16,931	18,621	1,691	10.0	13.9
Live animals	151	145	-6	-4.1	704	826	122	17.3	10.5
Fish and fish preparations Barley	411 10	375 31	-37 20	-8.9 196.3	2,177 159	2,349 232	172 74	7.9 46.4	4.8 130.4
Wheat flour	6	6	0	-1.1	39	34	-5	-13.8	-9.7
Other cereals unmilled	62	64	2	3.5	503	305	-199	-39.5	32.4
Other cereal preparations	264	279	15	5.7	1,425	1,563	138	9.7	15.0
Meat and meat preparations	430	417	-13	-3.0	2,394	2,561	167	7.0	3.
Alcoholic beverages Other food, feed, beverages and	59	68	9	15.2	360	405	45	12.4	20.
tobacco	1,039	1,131	91	8.8	5,907	6,176	269	4.6	14.0
Rapeseed	421	383	-39	-9.2	2,030	2,734	704	34.7	32.
Other crude vegetable products	266	242	-24	-8.9	1,232	1,436	204	16.6	10.0
nergy products	9,274	8,952	-322	-3.5	54,918	60,173	5,255	9.6	3.0
Crude petroleum	5,885	5,574	-311	-5.3	32,939	40,304	7,365	22.4	9.8
Natural gas	646	720	73	11.3	7,106	3,870	-3,236	-45.5	-42.0
Other energy products  Coal and other bituminous	2,743	2,659	-84	-3.1	14,873	15,998	1,125	7.6	11.8
substances	530	509	-21	-4.0	3,099	3,051	-48	-1.6	-24.4
Petroleum and coal products Electricity	2,050 162	1,992 158	-59 -4	-2.9 -2.6	10,794 980	12,081 866	1,287 -114	11.9 -11.6	27.9 6.1
Forestry products	1,785	1,799	13	0.8	11,334	10,780	-554	-4.9	-5.8
umber and sawmill products	735	, 751	16	2.2	4,234	4,405	171	4.0	4.2
Other crude wood products	74	66	-7	-9.9	447	449	2	0.5	-20.
Lumber	469	465	-5	-1.0	2,673	2,744	71	2.7	3.3
Other wood fabricated materials	192	220	28	14.5	1,114	1,212	97	8.7	17.8
Vood pulp and other wood products	496	502	7	1.4	3,424	3,026	-398	-11.6	-9.7
Newsprint and other paper and	FF4	E 4 E	0	4.7	2.676	2.240	207	0.0	40.0
paperboard Newsprint paper	554 257	545 251	-9 -6	-1.7 -2.5	3,676 1,874	3,349 1,595	-327 -279	-8.9 -14.9	-13.9 -21.8
Other paper and paperboard	297	294	-3	-0.9	1,803	1,754	-48	-2.7	-5.9
ndustrial goods and materials	9,362	9,286	-76	-0.8	56,078	56,460	382	0.7	-3.5
Metal ores	1,304	1,330	26	2.0	7,809	8,129	321	4.1	17.6
Iron ores, concentrates and scrap	503	539	36	7.1	2,786	3,163	378	13.6	23.1
Copper ores, concentrates and scrap	202	324	122	60.4	1,564	1,557	-7	-0.4	4.9
Nickel ores, concentrates and scrap Zinc ores, concentrates and scrap	239 31	151 23	-88 -8	-36.9 -25.1	1,591 156	1,269 153	-322 -3	-20.2 -1.9	80.8 -37.6
Other ores, concentrates and scrap	329	294	-35	-10.7	1,712	1,987	275	16.0	11.0
Chemicals, plastics and fertilizers	2,970	3,074	103	3.5	17,753	17,505	-248	-1.4	-5.
Inorganic chemicals	402	427	25	6.2	3,006	2,519	-487	-16.2	-14.:
Organic chemicals Fertilizers and fertilizer materials	520 753	497 835	-23 83	-4.5 11.0	3,645 3,823	3,361 3,739	-284 -84	-7.8 -2.2	-23. -2.
Synthetic rubber and plastics	971	970	0	0.0	5,630	5,936	305	5.4	- <u>-</u> 2. 1.
Other chemical products	325	345	20	6.1	1,649	1,950	301	18.3	16.9
Metals and alloys	3,430	3,289	-141	-4.1	21,122	20,695	-427	-2.0	-9.2
Primary iron and steel	70	52	-19	-26.4	443	303	-140	-31.6	-46.:
Steel bars, rods, plates, sheets	343	341 278	-2 16	-0.6 6.1	1,839	2,092 1,585	253	13.8 14.8	10.9 18.0
Other iron and steel and alloys Aluminum including alloys	262 588	278 581	-6	6.1 -1.1	1,381 3,968	1,585 3,606	204 -362	14.8 -9.1	-15.i
Copper and alloys	218	233	15	6.8	1,241	1,237	-302	-0.3	33.
Nickel and alloys	240	263	23	9.7	1,747	1,428	-319	-18.3	-7.:
Precious metals and alloys	1,522	1,361	-161	-10.6	9,223	9,334	111	1.2	-16.3
Zinc and alloys	93	92	-1	-1.2	656	567	-90	-13.7	-9.0
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	94	89	-5	-5.7	625	544	-80	-12.9	-16.1

Table 2-1 – continued Exports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Current dollars

	May 2012	May 2012 June 2012	2012 Change			Year to da	ate		June 2012/	
				-	2011	2012	Char	nge	June 2011	
_	millions	of dollars		percent	millio	ns of dollars	5		percent	
Other industrial goods and materials	1,658	1,592	-65	-3.9	9,394	10,131	737	7.8	-1.0	
Asbestos unmanufactured	0	0	0	0.0	21	0	-21	-100.0	-100.0	
Other crude animal products	93	110	16	17.4	505	636	131	26.0	-5.3	
Other crude non-metallic minerals	285	221	-65	-22.7	1,914	1,825	-89	-4.6	-25.1	
Other crude materials, inedible	63 415	59 414	-4 -1	-6.4 -0.3	388	381	-7 274	-1.8 12.7	-10.7 11.7	
Metal fabricated basic products Textile fabricated materials	415 191	414 191	-1 0	-0.3 0.1	2,163 1,097	2,438 1,136	274 39	3.6	11. <i>i</i> 2.7	
Non-metallic mineral basic products	178	176	-2	-1.2	952	1,130	118	12.4	2. <i>i</i> 8.1	
Other fabricated materials	432	423	-10	-2.2	2,353	2,644	290	12.3	2.9	
Machinery and equipment	7,283	7,185	-98	-1.3	38,209	41,426	3,218	8.4	10.4	
Industrial and agricultural machinery	1,831	1,833	2	0.1	9,521	10,883	1,362	14.3	6.1	
Industrial machinery Agricultural machinery includ.	1,633	1,646	13	8.0	8,554	9,726	1,172	13.7	5.8	
tractors	198	187	-11	-5.4	967	1,157	190	19.7	8.9	
Aircraft and other transportation										
equipment	1,845	1,748	-97	-5.3	8,543	9,378	835	9.8	20.3	
Aircraft, engines, parts	1,441	1,357	-85	-5.9	6,331	6,957	626	9.9	28.2	
Other transportation equipment	403	391	-12	-3.0	2,212	2,421	209	9.5	-0.7	
Other machinery and equipment Television, telecommunication	3,607	3,604	-3	-0.1	20,145	21,165	1,020	5.1	8.4	
equipment	637	637	0	0.0	3,692	3,810	118	3.2	0.0	
Office machines and equipment	347	344	-3	-1.0	2,117	2,053	-64	-3.0	-0.3	
Other equipment and tools Other end products, inedible	1,758 865	1,744 879	-14 15	-0.8 1.7	9,335	10,319 4,984	985 -18	10.5 -0.4	11.7 11.5	
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Automotive products	5,492	6,253	761	13.9	28,691	34,070	5,379	18.7	37.8	
Passenger autos and chassis	3,601	4,305	704	19.5	18,833	22,826	3,993	21.2	48.8	
Trucks and other motor vehicles	269	309	40	14.8	1,286	1,746	460	35.7	35.0	
Motor vehicle parts	1,622	1,639	17	1.1	8,572	9,499	927	10.8	15.8	
Other consumer goods	1,416	1,397	-20	-1.4	7,920	8,251	331	4.2	6.0	
Special transactions trade	354	300	-54	-15.2	1,917	1,997	79	4.1	-6.5	
Unallocated balance of payments adjustments	499	465	-34	-6.7	2,763	3,021	258	9.4	3.€	

Table 2-2 Exports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Constant dollars, 2002

	May 2012	June 2012	Ch	ange		Year to d	late		June 2012/
				•	2011	2012	Chan	ge	June 2011
	millions	of dollars		percent	millio	ons of dollar	's		percent
Total	34,169	34,541	372	1.1	191,131	204,209	13,078	6.8	10.3
Agricultural and fishing products	3,080	2,969	-111	-3.6	17,868	18,848	980	5.5	1.9
Wheat	318	232	-86	-27.2	1,903	2,123	220	11.6	-34.6
Other agricultural and fishing products	2,762	2,737	-25	-0.9	15,965	16,725	760	4.8	6.9
Live animals	143	128	-14	-10.1	686	754	68	9.9	-0.4
Fish and fish preparations	486	442	-45	-9.2	2,468	2,832	364	14.7	12.0
Barley	8	28	20	257.1	120	183	63	52.9	192.2
Wheat flour	5	5	0	-2.0	33	29	-4	-11.9	-3.5
Other cereals unmilled	44	48	4	9.0	359	237	-122	-34.0	36.4
Other cereal preparations	209	218	9	4.3	1,283	1,265	-18	-1.4	1.3
Meat and meat preparations	413	387	-25	-6.1	2,417	2,498	82	3.4	-1.8
Alcoholic beverages	106	122	16	14.8	718	771	54	7.5	7.8
Other food, feed, beverages and									
tobacco	884	929	46	5.2	5,465	5,189	-275	-5.0	4.1
Rapeseed	269	249	-20	-7.5	1,454	1,884	430	29.6	22.7
Other crude vegetable products	195	181	-15	-7.6	962	1,081	119	12.4	6.6
Energy products	5,260	5,298	38	0.7	28,860	31,393	2,533	8.8	13.7
Crude petroleum	2,459	2,440	-19	-0.8	13,514	15,464	1,950	14.4	12.2
Natural gas	1,281	1,376	95	7.4	8,080	7,522	-558	-6.9	2.5
Other energy products Coal and other bituminous	1,520	1,482	-38	-2.5	7,266	8,407	1,141	15.7	29.7
substances	158	159	1	8.0	838	832	-7	-0.8	-0.7
Petroleum and coal products	1,036	1,056	20	1.9	5,118	5,954	836	16.3	35.4
Electricity	326	267	-60	-18.2	1,309	1,621	312	23.8	31.8
Forestry products	2,302	2,260	-43	-1.9	13,826	13,670	-156	-1.1	-3.4
Lumber and sawmill products	1,024	997	-26	-2.6	5,596	5,838	241	4.3	2.2
Other crude wood products	89	83	-6	-7.0	548	533	-15	-2.8	-14.8
Lumber	721	685	-36	-5.0	3,721	3,951	229	6.2	5.6
Other wood fabricated materials	214	229	15	7.2	1,326	1,354	27	2.1	-0.3
Wood pulp and other wood products	663	667	4	0.5	3,991	4,106	115	2.9	3.6
	003	007	4	0.5	3,991	4,100	113	2.5	3.0
Newsprint and other paper and paperboard	615	595	-20	-3.3	4,239	3,726	-513	-12.1	-17.2
	290	278	-20	-3.3 -4.4	2,175	1,788	-313	-12.1	-17.2
Newsprint paper Other paper and paperboard	325	317	-13 -7	-4.4 -2.3	2,173	1,766	-367 -126	-17.6 -6.1	-24.4 -9.7
Industrial goods and materials	5,771	5,643	-129	-2.2	33,785	34,811	1,026	3.0	1.4
Metal ores	580	579	-1	-0.2	3,250	3,623	372	11.5	25.6
Iron ores, concentrates and scrap	155	192	37	23.7	1,039	1,063	24	2.4	23.9
Copper ores, concentrates and scrap	68	111	43	62.3	444	509	65	14.8	23.9
Nickel ores, concentrates and scrap	131	88	-43	-32.9	624	672	49	7.8	147.4
Zinc ores, concentrates and scrap	18	14	-5	-24.8	80	89	9	10.9	-28.7
Other ores, concentrates and scrap	208	174	-33	-16.1	1,064	1,289	225	21.1	8.0
Chemicals, plastics and fertilizers	1,901	1,968	67	3.5	11,658	11,572	-86	-0.7	-2.9
Inorganic chemicals	186	188	2	1.3	1,169	1,121	-48	-4.1	-6.6
Organic chemicals	249	247	-2	-0.7	1,817	1,684	-133	-7.3	-19.7
Fertilizers and fertilizer materials	270	305	35	12.9	1,523	1,348	-175	-11.5	-8.9
Synthetic rubber and plastics	845	856	11	1.3	5,227	5,297	71	1.3	1.3
									10.0
Other chemical products	351	371	20	5.7	1,922	2,120	199	10.3	

