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## Highlights

### India Pavilion at Pumps & Systems Asia 2008, Singapore

EEPC is organising an India Pavilion in Pumps & Systems Asia 2008, Singapore to be held on July 02 - 04, 2008. Members are requested to enlist their participation within **30.04.08**.

### India Pavilion at Automechanika 2008, Frankfurt, Germany

EEPC is organising an India Pavilion in Automechanika 2008, Frankfurt, Germany to be held on September 16 - 21, 2008. Members may avail the opportunity by displaying their company catalogues.

### Govt. Notices Notifications/ Circulars/

**Public Notice No. 140 (RE-2007)/2004-2009 dated 7th April, 2008** - Amendments in the Schedule of DEPB Rates.  
**Notification No. 32/2008-Customs (N.T.) dated 27th March, 2008** - Exchange Rate effective from 1st April, 2008 relates to Import/Export goods.  
**Notification No. 10/2008-Central Excise dated 1st March, 2008** - EOUs/EHTP/STP Units - Changes in Amount of Duty.  
**Circular No. 100/2008-ST dated 12th March, 2008** - Guidelines in respect of publication of names under Section 73D of the Finance Act, 1994-reg.



37th Annual Mid America Trucking Show held on 27th March, 2008 in Kentucky Exposition Centre, Louisville, Kentucky.

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## Chairman's Pen



*My dear fellow exporters,*

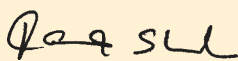
*The Annual Supplement to the Foreign Trade Policy for the current year was released by the Hon'ble Commerce & Industry Minister Shri Kamal Nath on April 11, 2008. The Policy has set a national target of US\$ 200 billion for the current fiscal year and has also stated that India's Foreign Trade Policy would aim to target 5% of share of world trade by 2020.*

*While though no substantive policy measures have been announced to give a big push to the sliding exports from the country, certain positive measures have been announced. This includes, among others, liberalising the EPCG Scheme for technology upgradation of exporters, the extension of DEPB Scheme till May 2009, prolonging the interest Sub-vention Scheme by another year, extension of the Focus Market Scheme to 10 countries, inclusion of more products in the Focus Products Scheme and enhancing the limit of free import of samples from Rs. 75,000/- to Rs. 1 lac annually. It may be mentioned that engineering exports constitute around a fifth of India's total exports and in the current milieu where steel and pig iron prices have increased in the range 50-50% in the last 11 months, the steps suggested in the Foreign Trade Policy to control steel prices such as withdrawal of export benefits for steel exports, seems rather inadequate.*

*The Council has been suggesting to the Government to follow the Chinese example of imposing export duty of 25% for all categories of steel exports to stabilise domestic prices. It is also felt that even though the engineering exports last year showed positive growth, there have been seven engineering sectors like Hand Tools, Bicycle and Parts, Two-Three Wheelers etc., who have recorded negative growth and need to be given benefits at par with those sectors like Apparels and Textiles. It may be mentioned that all these negative growth sectors of engineering are extremely labour intensive and, therefore, they meet all the criteria of special privileges that have been given to sectors like Apparels, Textiles and Leather.*

*The Council has also informed the Government that the process of rebating fiscal levies on exports has been inadequately tackled in the policy. Service Tax reimbursement is still refund based and not exemption based and inherently adds to the transaction cost of the exporters. Similarly, it was hoped that some steps would be taken to rebate State Level Taxes. Unfortunately, this has not been done even though there has been some effort to lower transaction cost through the use of EDI and Information Technology as well as the commitment to pay 6% interest on terminal Excise Duty and CST refund, even though this is not clear from what date it is likely to be calculated since the due date is not known.*

*Yours sincerely,*



(RAKESH SHAH)

Council's Activities



**India Pavilion at Pumps & Systems Asia 2008, Singapore**  
**(July 02 - 04, 2008)**

**Pumps & Systems Asia 2008** (The 9th international exhibition on pumps and related systems in Asia) is the leading Industrial Show for Pumps, Valves, Compressors and Systems in South East Asia. It is a holistic platform for the engineering industry co-locating manufacturers of pumps, valves, fittings, piping systems and compressors. It will provide exhibitors with the finest range of facilities and amenities to display and demonstrate their product range of the latest, innovative manufacturing technology, plus a whole spectrum of relevant information, offering maximum exposure before the largest gathering of interested visitors in the whole ASEAN Region.

India's trade with the ASEAN Region dates back to time immemorial. The Region is one of India's major trading partners. India's exports to ASEAN Region have grown from US\$ 4.62 billion in 2002-03 to US\$ 12.61 billion in 2006-07. In the engineering sector India's exports have grown from US\$ 297.65 million in 2002-03 to US\$ 2853.69 million in 2006-07 showing a growth of 858.74% in a span of five years, though India's share in total extra-block imports of the Region is still miniscule. This shows that still much potential exists there. It will therefore, be a right time for Indian engineering industry to showcase their capabilities in order to get a substantial share of the ASEAN market.

Engineering Export Promotion Council (EEPC) is organizing an India Pavilion at Pumps & Systems Asia 2008 which would provide an excellent opportunity for business relationships with customers from all over the world.

**Focus Products**

- Air compressors
- Chemical processing equipment
- Control systems
- Environmental management equipment
- Gas compressors
- Hydraulic & pneumatic equipment
- Instrumentation
- Motion control
- Pipes & tubes/pipelines
- Pumps & systems
- Valves & piping
- Waste water treatment systems
- Water treatment systems

**Venue**

Singapore Expo, Singapore City, Singapore

**Date**

July 02 - 04, 2008 (3 days)

**Participation Charges**

Built-up booths minimum 9 sq. mtr. : Rs. 20,000/- per sq. mtr. (row stand, one side open).  
20% extra for corner stall (subject to availability).

## Display Booth

Participation charge includes following services :

- Fascia
- Carpeting & electricity supply
- One Power point
- Two Fluorescent lights
- One Information desk
- Two folding chairs
- One waste basket and standard stand cleaning

## Mode of Payment

Full payment is to be made by Demand Draft/at par Cheque favouring "Engineering Export Promotion Council" along with the filled-up Application Form.

## Date of Payment

Full payment is to be made along with the **Application Form latest by 30th April, 2008.**

## Cancellation of Participation

Request for cancellation of participation will be accepted if Council receives the same in writing on or before **7th May, 2008.** Council shall not entertain any cancellation afterwards. Any cancellation after the due date shall result in forfeiture of the amount already paid on this account.

## Selection Criteria

Since limited space is available, selection of participation will be done strictly on *first-come-first-served* basis.

## MDA Entitlements

All eligible participants will be entitled to MDA grant under Focus ASEAN Programme of Ministry of Commerce, Government of India as per the MDA Guidelines effective from April 01, 2006.

Assistance would be permissible on travel expenses by Air in Economy Excursion Class fare and/or charges of built up furnished stall subject to an upper ceiling of Rs. 1,50,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Fifty Thousand only).

Further, eligibility for MDA grant is subject to exporting companies having FOB value of exports up to Rs. 15 crores in the preceding year, having complete 12 months membership with EEPC with regular filing of returns and fulfilling other conditions, details of which can be obtained from respective Regional Offices of EEPC.

Interested firms may please send the **Application Form**, duly filled in and signed, along with full Payment **latest by 30th April, 2008** to the respective Regional Offices or to :

### M. Ganesan

*Regional Director*

Engineering Export Promotion Council

Greems Dugar (3rd Floor)

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Fax : 91-44-28290495

E-mail : eepcchennai@airtelmail.in

**India Pavilion at Pumps & Systems Asia 2008  
(02 - 04 July, 2008)**

**Application Form**

Name of the Company	:			
Postal Address	:			
Phone (with area code)	:			
Fax (with area code)	:			
E-mail	:			
Website	:			
Total Space required	:			
Amount with DD/Cheque No. & date	:			
Name & Designation of the Chief Executive	:			
Mobile No. of the Chief Executive	:			
Name & Designation of the Participant	:			
Type of Units (please tick mark)	:	<input type="checkbox"/> SSI	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-SSI	
Status	:	<input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturer/Exporter	<input type="checkbox"/> Merchant Exporter	<input type="checkbox"/> Export House
Total Annual Export (in Million US\$)	:	<u>2004-2005</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
Total Export to ASEAN countries (in Million US\$)	:	<u>2004-2005</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
Foreign Collaboration, if any	:			
Products Manufactured/Exported	:			
Countries of Export	:			
Accreditation to International Standards (like ISO, QS, etc.)	:			

1. Please use separate sheet to furnish details of your company (**within 80 words**) for the Exhibitors' Profile.
2. Please send us this Form duly completed and signed along with your participation fees by Demand Draft and 2 (two) copies of passport size colour photographs of the Participant.

Date : \_\_\_\_\_ Signature : \_\_\_\_\_  
Office Seal : \_\_\_\_\_

## Catalogue Show at Automechanika Frankfurt, Germany

(September 16 - 21, 2008)

Engineering Export Promotion Council (EEPC) is organizing an India Pavilion at **Automechanika 2008**, Frankfurt which would provide an excellent opportunity for establishing business relationships with customers from all over the world.

**All booths booked.**

**May still have presence in the Exhibition**

**Display your company Catalogues through EEPC Information Booth.**

**EEPC will do the rest.**

**What you need to do?**

Send your catalogues (Maximum 25 Nos., not exceeding 5 Kgs.) at the following address with a payment of Rs. 10,000/- by way of Cheque/Demand Draft drawn in favour of Engineering Export Promotion Council.

**Rajat Srivastava**

*Regional Director*

**Engineering Export Promotion Council**

Centre 1, 12th Floor

World Trade Centre, Cuffe Parade

Mumbai – 400 005

Tel. : 91-22-22186655/56/60

Fax : 91-22-22180119

E-mail : [eepcmum@mtnl.net.in](mailto:eepcmum@mtnl.net.in)

[eepcmum@vsnl.com](mailto:eepcmum@vsnl.com)

The cheque along with 25 catalogues must reach EEPC Office at above mentioned address immediately.



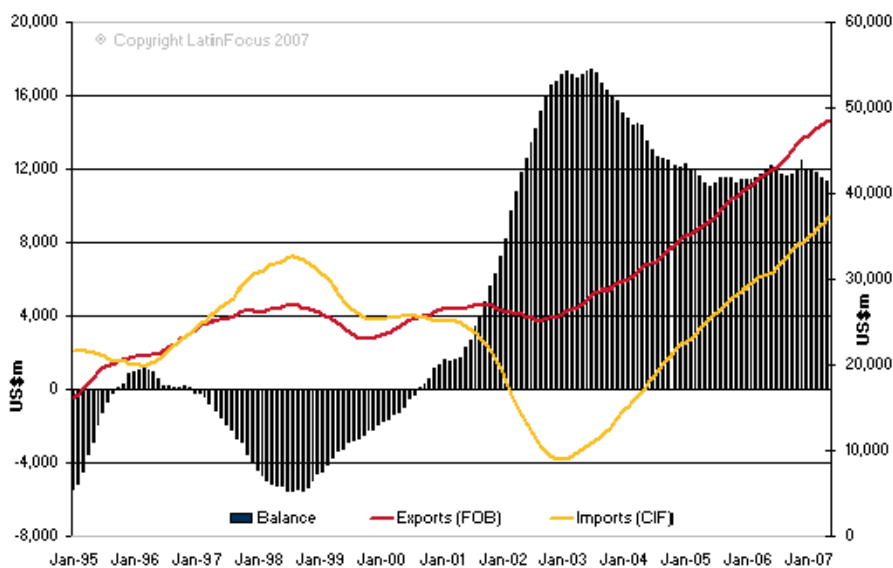
## Argentina

### Market Survey Report on Airconditioning & Refrigeration Equipment

#### Economic Review

Official Name	: Argentine Republic
Capital City	: Buenos Aires
National Day	: May 25
Currency	: Argentine peso (ARS)
GDP	: \$ 290 billion
Annual real growth rate	: approx 9%
Natural resources	: Fertile plains (pampas); minerals – lead, zinc, tin, copper, iron, manganese, oil, and uranium.
Agriculture (8% of GDP; including about 47% of exports by value)	: Products – grains, oilseeds and by-products, livestock products.agribusiness,
Industry (22.2% of GDP)	: Types – food processing, oil refining, machinery and equipment, textiles, chemicals and petrochemicals.
Trade	: Exports (\$ 46.6 billion in 2006) – oilseed by-products, cars, vegetable oils, fuels, grains. Major markets – MERCOSUR 21% (Brazil 15.8%, Chile 11.4%); EU 18%; NAFTA 13% (USA 11.2%). Imports (\$ 34.2 billion in 2006) – machinery, vehicles and transport products, chemicals. Major sources – MERCOSUR 37% (Brazil 35.9%); EU 17%, NAFTA 16% (USA 12%).

**Argentina  
Trade Balance, 1995-2007**







## Geography

Area	: 2.8 million sq. km. (1.1 million sq. mi.); second-largest country in South America.
Coastline	: 3,100 miles (4,989 km)
Land Areas	: (land) 1,056,641 sq. miles (2,736,690 sq. km), (water) 11,660 sq. miles (30,200 sq. km)
Climate	: Varied; predominantly temperate, with extremes ranging from subtropical in the north to arid/sub-Antarctic in far south.
Geographic Coordinates	: Latitude/Longitude (Capital City) 34° 36' S, 58° 27' W Relative Location Argentina is positioned in both the western and southern hemisphere. It's located in southern South America, and bordered by Chile, Bolivia, Paraguay, Brazil, Uruguay and the Atlantic Ocean.

## People

Nationality	: Argentine(s)
Population (2006 est.)	: 39.0 million
Annual population growth rate (2001)	: 1.05%
Ethnic groups	: European 97%, mostly of Spanish and Italian descent; Mestizo, Amerindian, or other nonwhite groups 3%
Religions	: Roman Catholic 70%, Protestant 9%, Muslim 1.5%, Jewish 0.8%, other 2.5%
Language	: Spanish. (English & Italian are also spoken)
Education	: Compulsory until age 18. Adult literacy (2001) – 97%
Work force	: Industry and commerce – 35.8%; Agriculture – 9.5%; Services – 54.7%

## Government

Type	: Republic
Constitution	: 1853; revised 1994
Independence	: 1816
Branches	: Executive – President, Vice President, Cabinet. Legislative – Bicameral Congress (72-member Senate, 257-member Chamber of Deputies). Judicial – Supreme Court, Federal and Provincial Trial Courts.
Administrative subdivisions	: 23 provinces and 1 autonomous city. Provinces include : Buenos Aires, Catamarca, Chaco, Chubut, Cordoba, Corrientes, Entre Rios, Formosa, Jujuy, La Pampa, La Rioja, Mendoza, Misiones, Neuquen, Rio Negro, Salta, San Juan, San Luis, Santa Cruz, Santa Fe, Santiago del Estero, Tierra del Fuego - Antartida e Islas del Atlantico Sur and Tucuman; the autonomous city is the Buenos Aires Capital Federal.

## Climate

The seasons in Argentina are just the opposite of those in India. As an example, the summer months are (December-February) and daily highs in Buenos Aires reach the mid 80s.

