



International Merchandise Trade Statistics- Monthly Provisional Highlights

1. Introduction

International merchandise trade plays a crucial role in economic development, binding producers and consumers located in different countries into a global economic system. The availability of timely, high quality international trade statistics is therefore vital for the analysis of production, consumption, employment, etc. at national and global levels.

2. Capacity Development to Improve the Timeliness and Relevance of Trade Data

The Vanuatu National Statistics Office (VNSO) has been part of a mentoring programme offered by the UK Foreign, Commonwealth, and Development Office's Data Science Hub. Data scientists from the Hub have provided mentorship to mentees in VNSO on aspects of reproducible data science. The skills learnt by the VNSO have increased efficiency, free up staff resources, and cut production time of the International Merchandise Trade Statistics Monthly report by 80%, enabling VNSO analysts to concentrate on other areas relevant to Vanuatu's needs.

3. New Format of Provisional Highlights- Content

After consultations with stakeholders the VNSO created a new format for its monthly report below. This format is still being finalised, and if there are comments or additions you would like to make please contact stats@vanuatu.gov.vu.

- i. National Sustainable Development Plan Indicators
- ii. Trade Balance of Major Partner Countries
- iii. Trade Balance of Pacific Islands (excluding Melanesian Islands, Australia, and New Zealand)
- iv. Trade by Trade Agreement- Melanesian Spearhead Group
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4. Definitions and Concepts of the Provisional Highlights

Content	Definitions and Concepts
National Sustainable Development Plan (NSDP) Indicators	The NSDP serves as the country's highest-level policy framework, the indicators provide a system to monitor progress. To report on Trade related NSDP indicators some adaptations have been made. These include ENV 1.3.1 reporting value not volume; ECO 1.5.2 and ECO 1.6.2 reporting on Melanesian Spearhead Group (MSG) agreement; ECO 1.7.1 reporting on level of export production of major commodities.
Trade Balance of Major Partner Countries	Balance of trade is the difference between the value of a country's exports and the value of a country's imports for a given period. The Major Partner Countries are Australia, China, Fiji, France, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, South Korea, Malaysia, Netherlands, New Caledonia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Solomon Islands, Thailand, United Kingdom, and United States of America.
Trade Balance of Pacific Islands (excluding Melanesian Islands, Australia, and New Zealand)	The Pacific Islands included are American Samoa, Tonga, Cook Islands, Kiribati, Federated States of Micronesia, Marshall Islands, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Samoa, French Polynesia, Tuvalu, and Wallis and Futuna Islands.
Trade by Trade Agreement- Melanesian Spearhead Group	The Melanesian Free Trade Agreement (MFTA) aims to achieve regional integration of economies in the MSG. It comprises 4 countries namely Fiji, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands and Vanuatu.
Major Principal Exports	Major exports are those that account for the majority of export sales. The areas of focus are Beef, Cocoa, Coconut Oil, Copra and Kava. Focus is a time series analysis of current monthly exports from 2011 to 2021.
Top 5 New Major Exports	The traditional VNSO tables report on 13 major export commodities. The rest of the commodities are grouped as 'other products'. This investigates the main commodities within 'other products'.
Major Principal Imports	Major imports are those that account for the majority of import sales. The areas of focus are Alcoholic Drinks, Articles of Iron and Steel, Medicaments, Petroleum Oils and Rice. Focus is a time series analysis of current monthly exports from 2011 to 2021.
Top 5 New Major Imports	The traditional VNSO tables report on 47 major import commodities. The rest of the commodities are grouped as 'Other Imports'. This investigates the main commodities within 'Other Imports'.
Imports of Dietary Risk Factors for Noncommunicable Diseases (NCDs)	The Pacific has a growing reputation as having one of the world's highest NCD rates. These major NCDs share four behavioural risk factors: tobacco use, unhealthy diet, physical inactivity, and harmful use of alcohol. This investigates some of the dietary risk factors including Bakery Products, Canned Meats, Confectionary, Cordial, and Noodles.
Imports of Food and Products Targeted as those that can be Potentially Produced Domestically	Import substitution is the idea that blocking imports of manufactured goods can help an economy by increasing the demand for domestically produced goods. The imports of food and products targeted include Canned Mackerel, Canned Tunas, Chicken and Chicken Eggs.

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i. National Sustainable Development Plan Indicators (NSDP)

Policy Objectives	SMART Indicators	Indicator Value
ENV 1.3: Reduce reliance on food imports through import substitution for food products that can be produced domestically	ENV 1.3.1 Total annual value of imports of food and products targeted by DARD as those that can be produced domestically (including 'value-added products')	3.66
ECO 1.5: Increase access to markets for Vanuatu exports	ECO 1.5.2 MSG Trade by trade agreement (value)	173.76
	ECO 1.5.3 Balance of trade by major partner countries	-2,455.97
ECO 1.6: Require all new trade agreements to demonstrate tangible benefits in the national interest	ECO 1.6.2 Total estimated value of trade agreement as proportion of GDP	0.16
ECO 1.7: Stimulate economic diversification to spread the benefits of growth and increase economic stability	ECO 1.7.1 Level of export production of major commodities to include cocoa and copra	360.01
ECO 4.3: Increase production and processing of niche commodities, and value addition to commodities in which Vanuatu enjoys a comparative advantage	ECO 4.3.2 Ratio of processed export commodities (including coconut, kava, cocoa, coffee) to raw exports	1.17

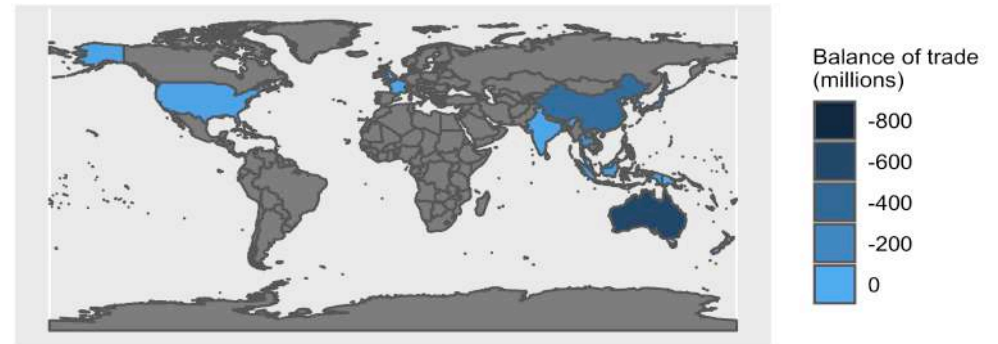
Total value of imports targeted by Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (DARD) as those that can be produced domestically is VT 3.66 million (ENV 1.3.1). The products imported included Potatoes (VT 0.12 million), Tomatoes (VT 0.33 million), Onions and Shallots (VT 0.04 million), Cauliflower and Broccoli (VT 0.30 million), Carrots and Turnips (VT 1.18 million), Capsicum (VT 0.23 million), and Oranges (VT 1.47 million).

The total value of the Melanesian Spearhead Group (MSG) agreement is VT 173.76 million (ECO 1.5.2). This Trade-by-Trade agreement included total exports of VT 104.45 million and total imports of VT 69.32 million. The Balance of Trade by Major Partner Countries is VT -2,455.97 million (ECO 1.5.3). Based on the 2019 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of

VT 107,450 million, the total estimated value of the MSG agreement as proportion of GDP is 0.16% (ECO 1.6.2).

Level of export production of major commodities is VT 360.01 million (ECO 1.7.1). The major commodities included Beef (VT 29.64 million), Cocoa (VT 49.34 million), Coconut Oil (VT 6.33 million), Coffee (VT 0.89 million), Copra (VT 35.56 million), Kava (VT 146.54 million) and Wood (VT 91.72 million). The ratio of processed export commodities including Coconut, Kava, Cocoa, and Coffee to raw exports is 1.17 (ECO 4.3.2). Total value of processed exports VT 128.14 million, and total value of raw exports VT 109.63 million.

ii. Trade Balance by Major Partner Countries

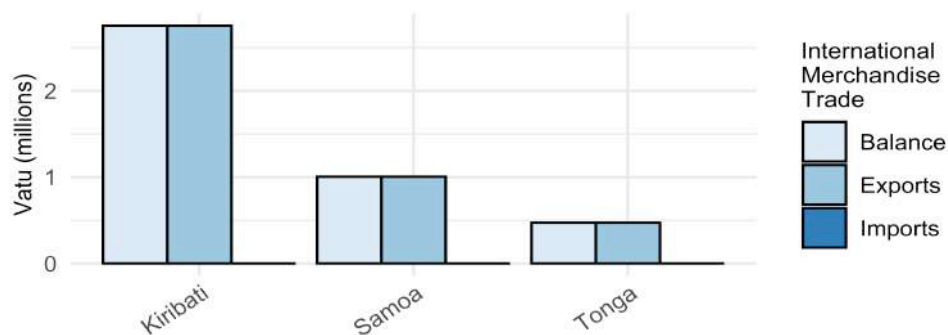


Balance of trade by major partner countries is VT -2,455.97 million. The main countries that account for this Balance are Australia (VT -600.88 million), China (VT -353.44 million), Japan (VT -113.63 million), Singapore (VT -805.14 million) and Thailand (VT -159.37 million). These countries represent 82.76% of the total Balance by Major Partner Countries (VT -2032.46 million).

Major imports from Australia included Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 140.86 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 84.49 million). Major imports from China included Machinery and Electrical Appliances (VT 156.75 million), and Base Metals (VT 91.76 million). Major imports from Japan included Vehicles and Transport Equipment (VT 78.83 million), and Machinery and Electrical Appliances (VT 27.86 million). Major imports from Singapore included Mineral Products (VT 773.01 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 14.84 million). Major imports from Thailand included Vehicles and Transport Equipment (VT 117.06 million), and Plastics and Rubbers (VT 10.27 million).



iii. Trade Balance of Pacific Islands (excluding Melanesian Islands, Australia and New Zealand)



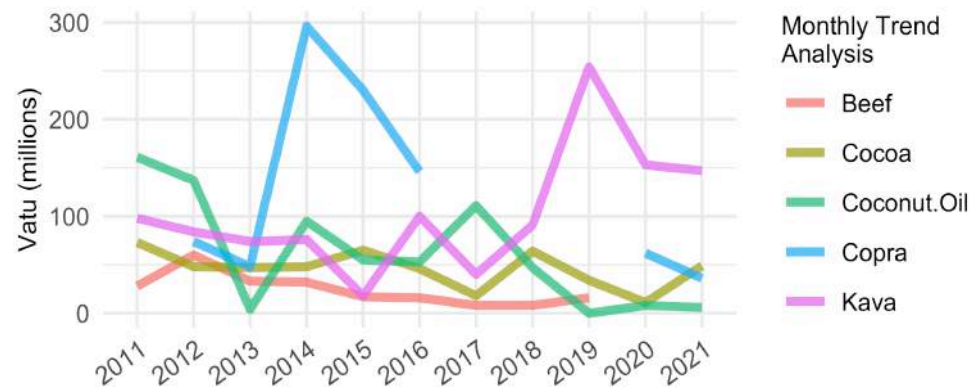
Total Trade Balance of Pacific Islands excluding Melanesia, Australia and New Zealand is VT 4.23 million. This was driven by exporting Medicaments to Kiribati (VT 2.75 million), Kava to Samoa (VT 1.01 million), and Steel Bars to Tonga (VT 0.39 million).

iv. Trade by Trade Agreement- Melanesian Spearhead Group

SITC Description	FIJI EXPORTS	FIJI IMPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA EXPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA IMPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS EXPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS IMPORTS	Total
Basic Manufactured Products	0.00	1.31					1.31
Chemical Products	1.25	0.82					2.07
Crude Materials Except Fuels	71.54						71.54
Food & Live Animals		41.17	7.84	7.11	13.99	14.25	84.35
Machines & Transport Equipment	3.58	3.59					7.17
Miscellaneous Manufactured Goods	0.01	1.07					1.08
Oils, Fats & Waxes	6.24						6.24
Grand Total	82.62	47.96	7.84	7.11	13.99	14.25	173.76

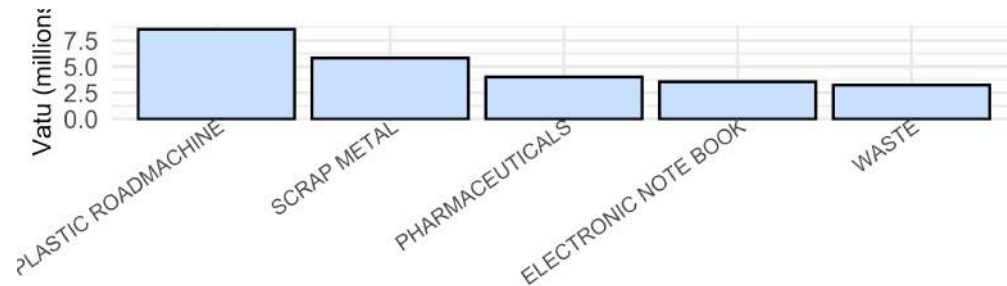
The major imports from Fiji included Wheat or Meslin Flour (VT 19.48 million), and Bread, Cakes, Pastry and Biscuits (VT 11.86 million). The major import from Papua New Guinea is Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 7.11 million), and from the Solomon Islands is also Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 14.25 million). The major export to Fiji is Kava (VT 71.54 million), to Papua New Guinea Beef (VT 7.84 million), and to Solomon Islands Beef (VT 13.99 million).

v. Major Principal Exports



Total value of the Major Principal Exports is VT 267.41 million. The Principal Exports identified included Beef (VT 29.64 million), Cocoa (VT 49.34 million), Coconut Oil (VT 6.33 million), Copra (VT 35.56 million), and Kava (VT 146.54 million). The main country of destination for Beef is the Solomon Islands (VT 13.99 million), Cocoa is Malaysia (VT 43.19 million), Coconut Oil is Fiji (VT 6.24 million), and Copra the United Arab Emirates (VT 35.56 million). Kava is exported mainly to Fiji (VT 71.54 million), New Caledonia (VT 43.00 million), and New Zealand (VT 14.24 million).

vi. Top 5 New Major Exports

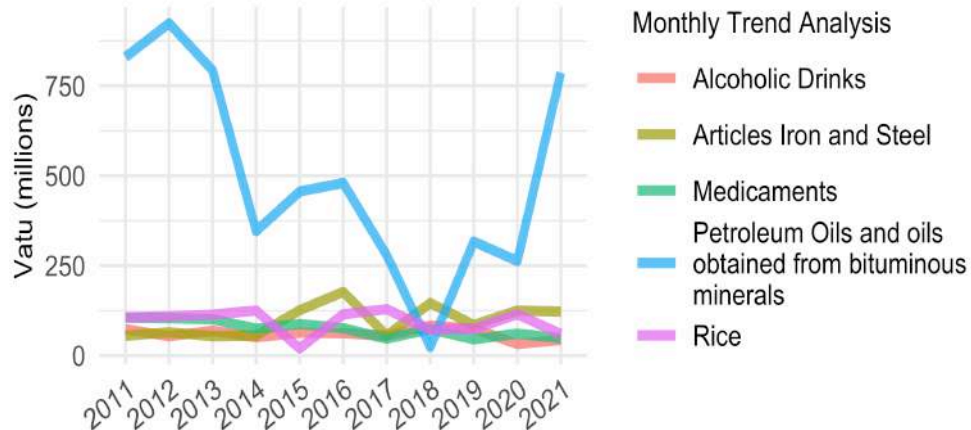


Total value of Roadmaking Machine VT 8.56 million, Scrap Metal VT 5.81 million, Pharmaceuticals VT 4.01 million, Electronic Note Book VT 3.55 million, and Waste VT 3.23 million.



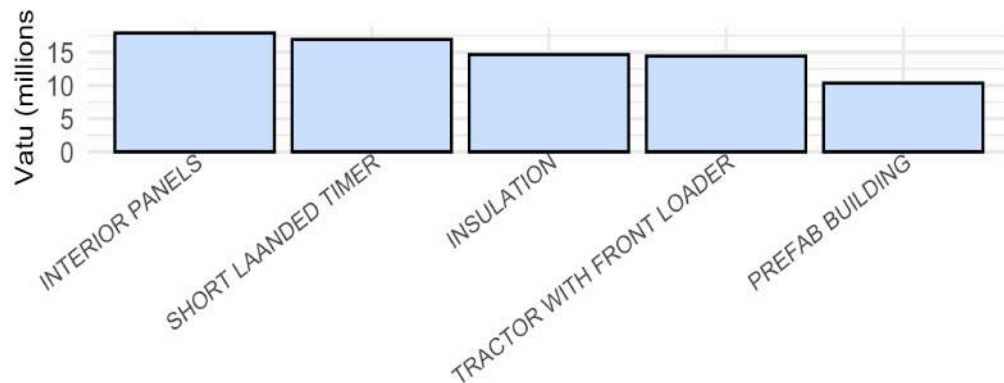
Total value of Interior Panels VT 17.90 million, Timber Short Landed VT 16.91 million, Insulation VT 14.65 million, Tractor with Front Loader VT 14.43 million, and Prefab Building VT 10.36 million.

vii. Major Principal Imports

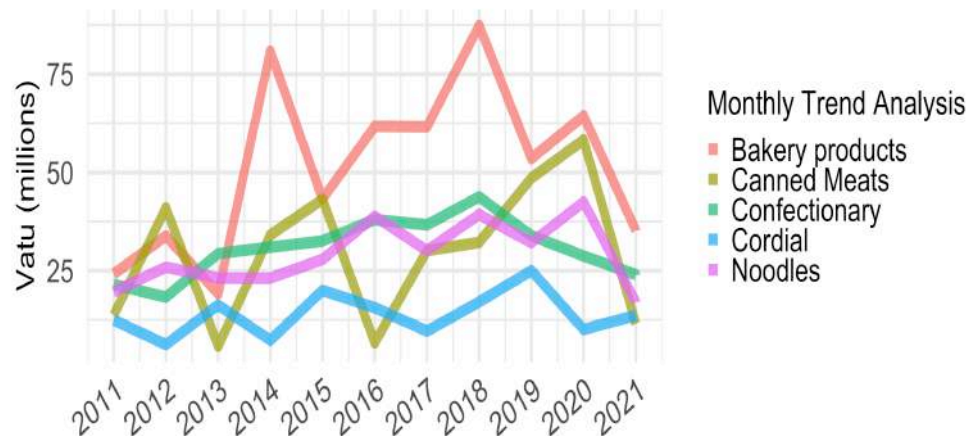


Total value of the Major Principal Imports is VT 1061.36 million. The Principal Imports included Alcoholic Drinks (VT 44.00 million), Articles of Iron and Steel (VT 122.34 million), Medicaments (VT 48.49 million), Petroleum Oils (VT 786.76 million), and Rice (VT 59.78 million). The main country of origin for Alcoholic Drinks is Australia (VT 26.94 million), Articles of Iron and Steel is China (VT 56.34 million), Medicaments is Australia (VT 13.47 million), Petroleum Oils is Singapore (VT 771.87 million), and Rice is Taiwan (VT 32.27 million).

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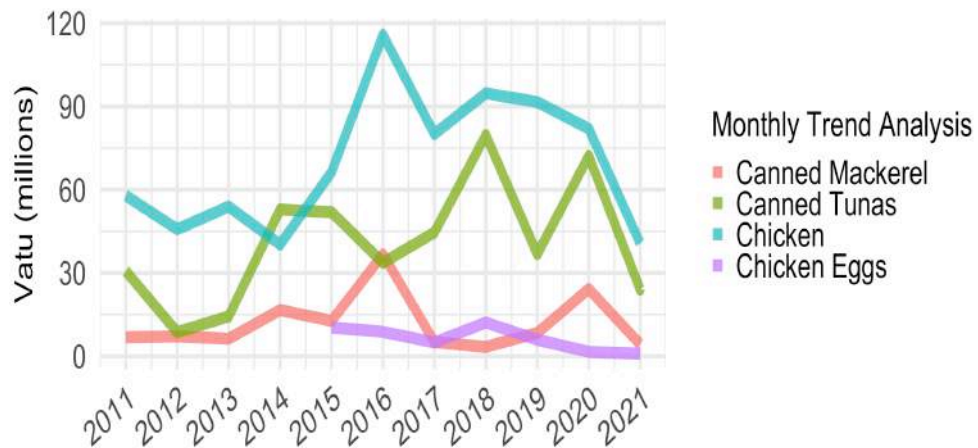
ix. Imports of Dietary Risk Factors for Noncommunicable Diseases



Total value of Bakery Products is VT 35.26 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 11.86 million). Total value of Canned Meats is VT 11.50 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 11.05 million). Total value of Confectionary is VT 23.98 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 15.46 million). Total value of Cordial is VT 13.61 million, the major importing country is Malaysia (VT 4.50 million). Total value of Noodles is VT 17.06 million, the major importing country is Indonesia (VT 5.80 million).



x. Imports of Food and Products Targeted as those that can be Produced Domestically



Total value of Chicken is VT 40.68 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 37.71 million). Total value of Canned Tunas is VT 24.04 million, the major importing country is Solomon Islands (VT 14.25 million). Total value of Canned Mackerel is VT 4.30 million, the major importing country is China (VT 3.80 million). Total value of Chicken Eggs VT 0.92 million, the major importing country is New Zealand (VT 0.92 million).



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i. National Sustainable Development Plan Indicators (NSDP)

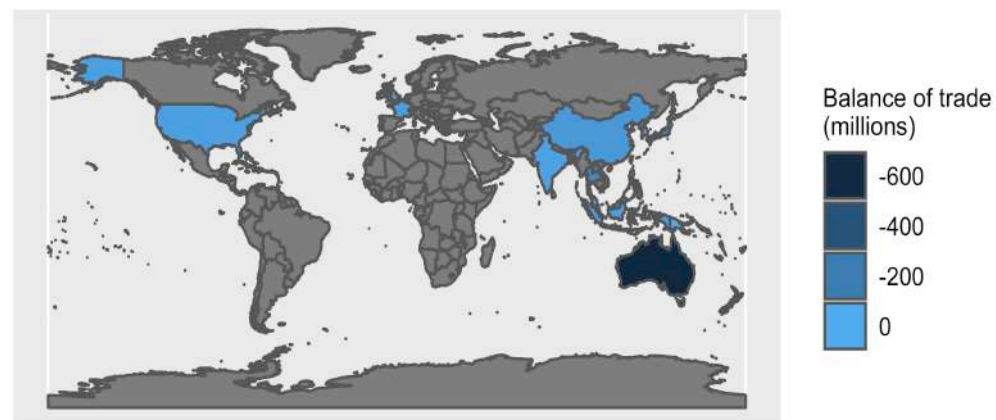
Policy Objectives	SMART Indicators	Indicator Value
ENV 1.3: Reduce reliance on food imports through import substitution for food products that can be produced domestically	ENV 1.3.1 Total annual value of imports of food and products targeted by DARD as those that can be produced domestically (including 'value-added products')	11.59
ECO 1.5: Increase access to markets for Vanuatu exports	ECO 1.5.2 MSG Trade by trade agreement (value)	330.31
	ECO 1.5.3 Balance of trade by major partner countries	-2,260.11
ECO 1.6: Require all new trade agreements to demonstrate tangible benefits in the national interest	ECO 1.6.2 Total estimated value of trade agreement as proportion of GDP	0.31
ECO 1.7: Stimulate economic diversification to spread the benefits of growth and increase economic stability	ECO 1.7.1 Level of export production of major commodities to include cocoa and copra	623.15
ECO 4.3: Increase production and processing of niche commodities, and value addition to commodities in which Vanuatu enjoys a comparative advantage	ECO 4.3.2 Ratio of processed export commodities (including coconut, kava, cocoa, coffee) to raw exports	4.06

Total value of imports targeted by Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (DARD) as those that can be produced domestically is VT 11.59 million (ENV 1.3.1). The products imported included Potatoes (VT 6.95 million), Onions and Shallots (VT 1.99 million), Cauliflower and Broccoli (VT 0.15 million), Carrots and Turnips (VT 1.42 million), and Oranges (VT 1.09 million).

The total value of the Melanesian Spearhead Group (MSG) agreement is VT 330.31 million (ECO 1.5.2). This Trade-by-Trade agreement included total exports of VT 56.30 million and total imports of VT 274.01 million. The Balance of Trade by Major Partner Countries is VT -2,260.11 million (ECO 1.5.3). Based on the 2019 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) VT 107,450 million, the total estimated value of MSG agreement as proportion of GDP is 0.31% (ECO 1.6.2).

Level of export production of major commodities is VT 623.15 million (ECO 1.7.1). The major commodities included Beef (VT 7.52 million), Cocoa (VT 27.94 million), Coconut Oil (VT 11.91 million), Coffee (VT 2.54 million), Copra (VT 21.52 million), Kava (VT 394.10 million) and Wood (VT 157.62 million). The ratio of processed export commodities including Coconut, Kava, Cocoa, and Coffee to raw exports is 4.06 (ECO 4.3.2). Total value of processed exports is VT 366.32 million and total value of raw exports is VT 90.25 million.

ii. Trade Balance by Major Partner Countries

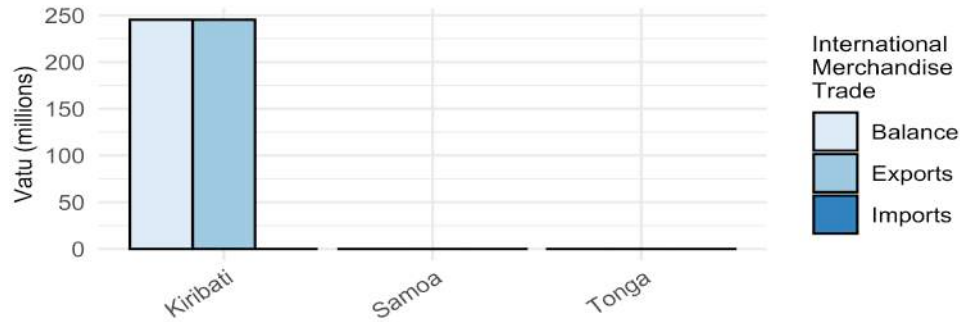


Balance of trade by major partner countries is VT -2,260.11 million. The main countries that account for this Balance are Australia (VT -615.51 million), Fiji (VT -278.85 million), New Zealand (VT -362.26 million), Singapore (VT -332.44 million) and Thailand (VT -143.44 million). These countries represent 76.66% of the total Balance by Major Partner Countries (VT -1732.50 million).

