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U.S. IMPORT AND EXPORT PRICE INDEXES - JULY 2005 -

Prices for U.S. imports rose 1.1 percent in July after a similar increase of 1.0 percent in June, the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor reported today. For the second consecutive month, higher petroleum prices more than offset a decrease in nonpetroleum prices. The price index for U.S. exports advanced 0.1 percent in July following declines in May and June.

Percent changes in import and export price indexes by End Use category - not seasonally adjusted -

Month	IMPORTS			EXPORTS		
	All Imports	Petroleum Imports	Non-petroleum Imports	All Exports	Agricultural Exports	Nonagricultural Exports
<u>2004</u>						
July	0.4	2.3	0.0	0.5	-1.0	0.7
August	1.5	8.8	0.3	-0.5	-8.4	0.3
September	0.5	3.3	0.1	0.4	1.8	0.3
October	1.6	11.1	-0.1	0.6	-1.1	0.8
November	-0.3	-6.0	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.3
December	-1.4	-11.4	0.4	0.1	-1.1	0.2
<u>2005</u>						
January	0.6	2.2	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.8
February	0.9	5.1	0.1	0.1	-0.5	0.1
March	2.2	13.4	0.3	0.7	3.8	0.4
April	0.9	3.6	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.6
May	-1.0	-5.4 r	-0.2	-0.2	2.0 r	-0.5
June	1.0	7.9 r	-0.2 r	-0.1 r	1.0 r	-0.2 r
July	1.1	6.6	-0.1	0.1	-0.2	0.2
July 2003-04	5.6	30.9	2.5	4.5	14.7	3.7
July 2004-05	7.7	43.0	2.2	2.7	-1.9	3.2

r = revised to reflect late reports and corrections by respondents.

Import Goods

The 1.1 percent increase in import prices was the sixth advance in the past seven months. Petroleum prices, up 6.6 percent in July, again led overall import prices higher. The increase followed a 7.9 percent advance in June and petroleum prices rose 43.0 percent over the past year. The July price index for petroleum imports was at its highest level since publication began in 1982. In contrast, nonpetroleum prices fell a modest 0.1 percent in July, the third decline in a row. The index, however, had decreased only once over the 18 months prior to May. Nonpetroleum prices increased 2.2 percent for the year ended in July, while overall import prices rose 7.7 percent over the same period.

The July decrease in nonpetroleum import prices was led by a 0.7 percent decline in capital goods prices, the largest drop for the index since a similar decrease in October 2002. The July decrease in capital goods prices was attributable to a 2.1 percent decline in prices for computers, peripherals, and semiconductors. Despite the 0.7 percent decrease in July, capital goods prices fell only 0.5 percent over the past 12 months. The price index for consumer goods also contributed to the July decrease in nonpetroleum prices, dipping 0.2 percent. Prices of consumer goods increased 1.2 percent for the July 2004-2005 period despite the recent decline.

Prices for nonpetroleum industrial supplies and materials increased 0.7 percent in July, after declining in each of the two previous months. Higher prices for natural gas and chemicals more than offset lower building materials and metals prices. Nonpetroleum industrial supplies and materials prices increased 7.4 percent over the past 12 months.

The price indexes for foods, feeds, and beverages and for automotive vehicles were both unchanged in July. Foods, feeds, and beverages prices increased 6.2 percent over the past year, while prices for automotive vehicles advanced 1.0 percent over the same period.

Export Goods

Export prices ticked up 0.1 percent in July after declines of 0.2 percent and 0.1 percent for the previous two months. A 0.2 percent upturn for nonagricultural prices, which had fallen in May and June, more than outweighed a 0.2 percent downturn for agricultural prices. Agricultural prices had risen 7.3 percent over the four months prior to July, but were down 1.9 percent over the past 12 months. Nonagricultural prices resumed trending up in July after declining 0.7 percent over the previous two months. Nonagricultural prices and overall export prices increased 3.2 percent and 2.7 percent, respectively, over the past year.

Led primarily by higher fuel prices, the price index for nonagricultural industrial supplies and materials increased 0.8 percent in July. The July rise resumed the upward trend for the index following declines of 1.4 percent and 0.5 percent, respectively, for the two previous months. Nonagricultural industrial supplies and materials prices were up 9.9 percent over the past 12 months. The price index for automotive vehicles also increased in July, rising 0.2 percent for the month and 1.3 percent over the past year.

In contrast, capital goods prices declined 0.3 percent in July, driven by lower prices for computers, peripherals and semiconductors. Excluding computers, capital goods prices rose a modest 0.1 percent. Despite recording no monthly increases since February, overall capital goods prices were up 0.3 percent for the year ended in July.

The price index for consumer goods was unchanged in July following modest declines in May and June. Consumer goods prices were up 0.7 percent over the past year.

Imports by Locality of Origin

Import prices from Canada and from Mexico were up 1.1 percent and 1.5 percent, respectively, in July; the advance for both indexes was largely attributable to higher fuel prices. Both increases were the largest since March. Prices of imports from Canada advanced 8.0 percent over the past 12 months, while import prices from Mexico increased 9.6 percent over the same period.

The price index of imports from the European Union declined 0.3 percent in July as a 0.4 percent drop in manufactured goods more than offset a petroleum-driven 3.0 percent increase in nonmanufactured goods. Import prices from Europe rose 4.8 percent for the year ended in July.

Prices of imports from China and from Japan declined as well in July, decreasing 0.2 percent and 0.1 percent, respectively. The drop in import prices from China followed a modest 0.1 percent decline in June and the index decreased 1.2 percent over the past year. Import prices from Japan fell 0.1 percent in July, the fourth such decline over the past five months. Despite those recent declines, the index increased 0.4 percent for the July 2004-2005 period.

Import and Export Services

Import air passenger fares increased 3.0 percent in July following a 10.2 percent jump in June. The July increase was led by a 6.4 percent rise in Asian fares and a 7.4 percent advance in Latin American and Caribbean fares. Notwithstanding the recent increases, import air passenger fares rose a modest 4.3 percent over the past year. Export air passenger fares increased 8.1 percent last month following a 4.5 percent drop in June and were up 13.7 percent for the year ended in July.

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 Import and Export Price Index data for August are scheduled for release on September 9 at 8:30 A.M. (E.D.T.).

