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Preface

This International Merchandise Trade Statistics (IMTS) Monthly Digest presents statistics on Botswana's total imports and exports of goods at the end of May 2016. This digest follows the April 2016 Digest published at the end of June 2016. Data is complete up to March 2016. Figures for April and May 2016 are from automated borders only, constituting 98 percent of total expected monthly trade in value terms.

Changes in data for corresponding months when comparing the current digest and the previous ones, may be attributed to data from transactions which had deferred customs duty assessments. The data for these transactions will only become available at a later stage after customs duty assessments have been completed.

This Monthly Digest presents summaries of Total Merchandise Trade from January 2012 to May 2016 as presented on **Table 1**. Trade by Principal Commodity groups is presented on **Table 2.1** for imports and Table 2.2 for exports. **Table 2.3** gives trade on diamonds only. Direction of trade is given for the most recent twelve months and this appears on **Tables 3.1A** and **3.2A** for imports and exports respectively. Table 3.1B (imports) and **Table 3.2B** (total exports) present Principal Commodity groups by partner and region for May 2016 only.

Five graphical presentations appear in this digest. **Chart 1.1** shows imports, total exports and trade balance from January 2009 to May 2016. **Charts 2.1** and **2.2** show Principal Commodity groups for imports and exports respectively, for May 2016 only. **Charts 3.1** and **3.2** show imports and exports by major trading partners for the month under review.

Tables 4.1; A & B present statistics on commodities that were mostly imported during April 2016 and May 2016 respectively, while exports are given on **Tables 4.2; A & B** for the same months. Trade at Chapter Level (2 digits of the Harmonized Commodity Description & Coding System) appears on **Table 5**, giving data for April 2016 and May 2016.

Table 1 distinguishes domestic exports from re-exports while other tables show total exports only, which is the sum of the two (domestic exports and re-exports).

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I sincerely thank all stakeholders involved in the formulation of this monthly digest, for their continued support and feedback, as we strive to better serve Batswana and all other important users of our products and services.

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1.0 TOTAL TRADE

Total merchandise trade as presented in this section refers to imports, domestic exports, re-exports and trade balance.

1.1 Data Revision

Table A presents revised data for February 2016 to April 2016. Imports for March 2016 increased by P2.5 million, from P6, 488.2 million as at April 2016 Monthly Digest to P6, 490.6 million as at May 2016 Monthly Digest. This slight increase could be attributable to data from transactions that had deferred customs duty assessments. Imports for April 2016 increased by 35.0 percent (P1, 661.4 million) from P4, 741.8 million as at April 2016 to P6, 403.2 million as at May 2016. The increase is due to inclusion of diamonds data which became available after the release of April 2016 Monthly Digest. Trade for the affected transactions was registered in April 2016 but assessment was deferred up to mid-May 2016.

April 2016 total exports value shows an increase of P23.8 million (0.3 percent) when comparing figures from the April 2016 and May 2016 digests. This increase is attributable to inclusion of diamonds data which became available after the release of April 2016 Monthly Digest.

Table A: Data Revision; February 2016 to April 2016 (Million PULA)

	As at	April 2016	Digest	As at	May 2016 D	igest		Difference		Difference	es as %	
Month	Imports (CIF)	Total Exports	Trade Balance									
Feb_16	5,910.2	6,434.4	524.1	5,911.1	6,434.4	523.3	0.8	(0.0)	(0.8)	0.0	(0.0)	(0.2)
Mar_16	6,488.2	6,428.1	(60.1)	6,490.6	6,428.1	(62.5)	2.5	(0.0)	(2.5)	0.0	(0.0)	4.1
Apr_16	4,741.8	8,049.6	3,307.9	6,403.2	8,073.5	1,670.3	1,661.4	23.8	(1,637.6)	35.0	0.3	(49.5)

⁽⁾ Denotes negative numbers

Discussions on Sub-Sections 1.2 to 1.4 are based on Table 1.

1.2 Imports

Discussions on imports are based on cost, insurance and freight (CIF) value and associated figures are presented on **Table 1.** May 2016 total imports were valued at P4, 713.8 million, showing a decrease of 26.4 percent (P1, 689.4 million) from the revised April 2016 value of P6,403.2 million. This is attributable to decrease in imports of Diamonds which dropped by 70.1 percent (P1, 499.3 million) from P2, 137.4 million during April 2016 to P638.4 million during May 2016. Chemicals & Rubber Products also contributed to the decrease in total imports, having dropped by 38.2 percent (P293.2 million) from P768.4 million during April 2016 to P475.5 million during the current month.

Comparison of import figures for May 2016 and May 2015 show a decrease of 28.2 percent (P1,848.5 million), from P6, 562.3 million recorded during May 2015 to P4, 713.8 million recorded during the reference month. The decrease in import value in this case is mainly due to the low value of diamond imports for aggregation during the current period.

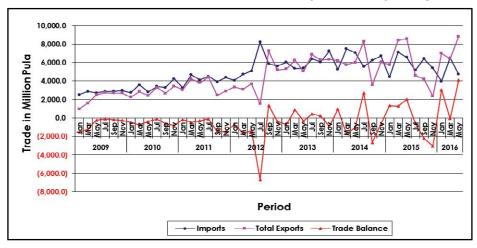
1.3 Total Exports

In May 2016, total exports were valued at P8, 814.4 million, showing an increase of 9.2 percent (P740.9 million) from the April 2016 revised value of P8, 073.5 million. The increase is mainly due to increase in exports of Diamonds which recorded an increase of 9.9 percent (P715.2 million) from P7, 251.1 million recorded during April 2016 to P7, 966.3 million during the month under review. Comparison of May 2016 total exports value to that of May 2015 shows an increase of 2.7 percent (P230.3 million) from P8, 584.1 million recorded during May 2015 to P8, 814.4 million recorded during May 2016.

1.4 Trade Balance

May 2016 shows a trade surplus of P4, 100.6 million, which was influenced by the high value of diamond exports while imports of the same commodity recorded a low value.

Chart 1.1: Total International Merchandise Trade - January 2009 to May 2016 (Million PULA)



2.0 TRADE BY PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Principal commodity groups refer to selections of related commodities grouped together to form major groups. Commodities forming a group may be of related chapters, for example; "Machinery & Electrical Equipment" which combines machines and electrical appliances; "Vehicles & Transport Equipment" which combines vehicles and other equipment used for transport purposes.

In some cases it becomes challenging to come up with further groups of related chapters or commodities. This occurs when commodity groups' contributions to the total remain minimal. In such cases, the commodities are grouped together under the general category called "Other".

2.1 Principal Imports

Imports by Principal Commodity Groups together with associated percentage distributions, appear on **Table 2.1**, covering January 2012 to May 2016. Percentage distributions are however only shown for totals of 2014, 2015 as well as for April and May 2016. **Chart 2.1** gives graphical presentation of Principal Import Commodity groups for May 2016 only.

Composition of imports by principal commodities for May 2016 shows that Fuel contributed the most to total imports (P4, 713.8 million), with 21.7 percent (P1, 022.5 million), followed by Machinery & Electrical Equipment with 16.1 percent (P759.3 million) and Diamonds with 13.5 percent (P638.4 million). Food Beverages & Tobacco contributed 11.6 percent (P548.8 million) while Chemicals & Rubber Products made a contribution of 10.1 percent (P475.2 million) to total imports during the month under review. Percentage distributions for other commodity groups during May 2016 can be viewed on **Table 2.1** and **Chart 2.1**.

Note: Other Goods include all Other Goods not specified as in Table 2.1

2.2 Principal Exports

May 2016 total exports were valued at P8, 814.4 million, with 90.4 percent (P7, 966.3 million) attributed to exports of Diamonds. These exports consist of diamonds from diamond polishing companies as well as those from the aggregation process.

Copper Nickel and Machinery & Electrical Equipment contributed 2.9 percent (P258.6 million) and 2.2 percent (P190.4 million) respectively, to total exports during the month under review.

Percentage distributions for major export groups can be observed on **Table 2.2**, while **Chart 2.2** gives graphical presentation for May 2016 only. Total exports discussed here are the sum of domestic exports and re-exports.

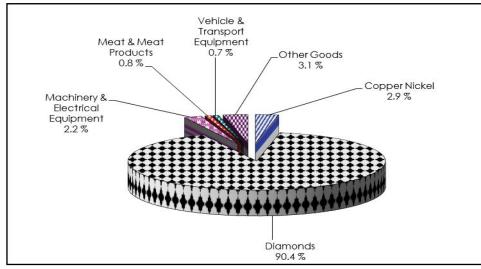


Chart 2.2: Principal Exports Composition – May 2016

Note: Other Goods: include all Other Goods not specified as in Table 2.2

3.0 TRADE BY REGION AND MAJOR PARTNERS

Direction of trade gives imports by source while exports are presented by last known destination. Only major trading partners are considered individually, while smaller trading partners are grouped together under a general category. Data for the most recent twelve months appear on Table 3.1A for imports and Table 3.2A for exports, while data by region, major trading partners and principal commodities for imports and exports, during May 2016 only, appear on Table 3.1B & Table 3.2B respectively.

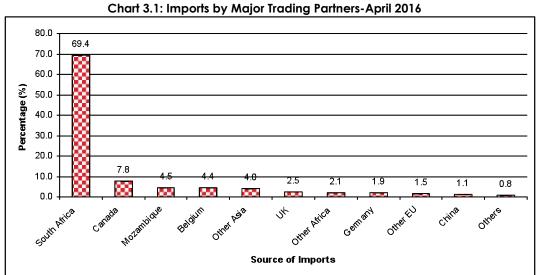
3.1 Imports by Region and Major Trading Partners

Imports for May 2016 were valued at P4, 713.8 million, with South Africa contributing 69.4 percent (P3, 272.7 million), while Mozambique contributed 4.5 percent (P213. 8 million) to the monthly total.

During the month under review, the European Union (EU) supplied imports valued at P486.4 million, accounting for 10.3 percent of total imports. The main supplier of imports from this region was Belgium with 4.4 percent (P207.3 million), while United Kingdom and Germany respectively supplied 2.5 percent (P116.6 million) and 1.9 percent (P91.8 million) of total imports during the same period.

Asia as a region, supplied imports valued at P241.2 million, representing 5.1 percent of total imports during May 2016, with China alone supplying 1.1 percent (P51.8 million) while other countries supplied imports under one percent of total imports during the month under review.

Canada supplied 7.8 percent (P369.1 million) of total imports during the same period. Imports at regional and country level (for major trading partners) are presented on Table 3.1A; however, percentage distributions do not form part of this table. Chart 3.1 gives the graphical presentation of major trading partners during May 2016 only.



3.2 Exports by Region and Major Trading Partners

Total exports for May 2016 were valued at P8, 814.4 million, with 27.2 percent (P2, 397.5 million) destined to Africa. South Africa and Namibia respectively, received 13.1 percent (P1, 158.8 million) and 12.9 percent (P1, 136.7 million) of total exports during the month under review.

Asia received exports valued at P4, 098.6 million, representing 46.5 percent of total exports (P8,814.4 million) during May 2016. The United Arab Emirates (UAE) and India respectively, received 18.2 percent (P1, 602.1 million) and 15.4 percent (P1, 357.4 million) of total exports during the month under review. Israel and Singapore respectively received 5.7 percent (P500.5 million) and 5.2 percent (P457.3 million) of total exports during the same period.

Exports destined to the **EU** were valued at P1, 526.7 million, representing 17.3 percent of total exports during the period under review. Belgium received most exports destined to **EU**, having received 16.9 percent (P1, 492.2 million) of total exports during May 2016.

Other countries that received significant exports from Botswana during the month under review include Canada, the United States of America **(USA)** and Switzerland, having respectively received 4.4 percent (P389.9 million), 1.7 percent (P152.2 million) and 1.6 percent (P142.8 million) of total exports.

Other destinations for exports can be observed on **Table 3.2A**. However, percentage distributions do not form part of the table. **Chart 3.2** gives the graphical presentation of major trading partners for May 2016 only.

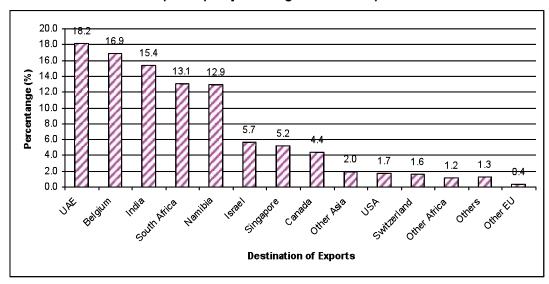


Chart 3.2: Exports by Major Trading Partners – May 2016

4.0 ANNEXURE

Table 1: Total Merchandise Trade - January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

