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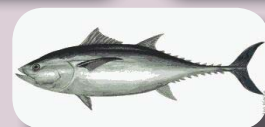
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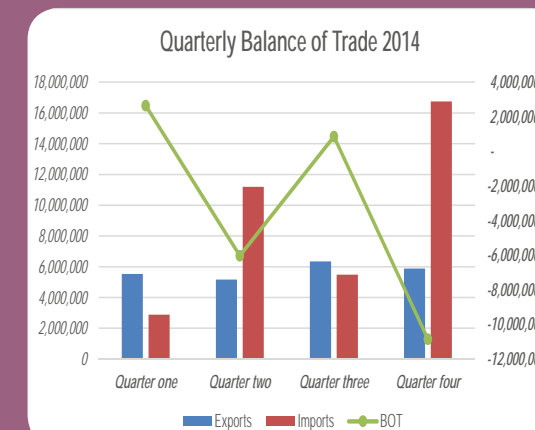
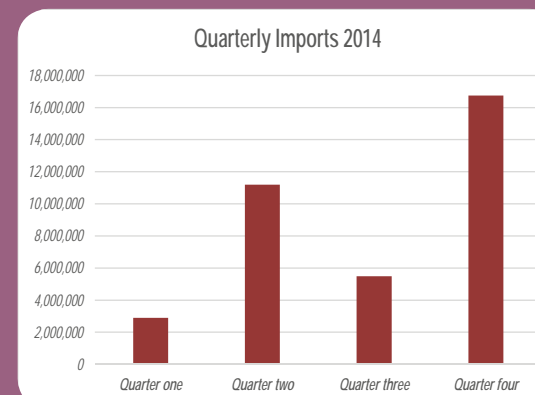
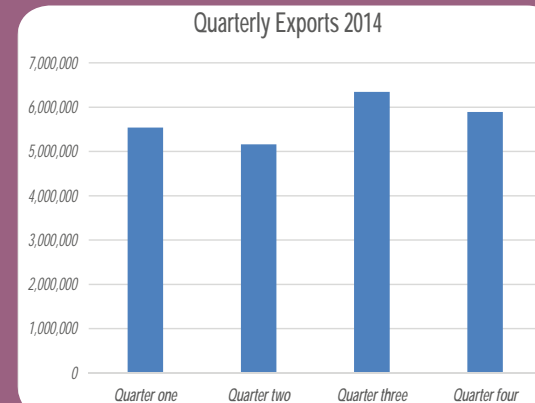
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HS for DECEMBER QUARTER 2014

ALL HS SECTIONS		Exports	Imports
I	Live animals: animal products	132,566	121,226
II	Vegetable products	160,609	252,661
III	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	202,613	34,710
IV	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	120,406	217,532
V	Mineral products	3,667,111	13,422,871
VI	Chemicals and allied products	71,745	203,298
VII	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	3,872	157,035
VIII	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	572	4,725
IX	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	193,806	7,920
X	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	686	92,371
XI	Textiles & textile articles	664	84,649
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	34	21,071
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	2	47,477
XIV	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	896,463	1,672
XV	Base metals & articles thereof	253,905	321,186
XVI	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	53,172	1,043,475
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	121,826	594,624
XVIII	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	6,944	48,474
XIX	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	-	143
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	389	60,543
XXI	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	-	47
XXII	Others	3,673	12,556
Total		5,891,058	16,750,267

SITC for DECEMBER QUARTER 2014

ALL HS SECTIONS		Exports	Imports
0	Food and live animals	407,217	541,797
1	Beverages and tobacco	2,126	39,200
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	837,563	70,153
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	3,259,425	13,343,351
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	202,613	32,803
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	72,041	251,838
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	797,491	555,370
7	Machinery and transport equipment	175,326	1,583,295
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	11,605	331,023
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	125,651	1,437
Total		5,891,058	16,750,267



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2014 PNG INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE STATISTICS OVERVIEW

From 2005 to 2014 Papua New Guineas exports grew on average by 33.48 % peaking at K22.94 billion in 2014. Imports showed a similar development with an average growth rate of 45.77% and a total of K36.329 billion.

In June 2014 PNG made its first export shipment of Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) marking a historic occasion in the nation's history. The total value of LNG exports of 6.87 billion (table 9) was recorded in 2014. It immediately had a significant impact on the total value of exports and also marked an increase of 99.5 % from 2013. The total value of imports for 2014 was K36.33 billion also marking a significant increase of 169% from 2013 this was largely due to massive increases in the import of petroleum and oil products in the last quarter of 2014. This resulted in a trade deficit of 13.34 billion for 2014.


In 2014 Papua New Guineas trade was again concentrated largely amongst its major trading partners in the Asia (18% exports and 63.9% imports) and Oceania (35. 9% imports and 22.5 % exports) regions. Trading also occurred in the America's (2.3% imports and .11% exports) Europe (1.4% imports and 12.9% exports) and Africa (.06% imports .07% exports).

Exports Profile

Crude materials Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials including the first LNG exports (SITC section 2- 3) accounted for 54 % of total exports. Food live animals, Beverages and tobacco (SITC sections 0-1) accounted for 6% of total exports in 2014 see (table 10). Papua New Guineas major trading partners in 2014 were Japan, Australia, China, Taiwan and Indonesia. Other major commodities exported namely Crude palm oil, coffee not roasted or decaffeinated, cocoa beans whole broken or roasted, tuna skip jack and Atlantic and stripe tailed bonito and wood in the rough products (see table 12) accounted for 10.6 % of total exports.