Table 1 U.S. Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

END USE	Description	Relative Importance June 2005 1/	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual July 2004 to July 2005	Monthly			
						March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
	ALL COMMODITIES.....	100.000	108.8	110.0	7.7	0.9	-1.0	1.0	1.1
	ALL IMPORTS EXCLUDING PETROLEUM.....	82.761	102.0	101.9	2.2	0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-0.1
	ALL IMPORTS EXCLUDING FUELS (Dec. 2001=100).....	80.645	104.9	104.6	1.8	0.2	-0.2	-0.1	-0.3
0	FOODS, FEEDS, & BEVERAGES.....	4.649	114.2	114.2	6.2	-0.3	0.1	-1.3	0.0
00	Agricultural foods, feeds & beverages, excluding distilled beverages.....	3.455	123.8	123.2	7.6	-0.2	0.2	-1.5	-0.5
01	Nonagricultural foods (fish, distilled beverages).....	1.194	92.9	94.1	2.5	-0.5	-0.3	-0.3	1.3
1	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS.....	33.147	143.9	149.3	23.8	2.8	-3.3	3.6	3.8
	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS EXCLUDING PETROLEUM.....	15.908	119.9	120.7	7.4	1.9	-1.1	-0.8	0.7
	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS EXCLUDING FUELS (Dec. 2001=100).....	13.792	127.3	126.9	5.7	0.5	-0.9	-0.2	-0.3
	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS, DURABLE.....	8.460	119.6	118.4	5.0	0.3	-1.2	-0.1	-1.0
	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS, NONDURABLE EXCLUDING PETROLEUM.....	7.448	120.3	123.4	10.3	4.0	-1.0	-1.6	2.6
10	Fuels & lubricants.....	19.357	174.9	186.5	40.0	4.5	-5.0	6.5	6.6
100	Petroleum & petroleum products.....	17.240	178.0	189.8	43.0	3.6	-5.4	7.9	6.6
10000	Crude.....	12.950	181.4	192.9	44.1	1.3	-4.6	9.6	6.3
11	Paper & paper base stocks.....	0.979	103.9	104.5	4.5	0.9	-0.2	-0.6	0.6
12	Materials associated with nondurable supplies & materials.....	4.465	113.1	114.1	7.1	0.9	-0.4	-0.4	0.9
13	Selected building materials.....	2.089	117.9	114.7	-2.5	-2.0	-3.7	1.8	-2.7
14	Unfinished metals related to durable goods.....	3.219	139.8	138.7	10.0	1.4	-0.8	-1.1	-0.8
15	Finished metals related to durable goods.....	1.461	116.6	116.8	7.0	1.0	-0.1	-0.3	0.2
16	Nonmetals related to durable goods.....	1.579	100.8	100.3	1.8	0.3	-0.1	-0.2	-0.5
2	CAPITAL GOODS.....	21.471	92.3	91.7	-0.5	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.7
20	Electric generating equipment.....	2.535	98.5	98.5	1.0	0.1	-0.3	-0.1	0.0
21	Nonelectrical machinery.....	17.054	89.8	89.0	-1.1	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.9
22	Transportation equipment excluding motor vehicles (Dec. 2001=100).....	1.882	105.9	106.3	2.4	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4
3	AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES, PARTS & ENGINES.....	15.800	103.3	103.3	1.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
4	CONSUMER GOODS, EXCLUDING AUTOMOTIVES.....	24.933	99.9	99.7	1.2	-0.1	0.1	0.0	-0.2
40	Nondurables, manufactured.....	12.359	102.8	102.9	1.9	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.1
41	Durables, manufactured.....	11.321	96.7	96.4	0.5	-0.3	0.1	0.1	-0.3
42	Nonmanufactured consumer goods.....	1.254	101.8	100.1	2.8	0.0	2.7	-1.2	-1.7

1 Relative importance figures are based on 2003 trade values.

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Table 2 U.S. Export Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

END USE	Description	Relative Importance	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual	Monthly			
					July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
	ALL COMMODITIES.....	100.000	106.6	106.7	2.7	0.5	-0.2	-0.1	0.1
	AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES.....	9.089	123.9	123.7	-1.9	0.3	2.0	1.0	-0.2
	NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES.....	90.910	105.3	105.5	3.2	0.6	-0.5	-0.2	0.2
0	FOODS, FEEDS, & BEVERAGES.....	8.290	125.0	125.0	-2.3	0.1	2.1	1.1	0.0
00	Agricultural foods, feeds & beverages, excluding distilled beverages.....	7.533	125.5	125.3	-3.5	0.2	2.4	1.4	-0.2
01	Nonagricultural foods (fish, distilled beverages).....	0.757	119.7	121.9	10.7	-0.7	-0.2	-0.7	1.8
1	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS.....	28.740	121.9	122.9	9.7	1.5	-1.2	-0.6	0.8
	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS, DURABLE.....	10.463	122.7	122.9	6.5	1.4	-0.6	-0.6	0.2
	INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS, NONDURABLE.....	18.278	121.6	122.9	11.5	1.6	-1.5	-0.5	1.1
10	Agricultural industrial supplies & materials.....	1.556	116.2	116.5	6.9	1.2	0.1	-0.8	0.3
	NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES & MATERIALS.....	27.185	122.4	123.4	9.9	1.5	-1.4	-0.5	0.8
11	Fuels & lubricants.....	3.734	148.3	158.2	33.4	5.9	-4.7	2.2	6.7
12	Nonagricultural supplies & materials excluding fuels & building materials.....	22.289	120.2	120.1	6.9	0.9	-0.8	-1.1	-0.1
13	Selected building materials.....	1.162	106.1	105.8	2.9	0.1	0.2	0.5	-0.3
2	CAPITAL GOODS.....	39.815	98.4	98.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	-0.3
20	Electrical generating equipment.....	3.832	104.0	104.2	2.0	-0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
21	Nonelectrical machinery.....	29.160	93.7	93.3	-0.7	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.4
22	Transportation equipment excluding motor vehicles (Dec. 2001=100).....	6.823	111.8	111.9	4.0	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
3	AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES, PARTS & ENGINES.....	11.040	103.5	103.7	1.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2
4	CONSUMER GOODS, EXCLUDING AUTOMOTIVES.....	12.079	101.6	101.6	0.7	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.0
40	Nondurables, manufactured.....	6.033	101.2	100.9	0.1	0.3	-0.2	-0.4	-0.3
41	Durables, manufactured.....	5.244	101.6	101.7	0.9	0.2	-0.1	0.0	0.1
42	Nonmanufactured consumer goods (Dec. 2001=100).....	0.802	102.9	104.8	4.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	1.8