Major imports from Australia included Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 136.71 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 103.98 million). Major imports from Fiji included Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 156.28 million), and Vegetable Products (VT 43.23 million). Major imports from New Zealand included Wood, Cork, and Plaiting Materials (VT 89.05 million), and Machinery and Electrical Appliances (VT 52.19 million). Major imports from Singapore included Mineral Products (VT 257.73 million); and Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 61.21 million). Major imports from Thailand included Vehicles and Transport Equipment (VT 103.34 million), and Mineral Products (VT 15.42 million).



iii. Trade Balance of Pacific Islands (excluding Melanesian Islands, Australia and New Zealand)



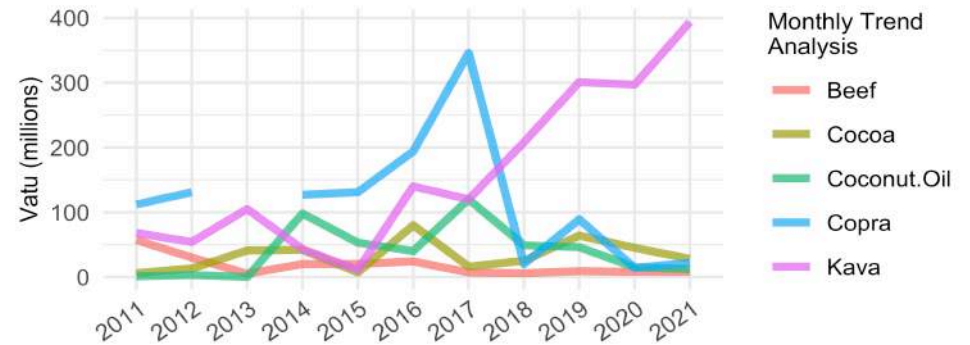
Total Trade Balance of Pacific Islands excluding Melanesia, Australia and New Zealand is VT 245.30 million. This was driven by exports of Kava to Kiribati (VT 245.30 million), and imports of Wood from Samoa (VT 0.01 million), and Used Clothing from Tonga (VT 0.00 million).

iv. Trade by Trade Agreement- Melanesian Spearhead Group

SITC Description	FIJI EXPORTS	FIJI IMPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA EXPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA IMPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS EXPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS IMPORTS	Total
Basic	0.04	13.36					13.40
Manufactured Products							
Beverages & Tobacco		11.15					11.15
Chemical Products	0.10	22.87			3.56		26.53
Crude Materials Except Fuels	44.02						44.02
Food & Live Animals		173.93	7.52	3.99		28.7	214.14
Machines & Transport Equipment	0.19	7.97					8.16
Mineral Fuels	0.00						0.00
Miscellaneous Manufactured Goods	0.87	12.03					12.90
Oils, Fats & Waxes		0.02					0.02
Grand Total	45.22	241.32	7.52	3.99	3.56	28.7	330.31

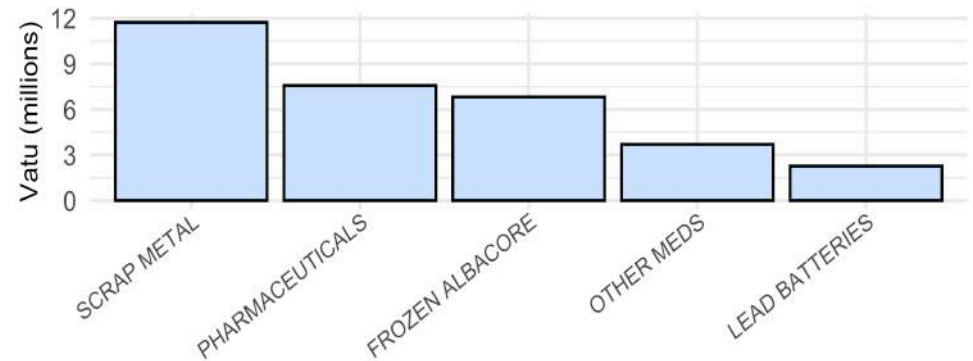
The major imports from Fiji included Prepared or Preserved Meat (VT 46.20 million), and Bread, Cakes, Pastry and Biscuits (VT 52.94 million). The major import from Papua New Guinea is Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 3.99 million), and from the Solomon Islands is also Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 28.70 million). The major export to Fiji is Kava (VT 44.02 million), to Papua New Guinea is Beef (VT 7.52 million), and to Solomon Islands is Medicaments (VT 3.56 million).

v. Major Principal Exports



The level of production of the Major Principal Exports is VT 462.99 million. The Principal Exports identified included Beef (VT 7.52 million), Cocoa (VT 27.94 million), Coconut Oil (VT 11.91 million), Copra (VT 21.52 million), and Kava (VT 394.10 million). The main country of destination for Beef is Papua New Guinea (VT 7.52 million), Cocoa is Malaysia (VT 15.98 million), Coconut Oil is Singapore (VT 11.91 million), and Copra is Bangladesh (VT 21.52 million). Kava is exported mainly to Kiribati (VT 245.30 million), New Caledonia (VT 51.25 million), and Fiji (VT 44.02 million).

vi. Top 5 New Major Exports

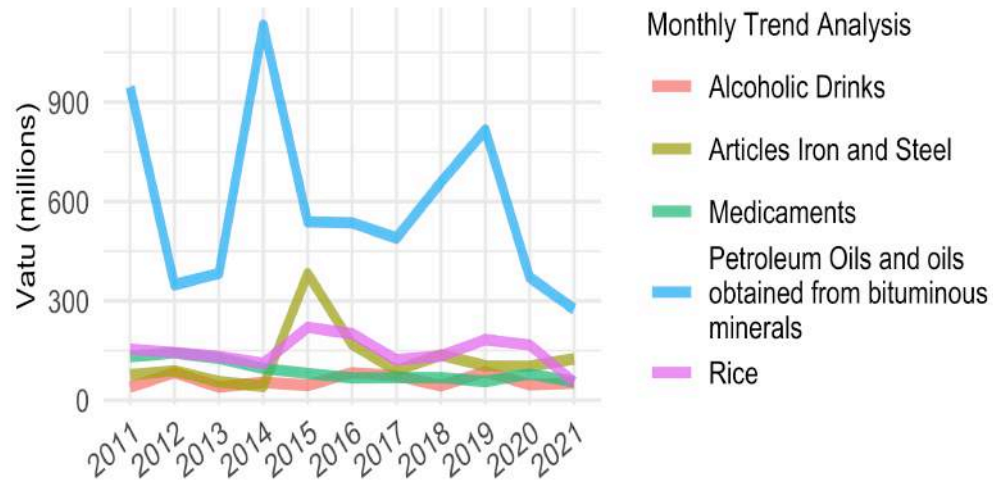


Total value of Scrap Metal VT 11.72 million, Pharmaceuticals VT 7.58 million, Frozen Albacore VT 6.82 million, Other Meds VT 3.70 million, and Lead Batteries VT 2.26 million.



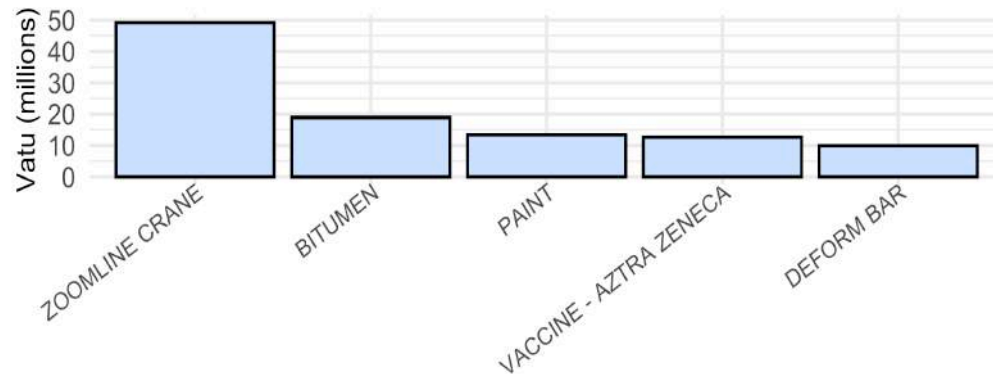
Total value of Zoomline Crane VT 49.20 million, Bitumen VT 37.86 million, Paint VT 13.37 million, Vaccine- Aztra Zeneca VT 12.64 million, and Deform Bar VT 9.93 million.

vii. Major Principal Imports

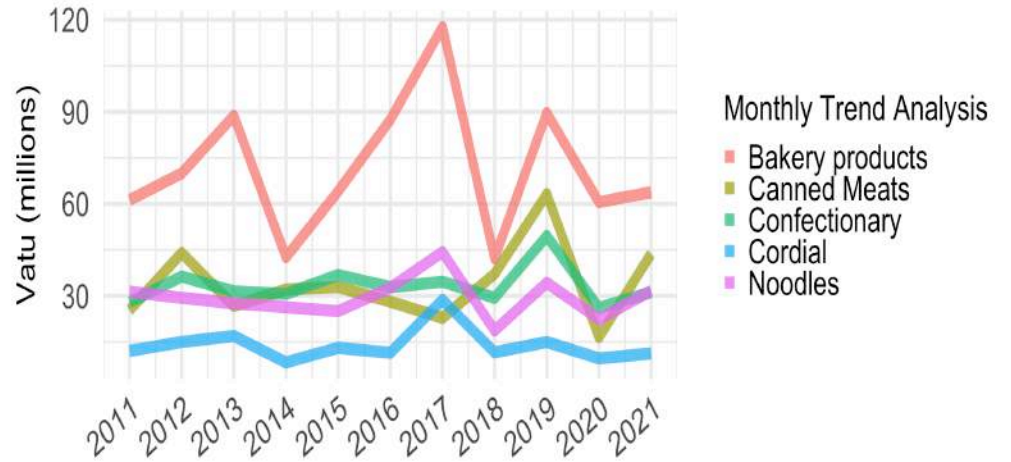


Total value of Major Principal Imports is VT 561.37 million. The Principal Imports included Alcoholic Drinks (VT 51.61 million), Articles of Iron and Steel (VT 124.56 million), Medicaments (VT 56.32 million), Petroleum Oils (VT 275.05 million), and Rice (VT 53.83 million). The main country of origin for Alcoholic Drinks is France (VT 26.24 million), Articles of Iron and Steel is Australia (VT 81.11 million), Medicaments is Australia (VT 17.45 million), Petroleum Oils is Singapore (VT 256.45 million), and Rice is China (VT 31.77 million).

viii. Top 5 New Major Imports



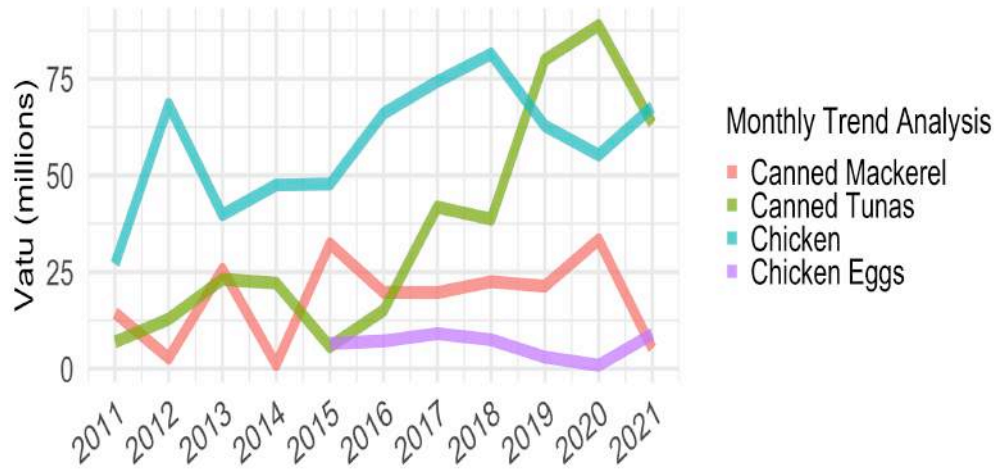
ix. Imports of Dietary Risk Factors for Noncommunicable Diseases



Total value of Bakery Products is VT 63.79 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 53.99 million). Total value of Canned Meats is VT 43.72 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 36.55 million). Total value of Confectionary is VT 31.21 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 15.61 million). Total value of Cordial is VT 11.22 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 2.49 million). Total value of Noodles is VT 31.66 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 27.55 million).



x. *Imports of Food and Products Targeted as those that can be Produced Domestically*



Total value of Chicken is VT 67.72 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 52.30 million). Total value of Canned Tunas is VT 63.43 million, the major importing country is Solomon Islands (VT 28.70 million). Total value of Canned Mackerel is VT 5.22 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 3.40 million). Total value of Chicken Eggs VT 8.93 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 5.05 million).



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i. National Sustainable Development Plan Indicators (NSDP)

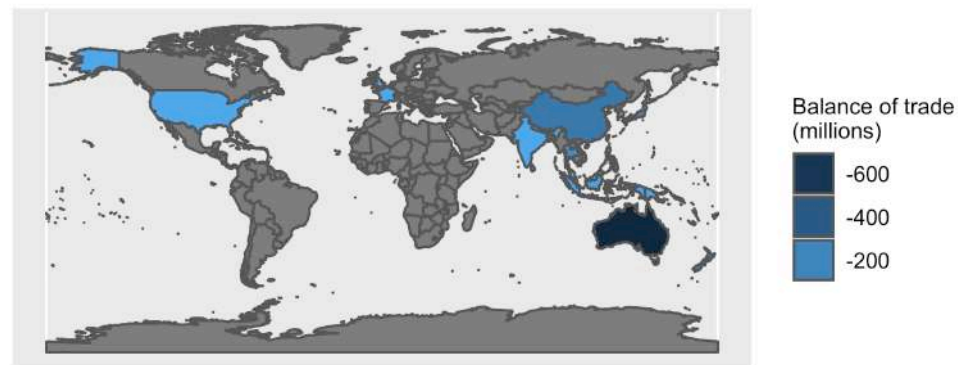
Policy Objectives	SMART Indicators	Indicator Value
ENV 1.3: Reduce reliance on food imports through import substitution for food products that can be produced domestically	ENV 1.3.1 Total annual value of imports of food and products targeted by DARD as those that can be produced domestically (including 'value-added products')	9.48
ECO 1.5: Increase access to markets for Vanuatu exports	ECO 1.5.2 MSG Trade by trade agreement (value)	352.80
	ECO 1.5.3 Balance of trade by major partner countries	-2,251.60
ECO 1.6: Require all new trade agreements to demonstrate tangible benefits in the national interest	ECO 1.6.2 Total estimated value of trade agreement as proportion of GDP	0.33
ECO 1.7: Stimulate economic diversification to spread the benefits of growth and increase economic stability	ECO 1.7.1 Level of export production of major commodities to include cocoa and copra	190.43
ECO 4.3: Increase production and processing of niche commodities, and value addition to commodities in which Vanuatu enjoys a comparative advantage	ECO 4.3.2 Ratio of processed export commodities (including coconut, kava, cocoa, coffee) to raw exports	0.66

Total value of imports targeted by Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (DARD) as those that can be produced domestically is VT 9.48 million (ENV 1.3.1). The products imported included Potatoes (VT 6.79 million), Onions and Shallots (VT 0.18 million), Cauliflower and Broccoli (VT 0.13 million), Carrots and Turnips (VT 1.00 million), Oranges (VT 1.36 million) and Capsicum (VT 0.00 million).

The total value of the Melanesian Spearhead Group (MSG) agreement is VT 352.80 million (ECO 1.5.2). This Trade-by-Trade agreement included total exports of VT 67.52 million and total imports of VT 285.28 million. The Balance of Trade by Major Partner Countries is VT -2,251.60 million (ECO 1.5.3). Based on the 2019 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) VT 107,450 million, the total estimated value of the MSG agreement as proportion of GDP is 0.33% (ECO 1.6.2).

Level of export production of major commodities is VT 190.43 million (ECO 1.7.1). The major commodities included Beef (VT 8.38 million), Cocoa (VT 15.39 million), Coconut Oil (VT 10.84 million), Coffee (VT 1.49 million), Kava (VT 125.10 million) and Wood (VT 29.23 million). The ratio of processed export commodities including Coconut, Kava, Cocoa, and Coffee to raw exports is 0.66 (ECO 4.3.2). Total value of processed exports is VT 60.46 million and total value of raw exports is VT 91.56 million.

ii. Trade Balance by Major Partner Countries

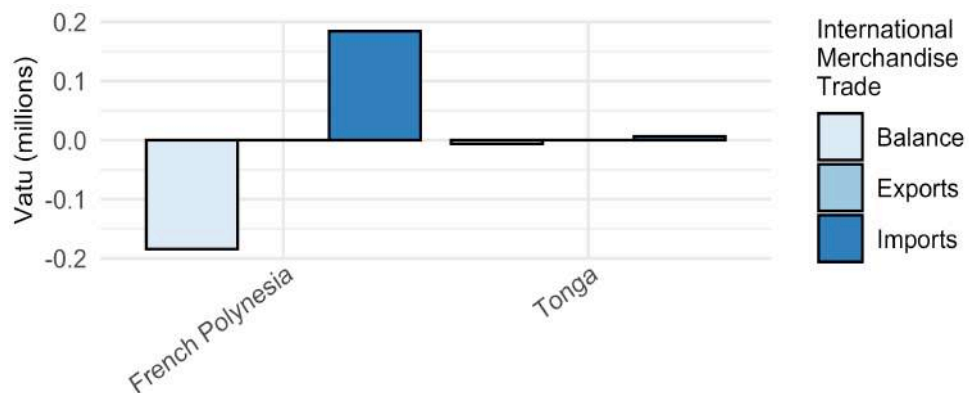


Balance of trade by major partner countries is VT -2,251.60 million. The main countries that account for this Balance are Australia (VT -679.43 million), China (VT -258.03 million), Fiji (VT -250.44 million), New Zealand (VT -215.32 million), and Singapore (VT -234.70 million). These countries represent 72.74% of the total Balance by Major Partner Countries (VT -1637.92 million).

Major imports from Australia included Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 134.71 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 167.73 million). Major imports from China included Base Metals (VT 64.72 million), and Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 55.28 million). Major imports from Fiji included Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 187.74 million), and Vegetable Products (VT 43.77 million). Major imports from New Zealand included Live animals and Animal Products (VT 35.40 million), and Machinery and Electrical Appliances (VT 52.47 million). Major imports from Singapore included Mineral Products (VT 260.26 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 10.01 million).



iii. Trade Balance of Pacific Islands (excluding Melanesian Islands, Australia and New Zealand)



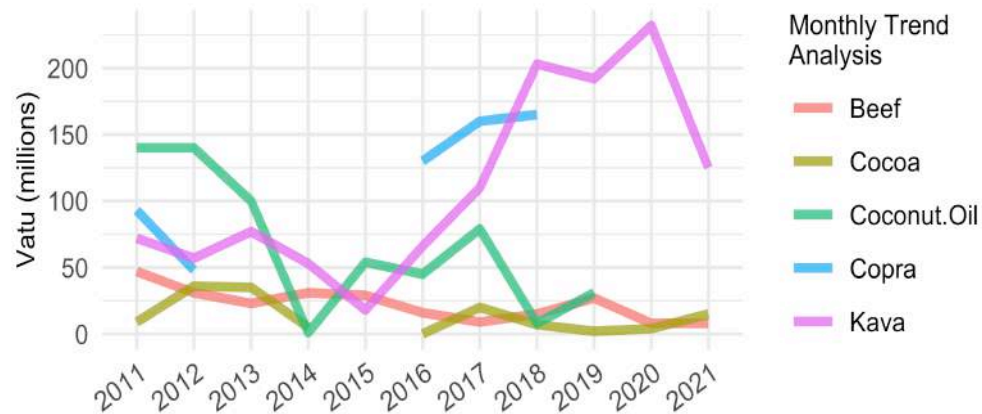
Total Trade Balance of Pacific Islands excluding Melanesia, Australia and New Zealand is VT -0.19 million. This was driven by imports of Perfumes from French Polynesia (VT 0.13 million), and imports of Protective Clothing Materials from Tonga (VT 0.01 million).

iv. Trade by Trade Agreement- Melanesian Spearhead Group

SITC Description	FIJI EXPORTS	FIJI IMPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA EXPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA IMPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS EXPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS IMPORTS	Total
Basic Manufactured Products	0.04	8.05					8.09
Beverages & Tobacco	0.00	17.64					17.64
Chemical Products	0.15	4.78			0.31		5.24
Crude Materials Except Fuels	65.98						65.98
Food & Live Animals	0.80	206.74		38.81			246.35
Machines & Transport Equipment	0.19	0.63					0.82
Miscellaneous Manufactured Goods	0.04	8.63					8.67
Grand Total	67.21	246.47		38.81	0.31		352.80

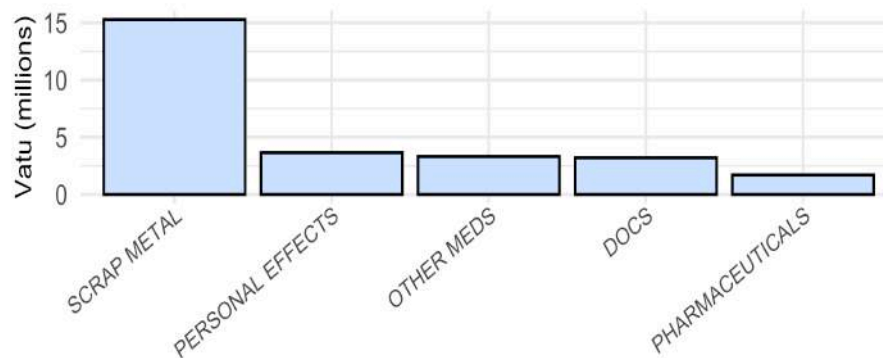
The major imports from Fiji included Wheat or Meslin Flour (VT 39.41 million), and Bread, Cakes, Pastry and Biscuits (VT 63.84 million). The major imports from Papua New Guinea included Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 20.23 million), and Prepared or Preserved Meat (VT 17.42 million). The major export to Fiji is Kava (VT 65.93 million), and to Solomon Islands is Medicaments (VT 0.31 million).

v. Major Principal Exports



The level of production of the Major Principal Exports is VT 159.71 million. The Principal Exports identified included Beef (VT 8.38 million), Cocoa (VT 15.39 million), Coconut Oil (VT 10.84 million), Kava (VT 125.10 million), but no Copra. The main country of destination for Beef is New Zealand (VT 8.38 million), Cocoa is Malaysia (VT 9.14 million), and for Coconut Oil is Malaysia (VT 10.74 million). Kava is exported mainly to Fiji (VT 65.94 million), New Caledonia (VT 20.19 million), and the United States of America (VT 22.70 million).

vi. Top 5 New Major Exports

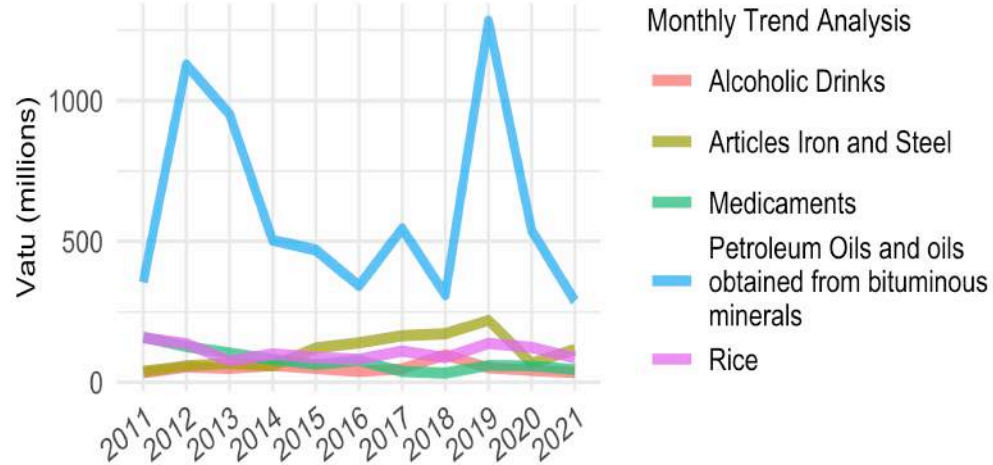


Total value of Scrap Metal VT 15.29 million, Personal Effects VT 3.65 million, Other Meds VT 3.31 million, Docs VT 3.21 million and Pharmaceuticals VT 1.70 million.