Period/ Flow Type	Imports CIF	Imports FOB	Freight	Insurance	Re-Export	Domestic Export	Total Ex- ports	Trade Bal- ance
Jan_2012	4,070.0	3,860.3	208.1	1.7	110.9	3,243.3	3,354.3	(715.7)
Feb	4,301.7	4,082.7	218.2	0.8	154.4	3,492.6	3,647.0	(654.7)
Mar	4,730.3	4,477.3	251.8	1.2	153.6	2,943.8	3,097.3	(1,633.0)
Q1	13,102.0	12,420.2	678.1	3.7	418.9	9,679.7	10,098.6	(3,003.4)
Apr	3,644.5	3,441.6	201.9	1.0	60.3	2,368.2	2,428.6	(1,215.9)
May	5,095.7	4,849.7	245.0	1.1	134.4	3,552.2	3,686.6	(1,409.1)
June	4,427.4	4,195.4	231.2	0.8	40.2	3,913.5	3,953.7	(473.7)
Q2	13,167.6	12,486.6	678.1	2.9	234.9	9,833.9	10,068.9	(3,098.7)
Jul	8,208.0	7,991.4	215.6	1.0	82.9	1,442.4	1,525.3	(6,682.8)
Aug	5,785.4	5,527.2	256.9	1.4	83.8	4,667.1	4,750.9	(1,034.5)
Sep	5,873.6	5,650.7	221.8	1.2	78.6	7,160.7	7,239.3	1,365.6
Q3	19,867.1	19,169.3	694.3	3.5	245.3	13,270.1	13,515.5	(6,351.6)
Oct	6,059.4	5,794.4	263.9	1.1	74.1	4,878.5	4,952.5	(1,106.9)
Nov	5,610.3	5,352.8	256.0	1.6	111.7	5,108.9	5,220.6	(389.7)
Dec	4,307.0	4,118.9	186.7	1.4	24.8	2,034.1	2,058.9	(2,248.1)
Q4	15,976.7	15,266.1	706.5	4.0	210.5	12,021.5	12,232.0	(3,744.7)
Total 2012	62,113.4	59,342.3	2,757.0	14.1	1,109.7	44,805.2	45,914.9	(16,198.5)
Jan_2013	6,032.2	5,792.5	238.8	0.9	56.5	5,242.6	5,299.0	(733.2)
Feb	4,537.0	4,310.4	225.7	0.8	63.9	5,284.7	5,348.6	811.6
Mar	5,360.0	5,137.7	221.5	0.8	128.8	6,113.2	6,242.0	882.0
Q1	15,929.2	15,240.7	686.0	2.6	249.1	16,640.5	16,889.6	960.4
Apr	6,278.0	6,056.6	220.3	1.1	81.9	6,546.2	6,628.1	350.1
May	5,395.6	5,163.8	230.5	1.3	76.4	4,990.6	5,067.0	(328.6)
June	5,822.2	5,610.5	210.8	0.9	176.7	2,770.0	2,946.7	(2,875.4)
Q2	17,495.8	16,830.8	661.6	3.3	335.0	14,306.8	14,641.8	(2,853.9)
Jul	6,404.7	6,176.7	226.7	1.3	152.0	6,697.1	6,849.1	444.4
Aug	4,976.3	4,738.2	236.8	1.3	153.9	6,313.4	6,467.3	1,491.0
Sep	6,047.7	5,798.4	247.9	1.4	163.7	6,108.6	6,272.3	224.6
Q3	17,428.7	16,713.2	711.5	4.0	469.5	19,119.1	19,588.7	2,159.9
Oct	8,083.9	7,810.0	271.8	2.1	162.5	2,151.4	2,313.9	(5,770.0)
Nov	7,256.1	6,991.5	262.8	1.8	197.3	6,148.4	6,345.7	(910.4)
Dec	4,023.4	3,699.9	322.5	1.0	241.9	6,381.2	6,623.0	2,599.6
Q4	19,363.3	18,501.4	857.1	4.8	601.7	14,680.9	15,282.6	(4,080.7)
Total 2013	70,217.0	67,286.2					66,402.7	
			2,916.1	14.7	1,655.3	64,747.4		(3,814.3)
Jan_2014	5,264.6 5,400.3	4,989.4 5,196.6	274.3	0.9	83.4 197.2	6,127.2	6,210.6 5,199.2	946.1
Feb			202.4	1.3		5,002.0		(201.1)
Mar	7,481.2	7,282.7	197.6	0.9	121.2	5,648.0	5,769.2	(1,711.9)
Q1	18,146.0	17,468.6	674.2	3.2	401.8	16,777.2	17,179.0	(967.0)
Apr	5,611.3	5,386.6	223.3	1.4	151.2	6,736.5	6,887.6	1,276.4
May	7,079.5	6,846.1	232.5	0.9	114.5	5,896.8	6,011.3	(1,068.2)
June	5,841.3	5,629.8	210.6	0.9	226.2	7,917.9	8,144.1	2,302.8
Q2	18,532.1	17,862.4	666.5	3.2	491.8	20,551.2	21,043.0	2,510.9
Jul	5,544.5	5,310.6	232.0	1.9	124.7	8,137.2	8,261.9	2,717.4
Aug	6,098.4	5,863.4	234.0	0.9	124.5	7,829.5	7,953.9	1,855.6
Sep	6,259.3	6,026.7	231.4	1.3	175.8	3,417.2	3,593.0	(2,666.3)
Q3	17,902.2	17,200.7	697.4	4.1	424.9	19,383.9	19,808.8	1,906.6
Oct	6,707.4	6,454.4	251.4	1.5	130.5	6,417.5	6,548.0	(159.4)
Nov	6,702.8	6,453.8	248.0	1.0	247.7	5,784.8	6,032.6	(670.2)
Dec	4,426.2	4,175.9	249.4	0.9	254.5	5,345.6	5,600.0	1,173.9
Q4	17,836.3	17,084.1	748.8	3.4	632.6	17,547.9	18,180.6	344.2
Total 2014	72,416.6	69,615.8	2,786.9	13.9	1,951.1	74,260.3	76,211.4	3,794.9

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Table 1 Cont'd: Total Merchandise Trade - January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

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Period/ Flow Type	Imports CIF	Imports FOB	Freight	Insurance	Re-Export	Domestic Export	Total Exports	Trade Balance
Jan_2015	4,438.3	4,224.1	212.9	1.2	1,525.9	4,253.5	5,779.4	1,341.1
Feb	6,707.5	6,490.2	216.6	0.7	195.7	5,098.1	5,293.7	(1,413.8)
Mar	7,119.3	6,859.9	258.5	1.0	261.2	8,145.4	8,406.6	1,287.3
Q1	18,265.1	17,574.2	688.0	2.9	1,982.8	17,497.0	19,479.8	1,214.6
Apr	5,582.0	5,357.9	223.6	0.5	726.8	3,058.3	3,785.1	(1,796.9)
May	6,562.3	6,326.3	235.2	0.9	154.9	8,429.3	8,584.1	2,021.8
June	7,615.2	7,351.6	262.2	1.4	272.7	7,131.0	7,403.7	(211.5)
Q2	19,759.5	19,035.7	721.1	2.8	1,154.3	18,618.6	19,772.9	13.4
Jul	5,149.8	4,903.9	245.1	0.9	244.2	4,350.6	4,594.8	(555.1)
Aug	6,500.9	6,252.8	247.0	1.1	277.1	2,754.2	3,031.3	(3,469.7)
Sep	6,426.1	6,188.5	236.8	0.8	253.3	3,952.3	4,205.6	(2,220.5)
Q3	18,076.9	17,345.3	728.9	2.7	774.6	11,057.1	11,831.7	(6,245.2)
Oct	5,264.9	5,002.5	261.2	1.1	144.6	4,578.2	4,722.7	(542.1)
Nov	5,400.0	5,141.2	257.5	1.4	169.7	2,172.1	2,341.8	(3,058.2)
Dec	6,402.9	6,149.6	252.4	0.9	396.6	4,899.6	5,296.2	(1,106.7)
Q4	17,067.8	16,293.3	771.1	3.4	710.8	11,649.8	12,360.7	(4,707.1)
Total 2015	73,169.3	70,248.4	2,909.1	11.9	4,622.5	58,822.5	63,445.1	(9,724.3)
Jan_2016	3,964.7	3,770.0	193.9	0.8	118.0	6,894.2	7,012.2	3,047.5
Feb	5,911.1	5,695.4	215.0	0.7	149.5	6,284.8	6,434.4	523.3
Mar	6,490.6	6,230.0	259.8	0.9	162.0	6,266.1	6,428.1	(62.5)
Q1	16,366.4	15,695.3	668.7	2.4	429.5	19,445.1	19,874.6	3,508.2
Apr	6,403.2	6,157.5	244.1	1.6	221.6	7,851.9	8,073.5	1,670.3
Мау	4,713.8	4,478.6	234.3	0.8	177.0	8,637.5	8,814.4	4,100.6

Table 2.1: Principal Import Commodity Groups - January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

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Jan_2012	400.1	881.9	398.8	752.3	32.4	684.8	254.2	46.6	118.0	270.9	112.3	117.7	4,070.0
Feb	425.2	721.5	442.6	841.3	38.7	656.0	285.2	55.6	152.1	380.0	127.7	175.8	4,301.7
Mar	497.1	131.8	596.7	978.7	40.8	1,199.1	259.2	53.1	164.1	502.3	134.6	172.8	4,730.3
Q1	1,322.4	1,735.2	1,438.1	2,572.4	111.9	2,539.9	798.6	155.4	434.2	1,153.2	374.6	466.3	13,102.0
Apr	364.9	148.6	412.3	726.7	53.3	784.8	219.5	47.0	172.7	501.8	107.9	104.9	3,644.5
May	439.7	1,205.9	492.0	920.1	48.2	806.7	259.1	59.5	154.4	457.3	114.3	138.5	5,095.7
June	490.5	647.7	452.9	852.0	49.6	764.7	228.0	54.1	128.2	493.3	113.7	152.5	4,427.4
Q2	1,295.1	2,002.3	1,357.3	2,498.9	151.2	2,356.2	706.6	160.7	455.3	1,452.4	335.9	395.9	13,167.6
Jul	412.2	4,851.6	492.2	751.1	51.9	547.8	233.7	62.1	132.6	420.0	119.2	133.7	8,208.0
Aug	476.0	1,768.1	558.2	1,024.0	55.1	712.5	248.7	63.5	166.5	439.7	135.0	138.0	5,785.4
Sep	445.4	1,919.3	516.7	892.8	42.7	1,012.8	236.1	45.7	153.9	362.4	116.2	129.6	5,873.6
Q3	1,333.6	8,539.1	1,567.0	2,667.9	149.8	2,273.1	718.5	171.2	453.0	1,222.1	370.4	401.3	19,867.1
Oct	509.4	1,580.4	666.5	937.3	54.2	701.8	234.8	53.5	204.8	846.6	152.3	117.7	6,059.4
Nov	573.4	1,392.5	629.7	724.8	85.3	701.8	270.8	110.0	213.3	610.4	140.8	157.5	5,610.3
Dec	409.1	1,263.0	473.3	605.8	41.7	524.9	192.8	104.0	136.8	330.9	113.0	111.7	4,307.0
Q4	1,491.9	4,235.8	1,769.5	2,267.9	181.3	1,928.6	698.4	267.6	554.9	1,787.9	406.0	386.9	15,976.7
Total 2012	5,443.0	16,512.4	6,131.9	10,007.0	594.1	9,097.8	2,922.1	754.9	1,897.4	5,615.5	1,486.9	1,650.4	62,113.4
Jan_2013	389.5	2,351.6	513.0	1,083.1	47.6	518.3	211.5	126.2	106.5	483.2	100.0	101.6	6,032.2
Feb	430.9	939.3	517.7	1,012.0	49.3	483.6	299.2	59.7	131.9	405.1	106.3	102.0	4,537.0
Mar	436.2	1,752.1	494.4	977.4	45.4	554.4	230.1	134.5	171.6	347.4	109.3	107.2	5,360.0
Q1	1,256.6	5,043.0	1,525.1	3,072.5	142.3	1,556.4	740.8	320.4	410.0	1,235.7	315.6	310.8	15,929.2
Apr	439.8	2,442.4	474.0	750.4	44.1	822.8	259.2	128.8	157.5	495.2	117.0	147.0	6,278.0
May	461.0	1,621.4	514.5	828.5	54.2	635.7	231.8	50.3	183.7	547.8	117.3	149.2	5,395.6
June	435.0	2,478.6	442.3	741.9	50.7	558.2	230.8	52.4	127.4	461.8	109.7	133.3	5,822.2
Q2	1,335.8	6,542.3	1,430.7	2,320.8	149.0	2,016.7	721.8	231.6	468.6	1,504.9	344.0	429.5	17,495.8
Jul	535.1	2,669.0	520.7	849.8	55.1	681.8	263.7	58.3	152.9	357.7	124.7	135.9	6,404.7
Aug	482.5	1,176.6	562.0	949.5	49.9	650.7	252.6	61.5	158.8	364.0	132.1	136.2	4,976.3
Sep	450.4	2,197.7	530.6	1,005.5	47.2	625.8	240.9	187.2	161.1	361.2	128.8	111.4	6,047.7
Q3	1,467.9	6,043.2	1,613.3	2,804.8	152.1	1,958.3	757.2	307.0	472.8	1,082.8	385.7	383.5	17,428.7
Oct	686.6	3,550.2	662.3	1,014.0	61.8	784.3	253.4	131.7	212.7	451.6	132.4	142.7	8,083.9
Nov	604.2	3,182.8	602.7	726.8	59.3	694.7	274.9	102.4	202.5	514.0	135.5	156.2	7,256.1
Dec	471.4	144.8	559.1	926.4	48.8	562.8	277.1	97.3	134.1	344.5	121.3	335.8	4,023.4
Q4	1,762.2	6,877.8	1,824.1	2,667.2	170.0	2,041.9	805.4	331.4	549.3	1,310.1	389.2	634.7	19,363.3
Total 2013	5,822.6	24,506.4	6,393.2	10,865.3	613.4	7,573.3	3,025.3	1,190.3	1,900.7	5,133.4	1,434.4	1,758.6	70,217.0
Jan_2014	454.2	1,922.2	503.5	724.7	30.0	610.9	180.2	68.5	105.5	451.7	92.2	121.1	5,264.6
Feb	528.7	1,807.5	514.6	748.7	46.2	721.9	211.2	47.8	132.1	390.2	119.3	132.2	5,400.3
Mar	423.2	3,739.5	489.2	1,045.4	48.5	613.7	212.8	44.1	158.0	471.5	109.5	125.8	7,481.2
Q1	1,406.0	7,469.1	1,507.3	2,518.8	124.7	1,946.4	604.1	160.3	395.6	1,313.5	321.1	379.1	18,146.0
Apr	420.9	1,796.8	476.4	1,182.8	39.6	611.3	206.4	47.9	198.0	403.7	99.4	128.0	5,611.3

Table 2.1 Cont'd: Principal Import Commodity Groups - January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