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SITC Rev. 3	Description	Relative Import- ance June 2005 <u>1/</u>	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual July 2004 to July 2005	Monthly			
						March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
	ALL COMMODITIES.....	100.000	108.8	110.0	7.7	0.9	-1.0	1.0	1.1
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS.....	3.623	114.2	114.2	6.3	-0.9	0.1	-2.0	0.0
01	Meat and meat preparations.....	0.413	138.7	138.9	3.9	0.4	1.5	0.1	0.1
03	Fish, crustaceans, aquatic invertebrates and preparations thereof.....	0.872	87.6	89.2	3.6	-0.2	-0.6	-0.2	1.8
05	Vegetables, fruit and nuts, fresh or dried.....	0.863	108.6	108.8	6.6	-3.3	-0.2	-7.5	0.2
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof.....	0.510	127.0	119.3	16.2	-1.0	-2.8	1.4	-6.1
<u>2/</u>	Other food and live animals.....	0.965	132.7	134.2	5.6	0.5	1.9	-0.9	1.1
1	BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO.....	0.925	108.4	108.6	2.5	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2
11	Beverages.....	0.831	108.9	109.1	2.5	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.2
2	CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS.....	1.900	130.7	128.6	2.3	-0.4	-1.8	-1.0	-1.6
24	Cork and wood.....	0.691	127.0	122.2	-7.5	-3.2	-7.5	3.6	-3.8
25	Woodpulp and recovered paper.....	0.223	103.6	102.8	-4.8	0.8	-1.6	-3.9	-0.8
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap.....	0.384	177.3	183.7	26.4	3.9	-1.0	-2.5	3.6
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.....	0.232	111.7	100.8	-0.4	-0.8	12.7	-9.0	-9.8
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS.....	18.724	176.2	187.9	40.3	4.3	-5.0	6.9	6.6
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials....	16.801	179.3	191.2	43.8	3.3	-5.3	8.4	6.6
34	Gas, natural and manufactured.....	1.923	147.9	157.7	17.0	10.6	-2.4	-6.0	6.6
5	CHEMICALS AND RELATED PRODUCTS, N.E.S.....	8.379	111.8	113.2	8.2	1.6	-1.0	-1.0	1.3
51	Organic chemicals.....	2.701	108.2	112.0	10.8	3.1	-3.3	-3.0	3.5
52	Inorganic chemicals.....	0.704	138.2	141.1	15.5	2.2	1.6	2.3	2.1
53	Dyeing, tanning and coloring materials.....	0.190	101.0	101.0	2.7	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.0
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products.....	2.547	110.3	110.4	2.9	0.5	-0.4	-0.1	0.1
55	Essential oils; polishing and cleansing preps.....	0.412	94.5	94.4	1.0	-0.1	-0.9	0.0	-0.1
57	Plastics in primary forms.....	0.670	125.3	125.5	16.4	0.6	0.2	-1.3	0.2
58	Plastics in nonprimary forms.....	0.378	107.2	106.6	3.5	0.5	0.0	0.3	-0.6
59	Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.....	0.560	102.6	102.3	8.0	2.6	1.3	-0.5	-0.3
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL.....	11.676	112.8	112.3	5.8	0.3	-0.3	0.0	-0.4
62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.....	0.673	104.4	104.2	3.7	0.7	0.0	0.2	-0.2
63	Cork and wood manufactures other than furniture.....	0.801	116.1	108.8	-2.9	-3.5	-4.9	2.5	-6.3
64	Paper and paperboard, cut to size.....	1.214	102.1	103.8	7.7	1.1	0.3	0.4	1.7
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles, n.e.s., and related prod.....	1.335	103.9	103.5	-0.6	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.4
66	Nonmetallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.....	2.093	101.4	101.4	2.1	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0
67	Iron and steel.....	1.546	161.9	158.2	8.4	0.1	0.1	-0.2	-2.3
68	Nonferrous metals.....	1.855	117.8	119.0	16.3	2.1	0.3	-0.8	1.0
69	Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.....	2.070	108.6	108.4	5.6	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.2

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7	MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT.....	38.288	95.0	94.6	-0.4	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.4
71	Power generating machinery and equipment.....	2.487	103.7	103.8	2.5	0.1	-0.1	-0.1	0.1
72	Machinery specialized for particular industries.....	1.653	110.9	110.7	3.3	0.4	0.2	-0.4	-0.2
73	Metalworking machinery.....	0.450	120.4	118.8	11.0	3.1	2.5	0.1	-1.3
74	General industrial machinery, equipment, & machine parts, n.e.s.....	3.062	107.3	107.5	3.4	0.5	-0.1	0.1	0.2
75	Computer equipment and office machines.....	5.223	70.6	68.9	-8.0	0.0	-0.6	-0.3	-2.4
76	Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment.....	4.880	82.2	81.8	-3.0	-1.0	0.4	0.0	-0.5
77	Electrical machinery and equipment.....	6.046	94.3	93.9	-0.7	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.4
78	Road vehicles.....	13.158	103.8	103.9	1.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.....	16.055	101.0	100.9	0.9	0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1
81	Prefabricated buildings; plumbing, heat & lighting fixtures, n.e.s.....	0.451	96.3	96.3	3.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
82	Furniture and parts thereof.....	1.921	106.5	106.3	3.7	0.2	0.0	-0.2	-0.2
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers.....	0.376	106.7	106.6	3.1	0.0	-0.2	0.0	-0.1
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories.....	5.038	100.4	100.4	-0.4	-0.1	-0.2	0.0	0.0
85	Footwear.....	1.163	100.4	101.0	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.6
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.....	1.787	101.4	101.1	1.2	0.6	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.....	0.858	99.1	98.7	0.5	0.2	-0.2	0.0	-0.4
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.....	4.460	99.6	99.5	0.9	0.2	0.0	0.1	-0.1

