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Foreword

We are pleased to publish the first official release by the Office of Planning and Statistics (OPS) on Palau's International Merchandise Trade Statistics (IMTS).

Compiled using the United Nation's IMTS Concepts and Definitions 2010, the release provides statistics on exports and imports by commodity and country from 2017 to 2019 and compiled on a monthly basis. The release also includes information on the mode of transport used for the trade of goods.

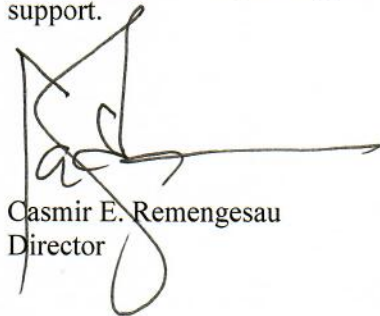
The classification used is the Palau Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System 2017 (HS17) which is the latest based off the World Custom Organisation's HS17. Exports have been valued on a *free on board* basis and imports have been valued on a *cost, insurance and freight* basis.

OPS hopes that the information provided, amongst the many uses, will help policy makers better plan and negotiate trade deals as well as develop relevant trade policies for Palau, meet the data needs for food security and non-communicable diseases, and other national plans and strategies.

Appendix 1 of the release contains eight tables on IMTS and Appendix 2 contains the HS Sections and Chapters.

Beginning January 2020 the OPS plans to release quarterly IMTS 30 days after the end of the reporting period.

Data used for the compilation have been sourced from the Bureau of Customs and Border Protection. We acknowledge with great appreciation their valuable contribution and we look forward to their continued support.



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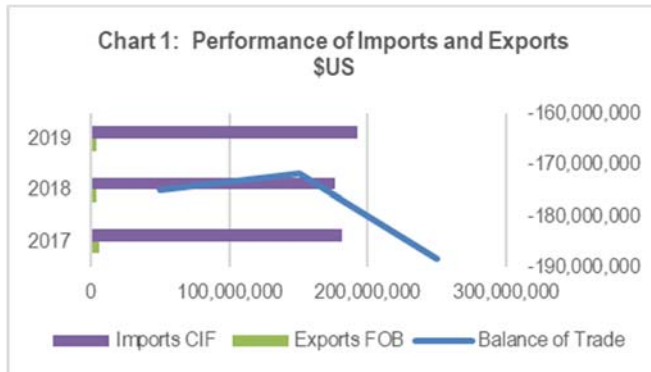
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Explanatory Notes

Balance of trade	Balance of trade of goods is the net sum of exports and imports of goods. <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ A positive trade balance (surplus) indicates that the value of exports has exceeded the value of imports.○ A negative trade balance (deficit) indicates that the value of imports has exceeded the value of exports.
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	The 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). Palau uses the Palau Harmonized System based off the WCOs HS17. For HS Sections and Chapters refer to Appendix 2.
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	International merchandise trade is the exchange of goods across international borders. <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Exports refer to goods from Palau purchased by another country.○ Imports refer to goods purchased by Palau from another country.○ Re-importation refers to the importation of goods into Palau, which it had previously exported.○ Re-exportation is the importation and then exportation of the same goods by Palau without any transformation/value added.
Merchandise	Merchandise refers to goods that are traded i.e. bought and sold.
na	Not available.
p	Provisional: data may be subject to change.
r	Revision: data have been changed.

Overall performance of Trade and Trade Balance



Annual IMTS from 2017 to 2019 shows that:

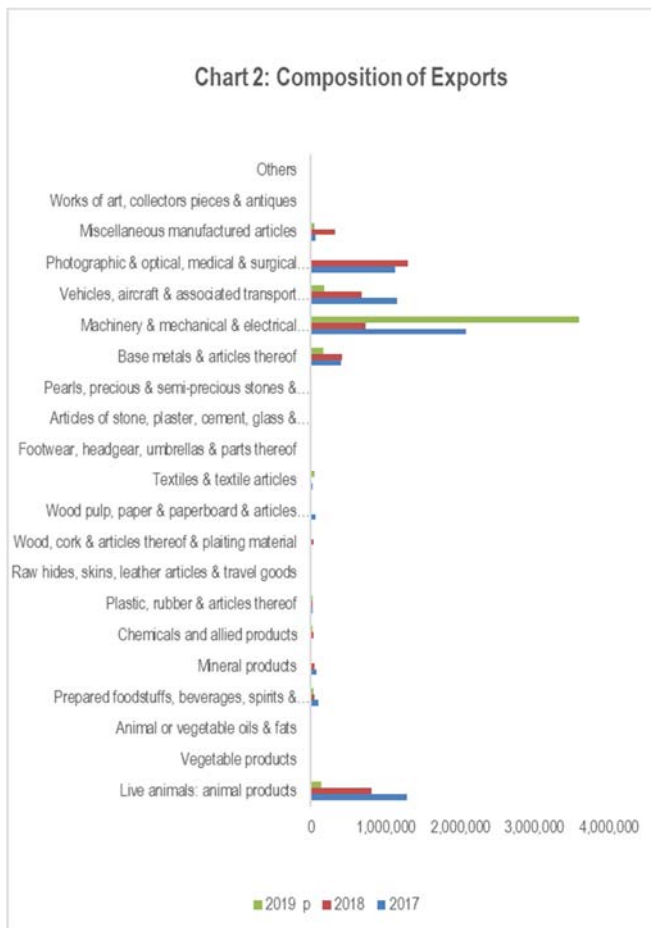
Exports declined by 30 per cent from 2017 when it was \$6,419,760 to \$4,481,410 in 2018. It took a further dip of 4 per cent from 2018 to 2019 and stood at \$4,291,823.

Imports declined by 3 per cent from 2017 when it was \$181,533,148 to \$176,295,444 in 2018. It showed an improvement of 9 per cent from 2018 to 2019 and stood at \$192,698,710.

The performance of exports and imports showed a slight improvement of 2 per cent in the trade deficit from \$175,113,388 in 2017 to \$171,814,034 in 2018. It worsened off in 2019 by 10 per cent and stood at \$188,406,886.

Refer to Table 1 in Appendix 1.

Performance of exports



The following are the HS Sections that contributed \$100,000 or more to exports in any year of the three years 2017 to 2019.

HS Section I: Live animals: animal products, which contributed 20 per cent to exports in 2017, 18 per cent in 2018 and 3 per cent in 2019.

HS Section XV: Base metals and articles thereof, which contributed 6 per cent to exports in 2017, 9 per cent in 2018 and 4 per cent in 2019.

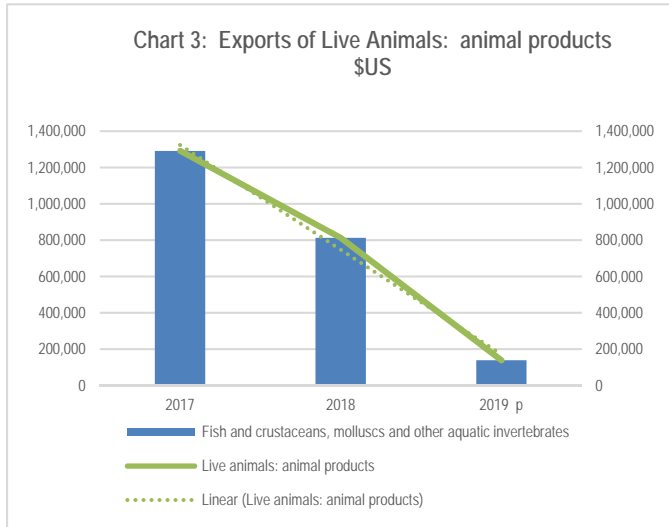
HS Section XVI: Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof, which contributed 32 per cent to exports in 2017, 16 per cent in 2018 and 84 per cent in 2019.

HS Section XVII: Vehicles, aircraft and associated transport equipment, which contributed 18 per cent to exports in 2017, 15 per cent in 2018 and 4 per cent in 2019.

HS Section XVIII: Photographic & optical, medical and surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments, which contributed 18 per cent to exports in 2017, 29 per cent in 2018 and 0 per cent in 2019.

Refer to Table 3 in Appendix 1.

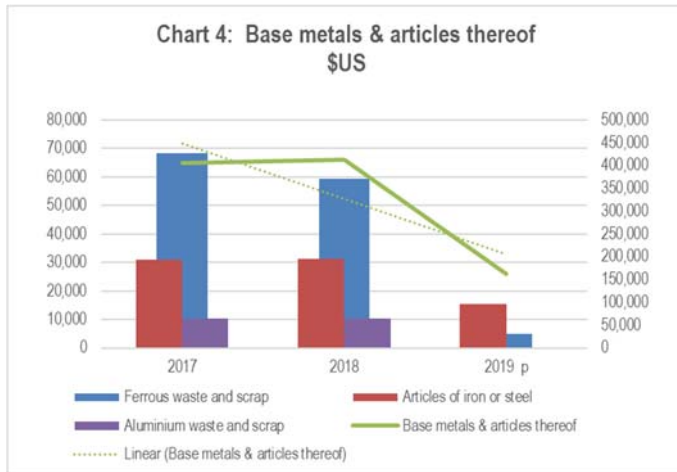
The commodities responsible for driving the performance of exports in the Sections mentioned above were:



HS Section I: Live animals: animal products

Export in the Section is showing a definite downward trend: a drop of 89 per cent from 2017 to 2019. The sole commodity that is driving this decline is fish, mostly tuna which declined by 37 per cent from 2017 when it was \$1,290,974 to \$813,240 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it took a steep decline of 83 per cent and stood at \$138,806. This decline was expected. *The Palau National Marine Sanctuary Act (RPPL No. 9-49 of 2015) amended title 27 PNC principally to establish the Palau National Marine Sanctuary whereby 80 percent of Palau's exclusive economic zone will be in the*

future a no-take area and is to be protected from all exploitation. Domestic fishing will be limited to 20 percent of Palau's exclusive economic zone and the commercial export of fish from Palau, with a limited exception for free school purse seining in the Domestic Fishing Zone, will be prohibited.



HS Section XV: Base metals and articles thereof

Export in the Section is showing a downward trend: a drop of 60 per cent from 2017 to 2019.

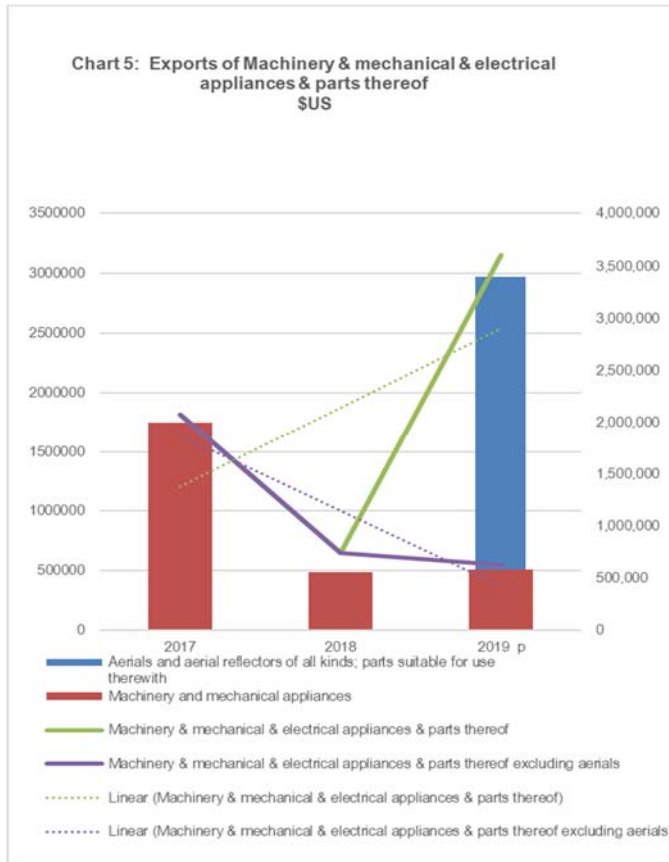
Ferrous waste and scrap, articles of iron and steel and aluminum waste and scrap are the three main commodities that are driving the decline.

