

## SUMMARY

Table 1(a) : Monthly Import of Goods &amp; Services.

(Million US\$)

Items	August	
	2008	2007
I. Import Payments (Banks)	3,279	2,256
II. Freight & Insurance	262	180
III. Other Import unaccounted by Banks	110	149
Unclassified Imports	48	10
Imports NRI, Sale of Duty Free Shops	9	9
Imports under Foreign Economic Assistance	32	105
Land borne Imports with Afghanistan	3	10
PIA & PNSC	3	8
Capital Equipment	0	0
Cost of Imports (Ex. Cos.)	0	0
Refund & Rebate	-8	-5
Import from EPZ	23	12
(A) Import General Merchandise (I-II+III)	3,127	2,224
(B) Other Import under BPM5*	26	33
(C) Import of Goods (A+B)	3,153	2,257
(D) Import of Services	797	760
(E) Import of Goods & Services (C+D)	3,950	3,017

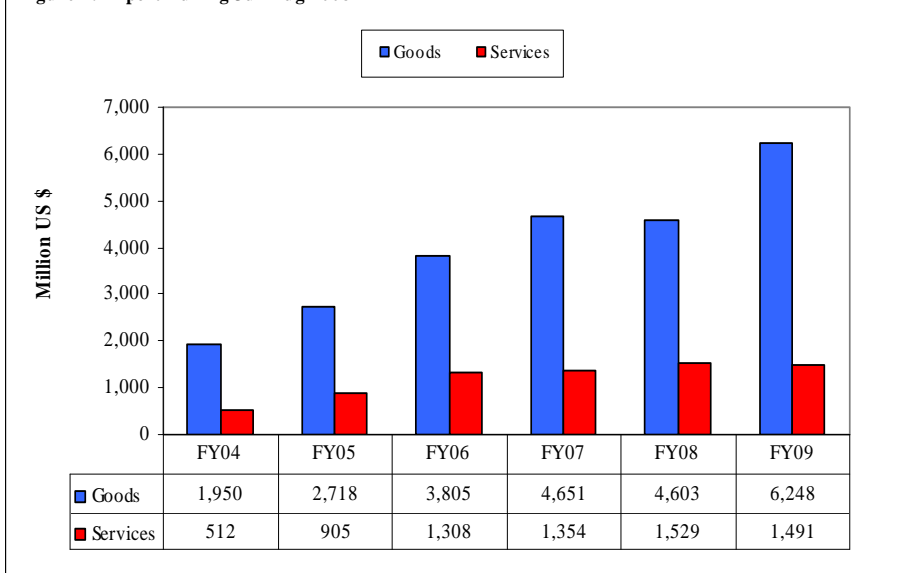
\* See "Introduction" for details:

Table 1(b) : Key Indicators of Import of Goods and Services

(Million US\$)

August 2008	3,950
July 2008	3,840
%Change during August 2008 over July 2008	2.9
August 2007	3,017
%Change during August 2008 over August 2007	30.9
July-August 2008	7,790
July-August 2007	6,192
%Change during July-August 2008 over July-August 2007	25.8
Monthly average during July-August 2008	3,895
Monthly average during July-August 2007	3,096
FY08	45,314
FY07	35,299
%Change during FY08 over FY07	28.4
Monthly average during FY08	3,776
Monthly average during FY07	2,942

