

**Table 1a Total Growth Rate by Month and Year  
2005-2004  
(F.O.B. Value in Million US\$)**

Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade	Total Trade	Cumulative Imports	Cumulative Exports	Balance of Trade
January								
2004 r	6.6	9.0	4.1	(81.7)	6.6	9.0	4.1	(81.7)
2005 r	6.1	(2.1)	15.4	150.6	6.1	(2.1)	15.4	150.6
February								
2004 r	6.9	6.3	7.6	118.1	6.8	7.7	5.8	(55.2)
2005 r	(2.7)	(4.8)	(0.6)	2,490.3	1.7	(3.4)	7.2	191.4
March								
2004 r	5.7	4.4	7.1	23.7	6.4	6.4	6.3	(9.1)
2005 r	(3.4)	(4.0)	(2.8)	21.6	(0.2)	(3.6)	3.6	122.1
April								
2004 r	8.6	8.4	8.9	(5.7)	6.9	7.0	6.9	(7.5)
2005 p	7.6	6.5	8.8	7.1	1.8	(1.0)	4.8	68.6
May								
2004	6.1	(1.6)	15.3	96.5	6.8	5.1	8.6	28.0
June								
2004	13.0	18.0	8.2	(208.0)	7.8	7.2	8.5	10.4
July								
2004	4.4	5.6	3.2	(37.2)	7.3	6.9	7.7	3.5
August								
2004	11.3	8.9	13.7	135.9	7.8	7.2	8.5	11.5
September								
2004	11.5	14.8	8.4	(54.8)	8.2	8.0	8.5	1.7
October								
2004	14.3	16.3	12.3	(56.0)	8.9	8.8	8.9	(6.9)
November								
2004	10.7	2.4	19.5	272.8	9.0	8.2	9.9	32.5
December								
2004	1.0	(0.9)	2.9	115.4	8.4	7.5	9.3	44.5

Source: Economic Indices and Indicators Division  
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Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.  
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