## Attractions

The main cities of Argentina offer well-developed tourist facilities, and there's a wide variety of celebrations and festivals to enjoy. A broad and colorful palette of attractions and points-of-interest cover Argentina north to south. In general terms, glaciers, mountain lakes, the Andes and over 250 waterfalls are most visited by travelers, but there is much more to see and do.

Country Dialing Code	: 54
Electricity	: Argentina uses 220 volts AC (50 Hz)
Travel Warnings	: Verify entry & exit requirements and local hazards. A visa is necessary for Indian travelers.

*Please Note* : Before making travel plans it is strongly recommend to authenticate important details regarding visas, local health care, customs, etc.





## A Brief Country Profile

Argentina was populated by scattered groups of Indians in the 1500's. Over the next few decades the Spanish continued their quest to build settlements here. Spain was persistent, and eventually prevailed as the permanent settlement.

Buenos Aires was transformed by the Spanish into a flourishing port and commercial center as exports of regional products (especially cattle) brought huge revenues into the city.

Since democracy returned in 1983, Argentina has survived its share of economic, political and social problems, and today in Argentina is a democracy.

The Argentine economy has recovered remarkably well after the economic and debt default crisis of 2001. The Argentines had to suffer and resolve the crisis on their own and this has helped establish a solid foundation for the country's future. Indian businesses would do well to tap this large and growing market says **Mr. R. Viswanathan, Ambassador**.

The cumulative growth since 2003 has been over 40 per cent. The growth projection for 2007 is 7.5 per cent and for 2008 over six per cent.

External debt has been brought down to a manageable \$ 113 billion in June 2007 from \$ 171 billion in 2004.

Foreign exchange reserves have been growing steadily; they touched \$ 43 billion in July 2007.

Exports have been booming, touching a record \$ 46 billion in 2006, and are set to cross \$ 50 billion in 2007. Since 2002, the country has been recording trade surpluses of over \$ 10 billion annually.

The devaluation of the currency from one peso to a dollar in 2001 to 3.07 pesos to a dollar in July 2007 has made exports competitive and attracted more tourists.

Inflation was contained at 9 per cent in 2006 and is likely to decline in 2007.

Investment rate reached 23.5 per cent of GDP in 2006, a record in the country's economic history.

Argentina is self-sufficient in energy. It has 31 billion barrels of oil reserves and produces 800,000 bpd (barrels per day), of which, 300,000 bpd is exported. It is the second largest gas producer in Latin America and exports to Chile. It is rich in mineral resources such as iron, bauxite, zinc, lead, copper, potassium, silver and gold. The manufacturing industry is relatively large and diversified and is strong in automobiles, auto parts, consumer goods, pharmaceuticals, paper, cosmetics and food processing. Besides its own market, Argentina has duty-free access to the larger market of Mercosur as a member of this customs union. India has concluded a PTA (Preferential Trade Agreement) with Mercosur for 450 items of exports and an equal number for imports.

In 2006, India's trade with Argentina was \$ 1,239 million, of which, \$ 290 million constituted exports and \$ 949 million imports. Argentina was the largest source of imports of India in Latin America in 2000, 2001 and 2003 and is now the second largest. India's main exports are chemicals, vehicles, engineering products, textiles and traditional items. Edible oil accounts for 75 per cent of imports, and the others include paper pulp, leather, wool and minerals.

Indian businesses need to understand the paradigm shift in economy and commerce and focus on the future. They should look at the opportunities offered by this large market, of 40 million people, a GDP of \$ 290 billion and a land area of 2.7 million sq km, almost equivalent to that of India. It is an agricultural powerhouse and a large exporter of wheat, corn, soya, edible oils and meat.

## Brief introduction of the Airconditioning, Refrigeration Equipment and Parts Industry in Argentina

The Argentinean market for air conditioning and refrigeration equipment is composed almost entirely of imports.

Over seventy-five percent of imports come from the United States, Italy, Brazil, Germany and China.

Industrial refrigeration projects provide integral solution for end users are fishermen, fresh fruit, meat and dairy processors, industrial chemical producers, laboratories, hotels, supermarkets, restaurants, and automobile manufacturers.

The marketplace for air conditioning, refrigeration equipment and parts has experienced a recent expansion. Growth is expected over the coming years by the end-users with the highest growth potential being the tourism industry, commercial

agricultural processing, the retail grocery industry, as well as the general consumer market.

The total Argentine market for air conditioning and heating systems was estimated to be US\$ 480 million in 2006.

The main production facilities for air-conditioning equipment are concentrated in the province of Tierra del Fuego.

The significant growth in food exports and the growth in the construction industry have contributed greatly to the expansion of the air conditioning and refrigeration market. Over the past five years, Argentina has seen increasing demand in this sector, and as it has invested heavily to revitalize its refrigerated cold storage, trucking, and rail services. The new buildings and homes are also a source of demand for air conditioning equipment.

Reach-in and walk-in coolers and freezers are the fastest growing product groups, due to their widespread use in all of the major sectors. These appliances are used by food processors, restaurants and food retailers, and are expected to have solid gains in developing regions. Display cases will benefit from the rising number of supermarkets that offer a wide variety of refrigerated and frozen foods. Vending machines will exhibit healthy growth as well, benefiting not only from rising usage in the developed world, but also from technological advancements.

## Imports into Argentina

**Product group : 741 - Heating and Cooling equipment, and parts thereof, n.e.s. (which includes Air-conditioning & Refrigeration Equipment and Parts)**

### Imports 2001- 2005

**Product group : 741 - Heating and Cooling equipment, and parts thereof, n.e.s.**

<i>Country</i>	<i>Value 2001 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2002 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2003 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2004 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2005 US\$ '000</i>
United States of America	4,531,527	5,011,611	5,581,245	6,260,672	7,333,240
China	2,103,925	2,532,647	3,706,956	4,822,120	4,810,483
Germany	2,792,924	2,725,679	3,261,751	3,993,758	4,127,057
Spain	1,484,874	1,609,025	2,035,518	2,860,823	3,151,233
Japan	1,508,835	1,622,336	1,926,502	2,411,392	2,806,028
France	1,758,496	1,825,617	2,181,003	2,883,418	2,790,641
Taiwan, Province of China	1,729,596	1,237,990	1,193,329	2,314,053	2,684,802
Canada	2,122,380	2,276,098	2,269,488	2,435,095	2,678,083
Italy	1,503,416	1,542,015	2,158,183	3,210,473	2,649,321
United Kingdom of Great Britain & Northern Ireland	1,710,958	1,621,731	1,929,002	2,404,081	2,467,122
Mexico	1,313,081	1,242,953	1,314,306	1,464,129	1,826,098
Belgium	1,041,766	1,065,090	1,282,500	1,614,722	1,720,760
Russian Federation	607,892	661,113	884,610	1,118,853	1,705,603
Korea, Republic of	738,804	752,641	937,476	1,271,873	1,361,165
Australia	632,115	763,750	997,026	1,291,154	1,275,022
Netherlands	706,193	742,818	921,125	1,041,610	1,037,920
Saudi Arabia	365,791	490,766	633,419	713,659	1,017,469
Norway	233,676	323,045	388,357	368,791	990,996
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of China	915,222	817,289	791,300	959,577	961,309
Singapore	759,638	663,260	766,365	978,721	932,710
Austria	539,097	528,488	688,841	872,461	882,274
Switzerland	529,614	627,291	761,266	819,418	859,918
Turkey	558,471	417,286	532,291	683,079	833,392
Thailand	443,659	402,988	482,673	611,513	773,632
Sweden	480,785	536,539	613,483	736,640	770,007
Poland	421,325	471,658	582,015	783,317	755,695



<i>Country</i>	<i>Value 2001 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2002 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2003 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2004 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2005 US\$ '000</i>
India	182,106	227,565	325,983	483,108	742,045
Malaysia	475,714	361,936	343,251	492,623	625,543
Brazil	533,759	437,477	461,982	487,235	594,221
Iran, Islamic Republic of	268,106	284,366	373,377	545,113	589,691
Indonesia	290,576	240,197	264,090	439,000	551,778
Czech Republic	344,368	363,647	448,223	537,195	550,040
Denmark	291,514	330,779	484,775	489,046	547,698
South Africa	264,086	235,596	467,631	405,441	524,989
United Arab Emirates	479,434				
Greece	464,796	389,501	564,149	602,667	457,520
Portugal	306,374	307,859	339,979	385,902	436,533
Ireland	258,665	236,899	384,445	313,290	433,267
Ukraine	117,185	148,225	235,988	322,797	413,733
Finland	245,205	274,383	265,138	318,822	390,071
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	271,694	442,094	134,445	207,831	383,560
Algeria	176,129	223,322	251,960	372,383	
Romania	178,816	192,308	241,268	300,347	357,453
Qatar	174,871	114,481	138,755	99,300	328,332
Hungary	220,318	250,271	506,042	474,838	325,115
Argentina	309,932	71,278	131,729	248,055	319,690
Pakistan	66,851	83,171	152,096	209,535	297,552
Chile	214,626	177,555	175,826	171,278	292,529
Trinidad and Tobago	410,842	285,427	347,241	490,675	282,248
Slovakia	139,392	156,028	237,055	302,803	277,841
Israel	246,289	215,156	186,588	212,937	243,380
Croatia	125,590	145,080	209,262	201,272	222,295
Vietnam	150,947	199,711	262,419		
Kazakhstan	117,588		130,748	186,199	
Morocco	102,383	118,254	138,159	159,788	185,649
Bulgaria	81,933	99,501	132,062	161,645	185,510
Kuwait	185,097				
Serbia and Montenegro	54,572	79,189		182,677	
New Zealand	83,008	87,934	122,135	181,864	180,199
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya			129,754	179,255	
Philippines	164,294	142,970	183,474	148,704	174,625
Lithuania	57,322	63,594	103,738	157,161	166,744
Colombia	133,987	78,964	93,547	117,957	161,557
Belarus	65,289	69,364	133,449	156,059	148,105
Slovenia	81,751	81,873	123,915	142,977	147,634
Tunisia	144,896	129,337	101,608	138,514	123,446
Oman	75,934	81,852	85,481	211,029	120,959
Egypt	108,489	118,378	93,729	106,621	
Peru	41,046	68,200	79,971	56,860	106,490
Sudan	32,813	28,578	28,086	46,619	98,750
Ecuador	43,181	65,102	57,155	63,963	81,378
Latvia	46,310	50,293	67,173	59,408	76,977
Nigeria	52,847	72,142	175,682		
Cyprus	72,291	53,706	61,084	75,835	70,493



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Jordan	40,490	36,530	37,518	50,363	68,203
Lebanon	79,828	65,000	61,095	67,934	
Luxembourg	51,379	55,139	67,202	83,502	67,172
Bahrain	51,069	55,959	62,611	108,783	63,564
Bosnia and Herzegovina			45,885	54,793	54,589
Estonia	51,298	52,073	69,568	49,445	54,440
Syrian Arab Republic	32,117	32,312	50,269	54,133	
Malta	27,031	32,608	38,186	37,273	49,046
Bangladesh	40,056	63,370	51,340	48,941	
Guatemala	24,332	21,997	26,373	35,719	47,595
Cuba	63,045	47,307	59,830		
Sri Lanka	26,017	24,058	28,715	41,475	42,915
Zambia	9,370	13,036	9,064	11,815	42,204
Costa Rica	54,082	53,301	49,664	43,461	42,105
Panama	30,459	29,185	34,672		40,336
Azerbaijan	7,657	12,883	35,476	45,998	38,271
Dominican Republic	35,750				
El Salvador	24,137	21,497	27,353	33,617	
Ghana	20,882	20,526	21,771	33,229	
Bahamas	33,080				
Iceland	14,371	11,886	18,688	20,644	31,787
Uruguay	36,503	25,552	12,699	21,652	30,595
Macedonia, Republic of	13,467	12,898	18,033	18,377	27,858
Jamaica	23,850	39,693	29,755	26,453	
Senegal	12,609	8,579	18,752	22,432	25,761
Yemen	13,973	13,287	19,227	21,252	25,689
Honduras	3,147	4,723	20,573	20,441	25,615
Macao Special Administrative Region of China	18,319	19,664	20,840	25,138	
Mauritius	14,616	19,238	21,205	24,252	23,598
United Republic of Tanzania	13,621	12,515	19,817	21,238	23,590
Botswana	14,137	21,089	35,667		
Albania	10,466	12,089	17,883	21,172	20,454
New Caledonia	8,683	9,742	13,398	22,265	20,406
French Polynesia	11,121	11,417	16,947	15,669	19,948
Moldova, Republic of	6,752	8,595	16,053	16,410	18,893
Georgia	6,762	8,808	6,598	11,388	16,726
Nicaragua	12,493	15,461	12,972	14,634	16,573
Zimbabwe	5,234	12,426		16,142	
Bolivia	29,445	59,677	17,705	18,802	15,705
Paraguay	21,788	12,549	11,709	14,775	
Mozambique	10,398	4,638			14,422
Cameroon	8,534	21,563	12,721	12,808	13,452
Barbados	11,040	9,698	9,522	9,526	13,401
Kenya	15,038	11,971	12,005	13,232	
Fiji	6,732	6,318	8,637	8,868	12,869
Brunei Darussalam	16,207	12,509	10,526		
Uganda	5,651	4,076	7,127	8,343	12,037
Côte d'Ivoire		11,775	14,861		
Gabon	12,697	5,112	7,665	11,510	



<i>Country</i>	<i>Value 2001 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2002 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2003 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2004 US\$ '000</i>	<i>Value 2005 US\$ '000</i>
Maldives	3,941	3,902	7,987	9,664	11,218
Armenia	3,649	5,867	4,831	5,153	10,811
Papua New Guinea	10,227	10,583	17,874		
Namibia	11,823	10,005	10,757		
Ethiopia	9,009	8,669	13,364		
Mongolia	3,305		3,898	7,125	7,474
Andorra	4,911	6,914	8,456	7,401	
Swaziland	8,841	7,124			
Madagascar	4,372	1,634	3,403	6,937	
Mali	5,682				
Suriname	3,650	3,853	5,944	5,477	
Burkina Faso	2,617	3,509	3,298	5,291	
Guyana	2,584	2,996	2,487	3,747	5,082
Cambodia	5,651	8,380	7,146	4,932	
Kyrgyzstan	1,831	2,628	6,463	3,023	4,800
Aruba		4,491	4,542	4,366	
Faeroe Islands		4,752	3,940	4,048	
Turks and Caicos Islands	1,682	1,548	2,358	3,942	
Seychelles	1,799	1,398	4,119	4,265	3,873
Saint Lucia	2,598	2,448	3,062	2,537	3,762
Greenland	2,966	3,239			
Benin	4,107	3,800	3,358	4,042	3,124
Antigua and Barbuda					3,122
Malawi	2,263	4,005	6,162	3,013	3,027
Guinea	3,257	2,994			
Burundi	579	866	619	1,069	2,981
Belize	2,625	2,495	2,673	2,451	2,728
Grenada	1,786	2,269	2,178	2,105	
Togo	910	1,141	2,751	1,981	2,026
Cape Verde	1,774	2,728	2,547	2,025	
Niger	1,503	1,752	2,457		
Samoa	1,103	1,142	1,205	1,641	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	1,071	1,584	1,346	2,316	1,627
Rwanda	600	1,612	1,035		
Saint Kitts and Nevis	1,756	2,609	1,694	1,006	1,468
Sierra Leone		1,207			
Anguilla	853	411	490	977	
Cook Islands	287	265	1,289	959	
Central African Republic	401	362	1,930		872
Dominica	1,389	431	436	736	803
Eritrea	938	739	2,174		
Lesotho	869	701			
Gambia	355	362	368	1,040	430
Wallis and Futuna Islands	326	360	289		
Sao Tome and Principe	135	353	439		
Kiribati					335
Montserrat	140	171	170	196	177
Nepal			5,497		