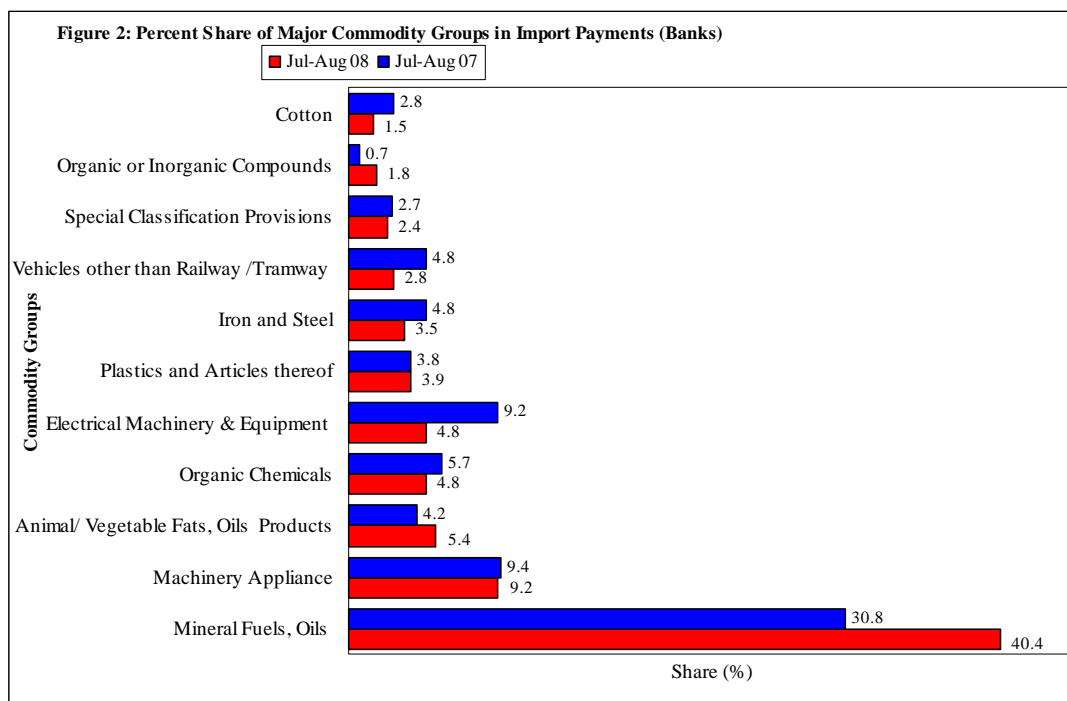
Figure 1. Import During Jul-Aug 2008



**Table 2: Import Payments by Major Groups of Goods & Services**

(Amount in Million)

Goods/ Services	August			July-August		% Change
	2008	2008	2007	2008-09	2007-08	
	Pak Rs.	US \$				
Goods						
I. Total Import Payments (Banks)	243,624	3,279	2,256	6,314	4,718	33.8
Mineral Fuels, Oils and Their Distillation Product	110,492	1,487	628	2,551	1,452	75.7
Nuclear Reactors, Boilers, Machinery and Appliance	22,847	308	213	582	445	30.7
Animal or Vegetable Fats, Oils & Cleavage Products	10,807	145	98	339	198	71.4
Organic Chemicals	11,232	151	118	305	271	12.5
Electrical Machinery & Equipment and Parts thereof	9,783	132	226	303	433	-30.1
Plastics and Articles thereof	8,700	117	89	244	182	34.2
Iron and Steel	6,422	86	127	221	228	-2.9
Vehicles other than Railway /Tramway Rolling Stock	7,130	96	97	175	227	-23.0
Special Classification Provisions	6,402	86	60	152	128	19.0
Organic or Inorganic Compounds of Precious Metals	5,037	68	15	111	33	239.2
Cotton	3,130	42	59	97	130	-25.2
Fertilizers	2,161	29	45	79	72	8.9
Optical, Photographic, Measuring and Medical Inst.	2,106	28	29	74	63	16.6
Miscellaneous Chemical Products	2,203	30	28	68	55	24.5
Paper and Paperboard, Articles of Paper Pulp	2,521	34	39	66	69	-3.6
Cereals	3,269	44	1	63	7	804.3
Man-Made Staple Fibers	2,456	33	20	62	38	62.2
Pharmaceutical Products	1,830	25	20	55	38	44.1
All Others	25,095	338	343	768	649	18.2
II. Freight & Insurance	19,490	262	180	505	377	33.8
III. Other Import Unaccounted by Banks	8,503	110	149	439	262	67.3
(A) Import General Merchandise (I-II+III)	232,637	3,127	2,224	6,248	4,603	35.7
(B) Other Import under BPM5*	1,975	26	33	51	59	-13.8
(C) Import of Goods (A+B)	234,613	3,153	2,257	6,299	4,662	35.1
Services						
Transportation	24,442	329	251	638	536	19.0
Travel	11,441	154	116	281	229	22.7
Communication Services	743	10	13	18	18	0.0
Construction Services	145	2	10	4	11	-63.6
Insurance Services	743	10	16	14	38	-63.2
Financial Services	1,263	17	10	35	17	105.9
Computer & Information Services	892	12	12	21	24	-12.5
Royalties & License fees	966	13	17	19	28	-32.1
Other Business Services	17,756	239	285	424	555	-23.6
Personal, cultural & recreational Services	0	0	0	0	0	--
Government Services	817	11	30	37	73	-49.3
(D) Total Import of Services	59,208	797	760	1,491	1,529	-2.5
Total Import of Goods & Services (C+D)	293,821	3,950	3,017	7,790	6,192	25.8



