

Table 1: Transport costs estimates: Summary

Mean value over 1974-2013				
# digit	3 digits		4 digits (*)	
Mode	Vessel	Air (**)	Vessel	Air
With only Ad-Valorem Trade Costs ($\hat{\tau}^{ice}$, in %)				
Mean	5.8	5.1	6.0	4.9
Median	5.1	4.2	5.2	3.7
With Additive & Ad-Valorem Trade Costs				
<i>Ad-valorem term</i> ($\hat{\tau}^{adv}$, in %)				
Mean	3.2	2.5	3.3	2.4
Median	2.8	1.8	2.8	1.6
<i>Additive term</i> (\hat{t}^{add}/\tilde{p} , in %)				
Mean	2.9	1.8	2.8	1.9
Median	1.9	0.7	1.7	0.8
Data (p/\tilde{p} , in %)				
Mean	5.3	5.0	5.6	3.9
Median	4.3	2.0	4.4	1.9
# obs.	29279	28207	29317	27680
# origin country	188	191	188	189
# products	230	211	666	567

Notes: Statistics are obtained weighting each observation by its value. The additive term is expressed in fraction of fas price. (*): Four 4-digit estimation: On selected years. (**): 1989 omitted in 3-digit estimation for air.