## World Import into Argentina

### Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment (HS-2002-8418)

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Reporter</i>	<i>Partner</i>	<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Import	Argentina	World	Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment [HS-2002 Code 8418]	\$ 25,257,673
2003	Import	Argentina	World	Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment [HS-2002 Code 8418]	\$ 78,225,193
2004	Import	Argentina	World	Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment [HS-2002 Code 8418]	\$ 119,937,044
2005	Import	Argentina	World	Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment [HS-2002 Code 8418]	\$ 162,573,431

### Air-conditioning machines incorp. a refrigerating unit & a valve (HS-2002-841581)

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Reporter</i>	<i>Partner</i>	<i>Commodity</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Import	Argentina	World	Air-conditioning machines incorp. a refrigerating unit & a valve for revers ... [HS-2002 Code 841581]	\$ 1,996,751
2003	Import	Argentina	World	Air-conditioning machines incorp. a refrigerating unit & a valve for revers ... [HS-2002 Code 841581]	\$ 513,589
2004	Import	Argentina	World	Air-conditioning machines incorp. a refrigerating unit & a valve for revers ... [HS-2002 Code 841581]	\$ 883,303
2005	Import	Argentina	World	Air-conditioning machines incorp. a refrigerating unit & a valve for revers ... [HS-2002 Code 841581]	\$ 3,655,380

## Countrywise Export-Import into Argentina

### 841810 (Combined refrigerator-freezers, fitted with separate ext. doors, elec./oth. ...)

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Export	World	\$ 8,910,856
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 3,438,375
2002	Export	Canada	\$ 1,464,136
2002	Export	USA	\$ 868,416
2002	Export	Saudi Arabia	\$ 809,933
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 501,507
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 421,882
2002	Export	Morocco	\$ 315,480
2002	Export	Australia	\$ 144,399
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 120,714
2002	Export	Honduras	\$ 113,280
2002	Export	Haiti	\$ 73,576
2002	Export	Panama	\$ 72,960
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 68,855

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Export	Mauritania	\$ 62,240
2002	Export	Venezuela	\$ 52,710
2002	Export	Cape Verde	\$ 41,386
2002	Export	Yemen	\$ 40,194
2002	Export	Fiji	\$ 36,546
2002	Export	Guatemala	\$ 36,480
2002	Export	France	\$ 36,360
2002	Export	Suriname	\$ 33,353
2002	Export	Kuwait	\$ 32,930
2002	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 22,471
2002	Export	Paraguay	\$ 19,025
2002	Export	Mexico	\$ 18,536
2002	Export	Qatar	\$ 15,560
2002	Export	Greece	\$ 14,004



Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	Peru	\$ 13,663
2002	Export	Côte d'Ivoire	\$ 13,320
2002	Export	Congo	\$ 5,366
2002	Export	United Kingdom	\$ 1,224
2002	Export	Italy	\$ 1,000
2002	Export	Rep. of Korea	\$ 325
2002	Export	Lebanon	\$ 325
2002	Export	United Arab Emirates	\$ 325
2002	Import	World	\$ 5,695,063
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 4,352,870
2002	Import	Mexico	\$ 540,750
2002	Import	USA	\$ 364,310
2002	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 212,685
2002	Import	Spain	\$ 83,379
2002	Import	Italy	\$ 66,744
2002	Import	Turkey	\$ 38,358
2002	Import	Chile	\$ 35,967
2003	Export	World	\$ 1,279,715
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 334,994
2003	Export	Canada	\$ 259,479
2003	Export	Saudi Arabia	\$ 153,560
2003	Export	USA	\$ 147,771
2003	Export	Brazil	\$ 107,028
2003	Export	Australia	\$ 73,500
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 63,520
2003	Export	Morocco	\$ 57,208
2003	Export	Fiji	\$ 51,213
2003	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 25,231
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 4,367
2003	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 840
2003	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 639
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 365
2003	Import	World	\$ 41,316,702
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 38,213,524
2003	Import	Chile	\$ 1,069,199
2003	Import	Mexico	\$ 779,593
2003	Import	USA	\$ 514,541
2003	Import	Turkey	\$ 328,639
2003	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 235,733
2003	Import	Italy	\$ 97,775
2003	Import	India	\$ 42,610
2003	Import	Thailand	\$ 32,938
2003	Import	Germany	\$ 1,315
2003	Import	China	\$ 612
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 223

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2004	Export	World	\$ 200,945
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 125,062
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 56,634
2004	Export	Paraguay	\$ 7,762
2004	Export	Panama	\$ 4,400
2004	Export	Nigeria	\$ 2,672
2004	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 2,214
2004	Export	Venezuela	\$ 1,200
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 608
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 200
2004	Export	Spain	\$ 193
2004	Import	World	\$ 57,079,230
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 47,504,286
2004	Import	Mexico	\$ 3,944,241
2004	Import	Chile	\$ 3,179,302
2004	Import	Turkey	\$ 1,463,632
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 513,503
2004	Import	Italy	\$ 252,141
2004	Import	Thailand	\$ 110,266
2004	Import	USA	\$ 91,180
2004	Import	Japan	\$ 17,459
2004	Import	India	\$ 3,220
2005	Export	World	\$ 567,843
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 446,807
2005	Export	Bolivia	\$ 86,850
2005	Export	Mexico	\$ 10,575
2005	Export	Paraguay	\$ 7,985
2005	Export	Panama	\$ 6,900
2005	Export	Brazil	\$ 6,716
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 2,010
2005	Import	World	\$ 78,062,592
2005	Import	Brazil	\$ 67,840,680
2005	Import	Chile	\$ 3,578,038
2005	Import	Turkey	\$ 2,555,974
2005	Import	Mexico	\$ 1,924,549
2005	Import	Italy	\$ 677,019
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 456,594
2005	Import	USA	\$ 419,562
2005	Import	Thailand	\$ 298,279
2005	Import	Peru	\$ 179,409
2005	Import	Poland	\$ 88,862
2005	Import	Japan	\$ 37,490
2005	Import	Germany	\$ 5,271
2005	Import	Colombia	\$ 865

### 841821 (Refrigerators, h-hold. type, compression-type, elec./oth.)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 83,184
2002	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 31,670
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 22,361
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 16,183
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 8,407

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	Belgium	\$ 1,725
2002	Export	Paraguay	\$ 1,012
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 768
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 581
2002	Export	Mexico	\$ 387





Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	Germany	\$ 90
2002	Import	World	\$ 1,765,524
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,618,728
2002	Import	Turkey	\$ 65,234
2002	Import	Mexico	\$ 36,931
2002	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 24,538
2002	Import	Portugal	\$ 10,458
2002	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 5,551
2002	Import	USA	\$ 3,580
2002	Import	Chile	\$ 504
2003	Export	World	\$ 47,421
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 28,792
2003	Export	Fiji	\$13,506
2003	Export	Spain	\$ 1,671
2003	Export	Angola	\$ 1,481
2003	Export	Brazil	\$ 963
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 400
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 335
2003	Export	USA	\$ 175
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 98
2003	Import	World	\$ 7,079,687
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 7,034,455
2003	Import	Portugal	\$ 22,511
2003	Import	Italy	\$ 11,742
2003	Import	Switzerland	\$ 2,452
2003	Import	USA	\$ 2,284
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 2,121
2003	Import	China	\$ 1,896
2003	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 1,353
2003	Import	Germany	\$ 626
2003	Import	Japan	\$ 247
2004	Export	World	\$ 56,035
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 47,480

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 5,606
2004	Export	Angola	\$ 2,463
2004	Export	USA	\$ 300
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 186
2004	Import	World	\$ 7,171,400
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 6,746,158
2004	Import	Turkey	\$ 324,103
2004	Import	Chile	\$ 81,962
2004	Import	Italy	\$ 15,129
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 1,194
2004	Import	Portugal	\$ 1,132
2004	Import	China	\$ 982
2004	Import	USA	\$ 564
2004	Import	Mexico	\$ 176
2005	Export	World	\$ 63,274
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 58,595
2005	Export	Equatorial Guinea	\$ 3,128
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 970
2005	Export	USA	\$ 340
2005	Export	Spain	\$ 241
2005	Import	World	\$ 8,144,721
2005	Import	Brazil	\$ 6,998,522
2005	Import	Turkey	\$ 797,282
2005	Import	China	\$ 174,617
2005	Import	Chile	\$ 111,032
2005	Import	Italy	\$ 44,147
2005	Import	USA	\$ 12,386
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 5,167
2005	Import	Mexico	\$ 783
2005	Import	France	\$ 364
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 242
2005	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 96
2005	Import	Thailand	\$ 83

841822 (Refrigerators, h-hold. type, absorption-type, electrical)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 1,215
2002	Export	USA	\$ 599
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 344
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 272
2002	Import	Germany	\$ 51,048
2002	Import	World	\$ 51,048
2003	Export	World	\$ 32,118
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 19,733
2003	Export	USA	\$ 10,026
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 1,388
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 653
2003	Export	Panama	\$ 318
2003	Import	World	\$ 18,092
2003	Import	Turkey	\$ 9,078
2003	Import	China	\$ 4,664
2003	Import	Sweden	\$ 3,501
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 684
2003	Import	USA	\$ 165

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2004	Export	World	\$ 87,154
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 35,675
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 22,054
2004	Export	Paraguay	\$ 19,100
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 10,325
2004	Import	World	\$ 29,307
2004	Import	Germany	\$ 10,023
2004	Import	China	\$ 8,995
2004	Import	Turkey	\$ 3,424
2004	Import	Denmark	\$ 3,291
2004	Import	Italy	\$ 2,009
2004	Import	Sweden	\$ 1,565
2005	Import	World	\$ 193,577
2005	Import	Turkey	\$ 81,530
2005	Import	China	\$ 57,524
2005	Import	Germany	\$ 48,648
2005	Import	USA	\$ 3,911
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 987
2005	Import	Hungary	\$ 773
2005	Import	Spain	\$ 204

841829 (Household-type refrigerators (excl. of 8418.10-8418.22), elec./oth.)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 9,350
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 8,567
2002	Export	Guatemala	\$ 390
2002	Export	USA	\$ 155
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 110
2002	Export	New Zealand	\$ 70
2002	Export	Canada	\$ 30
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 28
2002	Import	World	\$ 2,343
2002	Import	China	\$ 954
2002	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 916
2002	Import	USA	\$ 473
2003	Export	World	\$ 5,196
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 3,345
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 792
2003	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 727
2003	Export	Panama	\$ 205
2003	Export	France	\$ 127
2003	Import	World	\$ 21,090
2003	Import	China	\$ 12,227
2003	Import	Italy	\$ 4,365
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 2,526
2003	Import	Sweden	\$ 1,921
2003	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 51

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2004	Export	World	\$ 9,302
2004	Export	Panama	\$ 8,340
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 875
2004	Export	USA	\$ 87
2004	Import	World	\$ 27,312
2004	Import	China	\$ 19,417
2004	Import	USA	\$ 5,803
2004	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 1,724
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 368
2005	Export	World	\$ 4,950
2005	Export	Panama	\$ 4,950
2005	Import	World	\$ 158,377
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 65,847
2005	Import	China	\$ 49,445
2005	Import	USA	\$ 22,701
2005	Import	Belgium	\$ 14,849
2005	Import	Spain	\$ 3,239
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 1,362
2005	Import	France	\$ 832
2005	Import	Chile	\$ 102
2005	Import	Spain	\$ 3,239
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 1,362
2005	Import	France	\$ 832
2005	Import	Chile	\$ 102

841830 (Freezers of the chest type, not >800 l cap., elec./oth.)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 2,201,721
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 1,498,232
2002	Export	Ecuador	\$ 567,381
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 63,469
2002	Export	Peru	\$ 21,524
2002	Export	Paraguay	\$ 18,474
2002	Export	Guatemala	\$ 9,811
2002	Export	Venezuela	\$ 9,609
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 5,607
2002	Export	Congo	\$ 3,868
2002	Export	Cuba	\$ 1,044
2002	Export	USA	\$ 859
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 460
2002	Export	Mexico	\$ 370
2002	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 310
2002	Export	Australia	\$ 213
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 171
2002	Export	Panama	\$ 169
2002	Export	Greece	\$ 150
2002	Import	World	\$ 485,587
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 464,270
2002	Import	Japan	\$ 17,110
2002	Import	Denmark	\$ 3,189

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Import	USA	\$ 776
2002	Import	China	\$ 242
2003	Export	World	\$ 2,660,787
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 1,409,841
2003	Export	Ecuador	\$ 823,482
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 153,752
2003	Export	Venezuela	\$ 84,040
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 75,041
2003	Export	Panama	\$ 43,050
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 40,794
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 25,165
2003	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 2,538
2003	Export	Guatemala	\$ 1,855
2003	Export	Mexico	\$ 929
2003	Export	Colombia	\$ 150
2003	Export	Brazil	\$ 150
2003	Import	World	\$ 1,593,578
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,539,419
2003	Import	Japan	\$ 18,530
2003	Import	Denmark	\$ 16,789
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 9,808
2003	Import	USA	\$ 8,932
2003	Import	China	\$ 56



Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2003	Import	Canada	\$ 44
2004	Export	World	\$ 3,469,850
2004	Export	Chile	\$1,909,654
2004	Export	Ecuador	\$ 843,176
2004	Export	Venezuela	\$ 307,629
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 164,841
2004	Export	Panama	\$ 69,276
2004	Export	Paraguay	\$ 53,814
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 49,934
2004	Export	Peru	\$ 43,200
2004	Export	Guatemala	\$ 20,703
2004	Export	Colombia	\$ 2,637
2004	Export	Spain	\$ 1,850
2004	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 1,697
2004	Export	Cuba	\$ 900
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 390
2004	Export	Neth. Antilles	\$ 149
2004	Import	World	\$ 5,511,927
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 5,456,400
2004	Import	Denmark	\$ 22,165
2004	Import	Japan	\$ 18,347
2004	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 8,103
2004	Import	USA	\$ 6,912