Imports profile

Minerals fuels, lubricants and related materials (SITC Section 3) accounted for 45.63% of total imports Chemicals and related products n.e.c (SITC Section 5) accounted for 24.41% Papua New Guineas major trading partners in 2014 were Japan, Australia, China, and Taiwan. The operations of LNG companies continue to be a major part of total imports. Machinery and transport equipment (SITC Section 7) comprised 14.1% total imports



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Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
147	597	1,710	1,698	2,124	191,809	2,076
-	-	419	7,922	38,811	124,118	78,998
5,559	10,306	9,220	11,369	11,593	9,016	12,375
5,989	19,414	7,167	10,042	12,550	21,016	15,026
95,718	25,031	521	-	4,289	-	16
16,035	21,847	13,402	17,749	29,729	23,661	15,921
461	1,515	276	838	750	626	385
9,341	14,902	10,383	14,431	12,159	20,912	11,867
4,663	11,098	7,195	10,188	22,948	8,147	16,726
160,836	151,956	74,393	139,740	211,389	265,512	156,390
22	89	0	2,186,178	11,004,921	1,692,398	7
51,477	46,795	29,565	38,202	54,302	41,833	65,597
17,059	22,348	13,862	12,138	4,959	2,431	8,797
91,681	3,255	5,211	-	1,092	-	112,179
11,882	10,068	8,578	9,617	16,594	12,231	10,941
896,412	918,366	785,828	870,693	935,371	953,622	783,020
1,367,281	1,257,586	967,732	3,330,804	12,363,581	3,367,332	1,290,320

TABLE 13

Commodity	2014	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS BY SI				
		[Kina 000]				
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
<i>Boards, panels , consoles, desks, cabinets and other bases</i>	198,334	458	640	878	3,582	987
<i>Fishing vessels</i>	295,462	44,072	-	668	407	46
<i>Meat of sheep, frozen</i>	113,967	8,265	7,512	10,569	12,453	5,732
<i>Mixtures of fruit or vegetable juices</i>	151,120	10,250	7,252	16,053	14,053	12,309
<i>Gas turbines</i>	126,797	-	-	-	1,222	-
<i>Other parts for the machines</i>	239,919	18,881	13,598	30,419	15,928	22,749
<i>Other products in forms or packings for retail sale</i>	7,772,184	265	587	687	162	7,765,632
<i>Other, other parts and accessories of the motor vehicles</i>	148,249	10,914	8,746	11,493	11,769	11,334
<i>Parts for boring or sinking machinery</i>	171,462	11,960	33,587	17,258	9,233	18,457
<i>Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals</i>	1,642,787	80,443	84,801	104,132	108,487	104,707
<i>Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude</i>	14,883,821	4	69	121	5	5
<i>Rice, semi-milled or wholly milled, (excluding broken rice)</i>	527,549	29,842	35,580	43,045	45,944	45,368
<i>Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks</i>	113,722	11,494	3,434	2,172	2,389	12,642
<i>Tugs and pusher craft</i>	221,127	-	-	4,890	2,819	-
<i>Unused postage, revenue or similar stamps of current or new issue in the country</i>	156,339	10,953	15,762	11,025	19,348	19,341
<i>Other Imports</i>	9,566,413	766,407	655,884	858,032	788,182	851,963
Total	36,329,252	1,004,207	867,452	1,111,442	1,035,981	8,871,273

ACRONYMS USED

ASYCUDA	A System of Customs Data
BEC	Broad Economic Category
CIF	Cost including Insurance and Freight
CPC	Central Product Classifications
CPC*	Customs Procedure Codes
FOB	Free On Board
HS	Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (2012)
IMTS	International Merchandise Trade Statistics
IMTS 2010	International Merchandise Trade Statistics Concepts and Definitions 2010
ITSB	International Trade Statistics Branch of NSO - PNG
NSO - PNG	National Statistics Office of Papua New Guinea
PICT	Pacific Island Countries and Territories
PNG	PAPUA NEW GUINEA
PNG - LNG	Papua New Guinea Liquefied Natural Gas
PNGSIC	PNG Standard Industrial Classification
SITC	Standard International Trade Classification



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TS BY SITC

Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
53,833	29,815	75,008	70,195	-	-	71,148
302,272	325,224	267,703	239,764	297,682	271,144	201,978
24,601	25,581	23,696	27,872	13,962	24,557	11,413
22,780	39,166	46,826	49,488	23,883	52,493	71,447
264,774	228,797	68,565	301,778	123,323	168,227	58,704
167,326	41,497	133,983	117,668	30,304	59,891	67,093
-	549	-	-	-	-	-
58,178	123,882	97,869	110,049	49,793	38,201	37,657
650,323	1,373,160	304,566	1,289,850	1,038,294	1,301,843	917,190
16,216	23,679	111,038	9	105,083	12,321	115,777
0	0	0	-	55,120	0	0
189	1,650	1,250	65	484	138	275
20,069	22,865	20,458	11,864	24,956	10,318	16,473
34,882	17,228	21,891	19,976	24,710	26,657	19,965
358,350	229,112	163,988	251,803	117,255	152,513	144,404
1,999,094	2,502,599	1,358,713	2,516,950	1,935,904	2,160,271	1,769,975

