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## PREFACE

This report is issued on a monthly basis and aims at providing a general view of the external trade of Cyprus and its partner countries for May 2006. It is divided into three parts. Part A pertains to total trade statistics under the general trade system, Part B to Extra-EU trade statistics under the special trade system and Part C to Intra-EU trade statistics.

The statistics of trade with non-EU countries (Extra-EU trade) are compiled mainly from THESEAS system, the computerised system of Customs Authorities for imports and the Single Administrative Document for exports. The statistics of trade with EU countries (Intra-EU trade) are compiled via the INTRASTAT system and the data collected via the VAT returns.

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## INTRODUCTION

### DEVELOPMENTS IN EXTERNAL TRADE FOR MAY 2006

**Total imports/arrivals** (covering total imports from third countries and arrivals from E.U countries) in May 2006 amounted to £278,5mn as compared to £239,0mn in May 2005. **Total exports/dispatches** (covering total exports to third countries and dispatches to other Member States) in May 2006 were £51,0mn compared to £56,1mn in May 2005. As a result of the above developments the trade deficit was £227,5mn in May 2006 compared to £182,9mn in the corresponding month of 2005.

#### **Total imports/arrivals**

Imported goods were £278,5mn in May 2006 and £239,0mn in May 2005.

##### a. **Total imports/arrivals by H.S Section**

Section XVI 'Machinery, electrical equipment and parts' head the list with £45,8mn followed by Section V 'Mineral products' with £41,1mn, Section XVII 'Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment' with £34,3mn and Section VI 'Products of the chemical or allied industries' with £22,7mn.

##### b. **Total imports/arrivals by economic destination**

- Consumer goods valued at £85,3mn or 30,6% in May 2006 and £76,6mn or 32,1% in May 2005.
- Intermediate inputs valued at £89,4mn or 32,1% as against £71,7mn or 30,0% in May 2005. The manufacturing sector absorbed £47,5mn as compared with £40,6mn in May 2005. Raw materials for the construction sector were £22,1mn in May 2006 and £18,1mn in May 2005.
- Fuels and lubricants, including crude petroleum oil, valued at £40,5mn in May 2006 and £36,4mn in the corresponding month of 2005.
- Transport equipment with their parts accounted for £37,3mn as compared with £29,8mn in May 2005.
- Capital goods valued at £25,5mn in May 2006 and £22,0mn in May 2005. The manufacturing sector was £5,7mn in May 2006 as against £4,6mn in May 2005. The transport, storage and communication sector absorbed £3,2mn as against £3,6mn in May 2005. Capital goods for the construction and mining sectors valued at £2,3mn in May 2006 and £2,6mn in May 2005. Capital goods for agriculture accounted for £1,4mn in May 2006 and £0,7mn in the corresponding month of 2005.

##### c. **Total imports/arrivals by area**

- The European Union continued to be the main source of supply of goods to Cyprus in May 2006, with a share of £185,2mn or 66,5% of total imports/arrivals. Major suppliers within the Union were Greece with £47,2mn, Italy £36,6mn, the United Kingdom £25,3mn and Germany £21,5mn.

- Imports from all other European countries totaled £13,7mn in May 2006.
- Imports from the rest of the world in May 2006 amounted to £79,6mn with Israel contributing £22,6mn, China (People's Republic of) £14,0mn, Japan £7,3mn and the United Arab Emirates £3,4mn.

#### **Imports/Arrivals destined for home use**

Imported goods destined for home use were £255,9mn in May 2006 and £217,0mn in May 2005.

##### **a. Imports/Arrivals destined for home use by economic destination**

- Consumer goods head the list with £78,8mn or 30,8% in May 2006 and £67,7mn or 31,2% in May 2005.
- Intermediate inputs valued at £88,7mn or 34,7% as against £70,6mn or 32,5% in May 2005. The manufacturing sector absorbed £47,3mn as compared with £40,2mn in May 2005. Raw materials for the construction sector were £22,0mn in May 2006 and £17,5mn in May 2005.
- Fuels and lubricants, including crude petroleum oil, valued at £31,5mn in May 2006 and £29,6mn in the corresponding month of 2005.
- Transport equipment with their parts accounted for £31,1mn as compared with £25,5mn in May 2005.
- Capital goods valued at £25,3mn in May 2006 and £21,2mn in May 2005. The manufacturing sector, occupying the first place in importance, was £5,7mn in May 2006 as against £4,5mn in May 2005. The transport, storage and communication sector absorbed £3,1mn as against £3,3mn in May 2005. Capital goods destined for the construction and mining sectors valued at £2,2mn in May 2006 and at £2,5mn in May 2005. Capital goods for agriculture accounted for £1,4mn in May 2006 and £0,7mn in the corresponding month of 2005.

#### **Total exports/dispatches**

Total exports/dispatches, including stores and provisions, accounted for £51,0mn as compared with £56,1mn in May 2005. Total exports/dispatches of domestically produced goods, including stores and provisions, were £24,0mn in May 2006 whilst total exports/dispatches of foreign goods, including stores and provisions, were £26,9mn.

##### **a. Total exports/dispatches, including stores and provisions, by H.S Section**

Section V 'Mineral products' head the list with £10,9mn followed by Section VI 'Products of the chemical or allied industries' with £6,5mn, Section XVI 'Machinery, electrical equipment and parts' with £6,1mn and Section II 'Vegetable products' with £6,1mn.

##### **b. Total exports/dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by category**

- Industrial products of domestic produce exported during May 2006 valued at £17,3mn or 72,2% and £14,8mn or 73,3% in May 2005. Major export earners within May 2006 were potatoes £4,7mn, pharmaceutical products £3,8mn, halloumi cheese £1,7mn and cement £1,4mn.
- Exports/dispatches of raw agricultural products valued at £6,1mn or 25,3% in May 2006 and £5,0mn or 25,1% in the corresponding month of 2005.
- Mineral exports valued at £0,4mn or 1,8% in May 2006 and £0,3mn or 1,6% in May 2005.

**c. Total exports/dispatches by area**

- Dispatches to the European Union accounted for £27,7mn in May 2006 constituting thus 54,3% of the total exports/dispatches. Dispatches to the United Kingdom accounted for £8,4mn, to Greece for £8,2mn and to Germany for £2,8mn.
- Exports to Near and Middle Eastern countries in May 2006 occupied the second place in importance with £7,1mn.
- Exports to all other European countries amounted to £2,6mn.
- Exports to the rest of the world were £4,7mn.
- Stores and provisions in May 2006 valued at £8,9mn.



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**PART A: TOTAL TRADE STATISTICS**

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**Table 1: Foreign Trade of Cyprus, 2000 - 2005 and January - May 2006**

Period	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)		Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)			Stores and provisions (f.o.b.)			Trade Balance	Ratio of exports to imports (%)
	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Total			
2000	2,401,950	240,762	351,102	591,864	16,803	51,533	68,336	-1,810,086	24,64	
2001	2,528,714	246,990	381,039	628,029	13,046	44,059	57,105	-1,900,685	24,84	
2002	2,486,570	231,604	279,674	511,277	9,686	32,622	42,308	-1,975,293	20,56	
2003	2,304,047	215,020	261,780	476,799	8,884	37,484	46,368	-1,827,248	20,69	
2004	2,679,303	242,940	305,094	548,032	3,136	39,222	42,358	-2,131,271	20,45	
2005	2,966,795	238,136	480,954	719,151	418	112,679	113,159	-2,247,643	24,24	
2006										
January	247,303	17,877	34,156	52,039	22	7,034	7,062	-195,264	21,04	
February	237,076	21,351	27,653	49,010	24	6,592	6,622	-188,066	20,67	
March	283,096	28,817	36,659	65,485	36	8,988	9,032	-217,611	23,13	
April	251,300	21,907	29,590	51,503	40	8,508	8,554	-199,797	20,49	
May	278,486	24,026	26,976	51,008	29	8,943	8,977	-227,478	18,32	

Notes:

1. Because of rounding there may be slight discrepancies between the totals shown and the sum of constituent items.
2. Data on exports/dispatches include stores and provisions.

Table 2: Trade by area, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006<sup>1</sup>

IMPORTS / ARRIVALS						
Period	EUROPEAN UNION	OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AFRICA	OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AMERICA	CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN
					£'000's	
2000	1,261,065	170,400	31,977	6,998	257,153	10,730
2001	1,319,984	170,139	10,945	7,024	244,039	9,004
2002	1,345,754	186,282	17,873	7,642	129,754	6,517
2003	1,311,251	165,318	17,091	6,376	100,572	9,463
2004	1,755,347	159,471	30,751	6,768	68,396	8,340
2005						
January	130,241	9,860	1,537	1,011	5,613	985
February	136,258	12,204	1,507	1,191	4,138	2,763
March	175,904	12,702	2,775	413	4,789	2,457
April	152,201	21,255	3,001	1,465	3,789	479
May	164,054	8,780	1,805	632	4,331	1,180
June	148,430	11,182	1,966	352	3,412	1,652
July	156,995	5,822	3,860	214	3,155	766
August	155,680	9,526	1,718	387	3,347	1,049
September	169,739	8,384	5,002	353	4,333	3,746
October	179,305	16,031	5,769	338	4,817	454
November	192,263	9,977	2,525	538	5,504	2,936
December	192,522	16,264	1,338	738	4,442	1,524
2006						
January	156,051	11,981	2,117	389	6,597	1,805
February	153,798	11,004	2,593	1,059	6,050	1,686
March	191,226	13,089	3,604	562	4,500	712
April	163,025	12,801	1,389	416	2,778	2,268
May	185,177	13,713	3,359	646	5,928	1,136

<sup>1</sup> Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.

Table 2: Trade by area, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006<sup>1</sup> - continued

Period	IMPORTS / ARRIVALS					
	NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED	TOTAL
£'000's						
2000	198,736	405,168	8,510	1	31,019	<b>2,401,950</b>
2001	225,388	408,623	9,545	1	97,752	<b>2,528,714</b>
2002	206,554	413,861	8,855	115	133,961	<b>2,486,570</b>
2003	190,242	376,750	7,974	80	92,093	<b>2,304,031</b>
2004	208,573	375,364	10,077	8	33,781	<b>2,679,303</b>
2005						
January	15,189	25,856	428	92	2,204	<b>195,151</b>
February	23,202	22,298	417	-	2,304	<b>214,947</b>
March	18,544	29,668	705	-	7,005	<b>256,452</b>
April	20,758	25,571	1,215	9	417	<b>230,706</b>
May	24,612	28,530	1,095	-	2,428	<b>239,039</b>
June	25,563	30,536	913	-	2,669	<b>234,713</b>
July	31,390	31,942	698	-	4,054	<b>239,476</b>
August	13,937	31,363	1,098	21	1,082	<b>221,032</b>
September	37,139	25,385	1,075	-	6,116	<b>270,533</b>
October	29,032	23,455	433	-	10,560	<b>283,501</b>
November	48,660	28,550	383	54	778	<b>307,916</b>
December	15,615	31,004	718	-	7,585	<b>273,329</b>
2006						
January	29,488	26,344	639	-	10,462	<b>247,303</b>
February	30,277	22,797	588	-	26	<b>237,076</b>
March	26,930	31,240	986	-	574	<b>283,096</b>
April	25,492	21,276	915	-	5,707	<b>251,300</b>
May		34,555	936	-	1,234	<b>278,486</b>

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Table 2: Trade by area, 2000-2005, January-May 2006<sup>1</sup> - continued

Period	EUROPEAN UNION	OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AFRICA	OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	EXPORTS / DISPATCHES	
					NORTH AMERICA	CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN
					£'000's	
2000	227,398	83,649	22,893	11,216	14,228	1,041
2001	251,546	93,755	22,967	11,472	11,507	1,021
2002	270,560	40,711	23,495	11,275	12,107	1,865
2003	278,480	24,944	18,211	11,635	10,773	3,525
2004	323,152	36,279	8,169	13,825	9,822	1,503
2005						342
January	26,150	3,492	725	683	442	64
February	26,318	3,466	683	956	608	9
March	33,208	3,210	1,147	708	5,852	142
April	35,203	3,539	1,522	547	405	21
May	31,685	3,098	808	842	374	1
June	29,294	3,976	1,144	973	670	36
July	31,039	2,517	777	975	327	19
August	25,486	2,206	1,083	971	410	75
September	43,778	1,947	421	970	1,251	22
October	45,673	3,152	723	1,789	416	39
November	53,336	2,669	961	894	455	23
December	34,742	2,718	843	644	551	25
2006						17
January	33,321	1,938	262	863	359	19
February	27,163	3,297	694	1,010	600	63
March	36,027	7,369	1,227	1,290	697	11
April	23,877	2,615	733	716	698	32
May	27,701	2,566	788	808	478	19

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Table 2: Trade by area, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006<sup>1</sup> - continued

Period	NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED	TOTAL
	£'000's					
2000	144,852	17,070	652	21	68,336	591,864
2001	157,419	19,083	539	31	57,105	628,029
2002	89,627	16,729	675	7	42,308	511,277
2003	65,094	15,808	915	29	46,367	476,799
2004	79,826	28,903	792	20	45,399	548,034
2005						
January	5,815	1,473	57	9	3,320	42,419
February	8,914	1,866	102	-	3,762	46,825
March	8,704	1,276	30	-	3,669	57,911
April	8,288	1,501	111	-	8,671	59,841
May	5,908	1,436	63	-	11,630	56,088
June	6,063	1,676	71	-	12,808	56,736
July	5,536	4,917	94	3	12,418	58,700
August	6,738	1,250	30	-	14,222	52,809
September	5,885	1,639	45	-	13,975	69,937
October	4,528	1,624	118	-	14,382	72,466
November	5,984	12,752	336	-	11,036	88,474
December	5,042	2,743	118	11	9,468	56,945
2006						
January	6,109	1,604	204	-	7,321	52,039
February	7,263	2,116	23	-	6,753	49,010
March	6,954	2,196	77	-	9,584	65,485
April	12,056	1,842	62	6	8,825	51,503
May	7,112	1,601	45	-	9,840	51,008

<sup>1</sup> Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.  
Note: Because of rounding there may be slight discrepancies between the totals shown and the sum of constituent items.

