

**Table 1. TOTAL TRADE BY MONTH AND YEAR: 1998-2000**  
(F.O.B. Value in Million US\$)

Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance	Cumulative		
					Total Trade	Imports	Exports
1998	59,157	29,660	29,497	-163			
1999	65,779	30,742	35,037	4294			
2000							
January							
1998	4,953	2,838	2,115	-723	4,953	2,838	2,115
(723)							
1999	4,981	2,400	2,581	181	4,981	2,400	2,581
181							
2000	5,368	2,651	2,717	65	5,368	2,651	2,717
65							
February							
1998	4,812	2,585	2,227	-358	9,765	5,423	4,342
(1,081)							
1999	4,826	2,257	2,569	313	9,807	4,656	5,150
494							
2000	5,386	2,483	2,902	419	10,753	5,134	5,619
485							
March							
1998	5,088	2,614	2,474	-139	14,853	8,037	6,816
(1,220)							
1999	5,359	2,656	2,702	46	15,165	7,313	7,852
540							
2000	5,730	2,742	2,989	247	16,483	7,876	8,607
731							
April							
1998	4,742	2,457	2,285	-173	19,595	10,494	9,101
(1,393)							
1999	4,945	2,599	2,346	-253	20,110	9,912	10,198
286							
2000	5,196	2,528	2,667	139	21,679	10,404	11,275
870							
May							
1998	5,039	2,624	2,415	-209	24,634	13,118	11,516
(1,603)							
1999	5,280	2,533	2,747	213	25,391	12,445	12,945
500							
2000	5,368	2,437	2,931	494	27,047	12,841	14,206
1,364							
June							
1998	4,650	2,261	2,390	129	29,284	15,379	13,905
(1,474)							
1999	5,528	2,671	2,857	186	30,919	15,116	15,802
686							
2000	5,905	2,495	3,410	916	32,952	15,336	17,616
2,280							
July							
1998	4,967	2,466	2,501	36	34,251	17,845	16,407
(1,438)							
1999	5,643	2,792	2,851	59	36,562	17,908	18,654
746							
2000	5,896	2,676	3,219	543	38,848	18,012	20,835
2,823							
August							
1998	5,161	2,508	2,652	144	39,412	20,353	19,059
(1,294)							
1999	5,873	2,661	3,212	550	42,434	20,569	21,865
1,296							
2000	6,172	2,643	3,529	887	45,020	20,655	24,365
3,710							
September							
1998	5,241	2,454	2,786	332	44,653	22,808	21,845
(962)							
1999	6,249	2,555	3,693	1138	48,683	23,125	25,558
2,434							
2000							
October							
1998	4,960	2,417	2,542	125	49,613	25,225	24,388
(837)							
1999	6,072	2,613	3,460	847	54,755	25,737	29,018
3,281							
2000							
November							
1998	4,959	2,373	2,586	212	54,572	27,598	26,973
(625)							
1999	5,427	2,352	3,075	724	60,182	28,089	32,093
4,004							
2000							
December							
1998	4,585	2,062	2,523	461	59,157	29,660	29,497
(163)							
1999	5,597	2,653	2,944	290	65,779	30,742	35,037
4,294							
2000							

Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.

Source: Trade Statistics Division  
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