TABLE 12

		PRINCIPAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS				
		[Kina 000]				
Commodity	2014	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
<i>Aromatic monoamines and their derivatives; salts thereof</i>	451,488	-	47,442	69,475	-	34,571
<i>Base metals, silver or gold, clad with platinum</i>	3,461,276	322,168	98,936	579,647	246,996	307,764
<i>Cocoa beans, whole or broken, raw or roasted</i>	202,412	12,725	11,144	7,591	8,616	10,655
<i>Coffee, not roasted, not decaffeinated</i>	379,259	6,464	17,023	13,559	17,841	18,289
<i>Copper ores and concentrates</i>	3,074,983	649,522	252,245	136,288	748,401	74,358
<i>Crude palm oil</i>	1,027,098	63,278	85,349	76,617	94,327	89,766
<i>Dredgers</i>	1,389,050	572,519	815,983	-	-	-
<i>Gold (including gold plated with platinum), non-monetary</i>	1,077,001	-	-	294,862	65,761	200,749
<i>Natural gas, liquefied</i>	6,875,227	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Nickel oxide</i>	554,681	41,050	-	11,847	81,040	36,620
<i>Ores and concentrates of other precious metals</i>	457,702	205,519	32,634	1	164,426	0
<i>Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals</i>	347,335	360	611	186,047	2,024	154,241
<i>Tunas, skipjack and Atlantic bonito</i>	202,453	13,263	19,192	12,008	17,381	13,606
<i>Wood in the rough</i>	306,859	25,212	20,818	25,815	40,226	29,480
<i>Other Exports</i>	2,484,619	339,139	155,845	333,302	353,296	195,143
<i>Total</i>	22,612,751	2,283,237	1,569,177	1,766,113	1,869,292	1,190,954

HISTORY AND EXPLANATORY NOTES

Trade is not new in PNG. In the past we had seasonal trade or rather winds trade like the Hiri trade of the people of the Papuan Region as to mention a few and commonly in the form of the Barter System. In this trading seasons there is traditional singings and ceremonies to mark, yet today most still gather for this ceremonies to commemorate this once great trading times of our ancestors.

Since 1996, PNG adopted the ASYCUDA system to electronically capture international trade data and to date this system still exist in a much more improvised ASYCUDA ++ system. Not all customs Offices are connected to this system as yet but in the near future, we are hoping to publish a more comprehensive but quantitative and quality trade statistics that better suits our users' requirements.

The Explanatory Notes here presents an overview of Papua New Guinea's International Merchandise Trade Statistics 2014 (IMTS) including coverage and time of recording, sources of data, commodity classifications, valuation, quantity measurement, partner country, reporting and dissemination as well as revision procedures.

TABLES PRESENTED

The National Statistics Office of PNG (NSO-PNG) as part of its efforts to better meet the needs of our data users have now for 2014 Merchandise Trade Statistics included the following tables.

Table 1	BALANCE OF TRADE -ALL ITEMS *
Table 2	IMPORTS BY HS *
Table 3	DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY HS *
Table 4	RE-EXPORTS BY HS *
Table 5	TOTAL EXPORTS BY HS *
Table 6	BALANCE OF TRADE BY PORT*
Table 7	BALANCE OF TRADE BY MAJOR PARTNER COUNTRIES *
Table 8	BALANCE OF TRADE BY REGION *
Table 9	TRADE BY MODE OF TRANSPORT *
Table 10	EXPORTS BY SITC (Standard International Trade Classification)
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Table 12	PRINCIPAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS *
Table 13	PRINCIPAL IMPORTS *

DATA SOURCES:

The International Merchandise Trade Statistics presented by the NSO–PNG is compiled primarily from the administrative records of the PNG Customs Services. The PNG Customs Services is responsible for the control of the flow of goods in and out of PNG.

When goods enter or leave PNG, declarations must be filed with the Customs Services, giving such information as the Dates, CPC* Codes, HS codes and descriptions, quantity and value of the goods, the country of origin of the commodities and the mode of transportation.

Most of this information is captured in forms electronically in the ASYCUDA ++ format from automated post and the remainder of posts are non-automated and paper sent to the PNG Customs Services Head Office in Port Moresby for entries.

Supplementary data on the trade in certain major commodities (exports of Cocoa, Coffee, and Logs etc.) are also collected from the relevant importing/exporting Commodity Boards and other reliable independent sources. Though the ITSB obtains such Statistical Bulletins, these statistics are only used for analysis and applied as appropriate.

REPORTING PERIOD:

Annual trade statistics are compiled on the basis of the Gregorian calendar year, while statistics relating to the fiscal year are compiled for the twelve month period beginning January 1 of one year and ending on December 31 of the same year accordingly to the Trade Statistical Territory.

The data contained in the IMTS presented by NSO reflect the data derived from data sets submitted to NSO by the Customs Services for that period. Therefore, the figures for imports and exports shown may not necessarily represent the actual amount of goods arriving in or departing from the ports and airports during the specified period.

In general, the data are recorded in the calendar month in which the Customs procedures have been completed. This at times may result in discrepancies between the data published by NSO and that obtained from other sources.

COVERAGE:

The figures contained in this report represent PNG’s merchandise trade based on the “General System” of trade as defined by the IMTS 2010. Under this system, imports include all goods from general procedure for home use which have come into PNG.

Exports are a combination of domestic exports and re-exports. Domestic exports include commodities grown in the country, extracted from its natural resources or manufactured in the country. These include goods of foreign origin which have been assembled or materially transformed in the country.

Re-exports are exports of goods of foreign origin which have NOT been materially transformed while in PNG. These include goods are basically used for the Capital formations such an example of the PNG–LNG development stages.