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Period \ HS	Chemicals & Rubber Products	Diamonds	Food Beverages & Tobacco	Fuel	Furniture	Machinery & Electrical Equipment	Metals & Metal Products	Salt Ores & Related Products	Textiles & Footwear	Vehicles & Transport Equipment	Wood & Paper Products	Other Goods	Total
May	534.3	2,619.6	517.6	738.0	52.0	731.8	247.9	227.9	166.1	469.9	112.6	144.7	6,562.3
June	632.2	3,399.6	538.7	761.5	67.1	945.2	268.7	199.2	132.7	384.7	116.3	169.4	7,615.2
Q2	1,316.8	7,382.7	1,417.6	2,801.2	145.7	1,805.1	672.4	165.4	504.5	1,528.9	331.7	460.1	18,532.1
Jul	471.4	1,543.9	558.4	1,067.7	59.2	700.3	194.9	78.7	184.3	424.1	138.0	123.7	5,544.5
Aug	508.1	2,229.6	532.3	756.4	55.9	694.7	267.7	66.2	168.8	532.7	143.6	142.3	6,098.4
Sep	518.1	2,186.8	540.9	885.5	58.3	782.3	276.5	61.4	204.5	445.4	141.2	158.5	6,259.3
Q3	1,497.6	5,960.3	1,631.6	2,709.6	173.5	2,177.4	739.0	206.2	557.6	1,402.2	422.8	424.5	17,902.2
Oct	548.7	2,394.8	619.2	810.9	84.3	867.1	298.1	49.1	229.8	478.3	149.8	177.4	6,707.4
Nov	588.3	2,421.8	587.2	942.4	71.9	734.6	277.1	64.6	203.9	482.1	147.8	181.1	6,702.8
Dec	512.7	350.7	523.5	1,111.2	61.2	720.5	210.9	80.9	155.2	432.4	125.4	141.5	4,426.2
Q4	1,649.7	5,167.2	1,730.0	2,864.5	217.3	2,322.2	786.2	194.5	588.9	1,392.8	423.0	500.0	17,836.3
Total 2014	5,870.1	25,979.3	6,286.5	10,894.0	661.2	8,251.1	2,801.7	726.5	2,046.6	5,637.4	1,498.5	1,763.8	72,416.6
Jan_2015	446.9	855.2	600.7	728.7	41.8	601.4	171.1	302.6	117.8	351.6	110.0	110.5	4,438.3
Feb	485.0	3,069.9	508.2	618.7	58.1	657.1	225.8	354.6	153.8	346.4	115.4	114.5	6,707.5
Mar	478.4	2,693.5	516.4	1,233.0	62.3	734.0	306.2	60.4	206.9	530.5	130.5	167.3	7,119.3
Q1	1,410.3	6,618.6	1,625.3	2,580.5	162.2	1,992.4	703.2	717.6	478.5	1,228.5	355.8	392.3	18,265.1
Apr	538.9	1,901.2	507.8	606.5	43.3	682.4	217.5	153.5	214.4	479.8	112.3	124.4	5,582.0
May	534.3	2,619.6	517.6	738.0	52.0	731.8	247.9	227.9	166.1	469.9	112.6	144.7	6,562.3
June	632.2	3,399.6	538.7	761.5	67.1	945.2	268.7	199.2	132.7	384.7	116.3	169.4	7,615.2
Q2	1,705.3	7,920.4	1,564.1	2,105.9	162.4	2,359.4	734.1	580.6	513.2	1,334.4	341.1	438.5	19,759.5
Jul	485.3	1,100.6	564.4	768.0	61.6	911.5	289.2	59.0	166.3	455.2	126.0	162.9	5,149.8
Aug	538.1	2,273.8	624.8	961.4	58.9	824.2	226.0	51.1	179.1	461.1	130.6	171.8	6,500.9
Sep	617.8	2,638.5	573.2	600.4	57.9	788.2	213.3	42.4	185.4	415.7	130.9	162.4	6,426.1
Q3	1,641.2	6,012.9	1,762.4	2,329.8	178.5	2,524.0	728.5	152.5	530.8	1,332.0	387.5	497.2	18,076.9
Oct	537.5	1,098.6	666.4	849.4	72.5	821.9	241.6	59.0	216.8	388.4	133.0	179.8	5,264.9
Nov	580.1	1,226.7	686.9	628.0	65.1	753.8	260.4	81.4	268.5	534.0	132.7	182.4	5,400.0
Dec	503.3	2,354.5	715.3	616.8	50.4	753.9	238.2	206.2	165.5	510.0	125.1	163.6	6,402.9
Q4	1,620.9	4,679.9	2,068.5	2,094.3	188.0	2,329.6	740.2	346.6	650.8	1,432.4	390.8	525.8	17,067.8
Total 2015	6,377.7	25,231.7	7,020.4	9,110.4	691.1	9,205.4	2,905.9	1,797.2	2,173.3	5,327.2	1,475.3	1,853.8	73,169.3
Jan_2016	342.7	955.8	516.4	541.8	29.1	565.9	203.3	158.7	102.0	311.0	111.2	126.9	3,964.7
Feb	467.8	2,430.1	583.8	549.2	47.7	663.8	253.3	168.6	155.8	341.7	108.1	141.2	5,911.1
Mar	465.6	2,259.2	580.0	1,002.6	50.4	716.3	292.0	156.6	178.6	417.0	116.1	256.3	6,490.6
Q1	1,276.1	5,645.1	1,680.1	2,093.6	127.1	1,946.1	748.6	483.9	436.3	1,069.7	335.4	524.4	16,366.4
Apr	768.4	2,137.7	534.6	617.9	57.2	835.5	290.9	205.8	181.8	497.5	145.4	130.3	6,403.2
May	475.2	638.4	548.8	1,022.5	63.4	759.3	244.2	150.3	155.0	338.0	160.8	157.9	4,713.8
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2014	8.1	35.9	8.7	15.0	0.9	11.4	3.9	1.0	2.8	7.8	2.1	2.4	100.0
2015 Apr_2016	8.7 12.0	34.5 33.4	9.6 8.3	12.5 9.7	0.9 0.9	12.6 13.0	4.0 4.5	2.5 3.2	3.0 2.8	7.3 7.8	2.0 2.3	2.5 2.0	100.0 100.0
May_2016	10.1	13.5	11.6	21.7	1.3	16.1	5.2	3.2	3.3	7.2	3.4	3.3	100.0
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Table 2.2: Principal Export Commodity Groups – January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

Table 2.2:	Principa	II Export	Commo	aity Gr	oups – J	anuary 2	2012 to N	iay 2016	(Willio	on Pula)			
Period/HS	Copper Nickel	Diamonds	Gold	Hides & Skins	Iron Steel & Related Products	Machinery & Electrical Equipment	Meat & Meat Products	Plastic & Plastic Products	Salt & Soda Ash	Texfiles	Vehicles & Transport Equipment	Other Goods	Total
Jan_2012	335.7	2,465.6		2.2	13.3	57.2	21.9	15.0	41.6	138.0	129.5	82.1	3,354.3
Feb	292.8	2,790.9		6.0	22.7	95.7	24.5	27.3	31.9	129.6	50.7	92.0	3,647.0
Mar	438.6	2,173.4		3.6	22.0	73.8	56.0	21.1	35.1	65.4	56.7	92.6	3,097.3
Q1	1,067.1	7,429.8		11.7	58.0	226.7	102.4	63.3	108.7	333.0	236.8	266.7	10,098.6
Apr	310.8	1,665.4		5.4	18.7	90.5	47.3	17.2	28.7	31.8	64.2	86.3	2,428.6
May	245.3	2,921.8		8.1	21.9	95.4	47.1	19.1	25.7	26.0	54.8	136.6	3,686.6
June	283.6	3,208.9		7.3	27.1	90.6	47.8	20.1	33.6	23.1	58.1	109.8	3,953.7
Q2	839.7	7,796.2	190.7	20.9	67.7	276.5	142.1	56.3	88.1	80.9	177.1	332.7	10,068.9
Jul	395.9	579.1	40.0	1.9	25.1	69.6	42.2	18.3	48.7	34.5	163.4	106.7	1,525.3
Aug	187.1	3,973.0	68.9	5.8	26.8	94.9	93.9	25.2	49.8	36.1	68.7	120.7	4,750.9
Sep	106.6	6,616.4	38.2	5.4	95.8	94.8	26.1	24.7	42.9	31.5	49.4	107.4	7,239.3
Q3	689.6	11,168.6	147.2	13.1	147.7	259.3	162.1	68.3	141.4	102.1	281.5	334.8	13,515.5
Oct	202.6	4,266.6	34.2	5.6	22.8	94.3	29.4	23.4	37.4	32.2	83.2	120.9	4,952.5
Nov	409.0	4,344.1	44.8	5.2	29.0	101.8	37.1	22.4	38.4	34.7	63.3	90.8	5,220.6
Dec	440.9	1,137.8	30.9	6.5	14.2	75.9	37.9	13.0	37.7	34.5	150.7	79.0	2,058.9
Q4	1,052.5	9,748.4		17.3	66.0	272.0	104.4	58.8	113.5	101.5	297.2	290.7	12,232.0
Total 2012	3,648.9	36,143.0		63.0	339.3	1,034.5	511.0	246.7	451.6	617.4	992.6	1,224.9	45,914.9
Jan_2013	413.5	4,461.5		5.0	15.6	105.2	34.8	19.2	41.4	24.2	65.1	74.7	5,299.0
Feb	258.4	4,532.1	27.8	2.0	19.3	103.9	31.1	19.5	34.5	26.7	99.8	193.6	5,348.6
Mar	457.3	5,292.3		3.9	20.1	133.5	81.4	18.4	45.3	31.1	52.1	77.4	6,242.0
Q1	1,129.2	14,285.9		10.9	55.0	342.5	147.3	57.1	121.2	82.0	217.0	345.8	16,889.6
Apr	441.4	5,668.7		6.2	20.2	98.2	121.3	20.7	43.3	21.6	40.6	107.8	6,628.1
May	473.4	4,089.2		8.7	18.8	98.9	105.3	20.3	37.0	28.7	53.4	98.6	5,067.0
June	461.0	1,948.3		11.3	17.7	98.8	137.6	17.4	36.8	26.4	59.7	88.6	2,946.7
Q2	1,375.8	11,706.2		26.2	56.7	295.9	364.2	58.4	117.1	76.6	153.8	295.0	14,641.8
Jul	452.9	5,871.3	32.0	8.0	24.3	99.1	119.3	16.6	43.9	48.0	43.0	90.6	6,849.1
Aug	360.9	5,556.8	43.6	15.1	19.1	104.5	119.9	22.9	45.4	34.0	45.5	99.6	6,467.3
Sep	429.2	5,365.1	45.9	7.4	19.4	64.3	99.1	21.7	47.6	31.4	40.5	100.7	6,272.3
Q3	1,243.0	16,793.2	121.5	30.5	62.7	267.8	338.3	61.3	136.9	113.5	129.0	291.0	19,588.7
Oct	356.7	1,421.6	35.7	9.6	32.9	108.1	88.6	23.1	34.3	33.3	50.9	119.1	2,313.9
Nov	289.9	5,542.4	43.2	5.3	28.3	100.9	61.1	26.2	41.2	30.7	61.6	115.0	6,345.7
Dec	352.3	5,617.8	59.1	7.9	231.7	73.4	41.3	16.0	48.5	30.3	47.9	96.7	6,623.0
Q4	998.9	12,581.8	137.9	22.7	292.9	282.5	191.0	65.3	124.0	94.3	160.4	330.8	15,282.6
Total 2013	4,746.9	55,367.2	471.1	90.4	467.2	1,188.8	1,040.8	242.0	499.2	366.4	660.2	1,262.5	66,402.7
Jan_2014	412.9	5,455.0	33.2	7.4	25.6	56.2	22.3	19.6	41.9	25.8	38.9	71.9	6,210.6
Feb	276.4	4,458.8	42.2	5.5	39.8	71.5	48.0	17.8	46.0	33.0	64.0	96.0	5,199.2
Mar	216.7	5,127.8	32.7	3.0	44.7	70.3	30.1	19.6	48.9	23.7	50.0	101.7	5,769.2
Q1	906.0	15,041.6	108.1	15.9	110.2	198.0	100.4	56.9	136.8	82.5	153.0	269.6	17,179.0
Apr	257.1	6,105.8	36.6	4.7	37.9	103.7	40.8	16.6	40.5	30.9	118.7	94.3	6,887.6
May	468.7	4,965.4	49.1	8.4	28.6	127.4	96.8	22.8	51.7	34.6	35.9	121.5	6,011.3
June	405.7	7,194.9	23.6	10.6	25.3	125.0	120.0	24.4	53.3	24.4	41.6	95.3	8,144.1
Q2	1,131.5	18,266.1	109.3	23.8	91.9	356.1	257.6	63.9	145.5	89.9	196.2	311.1	21,043.0
Jul	133.3	7,486.4	20.5	8.7	24.1	136.7	135.3	26.5	47.2	38.6	42.4	162.2	8,261.9
Aug	250.7	7,132.4	34.3	5.9	32.9	106.8	105.5	27.6	43.6	45.2	39.9	129.1	7,953.9
Sep	569.2	2,347.9	28.7	9.0	27.9	189.5	139.7	31.7	51.4	25.6	47.3	125.0	3,593.0
Q3	953.2	16,966.6	83.6	23.5	85.0	433.0	380.5	85.9	142.1	109.4	129.7	416.3	19,808.8
Oct	585.0	5,299.9	21.0	11.6	26.4	202.3	125.2	29.0	57.5	35.7	49.7	104.7	6,548.0
Nov	458.9	4,974.1	24.5	4.5	22.4	175.5	105.2	34.5	59.6	30.5	29.4	113.4	6,032.6
Dec	357.2	4,779.7	26.9	6.3	21.0	77.8	80.5	20.7	53.7	27.7	42.0	106.5	5,600.0
Q4	1,401.0	15,053.8	72.3	22.4	69.7	455.7	310.9	84.1	170.8	94.0	121.1	324.6	18,180.6
Total 2014	4,391.7	65,328.2	373.3	85.7	356.7	1,442.7	1,049.4	290.8	595.3	375.8	600.0	1,321.7	76,211.4

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Table 2.2 Cont'd: Principal Export Commodity Groups – January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

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Period/HS	Copper Nickel	Diamonds	Gold	Hides Skins	Iron Steel & Related Products	Machinery & Electrical Equipment	Meat & Meat Products	Plastic & Plastic Products	Salt & S Ash	Textiles	Vehicles & Transport Equipment	Other Goods	Total
Jan_2015	428.9	4,860.4	20.5	7.7	18.1	120.3	46.2	20.4	70.1	18.7	84.3	83.8	5,779.4
Feb	486.1	4,231.5	19.1	6.9	22.8	164.3	67.2	26.7	53.3	26.8	47.6	141.5	5,293.7
Mar	428.7	7,385.2	22.4	8.0	25.6	168.2	90.2	33.2	11.5	40.4	85.6	107.7	8,406.6
Q1	1,343.8	16,477.1	62.0	22.7	66.6	452.7	203.5	80.3	134.9	85.8	217.4	333.0	19,479.8
Apr	448.2	2,722.8	21.1	9.8	16.9	165.9	138.0	23.3	34.1	30.1	98.6	76.4	3,785.1
May	402.1	7,530.6	36.4	8.3	20.5	221.6	111.8	24.9	42.3	39.9	57.6	88.2	8,584.1
June	458.3	6,365.0	0.0	9.9	24.2	162.0	118.3	29.3	54.2	34.4	58.0	90.1	7,403.7
Q2	1,308.5	16,618.5	57.5	28.0	61.6	549.4	368.1	77.5	130.6	104.4	214.2	254.6	19,772.9
Jul	320.7	3,687.1	24.7	10.0	17.2	168.1	138.8	28.9	57.1	30.4	27.6	84.3	4,594.8
Aug	40.2	2,362.2	30.3	2.6	15.6	184.7	108.8	25.9	56.1	35.3	71.9	97.7	3,031.3
Sep	13.9	3,559.6	31.2	5.9	25.3	218.4	91.8	28.6	56.0	22.9	45.5	106.8	4,205.6
Q3	374.8	9,608.9	86.2	18.5	58.0	571.2	339.3	83.4	169.1	88.5	144.9	288.7	11,831.7
Oct	53.0	4,123.2	13.8	7.9	15.5	175.2	82.7	22.2	53.3	26.7	34.6	114.7	4,722.7
Nov	302.2	1,446.2	36.8	9.1	20.5	187.4	75.6	27.1	52.1	33.4	58.1	93.3	2,341.8
Dec	407.5	4,456.5	11.4	4.5	20.0	67.0	104.3	15.5	53.6	34.1	31.1	90.7	5,296.2
Q4	762.7	10,025.9	61.9	21.4	55.9	429.7	262.6	64.8	159.0	94.2	123.8	298.7	12,360.7
Total 2015	3,789.8	52,730.4	267.6	90.6	242.1	2,003.1	1,173.6	305.9	593.7	372.9	700.4	1,174.9	63,445.1
Jan_2016	436.3	6,092.3	38.7	2.8	16.8	169.5	42.4	21.0	53.9	19.3	52.9	66.4	7,012.2
Feb	448.4	5,453.9	46.3	5.3	19.0	162.1	85.0	25.2	47.9	20.4	28.6	92.2	6,434.4
Mar	323.8	5,456.9	62.8	8.0	10.5	214.9	136.1	20.6	42.3	20.9	38.2	93.2	6,428.1
Q1	1,208.5	17,003.1	147.8	16.0	46.4	546.4	263.4	66.8	144.1	60.5	119.7	251.8	19,874.6
Apr	264.7	7,251.1	30.8	4.4	13.5	178.4	109.3	23.5	45.5	22.6	45.5	84.2	8,073.5
Мау	258.6	7,966.3	17.5	5.6	17.9	190.4	69.9	24.5	52.6	29.4	59.1	122.6	8,814.4
% Distributio	n												
2014	5.8	85.7	0.5	0.1	0.5	1.9	1.4	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.8	1.7	100.0
2015	6.0	83.1	0.4	0.1	0.4	3.2	1.8	0.5	0.9	0.6	1.1	1.9	100.0
Apr_2016	3.3	89.8	0.4	0.1	0.2	2.2	1.4	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.6	1.0	100.0
May_2016	2.9	90.4	0.2	0.1	0.2	2.2	8.0	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.7	1.4	100.0