Ferrous waste and scrap declined by 13 per cent from 2017 when it was \$68,317 to

\$59,473 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it took a steep decline of 91 per cent and stood at \$5,123.

Articles of iron and steel grew by 1 per cent from 2017 when it was \$193,593 to \$195,734 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 51 per cent and stood at \$96,250.

Aluminum waste and scrap declined by 1 per cent from 2017 when it was \$64,532 to \$64,136 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it took a steep decline of 97 per cent and stood at \$2,100.



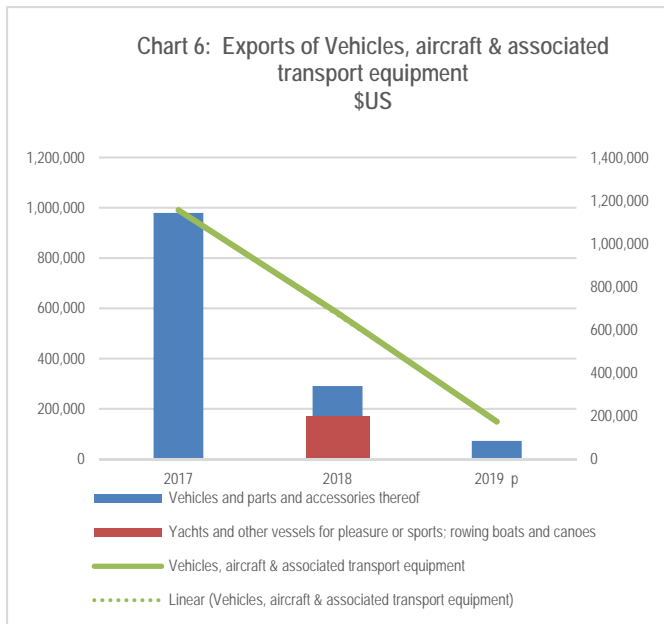
HS Section XVI: Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof

Export in the Section is showing an upward trend: an increase of 73 per cent from 2017 to 2019. This upward movement is due to the export of aerials in 2019. This is a non-traditional export, in that it could either be aerials that were used in Palau and are now being exported as a result of it being sold abroad or migration, or it could be a re-export and because re-exports in the data cannot be distinguished from exports, it being a re-export cannot be ascertained.

Removing aerials from the HS Section XVI: Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof, the Section shows a declining trend: a decline of 70 per cent from 2017 to 2019.

Exports of Machinery and mechanical appliance declined by a sharp 72 per cent from 2017 when it was \$2,000,810 to \$558,795 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it showed an increase of 4 per cent and stood at \$578,741.

Note: the high exports in 2017 is due to the exports of machinery used in the road construction¹.



HS Section XVII: Vehicles, aircraft and associated transport equipment

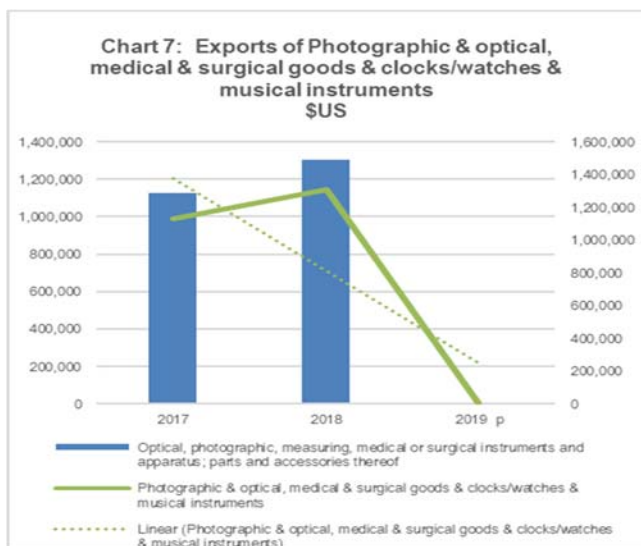
Export in the Section is showing a definite downward trend: a drop of 85 per cent from 2017 to 2019. Vehicles and yachts are the two main commodities driving the decline.

Vehicles declined by 70 per cent from 2017 when it was \$979,853 to \$290,628 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 75 per cent and stood at \$72,816.

Yachts worth \$200,229 only exported in 2018.

Note: the high exports in 2017 could probably be due to vehicles used during the road construction¹.

¹ Conditions of imports of these items exported are not known: were they temporary imports or for how long they were in Palau was not available.



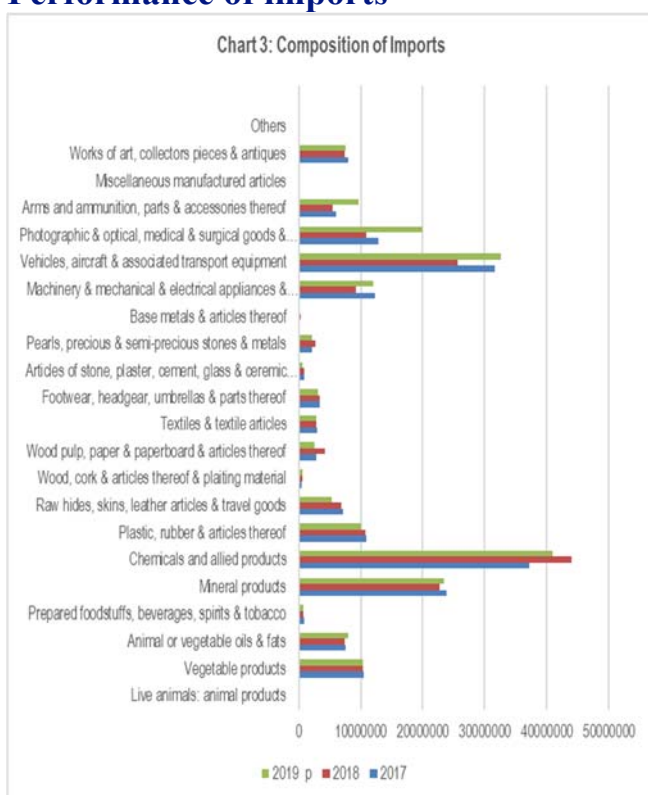
HS Section XVIII: Photographic & optical, medical and surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments

Export in the Section is showing a definite downward trend: a drop of around a 100 per cent from 2017 to 2019.

Optical, photographic and measuring instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof are the main commodities that drove the decline. The commodities showed a 16 per cent increase from 2017 when it was \$1,126,277 to \$1,305,710 in 2018. The big decline was from 2018 to 2019, almost a 100 per cent drop to \$4,813 in 2019.

Palau does not have notable traditional exports. Fish was one but that declined substantially by 2019. The other exports depend on events like construction taking place in Palau when imports of like machinery, vehicles, research instruments are returned/sold abroad. Refer to Table 6 in Appendix 1.

Performance of imports



The following are the HS Sections that contributed \$10,000,000 or more to imports in any year of the three years 2017 to 2019.

HS Section I: Live animals: animal products, which contributed 6 per cent to imports in 2017 and in 2018, and 5 per cent in 2019.

HS Section IV: Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco, which contributed 13 per cent to imports in 2017 and in 2018, and 12 per cent in 2019.

HS Section V: Mineral products, which contributed 21 per cent to imports in 2017, 25 per cent in 2018 and 21 per cent in 2019.

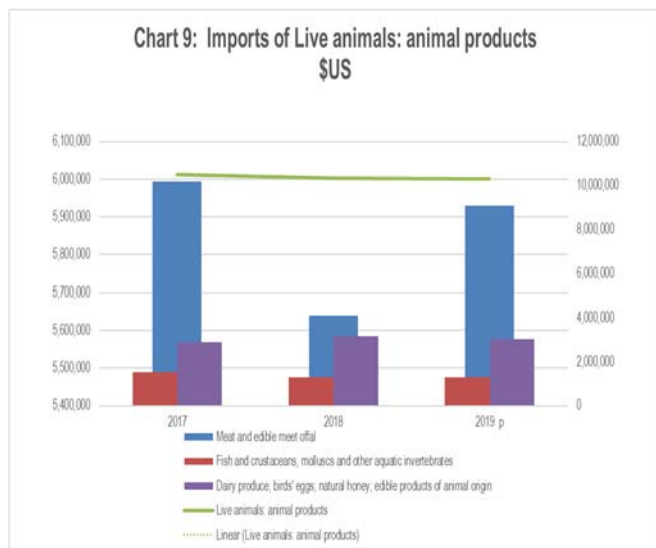
HS Section VI: Chemicals and allied products, which contributed 6 per cent to imports in 2017 and in 2018, and 5 per cent in 2019.

HS Section XV: Base metals & articles thereof, which contributed 7 per cent to imports in 2017, 5 per cent in 2018 and 6 per cent in 2019.

HS Section XVI: Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof, which contributed 17 per cent to imports in 2017, 15 per cent in 2018 and 17 per cent in 2019.

HS Section XVII: Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment, which contributed 7 per cent to imports in 2017, 6 per cent in 2018 and 10 per cent in 2019.

The commodities responsible for driving the performance of imports in the Sections mentioned above were:



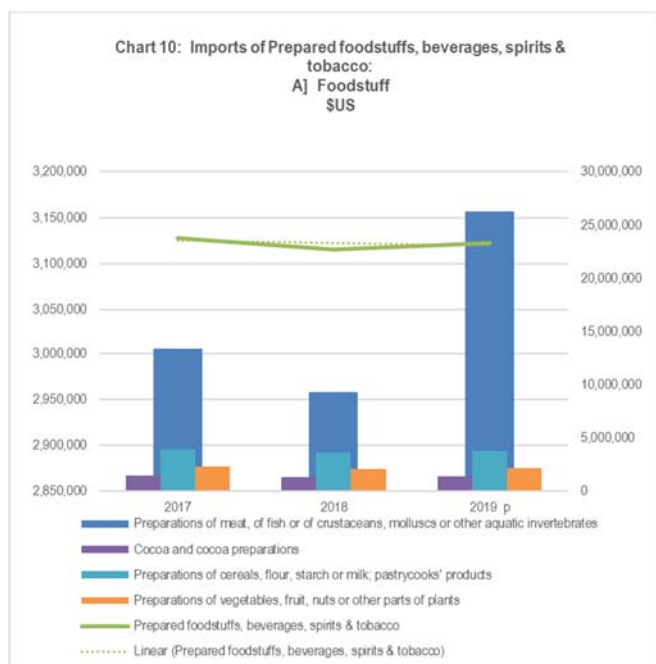
HS Section I: Live animals: animal products

Import in the Section is showing a slight downward trend: a decline of 2 per cent from 2017 to 2019. Commodities that influenced the performance of this Section were meat and edible meat offal; fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates and dairy produce; birds' eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin.