1 Relative importance figures are based on 2003 trade values.

2 Product categories included in this group have been modified due to concordance or coverage limitations.

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Table 4 U.S. Export Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
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			June 2005	July 2005	Annual	Monthly			
					July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
	ALL COMMODITIES.....	100.000	106.6	106.7	2.7	0.5	-0.2	-0.1	0.1
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS.....	6.685	124.2	124.1	3.6	0.8	2.3	0.2	-0.1
01	Meat and meat preparations.....	1.305	139.8	137.0	11.4	3.4	5.5	-0.3	-2.0
03	Fish, crustaceans, aquatic invertebrates and preparations thereof.....	0.467	110.0	112.3	4.6	-1.3	0.0	0.2	2.1
04	Cereals and cereal preparations.....	1.621	118.7	120.5	-5.9	-3.7	-0.7	2.2	1.5
05	Vegetables, fruit and nuts, fresh or dried.....	1.637	133.6	131.3	19.4	4.2	5.4	-2.8	-1.7
08	Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals).....	0.607	118.5	121.8	-12.2	1.4	1.4	1.4	2.8
09	Miscellaneous edible products and preparations.....	0.504	108.0	108.0	6.3	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0
<u>2/</u>	Other food and live animals.....	0.543	114.1	113.5	1.5	0.6	0.3	4.2	-0.5
1	BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO.....	0.680	102.6	101.6	-0.2	0.6	-0.1	-0.1	-1.0
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures.....	0.420	101.6	101.7	1.4	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1
2	CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS.....	5.608	130.4	130.7	-1.1	1.4	-0.5	1.4	0.2
22	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits.....	1.234	136.5	137.1	-25.7	-3.3	2.5	6.9	0.4
24	Cork and wood.....	0.509	97.6	96.4	-2.5	-0.5	-0.6	-0.2	-1.2
25	Woodpulp and recovered paper.....	0.659	101.2	99.4	-0.7	-1.2	0.0	-0.6	-1.8
26	Textile fibers and their waste.....	0.608	103.1	105.0	2.0	1.4	-0.6	-1.8	1.8
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap.....	1.475	213.6	216.0	13.6	7.7	-4.3	0.4	1.1
<u>2/</u>	Other crude materials, inedible, except fuels.....	1.123	128.8	128.2	14.4	0.8	1.3	0.9	-0.5
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS.....	3.098	180.0	193.7	40.9	7.6	-4.3	3.3	7.6
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials....	2.380	186.6	198.1	47.3	9.0	-6.5	4.7	6.2
5	CHEMICALS AND RELATED PRODUCTS, N.E.S.....	14.697	115.1	115.8	8.2	0.7	-0.9	-1.4	0.6
51	Organic chemicals.....	3.446	125.1	128.5	10.7	1.5	-2.0	-3.8	2.7
52	Inorganic chemicals.....	0.971	121.8	124.3	22.9	-0.2	1.1	0.6	2.1
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products.....	2.688	107.5	106.9	-0.9	0.3	-0.3	-0.4	-0.6
55	Essential oils; polishing and cleansing preps.....	1.080	112.4	112.2	7.8	1.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2
56	Fertilizers.....	0.450	149.8	152.0	9.6	3.3	0.1	0.9	1.5
57	Plastics in primary forms.....	2.609	122.2	122.1	16.5	0.1	-2.8	-2.1	-0.1
58	Plastics in nonprimary forms.....	0.941	103.8	104.1	7.1	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.3
59	Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.....	1.890	106.2	105.4	0.8	0.7	-0.1	-0.4	-0.8
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL.....	10.482	113.6	113.6	4.9	0.5	-0.2	-0.4	0.0
62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.....	0.704	115.4	116.7	4.4	0.5	0.3	0.0	1.1
64	Uncoated Paper/paperboard, and linerboard.....	1.467	103.8	102.9	1.7	-0.2	0.0	0.2	-0.9
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, and made-up articles, n.e.s.....	1.598	110.6	110.5	4.5	1.3	-0.1	0.2	-0.1
66	Nonmetallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.....	1.572	103.5	104.4	4.5	0.3	0.0	1.0	0.9
67	Iron and steel.....	1.366	158.5	153.9	0.1	0.0	-1.0	-2.4	-2.9
68	Nonferrous metals.....	1.189	105.9	106.3	11.4	2.0	-0.7	-2.4	0.4
69	Manufactures of metals, n.e.s.....	2.183	118.3	119.6	8.2	0.4	0.2	-0.1	1.1

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Table 4 U.S. Export Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

SITC Rev. 3	Description	Relative Import- ance	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual July 2004 to July 2005	Monthly			
						March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
<u>2/</u>	Other manufactured goods classified chiefly by material (Dec. 2001=100).....	0.404	118.2	117.1	3.4	0.7	0.3	-0.3	-0.9
7	MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT.....	46.702	98.7	98.5	0.3	-0.1	0.1	0.0	-0.2
71	Power generating machinery and equipment.....	4.559	111.3	111.4	2.3	-0.2	0.0	0.0	0.1
72	Machinery specialized for particular industries.....	3.624	110.8	111.4	5.4	1.2	0.0	0.1	0.5
73	Metalworking machinery.....	0.606	103.8	103.4	3.6	1.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.4
74	General industrial machinery, equipment, & parts, n.e.s.....	4.692	109.4	109.4	4.0	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.0
75	Computer equipment and office machines.....	5.118	80.8	79.1	-8.7	-1.0	-0.4	-0.5	-2.1
76	Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment.....	3.093	89.7	89.7	-2.0	-0.7	0.0	-0.2	0.0
77	Electrical machinery and equipment.....	11.370	87.6	87.3	-1.1	-0.2	-0.1	0.2	-0.3
78	Road vehicles.....	8.657	103.2	103.4	1.0	-0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.....	10.988	102.1	102.2	1.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3	0.1
82	Furniture and parts thereof.....	0.594	104.1	104.3	1.7	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories.....	0.753	96.9	96.7	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.2	-0.2
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, n.e.s.....	4.244	103.1	103.6	1.9	0.1	-0.4	0.0	0.5
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, n.e.s.....	0.931	96.4	96.2	0.8	0.1	0.3	-0.3	-0.2
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.....	4.093	102.9	102.8	0.8	-0.4	-0.2	-0.8	-0.1
<u>2/</u>	Other miscellaneous manufactured articles.....	0.373	109.5	109.7	1.9	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.2

