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REVIEW OF OVERSEAS TRADE

During the month of November 2015, total imports to Barbados were valued at \$256.7 million, whilst total exports from Barbados were valued at \$76.2 million. This resulted in a visible trade deficit of \$180.5 million, as compared with a visible trade deficit of \$153.2 for November 2014.

Imports for November 2015 were \$0.6 million less than imports for November 2014, a decrease of 0.3%. Total exports decreased by \$28 million or 26.8% of the November 2014 figure. Domestic exports decreased by \$17.4 million or 28.2% over November 2014, while the value of re-exports decreased by \$10.5 million or 24.9% over the corresponding period 2014.

For the period January – November 2015, the value of imports to Barbados was \$2.8 billion, whilst the value of total exports was \$864 million representing an accumulated visible trade deficit of \$2 billion as compared to a similar deficit of \$2.3 billion for January – November 2014.

Imports for January – November 2015 were \$301.6 million less than imports for the same period 2014, a decrease of 9.5%. Total exports showed a decrease of some \$0.6 million or 0.1% over the January - November 2014 figure. Domestic exports decreased by \$53.1 million or 10.2% over January – November 2014. The value of re-exports increased by \$52.5 million or 15.3% over the corresponding period 2014.

CARICOM TRADE

During the month of November 2015, total imports from CARICOM countries were valued at \$36.6 million, whilst total exports to CARICOM were valued at \$28.4 million, resulting in a trade deficit of \$8.1 million as compared with a visible trade deficit of \$12.3 million for November 2014.

Total CARICOM imports for November 2015 were \$19.4 million less than CARICOM imports for November 2014, a decrease of 34.7%. Total exports to CARICOM for November 2015 were \$15.2 million less than total exports for November 2014, a decrease of 34.8%. Domestic exports decreased by \$12.5 million or 34.0% over November 2014. The value of re-exports decreased by some \$2.7 million, or 39.4%, over the November 2014 figure.

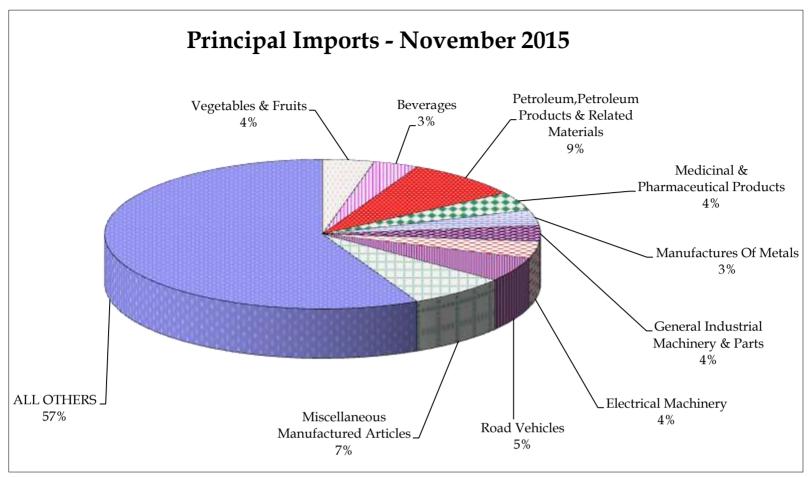
For the period January – November 2015, total imports from CARICOM were valued at \$620.4 million, whilst total exports were \$282.4 million resulting in an accumulated visible trade deficit of \$338 million as compared with a deficit of \$613.9 million for the same period of 2014.

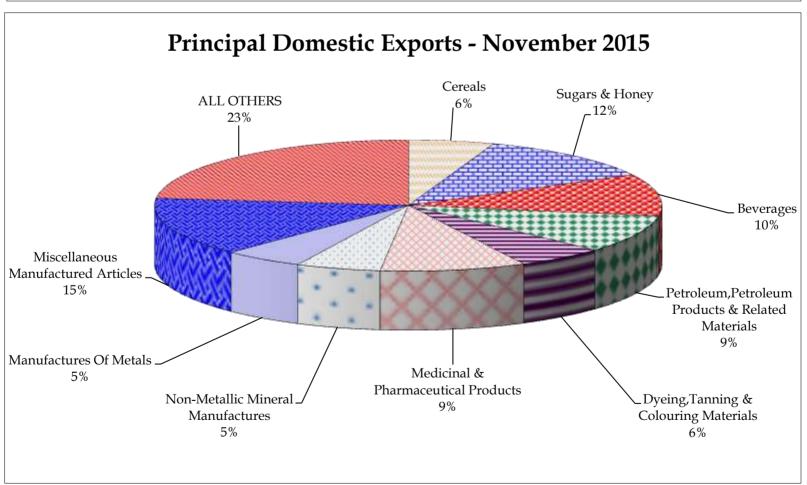
During this period, CARICOM imports were approximately \$304.5 million less than those over the same period in 2014, a decrease of 32.9%. Total exports to CARICOM for January – November 2015 were \$28.6 million less than total exports for the corresponding period 2014, a decrease of 9.2%. Domestic exports decreased by approximately \$28.7 million or 10.8% over the same period 2014. The value of re-exports increased by \$0.1 million or 0.3% over the January – November 2014 figure.