- Inclusions

Included in the International Merchandise Trade Statistics presented by NSO are:

- Export of goods of PNG origin - General Procedure

TABLE 11

		IMPORTS BY SITC				
		PGK 000				
Sections	Economic Category	ANNUALLY 2014	Quarterly			
			Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
0	Food and live animals	1,915,859	437,111	475,061	461,891	541,797
1	Beverages and tobacco	144,320	33,619	37,983	33,518	39,200
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	262,999	61,109	50,570	81,167	70,153
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	16,578,608	283,136	383,280	2,568,841	13,343,351
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	101,991	23,555	23,166	22,467	32,803
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	8,866,523	273,603	8,053,517	287,565	251,838
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	2,192,602	514,032	524,596	598,602	555,370
7	Machinery and transport equipment	5,124,056	1,006,145	1,368,825	1,165,791	1,583,295
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	1,140,827	259,922	281,732	268,150	331,023
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	1,468	4	4	24	1,437
Total Imports		36,329,252	2,892,236	11,198,734	5,488,016	16,750,267

TABLE 10

Sections	Economic Category	EXPORTS BY SITC PGK 000				
		ANNUALLY 2014	Quarter 1	Quarterly Quarter 2 Quarter 3 Quarter 4		
0	Food and live animals	1,359,515	255,471	291,582	405,246	407,217
1	Beverages and tobacco	7,314	1,926	1,965	1,298	2,126
2	Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	4,991,816	1,521,913	1,688,303	944,036	837,563
3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	7,492,967	220,551	1,003,789	3,009,202	3,259,425
4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	1,332,344	299,955	450,137	379,639	202,613
5	Chemicals and related products, not elsewhere specified	531,531	117,785	89,498	252,207	72,041
6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	3,608,903	1,071,534	879,526	860,353	797,491
7	Machinery and transport equipment	2,496,441	1,742,342	424,187	154,586	175,326
8	Miscellaneous manufactured goods	42,308	11,681	10,082	8,940	11,605
9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in SITC	1,077,001	294,862	324,688	331,799	125,651
Total Imports		22,940,139	5,538,018	5,163,757	6,347,306	5,891,058

- *Export of goods from a bond*
- *Export of locally excisable goods from a bond*
- *Re-exports*
- *Imports of Direct entry for home use*
- *Trade by Agreement*

- Exclusions

The following are excluded from the International Merchandise Trade Statistics presented by NSO:

- *Temporary Export*
- *Entry for home use after Temporary*
- *Entry for home use after warehousing*
- *Temporary import*
- *Re-Importation*
- *Customs warehousing*
- *Transfer from Public Bond*
- *Transfer from Manufacturing Bond*
- *Warehousing procedure for Manufacturing Bonds*
- *Transfer from Private Bond*
- *Entry for home use after Customs warehousing*

CLASSIFICATION SYSTEMS:

The import and export data are recorded using PNG's adaptation of the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS). Currently data is being recorded using PNG's adaptation of the Harmonized System 2012 version (HS2012). The HS is used primarily for Customs purposes and represents a multipurpose goods nomenclature according to their degree of manufacture.

This data is also and yet to be subsequently converted on a one to one relationship to an extended version of the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC). SITC, Revision 4 (Rev. 4). The SITC is essentially an economic classification which categorizes items by type, e.g. Food, Beverages, Mineral Fuels, Chemicals, Manufactured Goods, Machinery and Equipment and provides an appropriate basis for the analysis of merchandise trade data. Allied to the SITC is an End-Use or Economic Function Classification which groups goods into the following broad categories (BEC): -

- I. Consumer Goods*
- II. Raw Materials and or Intermediate Goods*
- III. Capital Goods*

Data is also converted into the PNGSIC and also the CPC to better identify PNG's major economic activities and for the betterment of generating real GDP estimates.

VALUATION:

For Customs purposes, imports are recorded at values established according to the provisions of the Customs Act. In general it requires that the value for duty of imported goods be equivalent to the transaction value or the price actually paid or payable. Imports are valued on the cost including insurance and freight (c.i.f.) basis which represents the cost to the importer of buying the goods and bringing them to this country, but excluding customs or any other duty paid on arrival. Exports are shown on a free on board (f.o.b.) valuation basis, i.e. the value of the goods including charges up to delivery on board the exporting vessel. Values shown are primarily recorded in terms of PNG Kina.

QUANTITY:

All quantities and values are based on the declaration of importers/exporters on the customs documents which are subject to verification by Customs Officials.

PARTNER COUNTRIES:

The statistics in this report refer to merchandise trade between PNG and the rest of the world. Exports are assigned to the “Country of Last Known Destination”, that is the last country to which the goods are to be shipped from PNG without, as far as known, any commercial transaction in an intermediate territory, irrespective of whether or not bulk has been broken in the course of transport. Imports are credited to “Country of Origin or Manufacture” or, where origin cannot be established the country of consignment is used.

ROUNDING OF FIGURES:

In a number of tables presented in IMTS publication generated by NSO, the figures are rounded to the nearest thousand. As a result, addition of the rounded figures may not always exactly agree with the rounded totals shown in the tables.

SYMBOLS:

The following symbols are used in these reports

<i>n/a or -</i>	<i>not available</i>
<i>0</i>	<i>Below PGK 1 000</i>

SOURCES OF FURTHER INFORMATION:

Detailed reports based on a number of commodity classifications are available from the International Trade Statistics Branch (ITSB). Where further disaggregation is desired, NSO undertakes research of unpublished data at a cost, providing the data required conforms to PNG NSO's data dissemination standards.