Table 3: Trade by area, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006: % distribution

Period	EUROPEAN UNION	OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AFRICA	OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	% distribution		CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN	SOUTH AMERICA	CARIBBEAN	IMPORTS / ARRIVALS
					NORTH AMERICA	CARIBBEAN				
2000	52,50	7,09	1,33	0,29	10,71	0,45				0,84
2001	52,20	6,73	0,43	0,28	9,65	0,36				1,04
2002	54,12	7,49	0,72	0,31	5,22	0,26				1,18
2003	56,91	7,18	0,74	0,28	4,37	0,41				1,16
2004	64,77	5,95	1,15	0,25	2,55	0,31				1,58
2005										
January	66,74	5,05	0,79	0,52	2,88	0,50				1,09
February	63,39	5,68	0,70	0,55	1,93	1,29				4,03
March	68,59	4,95	1,08	0,16	1,87	0,96				0,58
April	65,97	9,21	1,30	0,64	1,64	0,21				0,24
May	68,63	3,67	0,76	0,26	1,81	0,49				0,67
June	63,24	4,76	0,84	0,15	1,45	0,70				3,42
July	65,56	2,43	1,61	0,09	1,32	0,32				0,24
August	70,43	4,31	0,78	0,18	1,51	0,47				0,83
September	62,74	3,10	1,85	0,13	1,60	1,38				3,42
October	63,25	5,65	2,03	0,12	1,70	0,16				4,69
November	62,44	3,24	0,82	0,17	1,79	0,95				5,11
December	70,44	5,95	0,49	0,27	1,63	0,56				0,58
2006										
January	63,10	4,84	0,86	0,16	2,67	0,73				0,58
February	64,87	4,64	1,09	0,45	2,55	0,71				3,04
March	67,55	4,62	1,27	0,20	1,59	0,25				3,42
April	64,87	5,09	0,55	0,17	1,11	0,90				6,06
May	66,49	4,92	1,21	0,23	2,13	0,41				1,03

Table 3: Trade by area, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006: % distribution - continued

Period	NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	IMPORTS / ARRIVALS	
					COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED	TOTAL
2000	8,27	16,87	0,35	-	1,29	100,00
2001	8,91	16,16	0,38	-	3,87	100,00
2002	8,31	16,64	0,36	-	5,39	100,00
2003	8,26	16,35	0,35	-	4,00	100,00
2004	7,78	14,01	0,38	-	1,26	100,00
2005				% distribution		
January	7,78	13,25	0,22	0,05	1,13	100,00
February	10,79	10,37	0,19	-	1,07	100,00
March	7,23	11,57	0,27	-	2,73	100,00
April	9,00	11,08	0,53	-	0,18	100,00
May	10,30	11,94	0,46	-	1,02	100,00
June	10,89	13,01	0,39	-	1,14	100,00
July	13,11	13,34	0,29	-	1,69	100,00
August	6,31	14,19	0,50	0,01	0,49	100,00
September	13,73	9,38	0,40	-	2,26	100,00
October	10,24	8,27	0,15	-	3,72	100,00
November	15,80	9,27	0,12	0,02	0,25	100,00
December	5,71	11,34	0,26	-	2,78	100,00
2006						
January	11,92	10,65	0,26	-	4,23	100,00
February	12,77	9,62	0,25	-	0,01	100,00
March	9,51	11,04	0,35	-	0,20	100,00
April	10,14	8,47	0,36	-	2,27	100,00
May	10,39	12,41	0,34	-	0,44	100,00

Table 3: Trade by area, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006: % distribution - continued

EXPORTS / DISPATCHES						
Period	EUROPEAN UNION	OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AFRICA	OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES	NORTH AMERICA	CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN
% Distribution						
2000	38,42	14,13	3,87	1,90	2,40	0,18
2001	40,05	14,93	3,66	1,83	1,83	0,16
2002	52,88	7,96	4,60	2,21	2,37	0,41
2003	58,41	5,23	3,82	2,44	2,26	0,74
2004	58,97	6,62	1,49	2,52	1,79	0,27
2005						
January	61,65	8,23	1,71	1,61	1,04	0,45
February	56,20	7,40	1,46	2,04	1,30	0,30
March	57,35	5,54	1,98	1,22	10,11	0,15
April	58,83	5,91	2,54	0,91	0,68	-
May	56,49	5,52	1,44	1,50	0,67	0,34
June	51,63	7,01	2,02	1,71	1,18	0,07
July	52,88	4,29	1,32	1,66	0,56	0,13
August	48,26	4,18	2,05	1,84	0,78	0,74
September	62,60	2,78	0,60	1,39	1,79	0,01
October	63,03	4,35	1,00	2,47	0,57	0,05
November	60,28	3,02	1,09	1,01	0,51	0,03
December	61,01	4,77	1,48	1,13	0,97	0,09
2006						
January	64,03	3,72	0,50	1,66	0,69	0,07
February	55,42	6,73	1,42	2,06	1,22	0,06
March	55,02	11,25	1,87	1,97	1,06	0,08
April	46,36	5,08	1,42	1,39	1,36	0,07
May	54,31	5,03	1,54	1,58	0,94	0,10

Table 3: Trade by area, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006: % distribution - continued

Period	NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES	OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND	OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED		TOTAL
					% Distribution	COUNTRIES NOT SPECIFIED	
2000	24,47	2,88	0,11	-	-	11,55	100,00
2001	25,07	3,04	0,09	-	-	9,09	100,00
2002	17,53	3,27	0,13	-	-	8,27	100,00
2003	13,65	3,32	0,19	0,01	-	9,72	100,00
2004	14,57	5,27	0,14	-	-	8,28	100,00
2005							
January	13,71	3,47	0,13	0,02	-	7,83	100,00
February	19,04	3,98	0,22	-	-	8,03	100,00
March	15,03	2,20	0,05	-	-	6,34	100,00
April	13,85	2,51	0,19	-	-	14,49	100,00
May	10,53	2,60	0,11	-	-	20,74	100,00
June	10,69	2,95	0,13	-	-	22,57	100,00
July	9,43	8,38	0,16	0,01	-	21,15	100,00
August	12,76	2,37	0,06	-	-	26,93	100,00
September	8,41	2,34	0,06	-	-	19,98	100,00
October	6,25	2,24	0,16	-	-	19,85	100,00
November	6,76	14,41	0,38	-	-	12,47	100,00
December	8,85	4,82	0,21	0,02	-	16,63	100,00
2006							
January	11,74	3,08	0,39	-	-	14,07	100,00
February	14,82	4,32	0,05	-	-	13,78	100,00
March	10,62	3,35	0,12	-	-	14,64	100,00
April	23,41	3,58	0,12	0,01	-	17,14	100,00
May	13,94	3,14	0,09	-	-	19,29	100,00

**Table 4: Trade by country, January - May 2006**

Country	Imports / Arrivals		Exports / Dispatches	
	(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%	£000's	%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1.297.262</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>269.045</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>EUROPEAN UNION</b>	<b>849.277</b>	<b>65,47</b>	<b>148.089</b>	<b>55,04</b>
AT Austria	6.645	0,51	1.397	0,52
BE Belgium	27.526	2,12	5.762	2,14
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
CZ Czech Republic	2.838	0,22	1.373	0,51
DK Denmark	6.716	0,52	702	0,26
EE Estonia	86	0,01	274	0,10
FI Finland	17.922	1,38	877	0,33
FR France	54.905	4,23	28.902	10,74
DE Germany	104.539	8,06	12.184	4,53
GR Greece	226.119	17,43	33.638	12,50
HU Hungary	6.917	0,53	822	0,31
IE Ireland	6.114	0,47	2.158	0,80
IT Italy	156.273	12,05	4.444	1,65
LV Latvia	67	0,01	199	0,07
LT Lithuania	425	0,03	560	0,21
LU Luxembourg	556	0,04	-	-
MT Malta	811	0,06	719	0,27
NL Netherlands	58.783	4,53	3.950	1,47
PL Poland	3.096	0,24	594	0,22
PT Portugal	6.153	0,47	227	0,08
SK Slovakia	2.063	0,16	1.012	0,38
SI Slovenia	468	0,04	451	0,17
ES Spain	40.279	3,10	1.593	0,59
SE Sweden	12.056	0,93	2.368	0,88
GB United Kingdom	107.922	8,32	43.884	16,31
<b>OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>62.587</b>	<b>4,82</b>	<b>17.786</b>	<b>6,61</b>
AL Albania	-	-	710	0,26
AD Andorra	-	-	-	-
BY Belarus	2.906	0,22	580	0,22
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	11	-	180	0,07
BG Bulgaria	14.147	1,09	1.204	0,45
HR Croatia	1.778	0,14	792	0,29
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-
MK Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	224	0,02	189	0,07
GI Gibraltar	-	-	342	0,13
VA Holy See	-	-	-	-
IS Iceland	71	0,01	9	-
XK Kosovo	-	-	78	0,03
LI Liechtenstein	1	-	-	-
MD Moldova	147	0,01	102	0,04
XM Montenegro	-	-	94	0,04
NO Norway	2.004	0,15	1.080	0,40
RO Romania	1.951	0,15	4.585	1,70

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**Table 4: Trade by country, January - May 2006 - continued**

Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)			Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%			
			£000's	%	
RU Russia	12.240	0,94	3.738	1,39	
SM San Marino	3	-	-	-	
XS Serbia	4.951	0,38	934	0,35	
CS Serbia and Montenegro	-	-	-	-	
CH Switzerland	11.775	0,91	1.771	0,66	
TR Turkey	242	0,02	30	0,01	
UA Ukraine	10.136	0,78	1.368	0,51	
<b>NORTH AFRICA</b>	<b>13.063</b>	<b>1,01</b>	<b>3.703</b>	<b>1,38</b>	
DZ Algeria	29	-	571	0,21	
XC Ceuta	-	-	-	-	
EG Egypt	11.566	0,89	1.320	0,49	
LY Lybia	855	0,07	1.336	0,50	
XL Melilla	-	-	-	-	
MA Morocco	74	0,01	226	0,08	
TN Tunisia	539	0,04	249	0,09	
<b>OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>3.072</b>	<b>0,24</b>	<b>4.688</b>	<b>1,74</b>	
AO Angola	-	-	60	0,02	
BJ Benin	-	-	87	0,03	
BW Botswana	-	-	74	0,03	
IO British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-	
BF Burkina Faso	4	-	2	-	
BI Burundi	-	-	6	-	
CM Cameroon	69	0,01	4	-	
CV Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	
CF Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	
TD Chad	-	-	17	0,01	
KM Comoros	-	-	-	-	
CG Congo	5	-	14	0,01	
CD Congo (Zaire)	-	-	7	-	
CI Cote d'Ivoire	143	0,01	8	-	
DJ Djibouti	-	-	4	-	
GQ Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	
ER Eritrea	-	-	-	-	
ET Ethiopia	1	-	574	0,21	
GA Gabon	32	-	-	-	
GM Gambia	-	-	31	0,01	
GH Ghana	38	-	72	0,03	
GN Guinea	-	-	32	0,01	
GW Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	
KE Kenya	369	0,03	260	0,10	
LS Lesotho	-	-	86	0,03	
LR Liberia	-	-	11	-	
MG Madagascar	19	-	2	-	
MW Malawi	-	-	61	0,02	
ML Mali	-	-	15	0,01	
MR Mauritania	-	-	-	-	