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

TABLE 1

	S.I.T.C	IMPORT	S(c.i.f)			EXPOR	EXPORTS(f.o.b)							
	SECTION		` ,	DOM	ESTIC	RE-EXF		TO	TAL					
		<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>					
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	46,199,750	44,548,701	11,811,499	6,347,142	118,339	165,889	11,929,838	6,513,031					
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	8,715,187	9,046,034	4,602,509	8,859,779	525,619	738,853	5,128,128	9,598,632					
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	4,241,923	3,347,418	336,401	1,879,239	247	380	336,648	1,879,619					
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	23,414,533	48,391,662	4,130,434	12,449,677	10,546,836	23,590,328	14,677,270	36,040,005					
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	1,523,382	1,851,812	281,214	449,605	1,030	292	282,244	449,897					
5	CHEMICALS	30,920,446	25,883,562	8,466,581	9,184,131	3,870,291	5,618,672	12,336,872	14,802,803					
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	40,075,068	28,939,332	5,218,111	7,401,454	463,888	800,267	5,681,999	8,201,721					
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	55,390,068	52,414,285	1,715,461	2,107,534	688,171	505,958	2,403,632	2,613,492					
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	44,973,596	41,729,567	7,305,298	12,564,457	15,555,827	10,874,476	22,861,125	23,438,933					
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	1,286,478	1,236,518	570,073	631,508	550	600	570,623	632,108					
	TOTAL*	256,740,431	257,388,891	44,437,581	61,874,526	31,770,798	42,295,715	76,208,379	104,170,241					

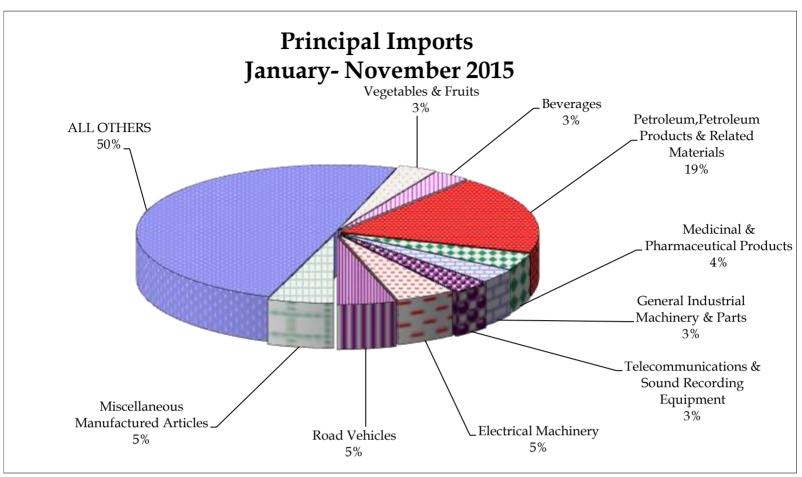




VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

TABLE 2

Г	S.I.T.C	IMPORTS	(c.i.f)	EXPORTS(f.o.b) DOMESTIC RE-EXPORTS TOTAL						
	SECTION		()	DOME	STIC			TC	TAL	
		<u>2015*</u>	2014	<u>2015*</u>	2014	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	2014	
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	493,958,297	499,821,062	71,334,376	86,289,000	1,676,747	1,332,144	73,011,123	87,621,144	
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	95,595,795	85,625,568	82,590,801	86,800,859	9,989,115	7,436,205	92,579,916	94,237,064	
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	59,683,270	67,168,530	9,144,459	12,445,839	161,069	845,075	9,305,528	13,290,914	
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS*	552,320,208	822,072,620	25,843,487	41,966,651	134,406,627	208,269,841	160,250,114	250,236,492	
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	17,133,228	19,287,886	4,031,129	4,174,259	9,382	7,692	4,040,511	4,181,951	
5	CHEMICALS	316,674,583	337,001,646	85,528,098	83,010,510	48,485,812	43,869,897	134,013,910	126,880,407	
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	349,169,139	346,355,017	65,035,329	69,210,884	9,613,374	6,048,767	74,648,703	75,259,651	
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	608,056,255	609,066,955	26,212,167	43,746,025	38,413,814	5,644,116	64,625,981	49,390,141	
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	374,278,965	382,515,066	89,899,367	84,895,112	154,102,623	70,887,694	244,001,990	155,782,806	
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	12,632,808	12,177,475	7,352,857	7,542,816	147,240	118,506	7,500,097	7,661,322	
	TOTAL*	2,879,502,548	3,181,091,825	466,972,070	520,081,955	397,005,803	344,459,937	863,977,873	864,541,892	