Table 2-2 – continued Exports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Constant dollars, 2002

	May 2012	June 2012	Ch	ange		Year to da	ite		June 2012/
				_	2011	2012	Char	ige	June 2011
_	millions	of dollars		percent	millio	ns of dollars	<u>.                                    </u>		percent
Metals and alloys Primary iron and steel Steel bars, rods, plates, sheets Other iron and steel and alloys Aluminum including alloys	1,899 40 262 199 646	1,875 33 262 215 654	-24 -7 0 16 8	-1.2 -17.8 -0.1 8.1 1.2	11,250 280 1,420 1,090 3,768	11,315 182 1,588 1,206 3,879	65 -98 168 116 112	0.6 -35.0 11.8 10.6 3.0	-0.4 -42.6 16.8 20.1 -0.2
Copper and alloys Nickel and alloys Precious metals and alloys Zinc and alloys Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	61 147 433 58 53	66 158 380 57 50	5 11 -54 -1 -3	8.7 7.8 -12.4 -0.9 -5.6	321 744 2,973 367 288	356 808 2,644 354 297	35 64 -329 -13 9	10.9 8.6 -11.1 -3.6 3.3	49.6 20.5 -21.1 -4.1 0.9
Other industrial goods and materials Asbestos unmanufactured Other crude animal products Other crude non-metallic minerals Other crude materials, inedible Metal fabricated basic products Textile fabricated materials Non-metallic mineral basic products Other fabricated materials	1,391 0 83 286 56 330 193 143 301	1,221 0 74 147 48 330 187 143 291	-170 0 -9 -139 -7 0 -5 1	-12.2 0.0 -10.8 -48.7 -13.2 0.1 -2.8 0.4 -3.3	7,627 21 446 1,468 357 1,719 1,167 790 1,661	8,302 0 537 1,635 330 1,925 1,135 876 1,864	675 -21 91 168 -26 206 -32 86 202	8.8 -100.0 20.5 11.4 -7.4 12.0 -2.7 10.9 12.2	2.1 -100.0 -14.4 8.8 -19.3 11.5 -4.6 6.6 2.0
Machinery and equipment	8,017	7,820	-197	-2.5	43,406	45,715	2,310	5.3	5.8
Industrial and agricultural machinery Industrial machinery Agricultural machinery includ. tractors	1,680 1,505 175	1,684 1,516 168	3 11 -8	0.2 0.7 -4.5	8,963 8,063 900	10,003 8,964 1,039	1,040 901 139	11.6 11.2 15.4	4.1 3.9 6.0
Aircraft and other transportation equipment Aircraft, engines, parts Other transportation equipment	2,235 1,854 381	2,080 1,720 361	-155 -135 -20	-6.9 -7.3 -5.3	10,665 8,430 2,234	11,336 9,012 2,324	672 582 90	6.3 6.9 4.0	15.0 21.5 -8.3
Other machinery and equipment Television, telecommunication equipment Office machines and equipment Other equipment and tools Other end products, inedible	4,101 798 969 1,646 688	4,056 795 940 1,637 684	-45 -3 -29 -10 -4	-1.1 -0.4 -3.0 -0.6 -0.5	23,778 4,835 5,948 8,932 4,063	24,376 4,829 5,772 9,711 4,065	598 -6 -177 779 2	2.5 -0.1 -3.0 8.7 0.0	2.4 -4.7 -5.5 9.1 8.0
Automotive products	7,300	8,264	964	13.2	39,270	45,595	6,325	16.1	33.9
Passenger autos and chassis	5,207	6,120	913	17.5	28,147	33,104	4,957	17.6	41.7
Trucks and other motor vehicles	330	377	48	14.5	1,574	2,154	580	36.8	35.1
Motor vehicle parts	1,763	1,766	3	0.2	9,550	10,338	788	8.2	12.2
Other consumer goods	1,345	1,322	-23	-1.7	7,614	7,834	220	2.9	5.2
Special transactions trade	304	262	-42	-13.9	1,623	1,685	62	3.8	-1.7
Unallocated balance of payments adjustments	790	704	-86	-10.9	4,878	4,658	-220	-4.5	-7.4

Table 3-1

Domestic exports to selected countries, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
				mil	lions of dollar	'S			
United States 2011 2012	1,693.9 1,840.6	8,713.6 8,605.2	1,084.9 1,139.5	5,247.2 4,944.3	3,624.3 4,080.3	4,415.7 5,976.9	769.7 736.9	285.4 251.7	25,834.6 27,575.3
<b>Mexico</b> 2011 2012	134.2 133.8	14.8 1.7	13.3 10.7	114.4 107.2	56.8 62.9	55.8 69.2	6.1 9.3	0.0 0.0	395.4 394.9
<b>Japan</b> 2011 2012	290.6 387.0	138.7 250.8	149.2 107.4	134.2 220.5	34.4 55.4	3.3 5.2	6.5 14.8	1.6 1.3	758.5 1,042.4
European Union Germany 2011 2012	12.2 9.7	0.4 11.0	7.5 18.0	86.3 85.2	168.2 162.2	2.8 5.9	18.4 28.9	4.1 0.8	299.9 321.7
France 2011 2012	10.9 10.0	40.5 76.2	16.9 7.7	60.9 52.7	83.8 96.9	2.5 2.9	14.4 16.2	3.2 1.1	233.1 263.7
United Kingdom 2011 2012	38.1 31.9	3.4 13.1	18.0 11.5	1,239.0 1,162.8	137.6 164.6	5.2 3.4	17.0 13.2	5.2 6.6	1,463.3 1,407.2
Italy 2011 2012	29.3 29.3	0.1 21.3	25.3 19.9	30.3 35.2	37.6 32.9	0.4 1.0	5.7 10.7	0.2 0.1	128.8 150.4
Other European Union 2011 2012	78.3 92.0	109.2 191.2	21.4 24.4	408.4 299.4	161.6 166.4	13.1 10.4	45.1 47.0	3.0 2.2	840.2 833.2
Total 2011 2012	168.7 172.9	153.6 312.8	89.0 81.5	1,824.9 1,635.4	588.7 623.1	23.9 23.6	100.6 115.9	15.7 10.8	2,965.3 2,976.0
Newly industrialized countries South Korea 2011 2012	82.1 38.7	161.2 72.4	55.6 57.0	73.7 45.1	21.4 24.5	4.2 13.6	3.7 5.5	0.7 2.0	402.4 258.7
Hong Kong 2011 2012	33.6 29.6	0.1 0.0	11.0 7.7	95.1 100.5	20.7 21.8	0.9 1.2	6.7 5.9	0.2 0.3	168.3 167.0
Taiwan 2011 2012	13.3 10.2	0.1 23.6	23.8 17.8	51.6 62.8	10.0 12.1	0.1 0.8	3.0 4.0	0.2 0.1	102.0 131.3
Singapore 2011 2012	2.9 4.8	0.4 0.1	0.9 1.3	10.3 22.7	27.5 32.1	1.0 2.6	3.0 4.6	0.3 0.1	46.3 68.2
Total 2011 2012	132.0 83.3	161.8 96.1	91.2 83.7	230.7 231.0	79.6 90.5	6.1 18.2	16.4 20.0	1.3 2.3	719.0 625.2
Other countries 2011 2012	811.3 713.7	404.8 273.5	578.8 460.0	1,514.3 1,470.9	815.1 915.5	67.1 114.3	104.5 98.8	18.7 25.7	4,314.6 4,072.4
Total 2011 2012	3,230.6 3,331.2	9,587.4 9,540.2	2,006.4 1,882.9	9,065.6 8,609.2	5,198.9 5,827.8	4,572.0 6,207.3	1,003.8 995.7	322.8 291.9	34,987.5 36,686.3

Table 3-2 Domestic exports to selected countries, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — Year to date, January to June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
				mil	lions of dollar	'S			
United States 2011 2012	9,190.0 10,325.3	49,826.7 54,649.7	6,500.7 6,445.0	31,647.8 30,959.5	20,672.8 22,564.8	26,363.0 31,503.9	4,324.5 4,608.4	1,481.2 1,512.7	150,006.8 162,569.3
<b>Mexico</b> 2011 2012	676.8 808.4	68.5 26.4	73.3 66.5	588.8 609.1	386.2 387.2	323.5 368.2	40.8 48.7	2.0 1.9	2,160.0 2,316.4
<b>Japan</b> 2011 2012	1,903.2 1,926.3	956.7 1,060.7	694.3 632.6	1,079.0 1,080.9	297.6 349.0	25.5 33.7	46.6 75.8	10.5 7.0	5,013.5 5,165.9
European Union Germany 2011 2012	65.6 103.3	76.3 84.1	37.8 63.1	554.3 444.1	756.3 690.7	14.5 36.5	103.4 121.1	12.0 5.2	1,620.3 1,548.1
France 2011 2012	68.9 98.0	67.2 315.4	58.4 49.7	396.8 353.5	647.5 686.7	14.1 22.4	101.6 99.2	8.2 5.9	1,362.7 1,630.9
United Kingdom 2011 2012	165.8 143.6	102.4 219.3	83.7 77.7	7,185.3 7,764.2	625.7 770.1	31.8 25.5	81.3 85.7	28.7 25.1	8,304.7 9,111.2
Italy 2011 2012	138.7 104.1	117.2 137.8	144.7 95.0	205.0 152.5	224.7 202.5	3.6 4.7	43.1 61.8	1.2 1.2	878.2 759.5
Other European Union 2011 2012	627.0 460.7	735.4 978.7	111.9 125.0	2,238.6 2,253.9	1,075.2 1,066.2	72.4 80.2	317.5 245.2	17.1 15.3	5,195.1 5,225.2
Total 2011 2012	1,066.1 909.6	1,098.5 1,735.4	436.5 410.6	10,579.9 10,968.1	3,329.2 3,416.3	136.4 169.2	647.0 613.1	67.3 52.8	17,361.0 18,275.0
Newly industrialized countries South Korea 2011 2012	577.4 225.5	803.5 533.3	273.7 263.9	573.1 525.3	174.3 157.8	12.7 37.3	38.3 27.2	2.9 3.8	2,455.9 1,774.1
Hong Kong 2011 2012	190.0 234.1	0.3 0.2	59.7 46.2	834.2 826.7	199.3 157.3	3.6 6.5	40.3 35.8	2.4 1.2	1,329.7 1,307.8
Taiwan 2011 2012	75.0 75.3	130.6 128.8	154.8 118.1	387.4 279.9	56.6 61.1	0.7 1.5	18.3 19.3	0.6 0.3	824.0 684.3
Singapore 2011 2012	29.9 29.1	3.4 1.3	4.6 8.1	77.1 115.5	186.3 174.8	12.6 24.6	14.5 19.0	2.8 1.9	331.3 374.3
Total 2011 2012	872.3 563.9	937.8 663.6	492.7 436.2	1,871.8 1,747.4	616.6 551.0	29.6 69.9	111.4 101.3	8.7 7.2	4,940.8 4,140.6
Other countries 2011 2012	4,632.8 5,758.1	1,616.6 1,990.7	3,294.0 2,908.2	7,863.2 8,197.4	3,985.6 5,109.7	411.7 618.8	528.9 539.5	102.2 101.2	22,435.0 25,223.5
Total 2011 2012	18,341.2 20,291.6	54,504.8 60,126.5	11,491.5 10,899.1	53,630.6 53,562.4	29,288.4 32,378.3	27,289.7 32,763.7	5,699.3 5,986.9	1,672.0 1,682.6	201,917.6 217,691.0