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)			Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%	£000's	£000's	%
MU Mauritius	1	-	283	0,11	
YT Mayotte	-	-	6	-	
MZ Mozambique	-	-	17	0,01	
NA Namibia	-	-	59	0,02	
NE Niger	-	-	-	-	
NG Nigeria	3	-	437	0,16	
RW Rwanda	-	-	1	-	
SH Saint Helena	-	-	-	-	
ST Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	
SN Senegal	4	-	38	0,01	
SC Seychelles	27	-	13	-	
SL Sierra Leone	92	0,01	10	-	
SO Somalia	-	-	9	-	
ZA South Africa	2.143	0,17	241	0,09	
SD Sudan	15	-	1.444	0,54	
SZ Swaziland	-	-	66	0,02	
TZ Tanzania	69	0,01	402	0,15	
TG Togo	-	-	-	-	
UG Uganda	32	-	199	0,07	
ZM Zambia	-	-	7	-	
ZW Zimbabwe	4	-	27	0,01	
<b>NORTH AMERICA</b>	<b>25.853</b>	<b>1,99</b>	<b>2.833</b>	<b>1,05</b>	
CA Canada	2.041	0,16	567	0,21	
GL Greenland	-	-	18	0,01	
PM Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	
US United States	23.812	1,84	2.248	0,84	
<b>CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN</b>	<b>7.607</b>	<b>0,59</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>0,08</b>	
AI Anguilla	-	-	-	-	
AG Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	3	-	
AW Aruba	-	-	17	0,01	
BS Bahamas	4	-	27	0,01	
BB Barbados	-	-	73	0,03	
BZ Belize	-	-	-	-	
BM Bermuda	-	-	-	-	
KY Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	
CR Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	
CU Cuba	6.880	0,53	-	-	
DM Dominica	-	-	-	-	
DO Dominican Republic	54	-	-	-	
SV El Salvador	10	-	-	-	
GD Grenada	-	-	-	-	
GT Guatemala	-	-	-	-	
HT Haiti	-	-	-	-	
HN Honduras	11	-	-	-	
JM Jamaica	6	-	5	-	
MX Mexico	639	0,05	13	-	

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Country	Imports / Arrivals			Exports / Dispatches	
	(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)		
	£000's	%	£000's	%	
MS Montserrat	-	-	-	-	-
AN Netherlands Antilles	-	-	26	0,01	
NI Nicaragua	2	-	-	-	-
PA Panama	-	-	10	-	
KN St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	-	-	
LC St Lucia	-	-	-	-	
VC St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-	
TT Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	34	0,01	
TC Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-	
VG Virgin Islands (British)	-	-	-	-	
VI Virgin Islands (US)	-	-	-	-	
<b>SOUTH AMERICA</b>	<b>36.409</b>	<b>2,81</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>0,05</b>	
AR Argentina	4.096	0,32	1	-	
BO Bolivia	-	-	-	-	
BR Brazil	31.736	2,45	16	0,01	
CL Chile	364	0,03	32	0,01	
CO Colombia	-	-	-	-	
EC Ecuador	16	-	17	0,01	
FK Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	
GY Guyana	-	-	-	-	
PY Paraguay	4	-	-	-	
PE Peru	30	-	1	-	
SR Suriname	-	-	65	0,02	
UY Uruguay	163	0,01	12	-	
VE Venezuela	-	-	-	-	
<b>NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>141.115</b>	<b>10,88</b>	<b>39.494</b>	<b>14,68</b>	
AM Armenia	9	-	177	0,07	
AZ Azerbaijan	-	-	43	0,02	
BH Bahrain	166	0,01	1.085	0,40	
GE Georgia	9.221	0,71	141	0,05	
IR Iran	972	0,07	742	0,28	
IQ Iraq	-	-	1.258	0,47	
IL Israel	91.206	7,03	3.512	1,31	
JO Jordan	496	0,04	3.390	1,26	
KW Kuwait	776	0,06	1.479	0,55	
LB Lebanon	4.960	0,38	6.514	2,42	
PS Occupied Palestinian Territory	17	-	54	0,02	
OM Oman	247	0,02	500	0,19	
QA Qatar	77	0,01	526	0,20	
SA Saudi Arabia	1.946	0,15	1.930	0,72	
SY Syria	3.211	0,25	3.388	1,26	
AE United Arab Emirates	27.810	2,14	14.291	5,31	
YE Yemen	-	-	463	0,17	
<b>OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>136.212</b>	<b>10,50</b>	<b>9.359</b>	<b>3,48</b>	
AF Afghanistan	-	-	48	0,02	

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Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)			Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%			
			£000's	%	
BD Bangladesh	472	0,04	52	0,02	
BT Bhutan	-	-	-	-	
BN Brunei	-	-	5	-	
KH Cambodia	16	-	28	0,01	
CN China	49.541	3,82	2.104	0,78	
TL East Timor	-	-	-	-	
HK Hong Kong	4.249	0,33	1.430	0,53	
IN India	9.580	0,74	985	0,37	
ID Indonesia	3.439	0,27	28	0,01	
JP Japan	30.771	2,37	205	0,08	
KZ Kazakhstan	316	0,02	316	0,12	
KP Korea(North)	17	-	-	-	
KR Korea(South)	8.580	0,66	518	0,19	
KG Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-	
LA Laos	4	-	-	-	
MO Macao	69	0,01	6	-	
MY Malaysia	4.070	0,31	490	0,18	
MV Maldives	-	-	-	-	
MN Mongolia	-	-	34	0,01	
MM Myanmar (Burma)	24	-	139	0,05	
NP Nepal	1	-	-	-	
PK Pakistan	1.238	0,10	580	0,22	
PH Philippines	371	0,03	219	0,08	
SG Singapore	5.621	0,43	566	0,21	
LK Sri Lanka	323	0,02	189	0,07	
TW Taiwan	8.924	0,69	197	0,07	
TJ Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	
TH Thailand	7.074	0,55	286	0,11	
TM Turkmenistan	-	-	40	0,01	
UZ Uzbekistan	1	-	-	-	
VN Viet-Nam	1.512	0,12	894	0,33	
<b>AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND</b>	<b>4.064</b>	<b>0,31</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>0,15</b>	
AU Australia	1.870	0,14	373	0,14	
CX Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	
CC Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	-	-	
CK Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	
HM Heard Island and Mc-Donald Islands	-	-	-	-	
NZ New Zealand	2.194	0,17	39	0,01	
NU Niue	-	-	-	-	
NF Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-	
TK Tokelau	-	-	-	-	
<b>OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	
AS American Samoa	-	-	-	-	
AQ Antarctica	-	-	-	-	
BV Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-	

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**Table 4: Trade by country, January - May 2006 - continued**

Country	Imports / Arrivals		Exports / Dispatches	
	(c.i.f.)		(f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%	£000's	%
FJ Fiji	-	-	-	-
PF French Polynesia	-	-	-	-
TF French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-
GU Guam	-	-	-	-
KI Kiribati	-	-	-	-
MH Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-
FM Micronesia	-	-	-	-
NR Nauru	-	-	-	-
NC New Caledonia	-	-	-	-
MP Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-
PW Palau	-	-	-	-
PG Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-
PN Pitcairn	-	-	-	-
WS Samoa	-	-	-	-
SB Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-
GS South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands	-	-	-	-
TO Tonga	-	-	-	-
TV Tuvalu	-	-	-	-
UM United States Minor Outlying Islands	-	-	6	-
VU Vanuatu	-	-	-	-
WF Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-
<b>COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S</b>	<b>18.002</b>	<b>1,39</b>	<b>2.075</b>	<b>0,77</b>
QU Countries and territories not specified	18.002	1,39	2.075	0,77
<b>STORES AND PROVISIONS</b>	-	-	<b>40.248</b>	<b>14,96</b>
QQ Stores and provisions	-	-	40.248	14,96

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Table 5: Trade by country, January - May 2006 and 2005

£'000's

Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)					Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)					Trade Balance			
	May		January - May		May	January - May		May	2005		2006	January - May		
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>239,039</b>	<b>278,486</b>	<b>1,136,295</b>	<b>1,297,262</b>	<b>56,088</b>	<b>51,008</b>	<b>263,084</b>	<b>269,045</b>	<b>-182,951</b>	<b>-227,478</b>	<b>-873,211</b>	<b>-1,028,216</b>		
<b>EUROPEAN UNION</b>	<b>164,054</b>	<b>185,177</b>	<b>758,659</b>	<b>849,277</b>	<b>31,685</b>	<b>27,701</b>	<b>152,564</b>	<b>148,089</b>	<b>-132,370</b>	<b>-157,476</b>	<b>-606,095</b>	<b>-701,188</b>		
AT Austria	1,304	1,639	6,495	6,645	300	242	1,469	1,397	-1,005	-1,397	-5,026	-5,248		
BE Belgium	5,791	6,615	26,001	27,526	688	2,084	3,340	5,762	-5,102	-4,531	-22,662	-21,764		
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
CZ Czech Republic	425	983	2,020	2,838	529	169	2,394	1,373	104	-814	375	-1,465		
DK Denmark	1,086	1,348	5,635	6,716	99	90	694	702	-986	-1,258	-4,940	-6,014		
EE Estonia	27	20	81	86	41	31	219	274	14	11	138	188		
FI Finland	2,787	1,218	35,775	17,922	32	62	581	877	-2,755	-1,156	-35,144	-17,045		
FR France	9,901	11,271	49,904	54,905	3,680	1,312	11,811	28,902	-6,221	-9,959	-38,093	-26,003		
DE Germany	20,050	21,520	90,885	104,539	3,513	2,765	16,969	12,184	-17,437	-18,755	-73,916	-92,355		
GR Greece	37,451	47,237	186,178	226,119	8,522	8,242	37,215	33,638	-28,929	-38,996	-148,963	-192,481		
HU Hungary	3,182	2,047	7,445	6,917	35	220	171	822	-3,147	-1,828	-7,275	-6,095		
IE Ireland	2,560	1,899	6,763	6,114	660	557	1,880	2,158	-1,901	-1,342	-4,883	-3,956		
IT Italy	29,116	36,560	123,084	156,273	505	1,662	4,346	4,444	-28,611	-34,898	-118,738	-151,829		
LV Latvia	63	25	222	67	16	10	193	199	-47	-15	-30	132		
LT Lithuania	85	53	311	425	71	115	475	560	-14	63	164	136		
LU Luxembourg	91	41	378	556	-	6	-	-	-91	-41	-372	-556		
MT Malta	75	90	384	811	128	167	628	719	53	77	245	-92		
NL Netherlands	10,165	11,019	45,943	58,783	710	714	8,478	3,950	-9,455	-10,306	-37,466	-54,833		
PL Poland	894	597	2,984	3,096	51	126	283	594	-843	-471	-2,701	-2,502		
PT Portugal	1,365	1,437	5,175	6,153	14	71	84	227	-1,351	-1,367	-5,090	-5,926		
SK Slovakia	471	711	1,710	2,063	91	38	526	1,012	-379	-673	-1,184	-1,052		
SI Slovenia	165	102	6,838	4,68	35	71	299	451	-130	-32	-6,539	-18		
ES Spain	8,962	10,351	41,622	40,279	404	213	1,230	1,593	-8,558	-10,138	-40,392	-38,686		
SE Sweden	3,132	3,059	15,787	12,056	126	312	1,961	2,368	-3,005	-2,747	-13,826	-9,688		
GB United Kingdom	24,007	25,334	97,089	107,922	11,435	8,430	57,312	43,884	-12,571	-16,904	-39,777	-64,038		

Table 5: Trade by country, January - May 2006 and 2005 - continued

Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)					Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)					Trade Balance		
	May		January - May		May	January - May		May		2005	2006	May	
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	
<b>OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>8,780</b>	<b>13,713</b>	<b>64,801</b>	<b>62,587</b>	<b>3,098</b>	<b>2,566</b>	<b>16,806</b>	<b>17,786</b>	<b>-5,683</b>	<b>-11,147</b>	<b>-47,995</b>	<b>-44,801</b>	
AL Albania	1	-	1	-	191	295	544	710	190	295	543	710	
AD Andorra	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	
BY Belarus	1,414	10	3,410	2,906	4	129	151	580	-1,410	119	-3,259	-2,326	
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	3	11	-	51	9	180	-	51	7	170	
BG Bulgaria	403	1,481	9,915	14,147	168	245	1,998	1,204	-235	-1,236	-7,917	-12,942	
HR Croatia	347	-	699	1,778	78	156	458	792	-269	155	-240	-986	
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-37	-	
MK Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	-	-	433	224	10	18	234	189	10	18	-199	-35	
GI Gibraltar	-	-	-	-	61	97	500	342	61	97	500	342	
VA Holy See	46	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-46	-	-46	
IS Iceland	25	39	102	71	-	-	3	9	-25	-39	-99	-62	
XK Kosovo	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	78	-	7	-	77	
LI Liechtenstein	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	
MD Moldova	-	-	1,826	147	12	37	31	102	12	37	-1,795	-45	
XM Montenegro	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94	-	-	-	94	
NO Norway	267	374	2,216	2,004	668	414	1,463	1,080	401	40	-753	-924	
RO Romania	659	242	4,020	1,951	745	136	3,074	4,585	85	-106	-946	2,633	
RU Russia	3,063	3,521	12,912	12,240	567	691	4,705	3,738	-2,496	-2,829	-8,207	-8,502	
SM San Marino	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-3	
XS Serbia	-	1,320	-	4,951	-	203	-	934	-	-1,117	-	-4,016	
CS Serbia and Montenegro	166	-	2,154	-	171	-	1,627	-	6	-	-528	-	
CH Switzerland	1,997	3,107	10,710	11,775	236	66	718	1,771	-1,760	-3,041	-9,991	-10,004	
TR Turkey	125	32	2,421	242	81	-	299	30	-44	-32	-2,122	-212	
UA Ukraine	269	3,586	13,897	10,136	103	22	988	1,368	-166	-3,564	-12,909	-8,768	
<b>NORTH AFRICA</b>	<b>1,805</b>	<b>3,359</b>	<b>10,625</b>	<b>13,063</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>4,885</b>	<b>3,703</b>	<b>-998</b>	<b>-2,571</b>	<b>-5,741</b>	<b>-9,360</b>	
DZ Algeria	-	-	4	29	22	116	474	571	22	116	470	542	
XC Ceuta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006
EG Egypt	1,751	3,197	9,262	11,566	435	251	2,016	1,320	-1,316	-2,946	-7,245	-10,246				
LY Libya	-	2	932	855	278	326	2,044	1,336	278	324	1,112	481				
XL Melilla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
MA Morocco	3	23	55	74	35	60	97	226	32	36	42	153				
TN Tunisia	52	137	373	539	38	35	253	249	-14	-102	-120	-289				
<b>OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>4,712</b>	<b>3,072</b>	<b>842</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>3,736</b>	<b>4,688</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>-977</b>	<b>1,616</b>				
AO Angola	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	60	-	11	60				
BJ Benin	-	-	-	-	-	-	87	-	87	-	87	-				
BW Botswana	-	-	-	-	-	165	-	534	74	165	-	534	74			
IO British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
BF Burkina Faso	4	1	7	4	-	-	-	-	2	4	-1	-7	-3			
BI Burundi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	6	-	-	34	6			
CM Cameroon	-	-	-	25	69	-	-	-	4	-	-	-25	-64			
CV Cape Verde	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
CF Central African Republic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-			
TD Chad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	17			
KM Comoros	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
CG Congo	-	-	-	-	5	-	2	32	14	-	2	32	9			
CD Congo (Zaire)	8	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	7	-8	-	-35	7			
CI Cote d'Ivoire	47	52	272	143	-	-	4	14	8	-47	-48	-258	-135			
DJ Djibouti	-	-	-	-	5	-	63	4	5	-	63	4				
GQ Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
ER Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
ET Ethiopia	22	1	75	1	40	127	258	574	18	125	183	573				
GA Gabon	-	13	233	32	-	-	-	-	-	-13	-233	-32				
GM Gambia	-	-	-	-	34	-	34	31	34	-	34	31				
GH Ghana	-	-	12	38	-	40	22	72	-	39	10	34				
GN Guinea	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	32	-	-	36	32				
GW Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				