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2005	Export	World	\$ 3,089,798
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 2,141,567
2005	Export	Paraguay	\$ 314,374
2005	Export	Ecuador	\$ 262,426
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 260,853
2005	Export	Bolivia	\$ 63,548
2005	Export	Panama	\$ 20,680
2005	Export	Brazil	\$ 16,100
2005	Export	Mexico	\$ 8,750
2005	Export	Australia	\$ 740
2005	Export	Cuba	\$ 560
2005	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 200
2005	Import	World	\$ 8,504,879
2005	Import	Brazil	\$ 8,405,084
2005	Import	Germany	\$ 41,400
2005	Import	Denmark	\$ 20,840
2005	Import	USA	\$ 18,334
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 11,277
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 4,049
2005	Import	Japan	\$ 2,569
2005	Import	France	\$ 1,133
2005	Import	Panama	\$ 193

### 841840 (Freezers of the upright type, not >900 l cap., elec./oth.)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 10,798
2002	Export	Venezuela	\$ 6,975
2002	Export	Cuba	\$ 2,300
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 940
2002	Export	USA	\$ 308
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 150
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 125
2002	Import	World	\$ 280,646
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 184,713
2002	Import	Italy	\$ 33,099
2002	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 29,216
2002	Import	Japan	\$ 25,741
2002	Import	USA	\$ 7,460
2002	Import	Ecuador	\$ 417
2003	Export	World	\$ 22,049
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 13,702
2003	Export	Spain	\$ 3,819
2003	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 2,017
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 1,948
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 305
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 258
2003	Import	World	\$ 2,556,626
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 2,522,473

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2003	Import	Japan	\$ 22,411
2003	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 6,129
2003	Import	USA	\$ 5,613
2004	Export	World	\$ 17,060
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 15,134
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 1,560
2004	Export	Spain	\$ 278
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 88
2004	Import	World	\$ 1,373,752
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,282,357
2004	Import	Japan	\$ 48,087
2004	Import	USA	\$ 42,999
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 309
2005	Export	World	\$ 44,022
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 14,807
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 12,312
2005	Export	Venezuela	\$ 11,383
2005	Export	Mexico	\$ 2,760
2005	Export	Pakistan	\$ 2,760
2005	Import	World	\$ 1,396,380
2005	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,314,577
2005	Import	USA	\$ 45,449
2005	Import	Italy	\$ 28,216
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 7,116
2005	Import	Japan	\$ 1,022

841850 (Refrigerating/freezing chests, cabinets, display counters, show-cases & sim ...)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 3,340,073
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 679,728
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 667,070
2002	Export	Paraguay	\$ 436,919
2002	Export	Colombia	\$ 399,408
2002	Export	Peru	\$ 329,721
2002	Export	Ecuador	\$ 296,793
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 167,713
2002	Export	Venezuela	\$ 117,223
2002	Export	Mexico	\$ 52,608
2002	Export	Panama	\$ 51,387
2002	Export	Honduras	\$ 28,750
2002	Export	Cuba	\$ 17,551
2002	Export	Guatemala	\$ 15,569
2002	Export	USA	\$ 15,507
2002	Export	South Africa	\$ 14,230
2002	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 12,711
2002	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 11,829
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 8,507
2002	Export	Jamaica	\$ 7,740
2002	Export	Australia	\$ 380
2002	Export	Congo	\$ 200
2002	Import	World	\$ 1,865,829
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 757,405
2002	Import	Italy	\$ 653,731
2002	Import	Spain	\$ 121,973
2002	Import	Austria	\$ 104,659
2002	Import	Germany	\$ 61,730
2002	Import	Denmark	\$ 57,030
2002	Import	Uruguay	\$ 40,086
2002	Import	USA	\$ 22,474
2002	Import	Turkey	\$ 16,391
2002	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 11,736
2002	Import	Mexico	\$ 10,811
2002	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 5,096
2002	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 1,713
2002	Import	South Africa	\$ 917
2002	Import	France	\$ 77
2003	Export	World	\$ 5,007,977
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 1,538,767
2003	Export	Ecuador	\$ 1,116,380
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 475,518
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 376,423
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 236,404
2003	Export	Panama	\$ 225,909
2003	Export	Venezuela	\$ 197,329
2003	Export	Brazil	\$ 122,257
2003	Export	USA	\$ 106,606
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 103,043
2003	Export	Mexico	\$ 100,386
2003	Export	Colombia	\$ 96,558
2003	Export	Indonesia	\$ 89,846

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2003	Export	Guatemala	\$ 42,060
2003	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 40,810
2003	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 31,430
2003	Export	El Salvador	\$ 31,064
2003	Export	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 24,053
2003	Export	Singapore	\$ 20,060
2003	Export	Angola	\$ 9,764
2003	Export	Spain	\$ 7,746
2003	Export	Cuba	\$ 6,506
2003	Export	Trinidad and Tobago	\$ 6,098
2003	Export	Italy	\$ 2,910
2003	Export	Portugal	\$ 50
2003	Import	World	\$ 1,000,876
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 621,093
2003	Import	Italy	\$ 208,812
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 39,520
2003	Import	Austria	\$ 28,373
2003	Import	Turkey	\$ 26,253
2003	Import	Spain	\$ 22,299
2003	Import	Denmark	\$ 15,396
2003	Import	France	\$ 11,028
2003	Import	USA	\$ 8,482
2003	Import	Slovenia	\$ 7,035
2003	Import	Norway	\$ 7,012
2003	Import	Germany	\$ 4,780
2003	Import	China	\$ 703
2003	Export	World	\$ 5,007,977
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 1,538,767
2003	Export	Ecuador	\$ 1,116,380
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 475,518
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2003	Import	USA	\$ 8,482
2003	Import	Slovenia	\$ 7,035
2003	Import	Norway	\$ 7,012
2003	Import	Germany	\$ 4,780
2003	Import	China	\$ 703
2003	Import	Japan	\$ 90
2004	Export	World	\$ 6,264,987
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 1,560,338
2004	Export	Venezuela	\$ 1,225,605
2004	Export	Ecuador	\$ 771,358
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 408,778
2004	Export	Paraguay	\$ 269,912
2004	Export	Mexico	\$ 256,990
2004	Export	Guatemala	\$ 229,529
2004	Export	USA	\$ 193,289
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 183,271
2004	Export	Cuba	\$ 148,730
2004	Export	Afghanistan	\$ 137,006
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 133,243
2004	Export	Spain	\$ 118,836
2004	Export	Peru	\$ 106,899
2004	Export	Oman	\$ 95,685
2004	Export	Panama	\$ 83,010
2004	Export	Colombia	\$ 76,698
2004	Export	Other Asia, nes	\$ 65,631
2004	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 48,413
2004	Export	Areas, nes	\$ 47,066
2004	Export	Singapore	\$ 24,248
2004	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 18,460
2004	Export	Honduras	\$ 17,803
2004	Export	India	\$ 10,500
2004	Export	Angola	\$ 9,248
2004	Export	Indonesia	\$ 7,746
2004	Export	Rep. of Korea	\$ 6,586
2004	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 5,079
2004	Export	Botswana	\$ 5,030
2004	Import	World	\$ 2,413,160
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,164,003
2004	Import	Italy	\$ 729,915
2004	Import	Austria	\$ 253,207
2004	Import	France	\$ 79,325
2004	Import	Denmark	\$ 52,757
2004	Import	Turkey	\$ 49,199
2004	Import	USA	\$ 37,275
2004	Import	Spain	\$ 12,976
2004	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 48,413
2004	Export	Areas, nes	\$ 47,066

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2004	Export	Singapore	\$ 24,248
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2004	Import	Turkey	\$ 49,199
2004	Import	USA	\$ 37,275
2004	Import	Spain	\$ 12,976
2004	Import	Germany	\$ 11,412
2004	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 11,084
2004	Import	Australia	\$ 8,131
2004	Import	Slovakia	\$ 2,120
2004	Import	China	\$ 1,460
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 296
2005	Export	World	\$ 7,229,644
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 2,976,080
2005	Export	Venezuela	\$ 1,149,540
2005	Export	Paraguay	\$ 733,478
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 515,437
2005	Export	Bolivia	\$ 239,750
2005	Export	Mexico	\$ 219,107
2005	Export	Spain	\$ 185,364
2005	Export	Ecuador	\$ 179,351
2005	Export	Afghanistan	\$ 144,050
2005	Export	Indonesia	\$ 109,546
2005	Export	Cuba	\$ 93,423
2005	Export	Colombia	\$ 92,709
2005	Export	Brazil	\$ 82,405
2005	Export	Peru	\$ 72,284
2005	Export	Saudi Arabia	\$ 70,431
2005	Export	Oman	\$ 69,976
2005	Export	USA	\$ 60,036
2005	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 56,543
2005	Export	Guatemala	\$ 51,663
2005	Export	India	\$ 22,274
2005	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 18,335
2005	Export	Suriname	\$ 17,111
2005	Export	Panama	\$ 16,552
2005	Export	Angola	\$ 13,104
2005	Export	Honduras	\$ 12,363
2005	Export	United Arab Emirates	\$ 9,597
2005	Export	Guinea	\$ 6,557
2005	Export	South Africa	\$ 5,216
2005	Export	Equatorial Guinea	\$ 4,642



Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2005	Export	Pakistan	\$ 2,500
2005	Export	France	\$ 220
2005	Import	World	\$ 2,837,323
2005	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,241,363
2005	Import	Italy	\$ 588,530
2005	Import	USA	\$ 544,209
2005	Import	Germany	\$ 153,289
2005	Import	Turkey	\$ 90,285
2005	Import	France	\$ 58,088
2005	Import	Belgium	\$ 50,303

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2005	Import	Spain	\$ 38,198
2005	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 30,448
2005	Import	Romania	\$ 16,202
2005	Import	China	\$ 11,254
2005	Import	Japan	\$ 7,961
2005	Import	Mexico	\$ 2,547
2005	Import	Hungary	\$ 2,079
2005	Import	Colombia	\$ 2,029
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 328
2005	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 210

### 841861 (Compression-type refrigerating/freezing equip. whose condensers are heat ex ...)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 2,685,520
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 1,185,405
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 469,159
2002	Export	Paraguay	\$ 222,148
2002	Export	Italy	\$ 148,089
2002	Export	Peru	\$ 139,054
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 133,044
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 65,723
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 56,119
2002	Export	Venezuela	\$ 50,030
2002	Export	USA	\$ 49,436
2002	Export	United Arab Emirates	\$ 46,676
2002	Export	South Africa	\$ 27,801
2002	Export	China	\$ 23,713
2002	Export	Jamaica	\$ 21,835
2002	Export	Mexico	\$ 21,184
2002	Export	Colombia	\$ 16,010
2002	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 3,100
2002	Export	Ecuador	\$ 1,880
2002	Export	Sudan	\$ 1,794
2002	Export	Greece	\$ 1,654
2002	Export	Cuba	\$ 1,011
2002	Export	Thailand	\$ 655
2002	Import	World	\$ 4,799,016
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,414,824
2002	Import	USA	\$ 597,818
2002	Import	Italy	\$ 551,350
2002	Import	France	\$ 507,931
2002	Import	Thailand	\$ 489,307
2002	Import	Japan	\$ 305,377
2002	Import	Spain	\$ 292,000
2002	Import	South Africa	\$ 193,049
2002	Import	China	\$ 111,061
2002	Import	Israel	\$ 84,808
2002	Import	Austria	\$ 70,039
2002	Import	Germany	\$ 44,632
2002	Import	Mexico	\$ 44,392
2002	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 41,468
2002	Import	Chile	\$ 25,520
2002	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 25,440

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2003	Export	World	\$ 2,339,070
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 670,160
2003	Export	China	\$ 346,925
2003	Export	Brazil	\$ 325,501
2003	Export	Germany	\$ 133,337
2003	Export	United Arab Emirates	\$ 117,979
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 113,877
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 99,885
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 98,484
2003	Export	Jamaica	\$ 78,495
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 75,672
2003	Export	Finland	\$ 71,608
2003	Export	Ecuador	\$ 54,545
2003	Export	Areas, nes	\$ 43,800
2003	Export	Venezuela	\$ 42,455
2003	Export	Panama	\$ 36,742
2003	Export	Mexico	\$ 10,320
2003	Export	USA	\$ 7,034
2003	Export	Spain	\$ 5,267
2003	Export	Barbados	\$ 5,060
2003	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 1,016
2003	Export	Thailand	\$ 908
2003	Import	World	\$ 13,403,742
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 6,124,945
2003	Import	USA	\$ 2,070,967
2003	Import	Thailand	\$ 1,802,464
2003	Import	Israel	\$ 773,800
2003	Import	China	\$ 664,429
2003	Import	Italy	\$ 564,733
2003	Import	Sweden	\$ 546,466
2003	Import	France	\$ 333,035
2003	Import	Spain	\$ 150,695
2003	Import	Japan	\$ 147,798
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 88,440
2003	Import	Mexico	\$ 56,204
2003	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 34,543
2003	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 18,304
2003	Import	Trinidad and Tobago	\$ 14,896
2003	Import	Malaysia	\$ 10,524
2003	Import	Germany	\$ 1,499



<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2004	Export	World	\$ 2,122,371
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 593,475
2004	Export	China	\$ 340,767
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 275,465
2004	Export	Paraguay	\$ 173,497
2004	Export	Finland	\$ 107,563
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 102,720
2004	Export	Jamaica	\$ 95,099
2004	Export	United Arab Emirates	\$ 80,918
2004	Export	Guatemala	\$ 69,970
2004	Export	Germany	\$ 60,058
2004	Export	Venezuela	\$ 58,218
2004	Export	USA	\$ 34,505
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 32,843
2004	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 31,206
2004	Export	Singapore	\$ 22,061
2004	Export	Ecuador	\$ 16,099
2004	Export	Spain	\$ 12,599
2004	Export	Mexico	\$ 4,953
2004	Export	Barbados	\$ 4,600
2004	Export	Italy	\$ 4,415
2004	Export	Egypt	\$ 1,340
2004	Import	World	\$ 24,452,343
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 9,798,830
2004	Import	Thailand	\$ 6,417,288
2004	Import	USA	\$ 3,439,827
2004	Import	Israel	\$ 1,934,456
2004	Import	Japan	\$ 876,172
2004	Import	France	\$ 575,638
2004	Import	Italy	\$ 320,282
2004	Import	Spain	\$ 311,646
2004	Import	Mexico	\$ 292,129
2004	Import	Germany	\$ 246,187
2004	Import	China	\$ 67,125
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 56,670
2004	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 56,095
2004	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 50,413