TABLE 9

		TRADE BY MODE OF TRANSPORT						
		[Kina 000]						
		Mode of transport						
Category		1(4)	2(1)	3(3)	4			Total
		Air	Water	Land	Not elsewhere classified			
			2.1	3.2	4.2(5)	4.3	4.4(9)	
Period			Sea	Road	Postal consignments, mail or courier shipments	Self-propelled goods	Others	
ANNUALLY								
2014	Exports	5,001,927	17,938,208		4			22,940,139
	Imports	1,887,747	34,430,722	2,340*	1,105		7,338	36,329,252
QUARTERLY 2014								
Quarter 1	Exports	1,331,150	4,206,868					5,538,018
	Imports	451,696	2,434,440	642*	35		5,423	2,892,236
Quarter 2	Exports	1,406,808	3,756,949					5,163,757
	Imports	463,729	10,734,124	105*	545		231	11,198,734
Quarter 3	Exports	1,244,277	5,103,025		4			6,347,306
	Imports	512,563	4,973,951	349*	216		937	5,488,016
Quarter 4	Exports	1,019,691	4,871,367					5,891,058
	Imports	459,758	16,288,207	1,245*	309		747	16,750,267

* Goods Classified under rail transport is being added to Road Transport.

Table 8

		TRADE BY REGION [Kina 000]				
		ANNUALLY	Quarterly			
REGION		2014	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
<i>Africa</i>	<i>Exports</i>	15,958	499	11,633	3,714	112
	<i>Imports</i>	22,951	2,568	5,298	6,010	9,075
	<i>Balance</i>	-6,993	-2,069	6,335	-2,296	-8,963
<i>The Americas</i>	<i>Exports</i>	258,801	45,989	35,109	71,579	106,124
	<i>Imports</i>	847,612	166,576	429,795	155,202	96,039
	<i>Balance</i>	-588,811	-120,587	-394,686	-83,623	10,085
<i>Asia</i>	<i>Exports</i>	14,473,078	3,297,837	2,693,573	4,272,022	4,209,647
	<i>Imports</i>	6,710,804	1,381,407	1,629,987	1,624,468	2,074,941
	<i>Balance</i>	7,762,274	1,916,429	1,063,585	2,647,553	2,134,706
<i>Europe</i>	<i>Exports</i>	2,962,861	611,631	1,166,620	618,142	566,469
	<i>Imports</i>	522,097	120,288	116,190	176,704	108,915
	<i>Balance</i>	2,440,765	491,343	1,050,430	441,438	457,554
<i>Oceania</i>	<i>Exports</i>	5,177,867	1,562,329	1,248,042	1,370,593	996,904
	<i>Imports</i>	13,022,487	1,205,161	9,001,894	1,285,677	1,529,755
	<i>Balance</i>	-7,844,620	357,168	-7,753,852	84,916	-532,852
<i>TOTAL</i>	<i>Exports</i>	22,928,452	5,526,331	5,163,757	6,347,306	5,891,058
	<i>Imports</i>	36,329,252	2,892,236	11,198,734	5,488,016	16,750,267
	<i>Balance</i>	-13,400,801	2,634,095	-6,034,976	859,290	-10,859,209
<i>of which the PICTs</i>	<i>Exports</i>	39,886	8,046	8,782	11,257	11,802
	<i>Imports</i>	15,203,301	16,236	15,571	2,239,955	12,931,540
	<i>Balance</i>	-15,163,415	-8,189	-6,789	-2,228,699	-12,919,739

TABLE 1

		BALANCE OF TRADE - ALL ITEMS [Kina 000]			
		Exports FOB		Imports CIF	
Period	Domestic	Re-exports	Total		Trade Balance Surplus(+) / Deficit(-)
Annually					
2005	5,224,680	n/a	5,224,680	5,256,062	-31,382
2006	7,716,950	n/a	7,716,950	5,965,548	1,751,402
2007	5,161,591	n/a	5,161,591	4,207,847	953,744
2008	6,969,371	n/a	6,969,371	9,305,430	-2,336,058
2009	7,761,473	n/a	7,761,473	10,906,659	-3,145,186
2010	10,821,752	n/a	10,821,752	14,614,847	-3,793,095
2011	12,622,406	642,488	13,264,894	13,800,663	5,146,244
2012	9,151,300	1,198,411	10,349,711	14,833,972	9,857,742
2013	11,031,227	481,938	11,513,166	13,507,727	-1,994,562
2014	22,612,751	327,388	22,940,139	36,329,252	-13,389,113
Quarterly 2014					
Quarter one	5,526,331	11,687	5,538,018	2,892,236	2,645,782
Quarter two	4,964,117	199,640	5,163,757	11,198,734	-6,034,976
Quarter three	6,304,691	42,614	6,347,306	5,488,016	859,290
Quarter four	5,817,612	73,445	5,891,058	16,750,267	-10,859,209

Table 2

TOTAL IMPORTS BY HS							
HS Sections	Descriptions	HS Chapters	[Kina 000]	Quarterly			
			Annually	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
			2014				
I	Live animals: animal products	01 -05	454,696	116,607	108,063	108,799	121,226
II	Vegetable products	06 -14	860,767	183,453	225,837	198,815	252,661
III	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	15	108,646	24,839	24,976	24,121	34,710
IV	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	16 - 24	778,873	180,118	185,927	195,296	217,532
V	Mineral products	25 - 27	16,902,505	357,071	453,036	2,669,527	13,422,871
VI	Chemicals and allied products	28 - 38	8,698,798	238,244	8,015,448	241,807	203,298
VII	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	39 - 40	589,995	132,877	151,123	148,960	157,035
VIII	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	41 - 43	16,925	3,168	4,177	4,856	4,725
IX	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	44 - 46	31,609	6,110	8,404	9,174	7,920
X	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	47 - 49	356,009	82,649	98,560	82,430	92,371
XI	Textiles & textile articles	50 - 63	331,951	84,845	78,561	83,896	84,649
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	64 - 67	77,405	17,054	18,636	20,643	21,071