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	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May		
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	
KE Kenya	5	8	145	369	32	69	172	260	28	61	28	-109					
LS Lesotho	-	-	-	-	-	2	30	86	-	2	30	86					
LR Liberia	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-1	11					
MG Madagascar	-	-	-	19	-	-	34	2	-	-	34	-17					
MW Malawi	-	-	-	-	16	-	47	61	16	-	47	61					
ML Mali	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	15	-	-	9	15					
MR Mauritania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
MU Mauritius	10	-	10	1	65	72	133	283	55	72	123	283					
YT Mayotte	-	-	-	-	5	6	5	6	5	6	5	6					
MZ Mozambique	-	-	-	-	2	3	11	17	2	3	11	17					
NA Namibia	31	-	97	-	18	31	59	-31	18	-65	59						
NE Niger	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	15	-	-					
NG Nigeria	-	-	74	3	15	33	173	437	15	32	99	434					
RW Rwanda	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	1	-	-	18	1					
SH Saint Helena	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-6	-					
ST Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
SN Senegal	-	4	-	4	-	6	-	38	-	2	-	34					
SC Seychelles	28	27	28	27	-	1	23	13	-28	-26	-6	-14					
SL Sierra Leone	-	-	1	92	-	2	-	10	-	2	-1	-82					
SO Somalia	-	-	-	-	29	-	63	9	29	-	63	9					
ZA South Africa	461	534	2,963	2,143	41	42	202	241	-420	-492	-2,761	-1,902					
SD Sudan	-	-	641	15	278	217	1,356	1,444	278	217	715	1,429					
SZ Swaziland	-	-	1	-	65	-	120	66	65	-	119	66					
TZ Tanzania	-	-	67	69	49	20	158	402	49	20	91	333					
TG Togo	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4	4	-					
UG Uganda	-	-	-	32	-	36	74	199	-	36	74	167					
ZM Zambia	-	-	-	-	2	12	7	2	-	12	7						
ZW Zimbabwe	15	4	18	4	1	12	6	27	-14	9	-12	23					
<b>NORTH AMERICA</b>	<b>4,331</b>	<b>5,928</b>	<b>22,660</b>	<b>25,853</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>7,682</b>	<b>2,833</b>	<b>-3,957</b>	<b>-5,450</b>	<b>-14,979</b>	<b>-23,021</b>					

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	May		January - May			May		January - May			May		
	2005	2006	2005	2006		2005	2006	2005	2006		2005	2006	
CA Canada	450	403	1,751	2,041		20	23	412	567	-430	-380	-1,339	-1,474
GL Greenland	-	-	40	-		-	17	18	-	-	-23	18	
PM Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
US United States	3,880	5,525	20,870	23,812		354	455	7,253	2,248	-3,527	-5,070	-13,616	-21,564
<b>CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN</b>	<b>1,180</b>	<b>1,136</b>	<b>7,863</b>	<b>7,607</b>		<b>188</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>655</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>-991</b>	<b>-1,086</b>	<b>-7,209</b>	<b>-7,400</b>
AI Anguilla	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
AG Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	-	-		-	-	2	3	-	-	2	3
AW Aruba	-	-	-	-		-	-	17	13	17	-	17	17
BS Bahamas	-	-	-	-		4	11	4	41	27	11	3	41
BB Barbados	-	-	-	-		-	17	25	74	73	17	25	73
BZ Belize	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
BM Bermuda	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
KY Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
CR Costa Rica	1	-	4	-		-	-	188	-	-1	-	184	-
CU Cuba	1,031	862	6,869	6,880		-	-	-	-	-1,031	-862	-6,869	-6,880
DM Dominica	-	-	2	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-2	-
DO Dominican Republic	17	24	21	54		-	-	9	-	-17	-24	-12	-54
SV El Salvador	-	-	-	-		10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-10
GD Grenada	-	-	-	-		-	5	-	-	5	-	5	-
GT Guatemala	-	-	-	500		-	-	8	-	-	-	-493	-
HT Haiti	-	-	-	-		-	-	7	-	-	-	7	-
HN Honduras	4	1	15	11		-	-	-	-	-4	-1	-15	-11
JM Jamaica	3	-	5	6		-	1	12	5	-3	1	8	-1
MX Mexico	123	247	409	639		-	-	3	13	-123	-247	-405	-626
MS Montserrat	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
AN Netherlands Antilles	-	-	-	-		-	4	3	9	26	4	3	26
NI Nicaragua	-	2	3	2		-	-	-	-	-2	-3	-2	
PA Panama	-	-	-	-		148	-	250	10	148	-	250	10

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	May		January - May		May	January - May		May		2005	2006	2005	2006
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005
KN St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LC St Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
VC St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TT Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-	3	-	32	34	3	-	32	33	-
TC Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-35	-	-
VG Virgin Islands (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
VI Virgin Islands (US)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>SOUTH AMERICA</b>	<b>1,593</b>	<b>2,874</b>	<b>14,426</b>	<b>36,409</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>-1,557</b>	<b>-2,855</b>	<b>-14,295</b>	<b>-36,265</b>	
AR Argentina	1,014	1,781	3,344	4,096	4	-	8	1	-1,010	-1,781	-3,335	-4,095	-
BO Bolivia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BR Brazil	507	817	10,703	31,736	9	-	9	16	-498	-817	-10,694	-31,720	-
CL Chile	28	217	141	364	2	-	64	32	-26	-217	-78	-331	-
CO Colombia	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
EC Ecuador	-	9	-	16	4	12	11	17	4	3	11	2	-
FK Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GY Guyana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PY Paraguay	-	4	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-4	-6	-4
PE Peru	-	20	74	30	8	-	16	1	8	20	-58	-29	-
SR Suriname	-	-	4	-	9	7	21	65	9	7	18	65	-
UY Uruguay	43	27	154	163	-	-	-	12	-43	-27	-154	-151	-
VE Venezuela	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-
<b>NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>24,612</b>	<b>28,928</b>	<b>102,305</b>	<b>141,115</b>	<b>5,908</b>	<b>7,112</b>	<b>37,630</b>	<b>39,494</b>	<b>-18,704</b>	<b>-21,816</b>	<b>-64,675</b>	<b>-101,621</b>	
AM Armenia	4	7	4	9	36	28	150	177	33	21	147	167	-
AZ Azerbaijan	-	-	-	-	16	7	80	43	16	7	79	43	-
BH Bahrain	12	8	162	166	152	223	615	1,085	140	215	453	919	-
GE Georgia	10	2	4,773	9,221	6	-	16	141	-4	-2	-4,757	-9,080	-
IR Iran	25	153	599	972	78	238	771	742	54	85	171	-230	-

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	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		2005		2006		2005	
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006
IQ Iraq	-	-	5	-	352	231	4,296	1,258	352	231	4,291	1,258	-19,620	-22,189	-71,894	-87,694
IL Israel	20,186	22,574	75,165	91,206	566	385	3,272	3,512	-	-	-	-	416	472	1,967	2,894
JO Jordan	289	113	1,186	496	704	584	3,153	3,390	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
KW Kuwait	136	192	340	776	273	312	1,280	1,479	137	119	940	703	-	-	-	-
LB Lebanon	1,201	691	5,043	4,960	856	1,512	5,511	6,514	-345	820	467	1,554	-	-	-	-
PS Occupied Palestinian Territory	6	-	17	17	-	-	-	-	54	-6	-	-17	-	-	37	37
OM Oman	75	76	545	247	39	145	395	500	-36	68	-	-150	-	-	-	-253
QA Qatar	8	23	182	77	92	137	360	526	84	115	115	177	449	-	-	-
SA Saudi Arabia	328	657	3,510	1,946	495	576	2,637	1,930	167	-81	-873	-16	-	-	-	-
SY Syria	561	997	2,135	3,211	734	773	2,638	3,388	173	-224	503	177	-	-	-	-
AE United Arab Emirates	1,772	3,435	8,637	27,810	1,457	1,862	11,921	14,291	-315	-1,572	3,284	-13,519	-	-	-	-
YE Yemen	-	-	-	-	51	100	536	463	51	100	536	463	-	-	-	-
<b>OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES</b>																
AF Afghanistan	-	-	-	-	9	11	10	48	9	11	10	48	-	-	-	-
BD Bangladesh	85	138	235	472	4	10	131	52	-81	-	-128	-	-105	-	-	-420
BT Bhutan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BN Brunei	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	10	5
KH Cambodia	-	3	7	16	46	6	50	28	46	3	44	12	-	-	-	-
CN China	10,661	14,005	43,770	49,541	356	431	1,095	2,104	-10,305	-13,574	-42,675	-47,437	-	-	-	-
TL East Timor	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1	-	-	-
HK Hong Kong	1,056	895	4,496	4,249	210	164	988	1,430	-845	-731	-3,508	-2,819	-	-	-	-
IN India	1,256	1,623	7,241	9,580	69	221	721	985	-1,187	-1,402	-6,519	-8,594	-	-	-	-
ID Indonesia	1,028	1,351	3,109	3,439	-	16	48	28	-1,028	-1,335	-3,061	-3,411	-	-	-	-
JP Japan	5,495	7,342	37,402	30,771	25	31	285	205	-5,469	-7,312	-37,117	-30,566	-	-	-	-
KZ Kazakhstan	-	4	7	316	49	99	194	316	49	95	187	-	-	-	-	-
KP Korea(North)	215	3	426	17	-	-	-	-	-215	-3	-426	-17	-	-	-	-
KR Korea(South)	1,607	2,303	8,189	8,580	4	13	353	518	-1,603	-2,290	-7,836	-8,062	-	-	-	-
KG Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LA Laos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-4

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	May		January - May			May		January - May			May		
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	
MO Macao	7	18	16	69	-	-	6	6	-7	-18	-11	-11	-63
MY Malaysia	743	939	3,214	4,070	129	93	856	490	-614	-846	-2,358	-2,358	-3,580
MV Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MN Mongolia	-	-	-	-	12	-	49	34	12	-	49	34	34
MM Myanmar (Burma)	-	-	26	24	5	-	49	139	5	-	23	23	114
NP Nepal	-	1	4	1	-	-	14	-	-	-1	10	10	-1
PK Pakistan	352	388	1,220	1,238	116	79	238	580	-236	-309	-982	-982	-658
PH Philippines	157	123	552	371	17	17	90	219	-140	-106	-462	-462	-152
SG Singapore	1,414	1,152	6,110	5,621	80	107	556	566	-1,334	-1,045	-5,554	-5,554	-5,055
LK Sri Lanka	66	70	267	323	51	36	483	189	-15	-34	216	216	-133
TW Taiwan	1,930	2,204	8,010	8,924	34	31	155	197	-1,896	-2,174	-7,854	-7,854	-8,727
TJ Tajikistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TH Thailand	2,295	1,594	6,746	7,074	41	32	482	286	-2,254	-1,562	-6,264	-6,264	-6,788
TM Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	40
UZ Uzbekistan	-	-	-	1	-	-	24	-	-	-	24	24	-1
VN Viet-Nam	163	398	873	1,512	193	205	684	894	30	-193	-189	-189	-618
<b>AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND</b>													
AU Australia	1,095	936	3,861	4,064	63	45	362	412	-1,032	-890	-3,499	-3,499	-3,652
CX Christmas Island	263	469	1,238	1,870	56	45	292	373	-206	-423	-945	-945	-1,496
CC Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CK Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HM Heard Island and Mc-Donald Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NZ New Zealand	832	467	2,623	2,194	6	-	70	39	-826	-467	-2,353	-2,353	-2,155
NU Niue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NF Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TK Tokelau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS</b>													
			102	-	-	-	-	9	6	-	-	-	-93
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Table 5: Trade by country, January - May 2006 and 2005 - continued