Meat and edible meat offal declined by 6 per cent from 2017 when it was \$5,994,013 to \$5,639,755 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 5 per cent and stood at \$5,929,586.

Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates declined by 16 per cent from 2017 when it was \$1,514,465 to \$1,274,740 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 1 per cent and stood at \$1,286,278.

Dairy produce; birds' eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin increased by 9 per cent from 2017 when it was \$2,907,953 to \$3,170,254 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it took a dip of 5 per cent and stood at \$3,017,257.



HS Section IV: Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco

Import in the Section is showing a slight downward trend: a decline of 2 per cent from 2017 to 2019. Commodities that influenced the performance of this sector are:

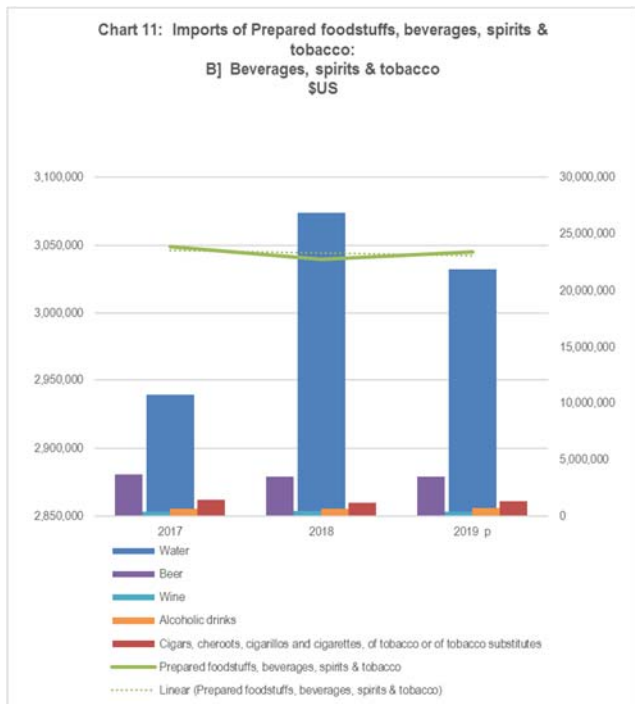
A) Prepared foodstuff -

Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates declined by 2 per cent from 2017 when it was \$3,005,292 to \$2,958,477 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 7 per cent and stood at \$3,157,314.

Cocoa and cocoa preparations declined by 12 per cent from 2017 when it was \$1,445,051 to \$1,278,097 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 7 per cent and stood at \$1,369,735.

Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastrycooks' products declined by 7 per cent from 2017 when it was \$3,869,432 to \$3,599,648 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 5 per cent and stood at \$3,785,903.

Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts or other parts of plants declined by 11 per cent from 2017 when it was \$2,296,284 to \$2,042,529 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 6 per cent and stood at \$2,172,644.



B) Beverages, spirits & tobacco that influenced imports –

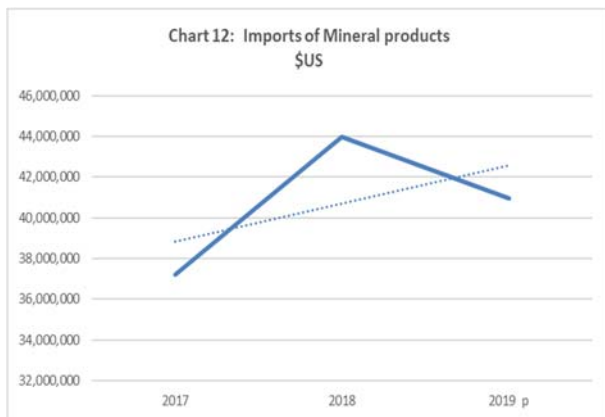
Water increased by 5 per cent from 2017 when it was \$2,939,462 to \$3,073,662 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 1 per cent and stood at \$3,032,331.

Beer declined by 4 per cent from 2017 when it was \$3,669,512 to \$3,524,642 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, there was a negligible decline and it stood at \$3,513,707.

Wine increased by 21 per cent from 2017 when it was \$396,200 to \$479,856 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 16 per cent and stood at \$403,644.

Alcoholic drinks increased by 5 per cent from 2017 when it was \$670,456 to \$701,446 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019 it declined by 1 per cent and stood at \$705,994.

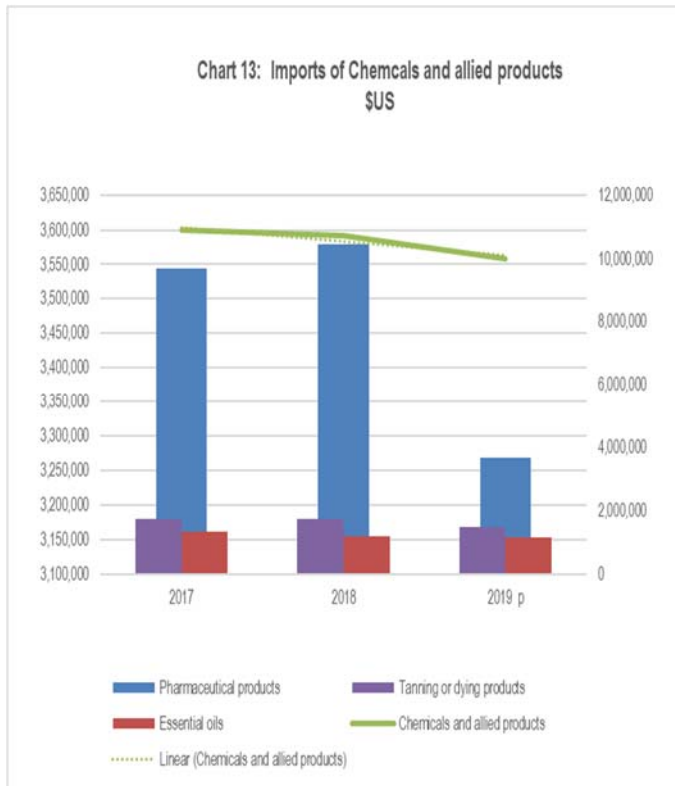
Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes declined by 17 per cent from 2017 when it was \$1,439,349 to \$1,189,999 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 11 per cent and stood at \$1,320,256.



HS Section V: Mineral products

Import in the Section is showing an upward trend: an increase of 10 per cent from 2017 to 2019.

Mineral products per se increased by 18 per cent from 2017 when it was \$37,231,072 to \$43,970,285 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 7 per cent and stood at \$40,974,777. *Performance of commodities within the section cannot be analyzed due to confidentiality reasons.*



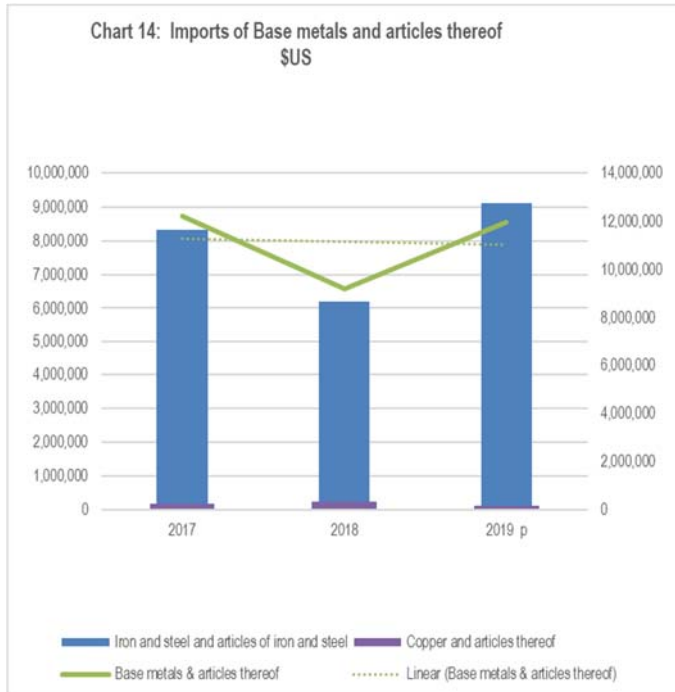
HS Section VI: Chemicals and allied products

Import in the Section is showing a downward trend: a decline of 8 per cent from 2017 to 2019. Pharmaceutical and tanning or dyeing products and essential oils influenced the performance of this section.

Pharmaceutical products increased by 1 per cent from 2017 when it was \$3,543,660 to \$3,578,619 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 9 per cent and stood at \$3,267,381.

Tanning or dyeing products increased by 1 per cent from 2017 when it was \$1,715,814 to \$1,725,727 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 14 per cent and stood at \$1,489,775.

Essential oils declined by 12 per cent from 2017 when it was \$1,344,338 to \$1,181,568 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 1 per cent and stood at \$1,165,508.

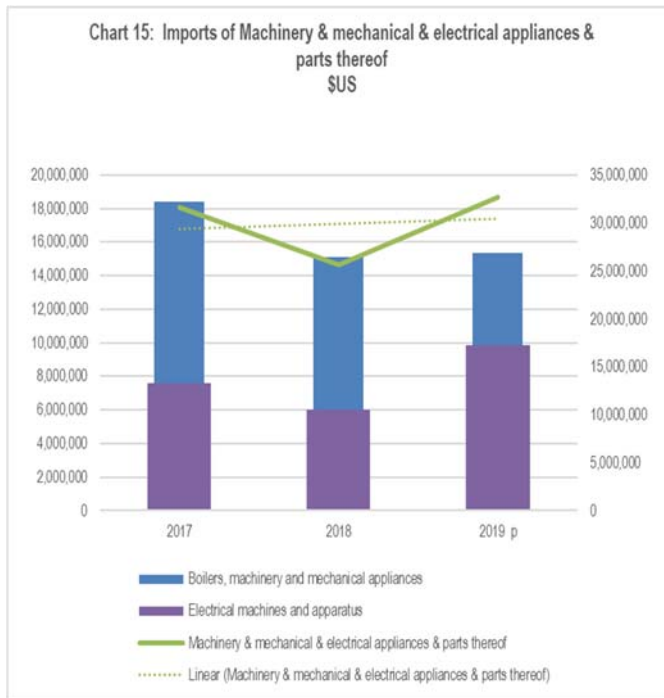


HS Section XV: Base metals & articles thereof

Import in the Section is showing a downward trend: a decline of 2 per cent from 2017 to 2019. Iron and steel and articles of iron and steel and Copper and articles thereof were responsible for the performance of the Section.

Iron and steel and articles of iron and steel declined by 26 per cent from 2017 when it was \$8,323,350 to \$6,191,712 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 47 per cent and stood at \$9,131,950.

Copper and articles thereof increased by 40 per cent from 2017 when it was \$224,330 to \$314,731 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it declined by 48 per cent and stood at \$162,162.