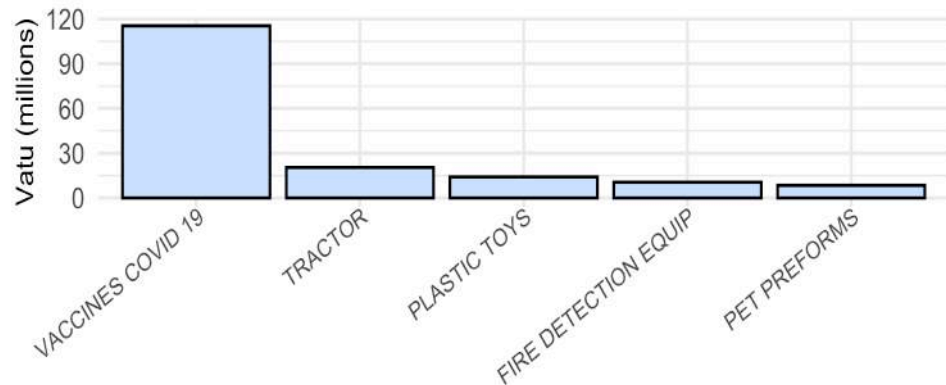
Total value of Vaccines COVID-19 VT 115.48 million, Tractor VT 20.47 million, Plastic Toys VT 14.11 million, Fire Detection Equipment's VT 10.56 million, and Pet Preforms VT 8.37 million.

vii. Major Principal Imports

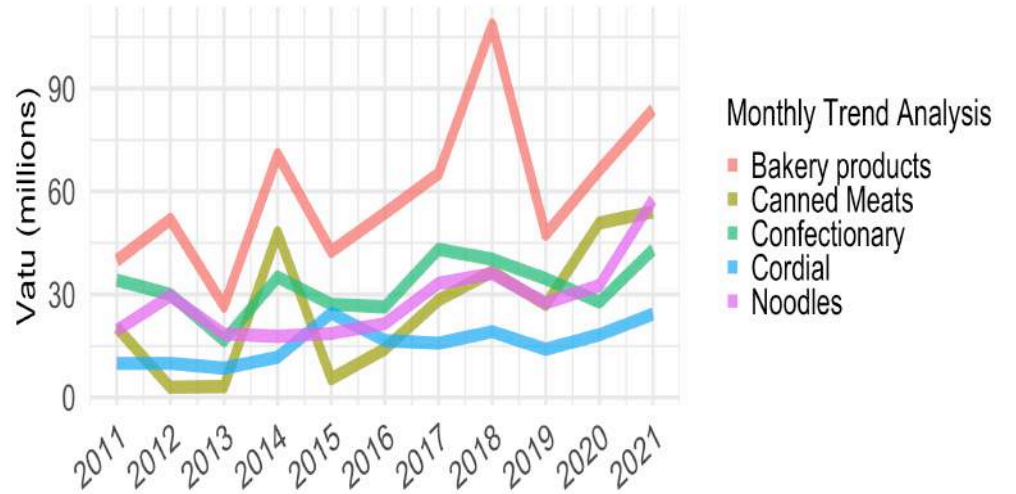


Total value of top five Principal imports is VT 571.01 million. The Principal Imports included Alcoholic Drinks (VT 33.75 million), Articles of Iron and Steel (VT 117.30 million), Medicaments (VT 45.44 million), Petroleum Oils (VT 288.00 million), and Rice (VT 86.52 million). The main country of origin for Alcoholic Drinks is Australia (VT 22.36 million), Articles of Iron and Steel is Australia (VT 41.41 million), Medicaments is New Zealand (VT 14.25 million), Petroleum Oils is Singapore (VT 258.92 million), and Rice is Viet Nam (VT 31.31 million).

viii. Top 5 New Major Imports



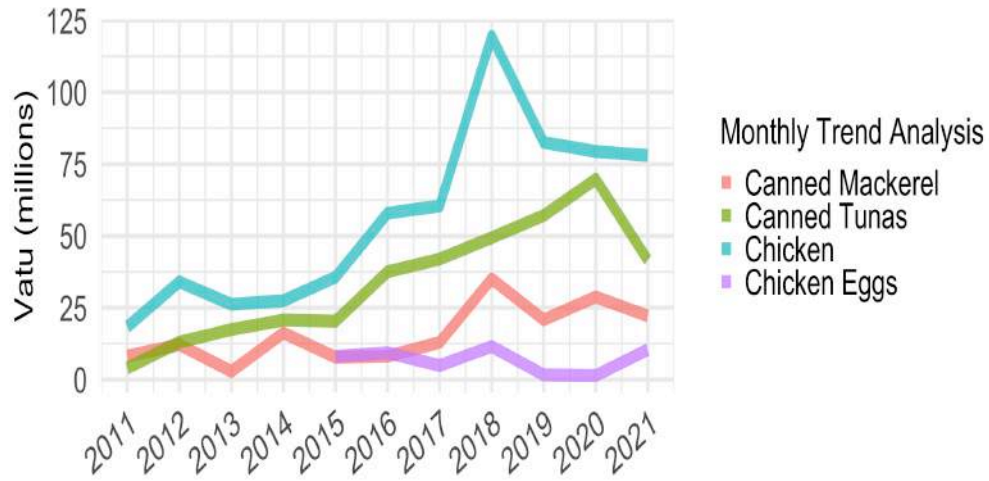
ix. Imports of Dietary Risk Factors for Noncommunicable Diseases



Total value of Bakery Products is VT 83.86 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 64.00 million). Total value of Canned Meats is VT 54.05 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 24.13 million). Total value of Confectionary is VT 43.05 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 16.20 million). Total value of Cordial is VT 24.26 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 10.60 million). Total value of Noodles is VT 57.62 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 45.55 million).



x. Imports of Food and Products Targeted as those that can be Produced Domestically



Total value of Chicken is VT 78.06 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 42.84 million). Total value of Canned Tunas is VT 41.58 million, the major importing country is Thailand (VT 30.49 million). Total value of Canned Mackerel is VT 22.12 million the major importing country is Fiji (VT 16.59 million). Total value of Chicken Eggs is VT 10.04 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 5.09 million).



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i. National Sustainable Development Plan Indicators (NSDP)

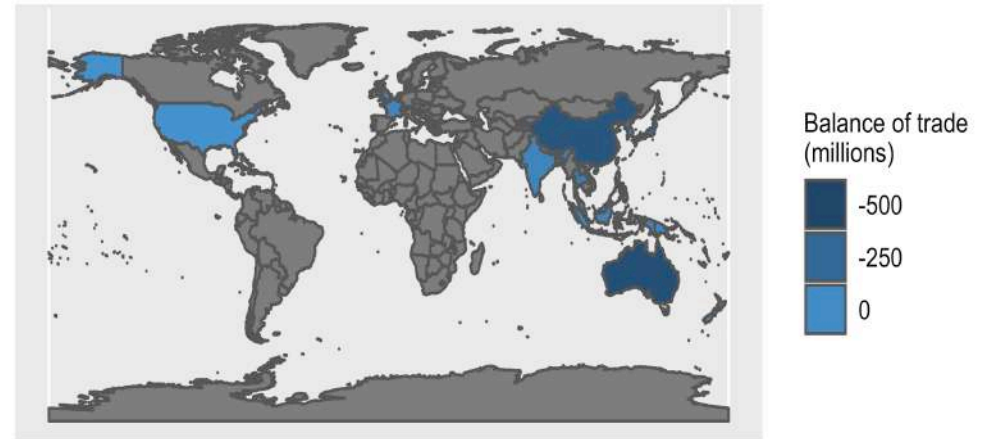
Policy Objectives	SMART Indicators	Indicator Value
ENV 1.3: Reduce reliance on food imports through import substitution for food products that can be produced domestically	ENV 1.3.1 Total annual value of imports of food and products targeted by DARD as those that can be produced domestically (including 'value-added products')	3.75
ECO 1.5: Increase access to markets for Vanuatu exports	ECO 1.5.2 MSG Trade by trade agreement (value)	172.49
	ECO 1.5.3 Balance of trade by major partner countries	-1,798.84
ECO 1.6: Require all new trade agreements to demonstrate tangible benefits in the national interest	ECO 1.6.2 Total estimated value of trade agreement as proportion of GDP	0.16
ECO 1.7: Stimulate economic diversification to spread the benefits of growth and increase economic stability	ECO 1.7.1 Level of export production of major commodities to include cocoa and copra	543.24
ECO 4.3: Increase production and processing of niche commodities, and value addition to commodities in which Vanuatu enjoys a comparative advantage	ECO 4.3.2 Ratio of processed export commodities (including coconut, kava, cocoa, coffee) to raw exports	6.34

Total value of imports targeted by Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (DARD) as those that can be produced domestically is VT 3.75 million (ENV 1.3.1). The products imported included Potatoes (VT 0.52 million), Cauliflower and Broccoli (VT 0.14 million), Carrots and Turnips (VT 1.27 million), Oranges (VT 1.51 million), Capsicum (VT 0.19 million), Corn (VT 0.08 million), and Pumpkin and Squash (VT 0.00 million).

The total value of the Melanesian Spearhead Group (MSG) agreement is VT 172.49 million (ECO 1.5.2). This Trade-by-Trade agreement included total exports of VT 130.70 million and total imports of VT 41.79 million. The Balance of Trade by Major Partner Countries is VT -1,798.84 million (ECO 1.5.3). Based on the 2019 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) VT 107,450 million, the total estimated value of MSG agreement as proportion of GDP is 0.16% (ECO 1.6.2).

Level of export production of major commodities is VT 543.24 million (ECO 1.7.1). The major commodities included Beef (VT 16.71 million), Cocoa (VT 22.01 million), Coconut Oil (VT 5.63 million), Coffee (VT 0.87 million), Copra (VT 252.82 million), Kava (VT 226.57 million) and Wood (VT 18.63 million). The ratio of processed export commodities including Coconut, Kava, Cocoa, and Coffee to raw exports is 6.34 (ECO 4.3.2). Total value of processed exports is VT 438.42 million and total value of raw exports is VT 69.19 million.

ii. Trade Balance by Major Partner Countries

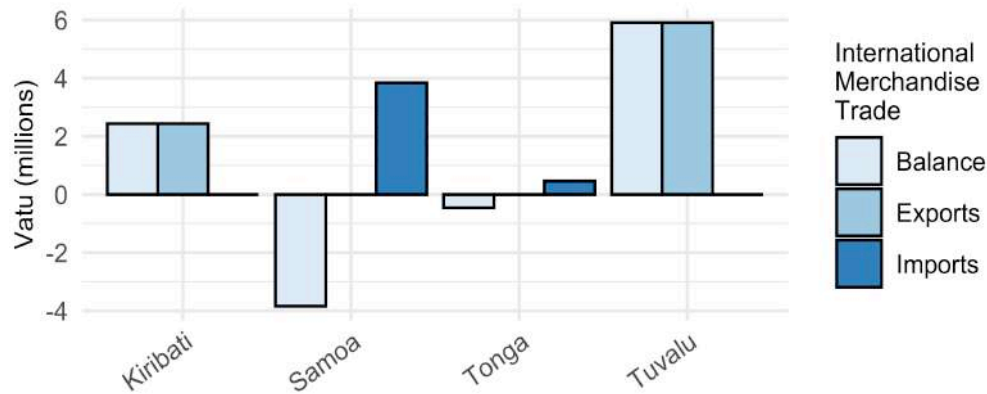


Balance of trade by major partner countries is VT -1,798.84 million. The main countries that account for this Balance are Australia (VT -429.74 million), China (VT -379.15 million), Japan (VT -178.88 million), Singapore (VT -733.87 million), and Thailand (VT -102.02 million). These countries represent 101.37% of the total Balance by Major Partner Countries (VT -1823.66 million).

Major imports from Australia included Base Metals (VT 82.56 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 112.34 million). Major imports from China included Vegetable Products (VT 60.91 million), and Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 124.19 million). Major imports from Japan included Vehicles and Transport Equipment (VT 153.82 million), and Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 12.35 million). Major imports from Singapore included Mineral Products (VT 721.34 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 7.14 million). Major imports from Thailand included Vehicles and Transport Equipment (VT 74.55 million), and Textiles (VT 9.46 million).



iii. Trade Balance of Pacific Islands (excluding Melanesian Islands, Australia and New Zealand)



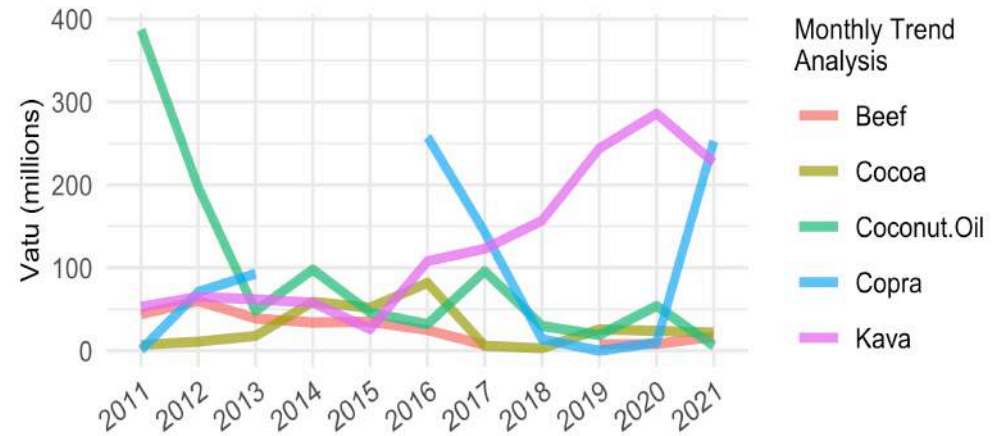
Total Trade Balance of Pacific Islands excluding Melanesia, Australia and New Zealand is VT 4.05 million. This was driven by exports to Kiribati (VT 2.43 million), imports from Samoa (VT -3.84 million), imports from Tonga (VT -0.46 million), and exports to Tuvalu (VT 5.91 million).

iv. Trade by Trade Agreement- Melanesian Spearhead Group

SITC Description	FIJI EXPORTS	FIJI IMPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA EXPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA IMPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS EXPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS IMPORTS	Total
Basic Manufactured Products	0.01	0.49					0.50
Chemical Products	11.34				1.64		12.99
Crude Materials Except Fuels	99.86				0.04		99.89
Food & Live Animals	0.86	3.40	8.19	17.59	8.53	16.65	55.22
Machines & Transport Equipment	0.15						0.15
Mineral Fuels	0.00						0.00
Miscellaneous Manufactured Goods	0.08	3.66					3.73
Grand Total	112.30	7.55	8.19	17.59	10.21	16.65	172.49

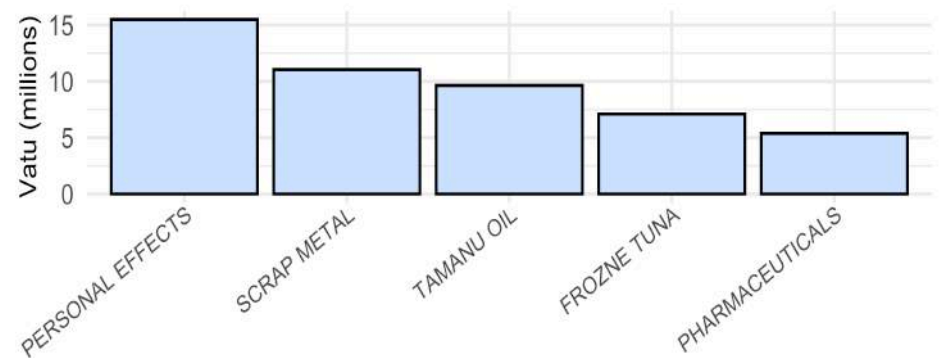
The major imports from Fiji included Articles of Apparel (VT 3.66 million), and Meat and Poultry (VT 3.40 million). The major imports from Papua New Guinea included Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 17.59 million), and from the Solomons are also Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 16.65 million). The major export to Fiji is Kava (VT 99.86 million), to Papua New Guinea is Beef (VT 8.19 million), and to Solomon Islands was also Beef (VT 8.53 million).

v. Principal Exports



The level of production of the top five Major Principal Exports is VT 523.74 million. The Principal Exports identified included Beef (VT 16.71 million), Cocoa (VT 22.01 million), Coconut Oil (VT 5.63 million), Copra (252.82 million), and Kava (VT 226.57 million). The main country of destination for Beef is Solomon Islands (VT 8.53 million), Cocoa is Malaysia (VT 16.12 million), Coconut Oil is Malaysia (VT 5.63 million), and Copra is Philippines (VT 252.82 million). Kava is exported mainly to Fiji (VT 99.86 million), New Zealand (VT 20.97 million), and the United States of America (VT 80.46 million).

vi. Top 5 New Major Exports

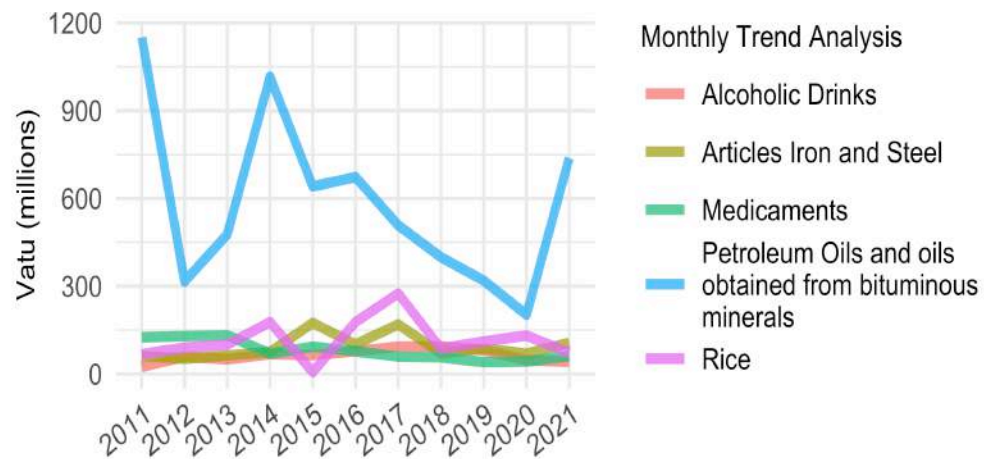


Total value of Personal Effects VT 15.50 million, Scrap Metal VT 11.05 million, Tamanu Oil VT 9.63 million, Frozen Tuna VT 7.10 million and Pharmaceuticals VT 5.37 million.



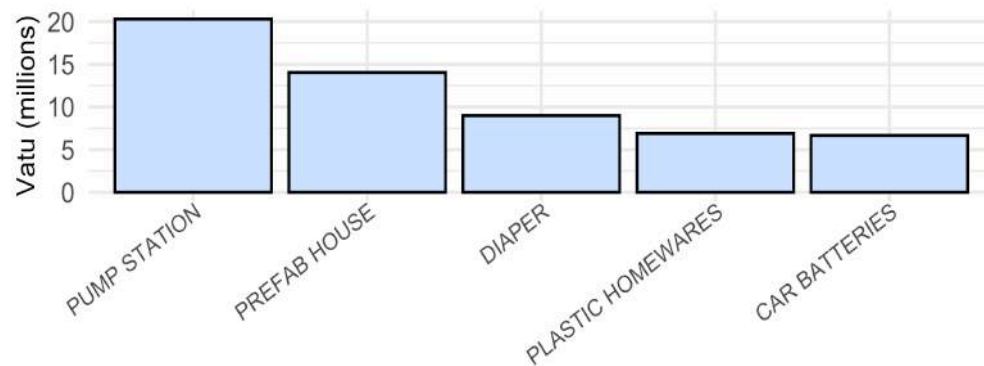
Total value of Pump Station VT 20.28 million, Prefab House VT 14.03 million, Diaper VT 8.98 million, Plastic Homewares VT 6.90 million, and Car Batteries VT 6.66 million.

vii. *Principal Imports*

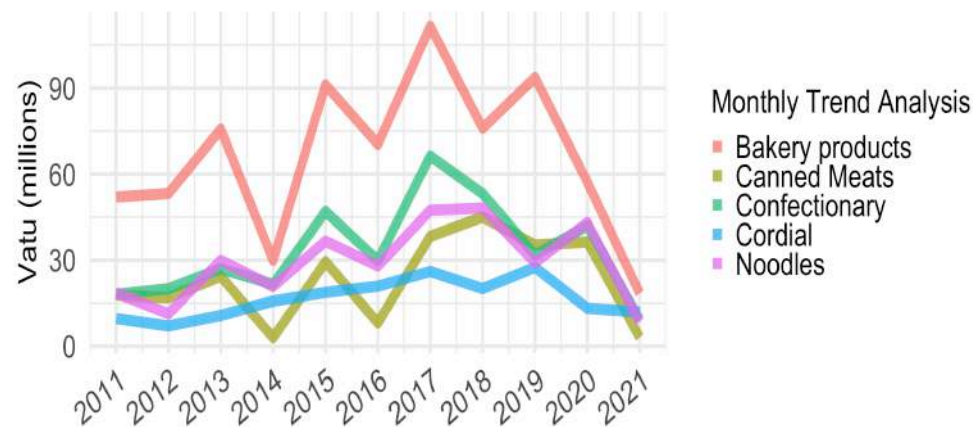


Total value of top five Principal imports is VT 1017.56 million. The Principal Imports included Alcoholic Drinks (VT 41.24 million), Articles of Iron and Steel (VT 105.56 million), Medicaments (VT 60.81 million), Petroleum Oils (VT 737.97 million), and Rice (VT 71.98 million). The main country of origin for Alcoholic Drinks is Australia (VT 24.85 million), Articles of Iron and Steel is Australia (VT 54.82 million), Medicaments is India (VT 19.70 million), Petroleum Oils is Singapore (VT 721.25 million), and Rice is China (VT 60.67 million).

viii. *Top 5 New Major Imports*



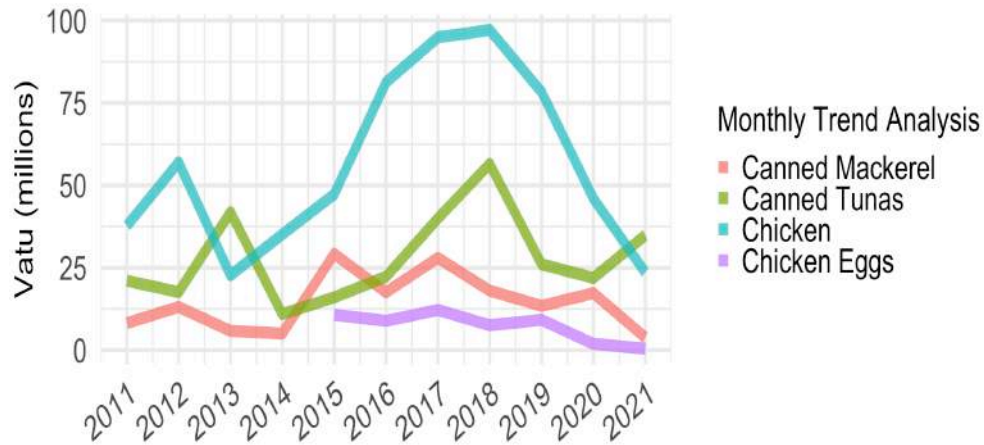
ix. *Imports of Dietary Risk Factors for Noncommunicable Diseases*



Total value of Bakery Products is VT 18.37 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 10.03 million). Total value of Canned Meats is VT 3.06 million, the major importing country is Hong Kong (VT 1.93 million). Total value of Confectionary is VT 9.32 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 3.89 million). Total value of Cordial is VT 11.96 million, the major importing country is Bangladesh (VT 2.82 million). Total value of Noodles is VT 8.52 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 3.78 million).



x. *Imports of Food and Products Targeted as those that can be Potentially Produced Domestically*



Total value of Chicken is VT 23.56 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 20.16 million). Total value of Canned Tunas is VT 34.86 million, the major importing country is Papua New Guinea (VT 17.59 million). Total value of Canned Mackerel is VT 3.79 million, the major importing country is China (VT 3.79 million). Total value of Chicken Eggs VT 0.45 million, the major importing country is New Zealand (VT 0.45 million).



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i. National Sustainable Development Plan Indicators (NSDP)

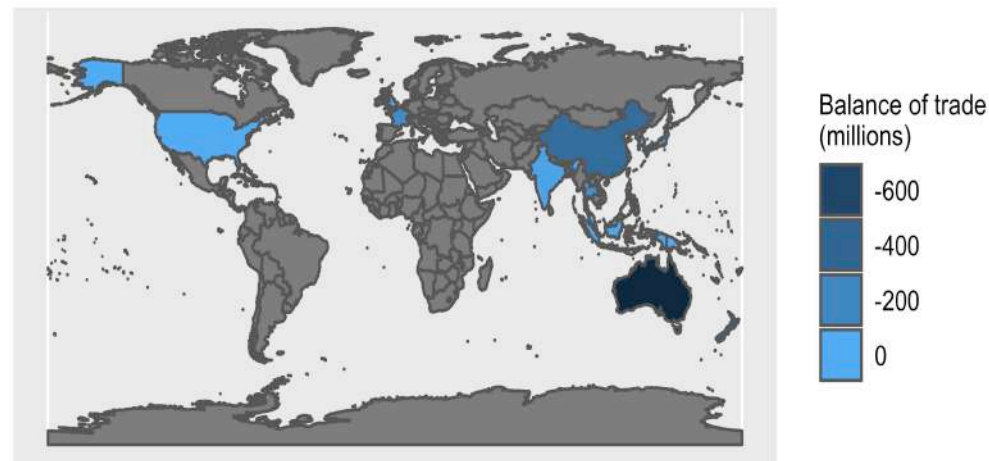
Policy Objectives	SMART Indicators	Indicator Value
ENV 1.3: Reduce reliance on food imports through import substitution for food products that can be produced domestically	ENV 1.3.1 Total annual value of imports of food and products targeted by DARD as those that can be produced domestically (including 'value-added products')	12.08
ECO 1.5: Increase access to markets for Vanuatu exports	ECO 1.5.2 MSG Trade by trade agreement (value)	525.91
	ECO 1.5.3 Balance of trade by major partner countries	-3,072.45
ECO 1.6: Require all new trade agreements to demonstrate tangible benefits in the national interest	ECO 1.6.2 Total estimated value of trade agreement as proportion of GDP	0.49
ECO 1.7: Stimulate economic diversification to spread the benefits of growth and increase economic stability	ECO 1.7.1 Level of export production of major commodities to include cocoa and copra	309.18
ECO 4.3: Increase production and processing of niche commodities, and value addition to commodities in which Vanuatu enjoys a comparative advantage	ECO 4.3.2 Ratio of processed export commodities (including coconut, kava, cocoa, coffee) to raw exports	1.54

Total value of imports targeted by Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (DARD) as those that can be produced domestically is VT 12.08 million (ENV 1.3.1). The products imported included Potatoes (VT 7.51 million), Cauliflower and Broccoli (VT 0.23 million), Carrots and Turnips (VT 0.27 million), Oranges (VT 0.21 million), Capsicum (VT 0.00 million), Corn (VT 0.02 million), and Onions and Shallots (VT 3.83 million).

The total value of the Melanesian Spearhead Group (MSG) agreement is VT 525.91 million (ECO 1.5.2). This Trade-by-Trade agreement included total exports of VT 117.93 million and total imports of VT 407.98 million. The Balance of Trade by Major Partner Countries is VT -3,072.45 million (ECO 1.5.3). Based on the 2019 Gross Domestic Product (GDP) VT 107,450 million, the total estimated value of MSG agreement as proportion of GDP is 0.49% (ECO 1.6.2).

Level of export production of major commodities is VT 309.18 million (ECO 1.7.1). The major commodities included Beef (VT 16.01 million), Cocoa (VT 28.31 million), Coconut Oil (VT 14.71 million), Coffee (VT 2.21 million), Kava (VT 210.59 million) and Wood (VT 37.35 million). The ratio of processed export commodities including Coconut, Kava, Cocoa, and Coffee to raw exports is 1.54 (ECO 4.3.2). Total value of processed exports is VT 154.67 million and total value of raw exports is VT 100.71 million.

ii. Trade Balance by Major Partner Countries

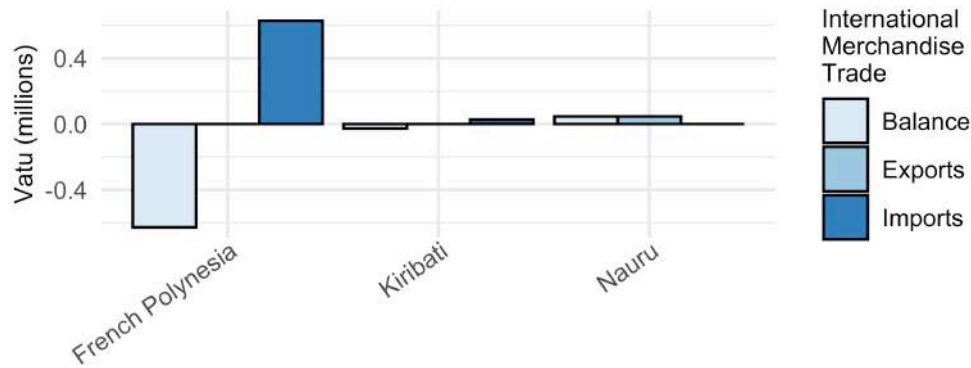


Balance of trade by major partner countries is VT -3,072.45 million. The main countries that account for this Balance are Australia (VT -792.47 million), China (VT -361.79 million), Fiji (VT -395.40 million), Singapore (VT -412.82 million), and New Zealand (VT -421.48 million). These countries represent 77.59% of the total Balance by Major Partner Countries (VT -2383.96 million).