Country	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)				Trade Balance			
	May		January - May		May		January - May		May		January - May	
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006
AS American Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
AQ Antarctica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BV Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FJ Fiji	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PF French Polynesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TF French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GU Guam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-
KI Kiribati	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MH Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FM Micronesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NR Nauru	-	-	-	-	92	-	-	-	-	-	-92	-
NC New Caledonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MP Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PW Palau	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PG Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-9	-
PN Pitcairn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WS Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SB Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
GS South Georgia and South Sandwich Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TO Tonga	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TV Tuvalu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
UM United States Minor Outlying Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	6
VU Vanuatu	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WF Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S</b>	<b>2,428</b>	<b>1,234</b>	<b>14,358</b>	<b>18,002</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>862</b>	<b>1,896</b>	<b>2,075</b>	<b>-1,917</b>	<b>-372</b>	<b>-12,462</b>	<b>-15,927</b>
QU Countries and territories not specified	2,428	1,234	14,358	18,002	510	862	1,896	2,075	-1,917	-372	-12,462	-15,927
<b>STORES AND PROVISIONS</b>	-	-	-	-	<b>11,120</b>	<b>8,978</b>	<b>29,157</b>	<b>40,248</b>	<b>11,120</b>	<b>8,978</b>	<b>29,157</b>	<b>40,248</b>
QQ Stores and provisions	-	-	-	-	11,120	8,978	29,157	40,248	11,120	8,978	29,157	40,248

Note: Data are not strictly comparable since data prior to May 2004 of Intra-EU and Extra-EU trade on imports/arrivals were recorded by country of origin of the goods while on exports/dispatches by country of final destination whereas for data for May 2004 onwards for Intra-EU trade, arrivals are recorded by country of consignment and dispatches by country of dispatch.

**Table 6: Trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, January - May 2006 and 2005**

H.S. Section	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)				Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)			
	2005	May 2006	2005	January - May 2006	2005	May 2006	2005	January - May 2006
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>239,039</b>	<b>278,486</b>	<b>1,136,295</b>	<b>1,297,262</b>	<b>56,088</b>	<b>51,008</b>	<b>263,084</b>	<b>269,045</b>
I Live animals; animal products	4,312	5,383	20,691	23,359	2,520	2,448	11,030	10,664
II Vegetable products	6,372	6,128	34,056	36,002	4,914	6,067	30,013	34,273
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	865	1,532	4,807	4,818	131	75	661	485
IV Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	22,191	23,546	86,846	92,446	4,295	3,949	23,004	17,891
V Mineral products	37,167	41,140	162,066	241,514	11,922	10,894	31,351	45,152
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	19,307	22,697	92,204	98,554	6,414	6,516	30,174	30,921
VII Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	9,849	10,717	43,314	44,421	497	427	2,680	2,142
VIII Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods; handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	1,093	1,468	5,365	6,837	115	231	781	884
IX Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wicketwork	5,244	6,427	23,505	23,960	13	39	224	206
X Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	7,887	9,176	34,915	36,123	719	1,175	3,939	4,791
XI Textiles and textile articles	12,675	13,673	68,077	69,165	932	839	5,185	4,712

Note: The General trade system is applied.

Table 6: Trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, January - May 2006 and 2005 - continued

H.S. Section	Imports / Arrivals (c.i.f.)					Exports / Dispatches (f.o.b.)					£'000's	
	May		2006		January - May 2006		May		2006			
	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006	2005	2006		
XII	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, walking sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	2,734	3,081	15,887	17,908	140	140	51	503	526		
XIII	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products; glass and glassware	7,249	8,437	33,403	35,333	118	118	35	274	375		
XIV	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	2,157	1,470	7,485	6,371	60	60	63	1,084	935		
XV	Base metal and articles of base metal	17,130	24,834	77,648	90,245	2,068	2,068	2,551	9,792	11,339		
XVI	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	39,305	45,815	196,307	228,537	8,637	8,637	6,061	49,916	58,200		
XVII	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	25,897	34,259	149,925	142,658	8,868	8,868	5,425	47,277	29,514		
XVIII	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	5,076	6,170	22,284	30,579	2,420	2,420	2,506	9,742	10,677		
XIX	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	2,614	789	15,183	18,356	200	200	387	1,665	1,407		
XX	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	9,891	11,631	42,046	49,541	1,085	1,085	918	3,689	3,510		
XXI	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	17	52	152	226	-	-	8	23	12		
UNCLASSIFIED		8	63	131	306	17	17	344	78	431		

Note: The General trade system is applied.

**Table 7: Imports/Arrivals by Economic Destination, January - May 2006 and 2005**

Economic Destination	2006				2005			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>278.486</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>1.297.262</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>239.039</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>1.136.295</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>CONSUMER GOODS</b>	<b>85.269</b>	<b>30,62</b>	<b>413.143</b>	<b>31,85</b>	<b>76.647</b>	<b>32,06</b>	<b>364.109</b>	<b>32,04</b>
- Non-durable	48.712	17,49	214.720	16,55	42.062	17,60	193.010	16,99
(i) Food and beverages	23.252	8,35	93.801	7,23	19.661	8,22	82.360	7,25
(ii) Other (incl. tobacco)	25.460	9,14	120.918	9,32	22.401	9,37	110.650	9,74
- Semi-durable	17.817	6,40	81.600	6,29	16.004	6,70	76.583	6,74
- Durable	18.741	6,73	116.822	9,01	18.581	7,77	94.516	8,32
<b>INTERMEDIATE INPUTS</b>	<b>89.449</b>	<b>32,12</b>	<b>356.929</b>	<b>27,51</b>	<b>71.740</b>	<b>30,01</b>	<b>330.185</b>	<b>29,06</b>
- Agriculture	4.442	1,59	18.135	1,40	3.657	1,53	17.798	1,57
- Construction and mining	22.100	7,94	85.767	6,61	18.114	7,58	75.029	6,60
- Manufacturing	47.534	17,07	194.737	15,01	40.611	16,99	191.981	16,90
- Transport, storage and communication	3.305	1,19	12.442	0,96	1.845	0,77	9.228	0,81
- Other	12.069	4,33	45.848	3,53	7.514	3,14	36.148	3,18
<b>CAPITAL GOODS</b>	<b>25.512</b>	<b>9,16</b>	<b>114.928</b>	<b>8,86</b>	<b>22.022</b>	<b>9,21</b>	<b>102.467</b>	<b>9,02</b>
- Agriculture	1.389	0,50	5.989	0,46	658	0,28	3.129	0,28
- Construction and mining	2.259	0,81	11.117	0,86	2.585	1,08	11.109	0,98
- Manufacturing	5.739	2,06	22.647	1,75	4.619	1,93	24.148	2,13
- Transport, storage and communication	3.191	1,15	16.991	1,31	3.633	1,52	18.064	1,59
- Other	12.934	4,64	58.184	4,49	10.527	4,40	46.016	4,05
<b>TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF</b>	<b>37.315</b>	<b>13,40</b>	<b>156.278</b>	<b>12,05</b>	<b>29.780</b>	<b>12,46</b>	<b>165.786</b>	<b>14,59</b>
- Passenger motor vehicles	23.975	8,61	101.800	7,85	18.194	7,61	113.648	10,00
- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	4.269	1,53	15.323	1,18	2.858	1,20	15.265	1,34
- Special purpose lorries and vans	664	0,24	2.497	0,19	529	0,22	1.828	0,16
- Public-service type passenger motor vehicles	176	0,06	938	0,07	290	0,12	1.372	0,12
- Aircraft, helicopters, balloons and airships	-	-	300	0,02	29	0,01	34	-
- Motorcycles and bicycles	430	0,15	1.425	0,11	334	0,14	1.166	0,10
- Other transport equipment	1.003	0,36	4.491	0,35	698	0,29	4.434	0,39
- Parts for transport equipment	6.797	2,44	29.503	2,27	6.848	2,86	28.038	2,47
<b>FUELS AND LUBRICANTS</b>	<b>40.507</b>	<b>14,55</b>	<b>238.893</b>	<b>18,42</b>	<b>36.421</b>	<b>15,24</b>	<b>159.371</b>	<b>14,03</b>
<b>UNCLASSIFIED</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>0,16</b>	<b>17.091</b>	<b>1,32</b>	<b>2.428</b>	<b>1,02</b>	<b>14.377</b>	<b>1,27</b>

**Table 8: Imports/Arrivals destined for home use by Economic Destination, January - May 2006 and 2005**

Economic Destination	2006				2005			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>255.874</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>1.158.833</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>216.987</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>1.010.019</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>CONSUMER GOODS</b>	<b>78.773</b>	<b>30,79</b>	<b>346.391</b>	<b>29,89</b>	<b>67.657</b>	<b>31,18</b>	<b>306.845</b>	<b>30,38</b>
- Non-durable	44.856	17,53	196.051	16,92	38.131	17,57	173.082	17,14
(i) Food and beverages	22.456	8,78	91.551	7,90	19.183	8,84	80.345	7,95
(ii) Other (incl. tobacco)	22.400	8,75	104.501	9,02	18.948	8,73	92.736	9,18
- Semi-durable	17.518	6,85	80.589	6,95	15.901	7,33	75.739	7,50
- Durable	16.400	6,41	69.751	6,02	13.624	6,28	58.025	5,74
<b>INTERMEDIATE INPUTS</b>	<b>88.733</b>	<b>34,68</b>	<b>350.206</b>	<b>30,22</b>	<b>70.553</b>	<b>32,51</b>	<b>327.079</b>	<b>32,38</b>
- Agriculture	4.439	1,73	17.524	1,51	3.648	1,68	17.774	1,76
- Construction and mining	22.010	8,60	84.813	7,32	17.519	8,07	74.605	7,39
- Manufacturing	47.299	18,49	192.647	16,62	40.170	18,51	189.827	18,79
- Transport, storage and communication	3.296	1,29	12.246	1,06	1.887	0,87	9.425	0,93
- Other	11.688	4,57	42.975	3,71	7.329	3,38	35.448	3,51
<b>CAPITAL GOODS</b>	<b>25.325</b>	<b>9,90</b>	<b>111.872</b>	<b>9,65</b>	<b>21.175</b>	<b>9,76</b>	<b>99.260</b>	<b>9,83</b>
- Agriculture	1.389	0,54	5.995	0,52	655	0,30	3.115	0,31
- Construction and mining	2.244	0,88	11.030	0,95	2.522	1,16	11.022	1,09
- Manufacturing	5.733	2,24	22.630	1,95	4.498	2,07	23.986	2,37
- Transport, storage and communication	3.127	1,22	14.561	1,26	3.339	1,54	16.071	1,59
- Other	12.832	5,01	57.656	4,98	10.161	4,68	45.067	4,46
<b>TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF</b>	<b>31.136</b>	<b>12,17</b>	<b>131.531</b>	<b>11,35</b>	<b>25.538</b>	<b>11,77</b>	<b>130.582</b>	<b>12,93</b>
- Passenger motor vehicles	17.856	6,98	79.164	6,83	14.700	6,77	83.387	8,26
- Motor vehicles for the transport of goods	4.427	1,73	13.854	1,20	2.109	0,97	10.702	1,06
- Special purpose lorries and vans	630	0,25	2.481	0,21	539	0,25	1.827	0,18
- Public-service type passenger motor vehicles	117	0,05	873	0,08	299	0,14	1.329	0,13
- Aircraft, helicopters, balloons and airships	-	-	300	0,03	29	0,01	41	-
- Motorcycles and bicycles	398	0,16	1.358	0,12	360	0,17	1.167	0,12
- Other transport equipment	969	0,38	4.389	0,38	706	0,33	4.123	0,41
- Parts for transport equipment	6.738	2,63	29.113	2,51	6.796	3,13	28.006	2,77
<b>FUELS AND LUBRICANTS</b>	<b>31.473</b>	<b>12,30</b>	<b>201.742</b>	<b>17,41</b>	<b>29.637</b>	<b>13,66</b>	<b>131.876</b>	<b>13,06</b>
<b>UNCLASSIFIED</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>0,17</b>	<b>17.091</b>	<b>1,47</b>	<b>2.428</b>	<b>1,12</b>	<b>14.377</b>	<b>1,42</b>

Note: Imports/Arrivals destined for home use correspond to imports for home consumption