1 Relative importance figures are based on 2003 trade values.

2 Product categories included in this group have been modified due to concordance or coverage limitations.

NOTES: Data may be revised in each of the three months after original publication.
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Table 5 U.S. Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Harmonized System	Description	Relative Importance	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual	Monthly			
					July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
I	LIVE ANIMALS; ANIMAL PRODUCTS.....	1.420	114.0	115.8	3.1	-0.5	1.7	-1.1	1.6
02	Meat and edible meat offal.....	0.366	138.7	139.0	1.3	-0.3	2.0	-0.7	0.2
03	Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates.....	0.705	88.3	90.6	6.1	-0.1	-0.3	0.1	2.6
2/	Other live animals; animal products.....	0.349	155.8	157.1	-2.2	-1.6	5.7	-4.0	0.8
II	VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.....	1.232	116.6	111.9	12.7	-3.6	2.3	-5.5	-4.0
07	Edible vegetables, roots, and tubers.....	0.303	133.9	138.6	38.6	-9.3	1.2	-18.0	3.5
08	Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons.....	0.315	90.8	87.6	-9.1	0.4	-0.4	0.2	-3.5
09	Coffee, tea, mate and spices.....	0.293	126.3	113.7	29.8	-2.6	-1.1	4.0	-10.0
2/	Other vegetable products.....	0.322	125.3	117.5	6.7	-1.0	9.5	-5.3	-6.2
IV	PREPARED FOODSTUFFS, BEVERAGES, AND TOBACCO.....	2.185	113.7	114.1	3.9	0.9	-0.4	-0.1	0.4
20	Preparations of vegetables, fruit, nuts, or other parts of plants.....	0.242	100.8	101.2	0.3	1.0	-1.6	-0.8	0.4
22	Beverages, spirits, and vinegar.....	0.845	106.7	106.9	2.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
2/	Other prepared foodstuffs.....	1.099	123.0	123.7	5.9	1.5	-0.6	-0.2	0.6
V	MINERAL PRODUCTS.....	19.250	175.3	186.8	39.9	4.5	-5.0	6.8	6.6
27	Mineral fuels, oils and residuals, bituminous substances and mineral wax.....	18.936	174.7	186.4	40.5	4.5	-5.1	6.9	6.7
2/	Other mineral products (Dec. 2001=100).....	0.314	124.3	123.9	12.1	1.9	0.4	0.1	-0.3
VI	PRODUCTS OF THE CHEMICAL OR ALLIED INDUSTRIES.....	7.558	110.7	112.7	8.0	2.0	-1.3	-1.1	1.8
28	Inorganic chemicals.....	0.746	135.3	138.3	15.5	2.4	1.6	2.4	2.2
29	Organic chemicals.....	2.975	108.1	112.3	10.9	3.8	-3.4	-3.1	3.9
30	Pharmaceutical products.....	2.250	111.0	111.2	3.9	0.5	-0.4	0.0	0.2
32	Tanning & dyeing extracts; dye & pigments; varnish & paints; putty.....	0.193	101.5	101.5	4.0	0.7	1.1	0.0	0.0
33	Essential oils and resinoids (Dec. 2001=100).....	0.356	106.0	106.0	0.8	-0.1	-1.3	0.0	0.0
38	Miscellaneous chemical products.....	0.390	94.0	93.7	1.8	0.6	0.3	-0.6	-0.3
2/	Other products of the chemical or allied industries.....	0.504	128.4	128.4	10.9	0.9	-0.1	0.0	0.0
VII	PLASTICS AND ARTICLES THEREOF; RUBBER AND ARTICLES THEREOF.....	2.787	113.5	113.4	6.2	0.4	-0.1	0.0	-0.1
39	Plastics and articles thereof.....	1.882	114.1	113.5	7.1	0.4	-0.1	-0.3	-0.5
40	Rubber and articles thereof.....	0.905	112.3	113.1	4.4	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.7
VIII	RAW HIDES, SKINS, LEATHER, FURSKINS, TRAVEL GOODS, ETC.....	0.670	104.1	103.9	2.5	0.2	-0.1	0.0	-0.2
42	Articles of leather; travel goods, bags, etc. of various materials.....	0.574	104.3	104.2	2.4	0.2	-0.2	0.1	-0.1
IX	WOOD, WOOD CHARCOAL, CORK, STRAW, BASKETWARE AND WICKERWORK.....	1.526	124.3	118.7	-4.7	-2.8	-5.0	2.6	-4.5
X	WOODPULP, RECOVERED PAPER, AND PAPER PRODUCTS.....	1.730	102.5	103.6	4.6	0.9	0.0	-0.1	1.1
47	Pulp wood or other fibrous cellulosic material; waste paper/paperboard.....	0.221	103.2	102.4	-4.8	0.9	-1.6	-3.9	-0.8
48	Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper or paperboard.....	1.218	101.2	102.9	7.7	1.0	0.4	0.5	1.7
49	Printed matter.....	0.291	112.6	112.7	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
XI	TEXTILE AND TEXTILE ARTICLES.....	5.978	100.3	100.1	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2
61	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted.....	2.177	99.3	99.3	-0.7	-0.3	-0.4	0.0	0.0

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Table 5 U.S. Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Harmonized System	Description	Relative Importance	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual	Monthly			
					July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
62	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted.....	2.454	99.8	99.7	-0.3	-0.2	0.1	0.1	-0.1
63	Made-up or worn textile articles.....	0.484	92.6	92.6	-1.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<u>2/</u>	Other textile & textile articles.....	0.863	108.1	107.3	1.5	-0.3	-0.3	-0.6	-0.7
XII	HEADGEAR, UMBRELLAS, ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, ETC.....	1.377	99.9	100.3	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.4
64	Footwear and parts of such articles.....	1.160	100.3	100.8	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.5
<u>2/</u>	Other footwear, headgear, umbrellas, whips, art. flowers, etc.....	0.217	97.7	97.6	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.0	-0.1
XIII	STONE, PLASTER, CEMENT, ASBESTOS, CERAMICS, GLASS ETC.....	0.984	105.4	105.3	1.6	0.0	-0.1	0.3	-0.1
68	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, or mica (Dec. 2001=100).....	0.303	99.3	99.5	1.5	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.2
69	Ceramic products.....	0.344	111.6	111.4	3.3	0.3	-0.1	0.5	-0.2
70	Glass and glassware.....	0.337	104.2	103.9	0.1	-0.2	-0.4	-0.2	-0.3
XIV	PEARLS, STONES, PRECIOUS METALS, IMITATION JEWELRY, AND COINS.....	2.329	98.3	99.1	5.7	0.7	-0.2	0.4	0.8
XV	BASE METALS AND ARTICLES OF BASE METAL.....	5.311	132.1	131.4	9.6	1.1	-0.1	-0.8	-0.5
72	Iron and steel.....	1.268	170.6	164.6	5.2	0.6	-0.2	-1.0	-3.5
73	Articles of iron or steel.....	1.439	122.6	123.1	11.2	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.4
74	Copper and articles thereof.....	0.431	143.0	152.2	25.0	1.4	0.8	-0.3	6.4
76	Aluminum and articles thereof.....	0.834	113.2	111.9	3.9	1.7	-1.1	-3.4	-1.1
82	Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof.....	0.419	105.8	105.4	1.5	0.4	0.0	0.1	-0.4
83	Miscellaneous articles of base metal.....	0.449	112.6	111.9	4.5	0.1	-0.3	0.0	-0.6
<u>2/</u>	Other base metals and articles of base metals.....	0.470	134.8	133.2	23.1	3.9	1.4	0.4	-1.2
XVI	MACHINERY, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, TV IMAGE & SOUND RECORDERS, PARTS, ETC.....	23.525	89.8	89.1	-1.5	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.8
84	Machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	12.288	90.2	89.3	-1.5	0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-1.0
85	Electrical machinery and equip, sound and TV recorders & reproducers, parts.....	11.237	89.3	88.9	-1.6	-0.3	0.0	-0.1	-0.4
XVII	VEHICLES, AIRCRAFT, VESSELS AND ASSOCIATED TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT.....	14.618	104.3	104.4	1.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
87	Motor vehicles and their parts.....	13.358	103.8	103.8	1.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
88	Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof (Dec. 2002=100).....	1.101	105.5	105.7	3.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
XVIII	OPTICAL, PHOTO, MEASURING, MEDICAL & MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS; & TIMEPIECES.....	3.259	100.0	99.9	0.9	0.3	-0.1	-0.1	-0.1
90	Optical, photographic, measuring and medical instruments.....	2.883	99.1	98.9	0.8	0.3	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2
91	Clocks and watches and parts thereof.....	0.270	107.6	107.3	-0.4	0.7	-0.1	-0.2	-0.3
XX	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.....	4.057	99.5	99.3	1.7	0.3	0.0	0.0	-0.2
94	Furniture & stuffed furnishings; lamps & lighting fittings, nesoi; prefab bldg.....	2.316	103.5	103.3	3.4	0.2	-0.1	-0.1	-0.2
95	Toys, games and sports equipment; parts and accessories thereof.....	1.518	94.5	94.4	-0.4	0.3	0.0	0.3	-0.1
96	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.....	0.223	100.2	100.0	1.7	0.9	0.1	0.0	-0.2