Major imports from Australia included Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 183.05 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 139.18 million). Major imports from China included Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 121.33 million), and Chemical Products (VT 89.85 million). Major imports included Fiji were Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 268.66 million), and Vegetable Products (VT 85.04 million). Major imports from Singapore included Mineral Products (VT 391.39 million); and Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Alcohol, and Tobacco (VT 12.12 million). Major imports from New Zealand included Machinery & Electrical Appliances (VT 76.54 million), and Base Metals (VT 61.43 million).



iii. Trade Balance of Pacific Islands (excluding Melanesian Islands, Australia and New Zealand)



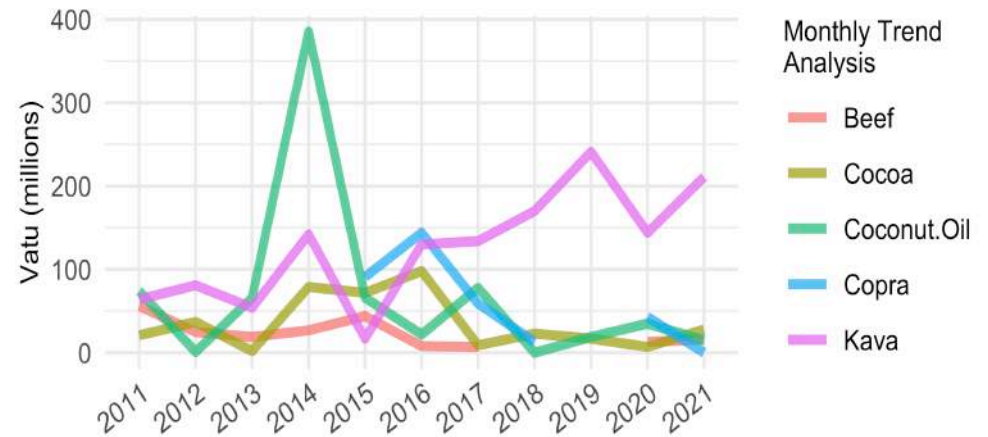
Total Trade Balance of Pacific Islands excluding Melanesia, Australia and New Zealand is VT -0.61 million. This was driven by imports from Kiribati (VT -0.03 million), imports from French Polynesia (VT -0.63 million), and exports to Nauru (VT 0.05 million).

iv. Trade by Trade Agreement- Melanesian Spearhead Group

SITC Description	FIJI EXPORTS	FIJI IMPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA EXPORTS	PAPUA NEW GUINEA IMPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS EXPORTS	SOLOMON ISLANDS IMPORTS	Total
Basic Manufactured Products	0.00	11.37					11.37
Beverages & Tobacco		24.03					24.03
Chemical Products	0.79	23.78					24.56
Crude Materials Except Fuels	97.48						97.48
Food & Live Animals	0.99	309.32	16.01	9.00		6.24	341.57
Machines & Transport Equipment	0.20	11.42					11.61
Mineral Fuels	0.00						0.00
Miscellaneous Manufactured Goods	0.76	11.44	1.70	1.33			15.23
Oils, Fats & Waxes		0.05					0.05
Grand Total	100.22	391.41	17.71	10.33	6.24	6.24	525.91

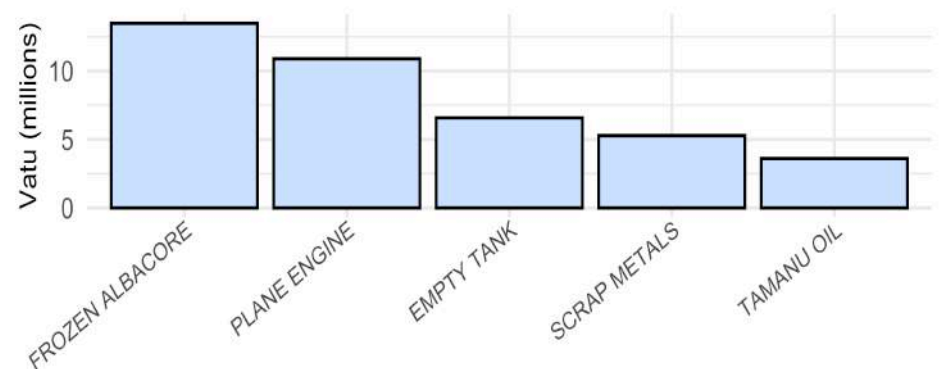
The major imports from Fiji included Bread, Cakes, Pastry and Biscuits (VT 111.03 million), and Wheat or Meslin Flour (VT 70.50 million). The major imports from Papua New Guinea is Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 5.12 million), and from the Solomons is also Prepared or Preserved Fish (VT 6.24 million). The major export to Fiji is Kava (VT 97.48 million), and to Papua New Guinea is Beef (VT 16.01 million).

v. Principal Exports



The level of production of the Major Principal Exports is VT 269.62 million. The Principal Exports identified included Beef (VT 16.01 million), Cocoa (VT 28.31 million), Coconut Oil (VT 14.71 million), and Kava (VT 210.59 million). The main country of destination for Beef is Papua New Guinea (VT 16.01 million), Cocoa is Malaysia (VT 15.23 million), and Coconut Oil is Malaysia (VT 14.56 million). Kava is exported mainly to Fiji (VT 97.48 million), New Caledonia (VT 39.53 million), and the United States of America (VT 37.64 million).

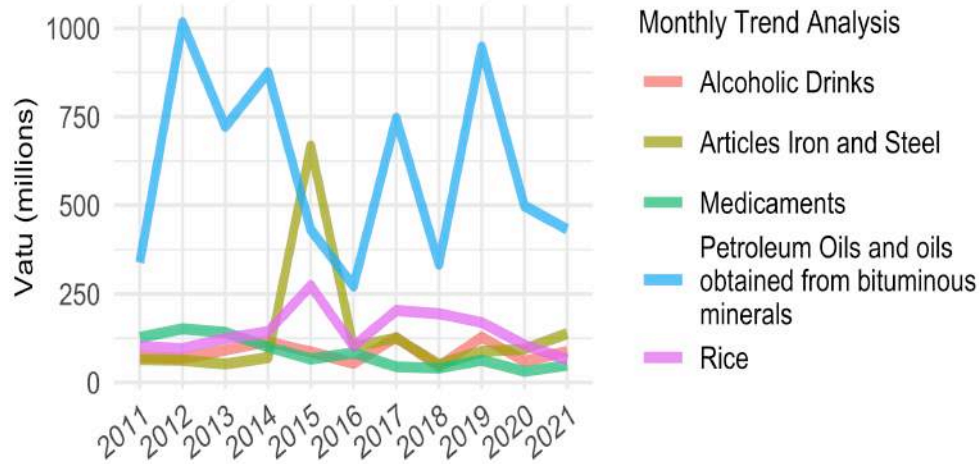
vi. Top 5 New Major Exports



Total value of Frozen Albacore VT 13.48 million, Plane Engine VT 10.89 million, Empty Tank VT 6.57 million, Scrap Metals VT 5.28 million and Tamau Oil VT 3.62 million.

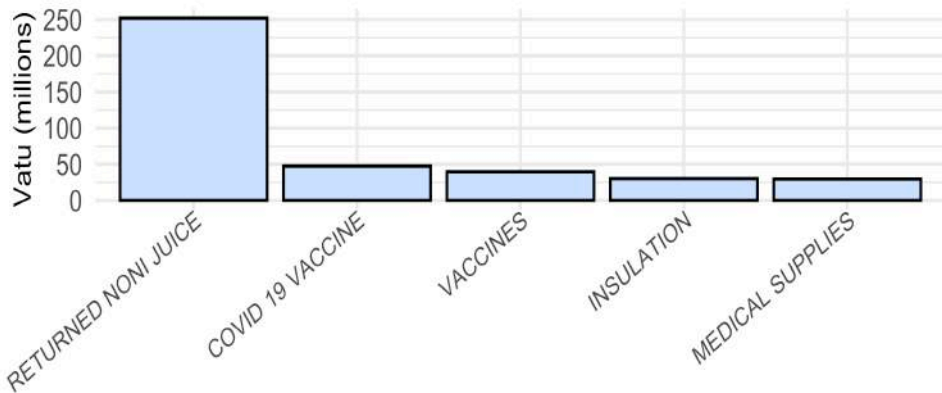


vii. *Principal Imports*



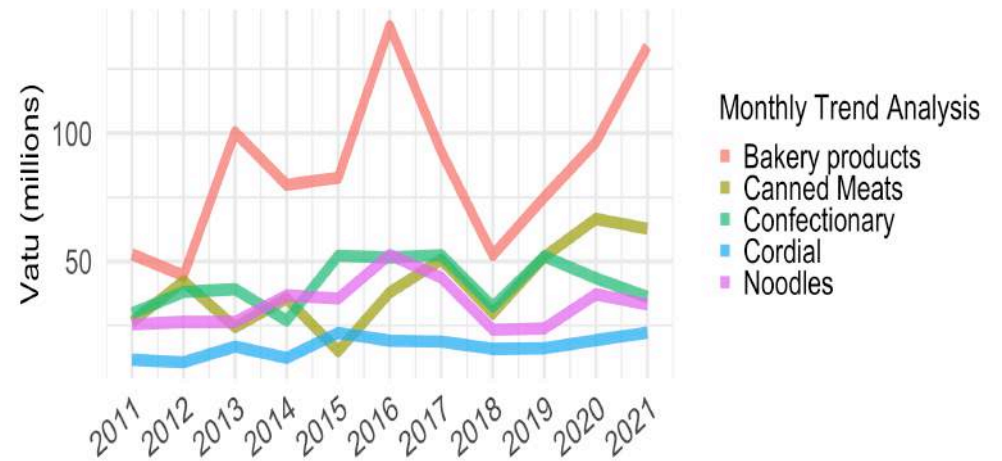
Total value of top five Principal imports is VT 769.19 million. The Principal Imports included Alcoholic Drinks (VT 87.18 million), Articles of Iron and Steel (VT 138.12 million), Medicaments (VT 47.54 million), Petroleum Oils (VT 431.94 million), and Rice (VT 64.40 million). The main country of origin for Alcoholic Drinks is Australia (VT 29.90 million), Articles of Iron and Steel is Australia (VT 75.19 million), Medicaments is India (VT 16.00 million), Petroleum Oils is Singapore (VT 390.26 million), and Rice is Taiwan (VT 32.10 million).

viii. *Top 5 New Major Imports*



Total value of Returned Noni Juice VT 252.05 million, Covid 19 Vaccine VT 47.57 million, Vaccines VT 39.65 million, Insulation VT 30.23 million, and Medical Supplies VT 29.54 million.

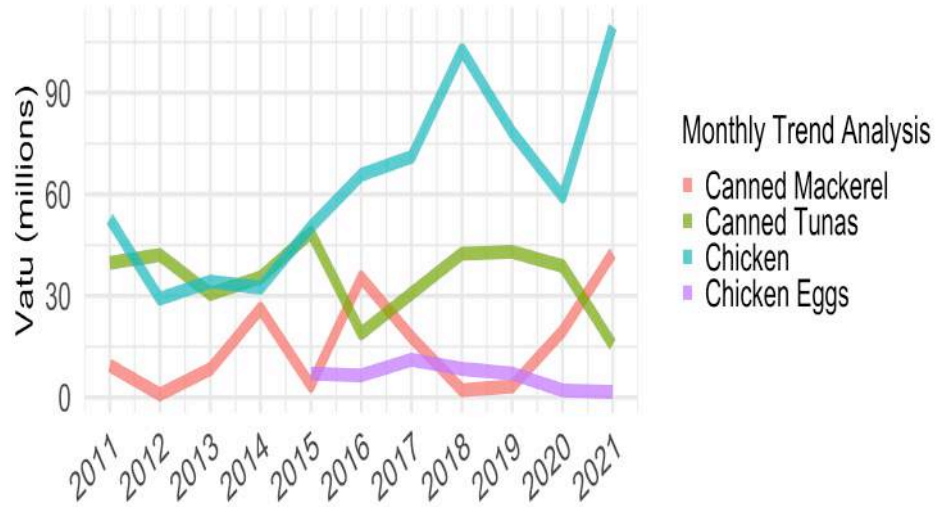
ix. *Imports of Dietary Risk Factors for Noncommunicable Diseases*



Total value of Bakery Products is VT 133.98 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 111.52 million). Total value of Canned Meats is VT 62.72 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 51.91 million). Total value of Confectionary is VT 36.10 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 17.27 million). Total value of Cordial is VT 22.20 million, the major importing country is Bangladesh (VT 7.22 million). Total value of Noodles is VT 33.15 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 19.01 million).



x. *Imports of Food and Products Targeted as those that can be Potentially Produced Domestically*



Total value of Chicken is VT 109.50 million, the major importing country is Australia (VT 78.37 million). Total value of Canned Tunas is VT 15.58 million, the major importing country is Solomon Islands (VT 6.24 million). Total value of Canned Mackerel is VT 42.61 million, the major importing country is Fiji (VT 38.80 million). Total value of Chicken Eggs VT 1.55 million, the major importing country is New Zealand (VT 1.55 million).

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Appendix 1: Tables

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Appendix 1 IMTS Tables

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1	Balance of trade - all items	Included
2	Imports by HS	Included
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7	Principal imports	Included
8	Balance of trade by major partner countries	Included
9	Trade by region	Included
10	Trade by mode of transport	Included
11	Trade by preferential trade agreements	Not included. This table will be compiled as soon as data on goods subject to preferences are made available from the source.
12	Exports by SITC	Included
13	Imports by SITC	Included
14	Retained imports classified by BEC	Not Included

Table 1		BALANCE OF TRADE - ALL ITEMS				
		[VT Million]				
		Exports FOB			Imports CIF	Trade Balance
Period		Exports	Re-exports	Total		Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)
Annually						
2012		3,698	0	3,698	32,159	-28,461
2013		3,811	0	3,811	34,552	-30,741
2014		5,692	0	5,692	35,356	-29,664
2015		4,249	0	4,249	44,831	-40,582
2016		5,292	0	5,292	49,835	-44,543
2017		5,916	447	6,363	42,622	-36,259
2018		4,841	1,920	6,761	43,002	-36,241
2019		5,222	1,186	6,408	40,950	-34,542
2020		4,650	657	5,308	34,620	-29,312
Monthly						
2018	January	287	173	460	3,642	-3,182
	February	274	137	412	3,025	-2,613
	March	640	176	816	3,274	-2,458
	April	390	165	555	4,037	-3,481
	May	455	162	617	3,562	-2,945
	June	354	308	662	2,942	-2,281
	July	289	109	398	3,240	-2,841
	August	373	146	518	4,134	-3,616
	September	452	145	597	3,672	-3,075
	October	284	171	455	3,796	-3,341
	November	303	130	433	3,463	-3,030
	December	741	96	836	4,213	-3,377
2019	January	409	130	539	3,246	-2,707
	February	350	106	456	2,599	-2,143
	March	452	73	524	3,000	-2,475
	April	338	118	455	3,563	-3,108
	May	536	117	653	2,773	-2,120
	June	377	80	457	3,347	-2,891
	July	519	77	596	2,902	-2,306
	August	633	114	747	3,585	-2,838
	September	332	89	421	3,790	-3,369

Table 1		BALANCE OF TRADE - ALL ITEMS (continued)				
		[VT Million]				
		Exports FOB			Imports CIF	Trade Balance
Period		Exports	Re-exports	Total		Surplus (+) / Deficit (-)
Monthly						
2019	October	428	90	519	3,451	-2,933
	November	357	103	461	3,736	-3,275
	December	493	88	581	4,958	-4,377
2020	January	296	132	429	3,095	-2,666
	February	331	132	464	3,174	-2,711
	March	345	191	536	2,427	-1,891
	April	225	45	270	2,964	-2,694
	May	223	20	243	2,159	-1,916
	June	504	40	544	2,814	-2,270
	July	311	16	327	2,645	-2,318
	August	414	19	432	3,088	-2,656
	September	463	10	472	3,282	-2,810
	October	735	20	755	2,751	-1,996
	November	350	14	364	2,982	-2,618
	December	453	18	472	3,239	-2,767
2021	January	260	11	272	2,363	-2,092
	February	108	16	124	2,893	-2,769
	March	316	9	325	2,537	-2,212
	April	439	11	450	2,460	-2,010
	May	602	33	634	3,480	-2,846
	June	708	13	721	2,672	-1,951
	July	439	21	460	3,030	-2,570
	August	667	19	686	2,816	-2,130
	September	259	65	324	2,816	-2,492
	October	618	22	640	2,494	-1,854
	November	361	16	377	3,862	-3,485
<i>Notes:</i>	<i>Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.</i>					
	<i>Data on re-exports are available from August 2017. Prior to that they were included with exports.</i>					

Table 2	IMPORTS BY HS										
	[VT Million]										
HS Sections	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI
	Live animals: animal products	Vegetable products	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	Mineral products	Chemicals and allied products	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	Textiles & textile articles
HS Chapters	01 -05	06 -14	15	16 - 24	25 - 27	28 - 38	39 - 40	41 - 43	44 - 46	47 - 49	50 - 63
Periods											
Annually											
2012	1,151	1,840	208	3,745	8,835	2,648	904	74	505	680	796
2013	1,148	2,124	184	4,267	9,012	2,534	1,045	79	616	841	984
2014	1,128	2,100	168	4,188	9,751	2,182	941	90	513	740	881
2015	1,367	3,679	216	4,572	8,427	2,146	1,351	101	840	647	1,282
2016	1,383	2,671	214	5,846	6,992	2,281	1,414	84	821	750	1,103
2017	1,622	2,524	250	5,400	7,997	2,216	1,347	106	429	718	1,197
2018	1,727	2,227	232	5,392	11,031	2,025	1,194	119	244	637	1,145
2019	1,682	2,274	224	5,440	9,988	2,036	1,151	124	322	758	1,024
2020	1,530	2,153	223	5,313	6,474	2,032	1,170	86	654	788	953
Monthly											
2018											
January	92	212	16	261	1,106	162	96	10	16	69	131
February	104	187	5	392	999	134	61	8	19	49	79
March	115	143	17	343	960	142	68	5	18	35	84
April	116	147	10	313	979	172	124	6	14	34	56
May	158	208	29	584	443	203	134	11	35	59	117
June	158	112	14	329	1,004	152	106	5	16	32	77
July	157	169	26	564	417	171	114	6	18	51	90
August	125	190	16	409	1,256	196	96	14	16	66	85
September	199	191	15	558	853	170	112	15	21	67	111
October	164	170	29	605	823	188	100	13	37	42	134
November	184	273	35	446	762	155	90	16	23	55	103
December	155	227	21	588	1,428	180	93	10	13	78	77
2019											
January	93	179	20	383	1,056	156	76	9	13	58	92
February	101	108	15	343	663	122	76	18	16	52	83
March	151	147	5	314	787	146	114	6	41	42	50
April	161	152	14	445	1,024	170	83	4	21	51	65
May	106	157	14	403	399	170	105	9	21	37	84
June	117	165	12	430	997	178	82	11	21	34	81
July	143	163	24	459	431	158	114	14	19	81	64
August	140	255	11	580	903	180	96	14	28	100	75
September	114	201	26	391	1,359	151	91	6	28	53	107
October	172	222	26	510	429	214	109	13	20	132	101
November	158	254	33	534	1,046	188	90	11	18	55	114
December	225	272	23	649	893	202	116	9	77	64	109
2020											
January	83	140	20	381	507	158	109	11	40	97	84
February	148	114	8	344	1,183	229	68	10	53	49	78
March	162	114	9	532	411	198	74	2	45	34	31
April	160	141	12	371	1,155	113	88	4	31	54	33
May	66	116	15	330	255	149	107	6	58	57	97
June	140	226	16	473	373	168	104	9	91	51	134
July	102	187	18	501	300	170	75	4	58	44	41
August	101	242	35	428	484	221	130	11	65	40	83
September	137	211	23	424	633	165	116	5	45	179	49
October	103	221	23	420	294	130	101	11	68	62	130
November	119	211	15	530	542	167	91	5	63	50	81
December	209	231	29	579	338	165	109	9	38	70	111
2021											
January	86	145	29	337	489	119	78	6	48	60	52
February	147	155	12	365	533	153	84	7	51	50	52
March	45	42	23	249	520	185	91	9	48	30	48
April	121	143	20	391	339	149	102	8	47	53	69
May	147	148	26	420	877	247	126	10	113	38	72
June	136	118	20	354	391	163	87	3	108	40	59
July	68	100	18	251	848	169	112	18	12	42	94
August	119	125	17	437	372	184	87	9	98	54	77
September	107	155	38	576	327	249	100	8	20	42	92
October	55	84	28	238	755	137	67	6	1	24	80
November	150	184	43	609	532	295	111	9	67	78	107
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.										
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises										

Table 2	IMPORTS BY HS (continued)												
	[VT Million]												
	HS Sections	XII	XIII	XIV	XV	XVI	XVII	XVIII	XIX	XX	XXI	XXII	Total
	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	Base metals & articles thereof	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	Others		
HS Chapters	64 - 67	68 - 70	71	72 - 83	84 - 85	86 - 89	90 - 92	93	94 - 96	97	98-99		
Periods													
Annually													
2012	192	287	107	1,661	3,959	3,087	384	4	772	7	313	32,159	
2013	204	277	142	1,795	4,180	3,480	381	2	934	5	318	34,552	
2014	157	290	143	1,664	4,425	4,327	517	5	858	3	285	35,356	
2015	234	517	118	6,593	6,361	4,532	507	13	1,265	16	47	44,831	
2016	273	667	216	4,037	7,074	9,940	2,464	5	1,391	2	207	49,835	
2017	283	720	100	2,904	7,155	6,058	394	14	1,187	2	0	42,622	
2018	288	389	126	2,444	6,299	5,906	494	4	1,075	3	0	43,002	
2019	308	305	92	2,372	5,720	5,058	1,021	1	975	5	72	40,950	
2020	238	270	44	2,328	5,186	3,213	574	0	970	6	413	34,620	
Monthly													
2018	January	21	38	3	275	429	563	35	3	105	0	0	3,642
	February	33	20	13	96	347	389	35	0	55	0	0	3,025
	March	8	21	10	133	390	643	24	0	117	0	0	3,274
	April	21	32	2	155	1,251	521	30	0	52	0	0	4,037
	May	22	38	6	272	462	651	62	0	69	0	0	3,562
	June	27	14	11	118	264	412	32	0	58	0	0	2,942
	July	26	33	30	188	500	512	64	0	105	0	0	3,240
	August	22	52	10	344	614	478	46	1	100	0	0	4,134
	September	30	71	13	257	455	441	22	0	73	0	0	3,672
	October	19	32	15	261	505	480	77	0	103	0	0	3,796
	November	24	20	8	203	495	401	34	0	134	0	0	3,463
	December	35	19	6	142	587	415	32	0	106	1	0	4,213
2019	January	16	18	8	188	318	466	33	0	64	0	0	3,246
	February	11	36	3	170	369	312	26	0	74	0	0	2,599
	March	26	24	4	204	394	433	37	0	74	2	0	3,000
	April	27	18	2	216	459	576	16	0	59	0	0	3,563
	May	42	32	2	183	548	360	19	0	82	0	0	2,773
	June	14	27	3	204	517	342	37	0	74	1	0	3,347
	July	29	35	5	144	385	540	33	0	61	0	0	2,902
	August	30	14	4	190	441	405	34	0	82	0	0	3,585
	September	20	22	8	194	444	473	33	0	69	0	0	3,790
	October	32	25	39	310	540	398	27	0	132	2	0	3,451
	November	22	21	9	177	493	372	32	0	109	0	0	3,736
	December	38	30	5	193	812	381	694	0	93	1	72	4,958
2020	January	17	33	2	248	548	398	38	0	143	1	37	3,095
	February	16	19	1	162	301	205	45	0	81	0	59	3,174
	March	11	18	4	114	261	284	25	0	58	1	39	2,427
	April	15	15	3	148	273	227	42	0	60	2	17	2,964
	May	5	30	2	271	319	162	16	0	63	0	35	2,159
	June	22	21	3	179	444	195	54	0	84	0	27	2,814
	July	14	20	14	177	512	285	23	0	76	0	25	2,645
	August	36	35	2	238	574	229	18	0	97	1	18	3,088
	September	14	22	2	245	483	267	161	0	67	0	35	3,282
	October	27	21	3	204	439	327	58	0	85	0	24	2,751
	November	20	14	6	143	405	319	76	0	73	0	55	2,982
	December	41	21	3	198	628	315	19	0	84	0	41	3,239
2021	January	21	18	2	134	373	221	61		59	0	26	2,363
	February	14	18	29	148	629	230	49		75	0	93	2,893
	March	25	19	1	191	514	307	43		94	0	51	2,537
	April	40	28	2	147	424	233	24	0	70	2	48	2,460
	May	20	18	4	200	538	379	34	0	52	1	10	3,480
	June	26	18	2	217	507	317	22	0	40	1	44	2,672
	July	28	61	3	228	476	333	50	0	74	0	46	3,030
	August	14	30	2	259	451	342	28	0	73	0	37	2,816
	September	24	29	5	215	368	301	32	8	84	0	35	2,816
	October	13	10	3	183	356	333	30	2	73	0	17	2,494
	November	40	44	2	241	609	296	68	0	70	0	305	3,862

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Data source: Customs and Enterprises

Table 3	EXPORTS BY HS											
	[VT Million]											
	HS Sections	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI
	Live animals: animal products	Vegetable products	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	Mineral products	Chemicals and allied products	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	Textiles & textile articles	
HS Chapters	01 -05	06 -14	15	16 - 24	25 - 27	28 - 38	39 - 40	41 - 43	44 - 46	47 - 49	50 - 63	
Periods												
Annually												
2012	655	1,444	802	261	0	18	0	19	297	5	2	
2013	561	1,569	521	352	0	112	0	29	342	1	6	
2014	613	2,414	773	470	10	415	7	26	483	7	5	
2015	480	1,296	829	341	2	39	7	20	393	14	3	
2016	385	2,880	591	623	2	52	7	14	179	23	13	
2017	282	3,116	857	286	19	70	2	15	411	63	1	
2018	117	2,989	464	437	1	50	7	5	177	14	6	
2019	177	3,262	313	569	4	21	4	2	100	17	1	
2020	333	3,020	177	491	67	36	4	0	9	50	3	
Monthly												
2018	January	9	103	81	9	0	1	2	0	17	1	5
	February	2	167	35	5	0	0	0	1	45	1	0
	March	10	434	52	20	0	1	2	1	6	1	0
	April	3	285	67	10	0	1	0	0	11	2	0
	May	1	321	29	24	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
	June	22	156	22	57	0	1	0	1	26	1	0
	July	16	132	47	73	0	1	0	0	2	1	0
	August	6	240	57	36	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
	September	15	370	9	27	0	1	0	1	1	1	0
	October	8	172	31	26	0	3	3	0	18	1	0
	November	16	198	7	26	0	1	0	0	23	1	0
	December	8	413	27	124	0	39	0	0	28	1	0
2019	January	1	137	1	44	0	2	0	0	18	1	0
	February	7	266	28	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
	March	14	349	37	7	0	1	0	0	2	1	0
	April	5	268	33	8	0	2	0	1	1	1	0
	May	0	347	32	57	0	1	1	0	13	2	1
	June	9	227	24	34	0	1	2	0	13	1	0
	July	18	256	0	67	0	3	0	0	27	2	0
	August	10	393	46	143	0	1	0	0	12	1	0
	September	27	195	31	31	0	2	0	0	2	2	0
	October	29	247	19	88	2	1	0	0	6	2	0
	November	20	242	23	45	0	3	0	0	4	1	0
	December	39	335	38	38	1	2	0	0	0	1	0
2020	January	41	120	0	116	0	3	0	0	1	1	0
	February	27	234	9	15	0	1	0	0	2	1	0
	March	34	268	15	8	2	5	0	0	0	1	1
	April	22	168	8	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	1
	May	15	176	3	9	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
	June	7	449	3	30	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
	July	47	217	8	20	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
	August	21	313	15	49	0	4	0	0	3	0	0
	September	22	233	0	186	0	1	0	0	1	1	0
	October	34	296	54	31	60	1	0	0	0	1	0
	November	28	189	38	12	0	16	0	0	2	41	0
	December	33	358	21	11	0	3	2	0	0	1	0
2021	January	14	190	16	7	0	1	0		25	2	0
	February	19	47	0	0	3	1	0		25	0	0
	March	19	226	3	24	0	2	0		19	2	0
	April	8	292	29	7	0	7	0	0	52	2	1
	May	32	220	10	314	0	1	0	0	5	2	0
	June	42	371		158	3	4		1	66	2	0
	July	60	187	6	49	3	7	0	0	92	2	0
	August	15	418	13	28	0	13	0	1	158	2	0
	September	42	127	12	15	0	9	0	0	29	4	0
	October	24	481	6	23	1	25	0	0	19	3	0
	November	30	213	18	30	0	1	0	0	37	2	0

Notes: Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.

