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

	Dec-	April-De	c 2012	Dec-11		April- Dec 2011		April- Dec 2011		% Growth / decline		Growth	/ declir	
	(Provisional)		(Provisional)		(Same Ports)		(Same Ports)		(Imports all ports)		Dec-12		April-Dec 2012	
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)	9628.53	1761.85	60419.19	11128.06	6882.25	1306.67	52380.65	11193.08	52594.73	11236.41	39.90	34.84	15.35	-0.58
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	185.30		1111.49		117.62		921.56		923.84		57.55		20.61	
Rough Coloured Gemstones	154.48	28.27	866.20	159.54	99.24	18.84	521.51	110.59	523.23	110.97				
Raw Pearls	3.16	0.58	26.99	4.97	0.27	0.05	31.48	6.90	31.48	6.91				
Rough Synthetic Stones	0.37	0.07	112.81	20.56	0.40	0.08	56.07	12.16	56.18	12.19				
Gold Bar	3461.07	633.31	44946.55	8264.55	3056.10	580.23	36700.93	7810.37	38149.33	8096.62	13.25	9.15	22.47	5.82
Silver Bar	20.71	3.79	184.70	34.07	30.27	5.75	355.72	75.44	427.97	90.68				
Platinum	7.68	1.41	41.14	7.54	3.24	0.62	26.13	5.53	26.13	5.53				
TOTAL - A	13276.01	2429.28	106597.58	19619.29	10071.77	1912.24	90072.48	19214.07	91809.05	19559.31	31.81	27.04	18.35	2.11
II. Import of Cut & Pol Diamo	nd													
SEEPZ - SEZ (MUM)	104.81	19.18	1148.02	210.69	110.97	21.07	860.05	183.00	860.05	183.00	-5.55	-8.97	33.48	15.13
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	0.87		1.39		0.01		2.04		2.04					
Mumbai (DTA)	786.69	143.95	5424.56	997.61	4104.86	779.36	33837.35	7237.52	33837.35	7237.54	-80.84	-81.53	-83.97	-86.22
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	5.98		40.02		19.77		192.56		192.56					
Others	873.99	159.93	4700.52	864.00	148.34	28.16	1931.94	415.71	1931.94	415.74	489.19	467.93	143.31	107.84
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	4.73		27.51		2.75		17.19		17.19					
Surat (DTA & SEZ)	1411.00	258.19	7133.04	1312.67	1647.79	312.85	19512.41	4216.29	19512.41	4216.29	-14.37	-17.47	-63.44	-68.87
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	3.21		25.80		5.22		72.74		72.74					
TOTAL - B	3176.49	581.24	18406.14	3384.97	6011.96	1141.44	56141.74	12052.52	56141.74	12052.57	-47.16	-49.08	-67.21	-71.91
III. Import of Other items														
Gold Fndgs / Mntgs/Cstngs	20.64	3.78	128.16	23.70	57.46	10.91	132.94	27.15	132.94	27.15				
Gold Jewellery	606.26	110.94	23595.57	4280.15	593.83	112.74	3456.23	724.05	3456.23	724.05	2.09	-1.6	582.7	491.14
Non-Gold Jewellery	46.32	8.48	310.55	57.02	12.98	2.46	275.24	59.41	275.24	59.40				
Col. Gemstones	138.94	25.42	695.45	127.05	172.37	32.73	951.03	198.85	951.03	198.88				
Synthetic Stone	17.75	3.25	163.16	29.84	9.50	1.80	80.57	17.14	80.57	17.14				
Pearls	3.73	0.68	30.75	5.64	5.08	0.96	16.76	3.49	16.76	3.47				
TOTAL - C	833.66	152.55	24923.64	4523.40	851.21	161.61	4912.76	1030.09	4912.76	1030.09	-2.06	-5.61	407.32	339.13
GRAND TOTAL (A+B+C)	17286.16	3163.07	149927.35	27527.66	16934.94	3215.29	151126.99	32296.68	152863.56	32641.97	2.07	-1.62	-0.79	-14.77

NOTE:

1. Figures in bracket shows quantity in lakh carats.

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

- i) Figs of Gold Bar from MMTC, Union Bank of India & Bank of India not included for the month of December 12
- ii) Figs from Vizhakhapatnam not received for the period of September to December 2012

Exchange rate 1 US\$

54.65 Dec. 2012 52.6

52.67 Dec. 2011

(As per RBI average exchange rate)