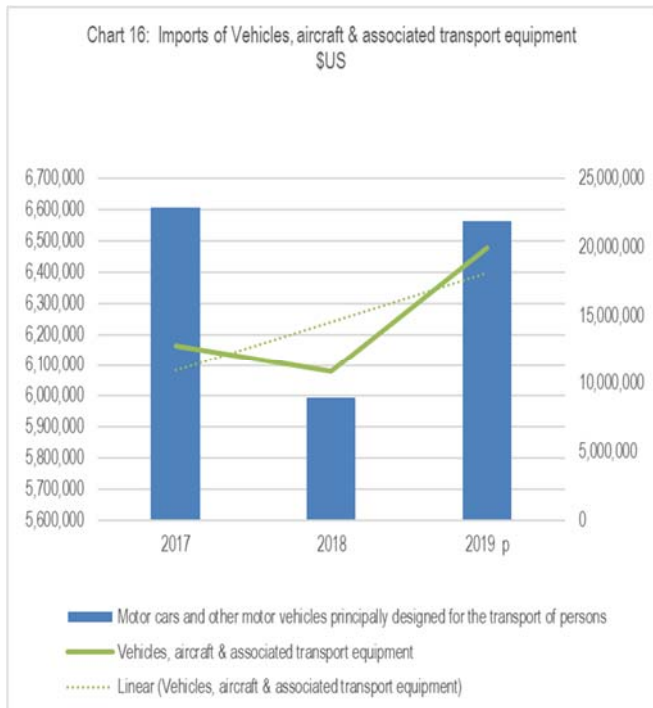


HS Section XVI: Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof

Import in the Section is showing an upward trend: an increase of 3 per cent from 2017 to 2019. Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances and Electrical machines and apparatus were responsible for the performance of the Section.

Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances declined by 18 per cent from 2017 when it was \$18,380,323 to \$15,095,081 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 2 per cent and stood at \$15,345,289.

Electrical machines and apparatus declined by 20 per cent from 2017 when it was \$13,204,728 to \$10,527,674 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 64 per cent and stood at \$17,304,099.

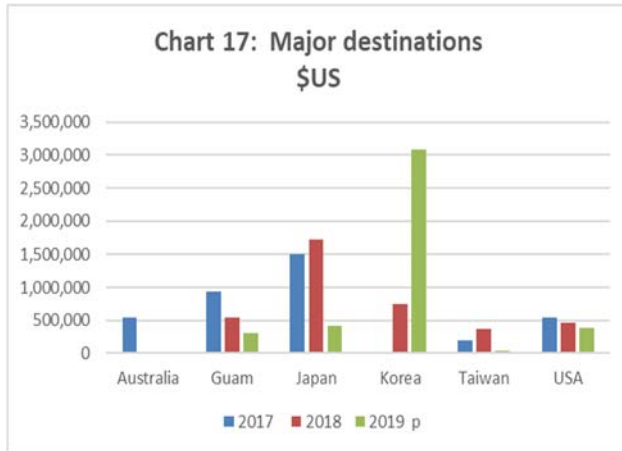


HS Section XVII: Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment

Import in the Section is showing a strong upward trend: an increase of 55 per cent from 2017 to 2019. Motor cars and other motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons was responsible for the performance of the Section. It declined by 9 per cent from 2017 when it was \$6,607,731 to \$5,994,167 in 2018. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 10 per cent and stood at \$6,564,358.

Palau’s traditional imports like food and mineral fuels have been consistent in the years 2017 to 2019 and do not show much fluctuation. Imports like machinery on the other hand depends on the demand of the good – the road construction may have influenced the fluctuation in their imports. Refer to Table 7 in Appendix 1.

Major destinations



Palau's major destinations² from 2017 to 2019 were Australia, Guam, Japan, South Korea, Taiwan and the United States of America (USA).

Exports to Australia stood at \$1,760 in 2018; a decline of almost a 100% over 2017 when it stood at \$534,390. In 2019, exports to Australia had depleted. The high exports in 2017 was due to the export of a research equipment.

Exports to Guam stood at \$536,898 in 2018; a decline of 42% over 2017 when it stood at \$931,878. It further declined in 2019 by 43% over 2018 and stood at \$308,275.

Exports to Japan stood at \$1,722,159 in 2018; an increase of 15% over 2017 when it stood at \$1,499,109. In 2019, it declined by 76% and stood at \$421,128. Decline in the exports of Tuna is the reason for lower exports to Japan.

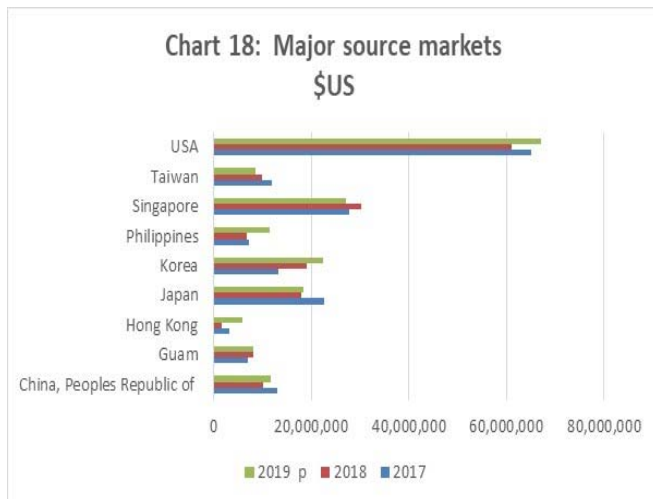
There were no exports to South Korea in 2017. In 2018, there was \$751,391 worth of exports, which in 2019 increased by 310% to stand at \$3,083,002. Exports of Antenna System plus Antenna System Parts is responsible for driving the exports to Korea in 2019.

Exports to Taiwan stood at \$367,711 in 2018; an increase of 85% over 2017 when it stood at \$198,284. In 2019 it declined by 89% and stood at \$39,979. Exports of scrap metal is responsible for the fluctuations caused in exports to Taiwan.

Exports to USA stood at \$458,366 in 2018; a decline of 15% over 2017 when it stood at \$540,148. In 2019 it declined by 16% and stood at \$385,882.

Refer to Table 8 in Appendix 1.

Major Source Markets



Palau's major source markets³ from 2017 to 2019 were the USA, Taiwan, Singapore, Philippines, Korea, Japan, Hong Kong, Guam and the Republic of China.

Imports from USA stood at \$60,984,151 in 2018; a decline of 6% over 2017 when it stood at \$65,032,850. From 2018 to 2019, it increased by 10% over and stood at \$67,119,632.

Imports from Taiwan stood at \$9,899,981 in 2018; a decline of 17% over 2017 when it stood at \$11,962,013. In 2019, it further declined by 13% over 2018 and stood at \$8,566,545.

² Exports of \$500,000 and above

³ Imports of \$5,000,000 and above

Imports from Singapore stood at \$30,196,916 in 2018; an increase of 9% over 2017 when it stood at \$27,707,874. In 2019, it declined by 10% over 2018 and stood at \$27,157,245.

Imports from Philippines stood at \$6,873,906 in 2018; a decline of 6% over 2017 when it stood at \$7,315,852. In 2019, it increased by 66% over 2018 and stood at \$11,405,641. The increase in 2019 is due to the import of prefabricated buildings, barge and towing truck.

Imports from Korea stood at \$19,074,236 in 2018; an increase of 44% over 2017 when it stood at \$13,273,872. In 2019, it further increased by 18% over 2018 and stood at \$22,485,820.

Imports from Japan stood at \$17,990,229 in 2018; a decline of 21% over 2017 when it stood at \$22,769,865. In 2019, it increased by 3% over 2018 and stood at \$18,480,986.

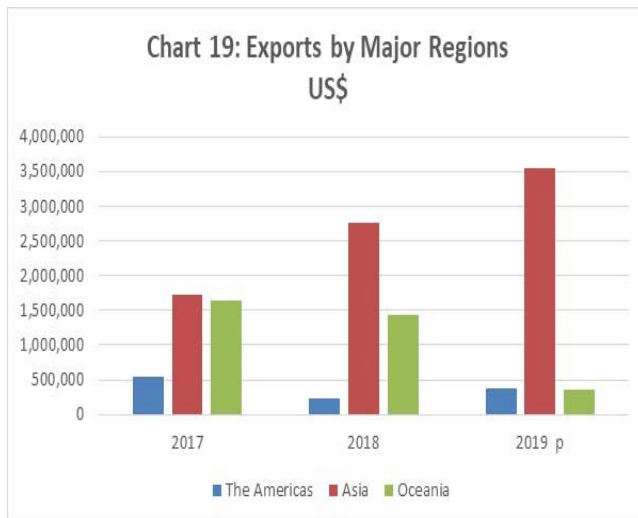
Imports from Hong Kong stood at \$1,759,324 in 2018; a decline of 47% over 2017 when it stood at \$3,332,698. In 2019, it increased by 239% over 2018 and stood at \$5,969,567.

Imports from Guam stood at \$8,163,694 in 2018; an increase of 15% over 2017 when it stood at \$7,099,251. A negligible increase in 2019 when it stood at \$8,186,968.

Imports from China stood at \$10,155,200 in 2018; a decline of 23% over 2017 when it stood at \$13,146,694. In 2019, it increased by 15% over 2018 and stood at \$11,682,842.

Refer to Table 8 in Appendix 1.

Trade by Geographical Regions

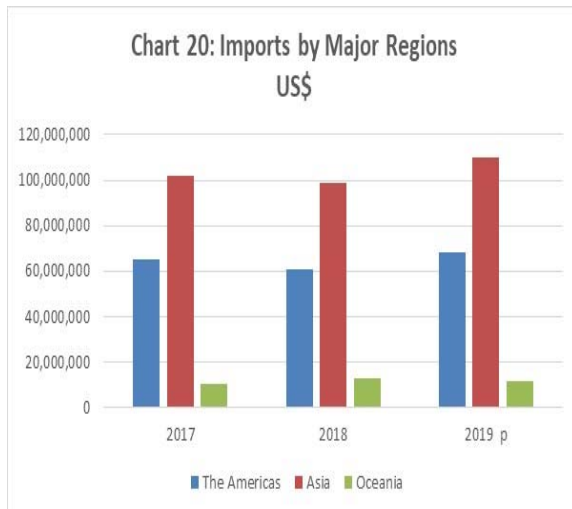


Export: Palau's export analyzed by Geographical Regions show Palau exports going to Americas, Asia and Oceania.

Exports to Americas stood at \$223,707 in 2018; a decrease of 59% over 2017 when it stood at \$540,148. In 2019, it increased by 72% and stood at \$385,881.

Exports to Asia stood at \$2,764,354 in 2018; an increase of 61% over 2017 when it stood at \$1,720,927. In 2019, it increased by 28% and stood at \$3,546,606.

Exports to Oceania stood at \$1,440,714 in 2018; a decrease of 13% over 2017 when it stood at \$1,648,292. In 2019, it decreased by 75% and stood at \$359,336.



Imports: Nauru’s imports analysed by region show Palau imports originating from Americas, Asia and Oceania.