Note: - The share is based on the share of commodities in Import Payments through Banks

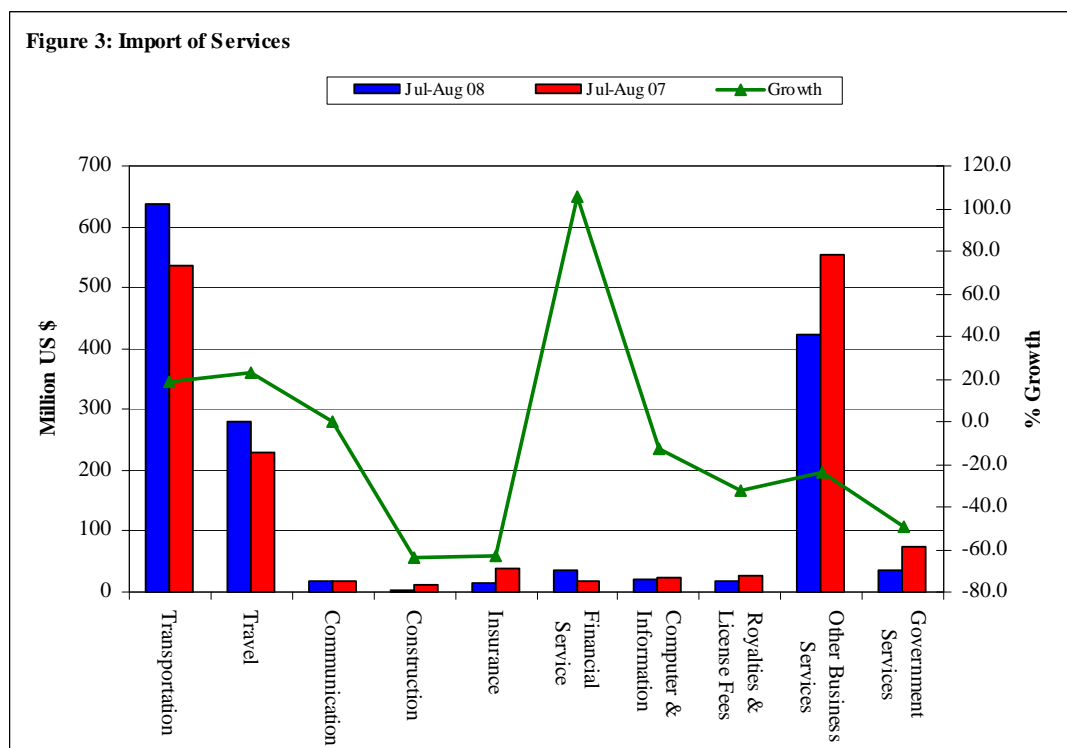
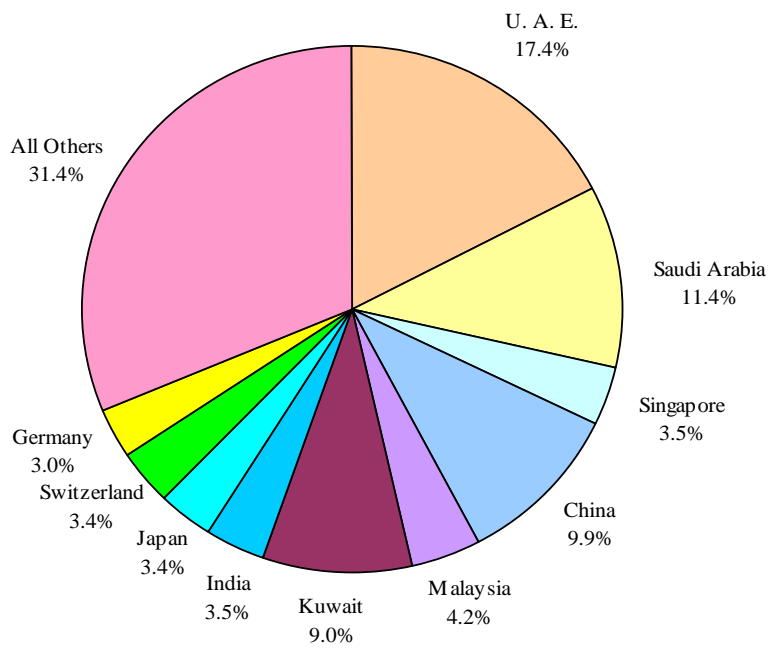