Table 2.3: Diamonds Trade - January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

	Diamone			oorts				<u>, </u>	Tota	ıl Exports		
Flow Type Period \ HS	71021000	71022100	71022900	71023100	71023900	Total	71021000	71022100	71022900	71023100	71023900	Total
Jan_2012	3.2	0.0	0.0	853.2	25.5	881.9	0.0	7.7	0.0	2,250.4	207.6	2,465.6
Feb	0.0	0.0	0.0	708.7	12.8	721.5	0.0	10.2	0.0	2,302.0	478.7	2,790.9
Mar	0.0	0.0	0.0	117.0	14.8	131.8	0.0	2.3	0.0	1,690.8	480.3	2,173.4
Q1	3.2	0.0	0.0	1,678.9	53.1	1,735.2	0.0	20.1	0.0	6,243.2	1,166.5	7,429.8
Apr	0.0	0.0	0.0	94.6	54.0	148.6	0.0	3.0	0.0	1,277.2	385.3	1,665.4
May	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,175.0	31.0	1,205.9	0.0	6.0	0.0	2,342.3	573.5	2,921.8
June	7.6	0.0	0.0	581.5	58.6	647.7	1.6	5.9	0.0	2,709.2	492.2	3,208.9
Q2	7.6	0.0	0.0	1,851.1	143.6	2,002.3	1.6	14.9	0.0	6,328.7	1,451.0	7,796.2
Jul	0.0	0.0	0.0	4,821.0	30.7	4,851.6	9.3	0.0	0.0	156.7	413.1	579.1
Aug	11.8	0.5	0.0	1,700.1	55.8	1,768.1	26.8	15.0	0.0	3,431.4	499.8	3,973.0
Sep	1.4	0.3	0.0	1,890.4	27.2	1,919.3	0.0	98.4	0.0	6,143.6	374.4	6,616.4
Q3	13.2	0.7	0.0	8,411.5	113.6	8,539.1	36.1	113.5	0.0	9,731.7	1,287.3	11,168.6
Oct	0.0	0.3	0.0	1,560.4	19.6	1,580.4	0.0	36.1	0.0	3,729.6	500.9	4,266.6
Nov	8.5	0.4	0.0	1,348.5	35.1	1,392.5	0.0	13.9	0.0	3,788.7	541.4	4,344.1
Dec	0.0	0.5	0.0	1,229.1	33.3	1,263.0	0.0	1.2	0.0	695.0	441.5	1,137.8
Q4	8.5	1.2	0.0	4,138.0	88.1	4,235.8	0.0	51.3	0.0	8,213.3	1,483.8	9,748.4
Total 2012	32.5	2.0	0.0	16,079.5	398.3	16,512.4	37.7	199.8	0.0	30,516.9	5,388.6	36,143.0
Jan_2013	0.0	0.4	0.0	2,289.4	61.9	2,351.6	27.0	62.0	0.0	4,217.8	154.7	4,461.5
Feb	0.0	0.9	0.0	893.9	44.5	939.3	0.0	40.6	0.0	4,206.7	284.8	4,532.1
Mar	0.5	0.0	0.0	1,707.2	44.4	1,752.1	0.0	45.8	0.0	4,861.0	385.5	5,292.3
Q1	0.5	1.2	0.0	4,890.5	150.8	5,043.0	27.0	148.4	0.0	13,285.5	825.0	14,285.9
Apr	0.0	0.9	0.0	2,397.4	44.1	2,442.4	0.0	305.9	41.2	4,849.2	472.4	5,668.7
Мау	0.1	0.0	0.0	1,583.4	37.9	1,621.4	0.0	23.0	0.0	3,384.3	681.9	4,089.2
June	0.0	0.2	0.0	2,438.7	39.6	2,478.6	0.0	34.1	0.0	1,314.0	600.2	1,948.3
Q2	0.2	1.1	0.0	6,419.5	121.6	6,542.3	0.0	363.1	41.2	9,547.5	1,754.5	11,706.2
Jul	0.0	14.7	0.0	2,595.2	59.1	2,669.0	0.0	64.9	0.0	5,289.2	517.2	5,871.3
Aug	0.7	0.2	0.0	1,105.3	70.4	1,176.6	0.0	37.6	0.0	4,617.9	901.2	5,556.8
Sep	0.0	0.0	0.0	2,113.3	84.4	2,197.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	4,673.7	691.4	5,365.1
Q3	0.7	14.8	0.0	5,813.8	213.9	6,043.2	0.0	102.5	0.0	14,580.8	2,109.9	16,793.2
Oct	3.9	0.2	0.0	3,461.9	84.2	3,550.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	730.2	691.4	1,421.6
Nov	697.5	0.0	0.0	2,395.3	90.0	3,182.8	0.0	18.5	0.0	4,889.4	634.6	5,542.4
Dec	0.0	0.0	0.0	127.5	17.3	144.8	0.0	13.9	0.0	4,986.8	617.1	5,617.8
Q4	701.4	0.2	0.0	5,984.7	191.5	6,877.8	0.0	32.4	0.0	10,606.3	1,943.1	12,581.8
Total 2013	702.8	17.4	0.0	23,108.4	677.8	24,506.4	27.0	646.4	41.3	48,020.1	6,632.4	55,367.2
Jan_2014	0.0	0.4 0.6	0.0	1,881.6	40.2 103.2	1,922.2 1,807.5	0.0 2.9	10.1 18.0	0.0	5,290.5 3,828.5	154.4 609.4	5,455.0 4,458.8
Feb	306.5	0.8		1,703.7	145.5	3,739.5	0.0	20.7	0.0			5,127.8
Mar Q1	306.5	1.7	0.0	3,286.8 6,872.1	288.8	7,469.1	2.9	48.7	0.0	4,623.3	483.8 1,247.6	
	0.5		0.0			1,796.8	0.0		0.0	13,742.4		15,041.6 6,105.8
Apr May	0.0	0.0 5.5	0.0	1,723.4 3,074.7	73.0 116.6	3,196.8	0.0	22.1 37.6	0.0	5,567.2 4,254.0	516.5 673.9	4,965.4
June	226.9	0.4	0.0	2,128.0	33.8	2,389.1	0.0	52.0	0.0	6,374.9	768.0	7,194.9
Q2	227.4	5.9	0.0	6,926.0	223.4	7,382.7	0.0	111.7	0.0	16,196.0	1,958.4	18,266.1
Jul	330.7	0.5	0.0	1,178.9	33.8	1,543.9	18.2	39.1	0.0	6,908.5	520.5	7,486.4
Aug	761.0	0.3	0.0	1,176.7	113.6	2,229.6	0.0	53.4	0.0	6,330.7	748.0	7,400.4
Sep	392.7	0.6	0.0	1,713.1	80.4	2,186.8	5.9	6.1	0.0	1,420.4	915.5	2,347.9
Q3	1,484.3	1.1	0.0	4,247.0	227.8	5,960.3	24.2	98.6	0.3	14,659.6	2,184.0	16,966.6
Oct	694.2	0.3	0.0	1,517.4	182.9	2,394.8	0.0	20.4	0.0	4,535.9	743.7	5,299.9
Nov	556.3	1.8	0.0	1,727.9	135.7	2,421.8	0.0	36.3	0.0	4,293.2	644.6	4,974.1
Dec	216.2	0.0	0.0	101.6	32.8	350.7	0.0	44.6	0.0	4,138.5	596.6	4,779.7
Q4	1,466.7	2.1	0.0	3,347.0	351.4	5,167.2	0.0	101.3	0.0	12,967.6	1,984.9	15,053.8
Q4												

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Table 2.3 Cont'd: Diamonds Trade - January 2012 to May 2016 (Million Pula)

			Imp	orts					Tota	ıl Exports		
Flow Type Period \ HS	71021000	71022100	71022900	71023100	71023900	Total	71021000	71022100	71022900	71023100	71023900	Total
Jan_2015	200.4	0.3	0.0	584.7	69.8	855.2	21.7	19.5	0.0	4,639.2	180.0	4,860.4
Feb	649.9	0.4	0.0	2,315.6	104.0	3,069.9	0.8	17.5	0.0	3,647.6	565.6	4,231.5
Mar	285.5	0.4	0.2	2,328.7	78.7	2,693.5	0.0	30.4	0.3	6,908.0	446.5	7,385.2
Q1	1,135.8	1.0	0.2	5,229.0	252.6	6,618.6	22.5	67.3	0.3	15,194.8	1,192.1	16,477.1
Apr	437.0	0.2	0.0	1,419.4	44.5	1,901.2	0.0	20.1	0.0	2,385.3	317.4	2,722.8
May	240.3	0.4	0.0	2,281.6	97.3	2,619.6	0.0	31.0	0.0	7,001.3	498.4	7,530.6
June	263.0	1,203.8	0.1	1,838.8	93.9	3,399.6	0.0	125.9	0.0	5,796.5	442.6	6,365.0
Q2	940.3	1,204.4	0.1	5,539.8	235.8	7,920.4	0.0	176.9	0.0	15,183.1	1,258.5	16,618.5
Jul	661.0	0.0	0.0	292.9	146.6	1,100.6	49.0	18.9	0.0	3,271.9	347.4	3,687.1
Aug	245.9	0.4	0.2	2,007.4	20.0	2,273.8	0.0	4.2	0.0	1,946.0	412.0	2,362.2
Sep	616.5	0.0	0.1	1,969.6	52.2	2,638.5	0.0	15.5	0.0	3,181.0	363.1	3,559.6
Q3	1,523.4	0.4	0.3	4,269.9	218.8	6,012.9	49.0	38.6	0.0	8,398.9	1,122.4	9,608.9
Oct	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,034.5	64.0	1,098.6	0.0	31.0	0.0	3,781.2	311.0	4,123.2
Nov	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,159.6	67.2	1,226.7	0.0	7.4	0.0	1,172.2	266.6	1,446.2
Dec	0.0	0.6	0.1	2,324.2	29.7	2,354.5	83.6	5.0	0.0	4,074.4	293.4	4,456.5
Q4	0.0	0.6	0.1	4,518.2	160.9	4,679.9	83.6	43.4	0.0	9,027.8	871.1	10,025.9
Total 2015	3,599.5	1,206.5	0.7	19,557.0	868.1	25,231.7	155.2	326.2	0.3	47,804.6	4,444.0	52,730.4
Jan_2016	134.1	0.3	0.0	790.8	30.6	955.8	0.0	29.8	0.0	5,951.7	110.8	6,092.3
Feb	653.3	0.4	0.0	1,675.7	100.7	2,430.1	0.1	29.8	0.1	5,226.9	197.0	5,453.9
Mar	237.9	0.3	0.0	1,984.0	37.1	2,259.2	0.0	27.4	0.0	5,166.3	263.2	5,456.9
Q1	1,025.3	0.9	0.0	4,450.5	168.5	5,645.1	0.1	87.0	0.1	16,344.9	571.0	17,003.1
Apr	299.7	0.2	0.0	1,815.8	22.1	2,137.7	25.0	27.2	0.0	6,774.4	424.5	7,251.1
May	362.7	0.0	0.0	239.0	36.7	638.4	0.0	23.7	0.0	7,660.0	282.6	7,966.3

Note: 71021000:Unsorted diamonds 71022100:Industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruited 71022900:Industrial diamonds, not mounted or set, NES 71023100:Non-industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruited