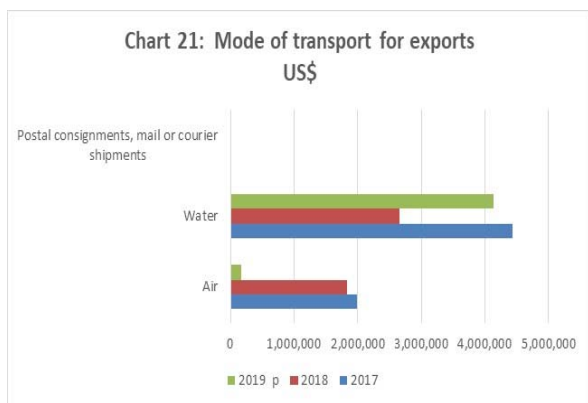
Imports from Americas stood at \$61,138,731 in 2018; a decrease of 6% over 2017 when it stood at \$65,258,131. In 2019, it increased by 12% and stood at \$68,304,397.

Imports from Asia stood at \$98,695,212 in 2018; a decrease of 3% over 2017 when it stood at \$102,120,624. In 2019, it increased by 12% and stood at \$110,157,762.

Imports from Oceania stood at \$12,893,323 in 2018; an increase of 21% over 2017 when it stood at \$10,669,368. In 2019, it declined by 10% and stood at \$11,657,835.

Refer to Table 9 in Appendix 1.

Mode of transport



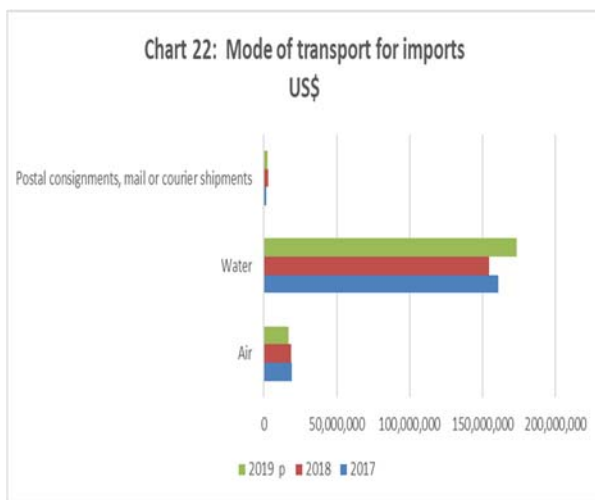
Air and water are the two modes used for exporting goods.

In 2017, 31% of goods used air as the mode of transport and 69% used water.

In 2018, 41% used air as the mode of transport and 59% used water.

In 2019, 4% used air as the mode of transport and 96% used water. The decline in air transport is due to declined exports of fish.

Refer to Table 10 in Appendix 1.



For imports, other than air and water, postal consignments, mail or courier shipments is also used as a mode of transport.

In 2017 10% of goods used air as the mode of transport, 89% used water and 1% used postal consignments, mail or courier shipments.

In 2018 11% used air as the mode of transport, 88% used water and 2% used postal consignments, mail or courier shipments.

In 2019 9% used air as the mode of transport, 90% used water and 1% used postal consignments, mail or courier shipments.

Refer to Table 10 in Appendix 1.

Appendix 1: IMTS Tables⁴

Table 1		BALANCE OF TRADE - ALL ITEMS				
		[US\$]				
Period	Exports FOB	Re-exports FOB	Total exports	Imports CIF	Trade Balance Surplus(+) / Deficit(-)	
Annually						
2017	6,419,760	n/a	6,419,760	181,533,148	-175,113,388	
2018	4,481,410	n/a	4,481,410	176,295,444	-171,814,034	
2019 p	4,291,823	n/a	4,291,823	192,698,710	-188,406,886	
Monthly						
2018	January	680,699	n/a	680,699	9,016,884	-8,336,185
	February	278,271	n/a	278,271	13,527,780	-13,249,509
	March	353,315	n/a	353,315	17,111,059	-16,757,744
	April	223,003	n/a	223,003	14,258,575	-14,035,572
	May	317,412	n/a	317,412	16,048,618	-15,731,206
	June	288,296	n/a	288,296	14,540,280	-14,251,984
	July	66,371	n/a	66,371	19,527,609	-19,461,238
	August	35,211	n/a	35,211	12,585,529	-12,550,318
	September	33,112	n/a	33,112	12,522,726	-12,489,614
	October	65,046	n/a	65,046	15,269,109	-15,204,063
	November	364,150	n/a	364,150	18,689,038	-18,324,888
	December	1,776,524	n/a	1,776,524	13,198,237	-11,421,712
2019 p	January	63,137	n/a	63,137	19,849,732	-19,786,594
	February	69,081	n/a	69,081	12,781,852	-12,712,771
	March	9,717	n/a	9,717	17,325,856	-17,316,139
	April	44,438	n/a	44,438	15,181,287	-15,136,849
	May	200,369	n/a	200,369	15,279,987	-15,079,618
	June	73,004	n/a	73,004	13,975,886	-13,902,882
	July	81,537	n/a	81,537	16,779,771	-16,698,234
	August	15,687	n/a	15,687	15,017,855	-15,002,168
	September	35,503	n/a	35,503	13,647,735	-13,612,232
	October	453,410	n/a	453,410	18,792,223	-18,338,812
	November	14,704	n/a	14,704	13,388,792	-13,374,088
	December	3,231,236	n/a	3,231,236	20,677,734	-17,446,498
Notes:	<i>Classification used: HS 2017</i> <i>Data source: Customs and Enterprises</i> <i>p - provisional</i> <i>r - revised</i> <i>n/a - not available</i> <i>Source data does not distinguish between exports and re-exports</i>					

⁴ Tables 4 and 5 are not given. They will be compiled as soon as re-exports are distinguished from exports.

Table 2		IMPORTS BY HS																					
		[US\$]																					
HS Sections	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	XIII	XIV	XV	XVI	XVII	XVIII	XIX	XX	XXI	XXII	Total
	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 & plating material	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	Textiles & textile articles	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	
Periods	01-05	06-14	15	16-24	25-27	28-38	39-40	41-43	44-46	47-49	50-63	64-67	68-70	71	72-83	84-85	86-89	90-92	93	94-96	97	99	
Annually																							
2017	10,498,757	7,490,575	811,258	23,849,764	37,231,072	10,911,564	7,097,485	526,864	2,843,974	2,947,658	3,324,387	882,064	2,075,779	209,594	12,241,942	31,585,051	12,845,424	6,089,814	118,943	7,922,002	29,176	0	181,533,148
2018	10,345,511	7,400,219	805,392	22,780,708	43,970,285	10,730,246	6,798,423	572,926	4,193,032	2,828,174	3,345,522	944,412	2,635,386	253,438	9,221,669	25,622,754	10,924,506	5,432,336	57,906	7,413,600	18,999	0	176,295,444
2019 p	10,311,996	7,988,043	678,101	23,388,928	40,974,777	10,002,255	5,393,729	540,627	2,590,726	2,792,253	3,113,478	643,329	2,163,102	198,397	11,988,336	32,649,388	19,974,403	9,673,553	52,392	7,562,138	18,759	0	192,698,710
Monthly																							
2018																							
January	538,471	570,394	111,420	1,797,909	268,790	1,007,997	366,811	64,480	96,550	222,349	187,447	43,214	109,570	33,293	561,333	1,235,683	850,966	256,767	0	690,381	3,060	0	9,016,884
February	809,694	643,046	31,616	1,821,732	3,354,566	1,002,479	703,929	36,170	405,882	240,133	170,021	73,594	227,685	10,928	310,047	1,252,085	1,806,291	387,399	83	238,416	1,985	0	13,527,780
March	909,190	656,125	94,010	1,889,973	7,069,839	822,515	459,636	51,395	179,101	166,945	402,691	117,169	82,649	14,265	808,465	1,468,150	928,777	545,049	69	443,199	1,848	0	17,111,059
April	1,032,262	662,263	79,819	2,009,315	2,683,122	787,123	593,142	49,834	574,808	246,797	415,148	100,713	208,206	21,213	944,050	1,859,121	1,025,565	216,470	19,170	729,007	1,426	0	14,258,575
May	933,165	647,852	65,129	2,442,996	2,969,828	910,998	1,190,473	47,046	377,305	228,142	344,311	68,993	198,339	22,805	1,093,215	2,739,271	841,050	214,952	10,000	702,404	342	0	16,048,618
June	997,092	556,131	37,299	1,847,213	1,857,381	1,071,493	485,965	50,350	623,219	212,480	352,852	74,858	178,247	18,581	916,915	2,195,508	1,017,735	1,376,117	574	668,897	1,373	0	14,540,280
July	849,515	626,809	75,768	1,838,160	8,013,727	654,340	474,215	68,039	623,715	331,110	238,965	51,119	215,654	15,848	1,214,892	2,486,317	853,159	222,099	1,652	670,354	2,152	0	19,527,609
August	715,020	592,956	49,599	1,538,773	2,862,889	920,299	476,459	48,223	197,228	175,824	287,942	81,281	490,183	29,247	756,091	1,780,989	645,875	335,166	2,354	596,092	3,042	0	12,585,529
September	808,827	457,560	49,591	1,696,107	2,854,275	881,929	492,239	62,866	236,161	179,647	256,159	88,755	287,781	13,919	524,367	2,337,221	499,308	395,421	962	399,258	375	0	12,522,726
October	795,003	523,656	48,605	1,919,820	3,807,592	1,291,164	716,920	36,644	241,781	352,050	207,980	90,777	176,088	8,123	784,850	2,700,961	677,585	350,042	200	539,002	264	0	15,269,109
November	928,469	610,467	82,676	1,839,164	7,924,002	634,354	280,899	26,092	323,739	271,487	209,779	107,140	182,840	13,446	552,441	2,570,407	951,222	356,682	16,101	804,658	2,975	0	18,689,038
December	1,028,803	852,960	79,861	2,139,548	304,274	745,553	557,735	31,788	313,543	201,211	272,228	46,798	278,143	51,771	755,002	2,997,041	826,974	776,172	6,743	931,931	159	0	13,198,237
2019 p																							
January	510,479	566,951	31,638	1,456,730	2,124,773	1,540,098	468,350	18,249	199,730	166,371	273,749	48,272	198,526	15,668	1,111,871	2,433,237	3,724,882	3,974,327	916	984,915	0	0	19,849,732
February	1,138,544	625,818	90,063	1,707,467	2,587,735	946,503	354,276	28,191	194,892	198,334	145,075	51,677	126,480	6,402	889,134	1,588,490	1,534,720	116,819	9,771	440,957	503	0	12,781,852
March	866,579	763,314	83,283	2,109,934	6,693,088	762,527	397,444	44,439	294,943	150,566	165,928	37,415	252,558	20,608	999,756	2,099,421	605,071	359,843	2,496	615,600	1,045	0	17,325,856
April	791,034	701,891	48,712	1,895,935	2,623,744	860,779	444,373	37,896	152,813	219,518	297,171	116,047	407,052	21,902	1,198,623	3,523,701	903,514	364,387	2,713	567,994	1,489	0	15,181,287
May	927,556	740,117	38,832	2,100,076	3,472,022	908,168	596,097	63,495	208,787	241,325	325,994	60,114	112,292	10,485	760,212	2,557,106	916,845	541,442	20,648	677,413	961	0	15,279,987
June	652,169	559,246	57,098	1,958,408	2,176,760	715,494	466,789	30,364	306,286	199,284	195,684	28,972	73,732	33,870	1,330,152	2,421,325	1,877,329	372,342	70	517,918	2,593	0	13,975,886
July	873,888	541,119	53,078	1,935,424	6,154,612	812,745	418,387	41,170	216,021	329,876	250,767	44,235	237,641	5,193	888,334	1,814,738	655,885	1,072,984	315	431,032	2,328	0	16,779,771
August	656,965	636,641	59,340	1,768,622	3,09,847	849,770	394,710	46,927	246,675	439,852	258,287	55,455	106,370	6,925	1,201,064	6,498,979	612,468	344,622	40	524,081	216	0	15,017,855
September	655,317	500,655	41,310	1,811,797	4,709,657	588,789	308,726	39,417	132,442	204,822	286,038	51,158	169,463	16,388	558,333	1,875,739	746,816	426,064	354	524,454	0	0	13,647,735
October	1,046,837	888,797	40,138	2,235,359	490,234	636,286	507,186	52,646	238,809	134,675	291,903	21,313	104,055	26,912	1,337,498	2,732,739	5,968,489	1,431,375	154	605,838	980	0	18,792,223
November	1,118,964	661,310	95,027	2,070,188	2,338,215	548,449	500,380	47,186	242,239	216,752	322,885	56,295	189,969	10,856	820,781	2,215,633	932,153	432,717	0	565,243	3,550	0	13,388,792
December	1,073,665	802,185	39,582	2,338,988	7,294,089	832,647	537,012	90,648	157,088	290,879	299,996	72,376	184,965	23,189	892,577	2,888,281	1,496,231	236,632	14,914	1,106,694	5,096	0	20,677,734
Notes:	Classification used: HS 2017 Data source: Customs and Enterprises p - provisional r - revised n/a - not available																						