Includes reexports up to July 2017

Data source: Customs and Enterprises

Table 3	EXPORTS BY HS (continued)											Total
	[VT Million]											
	HS Sections	XII	XIII	XIV	XV	XVI	XVII	XVIII	XIX	XX	XXI	
	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	Base metals & articles thereof	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	Others	
HS Chapters	64 - 67	68 - 70	71	72 - 83	84 - 85	86 - 89	90 - 92	93	94 - 96	97	99	
Periods												
Annually												
2012	0	0	1	74	18	15	0	0	23	2	62	3,698
2013	0	0	1	55	17	21	2	0	1	33	188	3,811
2014	1	0	0	74	70	150	14	0	51	5	104	5,692
2015	0	0	1	40	261	440	25	2	35	3	18	4,249
2016	0	1	0	45	139	203	51	0	21	1	63	5,292
2017	0	0	0	61	568	78	9	0	9	1	68	5,916
2018	0	1	0	131	287	27	19	0	7	2	100	4,841
2019	0	2	0	116	411	25	29	1	18	0	150	5,222
2020	0	0	1	55	164	118	27	0	16	2	78	4,650
Monthly												
2018	January	0	0	19	31	0	0	0	0	0	8	287
	February	0	0	2	8	3	1	0	0	0	4	274
	March	0	0	21	83	3	0	0	2	0	5	640
	April	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	390
	May	0	0	1	60	0	0	0	0	0	16	455
	June	0	0	44	4	0	11	0	0	0	9	354
	July	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	8	289
	August	0	0	7	17	0	0	0	0	0	6	373
	September	0	1	0	1	17	0	0	2	0	5	452
	October	0	0	12	1	3	0	0	1	0	4	284
	November	0	0	9	10	0	7	0	1	0	4	303
	December	0	0	6	67	0	1	0	1	0	26	741
2019	January	0	0	8	185	0	0	0	0	0	11	409
	February	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	350
	March	0	0	6	13	0	11	0	5	0	5	452
	April	0	0	5	6	0	4	0	0	0	3	338
	May	0	2	0	41	10	13	0	0	0	16	536
	June	0	0	0	11	27	0	0	0	0	26	377
	July	0	0	0	7	120	1	3	0	0	14	519
	August	0	0	3	6	6	0	0	0	0	11	633
	September	0	0	8	24	0	0	0	0	0	8	332
	October	0	0	13	5	0	0	0	11	0	4	428
	November	0	0	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	11	357
	December	0	0	11	13	0	11	0	1	0	3	493
2020	January	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	296
	February	0	0	9	7	2	12	0	0	0	11	331
	March	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	345
	April	0	0	5	0	3	0	0	0	0	10	225
	May	0	0	7	3	1	2	0	6	0	0	223
	June	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	4	0	4	504
	July	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	9	311
	August	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	414
	September	0	0	12	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	463
	October	0	0	4	131	111	5	0	0	0	6	735
	November	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	1	1	12	350
	December	0	0	7	1	0	7	0	5	0	2	453
2021	January			3	0	0	0		0	0	2	260
	February			6	2	0	0		0	0	4	108
	March			9	6	0	3		0	0	3	316
	April	0	0	8	17	5	0	0	0	0	10	439
	May	0	0	3	11	1	0	0	0	0	5	602
	June	0	0	17	2	5	1	0	14	0	22	708
	July	0	0	9	16	0	0	0	1	0	6	439
	August	0	0	12	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	667
	September	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	259
	October	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	21	618
	November	0	0	12	0	0	1	0	0	1	15	361
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.											
	Includes reexports up to July 2017											
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises											

Table 4	RE-EXPORTS BY HS										
	[VT Million]										
HS Sections	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI
	Live animals: animal products	Vegetable products	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	Mineral products	Chemicals and allied products	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	Textiles & textile articles
HS Chapters	01 -05	06 -14	15	16 - 24	25 - 27	28 - 38	39 - 40	41 - 43	44 - 46	47 - 49	50 - 63
Periods											
Annually											
2017	From August	0	0	0	129	261	17	0	1	0	0
2018		0	1	0	566	680	128	0	7	0	1
2019		0	0	0	312	608	59	0	5	1	5
2020		0	0	0	169	284	39	0	6	0	5
Monthly											
2018	January	0	0	0	88	51	11	0	0	0	0
	February	0	0	0	59	42	8	0	1	0	0
	March	0	0	0	66	29	24	0	2	0	0
	April	0	0	0	73	41	17	0	0	0	0
	May	0	0	0	48	56	10	0	0	0	0
	June	0	0	0	51	51	14	0	0	0	0
	July	0	0	0	23	59	8	0	1	0	0
	August	0	0	0	22	69	9	0	1	0	0
	September	0	0	0	43	75	6	0	0	0	0
	October	0	0	0	45	84	10	0	0	0	0
	November	0	0	0	41	65	7	0	0	0	0
	December	0	0	0	9	57	5	0	1	0	0
2019	January	0	0	0	48	65	7	0	0	0	0
	February	0	0	0	34	43	7	0	1	0	0
	March	0	0	0	18	28	5	0	0	0	0
	April	0	0	0	46	42	7	0	0	0	1
	May	0	0	0	39	41	11	0	1	0	1
	June	0	0	0	14	44	3	0	0	0	0
	July	0	0	0	28	17	3	0	1	0	1
	August	0	0	0	16	87	4	0	1	0	1
	September	0	0	0	16	63	2	0	0	0	0
	October	0	0	0	12	58	2	0	1	0	0
	November	0	0	0	17	61	2	0	1	0	1
	December	0	0	0	24	59	5	0	0	0	0
2020	January	0	0	0	37	64	8		1	0	0
	February	0	0	0	46	55	10		1	0	1
	March	0	0	0	58	62	10		2	0	3
	April	0	0	0	12	22	6		0	0	0
	May	0	0	0	1	13	1		0	0	0
	June	0	0	0	12	12	4		1	0	1
	July	0	0	0	0	6	0		0	0	0
	August	0	0	0	1	7	0		0	0	0
	September	0	0	0	0	10	0		0	0	0
	October	0	0	0	1	15	0		0	0	0
	November	0	0	0	0	13	0		0	0	0
	December	0	0	0	0	5	0		0	0	0
2021	January	0	0	0	0	1	11	0	0	0	0
	February	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0
	March	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0
	April	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
	May	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
	June	0	0	0	1	9	1	0	0	0	0
	July	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0
	August	0	0	0	1	17	0	0	0	0	0
	September	0	0	0	0	65	0	0	0	0	0
	October	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0
	November	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.										
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises										
	Data on re-exports are available from August 2017. Prior to that they were included with exports.										

Table 4		RE-EXPORTS BY HS (continued)											Total
		[VT Million]											
HS Sections		XII	XIII	XIV	XV	XVI	XVII	XVIII	XIX	XX	XXI	XXII	
		Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	Base metals & articles thereof	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	Others	
HS Chapters		64 - 67	68 - 70	71	72 - 83	84 - 85	86 - 89	90 - 92	93	94 - 96	97	99	
Periods													
Annually													
2017	From August	4	0	9	0	2	11	13	0	1	0	0	447
2018		20	5	76	1	33	321	75	0	5	1	0	1,920
2019		13	2	24	0	2	111	43	0	2	0	0	1,186
2020		9	0	16	0	1	80	44	0	2	0	0	657
Monthly													
2018	January	5	0	4	0	0	6	6	0	1	0	0	173
	February	2	1	6	0	1	11	6	0	1	0	0	137
	March	1	1	16	0	2	24	11	0	0	0	0	176
	April	2	0	15	0	3	7	5	0	0	0	0	165
	May	2	0	3	0	20	17	5	0	0	0	0	162
	June	1	0	4	0	1	168	16	0	0	0	0	308
	July	0	0	2	0	1	11	2	0	1	0	0	109
	August	1	1	14	0	2	14	11	0	0	1	0	146
	September	2	0	0	0	0	13	5	0	0	0	0	145
	October	2	0	5	0	0	23	2	0	0	0	0	171
	November	1	0	3	0	0	10	3	0	0	0	0	130
	December	0	0	4	0	1	16	3	0	0	0	0	96
2019	January	2	1	3	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	130
	February	1	0	3	0	1	9	6	0	0	0	0	106
	March	0	0	2	0	0	18	2	0	0	0	0	73
	April	2	0	0	0	0	16	3	0	0	0	0	118
	May	2	0	1	0	0	19	2	0	1	0	0	117
	June	0	0	3	0	0	15	2	0	0	0	0	80
	July	2	1	3	0	0	13	9	0	1	0	0	77
	August	1	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	114
	September	1	0	2	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	89
	October	1	0	3	0	0	11	3	0	0	0	0	90
	November	1	0	2	0	0	11	7	0	0	0	0	103
	December	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88
2020	January	1	0	0	0	0	20	2	0	0	0	0	132
	February	3	0	0	0	0	14	1	0	1	0	0	132
	March	5	0	4	0	0	25	20	0	1	0	0	191
	April	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	45
	May	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	20
	June	1	0	6	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	40
	July	0	0	1	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	16
	August	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	19
	September	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
	October	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	20
	November	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
	December	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	18
2021	January	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
	February	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	16
	March	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
	April	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
	May	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	33
	June	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	13
	July	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	21
	August	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
	September	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65
	October	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
	November	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.												
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises												
	Data on re-exports are available from August 2017. Prior to that they were included with exports.												

Table 5	TOTAL EXPORTS BY HS										
	[VT Million]										
HS Sections	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI
	Live animals: animal products	Vegetable products	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	Mineral products	Chemicals and allied products	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	Textiles & textile articles
HS Chapters	01 -05	06 -14	15	16 - 24	25 - 27	28 - 38	39 - 40	41 - 43	44 - 46	47 - 49	50 - 63
Periods											
Annually											
2012	655	1,444	802	261	0	18	0	19	297	5	2
2013	561	1,569	521	352	0	112	0	29	342	1	6
2014	613	2,414	773	470	10	415	7	26	483	7	5
2015	480	1,296	829	341	2	39	7	20	393	14	3
2016	385	2,880	591	623	2	52	7	14	179	23	13
2017	282	3,116	857	415	280	87	2	16	411	63	1
2018	117	2,989	464	1,003	682	178	7	12	177	14	6
2019	177	3,262	313	881	612	80	4	7	100	17	6
2020	333	3,020	177	660	351	75	4	6	9	50	8
Monthly											
2018											
January	9	103	81	97	51	12	2	0	17	1	5
February	2	167	35	64	42	9	0	2	45	1	0
March	10	434	52	86	29	24	2	3	6	1	0
April	3	285	67	82	41	18	0	0	11	2	0
May	1	321	29	72	56	11	0	1	0	1	0
June	22	156	22	108	51	15	0	1	26	1	0
July	16	133	47	96	60	9	0	1	2	1	0
August	6	240	57	58	69	10	0	1	0	2	0
September	15	370	9	70	76	7	0	1	1	1	0
October	8	172	31	71	84	12	3	1	18	1	0
November	16	198	7	66	65	8	0	0	23	1	0
December	8	413	27	132	57	44	0	1	28	1	0
2019											
January	1	137	1	92	65	9	0	0	18	1	0
February	7	266	28	42	43	7	0	1	0	1	0
March	14	349	37	25	28	7	0	0	2	1	0
April	5	268	33	54	42	9	0	1	1	1	1
May	0	347	32	96	41	12	1	1	13	2	2
June	9	227	24	48	44	4	2	0	13	1	0
July	18	256	0	95	17	6	0	1	27	2	1
August	10	393	46	158	87	5	0	1	12	1	1
September	27	195	31	46	63	4	0	0	2	2	0
October	29	247	19	100	60	3	0	1	6	2	0
November	20	242	23	62	61	5	0	1	5	1	1
December	39	335	38	62	60	7	0	0	0	1	0
2020											
January	41	120	0	153	64	10	0	1	1	1	0
February	27	234	9	61	55	11	0	1	2	1	1
March	34	268	15	66	64	15	0	2	0	1	4
April	22	168	8	15	26	7	0	0	0	0	1
May	15	176	3	10	13	1	2	0	0	1	0
June	7	449	3	42	12	5	0	1	0	0	1
July	47	217	8	20	7	0	0	0	0	1	0
August	21	313	15	50	7	4	0	0	3	0	0
September	22	233	0	187	10	1	0	0	1	1	0
October	34	296	54	32	75	1	0	0	0	1	0
November	28	189	38	13	13	16	0	0	2	41	0
December	33	358	21	11	5	3	2	0	0	1	0
2021											
January	14	190	16	7	1	12	0	0	25	2	0
February	19	47	0	0	4	14	0	0	25	0	0
March	19	226	3	24	0	11	0	0	19	2	0
April	8	292	29	7	11	7	0	0	52	2	1
May	32	220	10	314	11	1	0	0	5	2	0
June	42	371	0	159	12	5	0	1	66	2	0
July	60	187	6	50	16	8	0	0	92	2	0
August	15	418	13	29	18	13	0	1	158	2	0
September	42	127	12	16	65	9	0	0	29	4	0
October	24	481	6	23	23	25	0	0	19	3	0
November	30	213	18	30	16	1	0	0	37	2	0

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Data source: Customs and Enterprises
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Table 5	TOTAL EXPORTS BY HS (continued)											
	[VT Million]											
	XII	XIII	XIV	XV	XVI	XVII	XVIII	XIX	XX	XXI	XXII	Total
HS Sections	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	Base metals & articles thereof	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	Others	Total
HS Chapters	64 - 67	68 - 70	71	72 - 83	84 - 85	86 - 89	90 - 92	93	94 - 96	97	99	
Periods												
Annually												
2012	0	0	1	74	18	15	0	0	23	2	62	3,698
2013	0	0	1	55	17	21	2	0	1	33	188	3,811
2014	1	0	0	74	70	150	14	0	51	5	104	5,692
2015	0	0	1	40	261	440	25	2	35	3	18	4,249
2016	0	1	0	45	139	203	51	0	21	1	63	5,292
2017	4	0	9	61	570	89	22	0	10	1	68	6,363
2018	20	6	76	132	320	348	94	0	12	3	100	6,761
2019	13	4	24	116	413	136	72	1	20	0	150	6,408
2020	9	1	17	55	166	198	71	0	19	2	78	5,308
Monthly												
2018												
January	5	0	4	19	32	6	6	0	1	0	8	460
February	2	1	6	2	9	14	6	0	1	0	4	412
March	1	1	16	21	85	27	11	0	2	0	5	816
April	2	0	15	6	4	8	6	0	0	0	4	555
May	2	0	3	1	80	17	5	0	1	0	16	617
June	1	0	4	44	5	168	27	0	0	0	9	662
July	0	0	2	4	4	11	2	0	1	1	8	398
August	1	1	14	7	19	14	11	0	0	1	6	518
September	2	1	0	1	1	31	5	0	2	0	5	597
October	2	0	5	12	1	26	2	0	2	0	4	455
November	1	0	3	9	11	10	10	0	1	0	4	433
December	0	0	4	6	68	16	4	0	1	0	26	836
2019												
January	2	1	3	8	186	0	3	0	0	0	11	539
February	1	0	3	1	1	9	6	0	0	0	38	456
March	0	0	2	6	13	18	13	0	5	0	5	524
April	2	0	0	5	6	16	7	0	0	0	3	455
May	2	2	1	41	10	32	2	0	1	0	16	653
June	0	0	3	11	27	15	2	0	0	0	26	457
July	2	1	3	7	120	14	11	0	1	0	14	596
August	1	0	3	3	6	6	2	0	0	0	11	747
September	1	0	2	8	24	0	6	0	0	0	8	421
October	1	0	3	13	5	11	3	0	11	0	4	519
November	1	0	2	3	1	15	7	0	0	0	11	461
December	0	0	0	11	13	0	11	0	1	0	3	581
2020												
January	1	0	0	2	0	20	2	0	1	0	11	429
February	3	0	0	9	7	16	14	0	1	0	11	464
March	5	0	4	2	3	25	20	0	1	0	5	536
April	0	0	2	5	0	3	2	0	0	0	10	270
May	0	0	3	7	3	1	4	0	6	0	0	243
June	1	0	6	0	5	0	4	0	4	0	4	544
July	0	0	1	3	4	8	0	0	0	0	9	327
August	0	0	0	3	0	11	0	0	0	0	5	432
September	0	0	0	12	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	472
October	0	0	1	4	131	114	5	0	0	0	6	755
November	0	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	1	1	12	364
December	0	0	0	7	1	0	20	0	5	0	2	472
2021												
January	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	272
February	0	0	0	6	2	0	2	0	0	0	4	124
March	0	0	0	9	6	0	3	0	0	0	3	325
April	0	0	0	8	17	5	0	0	0	0	10	450
May	0	0	0	3	11	22	0	0	0	0	5	634
June	0	0	0	17	2	5	3	0	14	0	22	721
July	0	0	0	9	16	0	8	0	1	0	6	460
August	0	0	0	12	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	686
September	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	324
October	0	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	21	640
November	0	0	0	12	0	0	1	0	0	1	15	377

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Includes reexports up to July 2017
Data source: Customs and Enterprises
Data on re-exports are available from August 2017. Prior to that they were included with exports.

Table 6	PRINCIPAL EXPORTS								
	[VT Million]								
	ANNUALLY								
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
A. Exports									
Alcoholic Drinks	0	0	0	1	1	42	91	157	0
Beef fresh, chilled, frozen and preserved	398	335	442	344	297	178	65	96	85
Cocoa	178	327	415	330	463	164	193	270	175
Coconut Meal	15	0	0	0	0	65	40	51	28
Coconut oil	800	519	759	790	584	814	402	284	166
Coffee, all types	3	3	28	11	13	1	33	16	23
Copra	923	469	1,485	749	1,696	1,811	424	265	336
Cowhides	19	28	27	19	9	12	5	2	0
Fish: Tuna	129	100	10	0	0	0	0	4	191
Kava	418	810	728	69	1,060	1,277	2,513	2,970	2,601
Ornamental fish	96	47	137	116	49	53	0	0	0
Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	295	342	483	393	179	411	177	100	9
Shell buttons	23	33	44	27	20	5	0	16	0
Vanilla	10	7	4	0	0	0	1	0	5
Other products	391	791	1,130	1,400	921	1,083	897	993	1,030
Total exports	3,698	3,811	5,692	4,249	5,292	5,916	4,841	5,222	4,650
B. Re-exports									
Alcoholic Drinks	0	0	0	0	0	93	408	230	126
Tobacco and cigarettes	0	0	0	0	0	29	125	64	34
Fuel	0	0	0	0	0	261	680	608	284
Other products	0	0	0	0	0	64	707	284	213
Total re-exports	0	0	0	0	0	447	1,920	1,186	657
Total exports and re-exports	3,698	3,811	5,692	4,249	5,292	6,363	6,761	6,408	5,308

Table 6	PRINCIPAL EXPORTS (continued)											
	[VT Million]											
	MONTHLY											
	2018											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
A. Exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	16	17	0	41
Beef fresh, chilled, frozen and preserved	7	0	7	0	0	15	8	6	15	0	0	7
Cocoa	3	0	8	1	18	37	64	25	7	3	23	3
Coconut Meal	6	4	4	7	2	2	6	4	0	4	1	0
Coconut oil	62	23	45	67	29	20	47	49	8	30	0	22
Coffee, all types	1	2	2	0	1	0	1	8	1	1	13	3
Copra	0	24	0	113	13	21	36	20	165	14	13	4
Cowhides	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Fish: Tuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kava	98	140	432	172	306	133	91	208	203	157	170	404
Ornamental fish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	17	45	6	11	0	26	2	0	1	18	23	28
Shell buttons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Other products	93	35	136	19	83	82	34	53	33	40	60	228
Total exports	287	274	640	390	455	354	289	373	452	284	303	741
B. Re-exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	66	42	46	51	36	35	13	17	35	35	25	6
Tobacco and cigarettes	16	14	17	17	11	12	7	4	4	7	13	3
Fuel	51	42	29	41	56	51	59	69	75	84	65	57
Other products	39	39	85	56	60	210	29	56	31	45	27	30
Total re-exports	173	137	176	165	162	308	109	146	145	171	130	96
Total exports and re-exports	460	412	816	555	617	662	398	518	597	455	433	836

Table 6	PRINCIPAL EXPORTS (continued)											
	[VT Million]											
	MONTHLY											
	2019											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
A. Exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	20	0	0	0	0	13	28	0	19	55	20	2
Beef fresh, chilled, frozen and preserved	0	7	8	0	0	8	16	9	27	8	0	12
Cocoa	19	6	3	2	48	17	34	64	2	26	17	31
Coconut Meal	1	1	4	6	8	3	0	6	7	4	6	4
Coconut oil	0	28	33	22	25	24	0	46	31	19	19	38
Coffee, all types	0	1	6	1	0	0	1	1	3	1	1	1
Copra	21	0	0	0	82	0	0	89	0	0	0	73
Cowhides	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fish: Tuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Kava	116	264	342	266	263	227	254	301	192	244	241	260
Ornamental fish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	18	0	2	1	13	13	27	12	2	6	4	0
Shell buttons	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0
Vanilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other products	213	43	48	39	96	71	157	105	48	55	49	69
Total exports	408	350	452	338	536	377	518	633	332	428	358	493
B. Re-exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	34	26	10	36	30	9	22	12	12	10	14	15
Tobacco and cigarettes	11	6	6	8	8	3	5	3	3	2	3	5
Fuel	65	43	28	42	41	44	17	87	63	58	61	59
Other products	20	29	29	33	38	24	33	12	12	21	25	9
Total re-exports	130	106	73	118	117	80	77	114	89	90	103	88
Total exports and re-exports	538	456	524	455	653	457	596	747	421	519	461	581

Table 6	PRINCIPAL EXPORTS (continued)											
	[VT Million]											
	MONTHLY											
	2020											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
A. Exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beef fresh, chilled, frozen and preserved	16	8	17	0	7	0	0	8	8	8	13	0
Cocoa	25	14	0	0	8	30	11	45	4	24	7	8
Coconut Meal	0	1	8	3	0	0	1	3	1	4	4	3
Coconut oil	0	9	15	8	0	0	8	15	0	54	35	21
Coffee, all types	1	12	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	1	2
Copra	0	23	98	0	76	10	62	14	0	10	43	0
Cowhides	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fish: Tuna	25	19	17	22	7	7	21	14	14	25	0	20
Kava	117	198	170	168	97	435	153	297	232	286	144	305
Ornamental fish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	2	0
Shell buttons												
Vanilla	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Other products	111	46	20	23	26	20	53	13	201	325	102	90
Total exports	296	331	345	225	223	504	311	414	463	735	350	453
B. Re-exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	26	34	45	8	1	10	0	1	0	1	0	0
Tobacco and cigarettes	9	9	10	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fuel	64	55	62	22	13	12	6	7	10	15	13	5
Other products	34	34	74	12	6	17	9	11	0	4	0	13
Total re-exports	132	132	191	45	20	40	16	19	10	20	14	18
Total exports and re-exports	429	464	536	270	243	544	327	432	472	755	364	472

Table 6	PRINCIPAL EXPORTS (continued)											
	[VT Million]											
	MONTHLY											
	2021											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
A. Exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beef fresh, chilled, frozen and preserved	7	0	6	8	16	0	30	8	8	17	16	
Cocoa	6	0	18	4	64	69	49	28	15	22	28	
Coconut Meal	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	
Coconut oil	16	0	1	29	9		6	12	11	6	15	
Coffee, all types	4	2	3	2	0	2	1	3	1	1	2	
Copra	0	0	8	124	9	238	36	22	0	253	0	
Cowhides	0	0	0	0	0		0	1	0	0	0	
Fish: Tuna	0	6	13	0	16	33	27	0	34	0	0	
Kava	183	42	214	166	124	126	147	394	125	227	211	
Ornamental fish	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	
Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	25	25	19	52	5	66	92	158	29	19	37	
Shell buttons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Vanilla	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Other products	16	32	28	54	358	174	52	43	34	74	52	
Total exports	260	108	316	439	602	708	439	667	259	618	361	
B. Re-exports												
Alcoholic Drinks	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	
Tobacco and cigarettes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Fuel	11	14	9	11	11	9	0	0	0	0	0	
Other products	0	2	0	0	22	3	21	18	65	22	16	
Total re-exports	11	16	9	11	33	13	21	19	65	22	16	
Total exports and re-exports	272	124	325	450	634	721	460	686	324	640	377	
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.											
	Includes reexports up to July 2017											
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises											
	Data on re-exports are available from August 2017. Prior to that they were included with exports.											