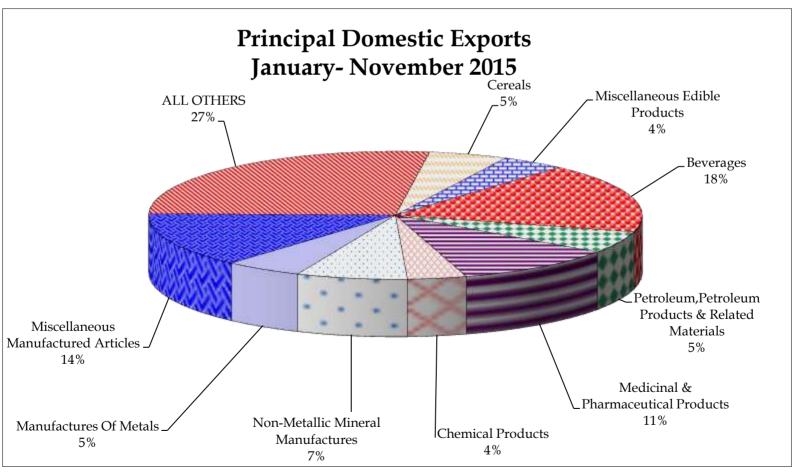


TABLE 3

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY MAJOR COUNTRIES AND GROUP

NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

	IMPORTS	(c.i.f)	EXPORTS (f.o.b) DOMESTIC RE-EXPORTS TOTAL							
COUNTRY			DOMES	DOMESTIC RE-EXPORTS						
	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>		
UNITED KINGDOM	10,874,533	10,181,574	6,123,590	6,744,773	287,885	121,049	6,411,475	6,865,822		
CANADA	6,670,328	5,704,221	833,924	1,400,254	2,342	2,957	836,266	1,403,211		
UNITED STATES	103,870,204	94,709,025	4,152,173	6,683,613	13,795,262	7,082,054	17,947,435	13,765,667		
CARICOM *	36,552,376	55,998,668	24,366,602	36,902,378	4,102,714	6,774,753	28,469,316	43,677,131		
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	6,046,112	7,737,651	9,830,657	9,940,974	2,272,386	3,013,110	12,103,043	12,954,084		
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	13,772	6,206,139	1,097,273	1,663,051	333,329	569,450	1,430,602	2,232,501		
PUERTO RICO	9,820,779	9,814,566	22,061	196,330	3,805	-	25,866	196,330		
VENEZUELA	2,538	15,982	-	2,043	-	-	-	2,043		
JAPAN	4,564,078	4,844,234	2,000	-	-	-	2,000	-		
GERMANY	3,063,427	3,084,132	54,084	7,770	6,087	3,629	60,171	11,399		
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	81,308,165	66,826,816	7,785,874	8,274,314	2,692,538	4,151,793	10,478,412	12,426,107		
STORES/BUNKERS *	-	3,534	-	-	10,546,836	23,590,030	10,546,836	23,590,030		
TOTAL *	256,740,200	257,388,891	44,437,581	61,874,526	31,770,798	42,295,715	76,208,379	104,170,241		

MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

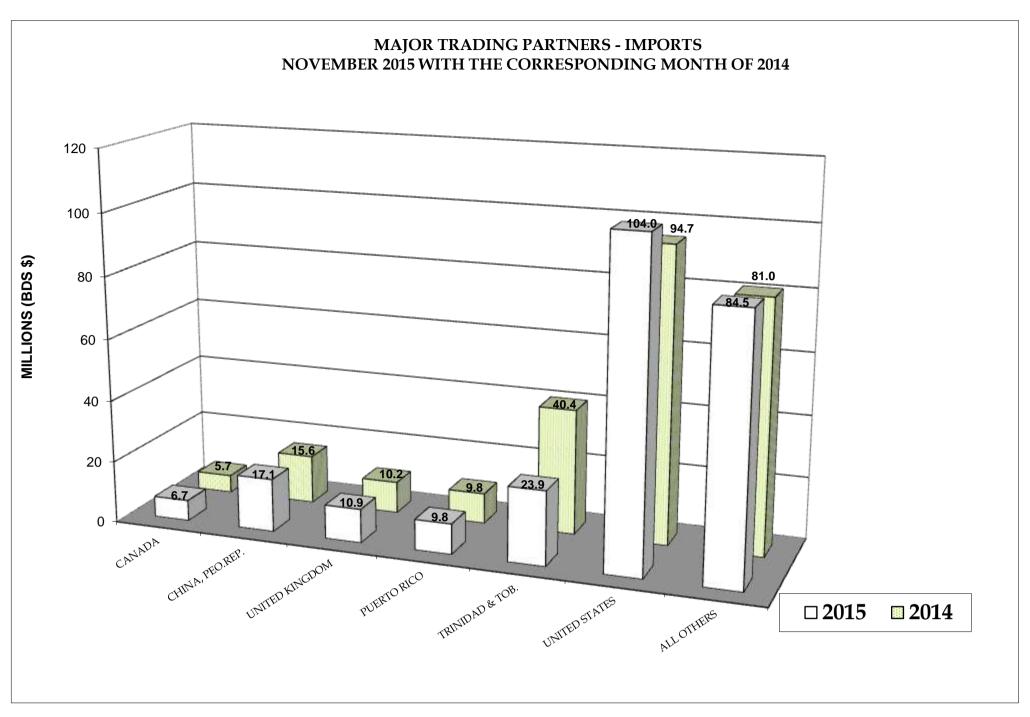
COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	ВГ	PS(\$)
			2015	2014
	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	2,305,784	1,793,019
	098	Edible Products	3,584,691	3,549,942
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	2,582,576	2,857,981
	642	Articles Of Paper	2,351,002	1,387,943
UNITED STATES	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	2,408,011	687,940
	752	Data Processing Machines	2,359,403	2,085,977
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	2,863,542	3,577,726
	821	Furniture And Parts	2,638,399	4,272,103
	893	Articles Of Plastic	2,539,658	2,620,654
	897	Jewellery	2,152,361	973,396
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	735,695	868,530
	098	Edible Products	1,460,847	1,069,691
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	1,458,506	1,581,007
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	9,279,383	25,360,640
TRINIDAD & TOB.	342	Liquified Propane, Butane	1,129,069	-
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	971,577	1,105,819
	642	Articles Of Paper	1,331,131	1,118,228
	676	Iron And Steel Bars, Rods	1,378,387	346,972
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	764,878	-
	893	Articles Of Plastic	748,706	584,506
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	732,148	688,345
	752	Data Processing Machines	1,219,093	1,758,293
	761	Television Receivers	555,948	207,195
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	1,306,897	1,488,320
CHINA, PEO.REP.	821	Furniture And Parts	526,557	600,557
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	693,385	299,139
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	666,968	402,692
	851	Footwear	1,424,897	880,062
	893	Articles Of Plastic	862,068	303,627
	897	Jewellery	1,436,509	1,511,364
	024	Cheese And Curd	338,651	204,534
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	428,081	289,784
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	788,899	962,379
	098	Edible Products	333,723	141,839
UNITED KINGDOM	112	Alcoholic Beverages	834,185	251,500
CIVITED KIIVODOM	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	811,452	552,988
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	261,370	320,225
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	403,860	143,105
	784	Motor Vehicle Parts	250,526	91,997
	892	Printed Matter	300,120	272,991
	081	Feeding Stuff, Animals	326,307	80,327
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	8,590,273	8,554,607
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	101,843	0,334,007
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	141,283	- 161,265
PUERTO RICO	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	30,699	1,704
I OEKTO KICO	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	128,842	49,035
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	40,288	9,639
	642	Articles Of Paper	135,598	224
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	44,356	3,377
	893	Articles Of Plastic	111,965	138,220
	073	THERE OF FROM	111,700	100,440

MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	ВІ	OS(\$)
			2015	2014
	017	Meat Prepared	99,792	-
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	251,002	247,684
	059	Fruit Juices	72,714	-
	091	Margarine And Shortening	906,713	1,174,651
TRINIDAD & TOB.	112	Alcoholic Beverages	204,383	466,832
	333	Petroleum Crude	4,127,861	12,447,979
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	41,592	-
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	266,345	1,155,966
	692	Metal Containers	270,528	812,401
	892	Printed Matter	108,221	97,551
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	11,890	10,390
	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	51,625	8,468
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	5,200,786	-
	098	Edible Products	123,660	1,560
UNITED KINGDOM	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	15,046	-
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	350,399	456,164
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	263,526	365,771
	793	Ships And Boats	13,104	-
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	59,247	-
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	26,097	364,752
	034	Fish Fresh, Chilled, Frozen	57,452	42,135
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	493,365	396,709
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	1,839,571	3,527,996
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	91,083	41,536
UNITED STATES	699	Base Metal Manufactures	60,020	61,566
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	820,275	907,613
	781	Motor Cars	146,420	-
	871	Optical Instruments	52,033	-
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	133,634	486,442
	971	Non-Monetary Gold	133,232	-
	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	202,508	237,422
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	127,606	140,749
	059	Fruit Juices	161,575	89,551
	091	Margarine And Shortening	149,962	100,416
GUYANA	112	Alcoholic Beverages	296,744	126,107
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	240,176	118,117
	661	Lime, Cement	1,459,138	3,039,933
	892	Printed Matter	163,224	99,840
	893	Articles Of Plastic	153,165	256,484
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	95,100	122,600
	047	Other Cereals, Meals, Flours	113,981	83,999
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	348,192	238,581
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	33,224	99,392
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	82,037	298,608
JAMAICA	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	475,244	411,429
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	91,200	204,799
	642	Articles Of Paper	18,000	1,094
	692	Metal Containers	1,252,298	684,980
	892	Printed Matter	841,823	443,485
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	50,400	3,886