1 Relative importance figures are based on 2003 trade values.

2 Product categories included in this group have been modified due to concordance or coverage limitations.

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Table 6 U.S. Export Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Harmonized System	Description	Relative Importance	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual	Monthly			
					July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
I	LIVE ANIMALS; ANIMAL PRODUCTS.....	1.974	130.8	129.4	10.0	2.3	3.9	0.1	-1.1
03	Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates.....	0.434	114.2	117.0	11.4	-1.6	-0.2	-0.3	2.5
II	VEGETABLE PRODUCTS.....	4.317	130.3	130.5	-5.6	-1.2	2.6	1.8	0.2
08	Edible fruit and nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons.....	0.871	126.5	123.2	14.9	2.6	2.8	0.5	-2.6
10	Cereals.....	1.369	118.1	119.9	-6.8	-4.4	-0.8	2.6	1.5
12	Oilseeds and misc. grains, seeds, fruits, plants, straw and fodder.....	1.411	136.2	136.7	-21.8	-2.9	2.1	6.0	0.4
IV	PREPARED FOODSTUFFS, BEVERAGES, AND TOBACCO.....	2.589	110.1	110.7	-1.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations.....	0.464	109.4	109.4	6.8	0.9	-0.3	0.3	0.0
23	Residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal feed.....	0.523	119.6	123.3	-16.7	1.1	2.0	2.4	3.1
<u>2/</u>	Other prepared foods.....	0.853	108.1	107.7	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.0	-0.4
V	MINERAL PRODUCTS.....	3.871	181.8	194.1	42.4	7.9	-3.6	2.1	6.8
27	Mineral fuels, oils and residuals, bituminous substances and mineral wax.....	3.088	171.9	183.9	38.1	7.3	-4.4	3.0	7.0
VI	PRODUCTS OF THE CHEMICAL OR ALLIED INDUSTRIES.....	11.613	114.3	113.9	4.6	0.7	-0.4	-1.4	-0.3
28	Inorganic chemicals.....	1.066	129.3	130.3	24.5	0.2	1.1	0.6	0.8
29	Organic chemicals.....	3.755	121.8	121.0	3.8	0.9	-1.5	-3.8	-0.7
30	Pharmaceutical products.....	2.253	107.4	106.7	-0.9	0.3	-0.3	-0.5	-0.7
31	Fertilizers.....	0.445	145.2	147.3	9.6	3.4	0.1	1.0	1.4
32	Tanning or dyeing extracts, dyes, paints, varnish, putty, & inks.....	0.645	107.1	107.3	8.9	-0.3	-0.3	-0.2	0.2
33	Essential oils and resinoids; perfumery, cosmetic or toilet.....	0.777	113.4	113.1	6.6	0.8	-0.1	-0.1	-0.3
34	Soap; lubricants; waxes, polishing or scouring products; candles, pastes.....	0.391	104.2	104.0	0.3	1.2	0.4	0.0	-0.2
37	Photographic or cinematographic goods.....	0.421	105.3	104.4	5.6	1.5	1.4	-0.6	-0.9
38	Miscellaneous chemical products.....	1.626	106.3	105.8	1.4	0.9	0.1	-0.3	-0.5
VII	PLASTICS AND ARTICLES THEREOF; RUBBER AND ARTICLES THEREOF.....	5.628	118.5	118.5	10.9	0.0	-1.2	-1.2	0.0
39	Plastics and articles thereof.....	4.596	116.6	116.6	11.2	-0.2	-1.6	-1.5	0.0
40	Rubber and articles thereof.....	1.032	125.7	125.9	9.9	0.7	1.0	0.2	0.2
VIII	RAW HIDES, SKINS, LEATHER, FURSKINS, TRAVEL GOODS, ETC.....	0.494	113.7	114.6	3.8	-0.1	0.5	1.9	0.8
41	Raw hides and skins (other than furskins) and leather.....	0.443	108.6	109.5	2.5	-0.1	0.5	1.1	0.8
IX	WOOD, WOOD CHARCOAL, CORK, STRAW, BASKETWARE AND WICKERWORK.....	0.781	104.1	103.7	1.1	0.1	0.0	-0.3	-0.4
X	WOODPULP, RECOVERED PAPER, AND PAPER PRODUCTS.....	2.825	101.7	100.9	1.9	-0.2	-0.1	-0.2	-0.8
47	Woodpulp and recovered paper.....	0.655	96.9	95.1	-0.9	-1.1	-0.2	-0.6	-1.9
48	Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, paper or paperboard.....	1.534	100.5	99.7	1.7	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.8
49	Printed material.....	0.637	113.3	113.5	5.1	0.6	-0.1	-0.3	0.2

