

Table 1A. Total Growth Rate by Month and Year: 2003-2004

Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade	Cumulative			Balance of Trade
					Total Trade	Imports	Exports	
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January								
2003	19.7	39.6	3.9	(134.1)	19.7	39.6	3.9	(134.1)
2004	6.6	9.0	4.1	(81.7)	6.6	9.0	4.1	(81.7)
February								
2003	13.3	21.4	6.1	(109.1)	16.4	30.0	5.0	(125.0)
2004	6.9	6.3	7.6	118.1	6.8	7.7	5.8	(55.2)
March								
2003	10.7	11.6	9.8	(33.7)	14.2	22.5	6.7	(181.8)
2004	5.7	4.4	7.1	23.7	6.4	6.4	6.3	(9.1)
April								
2003	(4.6)	(7.6)	(0.8)	34.1	8.9	13.0	4.8	(1,269.5)
May								
2003	5.3	13.1	(2.6)	(1,663.3)	8.1	13.0	3.2	(1,380.4)
June								
2003	0.7	(3.1)	4.7	268.4	6.8	10.1	3.5	(612.8)
July								
2003	(2.0)	1.4	(5.5)	(683.0)	5.4	8.7	2.0	(890.5)
August								
2003	(4.9)	(8.5)	(0.9)	72.1	4.0	6.3	1.6	(213.4)
September								
2003	0.3	(4.5)	5.1	20,306.4	3.5	5.0	2.1	(153.9)
October								
2003	8.6	7.0	10.1	115.5	4.0	5.2	2.9	(161.8)
November								
2003	2.0	4.5	(0.6)	(453.2)	3.8	5.1	2.6	(183.9)
December								
2003	11.8	14.9	9.0	(56.9)	4.5	5.8	3.1	(449.4)
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Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division
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Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.