MAIN RE- EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

COUNTRY DESCRIPTION SITC GROUP BDS(\$) 2015 2014 553 Perfumery, Cosmetics 596,924 167,471 763 10,756 Sound Recorders 196,560 90,836 764 Telecommunication Equipment 123,542 475,282 831 Travel Goods, Handbags 364,402 **UNITED STATES** 841 442,699 64,795 Male Clothing-Non Knitted 842 Female Clothing Non Knitted 454,142 214,471 Articles Of Apparel 155,632 845 284,866 851 Footwear 1,552,207 196,347 885 Watches And Clocks 4,588,760 3,397,651 897 1,215,976 Jewellery 4,299,252 **SHIPS STORES** 334 Petroleum Products Refined 10,546,836 23,590,030 31,974 14,431 612 Manufactures Of Leather 831 Travel Goods, Handbags 502,467 2,034,685 92,590 842 Female Clothing Non Knitted 189,218 844 Female Clothing Knitted 44,863 23,690 **FRANCE** 845 Articles Of Apparel 46,666 64,253 846 Clothing Accessories 33,664 140,833 848 76,467 241,577 Headgear-Non Textile Clothing 259,598 851 Footwear 331,392 897 59,924 104,779 Jewellery 899 Misc. Manufactured Articles 33,653 26,154 542 729,664 767,193 Medicaments Including Vet. Med. 713 **Internal Combustion Engines** 650 742 Pumps For Liquids 460 778 400 Electrical Machinery & Apparatus 781 244,000 **JAMAICA Motor Cars** 784 Motor Vehicle Parts 7,596 841 Male Clothing-Non Knitted 48,258 51,208 846 6,923 7,872 Clothing Accessories 872 Medical Appliances 39,400 11,841 898 493 **Musical Instruments** 112 Alcoholic Beverages 48,315 7,128 533 18,854 1,754 Pigments, Paints, Varnishes 541 2,894 Medicinal Pharmacy Products 35,145 104,959 542 Medicaments Including Vet. Med. 285,582 2,565 **ST.VINCENT** 553 Perfumery, Cosmetics 17,418 641 Paper And Paper Products 33,325 8,261 Glassware 665 24,576 19,200 24,765 841 Male Clothing-Non Knitted 30,460 20,931 872 Medical Appliances 24,886 Photographic Supplies