Table 3		EXPORTS BY HS																				Total	
		[US\$]																					
HS Sections	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	XIII	XIV	XV	XVI	XVII	XVIII	XX	XXI	XXII		
	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	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	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	Others		
Periods	01-05	06-14	15	16-24	25-27	28-38	39-40	41-43	44-46	47-49	50-63	64-67	68-70	71	72-83	84-85	86-89	90-92	94-96	97	93,99		
Annually																							
2017	1,291,486	0	2,160	103,603	74,241	1,357	19,650	3,266	2,086	63,220	16,658	2,900	5,720	100	406,205	2,078,715	1,155,380	1,128,452	55,131	0	9,431	6,419,760	
2018	813,264	0	1,010	42,838	49,874	34,645	25,334	278	36,469	2,617	2,915	322	3,448	1,544	412,315	739,066	678,718	1,305,710	331,041	0	0	4,481,409	
2019 p	138,806	4,346	0	31,920	7,595	19,543	18,860	1,619	300	8,893	48,301	142	9,721	6,400	163,079	3,602,564	174,397	5,314	48,090	1,933	0	4,291,823	
Monthly																							
2018	January	577,792	0	0	6,569	12	0	574	0	0	0	0	0	0	25,246	3,026	67,480	0	0	0	0	680,699	
	February	10,996	0	410	0	15,883	0	422	0	0	0	0	0	0	20,175	58,500	171,885	0	0	0	0	278,271	
	March	84,201	0	0	0	16,200	31,939	4,175	0	28,201	587	995	0	850	43,714	11,653	123,647	0	7,154	0	0	353,315	
	April	11,400	0	0	0	0	0	0	201	2,000	101	1,007	322	0	45,928	956	18,000	141,697	1,391	0	0	223,003	
	May	23,305	0	250	29,925	14,700	306	487	0	0	0	288	0	7	36,582	173,176	35,319	516	2,550	0	0	317,412	
	June	26,956	0	0	0	992	2,400	12,045	77	18	510	625	0	191	1,544	36,387	49,167	147,223	100	10,062	0	0	288,296
	July	18,740	0	0	2,848	1,700	0	688	0	0	0	0	0	0	26,945	0	15,450	0	0	0	0	0	66,371
	August	0	0	0	926	0	0	381	0	0	0	0	0	0	31,087	0	2,817	0	0	0	0	0	35,211
	September	9,600	0	0	0	0	0	6,319	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,451	4,642	100	0	0	0	0	0	33,112
	October	37,050	0	0	2,570	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19,955	5,470	0	0	0	0	0	0	65,046
	November	13,195	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71,585	206,800	65,000	7,570	0	0	0	0	364,150
	December	30	0	350	0	387	0	243	0	6,250	1,420	0	0	2,400	0	42,260	225,675	31,796	1,155,828	309,885	0	0	1,776,524
2019 p	January	0	0	0	0	1,000	81	4,102	0	0	90	174	0	0	2,694	48,977	6,020	0	0	0	0	63,137	
	February	0	0	0	0	1,000	81	2,000	0	0	0	25,000	0	0	0	23,000	18,000	0	0	0	0	69,081	
	March	3,636	0	0	0	1,000	81	2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,000	0	0	0	0	9,717	
	April	35,822	0	0	0	1,000	81	2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,385	150	0	0	0	0	44,438	
	May	18,833	0	0	29,925	1,000	81	2,050	10	300	100	320	10	110	104,134	43,366	0	0	0	130	0	0	200,369
	June	8,760	4,346	0	0	0	0	2,404	1,202	0	1,803	3,956	100	7,511	0	4,457	8,069	1,502	3,005	24,087	1,803	0	73,004
	July	17,755	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63,782	0	0	0	0	0	81,537
	August	12,035	0	0	0	1,200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,452	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,687
	September	8,740	0	0	0	1,200	53	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	203	3,837	21,144	309	3	0	0	0	35,503
	October	16,290	0	0	0	0	8,150	1,702	400	0	5,400	18,750	0	2,100	0	32,970	340,648	1,000	2,000	24,000	0	0	453,410
	November	0	0	0	0	0	10,862	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,842	0	0	0	0	0	0	14,704
	December	16,935	0	0	1,995	195	74	2,602	0	0	1,500	100	25	0	6,400	18,621	3,059,207	123,582	0	0	0	0	3,231,236
Notes:	Classification used: HS 2017 Data source: Customs and Enterprises p - provisional r - revised n/a - not available Source data does not distinguish between exports and re-exports																						

Table 6	PRINCIPAL EXPORTS BY HS																											
	[US\$]																											
	Annual			Monthly																								
	2017	2018	2019 p	2018												2019 p												
Jan				Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Exports																												
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	1,290,974	813,240	138,806	577,767	10,996	84,201	11,400	23,305	26,956	18,740	0	9,600	37,050	13,195	30	0	0	3,636	35,822	18,833	8,760	17,755	12,035	8,740	16,290	0	16,935	
Bread & Pastries	73,229	12,638	1,995	6,569	0	0	0	0	0	2,573	926	0	2,570	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,995
Paint	0	28,883	27	0	0	28,883	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	
Ferrous waste and scrap	68,317	59,473	5,123	9,971	1,560	6,841	8,644	2,610	1,077	6,434	7,871	4,015	1,510	5,610	3,330	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	5,110	
Articles of iron or steel	193,593	195,734	96,250	11,000	7,000	33,903	26,625	14,226	25,177	7,000	14,801	6,000	16,000	1,000	33,002	2,228	0	0	0	80,000	3,105	0	0	27	250	0	10,641	
Aluminium waste and scrap	64,532	64,136	2,100	2,430	7,815	6,981	7,629	9,546	2,418	10,916	6,645	2,436	2,445	2,445	2,430	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,100	
Machinery and mechanical appliances	2,000,810	558,795	578,741	3,026	58,500	3,268	0	164,182	48,250	0	0	0	0	160,744	120,825	48,610	23,000	0	600	27,776	1,502	61,425	2,452	1,577	325,048	1,500	85,251	
Vehicles and parts and accessories thereof	979,853	290,628	72,816	12,000	50,000	122,168	18,000	35,000	14,500	15,000	2,500	0	0	0	21,460	6,020	18,000	0	150	0	1,502	0	0	21,144	0	0	26,000	
Yachts and other vessels for pleasure or sports: rowing boats and canoes	0	200,229	0	0	0	0	0	0	130,643	0	0	0	0	65,000	4,586	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Optical, photographic, measuring, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus: parts and accessories thereof	1,126,277	1,305,710	4,813	0	0	0	141,697	516	100	0	0	0	0	7,570	1,155,828	0	0	0	0	0	2,504	0	0	309	2,000	0	0	
Other Domestic Exports	622,175	951,943	3,391,152	57,936	142,400	67,070	9,008	68,027	39,175	5,708	2,468	11,061	5,471	108,586	435,034	6,280	28,081	6,081	7,866	73,760	55,631	2,357	1,200	3,666	109,822	13,204	3,083,204	
Reexports	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
TOTAL EXPORTS	6,419,760	4,481,409	4,291,823	680,699	278,271	353,315	223,003	317,412	288,296	66,371	35,211	33,112	65,046	364,150	1,776,524	63,137	69,081	9,717	44,438	200,369	73,004	81,537	15,687	35,503	453,410	14,704	3,231,236	
<i>Notes:</i>	<i>Classification used: HS 2017</i> <i>Data source: Customs and Enterprises</i> <i>p - provisional</i> <i>r - revised</i> <i>n/a - not available</i> <i>Source data does not distinguish between exports and re-exports</i>																											