Commodity	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS									
	[VT Million]									
	ANNUALLY									
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Alcoholic drinks	679	696	758	658	858	994	673	947	682	
Aluminium and articles thereof	240	197	210	308	314	292	237	224	230	
Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods; stoppers, lids, caps and other closures, of plastics	208	231	207	291	246	278	215	261	232	
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	372	483	480	441	468	565	483	493	375	
Articles of iron or steel	671	718	641	4,806	2,358	1,465	1,082	1,158	1,031	
Automatic data processing machines; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data.	260	332	340	510	426	353	360	496	467	
Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares	483	661	581	724	769	808	651	745	727	
Centrifuges, including centrifugal dryers; filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases	69	97	155	115	99	221	177	155	180	
Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes	545	486	478	512	598	599	352	731	626	
Electric generating sets and rotary converters	114	118	184	190	109	225	155	262	173	
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	83	88	71	85	72	69	56	75	114	
Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	153	169	119	201	232	241	221	255	210	
Insulated wire, cable and other insulated electric conductors, whether or not fitted with connectors; optical fibre cables, made up of individually sheathed fibres, whether or not assembled with electric conductors or fitted with connectors	161	248	139	178	179	305	151	143	130	
Iron and steel	401	496	415	921	717	661	425	596	612	
Meat and edible offal of poultry	471	463	462	631	747	864	890	972	898	
Medicaments	1,398	1,108	956	820	897	694	554	677	682	
Milk and Cream	270	283	253	354	267	331	287	281	308	
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	610	1,354	1,231	1,973	2,403	2,770	1,525	2,998	1,348	
Motor vehicles for the transport of passengers	1,490	867	905	913	1,101	1,776	1,158	1,303	1,046	
New pneumatic tires, of rubber	147	162	145	210	272	164	143	157	150	
Non-alcoholic drinks including mineral water	233	288	291	277	225	271	168	172	153	
Other furniture and parts thereof	175	193	215	218	389	279	263	218	188	
Other Imports	9,105	9,938	9,026	12,926	22,150	13,693	21,752	11,824	10,992	
Other made up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	199	238	218	572	397	374	323	266	365	
Other prepared or preserved meat, meat offal or blood	231	244	285	248	214	297	255	357	426	
Parts of aircraft	102	120	1,439	288	225	135	28	28	12	
Pasta, whether cooked or stuffed or otherwise prepared, such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni; couscous	137	149	148	206	195	225	193	215	237	
Perfumes, make-up preparations and preparations for the care of the skin (excl medicaments) and products for hair	260	255	268	110	282	295	233	265	256	
Personal and household effects	313	319	285	44	1	0	0	0	3	
Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	244	269	264	220	199	238	227	253	221	
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals	8,060	8,213	8,925	7,271	5,500	6,584	4,461	8,797	5,467	
Portland cement, aluminous cement, slag cement, supersulphate cement and similar hydraulic cements	453	454	479	865	1,115	929	489	687	712	
Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding	185	182	178	145	154	196	222	236	254	
Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products eg corn flakes; cereals (excl maize) in grain or flakes	137	166	130	145	151	155	152	152	166	
Prepared or preserved fish	258	411	434	524	494	613	634	674	825	
Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter	112	205	192	117	202	118	123	230	132	
Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps other than air conditioning machines	83	120	96	179	146	164	116	141	203	
Rice	1,130	1,306	1,265	2,673	1,639	1,512	1,184	1,237	1,163	
Self-propelled bulldozers, angledozers, graders, levellers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers	120	33	147	391	508	338	280	256	172	
Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines and compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semi-diesel engines)	100	148	155	121	163	159	124	165	159	
Sugar	136	164	149	117	163	155	168	128	197	
Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	528	678	730	885	814	1,305	1,076	829	741	
Toilet paper and similar paper	150	172	168	115	86	107	93	101	104	
Tubes, pipes and hoses, and fittings therefor (for example, joints, elbows, flanges), of plastics.	130	181	137	199	257	206	147	141	175	
Wheat or meslin flour	333	412	441	497	508	473	405	543	579	
Wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, sanded or end-jointed	281	317	310	492	463	31	19	64	440	
Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sports; rowing boats and canoes	137	121	249	145	64	96	72	42	59	
TOTAL IMPORTS	32,159	34,552	35,356	44,831	49,835	42,622	43,002	40,950	34,620	

Table 7 Commodity	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS (continued) [VT Million]												
	MONTHLY												
	2018												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Alcoholic drinks	44	93	63	35	5	21	83	44	98	94	45	48	
Aluminium and articles thereof	25	12	19	21	4	10	18	30	25	21	31	23	
Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods; stoppers, lids, caps and other closures, of plastics	21	9	14	20	3	20	26	16	28	16	30	12	
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	57	45	33	29	19	22	30	51	51	54	49	41	
Articles of iron or steel	132	40	82	63	8	76	104	146	137	172	71	51	
Automatic data processing machines; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data.	36	28	53	20	2	29	25	44	26	41	37	20	
Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares	41	24	55	58	2	47	78	37	95	66	44	105	
Centrifuges, including centrifugal dryers; filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases	8	7	11	9	0	4	7	16	83	7	13	11	
Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes	11	28	4	40	0	49	29	67	3	72	33	16	
Electric generating sets and rotary converters	13	10	4	33	1	17	26	11	5	18	5	11	
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	1	1	6	7	0	8	7	3	5	3	9	6	
Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	16	31	5	18	4	25	22	16	20	15	19	31	
Insulated wire, cable and other insulated electric conductors, whether or not fitted with connectors; optical fibre cables, made up of individually sheathed fibres, whether or not assembled with electric conductors or fitted with connectors	10	17	10	21	3	6	13	18	9	8	12	24	
Iron and steel	66	18	17	42	20	13	38	27	56	40	60	27	
Meat and edible offal of poultry	62	45	82	56	0	84	94	76	120	97	104	68	
Medicaments	56	41	53	56	7	27	74	68	32	57	40	41	
Milk and Cream	21	34	7	28	0	27	21	12	25	31	34	46	
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	151	120	205	218	3	90	104	134	102	144	138	115	
Motor vehicles for the transport of passengers	165	85	130	125	29	110	74	99	92	97	67	84	
New pneumatic tires, of rubber	10	13	10	4	8	20	9	16	11	14	10	20	
Non-alcoholic drinks including mineral water	29	12	18	7	1	6	22	8	18	15	20	13	
Other furniture and parts thereof	30	15	38	9	4	14	34	21	18	31	21	30	
Other Imports	1,616	1,409	1,888	2,129	3,354	1,189	1,653	1,900	1,710	1,654	1,576	1,673	
Other made up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	36	11	36	21	5	25	41	21	45	40	22	19	
Other prepared or preserved meat, meat offal or blood	6	12	13	6	0	23	26	35	33	39	24	38	
Parts of aircraft	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	25	1	1	
Pasta, whether cooked or stuffed or otherwise prepared, such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni; couscous	8	12	19	13	0	16	19	9	22	28	19	27	
Perfumes, make-up preparations and preparations for the care of the skin (excl medicaments) and products for hair	24	13	7	23	2	23	19	21	21	34	19	28	
Personal and household effects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	25	20	20	14	0	19	19	33	23	4	24	27	
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals	472	420	37	303	7	600	24	658	311	399	334	896	
Portland cement, aluminous cement, slag cement, supersulphate cement and similar hydraulic cements	19	55	37	54	1	54	40	58	52	32	54	33	
Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding	26	9	7	18	0	17	22	19	14	22	27	43	
Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products eg corn flakes; cereals (excl maize) in grain or flakes	5	12	12	5	0	11	23	11	14	25	4	29	
Prepared or preserved fish	10	51	35	22	34	30	84	62	89	75	45	97	
Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter	18	13	11	5	1	6	14	14	4	5	8	25	
Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps other than air conditioning machines	9	8	3	14	1	6	6	10	10	11	21	18	
Rice	158	140	53	75	6	42	72	134	88	86	194	136	
Self-propelled bulldozers, angledozers, graders, levellers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers	23	9	1	138	0	2	63	6	5	15	0	17	
Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines and compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semi-diesel engines)	10	7	4	10	1	13	22	8	10	12	18	9	
Sugar	3	17	7	9	10	21	18	12	16	18	25	13	
Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	99	45	107	203	16	38	73	101	33	89	97	175	
Toilet paper and similar paper	9	5	6	1	0	4	5	13	12	12	13	13	
Tubes, pipes and hoses, and fittings therefor (for example, joints, elbows, flanges), of plastics.	19	7	11	12	2	38	7	13	14	10	7	7	
Wheat or meslin flour	28	20	34	40	0	35	44	36	51	43	29	44	
Wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, sanded or end-jointed	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	8	4	0	0	
Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sports; rowing boats and canoes	12	1	5	0	0	2	6	1	28	4	11	3	
TOTAL IMPORTS	3,642	3,025	3,274	4,037	3,562	2,942	3,240	4,134	3,672	3,796	3,463	4,213	

Table 7 Commodity	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS (continued)											
	[VT Million]											
	MONTHLY											
	2019											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Alcoholic drinks	87	65	59	68	68	58	75	86	51	81	128	120
Aluminium and articles thereof	22	14	21	19	18	10	29	16	17	16	20	21
Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods; stoppers, lids, caps and other closures, of plastics	17	15	30	18	20	18	44	21	14	27	15	23
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	45	53	19	25	41	35	38	40	58	46	48	45
Articles of iron or steel	57	63	101	79	95	121	59	85	104	220	86	87
Automatic data processing machines; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data.	17	30	33	31	50	95	23	42	60	29	35	51
Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares	56	29	35	98	54	69	50	77	42	89	60	86
Centrifuges, including centrifugal dryers; filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases	11	35	11	10	13	8	19	9	8	14	10	7
Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes	50	73	17	44	48	72	64	52	60	80	66	105
Electric generating sets and rotary converters	3	26	7	2	131	27	16	15	3	8	19	5
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	1	4	7	8	3	5	9	1	1	14	9	13
Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	13	8	23	25	29	9	28	26	15	27	18	34
Insulated wire, cable and other insulated electric conductors, whether or not fitted with connectors; optical fibre cables, made up of individually sheathed fibres, whether or not assembled with electric conductors or fitted with connectors	11	7	8	26	5	18	10	17	10	12	10	9
Iron and steel	87	63	51	49	48	45	31	51	37	43	42	49
Meat and edible offal of poultry	54	54	87	105	63	60	92	62	81	78	80	155
Medicaments	36	47	52	54	67	83	45	57	60	40	63	73
Milk and Cream	18	25	18	26	22	16	16	41	13	32	37	17
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	289	199	277	333	209	144	379	227	258	250	218	216
Motor vehicles for the transport of passengers		77	114	195	96	133	120	108	162	107	86	105
New pneumatic tires, of rubber	18	9	9	10	20	7	11	14	19	6	11	25
Non-alcoholic drinks including mineral water	5	8	9	24	16	16	14	7	11	15	10	37
Other furniture and parts thereof	16	9	10	12	19	14	13	22	11	41	27	23
Other Imports	911	818	907	907	845	877	870	910	839	1,076	989	1,873
Other made up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	32	19	16	13	16	31	16	22	24	30	22	26
Other prepared or preserved meat, meat offal or blood	16	8	17	33	15	28	39	55	20	28	40	56
Parts of aircraft	1	2	2	5	1	1	2	2	1	1	7	2
Pasta, whether cooked or stuffed or otherwise prepared, such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni; couscous	6	15	20	26	37	18	25	15	16	13	11	13
Perfumes, make-up preparations and preparations for the care of the skin (excl medicaments) and products for hair	26	13	18	14	19	13	20	26	17	27	37	35
Personal and household effects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	18	0	17	51	4	27	20	20	20	24	14	39
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals	917	541	704	908	334	925	317	816	1,282	319	946	788
Portland cement, aluminous cement, slag cement, supersulphate cement and similar hydraulic cements	60	37	59	30	59	42	88	55	52	65	84	57
Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding	14	15	16	24	13	24	16	37	11	28	19	18
Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products eg corn flakes; cereals (excl maize) in grain or flakes	10	11	13	9	13	8	8	21	12	17	13	16
Prepared or preserved fish	82	38	35	37	48	57	46	101	78	40	47	64
Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter	15	10	8	3	6	2	45	47	11	65	12	6
Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps other than air conditioning machines	6	12	10	8	19	11	5	17	8	19	14	13
Rice	108	51	57	34	64	98	74	183	138	111	169	149
Self-propelled bulldozers, angledozers, graders, levellers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers	8	3	2	12	5	0	2	9	29	24	57	103
Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines and compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semi-diesel engines)	10	6	11	30	8	4	12	5	27	10	20	22
Sugar	5	11	7	11	17	5	11	19	7	10	17	9
Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	30	29	25	42	49	51	47	80	57	162	56	204
Toilet paper and similar paper	9	6	5	9	8	4	8	12	4	13	9	13
Tubes, pipes and hoses, and fittings therefor (for example, joints, elbows, flanges), of plastics.	8	15	13	16	10	8	10	8	14	17	7	13
Wheat or meslin flour	38	21	39	75	47	37	34	42	26	72	44	66
Wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, sanded or end-jointed	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	58
Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sports; rowing boats and canoes	0	1	2	4	1	11	3	6	1	4	2	7
TOTAL IMPORTS	3,246	2,599	3,000	3,563	2,773	3,347	2,902	3,585	3,790	3,451	3,736	4,958

Table 7 Commodity	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS (continued)											
	[VT Million]											
	MONTHLY											
	2020											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Alcoholic drinks	72	65	93	57	47	47	32	47	42	47	60	73
Aluminium and articles thereof	37	12	10	10	25	25	10	20	32	14	17	18
Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods; stoppers, lids, caps and other closures, of plastics	17	12	17	29	15	29	16	39	19	18	8	15
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	38	51	15	7	16	58	13	26	14	59	25	50
Articles of iron or steel	116	93	28	59	109	86	81	125	103	68	69	94
Automatic data processing machines; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data.	26	12	25	8	42	33	35	69	30	61	51	75
Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares	29	48	76	84	40	68	61	55	57	52	87	70
Centrifuges, including centrifugal dryers; filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases	30	22	11	4	10	19	28	14	16	9	7	9
Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes	50	48	48	56	27	51	69	46	36	76	71	48
Electric generating sets and rotary converters	6	4	20	2	5	8	16	16	16	18	4	58
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	9	11	13	18	2	10	1	10	10	12	12	7
Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	15	14	9	14	3	19	12	32	12	25	17	38
Insulated wire, cable and other insulated electric conductors, whether or not fitted with connectors; optical fibre cables, made up of individually sheathed fibres, whether or not assembled with electric conductors or fitted with connectors	11	8	12	13	16	7	8	15	9	6	10	15
Iron and steel	67	28	57	46	91	29	54	57	60	47	27	48
Meat and edible offal of poultry	37	79	104	95	45	83	82	56	77	44	59	138
Medicaments	37	118	88	36	30	66	61	79	58	42	31	35
Milk and Cream	23	36	20	37	14	32	12	23	22	27	20	41
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	176	93	131	103	109	95	71	99	145	112	81	133
Motor vehicles for the transport of passengers	92	72	88	61	30	64	188	61	60	56	175	99
New pneumatic tires, of rubber	20	8	6	10	17	11	8	17	20	12	13	8
Non-alcoholic drinks including mineral water	13	17	18	4	15	13	15	13	11	3	16	16
Other furniture and parts thereof	31	24	14	6	11	25	18	12	7	8	10	20
Other Imports	1,109	770	728	678	765	805	848	1,046	1,177	1,011	963	1,091
Other made up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	32	18	12	21	55	47	16	42	24	48	21	30
Other prepared or preserved meat, meat offal or blood	23	26	37	7	56	54	48	11	49	30	54	30
Parts of aircraft	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	4	3	0	2
Pasta, whether cooked or stuffed or otherwise prepared, such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni; couscous	15	18	25	22	11	13	29	15	19	23	22	25
Perfumes, make-up preparations and preparations for the care of the skin (excl medicaments) and products for hair	23	23	22	17	34	17	14	17	15	23	26	23
Personal and household effects	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	37	27	4	20	11	29	4	27	25	18	4	15
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals	374	1,101	337	1,073	227	293	263	371	539	202	498	190
Portland cement, aluminous cement, slag cement, supersulphate cement and similar hydraulic cements	81	50	68	60	15	40	23	78	68	69	36	125
Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding	29	18	29	16	16	14	25	19	14	18	20	35
Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products eg corn flakes; cereals (excl maize) in grain or flakes	25	11	14	7	4	9	14	8	16	20	16	21
Prepared or preserved fish	31	13	50	33	41	115	97	122	99	40	59	125
Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter	34	5	4	2	4	15	2	8	2	3	26	25
Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps other than air conditioning machines	26	24	11	13	20	14	5	15	8	37	14	15
Rice	85	42	23	46	51	146	115	167	124	131	106	128
Self-propelled bulldozers, angledozers, graders, levellers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers	24	7	0	22	4	18	14	2	3	35	18	24
Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines and compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semi-diesel engines)	6	2	6	1	7	84	8	14	2	7	10	12
Sugar	9	9	27	12	11	18	21	27	16	20	15	12
Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	100	41	28	30	27	60	94	62	108	57	58	75
Toilet paper and similar paper	12	4	5	15	16	10	10	5	5	8	8	6
Tubes, pipes and hoses, and fittings therefor (for example, joints, elbows, flanges), of plastics.	16	8	7	15	9	12	14	16	17	5	23	33
Wheat or meslin flour	25	35	47	69	22	51	41	47	58	55	66	62
Wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, sanded or end-jointed	21	43	30	25	31	69	45	36	31	40	45	24
Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sports; rowing boats and canoes	5	3	6	1	1	0	0	0	3	33	4	2
TOTAL IMPORTS	3,095	3,174	2,427	2,964	2,159	2,814	2,645	3,088	3,282	2,751	2,982	3,239

Table 7 Commodity	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS (continued)										
	[VT Million]										
	MONTHLY										
	2021										
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
Alcoholic drinks	49	45	41	33	100	41	44	52	34	41	87
Aluminium and articles thereof	14	16	13	19	14	14	16	20	18	24	14
Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods; stoppers, lids, caps and other closures, of plastics	21	22	17	0	13	4	15	27	22	10	37
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	29	23	23	33	25	32	57	39	35	56	54
Articles of iron or steel	65	51	93	0	0	6	122	125	117	106	138
Automatic data processing machines; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data.	0	1	1	230	791	375	37	50	52	32	52
Bread, pastry, cakes, biscuits and other bakers' wares	64	47	24	54	53	42	32	60	78	17	127
Centrifuges, including centrifugal dryers; filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus, for liquids or gases	6	5	6	74	50	2	6	11	5	4	9
Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes	61	47	36	7	10	13	42	52	109	53	22
Electric generating sets and rotary converters	23	88	9	17	33	12	5	20	0	11	9
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	0	10	2	40	44	60	16	1	1	16	4
Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	20	13	23	22	19	22	24	13	18	11	37
Insulated wire, cable and other insulated electric conductors, whether or not fitted with connectors; optical fibre cables, made up of individually sheathed fibres, whether or not assembled with electric conductors or fitted with connectors	3	22	5	14	14	18	9	14	6	2	4
Iron and steel	35	54	64	17	31	5	60	95	44	28	62
Meat and edible offal of poultry	64	84	40	19	10	17	41	67	78	24	111
Medicaments	37	53	62	19	15	22	48	56	45	61	48
Milk and Cream	16	29	0	15	26	10	8	40	18	11	13
Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	116	115	191	4	8	9	197	235	146	226	191
Motor vehicles for the transport of passengers	67	63	65	5	21	15	86	61	100	81	52
New pneumatic tires, of rubber	13	9	15	857	967	758	17	16	17	10	15
Non-alcoholic drinks including mineral water	9	9	11	73	56	34	1	12	19	0	26
Other furniture and parts thereof	13	9	11	32	54	39	8	15	20	4	5
Other Imports	665	1,066	875	0	4	0	867	781	971	560	1,472
Other made up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	15	8	15	1	2	1	22	22	37	12	23
Other prepared or preserved meat, meat offal or blood	11	43	5	10	6	39	0	37	45	3	58
Parts of aircraft	3	0	0	89	47	84	0	1	1	0	0
Pasta, whether cooked or stuffed or otherwise prepared, such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni; couscous	2	24	3	8	10	3	14	17	38	6	26
Perfumes, make-up preparations and preparations for the care of the skin (excl medicaments) and products for hair	17	18	12	18	11	12	18	16	18	13	29
Personal and household effects	0	0	0	32	90	89	0	0	0	0	0
Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	4	19	7	29	43	18	0	4	0	14	21
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals	416	462	468	107	8	25	787	275	288	738	432
Portland cement, aluminous cement, slag cement, supersulphate cement and similar hydraulic cements	66	47	43	71	319	237	59	69	36	0	53
Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding	16	16	14	37	16	23	4	22	36	14	31
Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products eg corn flakes; cereals (excl maize) in grain or flakes	8	14	3	17	16	9	5	15	20	2	10
Prepared or preserved fish	51	40	36	27	58	108	28	69	72	39	62
Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter	13	16	7	34	17	11	10	21	4	4	21
Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps other than air conditioning machines	12	4	7	6	4	5	32	10	11	1	31
Rice	79	110	27	24	47	29	60	54	87	72	64
Self-propelled bulldozers, angledozers, graders, levellers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers	13	54	99	15	2	6	3	23	15	77	48
Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines and compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines (diesel or semi-diesel engines)	2	4	4	67	66	66	26	5	0	6	65
Sugar	6	5	12	74	69	107	9	14	24	16	33
Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	153	62	103	15	74	93	144	116	65	74	104
Toilet paper and similar paper	13	7	4	48	44	21	9	10	6	6	11
Tubes, pipes and hoses, and fittings therefor (for example, joints, elbows, flanges), of plastics.	6	8	3	21	16	11	15	10	9	4	7
Wheat or meslin flour	41	15	6	68	90	72	24	45	44	2	84
Wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, sanded or end-jointed	23	36	33	51	63	51	0	87	6	0	59
Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sports; rowing boats and canoes	4	0	0	7	5	4	0	14	1	0	0
TOTAL IMPORTS	2,363	2,893	2,537	2,460	3,480	2,672	3,030	2,816	2,816	2,294	3,862
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.										
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises										

Table 8		BALANCE OF TRADE BY MAJOR PARTNER COUNTRIES									
		[VT Million]									
COUNTRY		ANNUALLY									
		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Australia	Exports	936	941	1,431	1,145	948	602	1,195	1,052	520	
	Imports	8,774	8,423	9,305	9,506	9,852	8,707	9,638	8,239	6,969	
	Balance	-7,838	-7,482	-7,874	-8,361	-8,904	-8,105	-8,443	-7,186	-6,449	
China, People's Republic of	Exports	6	154	138	444	94	378	293	541	933	
	Imports	2,169	2,480	2,677	5,257	5,750	5,645	4,305	4,619	4,194	
	Balance	-2,163	-2,326	-2,539	-4,813	-5,656	-5,267	-4,012	-4,079	-3,261	
Fiji	Exports	238	419	191	249	216	341	815	1,098	825	
	Imports	2,094	2,794	2,800	3,760	4,736	4,092	3,528	3,639	3,609	
	Balance	-1,856	-2,375	-2,609	-3,511	-4,520	-3,751	-2,713	-2,541	-2,784	
France	Exports	9	20	34	2	2	3	30	127	4	
	Imports	782	1,255	1,206	980	2,130	1,028	950	835	767	
	Balance	-773	-1,235	-1,172	-978	-2,128	-1,025	-920	-709	-763	
Hong Kong	Exports	217	332	585	203	192	84	83	19	49	
	Imports	486	562	660	965	1,105	1,313	1,137	993	964	
	Balance	-269	-230	-75	-762	-914	-1,229	-1,054	-974	-914	
India	Exports	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	28	0	
	Imports	329	256	217	323	249	302	315	327	264	
	Balance	-329	-256	-216	-323	-249	-302	-315	-299	-264	
Indonesia	Exports	23	10	21	0	0	4	15	7	19	
	Imports	345	376	426	382	427	501	467	616	510	
	Balance	-322	-366	-405	-382	-427	-497	-452	-609	-492	
Japan	Exports	226	215	233	209	106	147	145	41	49	
	Imports	911	1,337	1,040	2,141	2,921	2,058	2,867	2,385	1,506	
	Balance	-685	-1,122	-807	-1,932	-2,815	-1,911	-2,722	-2,344	-1,457	
Korea, Republic of	Exports	19	9	24	5	2	4	0	20	17	
	Imports	486	721	612	712	933	780	638	618	571	
	Balance	-467	-712	-588	-707	-931	-776	-638	-598	-555	
Malaysia	Exports	530	265	355	293	580	766	525	366	205	
	Imports	305	253	226	335	210	232	271	286	342	
	Balance	225	12	129	-42	370	534	254	80	-137	
Netherlands	Exports	3	7	19	20	180	9	3	4	9	
	Imports	132	136	82	64	4,829	95	62	68	61	
	Balance	-129	-129	-63	-44	-4,649	-86	-59	-64	-52	
New Caledonia	Exports	187	365	392	106	411	464	450	528	559	
	Imports	516	358	522	741	655	662	728	448	357	
	Balance	-329	7	-130	-635	-244	-198	-278	80	202	
New Zealand	Exports	126	144	199	282	166	239	129	192	228	
	Imports	3,772	3,796	3,674	4,967	5,103	4,152	3,943	3,830	4,018	
	Balance	-3,646	-3,652	-3,475	-4,685	-4,937	-3,913	-3,814	-3,638	-3,790	
Papua New Guinea	Exports	221	143	116	60	99	296	101	1	0	
	Imports	174	138	171	85	85	165	193	170	250	
	Balance	47	5	-55	-25	13	131	-92	-168	-250	
Philippines	Exports	517	1	1,188	658		1,715	239	245	291	
	Imports	60	77	50	74		78	135	91	89	
	Balance	457	-76	1,138	584	0	1,637	104	154	202	
Singapore	Exports	129	53	84	277	178	48	16	12	4	
	Imports	8,239	8,409	9,079	7,467	5,527	7,325	9,201	9,794	6,283	
	Balance	-8,110	-8,356	-8,995	-7,190	-5,349	-7,277	-9,185	-9,781	-6,279	
Solomon Islands	Exports	91	127	229	87	144	61	22	16	18	
	Imports	100	246	181	142	156	208	232	193	210	
	Balance	-9	-119	48	-55	-12	-147	-210	-178	-192	
Thailand	Exports	2	0	3	1	1	0	0	1	0	
	Imports	963	1,181	997	4,899	1,381	1,657	1,563	1,355	1,183	
	Balance	-961	-1,181	-994	-4,898	-1,380	-1,657	-1,563	-1,353	-1,183	
United Kingdom	Exports	30	13	27	19	12	10	55	9	2	
	Imports	119	84	104	139	102	141	78	44	31	
	Balance	-89	-71	-77	-120	-90	-131	-23	-35	-29	
United States of America	Exports	71	162	255	31	220	352	817	448	523	
	Imports	670	933	624	665	1,783	647	818	645	473	
	Balance	-599	-771	-369	-634	-1,562	-295	-1	-197	50	
All others	Exports	117	431	167	158	1,742	840	1,827	1,652	1,053	
	Imports	733	814	753	1,301	1,900	2,834	1,932	1,756	1,970	
	Balance	-616	-383	-586	-1,143	-158	-1,994	-105	-104	-917	
TOTAL	Exports	3,698	3,811	5,692	4,249	5,292	6,363	6,761	6,408	5,308	
	Imports	32,159	34,552	35,356	44,831	49,835	42,622	43,001	40,950	34,620	
	Balance	-28,461	-30,741	-29,664	-40,582	-44,543	-36,259	-36,240	-34,542	-29,312	