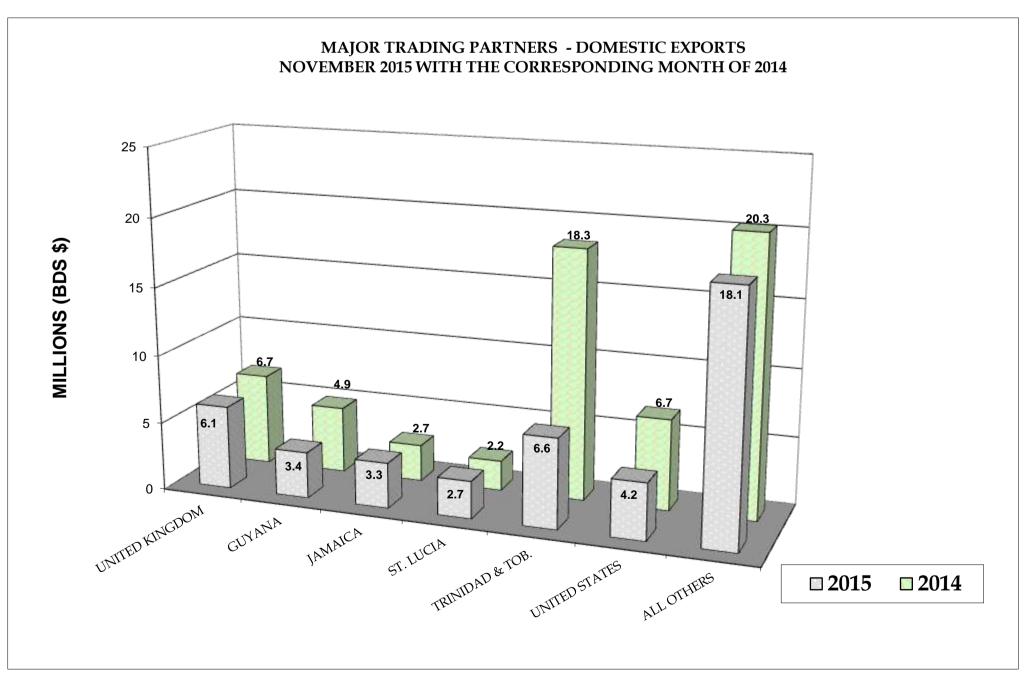
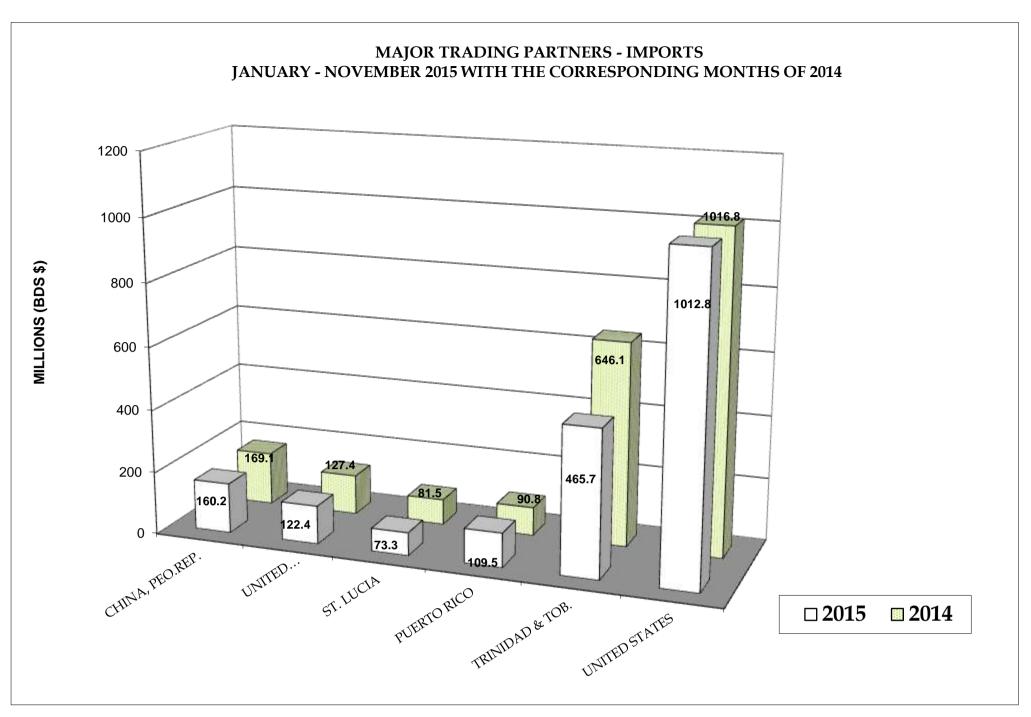
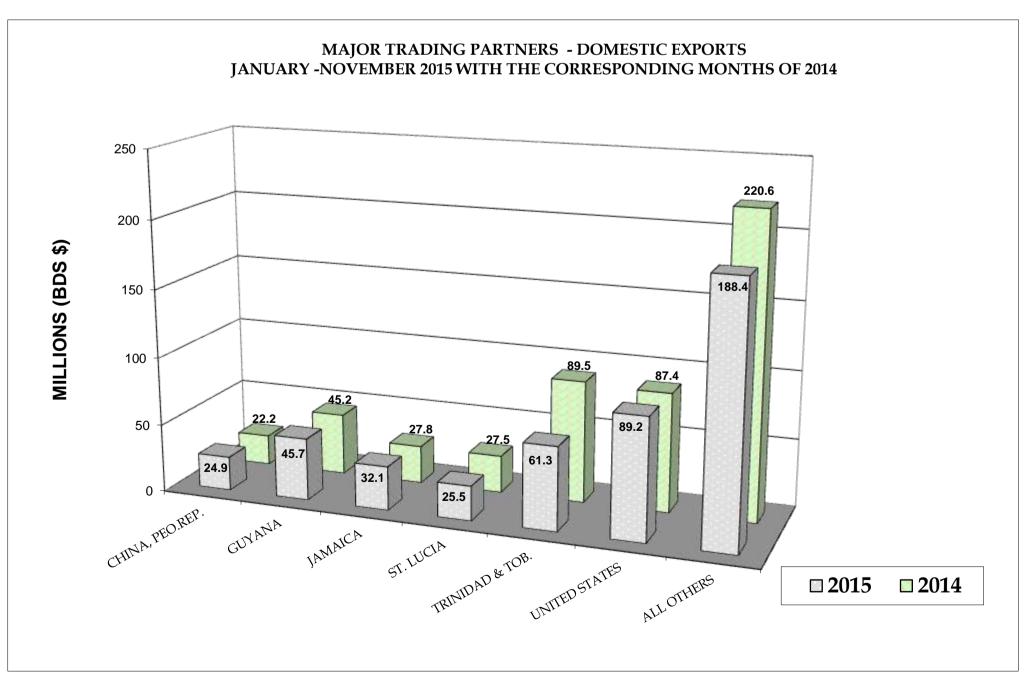