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2004	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 8,792
2004	Import	Austria	\$ 793
2005	Export	World	\$ 1,005,110
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 395,129
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 137,948
2005	Export	Brazil	\$ 106,092
2005	Export	USA	\$ 90,334
2005	Export	Venezuela	\$ 67,717
2005	Export	Ecuador	\$ 47,768
2005	Export	Bolivia	\$ 44,481
2005	Export	Mexico	\$ 30,000
2005	Export	Peru	\$ 26,129
2005	Export	Colombia	\$ 25,200
2005	Export	Paraguay	\$ 15,027
2005	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 10,151
2005	Export	Spain	\$ 5,050
2005	Export	Guatemala	\$ 3,613
2005	Export	Guinea	\$ 471
2005	Import	World	\$ 33,504,624
2005	Import	Brazil	\$ 18,039,042
2005	Import	Thailand	\$ 4,207,706
2005	Import	USA	\$ 3,921,081
2005	Import	China	\$ 2,730,919
2005	Import	Israel	\$ 1,123,066
2005	Import	Japan	\$ 948,759
2005	Import	Italy	\$ 664,855
2005	Import	Belgium	\$ 490,921
2005	Import	Spain	\$ 455,376
2005	Import	Uruguay	\$ 318,314
2005	Import	France	\$ 280,542
2005	Import	Germany	\$ 110,220
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 86,501
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 47,472
2005	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 35,554
2005	Import	Netherlands	\$ 24,801
2005	Import	Chile	\$ 10,030
2005	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 8,432
2005	Import	Denmark	\$ 1,033

**841869 (Refrigerating/freezing equip. n.e.s. in 84.18; heat pumps)**

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Export	World	\$ 1,713,116
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 407,060
2002	Export	Mexico	\$ 302,162
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 294,125
2002	Export	USA	\$ 287,994
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 119,667
2002	Export	Cuba	\$ 76,460
2002	Export	Ecuador	\$ 62,573
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 55,376
2002	Export	Paraguay	\$ 35,187
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 25,617
2002	Export	Canada	\$ 14,331
2002	Export	Italy	\$ 12,277

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Export	Guatemala	\$ 5,220
2002	Export	Ukraine	\$ 5,000
2002	Export	Venezuela	\$ 4,203
2002	Export	Kuwait	\$ 1,872
2002	Export	Yemen	\$ 936
2002	Export	Saudi Arabia	\$ 894
2002	Export	Australia	\$ 894
2002	Import	World	\$ 3,781,712
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 2,346,340
2002	Import	USA	\$ 450,032
2002	Import	Italy	\$ 225,278
2002	Import	Sweden	\$ 178,198
2002	Import	China	\$ 131,946





<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 129,168
2002	Import	Spain	\$ 83,988
2002	Import	France	\$ 62,601
2002	Import	Germany	\$ 53,394
2002	Import	Canada	\$ 45,300
2002	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 40,442
2002	Import	Austria	\$ 20,703
2002	Import	Netherlands	\$ 5,307
2002	Import	Japan	\$ 3,701
2002	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 3,250
2002	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 1,500
2002	Import	Finland	\$ 564
2003	Export	World	\$ 1,550,217
2003	Export	Honduras	\$ 457,054
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 242,387
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 240,619
2003	Export	Italy	\$ 119,236
2003	Export	Brazil	\$ 80,671
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 64,243
2003	Export	Ecuador	\$ 59,021
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 47,189
2003	Export	Colombia	\$ 45,584
2003	Export	Cuba	\$ 36,500
2003	Export	Mexico	\$ 34,525
2003	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 24,456
2003	Export	Australia	\$ 24,105
2003	Export	Panama	\$ 18,161
2003	Export	Guatemala	\$ 15,086
2003	Export	Angola	\$ 13,225
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 7,716
2003	Export	Spain	\$ 7,641
2003	Export	USA	\$ 5,388
2003	Export	Canada	\$ 3,744
2003	Export	Areas, nes	\$ 3,500
2003	Export	El Salvador	\$ 166
2003	Import	World	\$ 3,874,942
2003	Import	Italy	\$ 764,744
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 761,854
2003	Import	Sweden	\$ 743,577
2003	Import	USA	\$ 684,205
2003	Import	France	\$ 252,175
2003	Import	China	\$ 183,461
2003	Import	Spain	\$ 136,361
2003	Import	Chile	\$ 92,447
2003	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 86,648
2003	Import	Germany	\$ 57,244
2003	Import	New Zealand	\$ 49,031
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 42,077
2003	Import	Japan	\$ 11,512
2003	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 3,032
2003	Import	Switzerland	\$ 2,763
2003	Import	Netherlands	\$ 2,029

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2003	Import	Finland	\$ 1,782
2004	Export	World	\$ 1,886,156
2004	Export	Angola	\$ 402,971
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 383,629
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 264,868
2004	Export	USA	\$ 112,745
2004	Export	Honduras	\$ 112,744
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 105,727
2004	Export	Spain	\$ 92,144
2004	Export	Mexico	\$ 88,751
2004	Export	Italy	\$ 48,660
2004	Export	Peru	\$ 40,788
2004	Export	Pakistan	\$ 35,526
2004	Export	Australia	\$ 33,860
2004	Export	Colombia	\$ 28,370
2004	Export	Paraguay	\$ 22,885
2004	Export	Cuba	\$ 20,200
2004	Export	El Salvador	\$ 17,200
2004	Export	Israel	\$ 15,700
2004	Export	Ecuador	\$ 13,084
2004	Export	Venezuela	\$ 11,050
2004	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 10,549
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 10,030
2004	Export	China	\$ 5,815
2004	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 5,619
2004	Export	Panama	\$ 2,790
2004	Export	Areas, nes	\$ 350
2004	Export	Germany	\$ 101
2004	Import	World	\$ 9,537,417
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 2,674,561
2004	Import	USA	\$ 1,597,942
2004	Import	Italy	\$ 1,285,364
2004	Import	France	\$ 964,604
2004	Import	Netherlands	\$ 709,486
2004	Import	China	\$ 512,826
2004	Import	Sweden	\$ 475,631
2004	Import	Spain	\$ 425,659
2004	Import	Portugal	\$ 253,531
2004	Import	Germany	\$ 195,935
2004	Import	Chile	\$ 176,159
2004	Import	Japan	\$ 80,742
2004	Import	New Zealand	\$ 59,050
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 57,642
2004	Import	Canada	\$ 44,041
2004	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 9,343
2004	Import	Mexico	\$ 6,561
2004	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 6,331
2004	Import	Switzerland	\$ 1,342
2004	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 667
2005	Export	World	\$ 2,127,561
2005	Export	Ecuador	\$ 466,618
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 406,998
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 249,776



Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2005	Export	USA	\$ 199,638
2005	Export	Mexico	\$ 197,167
2005	Export	Bolivia	\$ 184,207
2005	Export	Spain	\$ 97,787
2005	Export	Honduras	\$ 59,480
2005	Export	Paraguay	\$ 56,959
2005	Export	Peru	\$ 36,650
2005	Export	Brazil	\$ 35,906
2005	Export	Colombia	\$ 20,398
2005	Export	Germany	\$ 20,000
2005	Export	Cuba	\$ 18,199
2005	Export	Guatemala	\$ 17,200
2005	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 16,300
2005	Export	Venezuela	\$ 12,614
2005	Export	Australia	\$ 10,339
2005	Export	Guinea	\$ 6,930
2005	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 6,480
2005	Export	Rep. of Korea	\$ 3,220
2005	Export	Panama	\$ 3,200
2005	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 1,495
2005	Import	World	\$ 10,078,207

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2005	Import	Italy	\$ 2,242,158
2005	Import	USA	\$ 1,816,574
2005	Import	Brazil	\$ 1,323,536
2005	Import	Canada	\$ 799,150
2005	Import	France	\$ 786,320
2005	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 584,522
2005	Import	China	\$ 538,381
2005	Import	Spain	\$ 345,915
2005	Import	Sweden	\$ 310,343
2005	Import	Denmark	\$ 246,240
2005	Import	Uruguay	\$ 229,277
2005	Import	Germany	\$ 224,539
2005	Import	Singapore	\$ 183,043
2005	Import	Chile	\$ 154,976
2005	Import	Netherlands	\$ 114,466
2005	Import	Philippines	\$ 101,097
2005	Import	Bolivia	\$ 40,537
2005	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 17,731
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 9,926
2005	Import	Switzerland	\$ 6,679
2005	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 2,797

### 841899 (Parts of the refrigerating/freezing equip. & heat pumps of 8418.10-8418.69 ...)

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	World	\$ 9,180,706
2002	Export	Brazil	\$ 5,239,815
2002	Export	Chile	\$ 1,266,528
2002	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 793,322
2002	Export	Peru	\$ 669,888
2002	Export	Denmark	\$ 373,329
2002	Export	Switzerland	\$ 309,233
2002	Export	Mexico	\$ 131,270
2002	Export	Poland	\$ 65,883
2002	Export	Uruguay	\$ 63,266
2002	Export	Germany	\$ 61,997
2002	Export	Venezuela	\$ 53,660
2002	Export	Ecuador	\$ 47,878
2002	Export	Paraguay	\$ 27,694
2002	Export	Colombia	\$ 26,473
2002	Export	Italy	\$ 16,806
2002	Export	USA	\$ 11,780
2002	Export	Spain	\$ 6,521
2002	Export	Panama	\$ 5,950
2002	Export	Cuba	\$ 3,447
2002	Export	Canada	\$ 1,859
2002	Export	Honduras	\$ 1,777
2002	Export	Australia	\$ 735
2002	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 409
2002	Export	Guatemala	\$ 404
2002	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 274
2002	Export	Suriname	\$ 153
2002	Export	Yemen	\$ 149

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2002	Export	Fiji	\$ 116
2002	Export	Bolivia	\$ 79
2002	Export	Greece	\$ 11
2002	Import	World	\$ 6,478,086
2002	Import	Brazil	\$ 2,829,035
2002	Import	France	\$ 992,758
2002	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 893,506
2002	Import	USA	\$ 738,623
2002	Import	Italy	\$ 584,178
2002	Import	Spain	\$ 114,977
2002	Import	Japan	\$ 107,077
2002	Import	Chile	\$ 57,802
2002	Import	Germany	\$ 47,997
2002	Import	Mexico	\$ 37,002
2002	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 15,819
2002	Import	Denmark	\$ 15,349
2002	Import	Sweden	\$ 15,335
2002	Import	Czech Rep.	\$ 12,006
2002	Import	China	\$ 8,003
2002	Import	Ireland	\$ 2,309
2002	Import	Uruguay	\$ 1,586
2002	Import	India	\$ 1,118
2002	Import	Hungary	\$ 1,107
2002	Import	Switzerland	\$ 856
2002	Import	Thailand	\$ 388
2002	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 329
2002	Import	Turkey	\$ 319
2002	Import	Austria	\$ 238



<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2002	Import	Guatemala	\$ 194
2002	Import	El Salvador	\$ 158
2002	Import	Netherlands	\$ 13
2002	Import	South Africa	\$ 4
2003	Export	World	\$ 15,326,760
2003	Export	Brazil	\$ 9,650,348
2003	Export	Chile	\$ 1,802,653
2003	Export	Denmark	\$ 1,124,425
2003	Export	Italy	\$ 744,947
2003	Export	Switzerland	\$ 665,306
2003	Export	Peru	\$ 340,810
2003	Export	El Salvador	\$ 220,320
2003	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 217,818
2003	Export	Germany	\$ 152,846
2003	Export	Uruguay	\$ 82,314
2003	Export	Areas, nes	\$ 79,246
2003	Export	Mexico	\$ 69,140
2003	Export	Paraguay	\$ 57,133
2003	Export	Venezuela	\$ 29,442
2003	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 21,240
2003	Export	Ecuador	\$ 19,032
2003	Export	USA	\$ 17,776
2003	Export	Cuba	\$ 16,609
2003	Export	Australia	\$ 4,528
2003	Export	Bolivia	\$ 3,539
2003	Export	Guatemala	\$ 1,871
2003	Export	Colombia	\$ 1,611
2003	Export	Canada	\$ 1,366
2003	Export	Indonesia	\$ 697
2003	Export	Honduras	\$ 619
2003	Export	Belgium	\$ 609
2003	Export	Nicaragua	\$ 337
2003	Export	Netherlands	\$ 161
2003	Export	Panama	\$ 17
2003	Import	World	\$ 7,216,790
2003	Import	Brazil	\$ 3,707,036
2003	Import	France	\$ 993,556
2003	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 577,556
2003	Import	Italy	\$ 468,153
2003	Import	Czech Rep.	\$ 451,102
2003	Import	Chile	\$ 253,582
2003	Import	USA	\$ 250,046
2003	Import	Japan	\$ 184,176
2003	Import	Spain	\$ 146,470
2003	Import	Mexico	\$ 49,807
2003	Import	Germany	\$ 42,881
2003	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 21,341
2003	Import	Ireland	\$ 19,021
2003	Import	New Zealand	\$ 16,415
2003	Import	China	\$ 6,981
2003	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 5,777
2003	Import	Trinidad and Tobago	\$ 4,772
2003	Import	Uruguay	\$ 4,527

<i>Period</i>	<i>Trade Flow</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Trade Value</i>
2003	Import	Canada	\$ 2,832
2003	Import	India	\$ 2,777
2003	Import	Denmark	\$ 2,229
2003	Import	Sweden	\$ 2,213
2003	Import	Austria	\$ 1,297
2003	Import	Turkey	\$ 729
2003	Import	Switzerland	\$ 569
2003	Import	Thailand	\$ 332
2003	Import	Poland	\$ 327
2003	Import	Norway	\$ 156
2003	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 76
2003	Import	Australia	\$ 54
2004	Export	World	\$ 15,421,559
2004	Export	Brazil	\$ 8,290,621
2004	Export	Chile	\$ 2,234,516
2004	Export	Denmark	\$ 1,372,163
2004	Export	Italy	\$ 801,053
2004	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 485,024
2004	Export	El Salvador	\$ 482,870
2004	Export	Peru	\$ 455,288
2004	Export	Switzerland	\$ 407,547
2004	Export	Mexico	\$ 224,084
2004	Export	Uruguay	\$ 109,179
2004	Export	Turkey	\$ 90,528
2004	Export	Portugal	\$ 77,893
2004	Export	Germany	\$ 73,678
2004	Export	Venezuela	\$ 65,967
2004	Export	Areas, nes	\$ 53,396
2004	Export	Colombia	\$ 38,973
2004	Export	Bolivia	\$ 31,571
2004	Export	Czech Rep.	\$ 31,523
2004	Export	Spain	\$ 28,032
2004	Export	Paraguay	\$ 26,542
2004	Export	Angola	\$ 16,150
2004	Export	Ecuador	\$ 11,732
2004	Export	Cuba	\$ 4,596
2004	Export	USA	\$ 1,800
2004	Export	Honduras	\$ 1,552
2004	Export	Singapore	\$ 1,535
2004	Export	United Kingdom	\$ 1,244
2004	Export	Guatemala	\$ 692
2004	Export	Panama	\$ 620
2004	Export	France	\$ 514
2004	Export	Belize	\$ 199
2004	Export	India	\$ 180
2004	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 165
2004	Export	Belgium	\$ 132
2004	Import	World	\$ 12,243,127
2004	Import	Brazil	\$ 5,728,450
2004	Import	USA	\$ 1,251,232
2004	Import	Italy	\$ 1,129,880
2004	Import	Chile	\$ 1,109,408
2004	Import	Czech Rep.	\$ 863,087
2004	Import	France	\$ 758,035



Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2004	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 690,451
2004	Import	Japan	\$ 348,321
2004	Import	Germany	\$ 88,722
2004	Import	Mexico	\$ 71,659
2004	Import	Spain	\$ 39,506
2004	Import	Ireland	\$ 35,667
2004	Import	China	\$ 32,259
2004	Import	Thailand	\$ 30,514
2004	Import	Rep. of Korea	\$ 16,300
2004	Import	Netherlands	\$ 10,268
2004	Import	Uruguay	\$ 9,796
2004	Import	Sweden	\$ 4,299
2004	Import	India	\$ 3,854
2004	Import	Trinidad and Tobago	\$ 3,257
2004	Import	United Kingdom	\$ 3,246
2004	Import	Austria	\$ 3,175
2004	Import	Norway	\$ 2,928
2004	Import	Lithuania	\$ 2,753
2004	Import	Poland	\$ 2,144
2004	Import	Switzerland	\$ 1,512
2004	Import	Denmark	\$ 1,387
2004	Import	Israel	\$ 607
2004	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 203
2004	Import	Australia	\$ 103
2004	Import	Turkey	\$ 39
2004	Import	El Salvador	\$ 34
2004	Import	Canada	\$ 29
2004	Import	Philippines	\$ 2
2005	Export	World	\$ 15,749,806
2005	Export	Brazil	\$ 8,627,346
2005	Export	Chile	\$ 2,548,600
2005	Export	Denmark	\$ 1,170,177
2005	Export	Costa Rica	\$ 893,741
2005	Export	Peru	\$ 592,926

Period	Trade Flow	Country	Trade Value
2005	Export	Paraguay	\$ 487,986
2005	Export	Italy	\$ 310,519
2005	Export	Mexico	\$ 249,616
2005	Export	El Salvador	\$ 181,170
2005	Export	Switzerland	\$ 170,404
2005	Export	Venezuela	\$ 143,667
2005	Export	Uruguay	\$ 122,020
2005	Export	Germany	\$ 75,990
2005	Export	Ecuador	\$ 56,983
2005	Export	Portugal	\$ 33,368
2005	Export	USA	\$ 21,046
2005	Export	Guatemala	\$ 13,644
2005	Export	United Arab Emirates	\$ 13,289
2005	Export	Dominican Rep.	\$ 12,750
2005	Export	Colombia	\$ 8,133
2005	Export	Spain	\$ 3,780
2005	Export	Bolivia	\$ 3,298
2005	Export	Honduras	\$ 2,960
2005	Export	Panama	\$ 2,457
2005	Export	Angola	\$ 1,582
2005	Export	Cuba	\$ 792
2005	Export	Oman	\$ 697
2005	Export	Belize	\$ 549
2005	Import	Netherlands	\$ 2,666
2005	Import	Sweden	\$ 2,498
2005	Import	Panama	\$ 1,642
2005	Import	Singapore	\$ 1,327
2005	Import	Areas, nes	\$ 1,111
2005	Import	Colombia	\$ 774
2005	Import	Peru	\$ 679
2005	Import	India	\$ 333
2005	Import	China, Hong Kong SAR	\$ 243
2005	Import	Other Asia, nes	\$ 176
2005	Import	Denmark	\$ 125
2005	Import	Vietnam	\$ 45

(Source : United Nations, 2007 UNSD Comtrade Database)

(Source : EEPC Chicago Office)

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Tender Information



**China**

(EEPC Ref. No. DB-1855)

Project : Zhejiang Urban Environment Project  
Credit No. 4724-CHA; Project ID No. P066955  
Loan from IBRD

Notice No. : **WB1521-725/08**

Issued by : JV of Instrimpex International Tendering Company and  
Zhejiang International Tech. & Equipment Tendering Co. Ltd.  
Room 1506, Genertec Plaza No. 90, Xisanhuanzhonglu  
Beijing, China  
Tel. : (86-10) 633-48943/44  
Fax : (86-10) 633-73642

OR

Ningbo Municipal Sewage Treatment Co. Ltd.  
(Ningbo Infrastructure Construction & Development Company)  
No. 208, Jiefangnam Road  
Ningbo City, Zhejiang Province, China  
Tel. : (86-574) 8719-7634  
Fax : (86-574) 8719-7634  
E-mail : zudpo@mail.hz.zj.cn

For : Supply, installation and commissioning of Equipment for Ningbo Jiangnan Wastewater Treatment Plant  
(160,000 m<sup>3</sup>/d).

Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of US\$ 280 or RMB 2000.

Bid deadline : **15.05.2008**

**Malawi**

(EEPC Ref. No. DB-1856)

Project : National Water Development Project (NWDP) II  
Credit No. 4307-MAI, H-294 MAI, Project ID No. P001667  
Credit/Grant from IDA

Notice No. : **WB1635-725/08**

Issued by : The IPC Chairman  
Central Region Water Board  
Private Bag 59, Lilongwe, Malawi  
Attn. : Mr. Ziddy K. Medi  
Acting General Manager  
Tel. : (265-1) 757-045  
Fax : (265-1) 758-178  
E-mail : crwb@malawi.net



For : Supply and delivery of Steel Plate Tanks and Accessories and, with installation as incidental service as follows :

Item No. 1

Item Description : 100 m<sup>3</sup> Steel Plate Water Tanks complete with accessories and 6 m steel towers as specified

Required Quantity : 3

Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of MK 5,000 or US\$ 40.

Bid security : 2% of the Bid Price.

Bid deadline : **22.05.2008**

### Sierra Leone

(EEPC Ref. No. DB-1857)

Project : Infrastructure Development Project

Grant H191-SL; Project ID No. P078389

Grant from IDA

Notice No. : **WB1566-725/08**

Issued by : The General Manager

Sierra Leone Airports Authority

15, Rawdon Street

Freetown, Sierra Leone

Tel. : (232-22) 223-881

Fax : (232-22) 228-133

E-mail : johnbraima@yahoo.com

For : Upgrading of Freetown International Lungi Airport (Lungi) infrastructure.

The works will entail the following two (2) Lots :

#### Lot 1.8A

a. Works

- Runway Rehabilitation Works
- Widening of Turning Loops & Taxiway accesses
- Relocation of aircraft holding positions
- Provision of illuminated wind sock.

#### Lot 1.8B

a. Water Supply System

- Upgrade of Airport water supply system.

b. Power supply system

- Provision of electricity power supply system.

Tender cost : Non-refundable fee of Le 750,000 or US\$ 250.00

Bid security : Not less than 3% of the total contract value of the works in local currency or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

Bid deadline : **06.06.2008**

(Source : UN Development Business Website)

### Sri Lanka

Issued by : Deputy General Manager (Central)  
National Water Supply and Drainage Board  
NWSDB, Gatembe  
Peradeniya, Sri Lanka  
Tel. : 081-2388086/2386068/2388027

Contract No.: **DGM/RSCC&S/SUP(2)/2007/146**

For : Supply and installation of ball float valves and accessories for water supply scheme in Central Region.

Tender cost : LKR 1000 + 15% VAT (non-refundable)

Bid security : LKR 865,000

Closing date: **26.12.2008** at 15:30 Hrs.

*(Source : Lanka.OneTender, Sri Lanka)*



**Trade Enquiries**



**Australia**

*(Source : Direct from the party)*

<i>Name of the Company</i>	<i>Addresses</i>	<i>Contact Person/Tel./Fax/E-mail</i>	<i>Items interested</i>
Reliable Traders	74 Hillcrest Road Alexander Heights, W.A. 6064 Australia	Attn. : Mr. Balbir Rajput Tel/Fax : 61-8-93432932 E-mail : businessguru@hotmail.com	Mild steel nuts (without any coating or treatment) with M10 threads to be made from 20 mm round bar, 22 mm long. The nut weighs – 41 gm. They need around 10,000 nuts every 3 months. <i>(Drawings can be obtained from any of the EEPC offices in India/ downloaded from EEPC website).</i>



**Government of India  
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Department of Commerce  
Directorate General of Foreign Trade  
New Delhi**

**Public Notice No. 133 (RE-2007)/2004-2009**

Dated 29th March, 2008

In exercise of powers conferred under Paragraph 2.4 of the Foreign Trade Policy, 2004-2009 and Paragraph 1.1 of the Handbook of Procedures (Vol. I), the Director General of Foreign Trade hereby makes the following amendments in the Public Notice No. 17(RE-2007)/2004-2009, dated 12th July, 2007.

1. The words "till 31st March, 2008" appearing in Public Notice No. 17 (RE-2007)/2004-2009, dated 12th July, 2007 stands replaced by the words "till further amendments".

(F. No. 01/94/180/PN-DEPB Extn./AM08/PC-IV)

*Sd/-*  
(R. S. GUJRAL)  
Director General of Foreign Trade

**Government of India  
Ministry of Commerce & Industry  
Department of Commerce  
Directorate General of Foreign Trade  
New Delhi**

**Public Notice No. 134 (RE-2007)/2004-2009**

Dated 29th March, 2008

In exercise of powers conferred under Paragraph 2.4 of the Foreign Trade Policy 2004-2009, the Director General of Foreign Trade hereby makes the following amendments in Handbook of Procedures, Vol. I :

1. Last sentence of paragraph 1.1 stands amended as follows :

*These compilations, as amended from time to time, shall remain in force until 31st March, 2009 except DEPB scheme which shall continue to be operative till further orders.*

Sd/-

(R. S. GUJRAL)

Director General of Foreign Trade

(F. No. 01/94/180/PN-DEPB Extn./AM08/PC-IV)

**Government of India  
Ministry of Commerce & Industry  
Department of Commerce  
Directorate General of Foreign Trade  
New Delhi**

**Public Notice No. 139 (RE-2007)/2004-2009**

Dated 4th April, 2008

In exercise of powers conferred under paragraph 2.4 of the Foreign Trade Policy 2004-09, the Director General of Foreign Trade hereby makes the following amendments in the Handbook of Procedures (Vol. I) :

1. Paragraph 4A.28 related to "*Replenishment Authorisation for Import of Consumables etc.*" in the Handbook of Procedures (Vol. 1) shall be substituted as under :

4A.28. A replenishment authorization for duty free import of consumables, tools, machinery and equipments for Jewellery made out of precious metals (other than Gold & Platinum) equal to 2% and for Cut and Polished Diamonds and Jewellery made out of Gold and Platinum equal to 1% of FOB value of exports of the preceding year, may be issued on production of Chartered Accountant Certificate indicating the export performance. However, in case of Rhodium finished Silver Jewellery, entitlement will be 3% of FOB value of exports of such Jewellery.

Sd/-

(R. S. GUJRAL)

Director General of Foreign Trade

[F. No. 01/94/180/G&J/AM08/PC-IV(Pt.)]

Government of India  
Ministry of Commerce & Industry  
Department of Commerce  
Directorate General of Foreign Trade  
New Delhi

Public Notice No. 140 (RE-2007)/2004-2009

Dated 7th April, 2008

The Directorate General of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Department of Commerce, Government of India, New Delhi vide its Public Notice No. 140(RE-2007)/2004-2009 dated 7th April, 2008 has made certain additions/amendments in the Schedule of DEPB Rates (as amended from time to time) with immediate effect :

In exercise of powers conferred under Paragraph 2.4 of the Foreign Trade Policy, 2004-2009 and Paragraph 1.1 of the Handbook of Procedures (Vol. I), the Director General of Foreign Trade hereby makes the following additions/amendments in the Schedule of DEPB Rates (as amended from time to time) with immediate effect :

1. New DEPB Rates for the following products shall be added after Sl. No. 607 of Product Group "Engineering Products" (Product Code : 61) :-

<b>DEPB Sl. No.</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>DEPB Rate</b>	<b>Value Cap</b>
608	I.C. Engines of 3 HP up to and including 720 HP	4%	--
609	Gensets from 3 kVA up to and including 20 kVA	4%	--
610	Gensets above 20 kVA up to and including 600 kVA	5%	--
611	Pumpsets from 3 HP up to and including 28 HP	4%	--

Sd/-

(R. S. GUJRAL)

Director General of Foreign Trade

(F. No. 01/94/180/DEPB-09/PN/AM08/PC-4)



**Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi**

**Notification No. 30/2008-Customs (N.T.)**

Dated 20th March, 2008

S.O.(E). – In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 5 of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 (51 of 1975), the Central Government hereby makes the following amendment in the Notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), No. 59/2005-Customs (N.T.) vide number S.O. 1037 (E), published in the Gazette of India, Part II, Section 3, Sub-Section (ii), dated the 20th July, 2005, namely : -

In the said notification, in rule 1, for sub-rule (1), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely :-

“(1) These rules may be called the Customs Tariff Determination of Origin of Goods under the Comprehensive Economic Cooperation Agreement between the Republic of India and Republic of Singapore (hereinafter referred to as “the Agreement”) Rules, 2005.”

[F. No. 467/34/2005-Cus.V]

*Sd/-*  
(ASEEM KUMAR)  
Secretary to the Government of India

**Note :** The principal Notification was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, vide Notification No. 59/2005-Customs (N.T.), dated the 20th July, 2005 vide number S.O. 1037(E), published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-Section (ii), dated the 20th July, 2005.

**Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi**

**Notification No. 32/2008-Customs (N.T.)**

Dated 27th March, 2008

S.O.(E). – In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962 (52 of 1962), and in supersession of the Notifications of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No.10/2008(NT)-Customs, dated the 26th February, 2008 *vide* number S.O. 397(E), dated the 26th February, 2008 and Notification No. 29/2008(NT)-Customs, dated 18th March, 2008 *vide* number S.O. 525(E), dated 18th March, 2008, except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Central Board of Excise and Customs hereby determines that the rate of exchange of conversion of each of the foreign currency specified in column (2) of each of Schedule I and Schedule II annexed hereto into Indian currency or *vice versa* shall, with effect from 1st April, 2008 be the rate mentioned against it in the corresponding entry in column (3) thereof, for the purpose of the said Section, relating to **imported goods** and **export goods**.

**SCHEDULE - I**

S. No.	Foreign Currency	Rate of exchange of one unit of foreign currency equivalent to Indian Rupees	
		(3)	
		(a)	(b)
		(For Imported Goods)	(For Export Goods)
1.	Australian Dollar	37.20	36.45
2.	Canadian Dollar	39.85	39.05
3.	Danish Kroner	8.50	8.30
4.	EURO	63.25	62.15
5.	Hong Kong Dollar	5.20	5.10
6.	Norwegian Kroner	7.85	7.65
7.	Pound Sterling	81.15	79.70
8.	Swedish Kroner	6.75	6.60
9.	Swiss Franc	40.25	39.45
10.	Singapore Dollar	29.35	28.80
11.	US Dollar	40.45	39.85

**SCHEDULE - II**

S. No.	Foreign Currency	Rate of exchange of 100 units of foreign currency equivalent to Indian Rupees	
		(3)	
		(a)	(b)
		(For Imported Goods)	(For Export Goods)
1.	Japanese Yen	40.55	39.75

Sd/-

(T. K. BANDHOPADHYAY)

(F. No. 468/7/2008-Cus. V)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi

Notification No. 10/2008-Central Excise

Dated 1st March, 2008

G.S.R. (E).- In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 5A of the Central Excise Act, 1944 (1 of 1944), the Central Government, on being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby makes the following further amendments in the notification of the Government of India in the erstwhile Ministry of Finance and Company Affairs (Department of Revenue), No. 23/2003-Central Excise, dated the 31st March, 2003, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, vide number G.S.R. 266(E), of the same date, namely :-

In the said Notification, in the Table, -

- (i) against Sr. No. 2, in column (4), for the entry, the following entry shall be substituted, namely :-

“In excess of the amount equal to the aggregate of duties of customs leviable on like goods, as if,-

(a) the duty of customs specified in the First Schedule to the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 (51 of 1975), read with any other notification in force was reduced by 50%, and

(b) no additional duty of customs was leviable under Sub-Section (5) of Section 3 of the said Customs Tariff Act :

Provided that while calculating the aggregate of customs duties, additional duty of customs leviable under Sub-Section (5) of Section 3 of the said Customs Tariff Act shall be included if the goods cleared into Domestic Tariff Area are exempt from payment of sales tax or value added tax.