Table 3: Import of Goods &amp; Services by Major Countries

(Amount in Million)

Country	August			July-August		% Change
	2008	2008	2007	2008-09	2007-08	
	Pak Rs.	US \$				
Goods						
I. Total Import Payments (Banks)	243,624	3,279	2,256	6,314	4,718	33.8
U. A. E.	45,815	617	237	1096	608	80.2
Saudi Arabia	32,365	436	250	718	576	24.6
China	23,541	317	229	626	423	48.0
Kuwait	24,189	326	156	570	296	92.5
Malaysia	7,639	103	83	267	165	61.6
Singapore	7,559	102	142	219	283	-22.7
India	6,957	94	84	218	177	23.5
Japan	7,726	104	114	215	225	-4.5
Switzerland	8,929	120	60	213	113	89.2
Germany	8,017	108	80	192	184	4.3
France	7,789	105	35	182	65	179.5
U. S. A.	5,059	68	99	161	216	-25.4
South Korea	6,846	92	43	147	97	52.1
Iran	5,969	80	52	145	98	47.5
Italy	4,537	61	38	133	78	72.2
All Others	40,687	548	554	1213	1115	8.8
II. Freight & Insurance	19,490	262	180	505	377	33.8
III. Other Import Unaccounted by Banks	8,503	110	149	439	262	67.3
(A) Import General Merchandise (I-II+III)	232,637	3,127	2,224	6,248	4,603	35.7
(B) Other Import under BPM5*	1,975	26	33	51	59	-13.8
(C) Import of Goods (A+B)	234,613	3,153	2,257	6,299	4,662	35.1
Services						
U. S. A.	5,459	72	71	194	179	8.6
U. A. E.	5,916	81	69	167	150	11.2
China	6,737	91	89	140	180	-22.3
Saudi Arabia	3,397	45	43	129	91	42.5
U. K.	3,925	52	64	124	122	2.0
France	948	12	14	53	28	90.5
Kuwait	1,990	27	15	28	27	3.2
Singapore	1,582	22	26	26	48	-45.6
Hongkong	950	13	32	21	61	-65.6
Thailand	799	12	11	20	16	29.4
Japan	1302	18	18	19	41	-54.5
Malta	1335	18	20	18	20	-10.2
Germany	1119	15	18	18	34	-47.8
Malaysia	954	13	10	17	20	-19.3
Canada	551	7	12	13	23	-42.1
All Others	22,242	300	250	505	491	2.8
(D) Total Import of Services	59,208	797	760	1,491	1,529	-2.5
Total Import of Goods & Services (C+D)	293,821	3,950	3,017	7,790	6,192	25.8