TABLE 4

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY MAJOR COUNTRIES AND GROUP
JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

	IMPORTS	6 (c.i.f)	EXPORTS (f.o.b)							
COUNTRY			DOMES	TIC	RE-EXF	PORTS	TOTAL			
	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>		
UNITED KINGDOM	122,428,763	127,448,763	23,813,673	26,431,158	3,249,114	6,016,696	27,062,787	32,447,854		
CANADA	70,091,476	73,688,573	14,477,586	18,252,057	309,865	2,053,432	14,787,451	20,305,489		
UNITED STATES	1,012,659,557	1,016,784,997	89,148,631	87,395,383	180,822,356	51,736,111	269,970,987	139,131,494		
CARICOM *	620,481,826	924,980,076	237,089,870	265,818,124	45,386,256	45,256,687	282,476,126	311,074,811		
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	93,692,360	100,657,726	89,270,068	95,140,958	25,551,660	24,861,620	114,821,728	120,002,578		
OTHER COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN	17,531,470	6,494,432	12,034,985	12,049,299	6,557,925	6,757,486	18,592,910	18,806,785		
PUERTO RICO	109,521,612	90,811,884	833,303	750,224	711,345	569,112	1,544,648	1,319,336		
VENEZUELA	101,906	107,220	39,031	336,404	223	101,975	39,254	438,379		
JAPAN	60,095,361	59,375,933	16,951	79,694	602,754	40,601	619,705	120,295		
GERMANY	46,825,990	43,298,397	1,879,015	1,887,412	72,335	72,468	1,951,350	1,959,880		
ALL OTHER COUNTRIES	819,752,621	838,054,547	87,639,025	107,062,200	24,907,686	23,591,260	112,546,711	130,653,460		
STORES/BUNKERS *	7,548	4,087	-	-	134,385,944	208,264,109	134,385,944	208,264,109		
TOTAL *	2,879,498,130	3,181,048,909	466,972,070	520,061,955	397,005,803	344,459,937	863,977,873	864,521,892		





VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

TABLE 5

Г	S.I.T.C	IMPOR ⁻	ΓS(c.i.f)			EXPO	RTS(f.o.b)		(BD9 \$)
	SECTION			DOM	ESTIC	RE-EXP	ORTS	TOTA	۱L
		<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	9,565,816	9,900,527	5,603,361	5,539,305	47,344	140,558	5,650,705	5,679,863
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	2,993,308	4,926,260	1,077,132	1,718,233	172,097	228,998	1,249,229	1,947,231
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	791,108	601,800	151,890	159,952	200	71	152,090	160,023
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	13,956,643	32,744,093	4,130,434	12,449,677	-	58	4,130,434	12,449,735
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	23	74	281,214	448,405	88	-	281,302	448,405
5	CHEMICALS	1,959,008	2,871,577	5,207,608	6,996,347	2,537,149	4,607,730	7,744,757	11,604,077
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	4,119,904	2,827,634	4,824,599	6,908,168	302,212	375,534	5,126,811	7,283,702
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	1,181,715	348,697	129,262	276,775	325,611	184,724	454,873	461,499
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	1,974,858	1,744,855	2,751,158	2,222,451	717,463	1,236,480	3,468,621	3,458,931
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	9,993	33,151	209,944	183,065	550	600	210,494	183,665
	TOTAL *	36,552,376	55,998,668	24,366,602	36,902,378	4,102,714	6,774,753	28,469,316	43,677,131

VALUE OF CARICOM IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY SECTION OF THE S.I.T.C JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