Table 4 Domestic exports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

	June		January to Jur	ne	Change
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011
		millions of dolla	ars		percent
North America					
Greenland	1.1	0.2	5.1	4.1	-19.9
Mexico Saint Pierre and Miquelon	395.4 1.7	394.9 2.0	2,160.0 9.0	2,316.4 8.5	7.2 -5.3
United States	25,834.6	2.0 27,575.3	150,006.8	162,569.3	-5.3 8.4
Total	26,232.8	27,972.4	152,180.9	164,898.3	8.4
Western Europe					
Andorra	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	235.8
Austria	10.9	9.4	119.1	156.5	31.4
Belgium	135.7	162.2 32.0	1,021.1	1,037.3	1.6
Denmark Faeroe Islands	27.4 0.0	0.0	104.5 0.5	118.8 0.3	13.7 -30.5
Finland	54.4	25.7	207.1	193.7	-6.5
France	233.1	263.7	1,362.7	1,630.9	19.7
Germany	299.9	321.7	1,620.3	1,548.1	-4.5
Gibraltar	0.0	16.5	24.8	28.4	14.6
Greece Iceland	8.7 6.5	9.1 9.6	45.2 30.6	48.2 31.0	6.7 1.4
Italy	128.8	150.4	878.2	759.5	-13.5
Luxembourg	3.8	5.8	57.4	40.0	-30.3
Malta	0.2	0.6	2.8	5.5	98.8
Netherlands	342.1	349.6	2,189.6	2,319.2	5.9
Norway	101.9	149.7	1,401.0	1,161.1	-17.1
Portugal Republic of Ireland (Eire)	21.8 28.1	5.4 25.8	112.0 240.0	48.1 130.0	-57.0 -45.8
Spain	51.7	89.3	440.8	420.2	-4.7
Sweden	27.0	35.6	156.6	212.3	35.6
Switzerland	86.5	57.5	481.8	404.8	-16.0
United Kingdom	1,463.3	1,407.2	8,304.7	9,111.2	9.7
Total	3,031.9	3,126.4	18,800.6	19,405.3	3.2
Other Europe Albania	6.9	2.9	31.9	19.1	-40.2
Armenia	0.9	1.2	7.8	5.6	-28.2
Azerbaijan	1.5	1.3	5.2	19.7	281.9
Belarus	0.0	0.1	0.8	1.8	121.1
Bosnia and Herzegovina	1.0	0.2	2.8	0.9	-69.2
Bulgaria Croatia	72.8 2.2	1.7 1.2	134.3 7.8	98.6 8.2	-26.6 5.0
Czech Republic	2.2 7.5	8.0	7.6 48.4	44.3	-8.5
Estonia	4.2	1.5	65.7	9.1	-86.1
Georgia	2.2	2.1	9.8	10.3	4.3
Hungary	8.8	7.8	45.6	39.8	-12.7
Kazakhstan	6.3 0.5	6.2 2.0	85.6	47.2	-44.8 530.6
Kyrgyzstan Latvia	0.5 2.4	2.0 3.3	1.6 32.6	10.0 23.0	-29.7
Lithuania	4.9	7.0	25.1	40.2	60.2
Macedonia (Former Yugoslav					
Republic of Macedonia)	2.8	1.5	9.0	6.8	-24.5
Montenegro	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.4	-50.6
Poland Republic of Moldova	19.6 0.2	38.3 0.1	91.8 0.6	181.7 0.4	98.0 -31.4
Romania	3.5	11.6	21.6	31.9	47.9
Russian Federation	128.1	108.2	598.9	874.0	45.9
Serbia	1.2	0.8	3.7	5.4	47.2
Slovakia	1.5	2.0	22.6	14.9	-34.0
Slovenia Tajikistan	1.0 0.2	0.6 0.1	6.0 1.1	5.3 1.3	-12.1 16.9
Turkmenistan	2.2	0.1	7.7	41.3	437.9
Ukraine	9.6	6.8	57.9	52.4	-9.5
Uzbekistan	0.8	0.2	4.3	2.5	-42.1
Total	292.9	217.0	1,331.0	1,596.0	19.9
Middle East	4 4	E 4	40.4	20.2	00.7
Bahrain Cyprus	1.4 2.1	5.1 0.9	19.4 5.3	38.2 6.7	96.7 24.7
Egypt	113.4	9.7	358.6	160.7	-55.2
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Table 4 – continued Domestic exports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

	June		January to June		Change
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011
		millions of dollar	S		percent
Eritrea	0.1	0.2	2.3	1.7	-28.7
Ethiopia	3.6	1.7	11.2	7.5	-33.1
Iran Iraq	5.4 5.7	3.1 22.2	41.4 19.9	57.7 302.8	39.4
Israel	30.9	16.4	158.3	112.4	-29.0
Jordan	6.2	3.1	33.4	68.7	105.8
Kuwait	7.2	6.5	52.0	41.3	-20.7
Lebanon	3.5	50.5	24.3	71.0	191.6
Libya	0.1	4.8	36.7 39.9	48.8	33.0 58.1
Oman Qatar	8.4 3.9	8.4 4.2	23.5	63.1 92.4	292.6
Saudi Arabia	46.2	95.5	350.4	705.9	101.5
Somalia	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	-87.8
Sudan	2.4	14.7	61.1	79.5	30.2
Syria	5.1	1.5	36.6	8.6	-76.5
Turkey United Arab Emirates	135.9 45.3	65.8 50.9	610.6 550.4	451.1 826.9	-26.1 50.2
Yemen	0.3	0.4	6.3	8.3	31.7
Total	427.1	365.5	2,442.0	3,153.2	29.1
Other Africa					
Algeria	15.4	12.4	84.5	169.8	101.0
Angola	34.1	30.7	60.8	56.9	-6.4
Antarctica Benin	0.0 1.6	0.0 1.5	0.0 6.3	0.0 7.3	-72.0 16.1
Botswana	0.0	0.0	2.8	7.5 0.5	-81.8
Burkina Faso	2.4	2.1	9.3	20.6	121.0
Burundi	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.7	94.6
Cameroon	4.3	3.8	14.7	15.8	7.8
Cape Verde	0.1	0.0	1.2	0.3	-74.9
Central African Republic Chad	0.1 0.0	0.0 0.5	0.2 1.2	0.0 1.6	-71.9 32.5
Comoros	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	105.0
Congo	1.7	1.1	7.9	7.8	-0.8
Democratic Republic of the Congo	1.6	1.8	7.1	9.2	30.4
Djibouti	0.1	0.3	0.5	1.1	104.3
Equatorial Guinea French Southern Territories	0.1 0.0	0.4 0.0	4.7 0.0	2.3 0.0	-51.9 -83.4
Gabon	1.1	1.8	9.5	11.6	22.0
Gambia	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.4	27.2
Ghana	21.9	22.9	120.9	105.4	-12.9
Guinea	1.4	3.9	14.7	11.9	-19.0
Guinea-Bissau	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-47.7
Ivory Coast Kenya	2.1 5.5	2.8 7.2	2.9 26.3	16.4 37.1	463.6 40.7
Lesotho	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-60.2
Liberia	1.0	0.7	7.8	4.7	-39.5
Madagascar	2.2	0.4	7.3	7.1	-3.3
Malawi	0.5	0.4	2.4	1.3	-47.5
Mali Mauritania	1.9 0.5	0.6 0.3	8.6 7.0	7.1 8.5	-17.3 21.6
Mauritius	0.4	0.5	3.1	2.2	-30.7
Morocco	42.6	11.0	215.0	223.8	4.1
Mozambique	0.9	1.5	5.8	25.1	336.4
Namibia	1.9	0.1	3.5	7.7	119.0
Niger	0.3	0.4	2.6	2.1	-20.7
Nigeria Rwanda	33.4 0.0	46.1 0.1	91.4 0.4	166.5 0.4	82.3 5.2
Saint Helena	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.4	-100.0
Sao Tome and Principe	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-66.8
Senegal	0.8	5.2	14.1	16.8	19.5
Seychelles	0.4	0.3	1.7	6.5	278.7
Sierra Leone	0.5	0.6	5.1	5.1	-0.7
South Africa	57.7 0.1	54.3 0.0	280.1	283.4	1.2
Swaziland Togo	2.3	3.3	0.3 8.0	0.7 9.5	133.2 18.6
	1.6	2.6	0.0	90.4	401.7

Table 4 – continued

Domestic exports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

	June		January to Jun	e	Change	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011	
		millions of dolla	irs		percent	
Uganda United Republic of Tanzania Zambia Zimbabwe Total	0.6 2.3 3.0 0.6 <b>249.3</b>	0.5 4.2 2.7 0.6 <b>230.3</b>	4.4 21.0 15.0 2.1 <b>1,101.2</b>	2.8 25.8 16.8 6.5 <b>1,397.7</b>	-36.9 22.6 11.6 213.3 <b>26.9</b>	
Other Asia Afghanistan Bangladesh Bhutan British Indian Ocean Territory Brunei Darussalam Cambodia China Hong Kong India Indonesia Japan Laos Macao Malaysia Maldives Mongolia Myanmar Nepal North Korea Pakistan Philippines Singapore South Korea Sri Lanka Taiwan Thailand Timor-Leste Viet Nam	3.0 25.6 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.8 1,507.8 168.3 188.1 155.4 758.5 0.3 0.1 78.0 0.2 5.9 0.0 1.0 0.1 53.3 99.0 46.3 402.4 28.6 102.0 120.3 0.0 34.0	3.3 40.4 0.0 0.0 0.2 0.7 1,583.2 167.0 279.0 123.2 1,042.4 0.0 0.2 70.5 0.2 2.0 0.0 0.4 0.0 12.5 39.3 68.2 258.7 24.9 131.3 75.4 0.0 28.4	23.6 266.3 0.0 0.0 0.8 2.9 7,194.5 1,329.7 1,013.8 781.2 5,013.5 5.2 1.3 474.7 1.5 45.1 0.7 2.1 1.8 337.0 283.8 331.3 2,455.9 184.2 824.0 449.6 0.0 147.5	11.5 288.0 0.0 0.0 1.8 3.5 9,114.4 1,307.8 1,082.3 813.6 5,165.9 2.4 2.1 414.8 2.0 31.5 0.0 2.4 1.6 208.8 197.2 374.3 1,774.1 160.7 684.3 335.3 0.0 171.7	-51.5 8.1 -55.4 -100.0 109.4 21.5 26.7 -1.6 6.8 4.1 3.0 -53.3 60.3 -12.6 34.4 -30.1 -100.0 10.4 -10.9 -38.0 -30.5 13.0 -27.8 -12.8 -16.9 -25.4 -56.0 16.4	
Total  Oceania American Samoa Australia Christmas Island Cocos (Keeling) Islands Cook Islands Fiji French Polynesia Guam Heard Island and McDonald Islands Kiribati New Caledonia New Zealand Niue Norfolk Island Papua New Guinea Pitcairn Samoa Solomon Islands Tonga United States Minor Outlying Islands Vanuatu Wallis and Futuna Total	3,779.3  0.0 133.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.2 0.4 0.1 0.0 0.5 22.0 0.0 0.7 0.0 0.0 0.7 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.9 0.1 0.0 158.1	3,951.6  0.2 139.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 1.1 0.5 0.2 0.0 0.0 0.4 26.6 0.0 0.0 4.3 0.0 0.0 0.0 1.7 0.1 0.0 174.2	21,172.2  0.6 771.8 0.0 0.0 0.1 2.2 4.9 0.9 0.0 0.1 2.9 142.7 0.0 0.0 24.3 0.0 0.0 24.3 0.0 0.0 0.2 0.1 5.5 0.6 0.0 957.0	22,152.2  0.5 947.6 0.2 0.1 0.0 7.9 4.3 0.8 0.0 0.0 19.9 165.3 0.0 0.0 14.2 0.1 0.0 6.6 0.6 0.0 1,168.3	-26.0 22.8 407.693.1 258.7 -12.4 -14.273.8 585.9 15.8 -42.441.5 92.2 246.5 -66.8 21.2 -0.3 -16.8 22.1	
South America Argentina Bolivia Brazil Chile Colombia	18.7 1.3 344.9 73.5 56.2	14.1 13.1 159.5 49.9 58.6	299.9 5.7 1,292.1 360.2 306.1	154.7 18.3 1,318.5 362.8 373.4	-48.4 220.8 2.0 0.7 22.0	

Table 4 – continued Domestic exports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