*Illustration* :- Assuming product X has the value Rs. 100/- under Section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962, and for the purposes of this illustration, is chargeable to basic customs duty of 10% ad valorem and additional duty of 20% ad valorem only, then the computation of duty required to be paid would be as follows :

Basic Customs duty but for this exemption	= Rs. 10/-
Basic Customs duty because of this exemption	= Rs. 5/-
Value for the purposes of calculation of additional duty	= Rs. 100/- + Rs. 5/- = Rs. 105/-
Additional duty	= 20% of Rs. 105/- = Rs. 21/-.
Total duty payable after this exemption	= Rs. 5/- + Rs. 21/- = Rs 26/-”.

Sd/-

(S. BAJAJ)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

[F. No. 334/1/2008-TRU]

**Note** : The principal Notification was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, vide number G.S.R. 266(E), dated the 31st March, 2003, and was last amended by Notification No. 29/2007-Central Excise, dated the 6th July, 2007 and published vide number G.S.R. 474(E), dated the, 6th July, 2007.

**Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi**

**Notification No. 17/2008-Central Excise**

Dated 27th March, 2008

G.S.R.(E).- In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 5A of the Central Excise Act, 1944 (1 of 1944), read with Sub-Section (3) of Section 3 of the Additional Duties of Excise (Goods of Special Importance) Act, 1957 (58 of 1957) and Sub-Section (3) of Section 3 of the Additional Duties of Excise (Textile and Textile Articles) Act, 1978, (40 of 1978) the Central Government, being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby makes the following further amendments in the Notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), No. 32/99-Central Excise, dated the 8th July, 1999 which was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, vide number G.S.R. 508 (E) dated the 8th July, 1999, namely :-

In the said Notification,-

I. In the preamble, for the words and figures, "to the amount of duty paid by the manufacturer of goods other than the amount of duty paid by utilization of CENVAT credit under the CENVAT Credit Rules, 2001", the words "to the duty payable on value addition undertaken in the manufacture of the said goods by the said unit" shall be substituted;

II. for paragraph 1A, 2 and 2A the following shall be substituted, namely :-

'2A The duty payable on value addition shall be equivalent to the amount calculated as a percentage of the total duty payable on the said excisable goods of the description specified in column (3) of the Table below (hereinafter referred to as the said Table) and falling within the Chapter of the said First Schedule as are given in the corresponding entry in column (2) of the said Table, at the rates specified in the corresponding entry in column (4) of the said Table :

**TABLE**

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Chapter of the First Schedule</i>	<i>Description of goods</i>	<i>Rate</i>
<i>(1)</i>	<i>(2)</i>	<i>(3)</i>	<i>(4)</i>
1.	29	All goods	29
2.	30	All goods	56
3.	33	All goods	56
4.	34	All goods	38
5.	38	All goods	34
6.	39	All goods	26
7.	40	Tyres, tubes and flaps	41
8.	72 or 73	All goods	39
9.	74	All goods	15
10.	76	All goods	36
11.	85	Electric motors and generators, electric generating sets and parts thereof	31
12.	Any chapter	Goods other than those mentioned above	36

Provided that where the duty payable on value addition exceeds the duty paid by the manufacturer on the said excisable goods, other than the amount paid by utilization of CENVAT credit during the month, the duty payable on value addition, shall be deemed to be equal to the duty so paid other than by CENVAT credit.

- 2B In cases where all the goods produced by a manufacturer are eligible for exemption under this notification, the exemption contained in this notification shall be subject to the condition that the manufacturer first utilizes whole of the CENVAT credit available to him on the last day of the month under consideration for payment of duty on goods cleared during such month and pays only the balance amount in cash.
- 2C The exemption contained in this notification shall be given effect to in the following manner, namely:-
- the manufacturer shall submit a statement of the total duty paid and that paid by utilization of CENVAT credit, on each category of goods specified in the said Table and cleared under this notification, to the Assistant Commissioner of Central Excise or Deputy Commissioner of Central Excise, as the case may be, by the 7th of the next month in which the duty has been paid;
  - the Assistant Commissioner of Central Excise or the Deputy Commissioner of Central Excise, as the case may be, after such verification as may be deemed necessary, shall refund the duty payable on value addition, computed in the manner as specified in paragraph 2A above to the manufacturer by the 15th of the month following the one in which the statement as at clause (a) above has been submitted.
- 2D Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-paragraph 2C above,-
- the manufacturer at his own option, may take credit of the amount calculated in the manner specified in paragraph 2A in his account current, maintained in terms of the Excise Manual of Supplementary Instructions issued by the Central Board of Excise and Customs. Such amount credited in the account current may be utilized by the manufacturer for payment of duty, in the manner specified under rule 8 of the Central Excise Rules, 2004, in subsequent months, and such payment shall be deemed to be payment in cash;
  - the credit of the refund amount may be taken by the manufacturer in his account current, by the 7th of the month following the month under consideration;
  - a manufacturer who intends to avail the option under clause (a) shall exercise his option in writing for availing such option before effecting the first clearance in any financial year and such option shall be effective from the date of exercise of the option and shall not be withdrawn during the remaining part of the financial year;
  - the manufacturer shall submit a statement of the total duty payable as well as the duty paid by utilization of CENVAT credit or otherwise and the credit taken as per clause (a), on each category of goods manufactured and cleared under the notification and specified in the said Table, to the Assistant Commissioner of Central Excise or Deputy Commissioner of Central Excise, as the case may be, by the 15th of the month in which the credit has been so taken;
  - the Assistant Commissioner of Central Excise or the Deputy Commissioner of Central Excise, as the case may be, after such verification, as may be deemed necessary, shall determine the amount correctly refundable to the manufacturer and intimate to the manufacturer by the 15th day of the next month to the month in which the statement under clause (d) has been submitted. In case the credit taken by the manufacturer is in excess of the amount determined, the manufacturer shall, within five days from the receipt of the intimation, reverse the said excess credit from the account current maintained by him. In case, the credit taken by the manufacturer is less than the amount of refund determined, the manufacturer shall be eligible to take credit of the balance amount;
  - in case the manufacturer fails to comply with the provisions of clauses (a) to (e), he shall forfeit the option, to take credit of the amount calculated in the manner specified in sub-paragraph 2A in his account current on his own, as provided for in clauses (a) to (c);

- (g) the amount of the credit availed irregularly or availed of in excess of the amount determined correctly refundable under clause (e) and not reversed by the manufacturer within the period specified therein, shall be recoverable as if it is a recovery of duty of excise erroneously refunded. In case such irregular or excess credit is utilised for payment of excise duty on clearances of excisable goods, the said goods shall be considered to have been cleared without payment of duty to the extent of utilisation of such irregular or excess credit.

*Explanation.*-For the purposes of this paragraph, duty paid by utilisation of the amount credited in the account current, shall be taken as payment of duty by way other than utilisation of CENVAT credit under the CENVAT Credit Rules, 2004.

- 2.1 (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in paragraph 2A, the manufacturer shall have the option not to avail the rates specified in the said Table and apply to the Commissioner of Central Excise or the Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise, as the case may be, having jurisdiction over the manufacturing unit of the manufacturer for fixation of a special rate representing the actual value addition in respect of any goods manufactured and cleared under this notification, if the manufacturer finds that four-fifths of the ratio of actual value addition in the production or manufacture of the said goods to the value of the said goods, is more than the rate specified in the said Table expressed as a percentage. For the said purpose, the manufacturer may, within sixty days from the beginning of a financial year, make an application in writing to the Commissioner of Central Excise or the Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise, as the case may be, for determination of such special rate, stating all relevant facts including the proportion in which the materials or components are used in the production or manufacture of goods :

Provided that the Commissioner of Central Excise or the Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise may, if he is satisfied that the manufacturer was prevented by sufficient cause from making the application within the aforesaid time, allow such manufacturer to make the application within a further period of thirty days :

Provided further that the manufacturer supports his claim for a special rate with a certificate from his statutory auditor containing an estimate of value addition in the case of goods for which a claim is made, based on the audited balance sheet of the unit, for the preceding financial year;

- (2) On receipt of the application referred to in sub-paragraph (1), the Commissioner of Central Excise or Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise, as the case may be, after making or causing to be made such inquiry as he deems fit, shall fix the special rate within a period of six months of such application;
- (3) Where the manufacturer desires that he may be granted refund provisionally till the time the special rate is fixed, he may, while making the application, apply to the Commissioner of Central Excise or the Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise, as the case may be, in writing for grant of provisional refund at the rate specified in column (4) of the said Table for the goods of description specified in column (3) of the said Table and falling in Chapter of the First Schedule of the Central Excise Tariff Act, 1985 (5 of 1986) as in corresponding entry in column (2) of the said Table, and on finalization of the special rate, necessary adjustments be made in the subsequent refunds admissible to the manufacturer in the month following the fixation of such special rate.
- (4) Where the Central Government considers it necessary so to do, it may-
- (a) revoke the special rate or amount of refund as determined under sub-paragraph (2) by the Commissioner of Central Excise or the Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise, as the case may be, or
- (b) direct the Commissioner of Central Excise or the Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise, as the case may be, to withdraw the rate so fixed.

*Explanation :* For the purpose of this paragraph, the actual value addition in respect of said goods shall be calculated on the basis of the financial records of the preceding financial year, taking into account the following :

- (i) Sale value of the said goods excluding excise duty, Value Added Tax and other indirect taxes, if any, paid on the goods;



- (ii) Less : Cost of raw materials and packing material consumed in the said goods;
- (iii) Less : Cost of fuel consumed if eligible for input credit under CENVAT Credit Rules, 2004;
- (iv) Plus : Value of said goods available as inventory in the unit but not cleared, at the end of the financial year;
- (v) Less : Value of said goods available as inventory in the unit but not cleared, at the end of the financial year preceding that under consideration.

Special rate would be the ratio of actual value addition in the production or manufacture of the said goods to the sale value of the said goods excluding excise duty, Value Added Tax and other indirect taxes, if any, paid on the goods.

- (5) The manufacturer shall be entitled to refund at the special rate fixed under sub-paragraph (2) in respect of all clearances of excisable goods manufactured and cleared under this notification with effect from the date on which the application referred to at sub-paragraph (1) was filed with the Commissioner of Central Excise or Commissioner of Central Excise and Customs, as the case may be.
- (6) Where a special rate is fixed under sub-paragraph (2), the refund payable in a month shall be equivalent to the amount calculated as a percentage of the total duty payable on such excisable goods, at the rate so fixed :

Provided that the refund shall not exceed the amount of duty paid on such goods, other than by utilization of CENVAT credit.'

2. This Notification shall come into force with effect from the 1st day of April, 2008.

[F. No. 334/1/2008-TRU]

Sd/-

(S. BAJAJ)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

**Note :** The principal Notification No. 32/99-Central Excise, dated 8th July, 1999 was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, vide number G.S.R. 508(E), dated the 8th July, 1999 and was last amended vide Notification No. 21/2007-Central Excise, dated 25th April, 2007 published vide number G.S.R. 308(E), dated the 25th April, 2007.

Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi

Notification No. 20/2008-Central Excise (N.T.)

Dated 27th March, 2008

G.S.R. (E)- In pursuance of the powers conferred by clause (b) of Section 2 of the Central Excise Act, 1944 read with sub-rules (1) and (2) of rule 3 of the Central Excise Rules, 2002, the Central Board of Excise and Customs appoints the officers specified in column (1) of the Table below as Central Excise Officers, and invests them with all the powers of such officer specified in column (2) of the said Table, to be exercised by him within such jurisdiction as specified in column (3) of the said Table for the purposes of the Central Excise Act, 1944 and the rules made thereunder.

Table

<i>Officers</i>	<i>Central Excise Officer whose powers are to be exercised</i>	<i>Jurisdiction</i>
<i>(1)</i>	<i>(2)</i>	<i>(3)</i>
Chief Commissioners of Income Tax, Large Tax Payer Unit	The Chief Commissioner or Central Excise	Throughout the territory of India

[F. No. 201/24/2006-CX.6]

Sd/-  
(RAHUL NANGARE)  
Under Secretary to the Government of India

Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi

**Notification No. 12/2008-Service Tax**

Dated 1st March, 2008

G.S.R. (E).—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 93 of the Finance Act, 1994 (32 of 1994), the Central Government, on being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby makes the following further amendment in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), No. 1/2006-Service Tax, dated the 1st March, 2006, G.S.R. 115 (E), dated the 1st March, 2006, namely :—

In the said Notification, in the Table, S. No. 6 and the entries relating thereto shall be omitted.

[F. No. 334/1/2008-TRU]

*Sd/-*  
(UNMESH WAGH)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

**Note :** The principal Notification No. 1/2006-Service Tax, dated the 1st March, 2006, was published vide number G.S.R. 115(E), dated the 1st March, 2006 and was last amended by Notification No. 38/2007-Service Tax, dated the 23rd August, 2007, vide number G.S.R. 565(E), dated the 23rd August, 2007.

**Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi**

**Notification No. 13/2008-Service Tax**

Dated 1st March, 2008

G.S.R. (E). – In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 93 of the Finance Act, 1994 (32 of 1994) (hereinafter referred to as the Finance Act), the Central Government, on being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby exempts the taxable service provided by a goods transport agency to any person in relation to transport of goods by road in a goods carriage, referred to in sub-clause (zpz) of clause (105) of Section 65 of the Finance Act, from so much of the service tax leviable thereon under section 66 of the Finance Act, as is in excess of the amount of service tax calculated on a value equivalent to twenty five per cent. of the gross amount charged by the goods transport agency for providing the said taxable service.