Table 3.1A: Imports by Region and Partner –June 2015 to May 2016 Million

				2015						2016		
	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April)
Partner\Period												
South Africa	4,827.2	3,351.2	4,105.3	3,602.7	3,247.4	3,443.1	4,301.9	3,036.5	3,610.9	3,915.3	3,708.5	3,272.7
Namibia	1,320.4	54.1	1,043.7	1,350.7	1,001.6	1,021.3	866.4	73.1	758.0	1,180.6	1,102.7	44.1
Swaziland 	1.2	3.3	5.0	16.0	12.8	14.0	15.8	4.7	8.3	9.5	6.2	6.3
Lesotho	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.7
SACU	6,149.5	3,408.7	5,154.0	4,969.5	4,261.8	4,478.5	5,184.8	3,114.4	4,377.3	5,105.6	4,817.4	3,323.8
Mozambique	14.4	22.8	74.3	11.8	186.6	25.1	39.5	6.1	51.1	239.9	105.0	213.8
Zambia	16.7	27.3	101.0	34.6	26.3	50.9	28.3	21.7	23.7	36.6	13.9	23.4
Zimbabwe	27.9	29.0	40.4	30.9	40.1	40.7	22.3	29.4	37.9	23.4	15.0	16.6
Mauritius	4.6	8.1	1.8	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.7	2.1	0.2	0.9	2.3	0.6
Malawi	0.5	1.1	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.9	0.0	2.6	0.0	0.6	3.4	2.9
Tanzania	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.7	0.0	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3
Other SADC	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.1	1.0	0.0	0.0
SADC	6,213.7	3,497.3	5,372.5	5,050.0	4,516.4	4,597.6	5,276.0	3,176.5	4,490.3	5,407.9	4,957.2	3,581.4
Uganda	0.0	0.0	15.6 1.5	0.0	0.0 2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0 1.2	0.0 2.1	0.0	0.0
Kenya	0.7	0.1	0.4	0.8	0.3	3.1 0.2	0.3	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.2
Nigeria					0.3		0.2		0.0			
Ghana Other Africa	0.0	0.0	0.3 0.3	0.0		0.0 0.1		0.1		0.8 0.1	0.0	0.4
Other Africa Africa	6,215.0	0.4 3,498.0	5,390.6	0.2 5,051.2	0.0 4,519.0	4,601.0	1.1 5,277.8	0.1 3,177.1	0.1 4,492.1	5,411.0	0.0 4,958.2	3,582.3
	126.7	287.9					310.2	·				
Belgium Germany	57.7	207.9 54.9	325.7 72.6	114.4 106.3	220.6 61.4	161.7 140.2	51.1	129.4 64.6	126.7 76.7	126.8 56.1	71.6 177.0	207.3 91.8
UK	44.7	27.5	53.7	72.8	15.2	96.1	26.5	27.5	31.3	19.6	75.9	116.6
France	19.3	4.0	7.6	13.2	21.7	17.5	13.5	4.6	10.8	116.3	10.9	14.2
Netherlands	2.8	5.9	29.7	6.9	8.5	4.1	3.4	11.3	3.2	7.0	12.3	11.3
Italy	4.4	2.5	1.6	9.2	1.6	3.7	6.3	11.8	3.8	20.3	12.4	2.2
Sweden	12.1	11.0	4.5	0.9	11.7	2.2	4.3	1.0	0.7	0.8	5.1	17.9
Spain	1.8	1.3	5.1	9.4	0.2	0.1	1.8	4.7	5.0	5.2	0.4	9.6
Cyprus	3.5	3.2	1.9	0.0	2.9	2.5	2.1	0.0	1.6	17.3	2.3	2.0
Ireland	0.3	4.4	2.0	2.1	5.3	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.8	1.1
Denmark	0.0	0.6	5.6	1.9	0.9	1.2	0.6	11.2	2.9	0.7	0.0	0.1
Finland	0.5	1.4	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	3.7	0.1	0.0	0.8	0.1
Poland	0.6	0.4	2.5	1.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.8	1.4	0.1	1.0	10.3
Other EU	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.9	10.7	2.2	20.6	6.4	3.8	1.1	1.3	2.0
EU	275.9	406.6	515.8	340.3	360.8	432.3	441.0	278.1	268.4	371.6	372.1	486.4
China	111.6	90.7	68.9	84.6	83.2	86.8	118.1	74.8	97.4	95.3	71.8	51.8
India	134.5	34.2	72.6	87.6	36.8	25.6	38.0	59.5	46.6	81.1	421.1	31.5
Israel	101.0	70.1	27.1	48.9	26.7	30.0	11.3	20.3	128.4	88.8	59.6	30.5
Japan	34.1	45.3	36.3	33.4	35.8	35.1	33.9	29.6	29.8	29.7	42.5	35.9
UAE	13.4	165.1	40.7	11.3	16.2	8.7	7.4	6.5	9.1	13.5	8.3	22.2
Hong Kong	45.4	27.6	19.0	12.8	24.3	35.6	21.6	6.4	24.2	22.6	21.0	19.8
Russian federation	22.1	17.5	0.0	30.4	0.1	35.5	8.1	26.1	41.9	21.8	37.2	14.8
Korea	17.1	9.4	5.4	6.1	14.3	11.4	33.8	7.3	12.0	14.0	11.6	8.9
Singapore	9.6	4.2	8.1	9.5	11.1	9.3	6.2	3.7	4.4	7.2	7.6	7.6
Malaysia	1.6	1.4	2.4	5.2	3.3	3.4	3.0	6.4	2.8	8.9	4.7	4.9
Taiwan	3.0	4.8	1.9	3.6	6.3	2.8	3.6	2.7	1.4	5.3	6.2	11.0
Thailand	0.4	0.5	1.4	1.7	0.8	1.4	0.8	0.3	0.1	0.4	2.4	0.2
Other Asia	2.9	3.6	6.9	3.0	6.9	4.9	8.5	2.1	2.9	2.9	1.4	2.0
Asia	496.6	474.5	290.5	338.1	265.8	290.4	294.3	245.6	401.0	391.4	695.4	241.2
Canada	532.0	662.4	261.2	628.4	26.8	22.6	243.3	170.2	668.5	250.1	320.0	369.1

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Table 3.1A Cont'd: Imports by Region and Partner –June 2015 to May 2016

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				2015						2016		
Partner\Period	June	yloly	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	Мау
USA	51.1	65.4	20.3	50.6	65.6	35.1	64.5	42.0	45.7	46.6	49.7	26.3
Switzerland	36.1	1.6	3.3	11.9	2.2	7.8	10.8	32.5	12.6	4.9	4.3	4.5
Australia	4.4	27.3	2.0	3.8	23.9	4.6	67.2	2.2	5.8	13.5	2.7	1.2
Brazil	1.0	9.5	17.0	1.0	0.5	3.6	0.0	1.2	0.1	0.8	0.0	0.9
Others	3.2	4.6	0.1	0.9	0.3	2.5	4.0	15.9	16.8	0.7	0.9	1.9
Total	7,615.2	5,149.8	6,500.9	6,426.1	5,264.9	5,400.0	6,402.9	3,964.7	5,911.1	6,490.6	6,403.2	4,713.8

Table 3.1B: Imports by Region, Partner and Principal Commodity Groups–May 2016 (Million Pula)

Partner\HS	Chemicals & Rubber Products	Diamonds	Food Beverages & Tobacco	Fuel	Furniture	Machinery & Electrical Equipment	Metals & Metal Products	Salt Ores & Related Products	Textiles & Footwear	Vehicles & Transport Equipment	Wood & Paper Products	Other Goods	Total
South Africa	373.4	27.3	512.2	770.2	54.5	521.6	216.9	148.9	137.4	283.3	107.0	119.8	3,272.7
Namibia	1.6	0.0	6.8	30.3	0.3	0.1	1.1	1.3	0.1	1.8	0.1	0.6	44.1
Swaziland	4.7	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.1	6.3
Lesotho	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7
SACU	379.8	27.3	519.1	800.5	54.7	522.2	218.0	150.2	138.9	285.2	107.3	120.6	3,323.8
Mozambique	0.0	0.0	0.1	213.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	213.8
Zambia	0.1	0.0	2.4	5.6	0.0	1.9	11.1	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.1	0.8	23.4
Zimbabwe	0.1	0.0	4.0	2.5	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.8	7.7	0.5	16.6
Malawi	0.2	0.0	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9
Mauritius	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.6
Other SADC	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
SADC	380.3	27.3	528.3	1,022.3	54.8	524.5	229.3	150.2	139.6	287.9	115.0	121.8	3,581.4
Nigeria	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3
Ghana	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.4
Other Africa	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
Africa	380.5	27.3	528.3	1,022.3	54.8	524.6	229.3	150.2	139.8	287.9	115.0	122.2	3,582.3
Belgium	2.1	184.1	6.2	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	13.4	207.3
United Kingdom	44.8	0.0	0.4	0.0	3.0	20.2	0.4	0.0	2.0	2.1	41.2	2.5	116.6
Germany	7.8	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	72.6	4.4	0.0	1.3	0.3	0.1	3.1	91.8
France	4.6	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	7.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.1	0.7	14.2
Netherlands	2.7	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	7.7	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.4	11.3
Poland	0.0	0.0	8.7	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.3
Spain	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.6
Sweden	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17.4	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	17.9
Italy	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.4	2.2
Cyprus	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
Ireland	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	1.1
Czech Republic	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8
Other EU EU	0.0 64.9	0.0 184.1	0.0 18.1	0.0	0.0 3.5	0.9 139.3	0.0 5.0	0.0	0.0 4.0	0.0 5.0	0.2 41.7	0.1 20.8	1.4 486.4
China	7.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7	21.8	5.5	0.0	3.5	1.2	2.0	6.4	51.8
Japan	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	1.0	34.1	0.0	0.0	35.9
India	9.2	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	16.1	2.7	0.0	0.7	0.2	0.3	1.8	31.5
Israel	0.0	29.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30.5
UAE	1.3	13.3	0.2	0.2	0.0	5.3	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.4	1.0	0.3	22.2
Hong Kong	0.1	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.0	1.8	19.8
Korea	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	3.8	0.3	0.0	0.1	8.9
Russian federation	0.0	14.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.8
Taiwan	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.0	0.1	0.0	0.7	0.2	0.0	0.0	11.0
Singapore	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.6	0.0	0.0	7.6
Malaysia	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	4.9
Pakistan	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.3
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Other Asia	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.9

Table 3.1B Cont'd: Imports by Region, Partner and Principal Commodity Groups–May 2016 (Million Pula)

Partner\HS	Chemicals & Rubber Products	Diamonds	Food Beverages & Tobacco	Fuel	Furniture	Machinery & Electrical Equipment	Metals & Metal Products	Salt Ores & Related Products	Textiles & Footwear	Vehicles & Transport Equipment	Wood & Paper Products	Other Goods	Total
Canada	1.1	362.7	0.2	0.0	0.0	4.7	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	369.1
USA	0.9	6.2	0.1	0.0	0.1	11.9	1.1	0.0	0.6	1.5	0.3	3.4	26.3
Switzerland	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.2	4.5
Australia	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.2
Brazil	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.9
Others	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2	1.9
Total	475.2	638.4	548.8	1,022.5	63.4	759.3	244.2	150.3	155.0	338.0	160.8	157.9	4,713.8

Table 3.2A: Total Exports by Region and Partner – May 2015 to April 2016 (Million Pula)

Year				2015						2016		
Partner\Period	June	ylot	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	ì
South Africa	1,155.1	576.0	573.9	696.5	721.8	519.7	1,017.6	957.7	1,036.0	879.5	856.9	1,158.8
Namibia	1,261.6	148.3	314.2	462.7	738.2	174.3	870.4	1,210.9	998.0	664.3	871.5	1,136.
Swaziland	1.7	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.4	1.2	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
Lesotho	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.0
SACU	2,419.1	724.9	888.5	1,159.6	1,460.5	695.2	1,888.6	2,169.3	2,034.5	1,544.6	1,728.8	2,295.9
Zimbabwe	50.4	42.9	62.3	53.3	42.6	45.1	54.7	38.3	37.3	34.9	32.0	43.
Zambia	35.0	41.6	43.7	34.6	24.6	32.2	42.1	28.2	19.8	22.6	26.2	33.
DRC	4.1	6.1	2.6	3.8	3.0	3.1	1.7	5.0	2.4	1.0	1.9	3.8
Mozambique	1.3	1.4	1.4	3.4	0.4	4.4	1.0	0.4	0.6	1.0	3.4	7.4
Angola	0.7	4.1	2.2	2.1	1.6	1.2	2.1	2.3	4.9	2.3	3.6	1.6
Tanzania	0.5	0.6	5.2	0.7	1.4	1.0	2.0	6.1	1.7	1.1	1.0	2.7
Malawi	1.5	2.0	1.5	2.2	0.3	0.6	0.7	1.7	0.7	2.3	1.6	0.8
Other SADC	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SADC	2,512.6	824.0	1,007.4	1,259.7	1,534.3	782.9	1,992.9	2,253.0	2,102.0	1,610.0	1,798.5	2,389.4
Kenya	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.2	7.3
Liberia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Africa	2.7	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.0	1.3	1.8	0.1	0.8
Africa	2,515.3	824.8	1,007.9	1,260.2	1,534.8	783.8	1,993.5	2,253.1	2,103.6	1,612.0	1,798.7	2,397.
Belgium	1,337.7	1,014.2	734.6	826.5	1,139.2	300.9	1,128.5	1,360.1	1,294.8	841.7	1,734.6	1,492.2
Finland	67.8	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60.8	123.9	84.2	73.4	117.1	48.8	0.0
UK	33.9	60.8	35.4	15.8	10.3	29.8	18.8	18.1	19.8	34.8	82.2	11.8
Netherlands	11.4	7.8	13.0	12.6	10.6	26.5	28.2	7.4	12.4	27.9	15.2	18.7
Italy	11.6	11.1	16.9	13.6	20.1	8.4	0.0	4.4	10.1	20.0	17.5	2.1
Greece	3.7	3.6	2.8	10.6	7.5	4.5	8.4	3.7	5.4	9.9	4.5	1.8
France	4.6	1.2	0.1	1.8	0.1	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0
Spain	0.8	0.1	0.9	5.2	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.
Cyprus	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Malta	0.8	1.5	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.0
Germany	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	3.0	0.0	0.1
Sweden	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other EU	0.7	0.0	0.2	1.3	0.0	0.8	0.0	1.3	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
EU	1,475.3	1,104.8	804.0	888.2	1,188.4	432.8	1,310.6	1,488.1	1,416.9	1,057.5	1,903.0	1,526.7
India	874.6	708.5	166.7	698.5	437.9	231.2	610.5	670.8	697.2	627.1	1,366.9	1,357.4
UAE	383.7	300.9	74.1	357.8	260.7	54.5	194.4	367.4	173.6	379.8	650.8	1,602.1
Israel	348.9	259.5	240.6	198.0	176.5	92.2	179.7	393.6	354.5	290.2	617.1	500.5
Singapore	74.2	288.6	171.0	126.4	99.9	20.9	51.0	299.8	371.0	1,452.7	3.1	457.3
Hong Kong	88.2	69.1	49.3	61.9	61.2	42.5	45.6	118.4	88.8	91.1	145.3	127.9
Thailand	91.5	63.8	53.7	81.5	49.8	36.3	16.7	8.1	31.6	33.0	30.5	8.8
China	29.0	7.9	11.0	22.7	64.5	29.9	5.7	50.5	69.3	30.4	74.5	18.4
Viet-Nam	28.1	17.3	35.4	0.0	29.1	15.8	12.7	13.4	37.4	38.8	38.0	11.9
Japan	8.8	0.1	5.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.6	17.3	0.0	5.6	13.7
Russian federation	0.0	0.0	29.7	4.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Korea	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.4	0.0	0.0	4.9	0.0
Iran	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Asia	2.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	1.9	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4
Asia	1,929.3	1,715.8	837.6	1,552.6	1,179.5	523.3	1,116.4	1,956.9	1,845.4	2,943.3	2,936.9	4,098.6
Canada	742.5	0.8	147.0	249.9	437.4	85.4	381.4	589.1	553.9	318.8	401.9	389.9
Switzerland	210.5	556.5	124.1	51.7	277.3	233.8	74.5	266.6	60.2	134.3	552.1	142.8
Norway	344.9	274.5	11.1	2.0	0.0	217.6	282.9	350.4	371.5	204.7	213.5	103.2

Table 3.2A Cont'd: Total Exports by Region and Partner – May 2015 to April 2016 (Million Pula)

Year				2015						2016		
Partner\Period	June	yluly	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May
USA	185.7	116.2	99.4	179.6	105.3	64.2	136.8	108.0	82.6	157.5	264.6	152.2
Australia	0.1	0.2	0.2	21.3	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.5
Others	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.5	1.1
Total	7,403.7	4,594.8	3,031.3	4,205.6	4,722.7	2,341.8	5,296.2	7,012.2	6,434.4	6,428.1	8,073.5	8,814.4