Table 7

		Balance of Trade by Country				
		[Kina 000]				
COUNTRY		Annually	Quarterly			
			Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
Japan	Exports	6,564,090	782,570	1,354,274	2,561,242	1,866,004
	Imports	268,660	75,159	69,022	61,339	63,139
	Balance	6,295,431	707,411	1,285,252	2,499,903	1,802,865
Australia	Exports	5,145,181	1,561,714	1,233,789	1,362,128	987,550
	Imports	12,474,224	1,080,969	8,868,702	1,139,987	1,384,565
	Balance	-7,329,043	480,745	-7,634,913	222,140	-397,014
China	Exports	2,287,834	894,411	313,050	279,949	800,423
	Imports	1,684,262	318,382	414,822	484,313	466,746
	Balance	603,572	576,029	-101,772	-204,363	333,677
Taiwan	Exports	1,999,661	5,245	268,402	827,908	898,106
	Imports	269,054	55,899	29,756	11,328	172,072
	Balance	1,730,606	-50,654	238,646	816,581	726,034
Indonesia	Exports	1,062,843	998,362	4,585	5,379	54,517
	Imports	373,809	74,672	78,961	103,216	116,961
	Balance	689,034	923,690	-74,376	-97,837	-62,444
Philippines	Exports	979,315	278,524	273,136	211,651	216,004
	Imports	59,328	12,996	11,465	11,783	23,084
	Balance	919,986	265,528	261,671	199,867	192,920
Germany	Exports	720,469	161,671	333,488	147,306	78,004
	Imports	118,649	29,639	27,698	48,213	13,099
	Balance	601,820	132,031	305,790	99,094	64,905
Netherlands	Exports	574,570	111,514	185,760	202,752	74,545
	Imports	56,716	12,138	7,625	21,983	14,970
	Balance	517,854	99,376	178,135	180,769	59,575
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Exports	503,113	64,599	129,293	74,449	234,773
	Imports	109,298	37,365	22,744	27,456	21,733
	Balance	393,815	27,234	106,548	46,992	213,040
Singapore	Exports	443,890	14,541	200,092	170,952	58,306
	Imports	1,924,520	422,362	396,784	463,321	642,053
	Balance	-1,480,630	-407,821	-196,692	-292,370	-583,747
India	Exports	377,621	130,249	151,244	45,310	50,818
	Imports	137,167	28,954	31,702	35,081	41,430
	Balance	240,454	101,295	119,542	10,230	9,388
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	Exports	329,517	135,424	75,606	106,571	11,916
	Imports	212,995	25,730	54,042	71,938	61,285
	Balance	116,522	109,694	21,564	34,633	-49,369
Belgium	Exports	324,283	72,655	83,616	85,803	82,208
	Imports	20,983	1,931	9,498	3,424	6,129
	Balance	303,300	70,724	74,118	82,379	76,079
Italy	Exports	277,922	68,273	142,934	30,474	36,240
	Imports	36,800	8,601	12,145	8,564	7,490
	Balance	241,122	59,672	130,788	21,911	28,750
United States of America	Exports	222,532	27,634	34,144	70,882	89,872
	Imports	743,341	121,869	412,634	131,873	76,966
	Balance	-520,809	-94,234	-378,490	-60,991	12,906
Others	Exports	1,127,298	230,632	380,345	164,549	351,772
	Imports	17,839,445	585,569	751,134	2,864,197	13,638,545
	Balance	-16,712,147	-354,937	-370,789	-2,699,648	-13,286,774
TOTAL	Exports	22,928,452	5,526,331	5,163,757	6,347,306	5,891,058
	Imports	36,329,252	2,892,236	11,198,734	5,488,016	16,750,267
	Balance	- 13,400,801	2,634,095	- 6,034,976	859,290	- 10,859,209