**Table 9: Exports/Dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - May 2006 and 2005**

Economic Sector	2006				2005			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>23.998</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>113.828</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>20.119</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>105.699</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS (RAW)</b>	<b>6.065</b>	<b>25,27</b>	<b>34.553</b>	<b>30,36</b>	<b>5.043</b>	<b>25,07</b>	<b>29.900</b>	<b>28,29</b>
- Potatoes	4.656	19,40	13.163	11,56	3.277	16,29	8.727	8,26
- Beetroot	1	-	14	0,01	3	0,01	28	0,03
- Okra	15	0,06	226	0,20	14	0,07	181	0,17
- Other vegetables fresh, frozen or dried	230	0,96	3.524	3,10	359	1,78	3.176	3,00
- Citrus fruit	786	3,28	15.430	13,56	938	4,66	16.329	15,45
- Grapes, fresh	-	-	18	0,02	-	-	-	-
- Fish, crustaceans, molluscs (Live, fresh, chilled or frozen)	278	1,16	1.397	1,23	202	1,00	990	0,94
- Live animals	24	0,10	314	0,28	97	0,48	278	0,26
- All others	45	0,19	431	0,38	14	0,07	51	0,05
<b>MINERALS</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>1,80</b>	<b>2.493</b>	<b>2,19</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>1,58</b>	<b>1.486</b>	<b>1,41</b>
- Bentonite (excl. activated)	284	1,18	1.741	1,53	226	1,12	953	0,90
- All others	149	0,62	752	0,66	92	0,46	533	0,50
<b>INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF AGRICULTURAL ORIGIN</b>	<b>3.599</b>	<b>15,00</b>	<b>15.017</b>	<b>13,19</b>	<b>4.520</b>	<b>22,47</b>	<b>19.549</b>	<b>18,49</b>
- Meat (excl. meat of quails)	245	1,02	849	0,75	480	2,39	2.226	2,11
- Halloumi cheese	1.713	7,14	7.057	6,20	1.580	7,85	6.630	6,27
- Cheese (excl. halloumi)	43	0,18	345	0,30	24	0,12	316	0,30
- Honey	5	0,02	25	0,02	-	-	-	-
- Locust beans (incl. seeds)	151	0,63	515	0,45	72	0,36	507	0,48
- Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades	3	0,01	4	-	-	-	3	-
- Fruit preserved	33	0,14	185	0,16	4	0,02	201	0,19
- Fruit and vegetable juices	521	2,17	2.411	2,12	566	2,81	2.107	1,99
- Beer	169	0,70	574	0,50	132	0,66	393	0,37
- Wines	147	0,61	855	0,75	808	4,02	2.802	2,65
- Alcoholic beverages (excl. beer and wines)	32	0,13	87	0,08	11	0,05	43	0,04
- Raw hides and skins	193	0,80	707	0,62	100	0,50	644	0,61
- All others	345	1,44	1.402	1,23	744	3,70	3.674	3,48
<b>INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF MINERAL ORIGIN</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>0,69</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>0,52</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>1,60</b>	<b>1.270</b>	<b>1,20</b>
- Activated natural mineral prod. (Bentonite)	10	0,04	12	0,01	246	1,22	1.069	1,01
- All others	156	0,65	584	0,51	75	0,37	201	0,19
<b>INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS OF MANUFACTURING ORIGIN</b>	<b>13.555</b>	<b>56,48</b>	<b>60.915</b>	<b>53,51</b>	<b>9.909</b>	<b>49,25</b>	<b>53.383</b>	<b>50,50</b>
- Coffee, roasted	33	0,14	152	0,13	10	0,05	92	0,09
- Animal or vegetable fats and oils	75	0,31	485	0,43	131	0,65	660	0,62

**Table 9: Exports/Dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - May 2006 and 2005 - continued**

Economic Sector	2006				2005			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%
- Food preparations based on meat	17	0,07	53	0,05	4	0,02	70	0,07
- Sugar and Chocolate confectionery	3	0,01	8	0,01	-	-	14	0,01
- Bread	4	0,02	57	0,05	11	0,05	39	0,04
- Biscuits, waffles, wafers and other bakers wares	46	0,19	140	0,12	15	0,07	93	0,09
- Cigarettes	45	0,19	1.223	1,07	-	-	5.011	4,74
- Cement	1.368	5,70	2.421	2,13	438	2,18	1.256	1,19
- Pharmaceutical products	3.815	15,90	21.267	18,68	4.431	22,02	20.774	19,65
- Paints and varnishes	46	0,19	127	0,11	50	0,25	185	0,18
- Essential oils, perfumery and cosmetics	252	1,05	876	0,77	210	1,04	741	0,70
- Soap, washing preparations	69	0,29	260	0,23	46	0,23	278	0,26
- Insecticides	5	0,02	41	0,04	78	0,39	136	0,13
- Tubes, pipes, sheets of plastics	264	1,10	1.290	1,13	224	1,11	1.482	1,40
- Plastic articles for packing goods	94	0,39	490	0,43	69	0,34	581	0,55
- Builders ware of plastic	7	0,03	37	0,03	9	0,04	38	0,04
- Articles of paper or of paperboard	574	2,39	2.730	2,40	246	1,22	1.929	1,82
- Printed material	35	0,15	210	0,18	56	0,28	271	0,26
- Clothing	302	1,26	1.924	1,69	284	1,41	1.881	1,78
- Curtains and interior blinds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
- Footwear	22	0,09	201	0,18	60	0,30	215	0,20
- Aluminium doors, windows and frames	51	0,21	144	0,13	20	0,10	203	0,19
- Articles of iron and steel	42	0,18	579	0,51	22	0,11	219	0,21
- Aluminium bars, rods and profiles	556	2,32	2.725	2,39	390	1,94	1.620	1,53
- Pumps for liquids	52	0,22	303	0,27	60	0,30	543	0,51
- Refrigerators and freezers	-	-	13	0,01	-	-	60	0,06
- Oil and air filters for motor vehicles	-	-	-	-	134	0,67	739	0,70
- Brooms, brushes, mops etc.	163	0,68	590	0,52	114	0,57	512	0,48
- Shotgun cartridges	74	0,31	461	0,40	96	0,48	372	0,35
- Furniture	506	2,11	1.635	1,44	622	3,09	1.935	1,83
- Lighting fixtures and fittings	34	0,14	230	0,20	49	0,24	171	0,16
- Mattresses	39	0,16	155	0,14	27	0,13	120	0,11
- Jewellery, goldsmiths and silversmiths wares	1	-	283	0,25	9	0,04	249	0,24
- Machinery for filling, closing, sealing, labelling	13	0,05	378	0,33	157	0,78	548	0,52
- Tiles, flagstones, bricks and other similar articles of cement, of concrete or of	-	-	-	-	37	0,18	52	0,05
- Refractory cements, mortars, concretes and similar compositions	29	0,12	165	0,14	43	0,21	196	0,19
- Building stones (marble, granite and other calcareous stones)	9	0,04	57	0,05	22	0,11	65	0,06

**Table 9: Exports/Dispatches of domestically produced goods, excluding stores and provisions, by Broad Economic Sector, January - May 2006 and 2005 - continued**

Economic Sector	2006				2005			
	May		January - May		May		January - May	
	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%	£000's	%
- Builders joinery and carpentry of wood (windows, doors and their frames)	31	0,13	108	0,09	-	-	153	0,14
- Dextrins, starches, glues or adhesives	5	0,02	19	0,02	3	0,01	24	0,02
- Glaziers and grafting putty, painters fillings and other compounds	5	0,02	12	0,01	14	0,07	54	0,05
- Watering appliances for agricultural or horticultural sectors	-	-	203	0,18	27	0,13	323	0,31
- Records, tapes and other recorded media	128	0,53	347	0,30	4	0,02	1.708	1,62
- Photosensitive semiconductor devices	1.813	7,55	6.749	5,93	438	2,18	2.090	1,98
- Parts and accessories of motor vehicles	50	0,21	91	0,08	34	0,17	95	0,09
- Yachts and other sports and pleasure boats	252	1,05	953	0,84	196	0,97	773	0,73
- Animal feeding preparations	57	0,24	247	0,22	83	0,41	479	0,45
- Sauces and other preparations (incl. tomato ketchup and other tomato sauces,	-	-	-	-	6	0,03	25	0,02
- Uncooked or stuffed pasta	34	0,14	150	0,13	29	0,14	95	0,09
- Waste and scrap	1.619	6,75	6.693	5,88	549	2,73	2.047	1,94
- All others	866	3,61	3.543	3,11	346	1,72	2.109	2,00
<b>UNCLASSIFIED</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>0,75</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>0,22</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0,04</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>0,10</b>



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**PART B: EXTRA-EU TRADE STATISTICS**

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**Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2006****SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM**

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%	£000's	%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>81.329</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>13.395</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>12.590</b>	<b>15,48</b>	<b>2.467</b>	<b>18,42</b>
AL Albania	-	-	295	2,21
AD Andorra	-	-	-	-
BY Belarus	10	0,01	129	0,96
BA Bosnia and Herzegovina	-	-	51	0,38
BG Bulgaria	1.326	1,63	245	1,83
HR Croatia	-	-	156	1,16
FO Faroe Islands	-	-	-	-
MK Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	-	-	18	0,13
GI Gibraltar	-	-	97	0,72
VA Holy See	-	-	-	-
IS Iceland	39	0,05	-	-
XK Kosovo	-	-	7	0,05
LI Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-
MD Moldova	-	-	37	0,27
XM Montenegro	-	-	-	-
NO Norway	367	0,45	414	3,09
RO Romania	242	0,30	125	0,93
RU Russia	3.348	4,12	686	5,12
SM San Marino	-	-	-	-
XS Serbia	1.320	1,62	126	0,94
CS Serbia and Montenegro	-	-	-	-
CH Switzerland	2.318	2,85	59	0,44
TR Turkey	32	0,04	-	-
UA Ukraine	3.587	4,41	22	0,16
<b>NORTH AFRICA</b>	<b>3.289</b>	<b>4,04</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>5,39</b>
DZ Algeria	-	-	116	0,87
XC Ceuta	-	-	-	-
EG Egypt	3.127	3,84	220	1,64
LY Libya	2	-	308	2,30
XL Melilla	-	-	-	-
MA Morocco	23	0,03	60	0,45
TN Tunisia	137	0,17	18	0,14
<b>OTHER AFRICAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>0,64</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>5,90</b>
AO Angola	-	-	11	0,08
BJ Benin	-	-	85	0,63
BW Botswana	-	-	-	-
IO British Indian Ocean Territory	-	-	-	-
BF Burkina Faso	1	-	-	-
BI Burundi	-	-	-	-
CM Cameroon	-	-	-	-
CV Cape Verde	-	-	-	-
CF Central African Republic	-	-	-	-
TD Chad	-	-	-	-
KM Comoros	-	-	-	-
CG Congo	-	-	-	-
CD Congo (Zaire)	-	-	-	-
CI Cote d'Ivoire	52	0,06	4	0,03

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2006 - continued

**SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM**

<b>Country</b>	<b>Imports</b> (c.i.f.)		<b>Exports</b> (f.o.b.)	
	<b>£000's</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>£000's</b>	<b>%</b>
DJ Djibouti	-	-	-	-
GQ Equatorial Guinea	-	-	-	-
ER Eritrea	-	-	-	-
ET Ethiopia	1	-	127	0,95
GA Gabon	13	0,02	-	-
GM Gambia	-	-	-	-
GH Ghana	-	-	37	0,28
GN Guinea	-	-	-	-
GW Guinea-Bissau	-	-	-	-
KE Kenya	8	0,01	69	0,51
LS Lesotho	-	-	2	0,02
LR Liberia	-	-	-	-
MG Madagascar	-	-	-	-
MW Malawi	-	-	-	-
ML Mali	-	-	-	-
MR Mauritania	-	-	-	-
MU Mauritius	-	-	72	0,54
YT Mayotte	-	-	6	0,04
MZ Mozambique	-	-	3	0,02
NA Namibia	-	-	18	0,13
NE Niger	-	-	-	-
NG Nigeria	-	-	28	0,21
RW Rwanda	-	-	-	-
SH Saint Helena	-	-	-	-
ST Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	-
SN Senegal	4	-	-	-
SC Seychelles	27	0,03	1	-
SL Sierra Leone	-	-	2	0,01
SO Somalia	-	-	-	-
ZA South Africa	412	0,51	41	0,31
SD Sudan	-	-	217	1,62
SZ Swaziland	-	-	-	-
TZ Tanzania	-	-	20	0,15
TG Togo	-	-	-	-
UG Uganda	-	-	36	0,27
ZM Zambia	-	-	-	-
ZW Zimbabwe	2	-	12	0,09
<b>NORTH AMERICA</b>	<b>5.320</b>	<b>6,54</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>3,53</b>
CA Canada	348	0,43	23	0,17
GL Greenland	-	-	-	-
PM Saint Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-
US United States	4.972	6,11	450	3,36
<b>CENTRAL AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>0,44</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>0,37</b>
AI Anguilla	-	-	-	-
AG Antigua and Barbuda	-	-	-	-
AW Aruba	-	-	17	0,13
BS Bahamas	-	-	4	0,03
BB Barbados	-	-	25	0,19
BZ Belize	-	-	-	-
BM Bermuda	-	-	-	-
KY Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2006 - continued

SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%	£000's	%
CR Costa Rica	-	-	-	-
CU Cuba	154	0,19	-	-
DM Dominica	-	-	-	-
DO Dominican Republic	12	0,01	-	-
SV El Salvador	-	-	-	-
GD Grenada	-	-	-	-
GT Guatemala	-	-	-	-
HT Haiti	-	-	-	-
HN Honduras	2	-	-	-
JM Jamaica	-	-	-	-
MX Mexico	184	0,23	-	-
MS Montserrat	-	-	-	-
AN Netherlands Antilles	-	-	3	0,02
NI Nicaragua	2	-	-	-
PA Panama	-	-	-	-
KN St Kitts and Nevis	-	-	-	-
LC St Lucia	-	-	-	-
VC St Vincent and the Grenadines	-	-	-	-
TT Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	-	-
TC Turks and Caicos Islands	-	-	-	-
VG Virgin Islands (British)	-	-	-	-
VI Virgin Islands (US)	-	-	-	-
<b>SOUTH AMERICA</b>	<b>2.918</b>	<b>3,59</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>0,14</b>
AR Argentina	1.774	2,18	-	-
BO Bolivia	-	-	-	-
BR Brazil	865	1,06	-	-
CL Chile	219	0,27	-	-
CO Colombia	-	-	-	-
EC Ecuador	9	0,01	12	0,09
FK Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-
GY Guyana	-	-	-	-
PY Paraguay	4	-	-	-
PE Peru	20	0,03	-	-
SR Suriname	-	-	7	0,05
UY Uruguay	27	0,03	-	-
VE Venezuela	-	-	-	-
<b>NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>21.388</b>	<b>26,30</b>	<b>4.543</b>	<b>33,91</b>
AM Armenia	8	0,01	28	0,21
AZ Azerbaijan	-	-	6	0,04
BH Bahrain	8	0,01	135	1,01
GE Georgia	13	0,02	-	-
IR Iran	153	0,19	238	1,77
IQ Iraq	-	-	231	1,72
IL Israel	16.220	19,94	374	2,79
JO Jordan	113	0,14	500	3,73
KW Kuwait	192	0,24	312	2,33
LB Lebanon	693	0,85	558	4,17
PS Occupied Palestinian Territory	-	-	-	-
OM Oman	76	0,09	145	1,08
QA Qatar	23	0,03	110	0,82
SA Saudi Arabia	663	0,82	576	4,30

**Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2006 - continued**

**SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM**

Country	Imports (c.i.f.)		Exports (f.o.b.)	
	£000's	%	£000's	%
SY Syria	996	1,22	90	0,68
AE United Arab Emirates	2.230	2,74	1.139	8,50
YE Yemen	-	-	100	0,75
<b>OTHER ASIAN COUNTRIES</b>	<b>32.980</b>	<b>40,55</b>	<b>1.582</b>	<b>11,81</b>
AF Afghanistan	-	-	11	0,08
BD Bangladesh	138	0,17	10	0,08
BT Bhutan	-	-	-	-
BN Brunei	-	-	-	-
KH Cambodia	3	-	6	0,04
CN China	13.939	17,14	431	3,21
TL East Timor	-	-	-	-
HK Hong Kong	964	1,18	160	1,20
IN India	1.628	2,00	208	1,56
ID Indonesia	1.294	1,59	16	0,12
JP Japan	6.727	8,27	30	0,23
KZ Kazakhstan	4	0,01	99	0,74
KP Korea(North)	3	-	-	-
KR Korea(South)	1.874	2,30	13	0,10
KG Kyrgyzstan	-	-	-	-
LA Laos	-	-	-	-
MO Macao	18	0,02	-	-
MY Malaysia	971	1,19	93	0,70
MV Maldives	-	-	-	-
MN Mongolia	-	-	-	-
MM Myanmar (Burma)	-	-	-	-
NP Nepal	1	-	-	-
PK Pakistan	386	0,48	79	0,59
PH Philippines	123	0,15	17	0,13
SG Singapore	962	1,18	107	0,80
LK Sri Lanka	71	0,09	33	0,25
TW Taiwan	2.204	2,71	31	0,23
TJ Tajikistan	-	-	-	-
TH Thailand	1.265	1,56	32	0,24
TM Turkmenistan	-	-	-	-
UZ Uzbekistan	-	-	-	-
VN Viet-Nam	404	0,50	205	1,53
<b>AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>1,03</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0,28</b>
AU Australia	481	0,59	38	0,28
CX Christmas Island	-	-	-	-
CC Cocos Islands(Keeling Islands)	-	-	-	-
CK Cook Islands	-	-	-	-
HM Heard Island and Mc-Donald Islands	-	-	-	-
NZ New Zealand	356	0,44	-	-
NU Niue	-	-	-	-
NF Norfolk Island	-	-	-	-
TK Tokelau	-	-	-	-
<b>OTHER COUNTRIES OF OCEANIA AND POLAR</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
AS American Samoa	-	-	-	-
AQ Antarctica	-	-	-	-
BV Bouvet Island	-	-	-	-

Table 1: Extra-EU trade by country, May 2006 - continued

**SPECIAL TRADE SYSTEM**

<b>Country</b>	<b>Imports (c.i.f.)</b>		<b>Exports (f.o.b.)</b>	
	<b>£000's</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>£000's</b>	<b>%</b>
FJ Fiji	-	-	-	-
PF French Polynesia	-	-	-	-
TF French Southern Territories	-	-	-	-
GU Guam	-	-	-	-
KI Kiribati	-	-	-	-
MH Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-
FM Micronesia	-	-	-	-
NR Nauru	-	-	-	-
NC New Caledonia	-	-	-	-
MP Northern Mariana Islands	-	-	-	-
PW Palau	-	-	-	-
PG Papua New Guinea	-	-	-	-
PN Pitcairn	-	-	-	-
WS Samoa	-	-	-	-
SB Solomon Islands	-	-	-	-
GS South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands	-	-	-	-
TO Tonga	-	-	-	-
TV Tuvalu	-	-	-	-
UM United States Minor Outlying Islands	-	-	-	-
VU Vanuatu	-	-	-	-
WF Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-
<b>COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S</b>	<b>1.132</b>	<b>1,39</b>	-	-
QW Countries and territories not specified	1.132	1,39	-	-
<b>STORES AND PROVISIONS</b>	-	-	<b>2.711</b>	<b>20,24</b>
QS Stores and provisions	-	-	2.711	20,24

**Table 2: Extra-EU trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, May 2006**

£000's

<b>H.S. Section</b>	<b>Imports (c.i.f.)</b>	<b>Exports (f.o.b.)</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>81.329</b>	<b>13.395</b>
I Live animals; animal products	1.216	874
II Vegetable products	2.990	671
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	658	59
IV Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	4.304	555
V Mineral products	14.854	479
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	4.456	3.738
VII Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	3.779	149
VIII Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods; handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	540	96
IX Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	1.697	4
X Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	1.718	447
XI Textiles and textile articles	2.634	108
XII Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	1.063	19
XIII Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	1.866	11
XIV Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	528	45
XV Base metal and articles of base metal	12.353	762
XVI Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	11.372	1.617
XVII Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	8.159	253
XVIII Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	1.688	232
XIX Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	391	65
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	5.036	491
XXI Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	24	8
<b>UNCLASSIFIED</b>	-	-

Note: The Special trade system is applied.

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**PART C: INTRA-EU TRADE STATISTICS**

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**Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006**<sup>1</sup>

£000's

Period	AT	BE	CY	CZ	DE	DK	EE	ES	FI	FR	GB	GR	HU	IE	Partner							
															ARRIVALS							
2000	17,460	35,024	862	5,913	168,052	18,268	128	79,514	12,124	107,200	254,479	206,095	5,236	20,039								
2001	16,460	39,917	1,379	4,526	172,690	19,453	83	96,544	18,035	127,253	222,257	225,183	5,607	18,687								
2002	15,774	37,973	610	5,780	218,825	18,950	139	87,184	18,420	126,001	207,815	237,260	8,128	18,076								
2003	14,446	36,275	340	6,065	173,358	19,345	279	91,892	16,181	118,208	191,776	276,020	4,777	16,242								
2004	16,435	53,333	35	5,627	239,724	18,696	296	97,423	38,492	168,125	229,335	405,631	8,497	14,921								
2005																						
January	1,189	4,190	-	507	15,925	1,125	-	8,993	5,803	12,273	16,934	25,369	1,535	655								
February	1,218	4,258	-	595	15,556	1,081	14	9,750	5,827	8,929	19,647	34,857	898	1,274								
March	1,364	5,427	-	295	20,057	1,177	14	7,809	13,235	10,666	19,023	45,779	688	1,495								
April	1,420	6,335	-	198	18,396	1,166	25	6,108	8,074	8,034	17,477	42,721	1,141	780								
May	1,304	5,791	-	425	20,950	1,086	27	8,962	2,787	9,901	24,007	37,451	3,182	2,560								
June	1,459	5,662	-	318	16,015	1,531	17	6,262	8,059	9,476	19,540	37,534	1,456	978								
July	1,419	3,594	-	620	17,802	1,426	2	8,535	8,319	6,804	19,097	46,278	1,356	1,549								
August	1,130	5,876	-	137	19,676	1,150	18	12,606	694	7,836	25,599	33,308	8,588	2,250								
September	1,484	3,850	-	526	22,162	1,440	7	5,588	12,139	8,212	28,865	45,642	1,957	1,422								
October	1,203	4,383	-	741	27,312	1,342	17	7,181	11,569	6,741	19,603	49,767	2,601	733								
November	1,012	7,563	-	250	25,219	1,198	14	7,104	7,644	9,121	28,997	50,188	1,511	1,613								
December	1,560	5,010	-	601	26,354	2,306	39	7,493	11,624	9,659	21,987	57,879	1,481	1,323								
2006																						
January	1,205	4,411	-	329	24,017	1,346	2	8,237	8,069	10,030	17,973	41,122	2,933	770								
February	1,153	5,318	-	390	15,464	1,306	23	7,011	579	9,086	22,417	38,812	333	1,107								
March	1,367	5,855	-	696	22,555	1,574	18	7,593	1,441	14,379	22,413	54,982	833	1,542								
April	1,280	5,327	-	441	20,982	1,142	23	7,087	6,616	10,140	19,785	43,966	770	796								
May	1,639	6,615	-	983	21,520	1,348	20	10,351	1,218	11,271	25,334	47,237	2,047	1,899								

<sup>1</sup> Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.

Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006<sup>1</sup> - continued

Period	EU					Partner					QV	TOTAL
	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	SE	SI		
<b>ARRIVALS</b>												
2000	212,079	301	169	40	2,429	50,339	2,908	10,805	47,570	1,647	2,386	-
2001	223,156	259	242	119	11,748	52,799	5,826	9,290	42,610	2,035	3,812	-
2002	229,725	369	337	81	1,783	52,937	5,834	10,236	38,299	1,911	2,409	-
2003	226,939	477	714	130	555	56,353	6,104	10,011	39,252	2,016	3,495	-
2004	281,728	562	1,061	701	465	88,078	6,328	12,189	38,300	6,359	3,015	22,226
2005												1,757,574
January	18,641	114	23	94	75	8,566	575	870	5,891	421	374	2,038
February	18,751	55	42	42	65	8,062	330	750	3,173	678	408	2,229
March	31,619	54	60	3	40	10,097	811	1,029	2,078	2,713	368	6,556
April	24,958	3	162	21	129	9,053	374	1,162	1,513	2,861	89	395
May	29,116	85	91	63	75	10,165	894	1,365	3,132	165	471	472
June	23,953	131	9	18	63	9,933	755	745	1,799	2,451	266	965
July	23,437	91	79	47	31	8,962	748	886	3,862	1,718	333	3,873
August	22,740	45	135	20	31	8,628	494	794	2,140	1,633	151	564
September	20,267	24	31	33	74	10,137	457	1,163	3,033	829	397	5,989
October	30,803	52	46	-	103	10,040	924	1,179	2,825	103	36	10,267
November	30,457	38	77	2	99	11,397	769	926	6,520	275	271	543
December	25,694	176	618	20	3,370	10,726	591	684	2,796	231	298	6,250
2006												198,772
January	22,019	85	60	7	220	9,162	556	1,061	2,285	111	42	10,457
February	30,429	128	79	12	179	15,325	456	888	2,627	83	593	26
March	36,373	126	254	6	157	14,439	654	1,111	2,302	71	486	543
April	30,892	33	121	17	165	8,838	832	1,655	1,784	102	230	1,792
May	36,560	53	41	25	90	11,019	597	1,437	3,059	102	711	102

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**Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006 - continued**

