Imports of raw materials for gems & jewellery during April 11 - March '2012 as compared last year

	Mar-12		April 2011 - Mar 2012		Mar-11		April 2010 - Mar 2011		April 2010 - Mar 2011		% Growth	ı / decline	Growth	ı / declin
	(Provisional)		(Provisional)		( Same Ports )		( Same Ports )		(Imports all ports)		Mar-12		April 11	- Mar 12
I. Items	Rs. in	US\$ in	Rs. in	US\$ in	Rs. in	US\$ in	Rs. in	US\$ in	Rs. in	US\$ in	Rs	US\$	Rs	US\$
	Crores	Million	Crores	Million	Crores	Million	Crores	Million	Crores	Million	%	%	%	%
Rough Diamonds (Gross)	7340.21	1458.71	72160.61	15132.12	5322.00	1182.93	54564.27	11980.33	54625.67	11993.97	37.92	23.31	32.25	26.31
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	149.25		1314.34		123.60		1541.89		1543.10					
Rough Coloured Gemstone	13.80	2.74	647.81	135.74	43.40	9.65	681.83	149.54	682.86	149.80				
Raw Pearls	2.27	0.45	36.44	7.90	3.60	0.80	31.72	6.96	31.72	6.96				
Rough Synthetic Stones	0.17	0.03	57.13	12.37	12.92	2.87	40.81	9.01	40.81	8.98				
Gold Bar	4545.85	903.39	52983.60	11036.38	6183.30	1374.37	38245.08	8409.13	39238.16	8629.65	-26.48	-34.27	38.54	31.24
Silver Bar	17.44	3.47	399.62	84.54	4.64	1.03	190.07	41.81	392.69	86.62				
Platinum	3.54	0.70	37.05	7.69	2.31	0.51	137.92	29.79	142.11	30.73				
TOTAL - A	11923.28	2369.49	126322.27	26416.74	11572.18	2572.17	93891.69	20626.57	95154.02	20906.71	3.03	-7.88	34.54	28.07
II. Import of Cut & Pol Dia	mond													
SEEPZ - SEZ (MUM)	126.08	25.06	1263.37	263.05	114.07	25.36	915.34	201.25	915.34	201.25	10.53	-1.18	38.02	30.71
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)			0.41		0.60		2.85		2.85					
Mumbai (DTA)	724.90	144.06	37815.31	8020.65	3713.44	825.39	24996.95	5487.06	24996.95	5487.11	-80.48	-82.55	51.28	46.17
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	6.36		216.84		26.57		175.11		175.11					
Others **	365.96	72.73	2478.80	524.62	198.27	44.07	1516.81	331.41	1516.81	331.40	84.58	65.03	63.42	58.30
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	3.75		22.74		0.04		0.90		0.90					
Surat (DTA & SEZ)	3306.29	657.05	26307.14	5565.48	10924.31	2428.16	67296.55	14788.01	67296.55	14788.01	-69.73	-72.94	-60.91	-62.36
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	10.99		96.37		38.03		279.65		279.65					
TOTAL - B	4523.23	898.89	67864.62	14373.80	14950.08	3322.98	94725.65	20807.73	94725.65	20807.77	-69.74	-72.95	-28.36	-30.92
III. Import of Other items														
Gold Fndgs / Mntgs/Cstngs	11.41	2.27	183.31	37.32	9.51	2.11	103.27	22.72	103.27	22.71				
Gold Jewellery	2114.00	420.11	7002.12	1428.82	160.86	35.75	2213.39	484.61	2213.39	484.64	1214	1075.1	216.35	194.84
Non-Gold Jewellery	40.51	8.05	338.80	71.88	49.41	10.98	380.59	83.79	380.59	83.76				
Col. Gemstones	170.96	33.97	1402.01	288.99	45.75	10.17	553.84	121.51	553.84	121.50				
Synthetic Stone	12.64	2.51	121.32	25.20	4.19	0.93	81.41	17.94	81.41	17.96				
Pearls	11.45	2.28	36.95	7.51	0.91	0.20	32.23	7.04	32.23	7.07				
TOTAL - C	2360.97	469.19	9084.51	1859.72	270.63	60.15	3364.73	737.61	3364.73	737.64	772.40	680.03	169.99	152.13
GRAND TOTAL (A+B+C)	18807.48	3737.58	203271.40	42650.26	26792.88	5955.30	191982.07	42171.91	193244.40	42452.12	-29.80	-37.24	5.88	1.13

NOTE:

Others \*\* included (Delhi, Jaipur, Kolkatta, Viizhapatnam & Chennai)

2. Above Figures for Rough Diamonds are Gross Imports (without substracting export of rough diamonds)

i) Figs of Gold Bar from MMTC & Bank of India not included for the month of March 12

ii) Figs from Noida SEZ not received for month of January 2012 to March 2012

Exchange rate 1 US\$

50.32 Mar. 2012 44.99 Mar. 2011

(As per RBI average exchange rate)

<sup>1.</sup> Figures in bracket shows quantity in lakh carats.