Table 6

Balance of Trade BY PORT [Kina 000]						
PORTS		2014	Quarterly			
			Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
Kiunga/Tabubil	Exports	-	-	-	-	-
	Imports	43,827	-	7	6,584	37,236
	Balance	-43,827	0	-7	-6,584	-37,236
Port Moresby	Exports	14,803,401	2,705,355	3,165,255	4,603,051	4,329,740
	Imports	20,898,766	1,255,532	1,631,834	3,569,945	14,441,455
	Balance	-6,095,365	1,449,823	1,533,421	1,033,106	-10,111,715
Alotau	Exports	146,694	44,906	41,491	41,873	18,424
	Imports	70,553	15,909	19,213	22,082	13,349
	Balance	76,140	28,996	22,278	19,791	5,075
Popondetta	Exports	221,141	63,871	68,421	59,340	29,510
	Imports	44,692	11,353	7,767	14,444	11,128
	Balance	176,449	52,518	60,654	44,897	18,381
Hagen	Exports	158	-	158	-	-
	Imports	48,151	4,577	17,497	21,990	4,087
	Balance	-47,993	-4,577	-17,339	-21,990	-4,087
Lae	Exports	2,833,608	1,815,317	361,474	307,384	349,433
	Imports	13,085,344	1,219,703	8,998,005	1,356,968	1,510,668
	Balance	-10,251,736	595,614	-8,636,531	-1,049,584	-1,161,235
Madang	Exports	895,403	127,201	191,037	282,513	294,651
	Imports	438,625	81,878	121,801	106,133	128,813
	Balance	456,778	45,323	69,236	176,380	165,839
Wewak	Exports	207,422	53,954	37,756	76,441	39,271
	Imports	46,706	9,557	13,141	9,135	14,873
	Balance	160,716	44,397	24,615	67,306	24,398
Vanimo	Exports	165,404	9,837	48,961	58,550	48,056
	Imports	82,334	10,320	18,206	43,657	10,151
	Balance	83,070	-483	30,755	14,893	37,905
Kimbe	Exports	1,112,486	234,942	378,266	299,608	199,670
	Imports	199,770	45,905	62,974	52,546	38,345
	Balance	912,716	189,037	315,292	247,063	161,325
Lihir	Exports	2,213,809	402,209	777,966	533,955	499,679
	Imports	928,378	150,173	197,073	174,757	406,375
	Balance	1,285,431	252,036	580,893	359,198	93,304
Rabaul	Exports	340,614	80,426	92,973	84,589	82,625
	Imports	442,108	87,329	111,216	109,775	133,788
	Balance	-101,493	-6,902	-18,242	-25,186	-51,163
TOTAL	Exports	22,940,139	5,538,018	5,163,757	6,347,306	5,891,058
	Imports	36,329,252	2,892,236	11,198,734	5,488,016	16,750,267
	Balance	-13,389,113	2,645,782	-6,034,976	859,290	-10,859,209

Table 2 cont

TOTAL IMPORTS BY HS [Kina 000]				Quarterly			
HS Sections	Descriptions	HS Chapters	Annually 2014	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	68 - 70	217,606	51,353	46,840	71,936	47,477
XIV	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	71	2,662	310	258	422	1,672
XV	Base metals & articles thereof	72 - 83	1,244,324	287,288	301,511	334,339	321,186
XVI	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	84 - 85	3,888,606	789,375	1,105,515	950,241	1,043,475
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	86 - 89	1,311,380	222,381	272,732	221,642	594,624
XVIII	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	90 - 92	225,313	67,506	52,764	56,569	48,474
XIX	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	93	2,426	1,917	74	292	143
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	94 - 96	194,277	36,911	40,789	56,035	60,543
XXI	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	97	841	189	482	123	47
XXII	Others	99	33,639	7,971	5,020	8,092	12,556
TOTAL			36,329,252	2,892,236	11,198,734	5,488,016	16,750,267

TABLE 3

DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY HS							
[Kina 000]							
HS Sections	Descriptions	HS Chapters	Annually 2014	Quarterly			
				Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
I	Live animals: animal products	01 -05	462,559	111,513	108,451	110,030	132,566
II	Vegetable products	06 -14	439,354	57,232	73,056	148,458	160,609
III	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	15	1,332,382	299,955	450,175	379,639	202,613
IV	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	16 - 24	480,834	93,028	115,347	152,053	120,406
V	Mineral products	25 - 27	11,151,218	1,532,067	2,330,100	3,621,941	3,667,111
VI	Chemicals and allied products	28 - 38	530,019	117,230	89,376	251,668	71,745
VII	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	39 - 40	25,404	5,697	9,994	5,845	3,868
VIII	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	41 - 43	2,152	422	424	734	572
IX	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	44 - 46	748,301	145,097	217,286	192,113	193,806
X	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	47 - 49	5,731	2,363	1,807	875	686
XI	Textiles & textile articles	50 - 63	6,081	2,612	2,458	353	658
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	64 - 67	193	63	63	37	30

TABLE 5 cont

TOTAL EXPORTS BY HS							
[Kina 000]							
HS Sections	Descriptions	HS Chapters	Annually 2014	Quarterly			
				Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	68 - 70	831	97	656	75	2
XIV	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	71	4,538,430	1,295,613	1,181,838	1,164,517	896,463
XV	Base metals & articles thereof	72 - 83	687,459	123,895	152,309	157,350	253,905
XVI	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	84 - 85	433,811	117,234	193,146	70,259	53,172
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	86 - 89	2,061,878	1,625,043	230,991	84,019	121,826
XVIII	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	90 - 92	17,612	4,988	3,025	2,655	6,944
XIX	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	93	0	0	0	0	0
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	94 - 96	4,104	909	1,468	1,336	389
XXI	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	97	73	14	32	27	0
XXII	Others	99	11,080	2,946	1,755	2,706	3,673
TOTAL			22,940,139	5,538,018	5,163,757	6,347,306	5,891,058

TABLE 5

TOTAL EXPORTS BY HS							
[Kina 000]							
HS Sections	Descriptions	HS Chapters	Annually 2014	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
I	Live animals: animal products	01 -05	462,559	111,513	108,451	110,030	132,566
II	Vegetable products	06 -14	439,354	57,232	73,056	148,458	160,609
III	Animal or vegetable oils & fats	15	1,332,382	299,955	450,175	379,639	202,613
IV	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits & tobacco	16 - 24	480,834	93,028	115,347	152,053	120,406
V	Mineral products	25 - 27	11,151,218	1,532,067	2,330,100	3,621,941	3,667,111
VI	Chemicals and allied products	28 - 38	530,020	117,230	89,376	251,668	71,745
VII	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	39 - 40	25,408	5,697	9,994	5,845	3,872
VIII	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	41 - 43	2,762	422	424	1,345	572
IX	Wood, cork & articles thereof & plaiting material	44 - 46	748,301	145,097	217,286	192,113	193,806
X	Wood pulp, paper & paperboard & articles thereof	47 - 49	5,731	2,363	1,807	875	686
XI	Textiles & textile articles	50 - 63	6,092	2,612	2,458	358	664
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	64 - 67	199	63	63	39	34