	June		January to Jur	ne	Change	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011	
		millions of dolla	ars		percent	
Ecuador	33.5	18.9	151.8	95.7	-37.0	
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-100.0	
Guyana	1.3	3.2	17.8	13.5	-23.9	
Paraguay	0.7	0.4	4.0	8.1	101.4	
Peru	39.0	32.4	226.1	204.7	-9.5	
Suriname	0.7	0.9	5.1	8.3	61.0	
Uruguay	2.6	3.7	13.3	15.8	18.4	
Venezuela	60.1	60.1	245.6	336.8	37.2	
Total	632.5	414.9	2,927.8	2,910.4	-0.6	
Central America Antilles						
Anguilla	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	-4.8	
Antigua and Barbuda	1.4	0.6	4.9	6.2	25.9	
Aruba	0.3	0.7	2.1	4.4	114.9	
Bahamas	3.0	72.3	34.5	120.6	249.9	
Barbados	3.1	3.6	22.3	16.8	-24.8	
Belize	0.5	0.4	2.4	4.2	77.2	
Bermuda	49.8	1.8	60.5	11.5	-81.0	
British Virgin Islands	0.1	0.4	47.5	1.1	-97.8	
Cayman Islands	1.8	0.3	3.7	3.4	-7.8	
Costa Rica	4.9	26.9	46.4	92.0	98.1	
Cuba	29.9	23.3	201.2	163.8	-18.6	
Dominica	0.3	0.3	1.5	2.0	34.9	
Dominican Republic	22.3	9.8	83.1	60.0	-27.8	
El Salvador	4.5	2.2	18.3	13.2	-28.2	
Grenada	0.2	0.3	2.3	2.6	11.0	
Guatemala	6.6	9.8	45.2	49.8	10.2	
Haiti	2.5	3.0	19.6	13.7	-30.3	
Honduras	2.0	2.3	17.3	16.0	-7.8	
Jamaica	7.8	13.0	49.8	64.9	30.1	
Montserrat	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	-22.1	
Netherlands Antilles	1.3	1.1	90.8	105.0	15.6	
Nicaragua	1.8	10.3	15.4	18.4	19.7	
Panama	13.5	7.1	49.8	36.9	-25.8	
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.4	0.5	2.7	2.5	-9.6	
Saint Lucia	0.8	0.7	4.6	5.0	7.9	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.7	0.8	3.7	3.4	-9.9	
Trinidad and Tobago	23.7	42.3	173.6	191.3	10.2	
Turks and Caicos Islands	0.1	0.1	1.1	0.9	-17.7	
Total	183.6	233.9	1,004.8	1,009.8	0.5	
All countries	34,987.5	36,686.3	201,917.6	217,691.0	7.8	

Table 5-1
Exports by province of origin, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
				mil	lions of dollars	3			
Domestic exports Newfoundland and Labrador 2011 2012	150.1 135.0	595.8 671.4	19.8 8.1	181.1 252.0	2.3 4.3	0.1 0.1	0.1 0.1	2.9 2.1	952.0 1,073.1
Prince Edward Island 2011 2012	42.0 52.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	1.3 2.9	7.3 14.7	0.3 0.3	4.7 3.8	9.1 13.1	64.6 86.9
Nova Scotia 2011 2012	122.3 111.4	43.3 1.8	83.8 30.8	49.2 48.0	120.9 133.0	4.9 5.8	5.2 5.3	3.2 2.7	432.7 338.7
New Brunswick 2011 2012	155.2 183.7	971.2 732.1	103.7 95.7	149.2 94.5	27.8 29.2	4.3 3.4	11.9 16.7	3.5 2.5	1,426.8 1,157.9
Quebec 2011 2012	399.4 405.6	226.5 287.7	500.3 468.7	1,765.3 1,834.7	1,504.2 1,770.6	172.2 188.0	308.4 295.4	91.0 70.9	4,967.3 5,321.6
Ontario 2011 2012	774.5 827.0	254.2 425.4	242.0 221.6	4,068.1 3,846.6	2,578.9 2,880.7	4,241.1 5,815.7	574.2 593.6	142.4 122.1	12,875.4 14,732.7
Manitoba 2011 2012	287.2 286.5	102.4 99.6	19.2 16.6	316.4 254.9	195.3 199.0	42.3 58.2	40.7 27.6	24.0 28.6	1,027.6 971.0
Saskatchewan 2011 2012	567.2 595.0	951.5 961.2	19.7 36.6	898.4 920.2	58.3 72.8	5.1 4.9	0.4 0.7	3.8 3.1	2,504.4 2,594.5
Alberta 2011 2012	532.8 534.3	5,564.9 5,654.6	160.5 178.0	1,036.0 823.5	401.7 403.4	78.4 93.8	11.3 7.8	23.1 29.1	7,808.8 7,724.5
British Columbia 2011 2012	199.7 200.6	877.6 706.3	857.5 826.7	550.5 512.2	300.6 318.0	23.2 37.1	46.9 44.6	19.8 17.6	2,875.8 2,663.2
Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut <sup>1</sup> 2011	0.3	0.0	0.0	50.2	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	52.2
2012 Total 2011 2012	0.1 <b>3,230.6</b> <b>3,331.2</b>	9,587.4 9,540.2	0.0 <b>2,006.4</b> <b>1,882.9</b>	19.8 <b>9,065.6</b> <b>8,609.2</b>	5,198.9 5,827.8	0.0 <b>4,572.0</b> <b>6,207.3</b>	0.1 1,003.8 995.7	0.0 <b>322.8</b> <b>291.9</b>	22.2 34,987.5 36,686.3
Re-exports 2011 2012	32.9 35.5	1.5 1.6	5.4 6.4	314.8 239.6	901.0 984.0	93.2 103.5	216.4 219.7	668.4 749.0	2,233.6 2,339.2
Total exports 2011 2012	3,263.5 3,366.7	9,588.9 9,541.8	2,011.8 1,889.3	9,380.5 8,848.8	6,099.9 6,811.7	4,665.2 6,310.8	1,220.1 1,215.5	991.2 1,040.9	37,221.1 39,025.5

<sup>1.</sup> Data for the current month do not include some exports from the Harmonized System, Chapter 71, "Natural/cultured pearls, precious stones and metals, coins, etc." for reasons relating to timing.

Table 5-2 Exports by province of origin, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — Year to date, January to June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
				mil	lions of dollars	3			
Domestic exports Newfoundland and Labrador 2011 2012	488.1 436.1	3,950.8 4,287.4	73.2 68.8	1,009.9 1,181.3	20.3 277.3	1.2 0.9	0.8 1.1	12.3 11.5	5,556.6 6,264.4
Prince Edward Island 2011 2012	209.6 236.7	0.0 0.0	0.2 0.1	11.0 17.3	35.6 93.3	1.6 2.7	16.6 17.8	40.9 58.0	315.5 425.9
Nova Scotia 2011 2012	537.3 566.1	290.0 24.4	406.8 187.0	280.6 287.8	683.8 699.5	30.6 37.3	29.2 30.2	18.7 18.4	2,277.1 1,850.5
New Brunswick 2011 2012	645.4 771.8	5,448.0 5,329.7	636.4 630.3	632.5 583.5	162.2 174.0	22.7 23.6	67.9 83.6	19.2 18.1	7,634.3 7,614.6
Quebec 2011 2012	2,443.9 2,584.4	1,702.2 1,873.3	2,915.6 2,672.4	10,796.4 11,040.2	8,511.7 9,645.8	901.1 1,124.9	1,669.7 1,760.8	420.8 409.1	29,361.6 31,110.8
Ontario 2011 2012	4,139.3 4,410.7	1,431.8 1,781.6	1,424.1 1,254.3	24,542.3 24,879.9	14,829.0 15,764.3	25,518.7 30,529.0	3,318.0 3,521.3	764.2 745.8	75,967.5 82,886.9
Manitoba 2011 2012	1,791.3 2,060.0	495.6 571.4	122.1 128.5	1,480.7 1,401.9	1,085.4 1,240.3	230.5 310.9	260.4 215.3	129.0 139.9	5,595.1 6,068.3
Saskatchewan 2011 2012	3,780.5 4,325.5	4,684.5 6,279.7	122.1 191.8	4,838.7 4,784.4	319.7 398.9	30.6 25.1	6.6 8.9	22.8 21.6	13,805.5 16,035.8
Alberta 2011 2012	3,271.6 3,806.5	32,081.4 35,621.3	983.4 1,016.9	5,723.5 5,370.6	2,065.3 2,290.0	415.4 529.4	62.6 62.3	122.0 147.7	44,725.0 48,844.7
British Columbia 2011 2012	1,033.5 1,092.4	4,420.5 4,357.5	4,807.5 4,748.9	3,243.1 3,122.6	1,570.7 1,788.5	137.0 179.6	267.2 285.1	121.9 112.4	15,601.4 15,686.9
Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut <sup>1</sup> 2011	0.8	0.0	0.1	1,071.9	4.6	0.3	0.3	0.2	1,078.1
2012	1.7	0.1	0.0	892.9	6.4	0.4	0.7	0.1	902.3
Total 2011 2012	18,341.2 20,291.6	54,504.8 60,126.5	11,491.5 10,899.1	53,630.6 53,562.4	29,288.4 32,378.3	27,289.7 32,763.7	5,699.3 5,986.9	1,672.0 1,682.6	201,917.6 217,691.0
Re-exports 2011 2012	292.3 324.4	72.3 52.6	39.1 47.2	2,177.9 1,644.5	5,166.9 5,378.1	582.0 653.5	1,346.5 1,329.0	3,880.2 4,547.3	13,557.1 13,976.7
Total exports 2011 2012	18,633.5 20,616.0	54,577.1 60,179.1	11,530.6 10,946.3	55,808.6 55,206.9	34,455.4 37,756.4	27,871.7 33,417.3	7,045.8 7,315.9	5,552.2 6,229.9	215,474.8 231,667.7

<sup>1.</sup> Data for the current month do not include some exports from the Harmonized System Chapter 71, "Natural/cultured pearls, precious stones and metals, coins, etc." for reasons relating to timing.

Table 6-1 Imports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Current dollars

	May 2012	June 2012	Chan	ge		Year to o	date		June 2012/	
				_	2011	2012	Chang	e	June 2011	
	mill	ions of dollars		percent	milli	ons of dollars	<u> </u>	per	cent	
Total	39,981	40,903	922	2.3	223,494	238,884	15,390	6.9	7.4	
Agricultural and fishing products	2,838	2,933	95	3.4	15,971	16,949	978	6.1	7.5	
Fruits and vegetables	766	812	47	6.1	4,383	4,580	198	4.5	9.8	
Fresh fruits and berries	278	291	13	4.7	1,511	1,628	117	7.8	17.1	
Dried fruits, fruits and fruit preparations	129	145	16	12.4	760	818	58	7.6	13.7	
Fresh vegetables	179	190	12	6.6	1,149	1,056	-93	-8.1	0.6	
Other vegetables and vegetable										
preparations	180	186	6	3.3	962	1,078	116	12.0	6.6	
Other agricultural and fishing products	2,072	2,121	49	2.3	11,588	12,369	780	6.7	6.6	
Live animals	22	18	-3	-14.4	109	111	2	1.8	3.4	
Meat and meat preparations	217	248	30	13.8	1,200	1,390	190	15.8	20.5	
Fish and marine animals	188	203	15	8.2	1,131	1,154	23	2.0	8.7	
Cocoa, coffee, tea and other food										
preparations	498	494	-4	-0.7	2,786	2,951	165	5.9	2.1	
Dairy produce, eggs and honey	56	48	-8	-13.9	308	316	9	2.8	-9.8	
Corn (maize) shelled	36	36	0	-0.3	159	231	72	45.1	22.7	
Other cereals and cereal preparations	198	215	17	8.7	1,080	1,238	158	14.6	16.9	
Sugar and sugar preparations	206	187	-19	-9.0	1,101	1,090	-12	-1.1	-4.3	
Fodder, feed, excluding unmilled cereal Beverages	134 351	150 346	16 -5	11.8 -1.4	710 1,939	786 2,044	76 106	10.7 5.5	28.2 6.4	
Tobacco	33	29	-3 -4	-1.4 -11.4	1,939	190	20	11.8	-6.4	
Crude vegetable products	131	144	13	9.6	889	862	-27	-3.0	-8.5	
Cotton	131	1	-1	-52.2	7	6	-2 <i>1</i> -1	-3.0 -8.0	-30.9	
Energy products	4,398	4,239	-158	-3.6	26,039	26,434	395	1.5	-3.2	
Crude petroleum	2,668	2,184	-484	-18.2	14,028	14,965	937	6.7	1.9	
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Other energy products	1,729	2,055	326	18.9	12,011	11,469	-542	-4.5	-8.0	
Coal and other related products	299	294	-5	-1.7	2,607	1,920	-687	-26.4	-40.0	
Petroleum and coal products	1,430	1,762	331	23.2	9,403	9,549	145	1.5	1.0	
Forestry products	221	238	17	7.9	1,225	1,328	102	8.3	18.6	
Forestry products	221	238	17	7.9	1,225	1,328	102	8.3	18.6	
Crude wood products	34	37	3	10.0	182	194	11	6.2	42.3	
Wood fabricated materials	187	201	14	7.5	1,043	1,134	91	8.7	15.0	
Industrial goods and materials	8,284	8,476	192	2.3	47,453	49,910	2,456	5.2	3.6	
Metals and metal ores	3,117	3,220	103	3.3	19,274	19,086	-188	-1.0	-7.8	
Metals in ores, concentrates and scrap	607	618	11	1.8	4,169	3,798	-371	-8.9	-21.9	
Steel bars, rods, plates, sheets	597	635	38	6.3	3,571	3,831	260	7.3	3.5	
Other iron and steel products	452	519	67	14.9	2,455	2,772	317	12.9	17.6	
Precious metals including alloys	1,096	1,076	-20	-1.8	6,790	6,394	-396	-5.8	-14.6	
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	365	372	8	2.1	2,289	2,291	2	0.1	-3.5	
Chemicals and plastics	2,786	2,825	39	1.4	15,239	16,533	1,294	8.5	12.1	
Organic chemicals	599	589	-10	-1.6	3,402	3,629	227	6.7	-1.1	
Plastic materials	960	1,027	68	7.1	5,316	5,807	491	9.2	14.2	
Other chemicals and related products	1,227	1,208	-19	-1.5	6,520	7,097	577	8.8	17.8	
Other industrial goods and materials	2,382	2,431	50	2.1	12,940	14,290	1,350	10.4	11.9	
Crude animal products	35	26	-9	-25.1	158	198	40	25.5	5.9	
Wool and man-made fibres	20	23	3	14.8	137	129	-8	-5.9	10.3	
Crude non-metallic minerals	70	71	1	1.9	405	411	6	1.5	0.8	
Textile fabricated materials	215	221	6	2.8	1,244	1,317	73	5.9	5.0	
Metal fabricated basic products	1,046	1,069	23	2.2	5,378	6,205	827	15.4	15.7	
Rubber fabricated materials	107	111	3	3.2	547	646	99	18.1	20.6	
Oils, fats, animal and vegetable	97	98	1	1.4	598	598	0	0.1	-2.8	
Non-metallic minerals	344	346	3	0.8	1,840	2,064	224	12.2	10.6	
Other fabricated materials	447	465	18	3.9	2,635	2,722	88	3.3	11.8	