£'000's

Period	AT	BE	CY	CZ	DE	DK	DISPATCHES					GR	HU	IE
							EE	ES	FI	FR	GB			
2000	1,787	4,821	-	2,604	18,168	3,546	191	9,376	922	5,071	98,771	48,248	627	4,745
2001	2,460	6,271	-	2,771	18,350	2,618	414	10,218	1,157	6,182	117,600	52,622	542	4,150
2002	2,852	5,294	-	4,207	15,793	2,572	437	7,555	1,146	6,990	141,411	42,484	565	3,246
2003	2,997	5,341	-	4,530	18,688	3,127	363	5,425	1,132	5,595	152,379	43,794	346	3,230
2004	5,686	5,678	-	4,734	27,308	5,261	510	4,483	994	13,555	149,427	65,004	207	3,723
2005														
January	285	303	-	409	7,673	61	32	134	26	335	9,332	4,872	16	159
February	236	547	-	511	1,216	221	54	208	265	426	11,635	7,981	7	406
March	452	765	-	646	1,745	200	32	266	201	417	12,522	7,893	66	359
April	197	1,037	-	300	2,823	113	60	218	58	6,953	12,388	7,947	47	296
May	300	688	-	529	3,513	99	41	404	32	3,680	11,435	8,522	35	660
June	211	201	-	221	9,114	93	59	234	9	261	9,701	6,887	1	328
July	229	336	-	146	5,608	183	65	308	124	6,306	9,005	6,666	10	214
August	191	247	-	97	854	78	49	180	49	8,677	8,276	4,831	7	319
September	248	190	-	397	1,296	210	84	438	111	20,581	11,009	7,147	30	204
October	116	188	-	88	1,045	127	34	310	15	26,736	9,265	5,871	1	203
November	359	300	-	218	1,568	164	36	102	95	33,990	8,061	6,082	31	209
December	255	265	-	350	1,619	190	26	111	80	13,544	8,390	7,283	25	184
2006														
January	294	380	-	397	1,583	170	37	326	115	12,013	9,511	5,187	81	470
February	198	409	-	373	1,735	47	81	693	402	5,959	8,287	6,046	248	422
March	338	1,087	-	248	3,522	163	63	223	182	5,967	11,550	8,236	98	409
April	324	1,802	-	186	2,580	232	63	139	117	3,651	6,106	5,927	176	300
May	242	2,084	-	169	2,765	90	31	213	62	1,312	8,430	8,242	220	557

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Table 1: Summary of trade with EU Countries, 2000-2005 and January-May 2006<sup>1</sup> - continued

Period	Partner										TOTAL		
	IT	LT	LU	LV	MT	NL	PL	PT	SE	SI	SK	QR	QV
DISPATCHES													
2000	6,119	374	6	339	1,362	11,014	944	410	2,794	3,334	1,828	-	-
2001	4,094	591	1	674	1,233	10,693	187	332	3,731	2,228	2,422	-	-
2002	12,317	259	3	566	1,623	13,553	203	383	3,548	1,946	1,406	-	-
2003	7,591	303	1	266	1,220	12,299	329	3,230	3,622	608	2,061	-	-
2004	9,446	572	9	305	3,636	13,497	646	1,401	3,999	485	2,830	19,749	2,631
2005													345,533
January	1,090	213	-	13	78	674	47	19	323	19	37	1,595	80
February	671	18	-	44	136	782	40	25	669	64	158	1,689	202
March	1,166	102	6	94	159	5,137	95	2	630	121	133	2,044	192
April	913	71	-	26	128	1,176	50	25	214	60	107	5,801	258
May	505	71	-	16	128	710	51	14	126	35	91	7,930	482
June	400	44	-	13	215	811	17	123	263	10	75	8,029	492
July	56	98	-	61	135	886	17	33	270	16	267	8,671	72
August	152	243	2	70	87	639	84	26	195	27	108	9,499	475
September	221	48	-	16	159	1,004	23	23	247	36	57	10,163	599
October	333	114	-	48	131	676	16	19	155	18	163	10,263	366
November	861	6	-	-	97	649	82	9	177	58	182	7,023	564
December	499	107	-	88	129	1,019	65	25	261	42	184	4,703	514
2006													39,959
January	745	70	-	-	113	962	84	74	306	39	365	4,680	243
February	645	64	-	-	158	645	55	2	539	136	21	4,631	131
March	884	254	-	188	183	837	217	14	888	108	367	6,439	552
April	508	56	-	-	98	792	112	66	323	97	221	6,230	271
May	1,662	115	-	10	167	714	126	71	312	71	38	6,261	862
													34,824

<sup>1</sup> Care should be taken when comparing data for May 2004 onwards with pre-May 2004 data due to methodological changes resulting from the accession of Cyprus to the EU.

Notes:

1. QV denotes countries and territories not specified in the framework of intra-Community trade, while QR denotes stores and provisions within the framework of intra-Community trade.
2. Data on countries and territories not specified and stores and provisions prior May 2004 were not recorded separately for the trade with EU countries. The information is included in Part 3.
3. Because of rounding there may be slight discrepancies between the totals shown and the sum of constituent items.

**Table 2: Intra-EU trade by country, May 2006**

<b>Country</b>	<b>Arrivals</b>		<b>Dispatches</b>	
	<b>(c.i.f.)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>(f.o.b.)</b>	<b>%</b>
	<b>£000's</b>		<b>£000's</b>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>185.279</b>	<b>100,00</b>	<b>34.824</b>	<b>100,00</b>
<b>EUROPEAN UNION</b>	<b>185.177</b>	<b>99,94</b>	<b>27.701</b>	<b>79,54</b>
AT Austria	1.639	0,88	242	0,70
BE Belgium	6.615	3,57	2.084	5,99
CY Cyprus	-	-	-	-
CZ Czech Republic	983	0,53	169	0,48
DK Denmark	1.348	0,73	90	0,26
EE Estonia	20	0,01	31	0,09
FI Finland	1.218	0,66	62	0,18
FR France	11.271	6,08	1.312	3,77
DE Germany	21.520	11,62	2.765	7,94
GR Greece	47.237	25,50	8.242	23,67
HU Hungary	2.047	1,10	220	0,63
IE Ireland	1.899	1,03	557	1,60
IT Italy	36.560	19,73	1.662	4,77
LV Latvia	25	0,01	10	0,03
LT Lithuania	53	0,03	115	0,33
LU Luxembourg	41	0,02	-	-
MT Malta	90	0,05	167	0,48
NL Netherlands	11.019	5,95	714	2,05
PL Poland	597	0,32	126	0,36
PT Portugal	1.437	0,78	71	0,20
SK Slovakia	711	0,38	38	0,11
SI Slovenia	102	0,06	71	0,20
ES Spain	10.351	5,59	213	0,61
SE Sweden	3.059	1,65	312	0,90
GB United Kingdom	25.334	13,67	8.430	24,21
<b>COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES N/S</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>0,06</b>	<b>862</b>	<b>2,48</b>
QV Countries and territories not specified	102	0,06	862	2,48
<b>STORES AND PROVISIONS</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6.261</b>	<b>17,98</b>
QR Stores and provisions	-	-	6.261	17,98

Note: Dispatches to EU countries include also goods which were initially imported from third countries and placed under customs warehouses.

**Table 3: Intra-EU trade classified by H.S Commodity Section, May 2006**

£000's

<b>H.S. Section</b>	<b>Arrivals (c.i.f.)</b>	<b>Dispatches (f.o.b.)</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>185.279</b>	<b>34.824</b>
I Live animals; animal products	4.041	1.574
II Vegetable products	3.138	5.396
III Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	874	15
IV Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	17.180	1.002
V Mineral products	19.958	7.733
VI Products of the chemical or allied industries	18.160	2.777
VII Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	6.874	278
VIII Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods; handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silk-worm gut)	889	126
IX Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	4.736	31
X Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	7.455	728
XI Textiles and textile articles	10.861	518
XII Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking sticks, seat sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	2.142	31
XIII Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	6.571	24
XIV Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewellery; coins	926	18
XV Base metal and articles of base metal	12.453	1.780
XVI Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	32.871	4.416
XVII Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	24.762	5.085
XVIII Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	4.458	2.259
XIX Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	236	261
XX Miscellaneous manufactured articles	6.606	427
XXI Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	27	-
<b>UNCLASSIFIED</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>344</b>

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**APPENDIX**

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## DEFINITIONS OF TERMS USED

### Arrivals

"Arrivals" are analogous to imports.

Arrivals include:

- a) goods in free circulation which enter the statistical territory of Cyprus;
- b) goods which have been placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for inward processing or processing under CUSTOMS control (for processing, transformation or repair) in another Member State and which enter the statistical territory of Cyprus.
- c) Some goods movements are included in statistics based on specific conditions. In particular, aircraft and ships whose ownership has been transferred from a person established in another Member State to a person established in the Cyprus are included in the statistics of arrivals of Cyprus.

### Dispatches

"Dispatches" are analogous to exports.

Dispatches include:

- a) goods in free circulation which leave the statistical territory of Cyprus bound for another Member State;
- b) goods which have been placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for inward processing or processing under CUSTOMS control (for processing, transformation or repair) in Cyprus and which are destined for another Member State.
- c) Some goods movements are included in statistics based on specific conditions. In particular, aircraft and ships whose ownership has been transferred from a person established in the Cyprus to a person established in another Member State are included in the statistics on dispatches of Cyprus.

### Imports

Imports **under special trade system** include:

- a) Goods, which enter the statistical territory of Cyprus from a non-member country and are:
  - Placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for release into free circulation (goods intended to be consumed in Cyprus or dispatched to another Member State), either immediately or after a period in a CUSTOMS warehouse or
  - Placed under the CUSTOMS procedure for inward processing or processing under CUSTOMS control (usually goods destined to be processed, transformed or repaired for subsequent re-export) either immediately or after a period in a CUSTOMS warehouse.

- b) Some movements of goods are included in statistics based on specific conditions. In particular aircraft and ships whose ownership has been transferred from a person established in a non-member country to a person established in Cyprus are included in import statistics of Cyprus.

### Exports

Exports **under special trade system** include:

- a) goods that leave the statistical territory of Cyprus bound for a non-member country, having gone through:

- The CUSTOMS export procedure (final export, export following inward processing, etc.); or
- The CUSTOMS outward-processing procedure (usually goods destined to be processed, transformed or repaired for subsequent re-import).

## **The Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS)**

The Harmonised System is a legal instrument adopted by the Customs Co-operation Council (now the World Customs Organisation) in June 1983 and the International Convention on the Harmonised System (H.S. Convention) entered into force on the 1<sup>st</sup> January 1988.

According to the H.S. Convention, the HS "means the Nomenclature comprising the headings and the subheadings and their related numerical codes, the Section, Chapter and Subheadings notes and the General Rules for the interpretation of the Harmonised System". The H.S. is designed as a "multipurpose nomenclature", to be used for transportable goods. Both H.S. and C.N. are therefore concerned heavily with the nature or material of the product.

**The shape of the H.S. and the C.N. classifications is illustrated in the following table:**

<u>Nomenclature</u>	<u>Levels of breakdown</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Partner country</u>
H.S.	Section	One digit	21	For exports and dispatches, the trading partner is the country (or Member State) of final destination of the goods. The last country to which the goods are specifically directed on their outward movement from the State is regarded as their final destination. This is not necessarily the country in which the good will be unshipped or that in which they will be finally consumed.
	Chapter	Two digits	99	For imports (extra-EU trade), the trading partner is the country of origin. In general, goods obtained entirely from a given country originate in that country. A product, in the production of which two or more countries were concerned, is considered as originating in the country in which the last transformation or substantial processing took place. Packing repacking, sorting and blending are not regarded as manufacturing processes.
	Heading	Four digits	1244	
	Sub-heading	Six digits	5224	
C.N.	Sub-heading	Eight digits	10096	For arrivals (intra-EU trade), the trading partner is the Member State of consignment of the goods.

## **Country classification**

The classification of countries is the country nomenclature (Geonomenclature) as set annually in the Official Journal of the European Communities. The full list of countries is given in an essentially geographical order in Table 4, Part A, Total trade statistics.

**Trade systems**

There are broadly two approaches, closely linked with customs procedures, used for the measurement of international trade in goods: the general trade system and the special trade system.

## **General trade system**

The general trade system is the wider concept and under it the recorded aggregates include all goods entering or leaving the economic territory of Cyprus with the exception of simple transit trade. In particular all goods which are received into customs warehouses are recorded as imports at that stage whether or not they subsequently go into free circulation in Cyprus. Similarly, outgoing goods from customs warehouses are included in the general trade aggregates at the time they leave Cyprus.

## **Special trade system**

The special trade system is a narrower concept. Goods from a foreign country which are received into customs warehouse are not recorded in the special trade aggregates unless they subsequently go into free circulation in Cyprus (or are placed under the customs procedures for inward processing). Similarly, outgoing goods from customs warehouses are not recorded as exports.

## **Stores and provisions**

Stores and provisions denote ships' and aircraft's stores and supplies.

- ships' and aircraft's stores' means the various products for consumption by the crew and passengers of vessels or aircraft;
- ships and aircraft's supplies' means the products for the operation of the engines, machines and other equipment on vessels or aircraft, such as fuel, oil and lubricants.

## **Domestic and foreign goods**

Domestic goods are goods originating in the economic territory of Cyprus; if they have been wholly obtained in it or were substantially transformed by processing in it, so that the processing confers domestic origin. Goods originally imported and having undergone only repair or minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged are not defined as domestic. Minor operations include blending, packaging, bottling, cleaning, sorting, husking and selling.

Foreign goods are goods originating in the rest of the world, i.e. not included in the economic territory of Cyprus and compensating goods obtained under the outward processing procedure when such processing confers foreign origin.

## **Sources of additional information**

Details at the level of H.S. and C.N. are available on a free basis on the web site:  
<http://www.mof.gov.cy/cystat>

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