Table 8		BALANCE OF TRADE BY MAJOR PARTNER COUNTRIES (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
COUNTRY		MONTHLY											
		2018											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Australia	Exports	74	59	61	74	143	142	87	101	112	111	76	156
	Imports	1,013	845	1,118	558	774	551	822	934	751	825	686	761
	Balance	-939	-786	-1,057	-484	-631	-409	-735	-833	-639	-714	-610	-605
China, People's Republic of	Exports	17	23	7	15	15	26	1	18	0	34	10	128
	Imports	241	221	289	1,056	418	139	323	271	317	376	364	290
	Balance	-224	-198	-283	-1,041	-403	-113	-322	-253	-317	-342	-354	-162
Fiji	Exports	57	15	74	50	66	210	46	71	58	3	70	96
	Imports	232	145	268	242	311	257	331	285	397	330	236	494
	Balance	-175	-130	-194	-192	-245	-47	-285	-214	-339	-327	-166	-398
France	Exports	0	0	0	0	9	13	1	2	0	1	0	3
	Imports	52	61	62	95	109	66	63	79	109	139	50	65
	Balance	-52	-61	-62	-95	-100	-53	-62	-77	-109	-138	-50	-62
Hong Kong	Exports	0	1	6	3	0	2	0	6	0	18	23	25
	Imports	111	61	35	46	99	35	90	155	86	115	113	191
	Balance	-111	-60	-29	-43	-99	-33	-90	-149	-86	-97	-90	-166
India	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	22	38	31	31	22	17	19	13	31	29	27	35
	Balance	-22	-38	-31	-31	-22	-17	-19	-13	-31	-29	-27	-35
Indonesia	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	24	32	29	31	23	24	24	62	40	39	72	67
	Balance	-24	-32	-29	-31	-23	-24	-12	-59	-40	-39	-72	-67
Japan	Exports	0	0	7	1	1	26	6	6	24	17	3	54
	Imports	253	176	365	238	360	241	196	214	210	219	204	191
	Balance	-253	-176	-358	-237	-359	-215	-190	-208	-186	-202	-201	-137
Korea, Republic of	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	75	39	42	66	61	33	37	89	44	44	56	52
	Balance	-75	-39	-42	-66	-61	-33	-37	-89	-44	-44	-56	-52
Malaysia	Exports	65	22	47	66	30	50	94	63	15	33	22	20
	Imports	14	14	16	14	49	20	20	12	41	18	27	26
	Balance	51	8	31	52	-19	30	74	51	-26	15	-5	-6
Netherlands	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
	Imports	4	2	4	1	14	1	13	13	0	5	2	3
	Balance	-4	-2	-4	-1	-14	0	-12	-13	0	-5	-2	-2
New Caledonia	Exports	7	63	18	24	17	59	27	24	67	26	32	87
	Imports	25	36	32	290	29	26	27	26	100	32	53	52
	Balance	-18	27	-14	-266	-12	33	0	-2	-33	-6	-21	35
New Zealand	Exports	3	1	6	3	7	7	17	20	2	6	32	24
	Imports	259	213	247	274	420	312	375	364	403	442	334	300
	Balance	-256	-212	-241	-271	-413	-305	-358	-344	-401	-436	-302	-276
Papua New Guinea	Exports	0	0	81	0	0	8	0	4	0	0	8	0
	Imports	1	11	16	6	10	9	15	6	69	21	20	9
	Balance	-1	-11	65	-6	-10	-1	-15	-2	-69	-21	-12	-9
Philippines	Exports	0	0	0	84	0	0	0	0	155	0	0	0
	Imports	16	7	3	14	13	14	11	11	10	14	8	14
	Balance	-16	-7	-3	70	-13	-14	-11	-11	145	-14	-8	-14
Singapore	Exports	1	1	0	0	1	3	1	6	1	0	0	2
	Imports	834	755	359	835	357	948	337	1,097	708	810	814	1,347
	Balance	-833	-754	-359	-835	-356	-945	-336	-1,091	-707	-810	-814	-1,345
Solomon Islands	Exports	7	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	9	0
	Imports	1	15	12	0	68	1	23	32	23	20	16	21
	Balance	6	-14	-12	0	-68	1	-21	-32	-23	-19	-7	-21
Thailand	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	177	99	136	124	169	116	129	109	152	122	119	111
	Balance	-177	-99	-136	-124	-169	-116	-129	-109	-152	-122	-119	-111
United Kingdom	Exports	17	0	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	0	1	1
	Imports	2	4	3	3	5	9	4	18	4	8	16	2
	Balance	15	-4	-3	-3	-5	27	-4	-18	-4	-8	-15	-1
United States of America	Exports	44	35	303	16	164	31	14	78	25	42	44	21
	Imports	113	30	52	37	77	17	215	66	66	51	58	36
	Balance	-69	5	251	-21	87	14	-201	12	-41	-9	-14	-15
All others	Exports	169	193	206	220	165	46	90	116	137	163	103	218
	Imports	173	221	155	76	174	106	166	278	111	137	188	146
	Balance	-4	-28	51	144	-9	-60	-75	-162	25	26	-85	71
TOTAL	Exports	460	412	816	555	617	662	398	518	597	455	433	836
	Imports	3,642	3,025	3,274	4,037	3,562	2,942	3,240	4,134	3,672	3,796	3,463	4,213
	Balance	-3,182	-2,613	-2,458	-3,481	-2,945	-2,281	-2,841	-3,616	-3,075	-3,341	-3,030	-3,377

Table 8		BALANCE OF TRADE BY MAJOR PARTNER COUNTRIES (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
COUNTRY		MONTHLY											
		2019											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Australia	Exports	85	75	64	71	130	76	38	120	123	91	85	93
	Imports	591	417	617	682	606	646	806	648	630	902	768	924
	Balance	-506	-342	-553	-612	-476	-570	-768	-528	-507	-811	-683	-832
China, People's Republic of	Exports	197	36	21	0	27	12	27	119	19	24	36	23
	Imports	269	284	245	197	290	321	252	312	435	392	473	1,149
	Balance	-71	-248	-224	-197	-263	-309	-224	-193	-416	-368	-437	-1,126
Fiji	Exports	48	44	145	116	42	145	164	34	99	78	106	77
	Imports	240	258	247	459	263	249	271	354	185	402	227	485
	Balance	-192	-214	-101	-343	-220	-104	-107	-320	-86	-324	-121	-407
France	Exports	0	5	116	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1
	Imports	64	84	50	105	53	48	48	70	69	60	101	82
	Balance	-64	-79	66	-105	-51	-48	-48	-70	-69	-59	-100	-81
Hong Kong	Exports	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	12	0	1
	Imports	56	110	70	18	93	91	68	119	81	115	67	107
	Balance	-56	-110	-68	-18	-89	-91	-68	-119	-80	-103	-67	-106
India	Exports	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	29	10	47	23	26	14	39	41	50	13	13	22
	Balance	-29	-10	-19	-23	-26	-14	-39	-41	-50	-13	-13	-22
Indonesia	Exports	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	26	49	36	48	34	75	49	36	41	61	73	88
	Balance	-22	-49	-33	-48	-34	-75	-49	-36	-41	-61	-73	-88
Japan	Exports	0	7	0	0	0	0	7	0	9	8	0	9
	Imports	288	186	205	320	148	160	231	215	207	175	125	124
	Balance	-288	-180	-204	-320	-148	-160	-224	-215	-198	-167	-125	-115
Korea, Republic of	Exports	0	0	12	0	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	2
	Imports	19	36	34	52	50	72	57	23	67	43	48	118
	Balance	-19	-36	-22	-52	-48	-70	-57	-23	-67	-40	-48	-116
Malaysia	Exports	14	28	0	0	57	39	28	95	30	26	17	31
	Imports	25	14	24	25	13	15	31	12	29	32	24	44
	Balance	-10	13	-24	-25	44	24	-2	83	1	-6	-6	-13
Netherlands	Exports	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	Imports	4	5	2	0	3	18	6	1	9	9	2	8
	Balance	-4	-5	-2	2	-2	-18	-6	-1	-9	-8	-2	-8
New Caledonia	Exports	12	8	13	63	42	38	90	28	58	36	45	95
	Imports	19	27	24	54	51	28	38	49	55	23	30	51
	Balance	-7	-19	-11	9	-9	10	51	-21	3	13	16	44
New Zealand	Exports	11	2	9	11	25	1	12	44	3	31	36	6
	Imports	268	217	318	384	300	278	258	368	234	445	297	463
	Balance	-256	-215	-309	-373	-275	-276	-246	-324	-231	-414	-261	-457
Papua New Guinea	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	Imports	49	10	5	0	7	10	5	27	34	6	16	0
	Balance	-49	-10	-5	0	-7	-10	-5	-27	-34	-5	-16	0
Philippines	Exports	0	0	0	0	82	1	0	89	0	0	0	73
	Imports	5	1	14	8	11	1	6	16	6	13	9	1
	Balance	-5	-1	-14	-8	71	0	-6	73	-6	-13	-9	72
Singapore	Exports	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
	Imports	1,016	644	739	914	467	972	366	972	1,364	372	1,094	874
	Balance	-1,016	-644	-739	-913	-467	-972	-366	-962	-1,364	-372	-1,094	-874
Solomon Islands	Exports	0	0	1	1	0	0	12	0	0	0	1	0
	Imports	5	12	7	17	14	23	17	19	17	27	18	18
	Balance	-5	-12	-6	-16	-14	-23	-5	-19	-17	-26	-17	-18
Thailand	Exports	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	96	65	89	119	126	69	140	118	107	169	145	111
	Balance	-96	-65	-89	-118	-126	-69	-140	-118	-107	-169	-145	-111
United Kingdom	Exports	0	4	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	1
	Imports	2	3	2	2	1	4	7	3	3	2	6	7
	Balance	-2	0	-1	-2	-1	-4	-5	-3	-3	-2	-6	-6
United States of America	Exports	0	107	36	32	40	60	18	40	5	47	18	45
	Imports	24	77	47	61	64	40	45	35	37	40	71	101
	Balance	-24	30	-11	-30	-24	19	-28	5	-32	7	-53	-56
All others	Exports	164	140	73	158	197	81	197	168	74	161	114	124
	Imports	151	89	178	76	152	211	162	147	129	151	128	182
	Balance	13	52	-104	82	44	-130	35	21	-55	10	-14	-58
TOTAL	Exports	539	456	524	455	653	457	596	747	421	519	461	581
	Imports	3,246	2,599	3,000	3,563	2,773	3,347	2,902	3,585	3,790	3,451	3,736	4,958
	Balance	-2,707	-2,143	-2,475	-3,108	-2,120	-2,891	-2,306	-2,838	-3,369	-2,933	-3,275	-4,377

Table 8		BALANCE OF TRADE BY MAJOR PARTNER COUNTRIES (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
COUNTRY		ANNUALLY											
		MONTHLY											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Australia	Exports	71	89	89	40	15	18	13	18	21	33	84	27
	Imports	586	664	592	498	406	637	464	688	675	517	399	844
	Balance	-515	-575	-503	-458	-390	-619	-451	-669	-653	-483	-315	-817
China, People's Republic of	Exports	85	1	27	55	32	31	31	86	196	308	51	30
	Imports	529	215	136	173	224	348	463	523	444	407	309	423
	Balance	-444	-213	-109	-118	-192	-316	-433	-437	-249	-99	-257	-393
Fiji	Exports	26	73	56	54	21	179	38	48	84	107	64	75
	Imports	216	266	304	240	342	316	329	293	316	270	391	326
	Balance	-190	-193	-248	-186	-321	-137	-291	-245	-232	-163	-328	-251
France	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	96	82	60	66	42	89	32	34	32	74	84	76
	Balance	-96	-82	-60	-66	-42	-85	-32	-34	-32	-74	-84	-76
Hong Kong	Exports	13	1	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	3	6
	Imports	169	105	25	9	49	81	48	45	112	99	103	119
	Balance	-156	-104	-25	-9	-49	-81	-22	-45	-112	-99	-100	-112
India	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	21	19	29	4	15	29	45	32	19	25	12	15
	Balance	-21	-19	-29	-4	-15	-29	-45	-32	-19	-25	-12	-15
Indonesia	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	40	31	24	49	49	28	56	34	33	61	70	36
	Balance	-40	-31	-24	-49	-49	-9	-56	-34	-33	-61	-70	-36
Japan	Exports	16	0	9	0	0	0	0	8	8	0	8	0
	Imports	128	101	112	133	60	133	47	70	236	127	154	205
	Balance	-112	-101	-103	-133	-60	-133	-47	-62	-228	-127	-146	-205
Korea, Republic of	Exports	0	5	0	0	2	0	2	0	4	0	4	0
	Imports	77	53	48	37	30	64	21	56	42	27	52	65
	Balance	-77	-48	-48	-37	-28	-64	-19	-56	-37	-27	-48	-65
Malaysia	Exports	25	14	0	0	8	11	18	58	0	56	7	8
	Imports	26	18	22	17	11	17	48	19	52	38	34	41
	Balance	-1	-4	-22	-17	-3	-6	-30	40	-52	19	-27	-33
Netherlands	Exports	0	0	0	0	2	2	3	0	0	0	3	0
	Imports	3	10	2	15	0	1	3	5	2	2	10	7
	Balance	-3	-10	-2	-15	1	1	0	-5	-2	-2	-7	-7
New Caledonia	Exports	9	27	35	27	44	60	52	95	37	75	24	73
	Imports	27	27	26	20	48	32	32	23	31	49	21	21
	Balance	-18	0	9	8	-3	27	20	72	6	26	3	51
New Zealand	Exports	13	20	19	20	10	43	0	5	8	25	15	52
	Imports	324	281	377	276	327	313	283	363	296	394	378	406
	Balance	-311	-260	-358	-256	-318	-270	-283	-358	-288	-370	-363	-354
Papua New Guinea	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	2	4	43	9	10	22	22	32	31	29	18	27
	Balance	-2	-4	-43	-9	-10	-22	-22	-32	-31	-29	-18	-27
Philippines	Exports	0	23	98	0	64	0	62	0	0	1	43	0
	Imports	9	0	3	4	2	3	2	7	13	15	26	4
	Balance	-9	22	94	-4	62	-3	61	-7	-13	-14	17	-4
Singapore	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	481	1,092	369	1,191	313	393	432	470	546	256	542	199
	Balance	-480	-1,092	-369	-1,191	-313	-393	-429	-470	-546	-256	-542	-198
Solomon Islands	Exports	0	8	1	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	Imports	13	3	16	12	8	22	44	21	7	7	13	43
	Balance	-13	5	-15	-12	0	-22	-44	-21	-7	-7	-13	-42
Thailand	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	101	46	82	59	80	97	94	138	127	78	188	93
	Balance	-101	-46	-82	-59	-80	-97	-94	-138	-127	-78	-188	-93
United Kingdom	Exports	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	3	3	7	1	1	3	2	2	3	2	3	2
	Balance	-1	-3	-7	-1	-1	-3	-2	-2	-3	-2	-3	-2
United States of America	Exports	53	34	57	0	0	136	6	66	50	24	25	71
	Imports	76	32	32	14	30	43	30	47	23	35	39	74
	Balance	-23	3	25	-14	-30	93	-24	20	28	-11	-13	-3
All others	Exports	115	168	144	74	38	42	72	49	63	126	34	130
	Imports	168	125	117	138	114	144	149	188	241	238	135	213
	Balance	-53	43	28	-65	-76	-102	-78	-140	-178	-112	-102	-83
TOTAL	Exports	429	464	536	270	243	544	327	432	472	755	364	472
	Imports	3,095	3,174	2,427	2,964	2,159	2,814	2,645	3,088	3,282	2,751	2,982	3,239
	Balance	-2,666	-2,711	-1,891	-2,694	-1,916	-2,270	-2,318	-2,656	-2,810	-1,996	-2,618	-2,767

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		[VT Million]										
COUNTRY		MONTHLY										
		2021										
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
Australia	Exports	24	19	29	25	27	154	28	40	48	56	38
	Imports	480	711	697	546	712	613	629	656	727	485	830
	Balance	-456	-692	-669	-521	-685	-459	-601	-616	-679	-430	-792
China, People's Republic of	Exports	31	44	44	54	268	107	130	193	77	33	73
	Imports	369	292	356	319	453	387	483	263	335	412	435
	Balance	-338	-248	-312	-265	-185	-280	-353	-71	-258	-379	-362
Fiji	Exports	43	2	20	76	20	35	83	45	67	112	100
	Imports	175	286	81	286	317	205	94	324	318	23	496
	Balance	-132	-285	-60	-210	-297	-170	-11	-279	-250	89	-395
France	Exports	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	30	56	24	71	31	88	38	54	35	38	178
	Balance	-30	-56	-24	-71	-30	-88	-38	-54	-35	-38	-178
Hong Kong	Exports	1	0	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	60	133	74	69	57	78	102	43	64	75	107
	Balance	-59	-133	-72	-67	-54	-78	-102	-43	-64	-75	-107
India	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	19	19	19	25	51	33	27	33	36	47	44
	Balance	-19	-19	-19	-25	-51	-33	-27	-33	-36	-47	-44
Indonesia	Exports	5	0	8	0	20	22	6	6	6	0	13
	Imports	26	22	56	56	68	26	89	57	72	48	48
	Balance	-21	-22	-48	-56	-48	-4	-83	-51	-65	-48	-35
Japan	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	76	64	148	71	118	132	114	119	87	179	81
	Balance	-76	-64	-148	-71	-117	-132	-114	-119	-87	-179	-81
Korea, Republic of	Exports	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	2	0	2	0
	Imports	23	24	41	16	57	18	38	20	29	40	44
	Balance	-23	-22	-41	-14	-57	-18	-36	-18	-29	-38	-44
Malaysia	Exports	4	0	18	24	44	46	43	16	20	22	30
	Imports	46	26	36	19	15	31	48	66	49	34	37
	Balance	-42	-26	-18	5	29	15	-5	-50	-29	-12	-8
Netherlands	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0
	Imports	3	1	19	0	13	14	3	9	1	7	39
	Balance	-3	-1	-19	0	-13	-12	-2	-8	-1	-7	-39
New Caledonia	Exports	33	29	9	61	40	41	46	58	20	18	41
	Imports	32	23	22	52	26	25	23	34	33	23	26
	Balance	1	6	-13	9	13	16	23	24	-13	-5	15
New Zealand	Exports	3	9	22	28	96	28	36	5	12	28	15
	Imports	195	315	171	294	435	409	116	367	228	78	437
	Balance	-192	-306	-149	-267	-339	-381	-79	-362	-215	-51	-421
Papua New Guinea	Exports	0	0	0	1	7	0	8	8	0	8	18
	Imports	19	5	27	10	15	15	8	17	40	19	11
	Balance	-19	-4	-27	-9	-8	-15	-1	-9	-40	-11	7
Philippines	Exports	0	0	0	110	0	193	0	0	0	253	0
	Imports	5	3	22	11	5	7	18	22	12	17	0
	Balance	-5	-3	-22	100	-5	186	-18	-22	-12	236	0
Singapore	Exports	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	12	48	0	0
	Imports	527	480	486	280	811	370	805	344	282	734	413
	Balance	-527	-480	-486	-271	-811	-370	-805	-332	-235	-734	-413
Solomon Islands	Exports	8	1	6	2	9	2	14	4	0	10	0
	Imports	5	17	16	11	21	5	19	29	5	21	16
	Balance	3	-16	-9	-9	-12	-3	-5	-25	-4	-11	-16
Thailand	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	79	84	105	102	113	57	159	143	156	102	155
	Balance	-79	-84	-105	-102	-113	-57	-159	-143	-156	-102	-155
United Kingdom	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	2	2	5	2	3	7	1	4	2	3	2
	Balance	-2	-2	-5	-2	-3	-7	-1	-4	-2	-3	-2
United States of America	Exports	12	13	100	35	28	36	8	17	24	82	42
	Imports	38	28	17	49	41	45	47	60	64	38	45
	Balance	-26	-14	83	-14	-13	-9	-39	-43	-40	44	-2
All others	Exports	108	5	67	21	71	55	54	280	0	16	5
	Imports	155	302	114	170	117	108	168	150	241	71	418
	Balance	-46	-297	-47	-149	-46	-53	-114	130	-240	-55	-413
TOTAL	Exports	272	124	325	450	634	721	460	686	324	640	377
	Imports	2,363	2,893	2,537	2,460	3,480	2,672	3,030	2,816	2,816	2,494	3,862
	Balance	-2,092	-2,769	-2,212	-2,010	-2,846	-1,951	-2,570	-2,130	-2,492	-1,854	-3,485
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.											
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises											

Table 9		TRADE BY REGION								
		[VT Million]								
REGION		ANNUALLY								
		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Africa	Exports	3	0	1	7	5	0	2	37	1
	Imports	40	33	42	48	59	0	32	80	14
	Balance	-37	-33	-41	-41	-54	0	-30	-43	-13
The Americas	Exports	94	165	267	60	221	352	820	447	529
	Imports	820	1,041	723	764	1,877	647	884	689	516
	Balance	-726	-876	-456	-704	-1,655	-295	-65	-242	12
Asia	Exports	1,692	1,351	2,639	2,098	2,560	3,146	1,462	1,444	1,730
	Imports	14,522	15,886	16,143	23,064	19,538	19,891	22,120	22,211	17,051
	Balance	-12,830	-14,535	-13,504	-20,966	-16,978	-16,745	-20,658	-20,767	-15,321
Europe	Exports	51	54	97	42	217	22	115	181	24
	Imports	1,330	1,807	1,644	1,698	7,646	1,264	1,652	1,340	1,499
	Balance	-1,279	-1,753	-1,547	-1,656	-7,428	-1,242	-1,537	-1,159	-1,475
Oceania	Exports	1,858	2,241	2,688	2,042	2,288	2,003	3,627	3,703	2,813
	Imports	15,447	15,785	16,804	19,257	20,715	17,986	18,312	16,626	15,527
	Balance	-13,589	-13,544	-14,116	-17,215	-18,427	-15,983	-14,684	-12,923	-12,715
Various	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	840	735	596	212
	Imports	0	0	0	0	0	2,834	0	5	13
	Balance	0	0	0	0	0	-1,994	735	591	199
TOTAL	Exports	3,698	3,811	5,692	4,249	5,292	6,363	6,761	6,408	5,308
	Imports	32,159	34,552	35,356	44,831	49,835	42,622	43,002	40,950	34,620
	Balance	-28,461	-30,741	-29,664	-40,582	-44,543	-36,259	-36,241	-34,542	-29,312
of which the PICTs	Exports	796	1,156	1,058	615	1,175	1,162	2,303	2,458	2,065
	Imports*	2,901	3,566	3,825	4,784	5,760	5,127	4,731	4,558	4,541
	Balance	-2,105	-2,410	-2,767	-4,169	-18,368	-3,965	-2,428	-2,099	-2,476

Table 9		TRADE BY REGION (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
REGION		MONTHLY											
		2018											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Africa	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
	Imports	0	5	0	6	1	0	0	7	8	2	1	2
	Balance	0	-5	0	-6	-1	1	0	-7	-7	-2	-1	-2
The Americas	Exports	44	35	303	16	164	32	14	78	25	42	44	24
	Imports	118	35	64	51	85	22	220	67	69	53	63	37
	Balance	-74	0	239	-36	79	10	-206	11	-44	-11	-19	-13
Asia	Exports	83	97	77	201	59	114	150	124	189	102	74	191
	Imports	1,899	1,602	1,411	2,475	1,702	1,638	1,298	2,151	1,702	1,851	1,952	2,439
	Balance	-1,816	-1,505	-1,334	-2,274	-1,643	-1,524	-1,148	-2,027	-1,513	-1,748	-1,878	-2,248
Europe	Exports	17	0	3	0	16	59	2	5	0	1	1	11
	Imports	93	109	104	130	159	123	122	257	144	213	100	97
	Balance	-77	-109	-101	-130	-143	-64	-120	-253	-143	-212	-98	-85
Oceania	Exports	202	199	312	240	310	455	198	270	326	246	259	610
	Imports	1,532	1,274	1,695	1,374	1,616	1,159	1,600	1,651	1,750	1,677	1,346	1,639
	Balance	-1,329	-1,075	-1,384	-1,134	-1,305	-703	-1,402	-1,381	-1,424	-1,431	-1,087	-1,029
Various	Exports	114	81	122	99	68	0	34	42	56	64	55	0
	Imports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Balance	114	81	122	99	68	0	34	42	56	64	55	0
TOTAL	Exports	460	412	816	555	617	662	398	518	597	455	433	836
	Imports	3,642	3,025	3,274	4,037	3,562	2,942	3,240	4,134	3,672	3,796	3,463	4,213
	Balance	-3,182	-2,613	-2,458	-3,481	-2,945	-2,281	-2,841	-3,616	-3,075	-3,341	-3,030	-3,377
of which the PICTs	Exports	126	139	244	164	161	306	95	149	212	128	150	430
	Imports*	260	216	330	542	422	296	403	353	596	410	326	578
	Balance	-134	-77	-86	-378	-261	11	-308	-205	-384	-282	-175	-148

Table 9		TRADE BY REGION (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
REGION		MONTHLY											
		2019											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Africa	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	6	31	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	0	0	17	1	17	32	2	4	0	3	1	2
	Balance	0	0	-17	-1	-17	-26	29	-4	0	-3	-1	-2
The Americas	Exports	0	107	36	32	40	60	18	40	5	47	18	45
	Imports	25	78	53	63	66	41	47	36	50	47	74	110
	Balance	-25	29	-17	-31	-25	19	-29	4	-45	0	-55	-65
Asia	Exports	241	70	71	24	205	57	63	315	59	92	72	174
	Imports	1,944	1,451	1,630	1,772	1,370	1,910	1,362	1,961	2,450	1,480	2,140	2,740
	Balance	-1,703	-1,381	-1,558	-1,748	-1,165	-1,853	-1,299	-1,646	-2,391	-1,388	-2,068	-2,566
Europe	Exports	0	17	125	17	3	1	2	0	10	2	1	2
	Imports	101	126	78	127	72	125	93	107	120	101	152	139
	Balance	-101	-109	47	-110	-68	-124	-90	-107	-110	-98	-151	-138
Oceania	Exports	208	210	264	324	372	298	406	364	301	306	317	332
	Imports	1,175	944	1,222	1,600	1,248	1,237	1,399	1,476	1,171	1,821	1,369	1,964
	Balance	-967	-733	-957	-1,276	-876	-939	-993	-1,112	-870	-1,515	-1,052	-1,632
Various	Exports	88	51	28	60	32	36	76	26	47	72	52	29
	Imports	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
	Balance	88	51	28	60	32	33	76	26	47	72	52	26
TOTAL	Exports	538	455	525	456	653	457	596	746	422	519	461	581
	Imports	3,246	2,599	3,000	3,563	2,773	3,347	2,902	3,585	3,790	3,451	3,736	4,958
	Balance	-2,707	-2,144	-2,475	-3,107	-2,120	-2,891	-2,306	-2,839	-3,368	-2,933	-3,275	-4,377
of which the PICTs	Exports	111	133	191	242	217	220	356	200	175	184	196	233
	Imports*	316	310	286	534	342	313	335	460	307	474	304	577
	Balance	-205	-177	-95	-292	-126	-93	21	-260	-131	-290	-108	-344