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Table 6 U.S. Export Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Goods
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Harmonized System	Description	Relative Importance	Index		Percent Change				
			June 2005	July 2005	Annual July 2004 to July 2005	Monthly			
						March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
		June 2005 <u>1/</u>							
XI	TEXTILE AND TEXTILE ARTICLES.....	2.834	100.2	100.4	2.6	1.2	-0.1	-0.3	0.2
52	Cotton, including yarns and woven fabrics thereof.....	0.702	91.8	92.2	-0.6	2.2	-0.4	-1.4	0.4
61	Apparel & clothing knitted or crocheted (Dec. 2001=100).....	0.408	95.2	94.9	-0.2	0.0	0.0	-0.3	-0.3
62	Apparel Articles & Accessories, not knitted.....	0.281	95.6	95.6	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
<u>2/</u>	Other textile and textile articles (Dec. 2001=100).....	1.443	112.3	112.6	5.8	1.2	0.0	0.3	0.3
XIII	STONE, PLASTER, CEMENT, ASBESTOS, CERAMICS, GLASS ETC.....	0.833	103.7	103.5	4.5	0.3	0.1	1.7	-0.2
70	Glass and glassware.....	0.487	96.5	96.2	0.3	0.1	-0.1	0.2	-0.3
XIV	PEARLS, STONES, PRECIOUS METALS, IMITATION JEWELRY, AND COINS.....	2.376	106.5	108.5	6.5	1.7	-0.4	-0.7	1.9
XV	BASE METALS AND ARTICLES OF BASE METALS.....	5.374	131.7	131.4	4.5	1.2	-1.3	-0.9	-0.2
72	Iron and steel.....	1.393	164.0	154.2	-13.2	1.5	-3.3	0.4	-6.0
73	Articles of iron or steel.....	1.309	124.6	124.7	4.4	0.7	-0.1	-0.6	0.1
74	Copper and articles thereof.....	0.502	143.1	151.3	23.7	0.3	-0.8	-0.6	5.7
76	Aluminum and articles thereof.....	0.792	112.9	111.5	3.8	2.6	-2.3	-3.8	-1.2
82	Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks, of base metal; parts thereof.....	0.414	108.1	109.5	7.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	1.3
83	Miscellaneous articles of base metal.....	0.452	117.8	117.3	6.3	0.8	0.0	-0.8	-0.4
XVI	MACHINERY, ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT, TV IMAGE AND SOUND RECORDERS, PARTS, ETC..	32.653	94.9	94.5	-0.4	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.4
84	Machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	17.772	100.5	100.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.5
85	Electrical machinery and equipment and parts and accessories thereof.....	14.881	88.7	88.4	-1.0	-0.3	0.0	0.0	-0.3
XVII	VEHICLES, AIRCRAFT, VESSELS AND ASSOCIATED TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT.....	13.844	108.9	109.1	2.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
87	Motor vehicles and their parts.....	8.997	103.3	103.5	1.1	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2
XVIII	OPTICAL, PHOTO, MEASURING, MEDICAL & MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS; & TIMEPIECES.....	6.109	101.3	101.6	0.4	0.1	-0.4	0.0	0.3
XX	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.....	1.458	100.6	100.4	1.2	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-0.2
94	Furniture; stuffed furnishings; lamps and lighting fittings nesoi;.....	0.802	106.3	106.5	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
95	Toys, games and sports equipment; parts and accessories thereof.....	0.515	93.6	93.5	-1.0	0.0	0.0	-0.2	-0.1

1 Relative importance figures are based on 2003 trade values.

2 Product categories included in this group have been modified due to concordance or coverage limitations.

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Table 7 U.S. Import Price Indexes and Percent Changes by Locality of Origin
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Description	Percentage of U.S. Imports <u>1/</u>	Index		Percent Change				
		June 2005	July 2005	Annual		Monthly		
				July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
<u>2/</u> Industrialized Countries.....	47.950	110.2	110.8	5.6	0.5	-0.1	0.1	0.5
Manufactured Goods.....	43.658	106.9	106.7	3.6	0.2	0.4	0.0	-0.2
Nonmanufactured Goods.....	4.024	157.0	166.9	24.7	2.4	-3.6	1.4	6.3
<u>3/</u> Other Countries.....	52.050	106.5	107.8	9.6	0.8	-1.0	1.7	1.2
Manufactured Goods.....	43.318	98.4	98.5	2.5	0.3	-0.3	0.0	0.1
Nonmanufactured Goods.....	8.625	167.8	176.2	38.5	2.4	-3.3	7.3	5.0
Canada.....	17.203	119.9	121.2	8.0	0.5	-0.7	0.0	1.1
Manufactured Goods.....	13.876	113.3	112.8	4.5	-0.3	-0.1	0.0	-0.4
Nonmanufactured Goods.....	3.133	159.1	170.1	23.1	3.0	-2.6	0.5	6.9
<u>4/</u> European Union.....	19.566	114.1	113.8	4.8	0.4	-0.3	0.1	-0.3
Manufactured Goods.....	19.013	113.0	112.6	3.9	0.3	-0.1	0.0	-0.4
Nonmanufactured Goods.....	0.498	175.9	181.1	33.4	4.1	-5.4	0.8	3.0
France (Dec. 2003=100).....	2.069	102.2	102.0	-0.1	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.2
Germany (Dec. 2003=100).....	5.308	104.2	103.4	1.9	0.7	-0.2	-0.2	-0.8
United Kingdom (Dec. 2003=100).....	3.185	110.8	111.8	7.0	0.9	-1.2	0.5	0.9
<u>5/</u> Latin America.....	17.344	125.3	127.5	15.9	1.0	-0.9	2.5	1.8
Manufactured Goods.....	13.359	117.6	118.3	7.6	0.6	-0.7	0.5	0.6
Nonmanufactured Goods.....	3.941	174.1	182.0	40.0	1.9	-1.5	7.7	4.5
Mexico (Dec. 2003=100).....	10.952	111.1	112.8	9.6	0.7	0.5	0.5	1.5
<u>6/</u> Pacific Rim (Dec. 2003=100).....	33.549	100.1	99.8	-0.5	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.3
China (Dec. 2003=100).....	12.320	98.8	98.6	-1.2	0.1	0.0	-0.1	-0.2
Japan.....	9.512	95.8	95.7	0.4	-0.1	-0.1	0.1	-0.1
<u>7/</u> Asian NICs.....	7.447	90.1	89.4	-1.7	-1.0	-0.1	0.2	-0.8
<u>8/</u> ASEAN (Dec. 2003=100).....	6.608	98.4	97.9	-0.9	0.8	-0.4	-0.2	-0.5
<u>9/</u> Asia Near East (Dec. 2003=100).....	3.353	150.1	159.4	31.1	1.0	-3.5	7.1	6.2

1 Percentage of trade figures are based on 2003 trade values.

2 Includes Western Europe, Canada, Japan, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa.

3 Includes Eastern Europe, Latin America, OPEC countries, and other countries in Asia, Africa and the Western Hemisphere.