Table 3.2B: Total Exports by Region, Partner and Principal Commodity Groups – May 2016 (Million Pula)

Period Partner\HS	Copper Nickel	Diamonds	Gold	Hides & Skins	Iron Steel & Related Products	Machinery & Electrical Equipment	Meat & Meat Products	Plastic & Plastic Products	Salt & Soda Ash	Textiles	Vehicles & Transport Equipment	Other Goods	Total
Namibia	0.0	1,115.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	4.5	0.2	1.4	0.0	0.0	6.8	8.5	1,136.7
South Africa	155.0	618.2	0.0	5.3	13.4	161.7	36.1	20.1	33.9	15.7	39.9	59.5	1,158.8
Swaziland	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.4
Lesotho	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
SACU	155.0	1,733.3	0.0	5.3	13.5	166.3	36.4	21.5	33.9	15.7	46.8	68.3	2,295.9
Zimbabwe	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.4	3.8	0.0	0.5	9.9	1.1	2.6	22.4	43.7
Zambia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	4.5	0.0	1.1	7.4	0.2	5.3	14.8	33.5
Mozambique	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	6.3	7.4
DRC	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	0.2	0.9	0.0	0.9	0.0	0.1	0.9	3.8
Tanzania	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.8	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.0	2.7
Angola	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	1.6
Malawi	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.8
Other SADC	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
SADC	155.0	1,733.3	0.0	5.3	17.8	176.4	37.3	24.0	52.6	17.0	56.3	114.4	2,389.4
Kenya	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.9	7.3
Senegal	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
Uganda	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2
Other Africa	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Africa	155.0	1,733.3	0.0	5.3	17.8	177.3	37.3	24.0	52.6	17.0	56.6	121.3	2,397.5
Belgium	0.0	1,492.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,492.2
Netherlands	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	18.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.7
United Kingdom	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	11.8
Italy	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1
Greece	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8
Other EU	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2
EU	0.0	1,493.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	32.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	1,526.7
UAE	0.0	1,599.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,602.1
India	0.4	1,337.2	17.5	0.2	0.1	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	1,357.4
Israel	0.0	500.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	500.5
Singapore	0.0	456.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	457.3
Hong Kong	0.0	127.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	127.9
China	0.0	11.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	18.4
Japan	0.0	13.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.7
Viet-Nam	0.0	11.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.9
Thailand	0.0	8.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.8
Other Asia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
Asia	0.4	4,068.1	17.5	0.2	0.1	11.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	4,098.6
Canada	0.0	389.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	389.9
USA	0.0	139.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	12.4	0.0	0.1	152.2
Switzerland	0.0	142.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	142.8
Norway	103.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	103.2
Australia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	0.0	2.5
Others	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1
Total	258.6	7,966.3	17.5	5.6	17.9	190.4	69.9	24.5	52.6	29.4	59.1	122.6	8,814.4

Table 4.1A: Top 100 Imported Commodities – April 2016 (PULA)

ank	Commodity Code	Commodity Description	Value	
	71023100	Non-industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	1,815,805,168	28
	30049090	Other medicaments	387,708,011	ć
	71021000	Unsorted diamonds	299,654,798	2
	27101230	Distillate fuel	266,739,264	4
	27101202	Petrol	242,578,980	(
	26040000	Nickel ores and concentrates	161,706,427	2
	87032390	Other vehicles of a cylinder capacity > 1500cmcb <3000cmcb NES	117,373,490	
	86050000	Railway/tramway passenger coaches, not self-propelled; luggage vans	96,484,212	
	87043190	Other motor vehicles for the transport of goods with G.V.M. < 5t NES	72,199,961	
	84314990	Other parts of boring or sinking machinery of subheading no.8430.41 or 8430.49 NES	56,439,433	
	27160000	Electrical energy	55,690,007	
	84295900	Self-propelled bulldozers, excavators,NES	41,067,668	
	73089090	Other structures of steel/iron NES	39,390,426	
	84222000	Machinery for cleaning or drying bottles or other containers	38,514,333	
	25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	37,725,495	
	10059010	Dried kernels or grains fit for human consumption, not further prepared or processed	36,143,228	
	84384000	Brewery machinery	35,675,108	
	84112200	Turbo-propellers, of a power >1100kw	32,971,062	
	73030000	Tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, of cast iron	24,112,946	
	49070010	Unused postage, revenue stamps and banking notes.	23,734,989	
	17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, NES	22,782,830	
	85171210	Designed for use when carried in the hand or on the person	22,591,015	
	84713000	Portable digital ADP machines, weight <= 10 kg, comprising CPU, keyboard & display	22,408,547	
	71023900	Non-industrial diamonds, not mounted or set, NES	22,095,352	
	87089990	Other parts and accessories of motor vehicles of heading no.87.01 to 87.05 NES	21,327,485	
	22029090	Other non-alcoholic beverages NES	18,117,912	
	85176200	Machines for reception transmission or regeneration voice image, data including switch	17,949,193	
	39041000	Polyvinyl chloride, not mixed with other substances, in primary forms	17,688,384	
	34012000	Soap in other forms, NES	16,359,265	
	39269090	Other articles of plastics and articles of other materials of heading 39.01 to 39.14 NES	15,936,154	
	44071000	Coniferous wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, >6mm thick	15,755,652	
	76149000	Stranded wire, cables of aluminum alloys, not electrically insulated	15,735,238	
	27101252	Other prepared lubricating oils	15,376,539	
	87032290	Other vehicles of cylinder capacity > 1000cmsq < 1500cmsq NES	15,375,044	
	33049990	Other, other preparations having a sun protection Factor (SPF) of 15 or more	14,773,736	
	17049000	Sugar confectionery (incl. white chocolate), not containing cocoa, NES	14,148,572	
	10059090	Other maize (corn)	13,348,490	
	40116910	Other pneumatic tyres of rubber NES	13,100,711	
	85472000	Insulating fittings of plastics for electrical machines	12,760,679	
	23099092	Other preparations containing rectopamine	12,536,795	
	73269090	Other articles of iron or steel wire NES	11,885,176	
	64059090	Other footwear of materials NES	11,780,245	
	85443000	Ignition wiring sets and other wiring sets for vehicles, aircraft	11,708,068	
	38220000	Diagnostic or lab.reagents on a backing; prepared diagnostic or lab.reagents excl. Ch 30	11,704,065	
	22060090	Other fermented beverages (e.g. cider, perry, mead)other NES	11,430,656	
	85444990	Other electric conductors for a voltage > 1000 V	11,398,653	
	31023000	Ammonium nitrate Prakes and parts thereof, of railway, lecomotives (ralling stock)	11,389,200	
	86072900	Brakes and parts thereof, of railway locomotives/rolling stock	11,232,172	
	15121910	Marketed and supplied for use in the process of cooking food	10,861,362	
	85369020	Identifiable for use or principally with motor vehicles	10,804,029	
	21039090	Other sauces & preparations thereof NES	10,786,186	
			10,689,271	

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Table 4.1A Cont'd: Top 100 Imported Commodities – April 2016 (PULA)

Rank	Commodity Code	Commodity Description	Value	%
54	11010090	Other wheat or meslin flour	10,471,867	0.2
5	30033900	Medicaments of other hormones, not for retail sale, NES	10,391,373	0.2
6	94054090	Other electric lamps and lighting fittings NES	10,037,781	0.2
57	84292000	Graders and levelers	9,895,939	0.2
8	84733000	Parts and accessories of the machines of 84.71	9,791,084	0.2
i9	15121990	Other sunflower, safflower, cotton-seed oil & fractions not chemically modified NES	9,773,849	0.2
50	87032490	Other vehicles of a cylinder capacity > 3000cm3	9,706,474	0.2
51	07019000	Other potatoes, fresh or chilled	9,567,289	0.1
32	73082010	Lattice masts for telegraph lines on electric power lines	9,537,389	0.1
53	10011900	Other wheat and meslin	9,395,979	0.1
64	84291900	Self-propelled bulldozers and angle dozers, (excl. track laying)	9,306,813	0.1
55	40101900	Conveyor belts or belting, of vulcanized rubber, NES	9,222,828	0.1
66	21069090	Other food preparations NES or included	9,209,180	0.1
67	87033390	Other vehicles of cylinder capacity > 2500cmsq NES	9,141,769	0.1
68	48191000	Cartons, boxes and cases, of corrugated paper or paperboard	9,098,713	0.1
69	23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	9,060,525	0.1
70	34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	9,002,717	0.1
71	84715000	Digital processing m/cs (excl.847141 & 847149) comprising <=2 units storage/input/output	9,000,515	0.1
72	32151900	Printing ink, whether or not concentrated or solid (excl. black)	8,988,494	0.1
73	99990100	New personal imports	8,861,361	0.1
74	87042181	Other, double-cab, of mass<2000kg or GVM <3500kg or of mass<1600kg or GVM<3500kg per chassis	8,858,255	0.1
75	85444290	Other insulated fitted with connectors	8,790,611	0.1
76	84304900	Boring or sinking machinery (excl. self-propelled	8,726,946	0.1
77	10019900	Other seed for wheat and meslin	8,551,721	0.1
78	85043400	Transformers, NES, power handling capacity >500kva	8,486,674	0.1
79	44031000	Wood in the rough, treated with paint, stains, creosote, etc.	8,458,209	0.1
30	85369090	Other elec. apparatus for switching or protecting elec. circuits NES	8,335,648	0.1
81	04031000	Yoghurt	8,282,764	0.1
32	85044000	Static converters	8,266,588	0.1
83	32159000	Other ink, whether or not concentrated or solid, NES	8,023,456	0.1
84	84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	8,019,155	0.1
35	85444100	Electric conductors, NES, for a voltage <=80 V, fitted with connectors	7,674,027	0.1
86	85442090	Other co-axial cable & other co-axial electric conductors NES	7,656,570	0.1
37	87032127	Ambulances	7,637,154	0.1
38	74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	7,591,272	0.1
39	94060000	Prefabricated buildings	7,560,749	0.1
90	90189000	Instruments and apparatus, NES, for medical, surgical sciences	7,467,483	0.1
91	87042190	Other dumpers for off highway use with G.V.M not exceeding 5t NES	7,445,259	0.1
92	87059000	Special purpose motor vehicles, NES (e.g. breakdown lorries, etc.)	7,303,848	0.1
93	27101201	Aviation spirit	7,277,979	0.1
94	20099010	Fruit juices of mixtures of juices	7,201,304	0.1
95	84138100	Pumps for liquids, NES	7,176,098	0.1
96	84185000	Other refrigerating/freezing chests, cabinets, & similar refrigerating furniture, NES	6,955,424	0.1
97	64041990	Other footwear with outer soles of rubber or plastic NES	6,891,658	0.1
98	87019090	Other tractors	6,758,761	0.1
99	04012009	Other milk, whether or not containing added minerals, vitamins, enzymes & similar additive	6,736,748	0.1
100	33072090	Other pre shave, shaving or after shave preparations ")	6,668,598	0.1
		Top 100 Total	4,766,293,095	74.4
		Others	1,636,880,049	25.6
		Total Imports	6,403,173,144	100.0

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Table 4.1B: Top 100 Imported Commodities – May 2016 (PULA)

Rank	Commodity Code	Commodity Description	Value	%
1	27160000	Electrical energy	479,400,268	10.2
<u> </u>	71021000	Unsorted diamonds	362,672,318	7.7
	27101202	Petrol	265,515,371	5.6
	71023100	Non-industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	238,997,294	5.
	27101230	Distillate fuel	228,020,348	4.8
	87032390	Other vehicles of a cylinder capacity >1500cmcb <3000cmcb NES	109,730,422	2.3
	26040000	Nickel ores and concentrates	101,540,842	2.
	30049090	Other medicaments	88,925,765	1.
	84314990	Other parts of boring or sinking machinery of subheading no.8430.41 or 8430.49 NES	44,422,578	0.
0	25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	42,552,567	0.9
1	49070010	Unused postage, revenue stamps and banking notes	38,640,381	0.8
2	87043190	Other motor vehicles for the transport of goods with G.V.M. < 5t NES	38,293,169	0.8
3	84295900	Self-propelled bulldozers, excavators, NES	37,818,494	0.8
4	71023900	Non-industrial diamonds, not mounted or set, NES	36,694,402	0.8
5	17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, NES	36,208,456	0.8
6	10059010	Dried kernels or grains fit for human consumption, not further prepared or processed	27,929,110	0.0
7	85171210	Designed for use when carried in the hand or on the person	25,240,965	0.
8	22029090	Other non-alcoholic beverages NES	24,925,327	0.
9	84713000	Portable digital ADP machines, weight <= 10 kg, comprising at least CPU, keyboard	24,678,131	0.
.0	73089090	Other structures of steel/iron NES	22,500,015	0.
1	85176200	Machines for reception &transmission or regeneration voice image, data including switch	22,384,419	0.
2	44071000	Coniferous wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, >6mm thick	20,456,921	0.
3	87089990	Other parts and accessories of motor vehicles of heading no.87.01 to 87.05 NES	20,040,134	0.
4	34012000	Soap in other forms, NES	18,978,124	0.
5	88024000	Aeroplanes and other aircraft, NES, of an unladen weight >15000kg	18,608,238	0.
6	33049990	Other, other preparations having a sun protection Factor (SPF) of 15 or more	18,582,775	0.
7	40119410	Other tires for construction/industrial machine, of rim > 61cm NES	15,919,922	0.3
8	85443000	Ignition wiring sets and other wiring sets for vehicles, aircraft	15,739,323	0.3
9	85472000	Insulating fittings of plastics for electrical machines	15,226,360	0.3
10	23099092	Other preparations containing rectopamine	14,843,895	0.3
1	85176290	Other videophone	14,101,253	0.3
2	11010090	Other wheat or meslin flour	14,069,955	0.0
3	09109900	Other spices, NES	13,836,617	0.3
4	90189000	Instruments and apparatus, NES, for medical, surgical sciences	13,696,138	0.0
5	38220000	Diagnostic or lab.reagents on a backing; prepared diagnostic or lab.reagents	13,199,357	0.3
6	84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	13,195,554	0
7	85442090	Other co-axial cable & other co-axial electric conductors NES.	13,088,645	0.
8	72223000	Stainless steel bars and rods, NES	12,885,848	0.
9	39269090	Other articles of plastics and articles of other materials of heading 39.01 to 39.14 NES	12,741,795	0.
0	31023000	Ammonium nitrate	12,565,239	0.3
1	87032290	Other vehicles of cylinder capacity exceeding 1000cmsq but not exceeding 1500cmsq	12,250,149	0.
2	27101252	Other prepared lubricating oils	12,170,446	0.3
3	73269090	Other articles of iron or steel wire NES	11,277,935	0.1
4	85389090	Other parts suitable for use with the apparatus of heading no.85.35,85.36 or 85.37 NES	11,276,581	0.:
5	10063000	Semi-milled or wholly milled rice	11,205,451	0.1
6	10059090	Other maize (corn)	11,138,062	0.:
7	74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	11,087,938	0.3
8	04012009	Other milk, whether or not containing added minerals, vitamins, enzymes	10,792,222	0.:
9	87042290	Other vehicles for goods with GVM exceeding 5t but not exceeding 20t NES	10,736,339	0.3
0	36020000	Prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	10,459,634	0.2
1	85369020	Identifiable for use or principally with motor vehicles	10,446,459	0.2
52	15121910	Marketed and supplied for use in the process of cooking food	10,206,806	0.2
3	10019900	Other seed of wheat and meslin	9,972,171	0.2