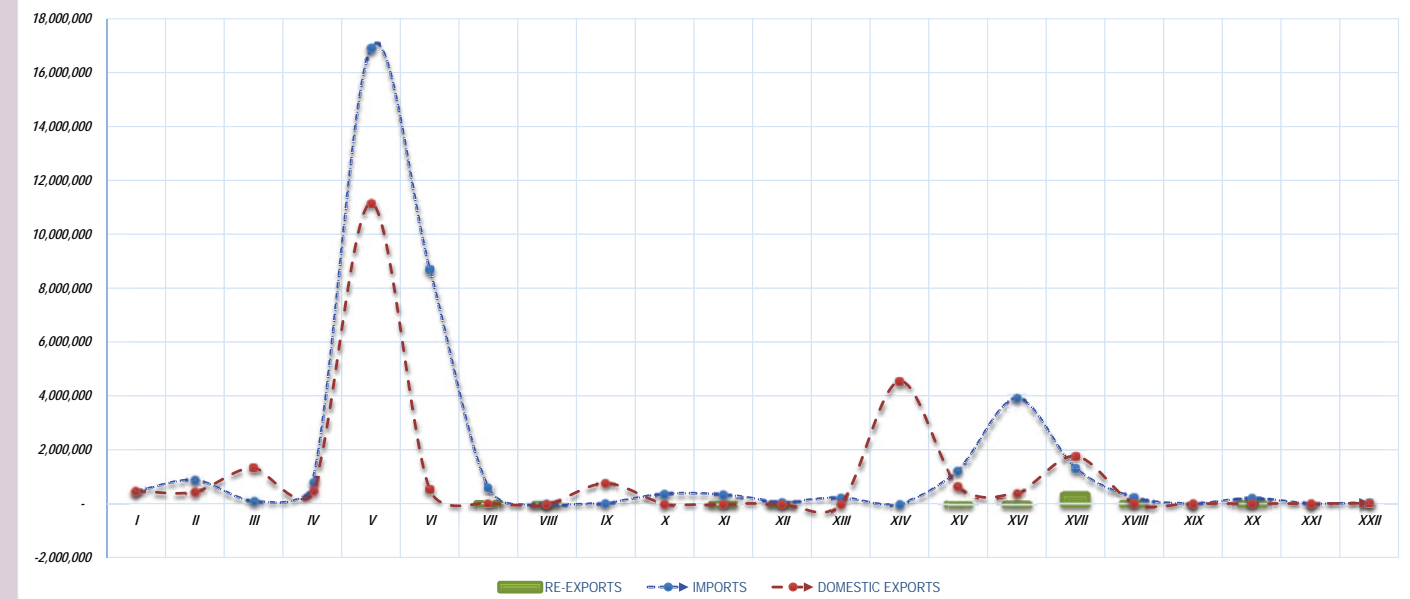
TABLE 3 Continued

DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY HS							
[Kina 000]							
HS Sections	Descriptions	HS Chapters	Annually 2014	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, glass & ceramic products	68 - 70	831	97	656	75	2
XIV	Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones & metals	71	4,538,430	1,295,613	1,181,838	1,164,517	896,463
XV	Base metals & articles thereof	72 - 83	682,642	123,653	152,297	152,808	253,884
XVI	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	84 - 85	416,507	112,506	187,666	67,415	48,921
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	86 - 89	1,759,126	1,618,466	37,233	50,404	53,022
XVIII	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	90 - 92	16,432	4,850	2,635	2,359	6,588
XIX	Arms and ammunition, parts & accessories thereof	93	0	0	0	0	0
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	94 - 96	3,401	907	1,468	636	389
XXI	Works of art, collectors pieces & antiques	97	73	14	32	27	0
XXII	Others	99	11,080	2,946	1,755	2,706	3,673
TOTAL			22,612,751	5,526,331	4,964,117	6,304,691	5,817,612

TABLE 4

HS Sections	Descriptions	RE-EXPORTS BY HS [Kina 000]		Quarterly			
		HS Chapters	Annually 2014	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
VII	Plastic, rubber & articles thereof	39 - 40	4	-	-	-	4
VIII	Raw hides, skins, leather articles & travel goods	41 - 43	611	-	-	611	-
XI	Textiles & textile articles	50 - 63	11	-	-	5	5
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas & parts thereof	64 - 67	6	-	-	2	4
XV	Base metals & articles thereof	72 - 83	4,818	243	12	4,542	21
XVI	Machinery & mechanical & electrical appliances & parts thereof	84 - 85	17,304	4,728	5,481	2,844	4,251
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft & associated transport equipment	86 - 89	302,753	6,577	193,757	33,615	68,803
XVIII	Photographic & optical, medical & surgical goods & clocks/watches & musical instruments	90 - 92	1,179	137	390	296	356
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	94 - 96	703	2	-	700	-
Total			327,388	11,687	199,640	42,614	73,445

HS EXPORTS, RE-EXPORTS AND IMPORTS 2014



Percentage Change of Exports and Imports 2005 - 2014