**Figure 4: % Share of Major Countries in Import Payments (Banks) During Jul-Aug 2008**

Note: % Share is based on Import Payments through Banks

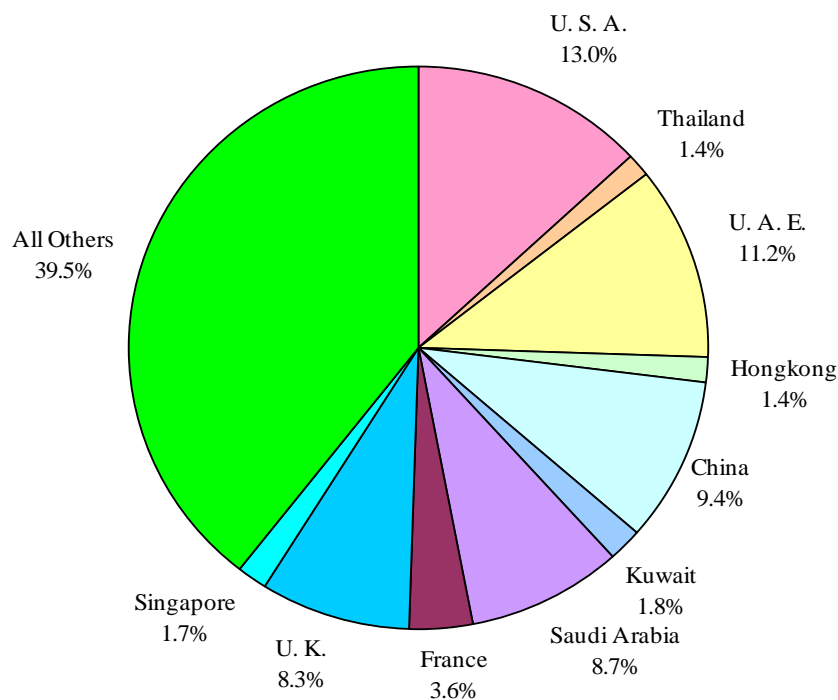
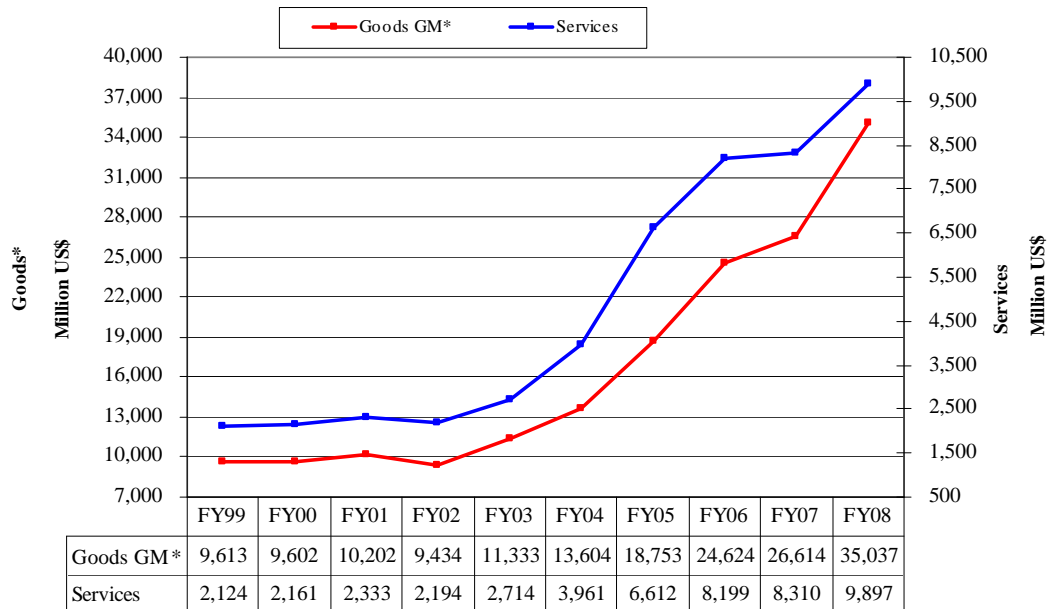
**Figure 5: % Share of Major Countries in Import of Services During Jul-Aug 2008**