Table 7	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS [US\$]																											
	Annual			Monthly																								
	2017	2018	2019 p	2018						2019 p																		
				Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec													
Meat and edible meat offal	5,994,013	5,639,755	5,929,586	208,669	473,120	473,136	593,534	528,081	611,298	430,308	436,741	400,539	399,119	476,442	608,768	291,008	677,528	473,836	415,289	520,217	405,552	516,244	382,932	372,403	646,878	631,711	595,987	
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	1,514,465	1,274,740	1,286,278	99,196	107,743	113,271	83,872	78,209	121,153	155,633	88,883	119,140	59,299	120,157	128,185	26,197	173,423	85,037	137,161	131,032	57,210	132,494	59,692	75,409	131,470	149,188	127,965	
Dairy products: birds' eggs: natural honey: edible products of animal origin	2,907,953	3,170,254	3,017,257	230,389	226,326	282,555	309,190	323,062	238,619	263,573	189,131	238,221	334,059	275,844	259,286	176,943	266,324	307,242	206,571	273,261	188,453	224,767	214,340	206,677	268,489	334,661	349,528	
Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers	1,810,631	1,671,814	2,107,859	132,183	131,162	141,453	148,436	134,818	138,428	121,466	136,271	120,876	134,961	138,759	193,003	135,388	131,163	187,963	160,311	180,169	150,100	153,585	163,548	115,841	282,626	215,479	231,866	
Edible fruit and nuts: peel of citrus fruit or melons	1,126,940	1,044,939	1,107,508	77,575	84,914	102,842	94,807	97,150	88,494	74,470	82,346	67,460	74,644	85,941	114,297	73,922	88,740	120,548	107,755	96,636	89,734	64,111	77,066	65,570	96,284	96,637	128,505	
Coffee, tea, mate and spices	1,697,229	1,677,773	1,850,521	151,837	144,439	154,993	144,179	125,284	143,649	174,605	150,854	78,344	143,187	87,364	179,018	96,050	181,377	112,464	219,012	186,741	151,019	153,858	150,856	114,931	216,078	97,836	170,299	
Cereal	1,958,682	2,087,317	1,974,824	118,634	191,901	195,853	189,909	197,122	131,662	174,940	165,712	129,165	75,045	208,176	309,220	221,507	148,205	233,687	125,358	166,531	116,812	89,628	179,923	148,882	194,937	185,604	163,749	
Products of milling industry	711,718	683,214	729,901	48,748	68,154	51,709	67,351	70,157	39,305	65,449	44,050	48,856	75,702	62,240	41,493	27,736	51,557	97,921	68,677	79,010	36,341	68,120	50,260	42,256	85,475	37,801	84,746	
Animal or vegetable fats and oils	811,258	806,392	678,101	111,420	31,616	94,010	79,819	65,129	37,299	75,768	49,599	49,591	48,605	82,676	79,861	31,638	90,063	83,283	48,712	38,832	57,098	53,078	59,340	41,310	40,138	95,027	39,582	
Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates	3,005,292	2,958,477	3,157,314	161,459	221,188	293,417	313,514	521,691	221,088	148,650	164,637	227,331	135,488	216,256	333,759	89,301	164,058	322,064	342,530	300,574	271,130	424,028	103,443	414,013	210,734	255,370	260,609	
Sugars and sugar confectionery	740,865	685,284	677,165	75,974	36,699	42,189	53,004	70,938	62,409	65,216	54,435	85,916	24,991	71,927	41,386	47,186	58,833	46,922	33,332	61,689	47,229	67,662	29,502	35,710	114,083	42,303	92,713	
Cocoa and cocoa preparations	1,445,051	1,278,097	1,369,735	84,296	70,985	91,215	109,681	70,961	165,181	80,434	110,359	62,899	130,231	163,516	138,339	23,609	70,613	131,689	60,129	80,670	110,576	151,025	130,402	88,353	276,962	55,240	190,447	
Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastrycooks' products	3,869,432	3,599,648	3,785,903	263,275	295,591	302,090	368,244	294,342	237,915	327,533	203,403	265,705	389,636	301,945	349,968	229,531	270,015	389,194	327,510	368,793	288,460	317,857	260,440	252,651	339,314	352,979	389,158	
Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts or other parts of plants	2,296,284	2,042,529	2,172,644	185,732	190,451	171,522	171,376	229,930	133,794	150,310	130,459	137,591	182,732	178,428	180,205	133,830	180,338	172,937	203,369	195,620	171,068	197,102	162,857	157,854	191,310	210,831	195,527	
Miscellaneous edible preparations	2,693,026	2,625,634	2,546,996	168,206	259,289	195,391	205,336	245,910	240,918	224,223	221,629	207,233	222,611	241,122	197,766	134,153	237,379	240,582	204,146	296,696	187,482	179,673	180,119	157,977	331,422	176,771	280,418	188,877
Water	2,939,462	3,073,662	3,032,331	207,145	282,544	247,956	432,128	247,558	228,982	241,967	111,594	241,997	293,410	281,996	256,386	266,225	255,493	300,025	230,798	289,690	285,350	159,977	331,422	176,771	280,418	188,877	267,278	
Beer	3,669,512	3,524,642	3,512,707	374,505	185,587	302,593	181,136	429,846	295,329	341,940	287,059	279,970	256,376	216,305	373,985	275,479	149,690	293,790	215,074	299,632	293,326	271,612	295,240	442,824	278,231	243,239	455,372	
Wine	396,200	479,856	403,444	44,842	28,423	68,388	53,986	18,051	86,646	28,456	27,466	13,251	33,960	19,632	56,752	38,109	58,237	21,742	15,137	35,795	12,480	26,279	58,221	8,229	20,911	60,314	68,189	
Alcoholic drinks	670,456	701,446	705,944	30,853	89,747	78,987	28,422	106,054	23,576	44,502	41,019	76,245	30,433	46,106	105,502	55,201	21,421	86,725	58,675	100,268	28,735	64,755	41,401	28,704	75,294	80,332	65,083	
Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos and cigarettes, of tobacco or of tobacco substitutes	1,439,349	1,189,999	1,320,256	126,464	102,721	51,371	52,645	153,313	110,275	155,255	91,842	71,173	160,255	62,203	52,482	109,481	194,888	43,640	122,865	28,992	231,972	25,708	130,333	34,634	118,260	208,852	70,429	
Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous	34,208,378	41,253,362	36,574,010	77,943	3,090,577	6,826,210	2,372,691	2,715,574	1,730,636	7,831,610	2,703,924	2,690,560	3,531,461	7,650,679	31,496	1,913,123	2,387,880	6,470,868	2,475,937	3,165,806	1,974,666	5,936,048	143,291	4,448,780	221,598	2,091,216	5,344,797	
Preparations of petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons	1,441,213	1,397,529	1,436,643	91,883	187,253	138,166	151,587	185,327	70,596	93,402	94,560	26,084	114,202	113,965	130,503	127,395	101,008	163,520	93,203	142,095	131,265	134,458	103,056	127,514	116,848	74,127	122,153	
Pharmaceutical products	3,543,660	3,578,619	3,267,381	330,120	453,765	256,351	246,439	357,307	413,627	88,314	255,627	251,436	635,545	146,464	143,625	486,670	512,349	186,946	237,752	264,700	267,891	405,147	266,273	185,646	168,229	78,919	206,863	
Tanning or dyeing products	1,715,814	1,725,727	1,489,775	270,565	49,035	91,537	131,211	170,529	196,975	83,329	177,933	106,700	254,751	53,495	139,668	159,571	116,619	192,993	130,411	214,112	55,296	68,090	172,065	80,507	77,621	90,849	131,641	
Essential oils	1,344,338	1,181,568	1,165,508	106,327	115,837	99,097	83,488	126,356	65,797	107,814	90,356	106,449	86,937	98,841	94,270	122,180	83,634	94,257	109,577	85,969	68,872	88,862	85,223	82,937	82,284	86,967	174,748	
Plastics and articles thereof	5,996,415	4,975,411	3,983,075	307,123	372,935	349,828	402,833	1,004,081	351,131	282,344	392,054	352,202	523,137	232,461	405,281	295,212	284,176	299,166	360,386	437,471	262,380	352,391	302,973	248,528	386,267	399,530	354,592	
Paper and paperboard: articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	1,849,288	1,857,846	1,912,216	167,396	202,572	131,020	178,718	135,394	169,963	81,151	123,837	130,145	197,048	235,342	105,261	137,462	171,985	122,972	173,136	205,845	142,814	196,830	158,830	178,930	94,965	150,953	177,554	
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	895,745	784,347	985,962	61,612	36,746	105,852	120,203	86,773	74,895	50,517	41,509	35,337	45,365	59,185	66,353	158,810	43,952	42,933	95,013	113,871	50,755	53,454	67,698	127,374	49,348	117,182	65,572	
Footwear	737,201	765,319	490,675	36,220	67,653	96,149	84,290	50,454	66,920	38,640	77,959	79,188	63,955	77,173	26,718	33,447	43,579	33,774	83,412	51,152	19,798	37,579	37,783	36,811	16,195	39,511	57,634	
Iron and steel and articles of iron and steel	8,323,350	6,191,712	9,131,950	316,361	165,908	431,884	468,783	836,367	692,183	1,001,847	572,117	310,601	576,727	282,208	536,726	866,562	677,840	777,397	701,593	549,557	1,213,055	730,953	1,042,837	409,649	1,013,789	544,968	603,729	
Copper and articles thereof	224,330	314,731	162,162	94,147	1,673	114,506	4,398	30,377	5,657	3,515	21,174	7,527	14,114	3,212	14,432	4,627	4,966	5,188	62,938	13,990	11,689	5,371	9,264	4,383	22,390	7,314	10,041	
Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances	18,380,323	15,095,081	15,345,289	703,017	691,044	907,933	1,247,727	1,533,628	1,331,232	1,677,336	1,259,370	801,608	1,562,544	1,172,669	2,206,972	1,296,961	647,061	1,180,957	2,297,272	1,287,367	1,049,678	1,229,982	1,646,030	1,013,022	1,293,181	1,063,040	1,340,729	
Electrical machines and apparatus	13,204,728	10,527,674	17,304,099	532,666	561,041	560,217	611,394	1,205,643	864,277	808,981	521,619	1,535,614	1,138,417	1,397,737	790,069	1,136,												