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Table 4.1B Continued: Top 100 Imported Commodities – May 2016 (PULA)

Rank	Commodity Code	Commodity Description	Value	%
54	44031000	Wood in the rough, treated with paint, stains, creosote, etc.	9,945,464	0.2
55	84314100	Buckets, shovels, grabs and grips of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30	9,905,915	0.2
56	99990100	New personal imports	9,577,244	0.2
57	32151900	Printing ink, whether or not concentrated or solid (excl. black)	9,550,505	0.2
58	10064000	Broken rice	9,411,349	0.2
59	94060000	Prefabricated buildings	9,346,294	0.2
30	93062990	Other shotgun cartridges & parts thereof ,air gun pellets not elsewhere specified	9,038,034	0.2
61	10011900	Other wheat and meslin	8,948,075	0.2
62	84431100	Offset printing machinery, reel fed	8,854,128	0.2
63	87021090	Other motor vehicles for the transport of ten or more persons, including driver	8,776,037	0.2
64	85444990	Other, other electric conductors for a voltage > 1000 V	8,760,184	0.2
65	20099010	Fruit juices of mixtures of juices	8,731,245	0.2
66	85444290	Other insulated fitted with connectors")	8,694,230	0.2
67	84138100	Pumps for liquids, NES	8,628,533	0.2
68	84741000	Sorting, screening, separating or washing machines for earth, stone	8,455,754	0.2
69	44182000	Doors and their frames and thresholds, of wood	8,433,120	0.2
70	87043290	Other motor vehicles for transport of goods of G.V.M.>5t NES	8,379,610	0.2
71	17049000	Sugar confectionery (incl. white chocolate), not containing cocoa, NES	8,305,315	0.2
72	21069090	Other food preparations NES or included	8,290,172	0.2
73	32159000	Other ink, whether or not concentrated or solid, NES	8,188,797	0.2
74	07019000	Other potatoes, fresh or chilled	8,073,065	0.2
75	27101201	Aviation spirit	7,946,181	0.2
76	64041990	Other footwear with outer soles of rubber or plastic NES	7,888,313	0.2
77	72142000	Iron/steel bars & rods, hot-rolled,twisted, or with deformations from rolling process	7,877,499	0.2
78	48191000	Cartons, boxes and cases, of corrugated paper or paperboard	7,844,255	0.2
79	33072090	Other pre shave, shaving or after shave preparations	7,801,635	0.2
80	85015390	Other AC motors, multi-phase of an output > 750w < 75kw NES.	7,799,955	0.2
81	15121990	Other sunflower, safflower, cotton-seed oil & fractions not chemically modified NES	7,702,732	0.2
82	21041090	Other soups & broth & preparation thereof NES	7,681,950	0.2
83	64059090	Other footwear of materials NES	7,616,571	0.2
84	23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	7,481,354	0.2
85	19053100	Sweet biscuits	7,453,449	0.2
86	84122100	Hydraulic power engines and motors, linear acting (cylinders)	7,423,585	0.2
87	87032490	Other vehicles of a cylinder capacity >H883000cm3	7,401,185	0.2
88	84733000	Parts and accessories of the machines of 84.71	7,392,179	0.2
89	40101900	Conveyor belts or belting, of vulcanized rubber, NES	7,351,484	0.2
90	94041000	Mattress supports	7,225,848	0.2
91	84433900	Other flexographic printing machinery capable of connecting to an automatic data processing machine or to a network	7,089,787	0.2
92	85256000	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus	7,064,497	0.1
93	04031000	Yoghurt	7,064,235	0.1
94	40116910	Other pneumatic tyres of rubber NES	7,006,718	0.1
95	85353090	Other isolating and make-and-break switches	6,848,431	0.1
96	38249090	Other chemical products and mixtures NES or included	6,727,234	0.1
97	84185000	Other refrigerating/freezing chests, cabinets, & similar refrigerating furniture, NES	6,651,409	0.1
98	34011900	Soap and organic surface-active products in bars, etc., NES	6,591,335	0.1
99	20098950	Other fruits juices	6,513,421	0.1
100	72131000	Hot-rolled iron/steel bars & rods, in coils, containing deformations produced by rolling	6,497,667	0.1
	3 . 3 0 0	Top 100 Total	3,108,122,907	65.9
		Others	1,605,684,570	34.1

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Table 4.2A: Top 50 Exported Commodities – April 2016 (PULA)

48 49 50	73269090	Other articles of iron or steel wire NES Top 50 Total Others	1,752,532 7,966,258,843 107,192,180	0.0 98.7
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49		Other articles of iron or steel wire NES	1.752.532	0.0
		The Indiana, and the Country of the	1,7 30,007	5.0
48	87042190	Other dumpers for off highway use with G.V.M <h50 5t="" nes.<="" td=""><td>1,763,839</td><td>0.0</td></h50>	1,763,839	0.0
	78020000	Lead waste and scrap	1,774,933	0.0
47	84292000	Graders and levelers	1,802,785	0.0
46	94038000	Furniture (excl. seats), NES	1,867,252	0.0
45	30023000	Vaccines for veterinary medicine	1,897,315	0.0
44	94036000	Wooden furniture, NES	1,913,900	0.0
43	88022000	Aeroplanes and other aircraft, NES, of an unladen weight =<2000kg	2,003,500	0.0
42	73089090	Other structures of steel/iron NES	2,011,139	0.0
41	87043190	Other motor vehicles for the transport of goods with G.V.M. < 5t NES	2,065,930	0.0
40	84304900	Boring or sinking machinery (excl. self-propelled)	2,097,258	0.0
39	85442090	Other co-axial cable & other co-axial electric conductors NES	2,117,494	0.0
38	48202000	Exercise-books	2,175,432	0.0
37	68101100	Building blocks and bricks, of cement or artificial stone or concrete	2,357,428	0.0
36	88031000	Propellers and rotors and parts thereof	2,369,202	0.0
35	87089990	Other parts and accessories of motor vehicles of heading no.87.01 to 87.05 NES	2,399,971	0.0
34	84122100	Hydraulic power engines and motors, linear acting (cylinders)	2,450,407	0.0
33	84295900	Self-propelled bulldozers, excavators, NES	2,536,637	0.0
32	41012900	Hides and skins of bovine animals, fresh or wet-salted, NES	2,559,016	0.0
31	74040000	Copper waste and scrap	2,581,989	0.0
30	85071010	Lead acid starting piston engines, dimensions <h31 (185mm="" 125mm="" 195="" height)<="" length,="" td="" width=""><td>3,192,637</td><td>0.0</td></h31>	3,192,637	0.0
29	23021000	Brans, sharps and other residues of maize	3,376,169	0.0
28	34011900	Soap and organic surface-active products in bars, etc. NES	3,645,196	0.0
27	49070010	Unused postage, revenue stamps and banking notes	4,071,446	0.1
26	62034210	Trousers	4,319,529	0.1
25	84068100	Steam and other vapour turbines (excl. for marine propulsion) with output > 40 MW	4,362,546	0.1
24	48194000	Sacks and bags, including cones of paper, paperboard, NES	4,606,083	0.1
23	84592900	Drilling machines for removing metal, NES	4,628,879	0.1
22	27011200	Bituminous coal, not agglomerated	4,921,594	0.1
21	13021990	Other goods of heading 13.02 NES	5,370,353	0.1
20	87059000	Special purpose motor vehicles, NES (e.g. breakdown lorries, etc.	6,627,062	0.1
19	84128090	Other engines and motors	6,658,962	0.1
18	58081000	Braids in the piece	6,754,668	0.1
17	87041090	Other dumpers designed for off-highway use NES	6,881,192	0.1
16	63026090	Toilet linen	7,550,519	0.1
15	84314990	Other parts of boring or sinking machinery of subheading no.8430.41 or 8430.49 NES	8,001,923	0.1
14	39173990	Other tubes, pipes, hoses of plastic NES	8,078,323	0.1
13	39172300	Tubes, pipes and hoses, rigid, of polymers of vinyl chloride	8,585,773	0.1
12	87032390	Other vehicles of a cylinder capacity > 1500cmcb < 3000cmcb NES	11,851,645	0.1
11	25010090	Other salt and pure sodium chloride	20,118,049	0.2
10	71021000	Unsorted diamonds	25,035,344	0.3
9	28362000	Disodium carbonate	25,388,770	0.3
8	71022100	Industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	27,236,562	0.3
7	71081200	Unwrought gold (incl. gold plated with platinum), non-monetary	30,817,885	0.4
6	02023090	Other boneless meat of bovine animals ,frozen	49,615,291	0.6
5	02013090	Other boneless meat of bovine animals ,fresh or chilled	58,734,415	0.7
4	85443000	Ignition wiring sets and other wiring sets for vehicles, aircraft	112,406,785	1.4
3	75011000	Nickel mattes	262,086,402	3.2
2	71023900	Non-industrial diamonds, not mounted or set, NES	424,478,775	5.3
1	71023100	Non-industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	6,774,358,107	83.9
	Commodity Code	Commodity Description	Value	%

Table 4.2B: Top 50 Exported Commodities – May 2016 (PULA)

Rank	Commodity Code	Commodity Description	Value	%
	71023100	Non-industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	7,659,987,518	86.9
	71023900	Non-industrial diamonds, not mounted or set, NES	282,645,413	3.2
	75011000	Nickel mattes	257,272,784	2.9
	85443000	Ignition wiring sets and other wiring sets for vehicles, aircraft	118,724,155	1.3
	02023090	Other boneless meat of bovine animals ,frozen	41,062,130	0.5
	30023000	Vaccines for veterinary medicine	40,461,861	0.5
	28362000	Disodium carbonate	28,169,794	0.3
	02013090	Other boneless meat of bovine animals, fresh or chilled	27,701,659	0.3
	25010090	Other salt and pure sodium chloride	24,445,295	0.3
0	71022100	Industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruted	23,669,637	0.3
1	87041090	Other dumpers designed for off-highway use NES	22,601,521	0.3
2	71081200	Unwrought gold (incl. gold plated with platinum), non-monetary	17,507,333	0.2
3	62046210	Trousers	12,475,693	0.1
4	87032390	Other vehicles of a cylinder capacity > 1500cmcb < 3000cmcb NES	11,361,432	0.1
5	39173990	Other tubes, pipes, hoses of plastic NES	9,746,962	0.1
6	39172300	Tubes, pipes and hoses, rigid, of polymers of vinyl chloride	6,484,898	0.1
7	58081000	Braids in the piece	6,135,112	0.1
8	63026090	Toilet linen	6,132,246	0.1
9	27011200	Bituminous coal, not agglomerated	5,930,738	0.1
0	88021200	Helicopters of an unladen weight >2000kg	5,508,918	0.1
:1	84122100	Hydraulic power engines and motors, linear acting (cylinders)	5,299,340	0.1
22	84295190	Other front-end shovel loaders NES	4,735,974	0.1
3	84295900	Self-propelled bulldozers, excavators. NES	4,563,173	0.1
4	84079000	Spark-ignition reciprocating/rotary internal combustion engines, NES	4,534,750	0.1
5	7133990	Other cow peas seeds for sowing	4,435,130	0.1
6	41012900	Hides and skins of bovine animals, fresh or wet-salted, NES	4,360,535	0.0
7	73089090	Other structures of steel/iron NES	4,079,213	0.0
	85071010	Lead acid starting piston engines, dimensions not exceeding (185mm Length, 125mm Width 195 Height)	4,059,906	0.0
.9	74031300	Billets of refined copper	3,621,020	0.0
80	68101100	Building blocks and bricks, of cement or artificial stone or concrete	3,301,183	0.0
31	48202000	Exercise-books	3,189,646	0.0
32	07102200	Shelled or unshelled beans, frozen	3,126,228	0.0
33	48194000	Sacks and bags, including cones of paper, paperboard, NES	3,107,052	0.0
34	84229000	Parts of machinery of 8422.11 to 8422.40	3,040,674	0.0
35	23021000	Brans, sharps and other residues of maize	2,792,992	0.0
36	84314990	Other parts of boring or sinking machinery of subheading no.8430.41 or 8430.49 NES	2,704,717	0.0
7	72223000	Stainless steel bars and rods, NES	2,606,604	0.0
88	84622990	Other bending, folding, straightening or flattening machines NES	2,605,784	0.0
39	84148000	Air pumps; air or aas compressors; hoods with a fan, NES	2,554,737	0.0
10	88031000	Propellers and rotors and parts thereof	2,493,403	0.0
11	34011900	Soap and organic surface-active products in bars, etc. NES	2,420,060	0.0
2	84798990	Other machines and mechanical appliances NES	2,328,599	0.0
13	11031310	Maize meal not further processed other than addition of minerals and vitamins	2,247,117	0.0
4	72042900	Waste and scrap of alloy steel (excl. stainless)	2,239,709	0.0
.5	07133190	Seeds for sowing	2,114,480	0.0
16	84289090	Other, elevating platforms and elevating buckets for overhead maintenance	2,009,502	0.0
7	27101252	Other prepared lubricating oils	1,973,607	0.0
18	84649000	Machine-tools for working stone, ceramics, concrete, etc.	1,956,350	0.0
49	87032127	Ambulances	1,953,406	0.0
50	87059000	Special purpose motor vehicles, NES (e.g. breakdown lorries, etc.)	1,893,007	0.0
		Top 50 Total	8,700,372,997	98.7
		Others	114,063,962	1.3
		Total Exports	8,814,436,959	100.0

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Table 5: Imports and Total Exports– April 2016 and May 2016 (PULA)