Figure 6: Annual Import of Goods &amp; Services from FY99 to FY08



\*General Merchandise

Figure 7: Monthly Imports of Goods &amp; Services

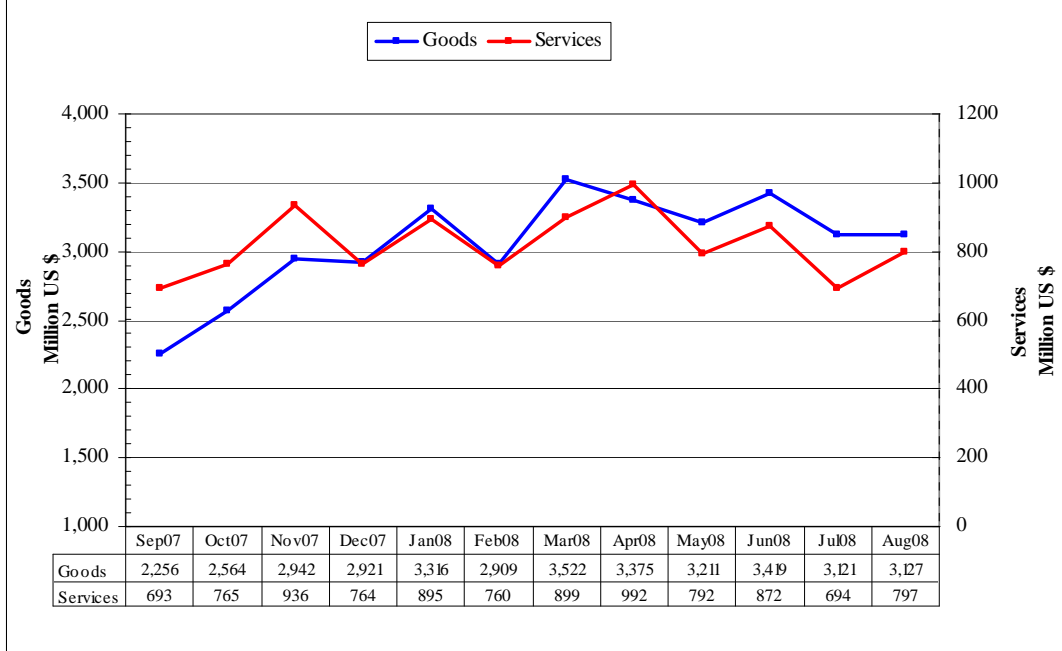


Table 4: Annual, Quarterly &amp; Monthly Import of Goods\*

(Million US\$)

Period	FY00	FY01	FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY08	FY09
Annual	9,602	10,202	9,434	11,333	13,604	18,753	24,624	26,614	35,037	6,248**
Growth (%)	-0.1	6.2	-7.5	20.1	20.0	37.8	31.3	8.1	31.6	
<b>Quarter-wise</b>										
Quarter-I	2,264 (23.6)	2,703 (26.5)	2,412 (25.6)	2,769 (24.4)	3,014 (22.2)	4,122 (22.0)	5,841 (23.7)	6,824 (25.6)	6,859 (19.6)	
Quarter-II	2,531 (26.4)	2,386 (23.4)	2,216 (23.5)	2,853 (25.2)	3,204 (23.6)	4,990 (26.6)	5,974 (24.2)	6,681 (25.1)	8,426 (24.0)	
Quarter-III	2,435 (25.4)	2,670 (26.2)	2,233 (23.7)	2,744 (24.2)	3,602 (26.5)	4,732 (25.2)	6,160 (25.0)	6,358 (23.9)	9,747 (27.8)	
Quarter-IV	2,372 (24.7)	2,443 (23.9)	2,573 (27.3)	2,967 (26.2)	3,784 (27.8)	4,909 (26.2)	6,649 (27.1)	6,751 (25.4)	10,005 (28.6)	
July	690 (7.2)	867 (8.5)	778 (8.2)	943 (8.3)	1,020 (7.5)	1,424 (7.6)	1,749 (7.1)	2,384 (9.0)	2,379 (6.8)	3,121
August	738 (7.7)	918 (9.0)	850 (9.0)	974 (8.6)	930 (6.8)	1,294 (6.9)	2,056 (8.3)	2,267 (8.5)	2,224 (6.3)	3,127
September	836 (8.7)	918 (9.0)	784 (8.3)	852 (7.5)	1,064 (7.8)	1,404 (7.5)	2,036 (8.3)	2,173 (8.2)	2,256 (6.4)	
October	779 (8.1)	816 (8.0)	757 (8.0)	899 (7.9)	1,057 (7.8)	1,598 (8.5)	2,021 (8.2)	2,178 (8.2)	2,564 (7.3)	
November	826 (8.6)	901 (8.8)	735 (7.8)	920 (8.1)	876 (6.4)	1,727 (9.2)	2,024 (8.2)	2,132 (8.0)	2,942 (8.4)	
December	926 (9.6)	669 (6.6)	724 (7.7)	1,034 (9.1)	1,271 (9.3)	1,665 (8.9)	1,929 (7.8)	2,371 (8.9)	2,921 (8.3)	
January	940 (9.8)	1,015 (9.9)	796 (8.4)	924 (8.2)	1,168 (8.6)	1,406 (7.5)	2,037 (8.3)	2,075 (7.8)	3,316 (9.5)	
February	820 (8.5)	770 (7.5)	721 (7.6)	827 (7.3)	1,212 (8.9)	1,568 (8.4)	1,854 (7.5)	2,200 (8.3)	2,909 (8.3)	
March	675 (7.0)	885 (8.7)	716 (7.6)	993 (8.8)	1,222 (9.0)	1,758 (9.4)	2,269 (9.2)	2,083 (7.8)	3,522 (10.1)	
April	723 (7.5)	773 (7.6)	786 (8.3)	979 (8.6)	1,230 (9.0)	1,499 (8.0)	1,656 (6.7)	2,157 (8.1)	3,375 (9.6)	
May	816 (8.5)	804 (7.9)	834 (8.8)	959 (8.5)	1,166 (8.6)	1,719 (9.2)	2,330 (9.5)	2,187 (8.2)	3,211 (9.2)	
June	833 (8.7)	866 (8.5)	953 (10.1)	1,029 (9.1)	1,388 (10.2)	1,691 (9.0)	2,663 (10.9)	2,407 (9.0)	3,419 (9.8)	