Table 6-1 – continued Imports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Current dollars

	May 2012	June 2012	Chan	ge		Year to d	date		June 2012/	
				_	2011	2012	Change	e	June 2011	
	mil	lions of dollars		percent	millio	ons of dollars		per	cent	
Machinery and equipment	10,876	11,225	348	3.2	61,328	65,211	3,882	6.3	4.7	
Industrial and agricultural machinery Engines, turbines and electric motors Drilling mining machinery	3,215 370 214	3,403 361 235	188 -9 21	5.9 -2.4 9.9	17,348 2,130 1,715	19,287 2,294 1,235	1,939 164 -480	11.2 7.7 -28.0	-1.1 47.8 -74.0	
Excavating machinery Metal working machinery Other industrial machinery Agricultural machinery including	377 181 1,591	404 196 1,726	28 15 135	7.4 8.4 8.5	1,629 1,067 8,545	2,115 1,091 9,742	486 24 1,197	29.8 2.3 14.0	46.7 23.8 17.6	
tractors	483	480	-3	-0.6	2,261	2,808	547	24.2	23.2	
Aircraft and other transportation equipment Aircraft, engines, parts Other transportation equipment and	1,412 801	1,331 738	-80 -63	-5.7 -7.9	7,935 4,610	8,050 4,460	115 -151	1.5 -3.3	11.5 17.4	
parts	611	594	-17	-2.8	3,324	3,590	266	8.0	5.0	
Office machines and equipment	1,105	1,109	5	0.4	6,851	6,523	-329	-4.8	-2.6	
Other machinery and equipment Other communication and related	5,146	5,381	236	4.6	29,194	31,351	2,157	7.4	8.7	
equipment Other equipment and tools	1,711 3,435	1,798 3,584	87 149	5.1 4.3	10,958 18,237	10,835 20,517	-123 2,280	-1.1 12.5	-6.2 18.2	
Automotive products	6,918	6,995	77	1.1	34,935	40,355	5,421	15.5	21.9	
Passenger autos and chassis	2,136	2,118	-18	-0.9	11,033	12,615	1,582	14.3	15.6	
Trucks and other motor vehicles	1,827	1,856	29	1.6	9,122	10,562	1,440	15.8	17.8	
Motor vehicle parts	2,955	3,021	67	2.3	14,780	17,179	2,399	16.2	29.7	
Other consumer goods	5,063	5,299	236	4.7	29,212	30,389	1,177	4.0	6.6	
Apparel and footwear Apparel and apparel accessories Footwear	1,026 843 183	1,057 870 187	31 27 4	3.0 3.2 2.4	5,986 4,972 1,014	6,130 5,089 1,041	144 117 26	2.4 2.4 2.6	-2.9 -4.3 4.4	
Miscellaneous consumer goods Television, radios, phonographs Printed matter Watches, sporting goods and toys House furnishings Photographic goods Miscellaneous end products	4,037 149 262 503 783 210 2,129	4,242 147 322 506 832 206 2,228	205 -1 60 3 49 -4 99	5.1 -0.7 22.7 0.5 6.3 -2.1 4.7	23,226 778 1,697 2,904 4,282 1,341 12,224	24,259 846 1,687 2,981 4,704 1,215 12,826	1,034 68 -10 77 423 -126 601	4.5 8.8 -0.6 2.7 9.9 -9.4 4.9	9.3 16.3 13.2 1.6 12.7 1.6 9.8	
Special transactions trade	528	629	101	19.1	2,590	3,217	627	24.2	45.2	
Unallocated balance of payments adjustments	856	869	13	1.6	4,741	5,092	351	7.4	15.6	

Table 6-2 Imports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Constant dollars, 2002

		June 2012	Chan	ge		Year to d	ate		June 2012/
	2012			_	2011	2012	Chang	e	June 2011
_	mill	ions of dollars		percent	milli	ons of dollars		per	cent
Total	43,650	44,742	1,092	2.5	253,424	262,310	8,886	3.5	3.4
Agricultural and fishing products	2,722	2,733	11	0.4	15,962	16,449	487	3.1	0.5
Fruits and vegetables	749	762	13	1.7	4,365	4,605	240	5.5	3.3
Fresh fruits and berries	284	284	1	0.2	1,631	1,664	33	2.0	10.9
Dried fruits, fruits and fruit preparations	108	118	10	9.5	726	675	-51	-7.0	2.4
Fresh vegetables	201	204	3	1.6	1,084	1,322	237	21.9	-0.5
Other vegetables and vegetable	457	450		0.0	004	0.45	04	0.0	0.4
preparations	157	156	-1	-0.9	924	945	21	2.3	-3.4
Other agricultural and fishing products	1,973	1,971	-2	-0.1	11,597	11,844	247	2.1	-0.5
Live animals	19	16	-3	-14.6	106	98	-8	-7.1	-5.0
Meat and meat preparations	202	221	19	9.3	1,134	1,263	128	11.3	10.0
Fish and marine animals	204	240	36	17.8	1,418	1,257	-161	-11.4	6.1
Cocoa, coffee, tea and other food									
preparations	536	509	-28	-5.2	3,120	3,239	120	3.8	-8.6
Dairy produce, eggs and honey	57	45	-12	-21.2	309	299	-10	-3.1	-17.0
Corn (maize) shelled	22	22	0	0.1	99	133	34	34.3	24.8
Other cereals and cereal preparations	157 193	183 169	26 -25	16.4 -12.7	844 1,072	1,044 1,021	199 -51	23.6 -4.8	28.0 -8.1
Sugar and sugar preparations Fodder, feed, excluding unmilled cereal	106	110	-25 4	3.3	609	636	-51 27	-4.8 4.5	-6.1 8.1
Beverages	327	317	-10	-3.1	1,864	1,885	21	1.1	1.1
Tobacco	37	32	-10	-14.3	206	212	6	3.1	-16.3
Crude vegetable products	112	109	-3	-2.9	809	751	-58	-7.1	-16.4
Cotton	1	1	-1	-47.6	8	6	-2	-27.8	-43.6
Energy products	1,890	2,006	116	6.1	11,810	11,440	-370	-3.1	3.5
Crude petroleum	924	813	-112	-12.1	4,972	4,982	10	0.2	9.6
Other energy products	966	1,193	227	23.6	6,838	6,458	-380	-5.6	-0.2
Coal and other related products	403	422	18	4.5	2,646	2,592	-54	-2.0	-7.7
Petroleum and coal products	562	772	209	37.2	4,192	3,866	-327	-7.8	4.4
Forestry products	292	306	14	4.8	1,676	1,768	92	5.5	10.2
Forestry products	292	306	14	4.8	1,676	1,768	92	5.5	10.2
Crude wood products	52	54	2	4.8	273	284	10	3.7	28.5
Wood fabricated materials	240	252	11	4.7	1,403	1,485	82	5.8	7.0
Industrial goods and materials	7,050	7,146	96	1.4	41,106	42,242	1,137	2.8	3.4
Metals and metal ores	2,100	2,159	59	2.8	12,115	12,561	446	3.7	-2.0
Metals in ores, concentrates and scrap	312	310	-2	-0.7	2,008	1,920	-88	-4.4	-20.1
Steel bars, rods, plates, sheets	453	468	15	3.3	2,858	2,872	15	0.5	0.5
Other iron and steel products	292	333	41	14.1	1,683	1,814	132	7.8	13.0
Precious metals including alloys	685	687	2	0.3	3,411	3,718	307	9.0	0.6
Other non-ferrous metals and alloys	358	361	2	0.7	2,155	2,237	81	3.8	-2.7
Chemicals and plastics	2,390	2,429	39	1.6	14,149	14,247	98	0.7	8.1
Organic chemicals	357	365	8	2.3	2,200	2,214	14	0.6	0.0
Plastic materials	925	997	73	7.9	5,490	5,659	169	3.1	9.7
Other chemicals and related products	1,109	1,067	-42	-3.8	6,459	6,374	-85	-1.3	9.6
Other industrial goods and materials	2,560	2,558	-2	-0.1	14,841	15,434	593	4.0	3.9
Crude animal products	31	23	-8	-26.0	156	189	33	21.2	0.3
Wool and man-made fibres	24	27	4	16.3	164	151	-14	-8.3	16.8
Crude non-metallic minerals	57	54	-3	-4.9	324	334	10	3.1	-1.1
Textile fabricated materials	272	279	7	2.6	1,672	1,672	-1	0.0	1.4
Metal fabricated basic products	1,060	1,066	7	0.6	5,850	6,320	470	8.0	8.2
Rubber fabricated materials	115	115	1	0.6	673	700	27	3.9	6.3
Oils, fats, animal and vegetable	84	88	4	5.4	542	523	-18	-3.4	-1.9
Non-metallic minerals	400	391	-10	-2.4	2,312	2,405	93	4.0	-0.7
Other fabricated materials	518	514	-4	-0.8	3,148	3,141	-7	-0.2	1.1

Table 6-2 – continued Imports by commodity groupings, balance of payments basis, seasonally adjusted — Constant dollars, 2002