2. This Notification shall come into force on the 1st day of March, 2008.

[F. No. 334/1/2008-TRU]

*Sd/-*  
(UNMESH WAGH)  
Under Secretary to the Government of India

**Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi**

**Notification No. 17/2008-Service Tax**

Dated 1st April, 2008

G.S.R. (E). – In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 93 of the Finance Act, 1994 (32 of 1994), the Central Government hereby makes the following further amendments in the Notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No. 41/2007-Service Tax, dated the 6th October, 2007 which was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-Section (i) vide number G.S.R. 645(E), dated the 6th October, 2007, namely :-

In the said Notification, in the Schedule, after Sr. No. 12 and the entries relating thereto, the following shall be inserted, namely :-

<b>(1)</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>(4)</b>
"13.	Section 65(105)(h)	services provided by a custom house agent in relation export goods exported by the exporter.	<p>exporter shall produce,-</p> <p>(i) invoice issued by custom house agent for providing services specified in column (3) specifying :</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(a) number and date of shipping bill,</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(b) description of export goods,</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(c) number and date of the invoice issued by the exporter relating to export goods,</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">(d) details of all the charges, whether or not reimbursable, collected by the custom house agent from the exporter in relation to export goods,</p> <p>(ii) details of other taxable services provided by the said custom house agent and received by the exporter, whether or not relatable to export goods.</p>
14.	Section 65(105)(zm)	<p>(i) services provided in relation to collection of export bills,</p> <p>(ii) services provided in relation to export letters of credit such as advising commission, advising amendment, confirmation charges.</p>	exporter shall produce evidence to link the use of services specified in column (3) for goods exported.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
15.	Section 65(105)(zzb)	Services provided by a commission agent, located outside India, and engaged under a contract or agreement or any other document by the exporter in India, to act on behalf of the exporter, to cause sale of goods exported by him.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(i) exporter shall provide agreement or contract or any other document, requiring the commission agent located outside India to provide services to the exporter in relation to sale of export goods, outside India,</li><li>(ii) exporter shall declare the amount of commission paid or payable to the commission agent in the shipping bill,</li><li>(iii) commission sought to be remitted is not on export of a canalized item, project exports, or exports financed under lines of credit extended by Government of India or EXIM Bank, or exports made by Indian partners towards equity participation in an overseas joint venture or wholly owned subsidiary,</li><li>(iv) documents evidencing actual export of goods,</li><li>(v) documents evidencing actual payment of commission to the commission agent,</li><li>(vi) refund of service tax shall be restricted to actual amount of service tax paid or service tax calculated on two per cent of FOB value of export goods, whichever is less.”</li></ul>

2. This Notification shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

[F. No. 341/15/2007-TRU]

Sd/-

(G. G. PAI)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

**Note :** The principal Notification was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-Section (i), vide number G.S.R. 645(E), dated the 6th October, 2007 and was last amended by Notification No. 3/2008-Service Tax, dated the 19th February, 2008 which was published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-Section (i) vide number G.S.R. 94(E), dated the 19th February, 2008.



**F. No. 137/51/2008-CX.4**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Finance**  
**Department of Revenue**  
**Central Board of Excise & Customs**  
**New Delhi**

**Circular No. 99/2/2008-ST**

Dated 11th March, 2008

**Sub : Amendment to Circular No. 97/8/2007-ST dated the 23rd August, 2007 – Power of adjudication of Central Excise Officers- instructions reg.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to para 12.2 of the Circular No. 97/8/2007-ST dated the 23rd August, 2007, which prescribes monetary limits of Central Excise Officers at various levels for adjudicating of cases under Section 83A of the Finance Act, 1994, for adjudging a penalty under the provisions of the said Act or the rules made there under.

2. In this regard, it has been brought to the notice of the Board that in many Commissionerates, there is no officer of the rank of the Additional Commissioner posted. This is leading to delay in adjudication of cases falling under the monetary limit prescribed for Additional Commissioners. The matter has been examined by the Board. It has been decided to enhance the monetary limit of adjudication of cases by Joint Commissioners equal to that of Additional Commissioners. Accordingly, S. No. (2) of Table below para 12.2 of the said Circular stand amended as follows :

(1)	(2)	(3)
(2).	Joint Commissioner of Central Excise	Above Rs. 5 lakh but not exceeding Rs. 50 lakh

3. Jurisdictional Commissioners of Central Excise may redistribute the pending cases among Joint Commissioners/Additional Commissioners posted in the Commissionerate based on appropriate factors. It is further clarified that notwithstanding this revision, in all cases, where the personal hearing has already been completed, orders will be passed by the officer before whom the hearing has been held. Such orders should normally be issued within a month of the date of completion of the personal hearing. It may also be noted that the age-wise pendency of cases as shown in MTR would be reflected based on the date of issuance of Show Cause Notice, and not on the basis of transfer of cases to the new Adjudicating Authority. The jurisdictional Commissioners should ensure that the work regarding re-allocation of pending cases, issuance of corrigendum to the Show Cause Notices, transfer of relevant files and records, etc., should be completed within 15 days. A compliance report in this regard should be sent to the zonal Chief Commissioner, who in turn, should submit a report to the Board by 15.04.2008, certifying that all the work regarding re-allocation of cases has been completed.

*Sd/-*  
(GAUTAM BHATTACHARYA)  
Commissioner (Service Tax)

**F. No. 137/102/2006-CX.4  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs  
New Delhi**

**Circular No. 100/3/2008-ST**

Dated 12th March, 2008

**Sub : Guidelines in respect of publication of names under Section 73D of the Finance Act, 1994-reg.**

Attention is invited to the provisions of Section 73 D of the Finance Act, 1994. This Section empowers the Central Government to publish information relating to the names of the assesseees or any other particulars relating to any proceedings under the Finance Act, 1994 in respect of such persons, in the manner as may be prescribed, if it is considered necessary and expedient in the public interest to do so. However, adequate restriction has been provided so that the particulars in relation to any penalty are not published until the time for presenting an appeal has expired without an appeal having been presented or the appeal, if presented, has been disposed of. The names of the partners of a firm, directors, managing agents, secretaries and treasurers or managers of the company or the members of the association can be published if the circumstances of the case justify it. This provision is in line with the similar provisions existing in Section 37E of the Central Excise Act, 1944.

2. To bring into effect the provisions of said Section, the Service Tax (Publication of Names) Rules, 2008 have been prescribed vide Notification No. 15/2008-ST, dated 1.3.2008.

3. Since, the power to publish names or other particulars of proceedings, is with the Central Government, following guidelines are laid down regarding the type of cases to be covered, and the manner/procedure of such publication under Section 73D read with the Service Tax (Publication of Names) Rules, 2008;

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(i) Publication of information would be resorted to only in respect of offence cases wherein the service tax liability is Rs. 1 crore or more. However, in cases of repeat offences, and in cases involving collection of an amount representing tax, not deposited, to the Central Government under Section 73A of the Finance Act, 1994, the tax liability limit would be Rs. 25 lakh.

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(ii) The cases should have material evidence to show that fraud, collusion, wilful mis-statement or suppression of facts has been committed with intent to evade payment of tax/duty.

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(iii) Such publication of information should be necessary or expedient in public interest.

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(iv) In case, of publication of information pertaining to penalty, the same should be done only after the period for filing appeal before the Commissioner (Appeals) or CESTAT is either over or such appeal has been disposed of.

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(v) In case publication relates to association of persons (i.e. firm, company etc.,) the names of their officials (like partners, directors) can also be published if there are justifying circumstances for doing so.

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(vi) The jurisdictional Commissioners or the ADGs of DGCEI zonal units should send the proposal giving full details of the nature of offence, amount of tax, credit, refund or rebate involved and role played by each person whose name or other particulars are proposed to be published, to the Chief Commissioner or the Director General of Central Excise Intelligence as the case may be.

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(vii) The Chief Commissioner or the Director General of Central Excise Intelligence, as the case may be, should examine the proposal and within fifteen days forward the same with his or her comments giving justification for its publication

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to the Committee that has been set up by the Board in this regard. The Chief Commissioner (TAR) will be the convenor of the committee comprising of Director General (DGRI) and the Director General (DGCEI). This committee will scrutinize all the proposals and send its recommendations to Member (CX & ST) within 30 days of receipt of the proposal. Thereafter, the Central Board of Excise and Customs may recommend the publication of such names to the Central Government.

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(ix) The Board, on receipt of approval of the Central Government, will communicate the same to the concerned Chief Commissioner or Director General, as the case may be, for taking necessary action. The publication of names may be made in the print media, electronic or any other media of mass communication.

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4. It is, however, clarified that these provisions are stringent in nature and may affect the reputation of a person. Therefore, these should be used sparingly, with due care and caution. At the same time, it has also to be ensured that in deserving cases, they are, in fact, used and that there is no arbitrary selection in their implementation.

*Sd/-*  
(GAUTAM BHATTACHARYA)  
Commissioner (Service Tax)



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A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 33

Dated 31st March, 2008

### Exim Bank's Line of Credit of USD 10.4 million to the Government of Suriname

Export-Import Bank of India (Exim Bank) has concluded an Agreement dated November 21, 2007 with the Government of Suriname, making available to the latter, a Line of Credit (LOC) of USD 10.4 million (USD Ten million four hundred thousand) for financing eligible goods and services including consultancy services from India for the Water Supply Project in Suriname. The goods and services, including consultancy services from India, for exports under this Agreement are those which are eligible for export under the Foreign Trade Policy of the Government of India and whose purchase may be agreed to be financed by the Exim Bank under this Agreement. Out of the total credit by Exim Bank under this Agreement, the goods and services of the value of at least 85 per cent of the contract price shall be supplied by the seller from India, and the remaining goods and services (other than consultancy services) may be procured by the seller for the purpose of Eligible Contract from outside India.

2. The Credit Agreement under the LOC is effective from February 13, 2008 and date of execution of Agreement is November 21, 2007. Under the LOC, the last date for opening of Letters of Credit and Disbursement will be 48 months from the scheduled completion date(s) of contract(s) in case of project exports and 72 months from the execution date of the Credit Agreement in case of supply contracts.

3. Shipments under the LOC will have to be declared on GR/SDF Forms as per instructions issued by Reserve Bank from time to time.

4. No agency commission is payable under the above LOC. However, if required, the exporter may use his own resources or utilize balances of his Exchange Earners' Foreign Currency Account for payment of commission in free foreign exchange. Authorised Dealer Category - I (AD Category - I) banks may allow such remittance after realization of full payment of contract value subject to compliance with the prevailing instructions for payment of agency commission.

5. AD Category - I banks may bring the contents of this Circular to the notice of their exporter constituents and advise them to obtain full details of the Line of Credit from Exim Bank's office at Centre One, Floor 21, World Trade Centre Complex, Cuffe Parade, Mumbai 400 005 or log on to [www.eximbankindia.in](http://www.eximbankindia.in).

6. The directions contained in this Circular have been issued under Sections 10(4) and 11(1) of the Foreign Exchange Management Act (FEMA), 1999 (42 of 1999) and are without prejudice to permissions/approvals, if any, required under any other law.

Sd/-

(SALIM GANGADHARAN)

Chief General Manager-in-Charge

**Reserve Bank of India**  
Foreign Exchange Department  
Central Office, Mumbai 400 001

**RBI/2007-2008/274**

**A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 34**

Dated 3rd April, 2008

### **Overseas Investment by Mutual Funds – Liberalisation**

Attention of Authorised Dealer Category – I (AD Category - I) banks is invited to Regulation 6C and Regulation 26 of Notification No .FEMA 120/RB-2004 dated 7th July, 2004, [Foreign Exchange Management (Transfer or issue of Any Foreign Security) Regulations, 2004] as amended from time to time (the Notification) and A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 97 dated 29th April, 2003, A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 3 dated 26th July 2006, A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 16 dated 11th November, 2006, A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 53 dated 8th May, 2007, A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 72 dated 8th June, 2007 and A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No.12 dated 26th September, 2007 regarding overseas investments by Mutual Funds.

2. With a view to providing greater opportunity for investment overseas, the aggregate ceiling for overseas investment by Mutual Funds registered with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has been enhanced from USD 5 billion to USD 7 billion with immediate effect. The existing facility to allow a limited number of qualified Indian Mutual Funds to invest cumulatively up to USD 1 billion in overseas Exchange Traded Funds, as may be permitted by SEBI, shall continue. The investments would be subject to the terms and conditions and operational guidelines as issued by SEBI.

3. The monthly reporting requirement to the Reserve Bank as stipulated vide A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 3 dated 26th July, 2006 and modified vide A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 72 dated 8th June, 2007 would continue for statistical purposes with appropriate modifications to include the additional categories of investments allowed vide A. P. (DIR Series) Circular No. 12 dated 26th September 2007. AD Category – I banks may note to submit monthly report to Reserve Bank on or before the tenth of the following month. Non-submission of the report would be viewed seriously by the Bank.

4. AD Category – I banks may bring the contents of this Circular to the notice of their constituents and customers concerned.

5. The directions contained in this Circular have been issued under Sections 10(4) and 11(1) of the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 (42 of 1999) and are without prejudice to permissions/approvals, if any, required under any other law.

*Sd/-*  
(SALIM GANGADHARAN)  
Chief General Manager-in-Charge

## Important Notice

**No. 45/17/2000-FT(LAC)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Commerce & Industry  
Department of Commerce  
FT(LAC) Division  
Udyog Bhavan  
New Delhi**

Dated 17th March, 2008

### **Sub : Modification in Article XXI and headings of Annexure “A” and “B”**

India and Chile have agreed to carry out modifications in wording of Article XXI and headings of Annexure ‘A’ and ‘B’ under India-Chile PTA as shown below for smooth implementation of Agreement.

*I. Article XXI should read as follows*

*“The list of items covered under preferential tariff by the Government of Chile is at Annex B and the list of items covered under preferential tariff by the Government of India as at Annex A. Annexes A, B, C, D and E, as well as the footnotes therein are integral parts of this Agreement.”*

*II. “In Annex A, where it states “India’s List of Products for Chile”, it should state “List of India”. In Annex B, where it states “Chile’s List of Products for India”, it should state “List of Chile”.*

The above decision may be circulated amongst your members/exporters for information and guidance.

Sd/-  
(VIJAY KUMAR)  
Director



## Important Notice

### Kolkata Port Trust Traffic Department

No. : Tfc/CPO/Procedure

Date : 27th March, 2008

#### Notice

#### Subject : Extended Permit Period for Drivers and Khalasis of vehicles engaged in Cargo related work

The above notice was issued on 21st February, 2008. Due to certain unavoidable technical reasons its implementation had to be postponed till 24th March vide notice dated 29th February, 2008.

Now, the technical issues have been addressed and the Circular will become effective from 3:00 p.m. of 27th March, 2008. Text of the notice dated 21st February, 2008 is reproduced below.

*“Frequent complaints are being received from Port Users regarding mismatch in validity periods in daily permits issued for vehicles and their drivers/khalasis. Often the vehicles on completion of their operation have to wait for extra periods while the driver and khalasi get their permits revalidated. This results in unnecessary post operation parking of vehicles inside the docks adding to the general congestion.*

*To obviate the problem it has been decided that from 1 March, 2008, drivers and khalasis of vehicles entering docks will be issued permits covering two twelve hour periods so that they do not have to leave the vehicles unattended in order to get permits for the extended period of stay.*

*These permits will be issued through a single document wherein the two twelve hours contiguous periods will be mentioned and will be charged at the rate of Rupees five per twelve hour period plus applicable taxes.”*

Sd/-  
(S. ROY CHOWDHURY)  
Supdt. (P&L)  
for Traffic Manager

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