

**Table 1a Total Growth Rate by Month and Year  
2005-2006  
(F.O.B. Value in Million US\$)**

Month/Year	Total Trade	Imports	Exports	Balance of Trade	Cumulative Total Trade	Cumulative Imports	Cumulative Exports	Balance of Trade
January								
2005	7.3	0.6	15.6	67.2	7.3	0.6	15.6	67.2
2006	3.0	5.0	0.9	(70.7)	3.0	5.0	0.9	(70.7)
February								
2005	(1.7)	(3.1)	(0.2)	31.7	2.8	(1.2)	7.5	55.6
2006	9.6	4.6	14.9	142.4	6.1	4.8	7.6	36.8
March								
2005	(2.5)	(2.3)	(2.8)	(0.7)	0.9	(1.6)	3.8	34.5
2006	16.4	8.0	26.3	98.2	9.8	6.0	14.0	72.1
April								
2005	9.1	9.2	8.8	(10.8)	2.9	1.2	5.0	19.0
2006	13.2	7.4	20.5	41.7	10.7	6.4	15.6	57.8
May								
2005	3.7	6.0	1.1	(55.8)	3.1	2.2	4.2	9.9
2006	17.2	17.1	17.3	(15.7)	12.0	8.6	16.0	42.4
June								
2005	6.7	11.4	1.2	(85.1)	3.7	3.8	3.7	(4.4)
2006	13.4	7.7	20.6	43.2	12.3	8.4	16.8	42.6
July								
2005	6.8	1.9	12.7	49.4	4.2	3.5	4.9	5.1
2006	13.9	14.8	12.9	(34.9)	12.5	9.3	16.2	35.3
August								
2005	8.9	14.9	2.4	(182.0)	4.8	4.9	4.6	(7.1)
2006	18.0	15.2	21.4	14.8	13.3	10.1	16.9	31.8
September								
2005	7.4	13.6	0.9	(277.5)	5.1	5.9	4.1	(18.5)
2006	6.0	(0.3)	13.5	76.8	12.4	8.9	16.5	37.9
October								
2005	0.4	3.8	(3.2)	(106.1)	4.6	5.7	3.3	(23.6)
2006	13.9	12.5	15.5	8.6	12.5	9.2	16.4	35.1
November								
2005	3.6	8.7	(1.5)	(1,336.8)	4.5	6.0	2.8	(32.2)
2006 r	12.1	13.4	10.7	(41.5)	12.5	9.6	15.8	30.5
December								
2005	22.8	28.9	16.8	(3,059.9)	5.9	7.7	4.0	(41.4)
2006 p	(2.4)	(1.3)	(3.6)	(22.2)	11.1	8.7	14.0	27.2

**Source: Foreign Trade Statistics Section  
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**Note: Components may not add up to total due to rounding.  
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