		June 2012	Chan	ge		Year to d	date		June 2012/
	2012				2011	2012	Chang	е	June 2011
	milli	ions of dollars		percent	millio	ons of dollars		per	cent
Machinery and equipment	15,862	16,338	476	3.0	94,381	96,217	1,836	1.9	-2.3
Industrial and agricultural machinery Engines, turbines and electric motors Drilling mining machinery Excavating machinery Metal working machinery Other industrial machinery Agricultural machinery including	3,778 437 230 439 221 1,843	3,928 426 248 463 241 1,959	150 -11 18 23 20 116	4.0 -2.6 7.8 5.3 9.3 6.3	22,189 2,726 2,254 2,130 1,424 10,656	22,838 2,761 1,334 2,478 1,362 11,364	649 35 -920 348 -62 707	2.9 1.3 -40.8 16.3 -4.4 6.6	-13.2 37.3 -81.1 29.7 14.8 7.6
tractors	608	591	-17	-2.8	2,999	3,539	541	18.0	14.7
Aircraft and other transportation equipment Aircraft, engines, parts Other transportation equipment and	1,590 964	1,469 880	-121 -84	-7.6 -8.7	9,522 5,813	9,142 5,429	-380 -383	-4.0 -6.6	3.3 8.9
parts	626	589	-37	-5.8	3,709	3,713	3	0.1	-4.1
Office machines and equipment	3,115	3,299	185	5.9	17,803	18,540	737	4.1	5.9
Other machinery and equipment Other communication and related	7,379	7,641	262	3.6	44,867	45,697	830	1.8	-0.3
equipment Other equipment and tools	2,950 4,429	3,081 4,560	131 131	4.4 3.0	19,842 25,024	18,995 26,701	-847 1,677	-4.3 6.7	-12.6 10.2
Automotive products	8,451	8,467	16	0.2	43,855	49,632	5,777	13.2	17.4
Passenger autos and chassis	2,503	2,468	-35	-1.4	12,804	14,732	1,928	15.1	15.0
Trucks and other motor vehicles	2,088	2,105	16	0.8	10,757	12,284	1,527	14.2	12.9
Motor vehicle parts	3,859	3,894	35	0.9	20,293	22,617	2,323	11.4	21.7
Other consumer goods	6,313	6,513	200	3.2	39,108	38,146	-961	-2.5	-1.3
Apparel and footwear Apparel and apparel accessories Footwear	1,344 1,105 239	1,384 1,144 240	40 39 1	3.0 3.5 0.4	8,706 7,250 1,456	8,162 6,787 1,375	-543 -462 -81	-6.2 -6.4 -5.6	-10.5 -11.4 -6.0
Miscellaneous consumer goods Television, radios, phonographs Printed matter Watches, sporting goods and toys House furnishings Photographic goods Miscellaneous end products	4,969 253 325 644 970 464 2,313	5,129 245 390 643 1,010 464 2,376	160 -8 65 -1 41 0 63	3.2 -3.1 20.1 -0.2 4.2 0.1 2.7	30,402 1,355 2,185 4,061 5,637 2,855 14,308	29,984 1,440 2,101 3,898 5,854 2,703 13,988	-418 85 -84 -163 217 -153 -319	-1.4 6.3 -3.9 -4.0 3.8 -5.4 -2.2	1.5 10.6 5.6 -3.0 4.2 9.2 -1.1
Special transactions trade	577	695	118	20.4	2,953	3,556	603	20.4	39.4
Unallocated balance of payments adjustments	493	538	45	9.2	2,573	2,859	286	11.1	39.9

Table 7-1 Imports from selected countries, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
				mil	ions of dollar	s			
United States	4.007.0	4 440 0	450.0	4.000.0	4.550.0	4.444.0	0.070.4	400.4	40.007.0
2011 2012	1,607.8 1,823.9	1,419.0 1,564.4	150.2 178.2	4,660.9 5,157.9	4,552.8 5,269.6	4,141.0 4,878.0	2,073.1 2,087.1	402.1 594.8	19,007.0 21,553.9
Mexico 2011	121.4	136.5	0.5	248.3	682.7	859.9	106.9	6.9	2,163.2
2012	131.7	78.9	0.4	242.6	705.8	903.9	120.1	4.6	2,188.0
<b>Japan</b> 2011	5.1	1.5	0.0	84.9	453.1	298.9	80.8	0.8	925.1
2012	5.6	2.3	0.2	114.6	539.9	521.5	98.1	0.3	1,282.5
European Union Germany									
2011 2012	23.5 25.4	1.5 6.5	0.8 1.1	214.5 195.5	401.1 505.8	308.6 280.1	143.4 120.6	0.5 1.4	1,093.8 1,136.3
France									,,,,,,,,,
2011 2012	75.3 72.8	8.6 1.4	0.8 0.6	67.1 59.4	155.2 153.6	6.4 7.3	121.2 117.8	0.4 1.9	435.0 414.9
United Kingdom									
2011 2012	35.2 35.2	474.8 243.0	0.1 0.0	176.5 124.4	280.6 202.0	40.0 35.0	97.4 104.6	2.8 1.6	1,107.3 745.8
Italy	00.5	0.4		22.2	440.4	07.0	405.5	0.5	40.4.5
2011 2012	60.5 58.3	0.1 0.1	1.4 1.4	98.9 105.0	140.1 149.9	27.6 31.2	105.5 104.4	0.5 0.4	434.5 450.8
Other European Union 2011	102.8	400.7	4.3	373.7	409.4	87.5	282.5	3.6	1,664.6
2012	100.5	418.8	4.8	290.5	445.3	87.4	355.0	1.5	1,703.8
Total 2011	297.3	885.6	7.4	930.8	1,386.5	470.1	749.8	7.9	4,735.3
2012	292.1	669.9	7.9	774.9	1,456.6	441.0	802.4	6.9	4,451.6
Newly industrialized countries South Korea									
2011 2012	6.4 6.6	67.4 1.8	0.0 0.0	127.5 101.9	294.3 210.9	186.5 238.7	19.4 17.7	0.2 0.1	701.7 577.8
Hong Kong	0.0	1.0	0.0	101.0	210.0	200.7		0.1	011.0
2011 2012	3.0 2.7	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	2.3 3.1	8.4 7.7	0.3 0.2	11.0 10.0	0.0 1.7	24.9 25.4
Taiwan									
2011 2012	6.6 7.0	0.0 0.0	0.5 0.5	97.6 97.0	277.6 219.4	14.7 17.9	33.5 37.7	0.1 0.1	430.7 379.7
Singapore									
2011 2012	5.4 1.9	19.4 0.1	0.1 0.0	11.9 11.1	56.3 48.2	0.3 0.4	26.5 16.9	0.3 0.4	120.2 79.0
Total									=
2011 2012	21.4 18.1	86.8 1.9	0.6 0.6	239.3 213.2	636.6 486.2	201.8 257.2	90.4 82.3	0.7 2.3	1,277.5 1,061.9
Other countries	757.4	1,917.4	F2 0	2,178.5	2 200 0	244.0	1 000 4	40.0	10,586.0
2011 2012	757.4 721.0	1,917.4	53.8 56.6	2,178.5 2,044.0	3,392.9 2,945.1	344.3 270.2	1,923.4 1,945.4	18.3 42.2	9,985.8
Total 2011	2,811.3	4,446.9	212.5	8,342.8	11,104.5	6,315.9	5,024.4	436.6	38,695.0
2012	2,992.8	4,278.8	244.0	8,547.2	11,403.2	7,271.6	5,135.4	651.1	40,524.3

Table 7-2 Imports from selected countries, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — Year to date, January to June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
				mil	lions of dollar	'S			
United States 2011 2012	8,524.3 9,463.2	8,159.1 8,406.1	911.2 1,000.1	26,957.7 29,386.8	26,566.0 29,471.9	24,153.3 26,995.7	11,254.1 11,884.5	2,187.9 2,679.1	108,713.5 119,287.4
<b>Mexico</b> 2011 2012	891.4 904.6	628.0 519.8	2.5 2.6	1,156.1 1,361.8	4,023.6 4,211.3	4,686.1 5,201.7	601.3 620.8	37.4 32.5	12,026.5 12,855.1
<b>Japan</b> 2011 2012	32.1 42.3	3.7 10.0	0.4 0.4	565.0 633.9	2,530.9 3,030.6	2,254.4 3,464.3	528.3 543.2	3.5 2.3	5,918.3 7,727.2
European Union Germany 2011 2012	142.5 157.4	7.7 52.0	5.9 6.2	1,170.9 1,130.9	2,130.0 3,035.2	1,807.6 1,967.5	906.8 877.9	6.4 11.4	6,177.7 7,238.6
France 2011 2012	343.9 353.1	42.9 63.1	2.1 3.3	476.8 367.2	1,018.9 936.7	43.3 47.1	726.8 711.4	4.2 16.4	2,659.0 2,498.3
United Kingdom 2011 2012	186.9 190.0	1,782.1 945.8	0.2 0.4	1,045.4 985.6	1,563.2 1,297.7	250.0 359.7	677.0 639.0	21.3 26.1	5,526.2 4,444.2
Italy 2011 2012	323.6 345.8	74.0 0.8	7.6 9.7	563.1 617.1	785.4 843.4	134.5 150.9	562.3 595.1	2.8 4.6	2,453.3 2,567.4
Other European Union 2011 2012	572.4 589.8	1,867.7 1,530.1	20.7 24.3	2,029.4 1,844.1	2,467.7 2,490.7	410.6 504.0	1,702.6 1,700.0	7.0 10.9	9,078.1 8,693.8
Total 2011 2012	1,569.3 1,636.1	3,774.4 2,591.8	36.5 43.9	5,285.6 4,945.0	7,965.1 8,603.8	2,646.0 3,029.2	4,575.5 4,523.4	41.9 69.3	25,894.3 25,442.3
Newly industrialized countries South Korea 2011 2012	29.9 39.3	108.8 115.1	0.1 0.2	599.3 608.9	1,375.8 1,061.9	960.5 1,451.1	98.8 99.2	0.7 0.6	3,174.0 3,376.2
Hong Kong 2011 2012	13.9 13.5	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.2	39.6 15.7	49.5 48.0	1.2 1.3	64.3 54.8	0.2 3.2	168.8 136.8
Taiwan 2011 2012	32.3 37.1	0.3 5.5	2.8 2.4	568.0 586.0	1,449.4 1,322.1	88.0 101.3	186.1 209.8	0.8 0.8	2,327.6 2,265.1
Singapore 2011 2012	18.0 11.8	130.6 0.1	0.4 0.0	106.1 129.9	275.5 323.5	1.8 2.5	166.8 129.2	0.5 2.4	699.7 599.4
Total 2011 2012	94.1 101.7	239.7 120.6	3.4 2.8	1,313.1 1,340.4	3,150.1 2,755.6	1,051.4 1,556.2	516.0 493.0	2.2 7.2	6,370.0 6,377.5
Other countries 2011 2012	4,441.4 4,437.2	13,306.9 14,615.4	290.7 302.5	12,136.3 12,336.8	16,005.5 16,385.0	1,326.9 1,507.8	10,342.2 10,907.0	147.3 219.4	57,997.3 60,711.2
Total 2011 2012	15,557.2 16,588.8	26,111.8 26,263.6	1,244.7 1,352.3	47,413.8 50,004.9	60,241.3 64,458.6	36,118.2 41,755.1	27,817.5 28,972.1	2,420.2 3,009.7	216,924.8 232,405.1

Table 8 Imports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

	June		January to Jur	ne	Change
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011
_		millions of dolla	ars		percent
North America			4.000.0	4 000 0	
Canada Greenland	269.2 0.0	286.3 0.0	1,836.6 0.1	1,682.0 0.1	-8.4 92.1
Mexico	2,163.2	2,188.0	12,026.5	12,855.1	6.9
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.8	82.6
United States	19,007.0	21,553.9	108,713.5	119,287.4	9.7
Total	21,439.7	24,028.9	122,577.7	133,826.5	9.2
Western Europe Andorra	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.3	79.4
Austria	118.1	100.0	621.5	679.7	9.4
Belgium	149.2	169.0	842.5	770.8	-8.5
Denmark	52.1	68.9	804.0	503.9	-37.3
Faeroe Islands	0.9	0.4	4.7	4.0	-15.8
Finland	144.1	109.1	878.8	459.9	-47.7
France	435.0	414.9	2,659.0	2,498.3	-6.0
Germany Gibraltar	1,093.8 0.0	1,136.3 0.0	6,177.7 1.7	7,238.6 0.0	17.2 -98.2
Greece	26.6	13.5	89.9	74.1	-17.6
Iceland	2.6	6.4	13.0	30.1	131.1
Italy	434.5	450.8	2,453.3	2,567.4	4.7
Luxembourg	7.8	51.6	50.0	107.1	114.1
Malta	2.3	4.3	12.4	17.4	40.6
Netherlands	199.9	406.7	1,029.0	1,810.4	75.9
Norway Portugal	472.0 25.0	303.3 22.3	2,176.4 156.4	2,207.5 158.1	1.4 1.0
Republic of Ireland (Eire)	118.8	103.6	624.5	650.6	4.2
Spain	178.9	142.3	890.9	867.8	-2.6
Sweden	198.2	244.1	1,154.4	1,092.3	-5.4
Switzerland	201.6	244.7	1,488.5	1,751.9	17.7
United Kingdom	1,107.3	745.8	5,526.2	4,444.2	-19.6
Total	4,968.9	4,737.9	27,655.1	27,934.4	1.0
Other Europe	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.0	20.0
Albania Armenia	0.2 4.8	0.2 8.0	3.3 23.2	2.2 37.6	-33.6 62.3
Azerbaijan	93.6	4.0	310.2	662.2	113.5
Belarus	0.4	0.3	2.8	84.3	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	1.0	1.3	4.6	5.8	26.7
Bulgaria	9.7	6.9	41.3	103.2	149.7
Croatia	1.7	1.8	13.7	13.8	0.4
Czech Republic	38.2	44.5	183.2	219.3	19.7
Estonia	6.6 12.0	3.1 6.2	55.7 58.4	25.3 44.9	-54.5 -23.1
Georgia Hungary	28.4	40.6	163.8	209.6	28.0
Kazakhstan	234.5	264.0	1,360.9	1,581.6	16.2
Kyrgyzstan	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-87.7
Latvia	1.5	2.0	7.8	9.1	16.4
Lithuania	152.8	4.8	373.4	36.3	-90.3
Macedonia (Former Yugoslav	0.4	0.7	0.0	F 4	40.0
Republic of Macedonia) Montenegro	0.4 0.1	0.7 0.2	3.6 0.4	5.1 0.3	42.0 -3.1
Poland	126.9	84.6	791.1	577.5	-27.0
Republic of Moldova	0.1	0.3	0.8	1.8	115.5
Romania	46.2	38.8	137.9	116.2	-15.7
Russian Federation	55.7	46.2	688.4	513.3	-25.4
Serbia	1.0	1.3	7.9	6.3	-20.1
Slovakia	25.4	27.5	123.1	131.3	6.7
Slovenia Tojikistan	7.7	15.4	44.4	71.9	61.8
Tajikistan Turkmenistan	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.1	0.0 0.1	98.0 -31.1
Ukraine	20.5	20.8	61.3	83.6	36.4
Uzbekistan	0.1	0.1	1.3	0.3	-79.8