Table 8		BALANCE OF TRADE BY MAJOR PARTNER COUNTRIES																												
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		Annual			2018												Monthly													
Country		2017	2018	2019 p	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
		Australia	Exports	534,390	1,760	0	0	0	1,760	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	2,172,490	1,968,440	1,035,813	211,659	70,292	221,084	176,568	257,192	37,293	441,053	72,370	83,078	257,591	4,750	135,509	62,820	43,267	28,659	2,709	30,730	436,072	219,947	2,474	208	51,636	59,450	97,842		
	Balance	-1,638,100	-1,966,680	-1,035,813	-211,659	-70,292	-219,324	-176,568	-257,192	-37,293	-441,053	-72,370	-83,078	-257,591	-4,750	-135,509	-62,820	-43,267	-28,659	-2,709	-30,730	-436,072	-219,947	-2,474	-208	-51,636	-59,450	-97,842		
Belgium	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	Imports	177,623	200,202	23,273	25,467	0	8,469	29,249	0	75,989	22,548	1,963	0	46	2,119	34,350	0	0	1,148	0	869	0	0	199	49	20,917	0	71		
	Balance	-177,623	-200,202	-23,273	-25,467	0	-8,469	-29,249	0	-75,989	-22,548	-1,963	0	-46	-2,119	-34,350	0	0	-1,148	0	-869	0	0	-199	-49	-20,917	0	-71		
China, Peoples Republic of	Exports	13,882	16,250	42,510	0	0	8,000	2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,250	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	396	138	41,834	0	142
	Imports	13,146,694	10,155,200	11,682,842	660,304	1,026,815	468,215	698,188	1,166,916	732,858	1,148,257	947,184	801,300	591,128	866,188	1,047,848	1,004,325	626,387	548,474	1,086,034	949,643	716,269	959,879	841,061	880,759	790,578	1,255,465	2,023,967		
	Balance	-13,132,812	-10,138,950	-11,640,331	-660,304	-1,026,815	-460,215	-696,188	-1,166,916	-732,858	-1,148,257	-947,184	-801,300	-591,128	-866,188	-1,041,596	-1,004,325	-626,387	-548,474	-1,086,034	-949,643	-716,269	-959,879	-840,665	-880,622	-748,743	-1,255,465	-2,023,967		
Guam	Exports	931,878	536,898	308,275	77,000	7,000	66,519	136,236	10,000	44,676	18,975	7,920	1,000	110,898	40,675	48,170	44,081	1,081	1,081	1,081	1,081	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Imports	7,099,251	8,163,694	8,186,968	581,893	816,693	535,933	670,069	714,630	938,421	617,903	610,310	650,962	850,841	464,605	711,435	747,733	687,238	471,500	874,726	622,393	635,591	781,672	925,956	688,885	433,533	603,637	714,104		
	Balance	-6,167,373	-7,626,796	-7,878,692	-504,893	-809,693	-469,414	-533,833	-704,630	-893,746	-598,928	-602,390	-649,962	-834,841	-353,707	-670,760	-699,562	-643,157	-470,419	-873,645	-621,312	-635,591	-781,672	-925,956	-666,112	-321,578	-603,633	-636,054		
Hong Kong	Exports	0	9,438	0	0	0	0	0	9,438	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Imports	3,332,698	1,759,324	5,969,567	212,026	78,932	42,218	115,850	79,255	103,542	676,395	79,444	126,838	107,156	48,073	89,595	262,894	84,616	89,290	194,535	322,519	137,990	84,886	153,955	132,069	4,126,983	149,150	230,679		
	Balance	-3,332,698	-1,749,886	-5,969,567	-212,026	-78,932	-42,218	-115,850	-79,255	-103,542	-676,395	-79,444	-126,838	-107,156	-48,073	-89,595	-262,894	-84,616	-89,290	-194,535	-322,519	-137,990	-84,886	-153,955	-132,069	-4,126,983	-149,150	-230,679		
Japan	Exports	1,499,109	1,222,159	421,128	503,908	0	73,831	2,045	29,925	65,692	2,573	2,500	8,041	51,306	976,839	6,689	0	0	0	3,634	34,382	50,628	0	2,000	0	1,200	323,223	0	0	
	Imports	22,749,865	17,990,229	18,480,986	551,260	885,229	1,207,217	1,857,485	3,118,938	2,148,579	2,103,801	742,327	762,530	1,340,559	1,141,627	2,130,678	1,451,142	671,066	1,886,302	2,693,010	1,511,752	1,376,806	1,734,981	1,464,585	1,272,929	1,657,790	1,188,768	1,571,853		
	Balance	-21,270,756	-16,268,070	-18,059,858	-47,352	-885,229	-1,133,386	-1,855,439	-3,089,013	-2,082,887	-2,101,229	-739,827	-757,030	-1,332,518	-1,090,321	-1,153,838	-1,445,083	-671,066	-1,882,666	-2,693,010	-1,461,125	-1,376,806	-1,732,981	-1,464,585	-1,271,729	-1,334,567	-1,188,768	-1,571,853		
Korea	Exports	0	751,391	3,083,002	0	0	0	4,500	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,321	744,570	0	0	0	0	0	2,310	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,080,692
	Imports	13,273,872	19,074,236	22,485,820	290,975	266,980	4,501,204	447,593	552,504	564,999	4,853,817	608,430	279,944	311,724	5,146,204	1,249,863	498,181	572,448	4,548,854	343,293	270,811	1,682,214	4,413,435	4,377,044	496,764	414,396	431,063	4,437,318		
	Balance	-13,273,872	-18,322,845	-19,402,818	-290,975	-266,980	-4,496,704	-447,593	-552,504	-564,999	-4,853,817	-608,430	-279,944	-311,724	-5,143,883	-505,293	-498,181	-572,448	-4,548,854	-343,293	-270,811	-1,679,904	-4,413,435	-4,377,044	-496,764	-414,396	-431,063	-4,356,626		
New Zealand	Exports	25,000	5,000	5,000	0	0	0	5,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,000	
	Imports	1,149,929	1,615,203	1,822,258	172,909	174,824	83,217	100,857	490,628	132,507	78,958	90,748	81,870	41,865	63,483	103,337	148,996	66,970	109,181	390,045	87,290	72,035	123,648	175,754	127,537	112,620	101,229	306,944		
	Balance	-1,124,929	-1,610,203	-1,817,258	-172,909	-174,824	-83,217	-100,857	-485,628	-132,507	-78,958	-90,748	-81,870	-41,865	-63,483	-103,337	-148,996	-66,970	-109,181	-390,045	-87,290	-72,035	-123,648	-175,754	-127,537	-112,620	-101,229	-301,944		
Philippines	Exports	0	29,236	2,497	0	0	0	29,236	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	555	942	0	0
	Imports	7,315,852	6,873,906	11,405,641	606,982	434,622	590,068	528,304	543,974	684,630	497,011	396,812	378,815	776,778	846,816	589,093	1,116,666	506,030	647,381	637,888	1,106,018	1,427,709	654,465	692,406	511,789	690,320	765,054	2,649,915		
	Balance	-7,315,852	-6,844,670	-11,403,144	-606,982	-434,622	-590,068	-528,304	-514,738	-684,630	-497,011	-396,812	-378,815	-776,778	-846,816	-589,093	-1,116,666	-506,030	-647,381	-636,888	-1,106,018	-1,427,709	-654,465	-692,406	-511,789	-690,320	-765,054	-2,649,915		
Singapore	Exports	9,652	2,317	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,317	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Imports	27,707,874	30,196,916	27,157,245	321,393	3,368,221	2,727,514	2,537,282	2,876,466	1,961,689	3,449,656	2,802,949	2,752,060	3,940,964	3,096,960	361,763	1,944,596	3,337,931	2,588,704	2,851,295	3,379,481	2,101,481	1,900,437	298,090	4,602,245	277,917	2,264,916	1,610,151		
	Balance	-27,698,222	-30,194,599	-27,157,245	-321,393	-3,368,221	-2,727,514	-2,537,282	-2,876,466	-1,959,372	-3,449,656	-2,802,949	-2,752,060	-3,940,964	-3,096,960	-361,763	-1,944,596	-3,337,931	-2,588,704	-2,851,295	-3,379,481	-2,101,481	-1,900,437	-298,090	-4,602,245	-277,917	-2,264,916	-1,610,151		
Taiwan	Exports	198,284	367,711	39,799	80,380	15,090	14,569	21,103	8,222	6,900	20,983	15,064	12,012	3,955	163,431	6,003	0	3,000	5,975	0	0	2,357	3,652	2,235	1,000	13,200	8,540			
	Imports	11,962,013	9,899,981	8,566,545	562,934	959,633	558,102	788,031	392,524	931,597	553,374	895,589	1,422,601	869,497	991,605	974,493	416,441	831,451	698,358	401,109	1,178,257	416,652	510,468	741,935	632,751	806,842	869,376	1,062,904		
	Balance	-11,763,729	-9,532,270	-8,526,566	-482,554	-944,543	-543,533	-766,928	-384,303	-924,697	-532,391	-880,526	-1,410,589	-865,542	-828,174	-968,490	-416,441	-831,451	-695,358	-395,134	-1,178,257	-416,652	-508,111	-738,283	-630,516	-805,842	-856,176	-1,054,344		
Thailand	Exports	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Imports	1,222,591	1,158,972	1,260,918	61,815	65,616	36,626	187,788	220,388	107,597	100,943	108,287	38,947	19,973	79,582	131,410	46,396	72,885	204,728	260,258	125,796	57,838	29,492	44,370	41,170	152,237	102,764	122,575		
	Balance	-1,222,591	-1,158,972	-1,260,918	-61,815	-65,616	-36,626	-187,788	-220,388	-107,597	-100,943	-108,287	-38,947	-19,973	-79,582	-131,410	-46,396	-72,885	-204,728	-260,258	-125,796	-57,838								

Table 10		TRADE BY MODE OF TRANSPORT					
		[US\$]					
Category [®]		1	2	3	4		
		Air	Water	Land	Not elsewhere classified		
Period			2.1	3.2	4.2	4.4	
			Sea	Road	Postal consignments, mail or courier shipments	Others	Total
Annually							
2017	Exports	1,982,548	4,437,212	0	0	0	6,419,760
	Imports	19,017,921	160,900,691	0	1,614,536	0	181,533,148
2018	Exports	1,832,072	2,649,338	0	0	0	4,481,410
	Imports	18,897,118	154,622,013	0	2,776,312	0	176,295,444
2019 p	Exports	164,165	4,127,658	0	0	0	4,291,823
	Imports	16,766,756	173,333,545	0	2,598,409	0	192,698,710
Monthly 2018							
Jan	Exports	575,114	105,585	0	0	0	680,699
	Imports	1,125,286	7,694,304	0	197,294	0	9,016,884
Feb	Exports	10,396	267,875	0	0	0	278,271
	Imports	1,616,966	11,668,172	0	242,643	0	13,527,780
Mar	Exports	84,568	268,747	0	0	0	353,315
	Imports	1,155,123	15,579,193	0	376,743	0	17,111,059
Apr	Exports	208,194	14,809	0	0	0	223,003
	Imports	2,233,233	11,767,625	0	257,717	0	14,258,575
May	Exports	24,210	293,202	0	0	0	317,412
	Imports	2,631,802	13,178,865	0	237,951	0	16,048,618
Jun	Exports	30,216	258,080	0	0	0	288,296
	Imports	1,387,534	12,862,062	0	290,685	0	14,540,280
Jul	Exports	19,965	46,406	0	0	0	66,371
	Imports	1,176,349	18,148,878	0	202,382	0	19,527,609
Aug	Exports	1,624	33,587	0	0	0	35,211
	Imports	1,075,376	11,342,385	0	167,768	0	12,585,529
Sep	Exports	9,932	23,179	0	0	0	33,112
	Imports	1,282,175	11,082,501	0	158,050	0	12,522,726
Oct	Exports	42,520	22,526	0	0	0	65,046
	Imports	1,651,019	13,399,094	0	218,996	0	15,269,109
Nov	Exports	64,501	299,650	0	0	0	364,150
	Imports	1,314,994	17,164,631	0	209,413	0	18,689,038
Dec	Exports	760,832	1,015,692	0	0	0	1,776,524
	Imports	2,247,261	10,734,303	0	216,672	0	13,198,237
Monthly 2019 p							
Jan	Exports	0	63,137	0	0	0	63,137
	Imports	1,321,936	18,311,293	0	216,503	0	19,849,732
Feb	Exports	25,000	44,081	0	0	0	69,081
	Imports	1,486,625	11,092,173	0	203,054	0	12,781,852
Mar	Exports	3,000	6,717	0	0	0	9,717
	Imports	1,363,114	15,735,740	0	227,002	0	17,325,856
Apr	Exports	35,822	8,616	0	0	0	44,438
	Imports	1,393,106	13,588,524	0	199,657	0	15,181,287
May	Exports	18,833	181,536	0	0	0	200,369
	Imports	1,457,219	13,598,767	0	224,002	0	15,279,987
Jun	Exports	8,760	64,244	0	0	0	73,004
	Imports	1,158,785	12,613,079	0	204,022	0	13,975,886
Jul	Exports	15,755	65,782	0	0	0	81,537
	Imports	1,521,230	14,976,990	0	281,551	0	16,779,771
Aug	Exports	12,035	3,652	0	0	0	15,687
	Imports	1,386,593	13,478,436	0	152,826	0	15,017,855
Sep	Exports	8,740	26,763	0	0	0	35,503
	Imports	1,196,123	12,226,028	0	225,583	0	13,647,735
Oct	Exports	17,290	436,120	0	0	0	453,410
	Imports	1,954,085	16,611,383	0	226,755	0	18,792,223
Nov	Exports	0	14,704	0	0	0	14,704
	Imports	1,263,768	11,885,304	0	239,720	0	13,388,792
Dec	Exports	18,930	3,212,306	0	0	0	3,231,236
	Imports	1,264,171	19,215,829	0	197,734	0	20,677,734
Notes:							
		<i>p - provisional</i>					
		<i>r - revised</i>					
		<i>n/a - not available</i>					
		<i>Source data does not distinguish between exports and re-exports</i>					

Appendix 2: 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
	28	Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes

Sections	Chapters	Titles
	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
	54	Man-made filaments
	55	Man-made staple fibres

Sections	Chapters	Titles
	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
Appendix		List of commodities and transactions not classified according to kind in chapters 1 to 97
	99	Commodities not specified according to kind