Table 9		TRADE BY REGION (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
REGION		MONTHLY											
		2020											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Africa	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	Imports	3	1	0	1	6	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
	Balance	-3	-1	0	-1	-6	-1	0	-2	0	0	1	0
The Americas	Exports	53	36	57	0	0	136	10	66	50	24	25	71
	Imports	76	34	34	20	39	43	32	48	31	37	43	78
	Balance	-23	1	23	-20	-39	93	-22	18	19	-13	-18	-7
Asia	Exports	140	53	149	59	118	71	143	166	212	401	145	73
	Imports	1,672	1,753	924	1,754	874	1,312	1,316	1,520	1,729	1,257	1,581	1,359
	Balance	-1,531	-1,700	-775	-1,694	-756	-1,241	-1,173	-1,354	-1,518	-855	-1,436	-1,286
Europe	Exports	2	0	0	4	2	5	4	0	3	0	4	0
	Imports	172	137	97	133	98	112	118	93	110	163	134	132
	Balance	-170	-137	-97	-129	-97	-107	-114	-93	-107	-163	-130	-132
Oceania	Exports	213	339	235	200	116	304	168	200	207	328	189	315
	Imports	1,172	1,249	1,372	1,056	1,141	1,343	1,173	1,423	1,411	1,295	1,224	1,669
	Balance	-959	-910	-1,137	-856	-1,025	-1,039	-1,005	-1,223	-1,204	-966	-1,035	-1,354
Various	Exports	21	37	95	7	7	28	2	1	0	1	0	13
	Imports	1	0	0	0	0	3	5	2	0	0	0	1
	Balance	20	37	95	6	7	25	-3	-1	0	1	0	12
TOTAL	Exports	429	464	536	270	243	544	327	432	472	755	364	472
	Imports	3,095	3,174	2,427	2,964	2,159	2,814	2,645	3,088	3,282	2,751	2,982	3,239
	Balance	-2,666	-2,711	-1,891	-2,694	-1,916	-2,270	-2,318	-2,656	-2,810	-1,996	-2,618	-2,767
of which the PICTs	Exports	129	229	127	140	91	243	155	177	178	270	90	236
	Imports*	262	304	402	282	408	393	427	373	441	383	447	419
	Balance	-133	-75	-276	-142	-317	-150	-272	-196	-263	-113	-357	-182

Table 9		TRADE BY REGION (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
REGION		MONTHLY											
		2021											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	
Africa	Exports	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	1	2	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	
	Balance	-1	-2	-1	-2	6	-1	-1	0	-1	0	-2	
The Americas	Exports	12	13	100	35	28	36	8	17	24	82	42	
	Imports	41	33	20	50	43	46	49	67	65	46	50	
	Balance	-29	-19	81	-15	-15	-10	-41	-50	-41	36	-8	
Asia	Exports	52	46	76	214	345	413	223	262	151	317	122	
	Imports	1,339	1,342	1,418	1,081	1,834	1,202	1,988	1,221	1,201	1,718	1,504	
	Balance	-1,287	-1,296	-1,343	-867	-1,490	-790	-1,765	-959	-1,050	-1,402	-1,382	
Europe	Exports	0	0	20	4	1	6	2	1	0	0	0	
	Imports	73	83	78	124	69	137	99	93	197	66	231	
	Balance	-73	-83	-57	-120	-68	-131	-97	-93	-197	-66	-231	
Oceania	Exports	207	61	129	197	254	263	220	405	149	241	213	
	Imports	906	1,425	1,016	1,201	1,527	1,273	889	1,428	1,351	658	2,069	
	Balance	-699	-1,364	-887	-1,004	-1,273	-1,010	-669	-1,023	-1,203	-417	-1,856	
Various	Exports	1	3	0	0	0	3	8	1	0	1	0	
	Imports	3	8	4	3	7	13	5	7	1	6	6	
	Balance	-2	-5	-4	-3	-7	-10	3	-6	-1	-3	-6	
TOTAL	Exports	272	124	325	450	634	721	460	686	324	640	377	
	Imports	2,363	2,893	2,537	2,460	3,480	2,672	3,030	2,816	2,494	3,862		
	Balance	-2,092	-2,769	-2,212	-2,010	-2,846	-1,951	-2,570	-2,130	-2,492	-1,852	-3,485	
of which the PICTs	Exports	180	34	78	145	130	81	155	360	88	157	160	
	Imports*	231	399	148	360	380	251	145	405	396	94	802	
	Balance	-50	-365	-70	-215	-249	-170	11	-45	-308	63	-642	
Notes:	Classification used: HS17 from January 2017. Prior to that HS12.												
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises												
	2018 revised imports PICTs*												

Table 10		TRADE BY MODE OF TRANSPORT					
		[VT Million]					
Category		1	2	3	4		
		Air	Water	Land	Not elsewhere classified		
			2.1	3.2	4.2	4.4	Total
			Sea	Road	Postal consignments, mail or courier shipments	Others	
Period							
ANNUALLY							
2012	Exports	559	3,136	0	3	0	3,698
	Imports	4,280	27,499	0	380	0	32,159
2013	Exports	601	3,202	0	8	0	3,811
	Imports	4,471	29,812	0	269	0	34,552
2014	Exports	850	4,837	0	5	0	5,692
	Imports	5,095	29,955	0	306	0	35,356
2015	Exports	571	3,677		1		4,249
	Imports	4,338	40,009	0	484	0	44,831
2016	Exports	782	4,509	0	0	0	5,291
	Imports	10,506	38,895	0	434	0	49,834
2017	Exports	889	4,979	0	47		5,915
	Imports	4,164	38,414	0	44	0	42,622
2018	Exports	1,300	5,460	0	0	0	6,761
	Imports	4,181	38,777	0	43	0	43,001
2019	Exports	1,163	5,245	0	0	0	6,408
	Imports	568	40,373	0	9	0	40,950
2020	Exports	988	3,726	0	0	593	5,308
	Imports	2,422	27,971	0	27	4,200	34,620

Table 10		TRADE BY MODE OF TRANSPORT (continued)					
		[VT Million]					
Category		1	2	3	4		
		Air	Water	Land	Not elsewhere classified		
			2.1	3.2	4.2	4.4	Total
	Sea	Road	Postal consignments, mail or courier shipments	Others			
Period							
Monthly							
2018							
January	Exports	42	419	0	0	0	460
	Imports	315	3,324	0	3	0	3,642
February	Exports	65	347	0	0	0	412
	Imports	287	2,736	0	2	0	3,025
March	Exports	323	493	0	0	0	816
	Imports	266	3,005	0	3	0	3,274
April	Exports	77	478	0	0	0	555
	Imports	248	3,786	0	2	0	4,037
May	Exports	281	336	0	0	0	617
	Imports	352	3,206	0	4	0	3,562
June	Exports	64	598	0	0	0	662
	Imports	224	2,714	0	4	0	2,942
July	Exports	57	341	0	0	0	398
	Imports	332	2,904	0	3	0	3,240
August	Exports	99	419	0	0	0	518
	Imports	436	3,694	0	5	0	4,134
September	Exports	52	545	0	0	0	597
	Imports	312	3,355	0	6	0	3,672
October	Exports	90	365	0	0	0	455
	Imports	353	3,440	0	4	0	3,796
November	Exports	56	377	0	0	0	433
	Imports	305	2,779	0	5	0	3,088
December	Exports	94	742	0	0	0	836
	Imports	751	3,835	0	2	0	4,588
2019							
January	Exports	35	503	0	0	0	538
	Imports	3	3,243	0	0	0	3,246
February	Exports	78	377	0	0	0	455
	Imports	5	2,594	0	0	0	2,599
March	Exports	196	329	0	0	0	525
	Imports	3	2,997	0	0	0	3,000
April	Exports	123	333	0	0	0	456
	Imports	7	3,556	0	0	0	3,563
May	Exports	149	504	0	0	0	653
	Imports	9	2,764	0	0	0	2,773
June	Exports	65	392	0	0	0	457
	Imports	4	3,343	0	0	0	3,347
July	Exports	113	483	0	0	0	596
	Imports	6	2,895	0	1	0	2,902
August	Exports	75	672	0	0	0	746
	Imports	5	3,580	0	0	0	3,585
September	Exports	58	364	0	0	0	422
	Imports	8	3,781	0	1	0	3,790
October	Exports	110	408	0	0	0	519
	Imports	5	3,445	0	1	0	3,451
November	Exports	62	398	0	0	0	461
	Imports	5	3,730	0	1	0	3,736
December	Exports	99	482	0	0	0	581
	Imports	508	4,446	0	4	0	4,958

Table 10		TRADE BY MODE OF TRANSPORT (continued)					
		[VT Million]					
Category		1	2	3	4		
		Air	Water	Land	Not elsewhere classified		
			2.1	3.2	4.2	4.4	Total
	Sea	Road	Postal consignments, mail or courier shipments	Others			
Period							
Monthly							
2020							
January	Exports	118	242	0	0	68	429
	Imports	312	2,276	0	5	502	3,095
February	Exports	104	228	0	0	132	464
	Imports	280	2,452	0	4	439	3,174
March	Exports	101	244	0	0	191	536
	Imports	256	1,693	0	2	476	2,427
April	Exports	22	203	0	0	45	270
	Imports	54	2,484	0	0	426	2,964
May	Exports	28	195	0	0	20	243
	Imports	56	1,818	0	0	285	2,159
June	Exports	151	353	0	0	40	544
	Imports	191	2,297	0	1	325	2,814
July	Exports	81	230	0	0	16	327
	Imports	157	2,266	0	3	219	2,645
August	Exports	65	349	0	0	19	432
	Imports	183	2,639	0	3	263	3,088
September	Exports	64	399	0	0	10	472
	Imports	203	2,758	0	1	320	3,282
October	Exports	51	684	0	0	20	755
	Imports	322	2,130	0	2	297	2,751
November	Exports	106	244	0	0	14	364
	Imports	214	2,421	0	3	344	2,982
December	Exports	99	354	0	0	18	472
	Imports	195	2,738	0	3	303	3,239
2021							
January	Exports	52	209	0	11	0	272
	Imports	203	1,855	0	2	303	2,363
February	Exports	20	88	0	16	0	124
	Imports	314	2,206	0	2	372	2,893
March	Exports	50	266	0	9	0	325
	Imports	305	1,891	0	2	339	2,537
April	Exports	48	391	0	0	11	450
	Imports	256	1,886	0	4	315	2,460
May	Exports	37	564	0	0	33	634
	Imports	302	2,796	0	2	380	3,480
June	Exports	153	555	0	0	13	721
	Imports	269	2,046	0	3	354	2,672
July	Exports	55	384	0	0	21	460
	Imports	237	2,389	0	4	400	3,030
August	Exports	71	596	0	0	19	686
	Imports	245	2,144	0	3	426	2,816
September	Exports	57	201	0	0	65	324
	Imports	341	2,061	0	3	410	2,816
October	Exports	58	560	0	0	22	640
	Imports	279	1,712	0	3	499	2,494
November	Exports	68	293	0	0	16	377
	Imports	395	3,033	0	2	432	3,862
Notes:	Classification used: HSI7 from January 2017. Prior to that HSI2.						
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises						

Table 12	Economic Category	EXPORTS BY SITC								
		[VT Million]								
Sections		ANNUALLY								
		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
0	Food and live animals	947	1,092	1,216	1,187	1,130	741	527	1,072	908
1	Beverages and tobacco	2	7	35	2	3	48	650	397	163
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,752	1,665	2,731	1,348	2,943	3,529	3,111	3,133	3,061
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	0	1	8	0	2	264	681	551	286
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	802	521	773	829	591	857	464	294	177
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	18	111	415	39	53	53	178	76	75
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	51	147	108	43	69	69	161	69	13
7	Machinery and transport equipment	33	39	219	701	338	634	659	532	364
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	32	49	81	82	101	100	228	220	234
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	62	179	105	17	63	68	101	62	27
	Total Exports	3,698	3,811	5,692	4,249	5,292	6,363	6,761	6,408	5,308

Table 12	Economic Category	EXPORTS BY SITC (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
Sections		MONTHLY											
		2018											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
0	Food and live animals	27	11	34	15	24	66	94	52	31	18	59	97
1	Beverages and tobacco	83	58	63	70	50	66	23	23	59	61	38	55
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	118	211	452	302	320	187	131	231	370	182	191	416
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	51	42	29	41	56	51	59	69	76	84	65	57
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	81	35	52	67	29	22	47	57	9	31	7	27
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	12	9	24	18	11	15	8	10	7	12	8	44
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	24	2	10	1	1	39	3	6	2	22	25	26
7	Machinery and transport equipment	38	23	112	12	97	174	16	33	28	27	20	78
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	18	17	34	25	13	34	8	29	11	12	16	11
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	8	4	5	4	16	9	8	7	5	4	4	26
	Total Exports	460	412	816	555	617	662	398	518	597	455	433	836

Table 12	Economic Category	EXPORTS BY SITC (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
Sections		MONTHLY											
		2019											
			Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
0	Food and live animals	23	17	28	16	59	30	58	155	41	519	45	81
1	Beverages and tobacco	70	34	17	44	38	27	57	16	35	0	38	22
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	148	264	351	270	366	251	287	405	202	0	246	344
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	65	43	28	42	41	44	17	87	63	0	61	59
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	1	28	37	33	32	24	0	46	31	0	23	38
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	9	8	7	9	12	4	6	5	4	0	5	7
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	16	1	0	4	38	3	2	1	1	0	3	0
7	Machinery and transport equipment	186	10	30	22	42	42	135	11	24	0	16	13
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	20	24	23	13	14	28	32	9	19	0	23	15
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	1	26	3	2	10	4	2	11	0	0	1	1
	Total Exports	538	455	525	456	653	457	596	746	422	519	461	581

Table 12	Economic Category	EXPORTS BY SITC (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
Sections		MONTHLY											
		2020											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
0	Food and live animals	162	58	47	26	24	39	69	73	210	63	41	96
1	Beverages and tobacco	35	43	55	11	1	12	0	1	0	4	0	0
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	119	230	271	176	177	447	218	316	244	357	191	313
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	64	55	62	22	13	12	7	7	10	15	13	5
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	0	9	15	8	3	3	8	15	0	54	38	21
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	10	11	15	7	1	5	0	4	1	1	16	4
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	1	1	1	1	5	0	0	0	0	2	1	2
7	Machinery and transport equipment	20	23	28	3	4	5	12	11	5	245	7	1
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	9	29	38	14	15	17	11	3	2	12	54	29
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	8	3	5	1	0	3	0	2	0	1	2	0
	Total Exports	429	464	536	270	243	544	327	432	472	755	364	472

Table 13		IMPORTS BY SITC									
Sections	Economic Category	[VT Million]									
		ANNUALLY									
		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
0	Food and live animals	5,308	6,070	5,907	8,453	8,561	8,084	8,171	8,207	7,573	
1	Beverages and tobacco	1,467	1,477	1,532	1,457	1,701	1,874	1,781	1,848	1,463	
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	432	509	470	743	758	314	2,049	277	637	
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	8,328	8,493	9,219	7,504	5,764	6,944	8,547	8,317	5,702	
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	141	124	107	141	141	165	148	147	133	
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	2,831	2,709	2,295	2,426	2,635	2,582	2,376	2,308	2,295	
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	3,599	3,964	3,624	9,788	7,378	6,221	4,986	4,901	4,802	
7	Machinery and transport equipment	7,025	7,630	8,747	10,579	16,657	12,842	11,588	10,761	8,340	
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	2,714	3,249	3,170	3,686	5,817	3,593	3,329	3,232	3,565	
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	315	327	285	55	423	3	27	953	109	
	Total Imports	32,159	34,552	35,356	44,831	49,835	42,622	43,002	40,950	34,620	

Table 13		IMPORTS BY SITC (continued)											
Sections	Economic Category	[VT Million]											
		MONTHLY											
		2018											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
0	Food and live animals	489	512	541	504	835	541	732	625	848	812	818	915
1	Beverages and tobacco	126	191	106	122	162	96	190	155	161	218	147	108
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	300	244	625	349	22	41	51	168	151	65	19	14
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	795	706	307	594	338	918	348	1,037	674	743	699	1,389
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	15	1	8	5	19	8	18	8	12	19	22	13
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	200	148	159	206	250	197	203	219	198	213	178	205
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	478	276	300	303	585	299	392	585	521	505	418	323
7	Machinery and transport equipment	944	713	992	1,724	1,067	641	978	1,025	826	891	842	947
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	296	234	237	231	285	202	302	312	281	330	319	300
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	0	0	0	0	1	0	26	0	0	0	1	0
	Total Imports	3,642	3,025	3,274	4,037	3,562	2,942	3,240	4,134	3,672	3,796	3,463	4,213

Table 13	Economic Category	IMPORTS BY SITC (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
Sections		MONTHLY											
		2019											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
0	Food and live animals	581	480	577	672	571	606	683	892	684	789	781	891
1	Beverages and tobacco	142	146	85	135	132	146	153	145	122	175	205	262
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	17	11	21	22	16	17	13	20	15	29	12	84
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	86	620	723	981	338	953	338	836	1,302	348	961	832
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	6	12	4	7	8	11	13	8	19	19	27	13
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	164	144	185	194	196	193	176	209	174	251	204	218
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	386	363	398	381	395	389	363	396	402	558	432	437
7	Machinery and transport equipment	727	603	771	987	867	815	858	787	814	875	830	1,828
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	236	220	236	183	250	217	305	291	259	379	284	372
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	901	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	30	0	21
	Total Imports	3,246	2,599	3,000	3,563	2,773	3,347	2,902	3,585	3,790	3,451	3,736	4,958

Table 13	Economic Category	IMPORTS BY SITC (continued)											
		[VT Million]											
Sections		MONTHLY											
		2020											
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
0	Food and live animals	481	476	647	561	421	724	673	667	695	618	712	897
1	Beverages and tobacco	135	130	159	117	89	111	116	107	90	125	147	137
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	36	56	42	28	42	99	62	65	34	56	71	46
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	414	1,128	341	1,094	238	328	268	400	564	220	501	205
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	7	5	6	5	11	7	15	28	9	18	8	13
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	180	239	201	132	181	193	180	252	196	152	194	196
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	521	316	267	331	501	382	324	475	450	478	295	463
7	Machinery and transport equipment	941	508	543	502	475	625	791	793	751	758	718	933
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	368	305	201	194	196	337	199	297	480	316	328	345
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	13	9	19	0	5	7	17	4	12	10	7	4
	Total Imports	3,095	3,174	2,427	2,964	2,159	2,814	2,645	3,088	3,282	2,751	2,982	3,239

Table 13	Economic Category	IMPORTS BY SITC (continued)										
		[VT Million]										
Sections		MONTHLY										
		2021										
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
0	Food and live animals	454	567	256	533	613	497	334	560	685	282	816
1	Beverages and tobacco	118	101	88	132	111	106	87	116	161	95	135
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	37	42	39	54	104	107	10	118	13	9	96
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	420	482	475	250	821	382	787	280	288	752	454
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	13	8	14	7	16	16	13	20	29	28	31
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	134	159	192	189	267	174	188	200	265	150	297
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	340	312	342	381	371	355	448	477	419	271	471
7	Machinery and transport equipment	591	857	806	653	910	820	806	783	661	687	902
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	252	287	318	228	261	206	346	258	286	217	655
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	6	76	8	35	5	8	11	4	9	3	6
	Total Imports	2,363	2,893	2,537	2,460	3,480	2,672	3,030	2,816	2,816	2,494	3,862
Notes:	Classification used: SITC Rev 4											
	Data source: Customs and Enterprises											

Appendix 2: Explanatory Notes

Balance of trade	<p>Balance of trade of goods is the net sum of exports and imports of goods.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Surplus denotes a positive trade balance which indicates that the value of exports has exceeded the value of imports. ○ Deficit denotes negative trade balance which indicates that the value of imports has exceeded the value of exports.
BEC	Broad Economic Category: a classification that groups commodities according to its end use.
CIF	Cost, insurance and freight: includes the transaction value of the goods, insurance and freight to deliver the goods from the border of the exporting country to the border of the importing country.
FOB	Free on board: includes the transaction value of the goods and the value of services performed to deliver goods to the border of the exporting country.
HS	Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System: is a classification of exports and imports of goods. The latest version is '2017' and the custodian of it is the World Customs Organisation (WCO). Vanuatu uses the Vanuatu Harmonized System based off the WCOs HS17. Vanuatu HS is closely aligned to the Pacific HS2017. For HS Sections and Chapters refer to Appendix 3.
IMTS	International merchandise trade statistics: records all goods, which add to or subtract from the stock of material resources of a country by entering (imports) or leaving (exports) its economic territory.
International merchandise trade	<p>International merchandise trade: is the exchange of goods across international borders.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Exports refer to goods from Vanuatu purchased by another country. ○ Imports refer to goods purchased by Vanuatu from another country. ○ Re-importation refers to the <i>importation</i> of goods into Vanuatu, which it had previously exported. ○ Re-exportation is the <i>importation</i> and then <i>exportation</i> of the same goods by Vanuatu without any transformation/value added.
Merchandise	Merchandise: refers to goods that are traded i.e. bought and sold.
SITC	Standard International Trade Classification: is used mostly for analytical purpose.
na	Not available.
p	Provisional: data may be subject to change.
r	Revision: data have been changed.

Appendix 3: HS Sections and Chapters

Sections	Chapters	Titles
I		Live animals; animal products
	1	Live animals
	2	Meat and edible meat offal
	3	Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates
	4	Dairy produce; birds' eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included
	5	Products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included
II		Vegetable products
	6	Live trees and other plants; bulbs, roots and the like; cut flowers and ornamental foliage
	7	Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers
	8	Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons
	9	Coffee, tea, maté and spices
	10	Cereals
	11	Products of the milling industry; malt; starches; inulin; wheat gluten
	12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder
	13	Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps and extracts
	14	Vegetable plaiting materials; vegetable products not elsewhere specified or included
III		Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes
	15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes
IV		Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes
	16	Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates
	17	Sugars and sugar confectionery
	18	Cocoa and cocoa preparations
	19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastrycooks' products
	20	Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts or other parts of plants
	21	Miscellaneous edible preparations
	22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar
	23	Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder
	24	Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes
V		Mineral products
	25	Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement
	26	Ores, slag and ash
	27	Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes
VI		Products of the chemical or allied industries

Sections	Chapters	Titles
	28	Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes
	29	Organic chemicals
	30	Pharmaceutical products
	31	Fertilisers
	32	Tanning or dyeing extracts; tannins and their derivatives; dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; paints and varnishes; putty and other mastics; inks.
	33	Essential oils and resinoids; perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations.
	34	Soap, organic surface-active agents, washing preparations, lubricating preparations, artificial waxes, prepared waxes, polishing or scouring preparations, candles and similar articles, modelling pastes, "dental waxes" and dental preparations with a basis of plaster
	35	Albuminoidal substances; modified starches; glues; enzymes
	36	Explosives; pyrotechnic products; matches; pyrophoric alloys; certain combustible preparations
	37	Photographic or cinematographic goods
	38	Miscellaneous chemical products
VII		Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof
	39	Plastics and articles thereof
	40	Rubber and articles thereof
VIII		Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)
	41	Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather
	42	Articles of leather; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)
	43	Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof
IX		Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork
	44	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal
	45	Cork and articles of cork
	46	Manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork
X		Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof
	47	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard
	48	Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard
	49	Printed books, newspapers, pictures and other products of the printing industry; manuscripts, typescripts and plans
XI		Textiles and textile articles
	50	Silk
	51	Wool, fine or coarse animal hair; horsehair yarn and woven fabric
	52	Cotton
	53	Other vegetable textile fibres; paper yarn and woven fabrics of paper yarn

Sections	Chapters	Titles
	54	Man-made filaments
	55	Man-made staple fibres
	56	Wadding, felt and nonwovens; special yarns; twine, cordage, ropes and cables and articles thereof
	57	Carpets and other textile floor coverings
	58	Special woven fabrics; tufted textile fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery
	59	Impregnated, coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics; textile articles of a kind suitable for industrial use
	60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics
	61	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted
	62	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted.
	63	Other made up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags
XII		Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair
	64	Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles
	65	Headgear and parts thereof
	66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof
	67	Prepared feathers and down and articles made of feathers or of down; artificial flowers; articles of human hair
XIII		Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware
	68	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials
	69	Ceramic products
	70	Glass and glassware
XIV		Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coin
	71	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coin
XV		Base metals and articles of base metal
	72	Iron and steel
	73	Articles of iron or steel
	74	Copper and articles thereof
	75	Nickel and articles thereof
	76	Aluminium and articles thereof
	77	(Reserved for possible future use in the Harmonized System)
	78	Lead and articles thereof
	79	Zinc and articles thereof
	80	Tin and articles thereof
	81	Other base metals; cermets; articles thereof
	82	Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof of base metal
	83	Miscellaneous articles of base metal

Sections	Chapters	Titles
XVI		Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles
	84	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof
	85	Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles
XVII		Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment
	86	Railway or tramway locomotives, rolling-stock and parts thereof; railway or tramway track fixtures and fittings and parts thereof; mechanical (including electro-mechanical) traffic signalling equipment of all kinds
	87	Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling-stock, and parts and accessories thereof
	88	Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof
	89	Ships, boats and floating structures
XVIII		Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof
	90	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof
	91	Clocks and watches and parts thereof
	92	Musical instruments; parts and accessories of such articles
XIX		Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof
	93	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof
XX		Miscellaneous manufactured articles
	94	Furniture; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings; lamps and lighting fittings, not elsewhere specified or included; illuminated signs, illuminated name-plates and the like; prefabricated buildings
	95	Toys, games and sports requisites; parts and accessories thereof
	96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles
XXI		Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques
	97	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques
		Commodities not specified according to kind
		List of commodities and transactions not classified according to kind in chapters 1 to 97
	99	Commodities not specified according to kind