Table 8 – continued Imports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

	June		January to June	۵	Change
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011
		millions of dolla	rs		percent
Middle East					
Bahrain	0.3	23.8	2.4	90.6	
Cyprus Egypt	0.2 30.6	0.3 55.9	1.9 202.1	2.1 237.7	6.5 17.7
Eritrea	17.0	22.3	85.3	201.4	136.3
Ethiopia	2.5	2.2	8.9	8.4	-5.9
Iran	2.1 0.0	3.0 199.3	17.6	25.3	43.5 41.7
Iraq Israel	90.6	90.5	1,376.1 504.1	1,950.1 564.9	12.0
Jordan	1.7	2.4	9.6	9.0	-5.8
Kuwait	0.0	0.0	56.3	27.5	-51.2
Lebanon Libya	1.4 0.1	1.4 0.1	9.0 5.0	10.0 0.3	10.9 -94.5
Oman	1.2	2.2	8.9	18.6	108.4
Qatar	26.6	1.4	294.0	60.7	-79.3
Saudi Arabia Somalia	221.2 0.0	425.4 0.0	1,274.4 0.0	1,707.5 0.0	34.0 -64.9
Sudan	15.4	18.5	67.1	61.1	-64.9 -8.9
Syria	0.3	0.2	2.7	1.7	-37.9
Turkey	103.3	149.5	511.7	723.3	41.3
United Arab Emirates Yemen	714.5 0.0	50.2 0.0	829.2 0.0	137.2 0.0	-83.5 43.3
Total	1,228.9	1,048.4	5,266.3	5,837.4	10.8
Other Africa					
Algeria	356.0	418.3	2,596.3	2,950.6	13.6
Angola Antarctica	122.2 0.0	206.6 0.0	1,329.8 0.5	995.8 0.1	-25.1 -86.5
Benin	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	204.4
Botswana	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.2	74.1
Bouvet Island	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	148.1
Burkina Faso Burundi	1.1 0.0	0.0 0.1	2.1 0.2	2.4 0.2	12.1 14.6
Cameroon	0.5	0.7	3.1	5.0	62.4
Cape Verde	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-86.0
Central African Republic Chad	0.0 0.1	0.1 0.0	0.1 0.2	0.5 115.1	723.5
Comoros	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	164.0
Congo	0.5	0.1	1.4	0.9	-35.6
Democratic Republic of the Congo Djibouti	0.1 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.3 0.0	0.7 0.0	106.9 150.2
Equatorial Guinea	0.0	0.0	369.2	253.2	-31.4
French Southern Territories	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	905.9
Gabon	0.4	0.1	0.8	0.8	-3.4
Gambia Ghana	0.0 5.1	0.0 4.2	0.1 38.7	0.0 10.9	-42.5 -71.7
Guinea	6.2	5.1	26.0	35.7	37.2
Guinea-Bissau	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	669.7
Ivory Coast Kenya	138.8 2.5	11.1 1.2	224.8 11.7	248.9 9.3	10.7 -20.6
Lesotho	1.9	1.3	6.7	5.3	-21.1
Liberia	5.3	0.9	18.5	16.9	-8.8
Madagascar Malawi	5.5 0.1	3.7 17.5	21.6 66.5	38.1 62.9	76.1 -5.5
Mali	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.3	-27.8
Mauritania	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	97.6
Mauritius	1.0	2.0	5.3	5.7	7.9
Morocco Mozambique	5.3 0.4	4.4 0.0	46.8 2.4	54.9 3.4	17.3 41.8
Namibia	0.1	25.5	119.3	122.1	2.3
Niger	0.1	0.0	0.7	0.3	-54.7
Nigeria Rwanda	3.0 0.0	114.1	895.3	977.6	9.2
Saint Helena	0.0	0.0 0.0	0.3 0.1	1.0 0.0	194.7 -77.8
Sao Tome and Principe	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-84.1
Senegal	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.5	13.1
Seychelles	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.7	81.9

Table 8 – continued Imports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

-	June		January to Jur	ne	Change
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011
		millions of dolla	ars		percent
Sierra Leone South Africa Swaziland Togo Tunisia Uganda United Republic of Tanzania Western Sahara Zambia Zimbabwe Total	0.7 231.7 0.1 0.9 4.0 0.3 0.6 0.0 0.1 0.2 895.2	0.2 66.5 0.2 0.0 4.0 0.5 0.2 0.0 0.7 0.2 889.8	1.3 482.3 1.0 2.6 28.2 1.9 2.6 0.0 0.5 3.5 <b>6,314.3</b>	0.4 333.2 2.1 0.2 27.5 2.4 4.5 0.0 1.5 1.4 <b>6,293.8</b>	-66.1 -30.9 122.4 -90.5 -2.5 23.9 75.2  190.3 -60.0 <b>-0.3</b>
Other Asia Afghanistan Bangladesh Bhutan British Indian Ocean Territory Brunei Darussalam Cambodia China Hong Kong India Indonesia Japan Laos Macao Malaysia Maldives Mongolia Myanmar Nepal North Korea Pakistan Philippines Singapore South Korea Sri Lanka Taiwan Thailand Timor-Leste Viet Nam Total	0.1 95.9 0.0 0.0 0.3 45.7 3,977.8 24.9 224.2 112.7 925.1 0.7 0.8 180.8 0.0 50.8 0.0 1.6 0.0 20.7 75.8 120.2 701.7 11.4 430.7 223.4 0.0 116.6 7,342.0	0.2 87.1 0.0 0.0 0.5 43.2 4,294.9 25.4 227.7 100.3 1,282.5 1.3 0.5 185.7 0.1 13.5 0.0 0.9 0.0 24.6 81.4 79.0 577.8 14.7 379.7 233.7 0.0 146.0 7,800.7	0.9 532.8 0.0 0.1 4.9 227.9 21,7700.1 168.8 1,262.0 693.5 5,918.3 3.1 3.8 1,039.6 0.1 87.6 0.1 6.1 0.0 120.9 443.0 699.7 3,174.0 72.1 2,327.6 1,285.9 0.2 577.3 40,350.4	1.4 546.4 0.0 0.0 3.2 261.8 23,604.5 136.8 1,502.7 644.9 7,727.2 4.7 10.7 1,090.5 0.6 34.5 0.0 4.7 0.1 129.9 483.0 599.4 3,376.2 89.0 2,265.1 1,270.1 0.0 732.4 44,519.7	51.2 2.6 198.7 -67.8 -34.2 14.8 8.8 -18.9 19.1 -7.0 30.6 54.3 178.3 4.9 333.9 -60.6 -56.0 -22.8 80.1 7.5 9.0 -14.3 6.4 23.4 -2.7 -1.2 -92.1 26.9
Oceania American Samoa Australia Christmas Island Cocos (Keeling) Islands Cook Islands Fiji French Polynesia Guam Heard Island and McDonald Islands Kiribati Nauru New Caledonia New Zealand Niue Norfolk Island Papua New Guinea Pitcairn Samoa Solomon Islands Tonga United States Minor Outlying Islands Vanuatu Wallis and Futuna Total	0.0 163.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.4 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.0 232.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0	0.1 866.4 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 1.7 0.4 0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0	0.4 1,058.9 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.5 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 273.2 0.0 0.2 0.9 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.1	401.8 22.2 -53.4 564.1 -39.8 15.8 24.0 -69.0 -96.1 216.6 107.5 165.1 -2.5 -50.1  164.7 -59.1 376.7 84.8 13.2 94.6 71.3

Table 8 – continued Imports by country, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted

	June		January to Jun	e	Change
	2011	2012	2011	2012	January to June 2012/ January to June 2011
		millions of dolla	ars		percent
South America					
Argentina	239.5	164.7	1,015.5	920.1	-9.4
Bolivia	23.4	11.0	116.1	121.6	4.8
Brazil	381.9	269.3	1,802.3	1,819.7	1.0
Chile Colombia	162.9	88.3	1,068.7	922.9	-13.6
Ecuador	62.3 16.5	39.1 19.8	379.0 122.3	325.9 111.7	-14.0 -8.7
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	30.1
Guyana	34.7	1.2	174.7	191.1	9.4
Paraguay	0.5	0.7	1.9	4.5	131.5
Peru	415.3	272.1	2,044.9	1,827.2	-10.6
Suriname	5.2	6.0	188.3	55.4	-70.6
Uruguay	3.5	15.5	22.2	41.6	87.3
Venezuela	100.4	1.6	465.8	211.3	-54.6
Total	1,446.3	889.3	7,402.2	6,553.3	-11.5
Central America Antilles					
Anguilla	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	-10.9
Antigua and Barbuda	0.0	0.2	0.2	1.0	584.7
Aruba	0.0	0.0	5.5	0.0	-99.9
Bahamas	4.9	3.8	9.6	17.5	82.4
Barbados	0.7	0.9	2.8	5.2	83.4
Belize	0.6	0.2	3.6	1.9	-47.7
Bermuda	0.1 0.0	0.3 0.2	0.4 0.2	0.9 0.6	125.0 135.9
British Virgin Islands Cayman Islands	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.6	102.0
Costa Rica	40.1	46.7	253.1	257.9	1.9
Cuba	35.2	49.1	365.9	280.2	-23.4
Dominica	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	-18.0
Dominican Republic	13.0	14.1	70.1	81.4	16.1
El Salvador .	8.8	8.6	91.1	59.1	-35.2
Grenada	0.2	0.1	0.6	1.3	139.1
Guatemala	31.0	27.2	254.7	234.0	-8.1
Haiti	2.4	2.9	13.6	15.3	12.7
Honduras	17.6	19.6	103.9	123.9	19.2
Jamaica	27.3	3.2	113.5	60.5	-46.7
Montserrat Netherlands Antilles	0.0 23.3	0.0 0.0	0.1 23.4	0.1 0.2	-27.1 -99.3
Nicaragua	23.3 29.4	33.4	23.4 174.9	196.4	-99.3 12.3
Panama	12.5	9.4	59.4	55.5	-6.5
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0.8	0.8	3.7	4.4	17.2
Saint Lucia	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	17.4
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	-35.0
Trinidad and Tobago	35.4	3.7	193.4	159.3	-17.6
Turks and Caicos Islands	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	180.9
Total	283.4	224.6	1,744.6	1,557.6	-10.7
All countries	38,695.0	40,524.3	216,924.8	232,405.1	7.1