Notes: 1. Figures in parentheses are percentage to annual import payments of the respective years

2. Due to rounding off separate items, totals may show minor differences

\* General Merchandise/ Merchandise

\*\* The total include figures for July to current month

**Table 5: Annual, Quarterly & Monthly Import of Services** (Million US\$)

Period	FY99	FY00	FY01	FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY09
Annual	2,161	2,333	2,194	2,714	3,961	6,612	8,199	8,310	9,897	1,491*
Growth (%)	1.7	8.0	-6.0	23.7	45.9	66.9	24.0	1.4	19.1	
<b>Quarter-wise</b>										
Quarter-I	515 (23.8)	577 (24.7)	586 (26.7)	579 (21.3)	799 (20.2)	1,449 (21.9)	1,953 (23.8)	2,039 (24.5)	2,222 (22.5)	694
Quarter-II	535 (24.8)	564 (24.2)	531 (24.2)	586 (21.6)	945 (23.9)	1,669 (25.2)	2,061 (25.1)	2,193 (26.4)	2,465 (24.9)	797
Quarter-III	585 (27.1)	634 (27.2)	552 (25.2)	649 (23.9)	1,097 (27.7)	1,764 (26.7)	2,061 (25.1)	2,014 (24.2)	2,554 (25.8)	
Quarter-IV	526 (24.3)	558 (23.9)	525 (23.9)	900 (33.2)	1,120 (28.3)	1,730 (26.2)	2,124 (25.9)	2,064 (24.8)	2,656 (26.8)	
<b>Month-wise</b>										
July	157 (7.3)	182 (7.8)	178 (8.1)	181 (6.7)	305 (7.7)	432 (6.5)	573 (7.0)	735 (8.8)	769 (7.8)	
August	159 (7.4)	183 (7.8)	189 (8.6)	184 (6.8)	207 (5.2)	473 (7.2)	735 (9.0)	619 (7.4)	760 (7.7)	
September	199 (9.2)	212 (9.1)	219 (10.0)	214 (7.9)	287 (7.2)	544 (8.2)	645 (7.9)	685 (8.2)	693 (7.0)	
October	146 (6.8)	195 (8.4)	190 (8.7)	189 (7.0)	327 (8.3)	525 (7.9)	626 (7.6)	645 (7.8)	765 (7.7)	
November	194 (9.0)	204 (8.7)	180 (8.2)	195 (7.2)	238 (6.0)	489 (7.4)	674 (8.2)	782 (9.4)	936 (9.5)	
December	195 (9.0)	165 (7.1)	161 (7.3)	202 (7.4)	380 (9.6)	655 (9.9)	761 (9.3)	766 (9.2)	764 (7.7)	
January	190 (8.8)	230 (9.9)	159 (7.2)	248 (9.1)	378 (9.5)	539 (8.2)	672 (8.2)	683 (8.2)	895 (9.0)	
February	202 (9.3)	218 (9.3)	166 (7.6)	185 (6.8)	339 (8.6)	561 (8.5)	622 (7.6)	633 (7.6)	760 (7.7)	
March	193 (8.9)	186 (8.0)	227 (10.3)	216 (8.0)	380 (9.6)	664 (10.0)	767 (9.4)	698 (8.4)	899 (9.1)	
April	153 (7.1)	190 (8.1)	166 (7.6)	331 (12.2)	379 (9.6)	610 (9.2)	617 (7.5)	680 (8.2)	992 (10.0)	
May	155 (7.2)	195 (8.4)	147 (6.7)	276 (10.2)	355 (9.0)	582 (8.8)	744 (9.1)	657 (7.9)	792 (8.0)	
June	218 (10.1)	173 (7.4)	212 (9.7)	293 (10.8)	386 (9.7)	538 (8.1)	763 (9.3)	727 (8.7)	872 (8.8)	

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