		Impo	rts	Total E	kports .
HS	Commodity Description /Period	Apr_2016	May_2016	Apr_2016	May_2016
)1	Live animals	5,880,934	3,974,125	214,045	0
2	Meat and edible meat offal	6,724,721	9,449,036	109,251,046	69,917,953
3	Fish and crustaceans, mollusc and other aquatic invertebrates	2,750,301	2,933,155	601,187	819,166
4	Dairy produce; bird's eggs; natural honey; edible products of animal origin, NES or included	45,570,864	44,284,885	47,898	61,101
5 ,	Products of animal origin, NES or included	568,686	1,729,385	227,954	2,767
6	Live trees and other plants, bulbs, roots, and the like; cut flowers and ornamental foliage	1,003,017	1,238,869	46,185	10.710.000
7	Edible vegetables and certain root and tubers	40,163,269	30,529,735	699,926	10,719,920
8 9	Edible fruits and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melon	20,329,266	17,579,609	37,443	20,539
9 0	Coffee, tea, mate and spices Cereals	20,288,444 85,097,890	25,511,316 81,528,266	17,490 1,441,325	49,409 1,803,072
1	Products of the milling industry; malt; starches; insulin; wheat gluten	16,941,814	26,982,804	3,071,727	2,873,093
2	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants;	7,105,283	7,538,216	3,766	1,163
_	straw and fodder	7,103,263	7,330,216	3,766	1,100
3	Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps and extracts	514,022	283,782	5,370,353	C
4	Vegetable plaiting materials; vegetable products NES or included	11,632	5,414	1,705	C
5	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats, animal or vegetable waxes.	29,873,245	28,836,351	332,904	137,542
5	Preparations of meats, of fish or of crustaceans, mollusc or other aquatic invertebrates	15,900,576	15,624,016	5,720	16,406
,	Sugar and sugar confectionery	41,893,119	50,412,590	4,368	236,368
3	Cocoa and cocoa preparations	3,296,803	3,818,142	1,861	2,149
7	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastry cooks' products	34,249,049	38,832,189	2,226,036	1,526,864
)	Preparation of vegetables, fruit, nuts or other parts of plants	37,007,341	36,550,113	543,005	30,164
I	Miscellaneous edible preparations	41,857,213	33,994,299	402,819	157,030
2	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	46,593,356	57,021,303	1,019,329	566,384
	Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder	27,040,283	27,783,083	6,558,582	4,402,067
	Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	3,934,849	2,379,057	786,450	1,765,472
	Salt, sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	43,334,277	48,105,877	22,053,215	26,066,252
,	Ores, slag and ash	162,488,268	102,148,980	31,301	26,270
'	Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes	617,908,911		8,735,293	12,069,148
i	Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare earth metals, of radioactive elements or isotopes	12,678,198	9,623,371	25,409,211	28,500,171
7	Organic chemicals	6,532,398	5,480,316	17,336	84,993
)	Pharmaceutical products	415,218,996	102,983,394	2,597,133	41,302,105
	Fertilizers	15,602,516	14,989,961	0	(
!	Tanning or dyeing extracts and their derivatives; dyes pigments and other colouring matter; paints and varnishes; putty and other mastic; inks	30,455,865	30,182,635	1,351,801	1,188,375
	Essential oils and resinoid; perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations	44,427,215	52,615,838	558,336	858,131
	Soap, organic surface active agents, washing and lubricating prep., artificial or prepared waxes, polishing or scouring prep., candles and similar, modeling pastes, dental waxes and prep. with basis of plaster	38,970,877	47,635,057	3,714,501	2,706,510
;	Albuminoidal substances; modified starches; glues; enzymes	4,138,898	4,392,358	71,729	31,446
	Explosives; pyrotechnic products; matches; pyrophoric alloys; certain combustible preparations	8,361,769	13,229,935	592,823	710,746
	Photographic and cinematographic goods	592,813	1,082,705	31	702
	Miscellaneous chemical products	32,797,016	34,336,922	1,760,262	597,459
,	Plastics and articles thereof	102,403,764	79,543,541	23,496,051	24,512,467
)	Rubber and articles thereof	56,264,820	79,068,828	684,227	600,477
	Raw hides and skins (other than furskins and leather	53,511	142,994	4,409,603	5,558,623
2	Articles of leather; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worn gut)	6,057,901	6,035,809	88,823	126,711
3	Furskins and artificial fur; manufactures thereof	1,636	1,347	4,224	(
4	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	57,421,316	63,192,393	1,487,542	878,338
5	Cork and articles of cork	1,124	4,819	0	(
5	Manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basket ware and wickerwork	137,239	207,824	210	(
7	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or paperboard	1,033	2,382	925,319	930,578
3	Paper or paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or paperboard	49,497,966	46,933,679	8,267,857	7,986,543
9	Printed books, newspapers, pictures and other products of the printing industry; manuscripts, typescripts and plans	38,370,809	50,436,273	5,658,623	726,447
0	Silk	231,968	279,839	0	0

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Table 5: Cont'd: Imports and Total Exports – April 2016 and May 2016 (PULA)

		Imp	orts	Total E	xports
S	Commodity Description / Period	Apr_2016	May_2016	Apr_2016	May_2016
	Wool, fine and coarse animal hair, horsehair yarn and woven fabric	567,357	214,382	109,352	0
	Cotton	5,571,993	6,092,729	11,393	7,108
	Other vegetable textile fibers; paper yarn and woven fabrics of paper yarn	36,568	22,249	0	C
	Man-made filaments	4,226,631	2,153,542	0	2,891
	Man-made staple fibers	3,793,516	3,563,324	0	C
	Wadding felts and non wovens; special yarn; twine, cordage, ropes and cables and articles thereof	2,308,043	2,018,361	74,834	25,907
,	Carpets and other textile floor covering	2,316,131	2,289,510	22,197	9,388
	Special woven fabrics; tufted textile fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery	990,238	2,394,032	6,873,076	6,189,908
,	Impregnated, coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics; textile articles of a kind suitable for industrial use	3,812,035	3,137,030	20,237	2,785
1	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	433,070	547,199	19,343	C
	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	53,202,481	37,490,089	744,729	1,079,962
	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted	37,101,919	29,731,857	5,740,770	14,914,693
3	Other made up textile articles; sets; worn clothing and worn textile articles; rags	23,990,110	25,055,199	8,966,539	7,196,426
	Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	33,683,315	30,230,882	306,613	484,272
	Headgear and parts thereof	2,285,507	1,993,164	454,046	62,545
	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof	678,406	984,274	8,169	2,410
	Prepared feathers and down and articles made of feathers or of down; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	6,578,394	6,806,446	0	15,236
	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials	12,977,871	9,111,723	2,618,121	4,545,969
'	Ceramic products	19,776,344	20,448,098	2,526,319	259,663
	Glass and glassware	10,631,352	11,356,341	1,191,124	880,860
	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry; coin	2,139,301,850	641,185,876	7,282,116,476	7,984,021,208
	Iron and steel	49,457,127	69,770,517	5,490,053	6,158,906
	Articles of iron or steel	165,032,170	113,315,970	8,054,609	11,776,622
	Copper and articles thereof	9,568,310	14,216,044	4,580,667	5,107,687
	Nickel and articles thereof	122,380	57,598	262,086,402	257,272,784
	Aluminum and articles thereof	30,725,637	14,674,535	1,001,302	735,848
	Lead and articles thereof	2,785,871	4,787,696	1,774,933	1,713,713
	Zinc and articles thereof	204,323	2,470	415	2,258
	Tin and articles thereof	125,650	105,426	0	131
	Other base metals; cements; articles thereof	92,934	470,406	22,426	53,215
	Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof of base metal	17,606,496	13,249,505	543,377	2,016,020
	Miscellaneous articles of base metal	15,224,088	13,596,319	240,784	263,464
	Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	525,583,566	431,108,213	49,409,659	56,181,937
	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	309,913,480	328,226,503	129,027,904	134,223,915
	Railway or tramway locomotives, rolling-stock and parts thereof; railway or tramway track fixtures and fittings and parts thereof; mechanical (incl. electro-mechanical) traffic signaling equipment of all kinds	113,641,074	3,250,597	23,454	522,605
	Vehicles others than railway or tramway rolling-stock, and parts and accessories thereof	378,061,261	308,772,713	40,162,172	50,407,630
	Aircraft, spacecraft and parts thereof	5,458,976	25,079,588	4,825,410	8,127,057
	Ships, boats and floating structures	310,908	856,259	457,849	17,750
1	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	46,658,475	62,209,734	2,131,534	3,366,560
	Clocks and watches and parts thereof	1,077,970	2,700,784	42,227	16,233
	Musical instruments; parts and accessories of such articles	549,080	1,074,950	315,466	8,453
	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	302,399	9,273,689	0	C
	Furniture; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishing; lamps and lighting fittings,	57,193,206	63,423,382	6,121,070	4,822,447
;	Toys, games and sports requisites; parts and accessories thereof	3,909,089	4,201,774	55,780	35,421
	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	17,211,843	18,572,429	233,866	1,064,983
,	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	141,229	71,937	33,597	1,318
,	Personal effects, etc.	9,405,390	9,912,216	184,154	267,650

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5.0 TECHNICAL NOTES

IMTS are compiled by the International Merchandise Trade Statistics Section of Statistics Botswana. International Merchandise Trade refers to external trade in goods only. International Service Trade Statistics (ISTS) are however not compiled by this section. The primary source of international merchandise trade data is the Customs & Excise Division at the Botswana Unified Revenue Service (BURS). The Customs & Excise Division is responsible for data capture for both computerized and manual borders, and the monthly raw data files are transferred to Statistics Botswana for data processing.

Until the April 2009 Monthly Digest, Botswana was practicing Relaxed Special Trade Type. The Relaxed Special Trade Type takes into account goods that are exported or imported for inward or outward customs processing while the Strict Special Trade Type does not include the same. Strict Special Trade Type comprises imports for home consumption, permanent exports, re-exports and goods cleared out of warehouse (ex-warehouse) only.

In June 2009, the Botswana External Trade Database was revised to cater for General Trade Type as per the United Nations Statistics Division (UNSD) recommendations. The General Trade Type gives complete coverage of external trade as compared to the Special Trade Type. As a result of this, trade reported in the monthly digests for May 2009 onwards is based on the General Trade Type.

Imports are valued CIF (cost, insurance & freight) while exports are valued FOB (free on board). The value of imports includes transport and insurance costs to the importing country. The Exports value consists only of the value of goods as they leave the exporting country.

5.1 Time of Recording of Trade

IMTS is compiled using date of recording of trade as opposed to date of assessment of goods by customs. This means that as goods cross the border, trade is recorded and this is the reference month for compilation of IMTS. Some of these goods may however be held by customs for some time pending final assessment for tax or duty purposes.

If the final assessment is done later, for example two or three months, or even more, after the goods had crossed the border, the affected trade will then update trade for the particular month when the goods crossed the border, therefore it does not form part of trade for the month during which the final assessment was done. This is mostly common with imports. Revision of data for the month preceding the one under review will normally show high values as compared to revisions for other months due to more goods (from the previous month) being released after final assessment.

5.2 Concepts and Definitions

Domestic Exports: These are goods originating from the compiling country, being permanently exported out of the country for consumption in the outside world. This includes products from customs inwards processing; for example, if a country imports wheat, processes the wheat into bread flour and exports the bread flour and bye products from the milling process, these will all leave the country as domestic exports.

Re - Exports: These are exports of foreign goods that were initially recorded as imports into the compiling country. These goods are exported in the same state that they came in except for wear and tear. An example will be re-exportation of a motor vehicle that was initially imported into the compiling country and after being used it is now being exported to a foreign country.

Total exports: This is the sum of domestic exports and re-exports

Imports: These are goods imported from the outside world, into the compiling country, for local consumption. This includes re-importation of locally produced goods that were initially exported and are now being imported back into the country.

Trade Balance (Net Export): This refers to the total value of goods exported minus the total value of goods imported by a given economy in a given period of time. A positive trade balance (trade surplus) indicates that a country is exporting more in value terms than it is importing. A negative trade balance (trade deficit) indicates that the country is importing more than it is exporting.

5.3 Treatment of Diamonds from Aggregation Process

In July 2012, the Diamond Trading Company International which was undertaking aggregation of diamonds relocated from the United Kingdom to Botswana. This meant that the process of aggregation of diamonds was now to be done in Botswana. Following the relocation, initially it was not clear how this trade was to be recorded as there was no prior common understanding of the processes involved between all the relevant parties. After thorough discussions with key stakeholders, Statistics Botswana decided to record this trade as imports for processing and that export of the same after aggregation be recorded as direct permanent exports. This was based on IMTS 2010 Compilers' Manual (Page 225) and IMTS 2010 Concepts & Definitions; Page 16; Paragraph 1.20 concept that mixing of goods of different qualities to produce goods of a new quality is part of processing in compilation of IMTS.

5.3.1 Sorting out Diamonds imports

These imports will mainly be from Canada, Namibia and South Africa. Some of these may include diamonds that were originally bought from Botswana and are now being sold back to Botswana. The original declaration will not indicate whether the consignment is a mixture of diamonds from various countries. However, a follow-up document, referred to as "attached document" will show a disaggregation of these imports according to the various countries that contributed to the consignment.

- In case the consignment was from one country, this will be recorded as imports into Botswana from that particular country
- II. In case the consignment was from various countries, the recording of these imports will be according to the various countries that contributed to the consignment
- III. If part of the consignment was originally from Botswana, that part is recorded as re-import and will form part of total imports.

5.3.2 Sorting out Diamonds exports

These exports will be from the aggregation process and will consist of exports of Botswana origin and exports of diamonds that were originally imported. The original declaration will give an aggregated export which will be a consignment bought by an individual trader. This consignment will consist of diamonds of the same colour, shape and size but originating from various countries. The "attached document", giving a disaggregation of the consignment in value and carats by countries that contributed, will be used to record trade accordingly. As per IMTS 2010 Concepts & Definitions, goods resulting from processing are to be included in merchandise trade at their full value and as direct permanent exports (Domestic exports) in case they are exported (IMTS Concepts & Definitions; page 16, paragraph 1.20). As a result of this, diamonds that originated from outside Botswana as well as those originating from Botswana are recorded as direct permanent exports or domestic exports.

Both diamonds originating from Botswana and those that originated from elsewhere have always been recorded under Domestic Exports. There was however an error in the explanation notes provided in the January 2015 IMTS Digest with regard to how these are recorded. The error was that diamonds that originated from elsewhere are recorded as re-exports and the correction is that they are exported as direct permanent exports or domestic exports. Values for diamonds that originated from elsewhere can be provided separately if needed.

5.4 Exclusions from IMTS

Goods in Transit

This is trade that is simply passing through the compiling country solely for the purpose of being transported to another country

Goods temporarily admitted or dispatched

These are goods that at the time of admission/dispatch, are intended to stay in the receiving country temporarily and that after their stay they will be returned in the same state. These goods include display equipment for trade fairs and exhibitions, commercial samples, means of transport, containers, equipment for working etc.

Monetary Gold

This is gold to which the monetary authorities have title and is held as reserve assets.

• Issued banknotes and securities and coins in circulation

These goods represent evidence of financial claims and are excluded from IMTS

The above list of exclusions from IMTS is however not exhaustive and only a few that are common, simple, straightforward and easy to understand have been picked as examples.