4 Includes European Union countries.

5 Includes Mexico, Central America, South America and the Caribbean.

6 Includes China, Japan, Asia Newly Industrialized Countries, Australia, Brunei, Indonesia, Macao, Malaysia, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and Philippines.

7 Asia Newly Industrialized Countries. Includes Hong Kong, Singapore, South Korea and Taiwan.

8 Association of Southeast Asian Nations. Includes Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam.

9 Includes Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

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Regions are not mutually exclusive.

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Table 8 U.S. Import and Export Quarterly Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Services
June 2004-June 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Description	Trade (Mil. of Dollars) 1/	Index		Percent Change				
		March 2005	June 2005	Annual	Quarterly			
				June 2004 to June 2005	June 2004 to Sept. 2004	Sept. 2004 to Dec. 2004	Dec. 2004 to March 2005	March 2005 to June 2005
IMPORT								
Air Freight.....	4168	128.6	128.5	9.4	2.1	5.7	1.4	-0.1
Europe (Dec. 2003=100).....	1407	120.9	120.5	11.7	3.9	9.3	-1.3	-0.3
Asia.....	2329	117.3	117.6	8.3	0.6	3.4	3.8	0.3
EXPORT								
Air Freight.....	2836	106.4	110.1	11.1	1.2	5.8	0.3	3.5

1 Trade dollar values are based on 2000 trade values.

NOTES: Data may be revised one quarter after original publication.
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Table 9 U.S. Import and Export Monthly Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Services
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Description	Trade (Mil. of Dollars) 1/	Index		Percent Change				
		June 2005	July 2005	Annual	Monthly			
				July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
IMPORT								
Air Passenger Fares.....	18253	128.1	132.0	4.3	6.3	-0.6	10.2	3.0
Europe.....	11250	125.9	127.1	4.6	8.4	1.4	12.7	1.0
Asia.....	2626	124.6	132.6	6.6	0.7	2.3	13.4	6.4
Latin America/Caribbean.....	1916	111.6	119.9	-2.6	2.9	-2.5	0.5	7.4
EXPORT								
Air Passenger Fares.....	20319	136.2	147.3	13.7	-2.1	6.8	-4.5	8.1
Europe.....	5394	166.7	189.2	18.6	-2.0	7.7	-3.1	13.5
Asia.....	8936	115.9	121.4	8.7	-6.4	12.1	-8.7	4.7
Latin America/Caribbean.....	3413	139.5	152.1	11.1	2.8	0.4	-0.1	9.0

1 Trade dollar values are based on 2000 trade values.

NOTES: Data may be revised in each of the three months after original publication.
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Table 10 U.S. Inbound and Outbound Quarterly Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Services
June 2004-June 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Description	Trade (Mil. of Dollars) <u>1/</u>	Index		Percent Change				
		March 2005	June 2005	Annual	Quarterly			
				June 2004 to June 2005	June 2004 to Sept. 2004	Sept. 2004 to Dec. 2004	Dec. 2004 to March 2005	March 2005 to June 2005
INBOUND								
Air Freight.....	7483	126.3	125.9	8.0	1.8	5.4	1.0	-0.3
Europe (Dec. 2003=100).....	2466	120.0	119.6	10.7	3.3	7.5	0.0	-0.3
Asia.....	4180	113.9	113.3	6.1	0.9	3.9	1.7	-0.5
OUTBOUND								
Air Freight.....	5193	103.8	107.6	8.7	1.7	4.0	-0.9	3.7
Europe (Dec. 2003=100).....	1998	114.2	119.5	12.0	1.8	4.0	1.2	4.6
Asia.....	2365	100.5	102.8	5.3	0.9	5.3	-3.1	2.3

1 Trade dollar values are based on 2000 trade values.

NOTES: Data may be revised one quarter after original publication.

n.a. Not available

Table 11 U.S. Inbound and Outbound Monthly Price Indexes and Percent Changes for Selected Categories of Services
July 2004-July 2005 2000=100, unless otherwise noted

Description	Trade (Mil. of Dollars) <u>1/</u>	Index		Percent Change				
		June 2005	July 2005	Annual	Monthly			
				July 2004 to July 2005	March 2005 to April 2005	April 2005 to May 2005	May 2005 to June 2005	June 2005 to July 2005
INBOUND								
Air Passenger Fares (Dec. 2003=100).....	38589	116.1	125.9	11.7	-1.0	6.5	-3.8	8.4
Europe (Dec. 2003=100).....	15654	120.3	136.6	17.9	-0.5	7.5	-2.9	13.5
Asia (Dec. 2003=100).....	12401	111.8	115.5	2.2	-5.0	11.9	-7.1	3.3
Latin America/Caribbean (Dec. 2003=100).....	5604	107.6	116.4	8.0	1.1	0.3	-1.9	8.2
Canada (Dec. 2003=100).....	2905	130.1	135.1	27.8	7.8	-3.5	0.1	3.8
Crude Oil Tanker Freight.....	3434	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	-8.0	-1.0	n.a.	n.a.
Ocean Liner Freight.....	17817	128.4	128.1	n.a.	0.3	4.8	0.6	-0.2
U.S. East Coast.....	6938	125.6	125.7	n.a.	0.8	7.3	1.1	0.1
From Atlantic.....	3022	123.6	123.6	n.a.	2.2	8.1	0.4	0.0
From Pacific.....	2817	125.7	126.1	n.a.	-0.4	10.0	2.1	0.3
U.S. West Coast.....	10879	130.9	130.3	n.a.	0.0	3.4	0.5	-0.5
OUTBOUND								
Air Passenger Fares (Dec. 2003=100).....	43898	120.5	124.8	5.5	6.8	-0.6	8.2	3.6
Europe (Dec. 2003=100).....	21857	131.2	132.9	4.6	10.6	-0.3	13.7	1.3
Asia (Dec. 2003=100).....	7190	112.6	124.6	6.1	5.2	1.0	5.1	10.7
Latin America/Caribbean (Dec. 2003=100).....	9206	104.9	108.0	3.0	1.1	-1.2	-0.2	3.0
Canada (Dec. 2003=100).....	2982	127.1	128.2	18.5	3.8	-0.6	2.1	0.9

1 Trade dollar values are based on 2000 trade values.

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