Table 9-1 Imports by province of clearance, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
				mil	lions of dollars	3			
Newfoundland and Labrador 2011 2012	2.9 4.7	15.4 228.5	0.0 0.0	13.5 13.2	31.0 49.0	0.0 0.1	0.1 0.7	3.2 0.0	66.1 296.2
Prince Edward Island 2011 2012	0.2 0.4	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.1 0.0	0.7 0.1	0.0 0.0	0.1 0.0	0.0 0.0	1.1 0.6
Nova Scotia 2011 2012	46.0 29.7	15.7 12.7	1.4 1.0	81.2 84.6	804.3 84.9	210.5 149.5	16.2 12.1	0.6 0.8	1,175.8 375.3
New Brunswick 2011 2012	32.5 47.3	855.9 921.0	10.4 10.0	137.8 111.7	78.8 81.0	39.0 36.6	35.4 19.9	1.9 1.7	1,191.8 1,229.3
Quebec 2011 2012	514.2 422.0	1,532.1 1,755.4	42.0 53.4	1,512.3 1,307.7	1,667.6 1,745.8	222.9 233.0	878.0 866.5	43.5 54.1	6,412.5 6,437.7
Ontario 2011 2012	1,503.8 1,691.8	1,340.6 445.9	81.9 92.6	4,744.8 4,976.7	5,897.3 6,102.1	5,205.3 6,135.4	3,225.3 3,275.4	350.9 546.3	22,349.7 23,266.3
Manitoba 2011 2012	83.2 103.4	43.6 88.3	7.9 11.2	319.2 441.0	619.7 725.6	150.5 171.0	146.3 163.0	8.0 8.6	1,378.5 1,712.0
Saskatchewan 2011 2012	27.6 42.3	82.6 72.0	3.1 2.4	174.7 247.8	327.8 530.2	109.5 134.4	23.7 38.7	0.7 2.4	749.8 1,070.1
Alberta 2011 2012	172.5 205.3	151.0 465.9	12.2 14.0	522.4 582.9	664.4 868.1	124.4 151.1	145.4 157.0	12.0 19.7	1,804.3 2,464.1
British Columbia 2011 2012	418.8 438.8	408.2 286.8	53.6 59.4	836.7 781.6	1,012.4 1,215.9	253.7 260.5	553.9 602.1	15.9 17.5	3,553.1 3,662.6
Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut 2011 2012	9.5 7.1	1.9 2.3	0.0 0.0	0.2 0.0	0.6 0.5	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	12.2 10.1
Total 2011 2012	2,811.3 2,992.8	4,446.9 4,278.8	212.5 244.0	8,342.8 8,547.2	11,104.5 11,403.2	6,315.9 7,271.6	5,024.4 5,135.4	436.6 651.1	38,695.0 40,524.3

Table 9-2 Imports by province of clearance, customs basis, not seasonally adjusted — Year to date, January to June

	Agricultural and fishing products	Energy products	Forestry products	Industrial goods	Machinery and equipment	Automotive products	Consumer goods	Special transactions trade	Total
	millions of dollars								
Newfoundland and Labrador 2011 2012	16.3 31.3	1,630.1 2,491.7	0.0 0.0	49.2 64.3	271.5 115.2	0.5 0.4	8.8 10.8	3.5 3.9	1,979.9 2,717.6
Prince Edward Island 2011 2012	2.3 2.3	0.0 0.0	0.0 0.0	0.3 0.2	1.4 0.9	0.0 0.1	0.2 0.2	0.2 0.1	4.4 3.9
Nova Scotia 2011 2012	299.6 220.5	871.6 830.1	7.7 6.4	669.4 477.6	1,303.0 567.8	1,408.4 1,310.5	88.5 100.5	16.6 14.7	4,664.9 3,528.0
New Brunswick 2011 2012	203.8 223.7	5,104.6 4,767.4	56.8 58.7	694.5 680.7	418.8 496.8	200.3 224.3	134.0 113.9	9.6 9.0	6,822.5 6,574.5
Quebec 2011 2012	2,631.3 2,442.4	9,663.4 9,372.4	306.4 340.5	8,560.5 7,896.8	9,203.1 10,217.4	1,172.2 1,434.8	4,984.9 4,834.3	236.3 322.8	36,758.1 36,861.3
Ontario 2011 2012	8,379.9 9,304.8	5,096.9 3,349.3	453.5 488.6	27,020.5 28,951.8	33,724.5 35,054.5	29,775.1 34,305.4	17,923.3 18,719.9	1,952.9 2,386.2	124,326.6 132,560.3
Manitoba 2011 2012	482.1 564.5	289.5 367.7	45.8 65.9	1,952.7 2,686.2	3,206.0 4,023.6	779.1 1,032.9	772.2 915.6	44.6 55.3	7,571.9 9,711.7
Saskatchewan 2011 2012	199.8 232.9	394.4 560.9	11.8 16.5	1,371.8 1,503.3	2,042.4 2,643.2	630.7 748.5	138.8 172.1	12.6 16.5	4,802.2 5,894.0
Alberta 2011 2012	965.1 1,068.4	1,067.2 2,978.6	61.3 60.2	3,013.1 3,384.2	4,452.6 4,704.5	658.6 824.8	690.9 882.9	60.4 95.2	10,969.3 13,998.8
British Columbia 2011 2012	2,356.5 2,483.6	1,988.9 1,538.1	301.2 315.5	4,080.5 4,358.4	5,582.1 6,607.1	1,492.9 1,873.1	3,075.6 3,221.7	83.6 106.2	18,961.3 20,503.8
Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut	20.4	<b>5</b> 0	0.0	4.4	20.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	62.6
2011 2012	20.4 14.4	5.2 7.4	0.0 0.0	1.4 1.5	36.0 27.4	0.2 0.3	0.2 0.2	0.0 0.0	63.6 51.2
Total 2011 2012	15,557.2 16,588.8	26,111.8 26,263.6	1,244.7 1,352.3	47,413.8 50,004.9	60,241.3 64,458.6	36,118.2 41,755.1	27,817.5 28,972.1	2,420.2 3,009.7	216,924.8 232,405.1

## **Technical notes**

## The Canadian international merchandise trade statistical program

#### Introduction

The objective of this text is to provide a general overview of the Canadian International Merchandise Trade Statistical Program, with special reference to concepts and definitions. The text is intended for the general user and simplicity is emphasized.

### **Conceptual framework**

- 1. Objectives and coverage: The primary objective of the Canadian International Merchandise Trade Statistical Program is to measure the change in the stock of material resources of Canada resulting from the movement of merchandise into or out of the country. Information on imports and exports are inputs into the System of National Accounts, particularly in the balance of payments and gross domestic product, and are used in the formulation of trade and budgetary policies. Governments, importers, exporters, manufacturers and shipping companies use international merchandise trade statistics to:
- · monitor import penetration and export performance,
- monitor commodity price and volume changes,
- · examine transport implications.
- **2. Trade statistics (customs basis / balance of payments basis):** Merchandise trade statistics are reported and presented on two different bases: customs basis and balance of payment basis.

When goods are imported into or exported from Canada, declarations must be filed with customs, giving such information as description and value of the goods, origin and port of clearance of commodities and mode of transport. Most of this information is required for the purposes of customs administration. Statistics developed from administrative records of customs are commonly referred to as customs-based trade statistics.

Customs-based trade statistics are more accurate at measuring imports than they are at measuring exports. This is the case because customs are typically more vigilant with respect to goods entering the country than they are with goods leaving the country.

Customs-based export statistics may understate or incorrectly portray the destination of exports. Export statistics are understated when the proper documentation is not filed with Customs. Exports are incorrectly portrayed when the country of final destination is inaccurately reported on the customs documentation. This occurs most frequently when goods are routed through an intermediary country before continuing on to their final destination.

Statistics Canada does not have a measure of undercoverage but periodically conducts reconciliation exercises with its major trading partners, excluding the United States.

On January 1, 1990, Canada entered into a memorandum of understanding with the United States concerning the exchange of import data. As a consequence, each administration is using the other's import data to replace its own export data. Canada's international merchandise trade statistics are, therefore, no longer derived exclusively from the administrative records of the Canada Border Services Agency, but from United States Customs records as well.

Customs-based information is adjusted to conform with the National Accounts concepts and definitions. The adjustments to derive balance of payments-based trade data include adjustments related to trade definition,

valuation and timing. The principal difference between the two trade concepts is that customs-based merchandise trade statistics cover the physical movement of goods as they are reflected in customs documents while balance of payments-adjusted data are intended to cover all economic transactions that involve merchandise trade between residents and non-residents. The present document describes the concepts and processes pertaining to the customs-based trade statistics only. (For further information on balance of payments-adjusted data, see the publication Canada's Balance of International Payments, Statistics Canada (Catalogue no. 67-001-X).

3. System of trade: Canadian trade statistics are compiled according to the general system of trade, as defined by the United Nations Statistical Office. Under this system, imports include all goods that have crossed Canada's territorial boundary, whether for immediate consumption in Canada or for storage in bonded customs warehouses. Domestic exports include goods grown, extracted or manufactured in Canada, including goods of foreign origin that have been materially transformed in Canada. Re-exports are exports of goods of foreign origin that have not been materially transformed in Canada, including foreign goods withdrawn for export from bonded customs warehouses. Total exports are the sum of domestic exports and re-exports. Thus the general trade system, in principal, presents all goods entering the country (imports) and all goods leaving the country (exports). It differs from the special system of trade in the treatment of imported goods into bonded customs warehouses. Under the 'special' system, these goods are counted only if and when they are withdrawn from customs warehouses for home consumption. They are not counted in export statistics unless they have first cleared customs.

Conceptually, under the general system, the statistical frontier coincides with the geographical boundary, while under the 'special' system, it coincides with the customs boundary.

**4. Valuation:** For customs purposes, imports are recorded at values established according to the provisions of the Customs Act, which, since January 1, 1985, reflects valuation methods based on the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) Valuation Code System. In general, the value for duty of imported goods must be equivalent to the transaction value or the price actually paid.

To determine the transaction value of imported goods, all transportation and associated costs arising in respect of the goods being appraised prior to and at the place of direct shipment to Canada, are to be added to the price of the goods. Therefore, Canadian imports are valued Free on Board (FOB), place of direct shipment to Canada. It excludes freight and insurance costs in bringing the goods to Canada from the point of direct shipment.

Countries other than the United States, exports are, in principal, valued or recorded at the values declared on export documents, which usually reflect the transaction value, i.e., actual selling price or, in the case of a non-arm's length transaction, the transfer price used for company accounting purposes. Canadian exports to overseas countries are valued at F.O.B. port of exit, including domestic freight charges to that point but net of discounts and allowances. As of January, 1990, Canadian exports to the U.S. are valued F.O.B. point of exit from Canada. Prior to 1990, they were valued F.O.B. place of lading net of freight charges, discounts and allowances.

**5. Statistical period:** The reference period is the calendar month and the calendar year. The closing of the statistical month for imports and Canadian exports to the United States is defined as the last calendar day of the month, based as closely as practicable on the date of clearance from customs.

The closing of the statistical month for exports, to countries other than the United States, is also defined as the last calendar day of the month. Those export documents that are received too late for incorporation in the current month are assigned to the month the transaction took place. If a monthly summary report from a high volume exporter is not received on time, the data are imputed for the current month and revised with the trade value in the following statistical month.

**6. Trading partner attribution (country of origin/destination):** Exports are attributed to the country, which is the last known destination of the goods at the time of export. Exports to the United States are attributed to the state of destination.

Imports are attributed to their country of origin, that is, the country in which the goods were grown, extracted or manufactured in accordance to the rules of origin administered by the Canada Border Services Agency. Imports from the United States are attributed to the state of origin. Prior to 1988, most imports were attributed to the country of export/consignment, with the exception of imports from Central and South America.

7. Principal trading areas: The 'principal trading areas' are country groupings defined as follows:

United States: includes trade with Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands

Japan

**European Union (EU):** Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden and United Kingdom

Other Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD): Australia, Canada, Chile, Iceland, Israel, Mexico, New Zealand, Norway, South Korea, Switzerland, and Turkey. (The EU countries, United States, and Japan are also members of OECD).

Other countries: all countries and territories other than the United States, Japan, EU and other OECD

**8. Legal framework:** Import and export statistics with countries other than the United States are derived from information contained in administrative records collected by the Canada Border Services Agency under the Customs Act. Copies of these documents (or information therefrom) are sent to Statistics Canada in accordance with Section 25 of the Statistics Act. It follows that the disclosure of trade statistics is governed by both the Customs Act and the Statistics Act and is subject to the provisions of Section 17(2)(a) of the latter. Disclosure of export statistics to the United States is now governed by a memorandum of understanding that provides for the exchange of detailed import statistics between Canada and the United States.

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