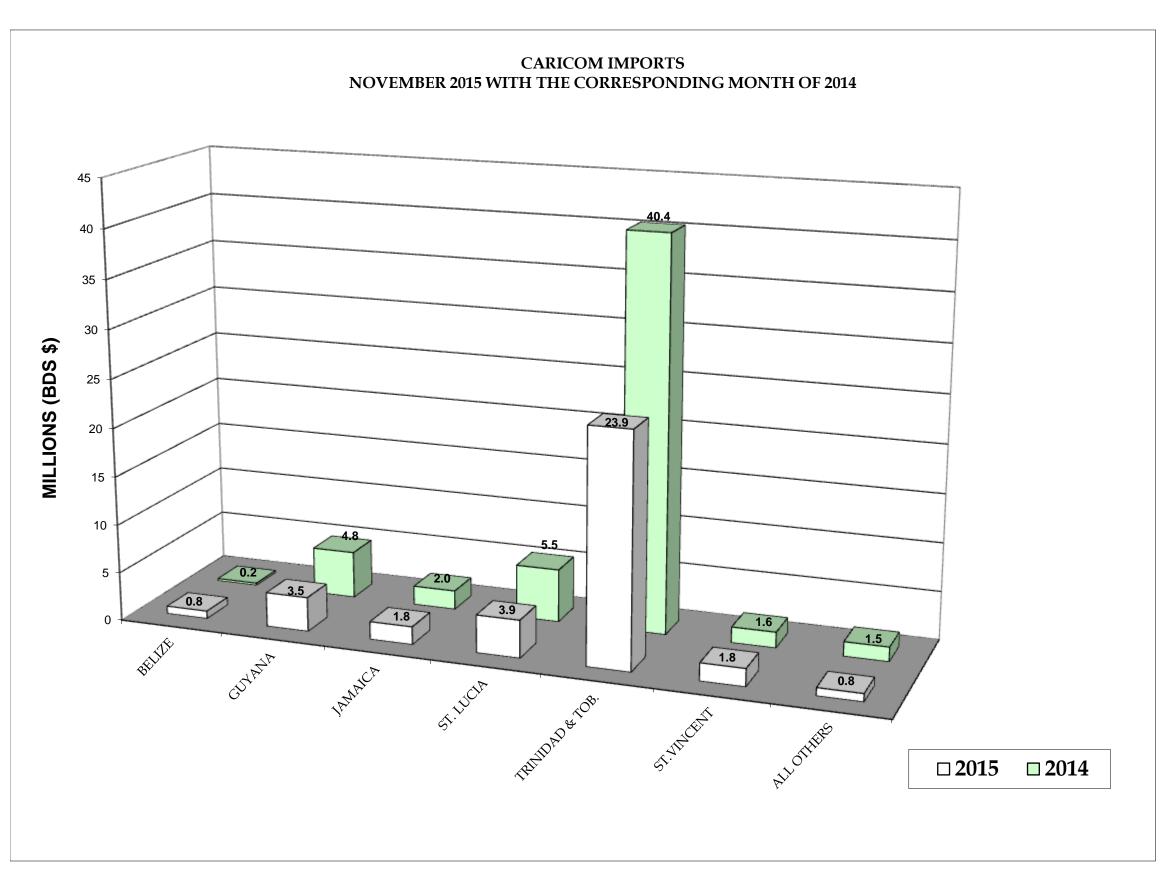
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	S.I.T.C	IMPORT	S(c.i.f)			EXPOR	TS(f.o.b)		
	SECTION			DOMES	TIC	RE-EXPO	RTS	TOTAL	
		<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS	93,659,934	82,783,513	53,750,118	58,495,095	844,129	1,183,892	54,594,247	59,678,987
1	BEVERAGE AND TOBACCO	40,650,557	39,956,900	7,847,441	8,735,873	1,250,631	1,226,190	9,098,072	9,962,063
2	CRUDE MATERIALS INEDIBLE EXCEPT FUELS	7,639,881	6,359,004	1,714,178	3,590,522	38,107	44,266	1,752,285	3,634,788
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS *	405,128,590	719,289,082	25,841,512	41,945,395	13,845	5,374	25,855,357	41,950,769
4	ANIMAL & VEGETABLE OILS & FATS	154,957	216,816	4,017,260	4,168,876	7,638	5,976	4,024,898	4,174,852
5	CHEMICALS	21,908,381	23,010,014	54,051,343	54,528,746	31,896,548	31,772,717	85,947,891	86,301,463
6	MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL	28,936,381	30,632,785	57,570,162	60,521,098	3,215,551	3,222,597	60,785,713	63,743,695
7	MACHINERY & TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT	4,923,477	5,898,370	4,710,026	5,275,581	3,092,396	2,162,932	7,802,422	7,438,513
8	MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES	16,874,085	16,294,528	26,011,327	26,936,883	5,018,741	5,615,693	31,030,068	32,552,576
9	MISCELLANEOUS TRANSACTIONS AND COMMODITIES	605,583	539,064	1,576,503	1,620,055	8,670	17,050	1,585,173	1,637,105
	TOTAL *	620,481,826	924,980,076	237,089,870	265,818,124	45,386,256	45,256,687	282,476,126	311,074,811

TABLE 7

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

	IMPORT	S (c.i.f)	EXPORTS (f.o.b)								
COUNTRY			DOME	STIC	RE-EX	PORTS	TOT	AL			
	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>			
ANTIGUA	45,755	61,991	1,829,667	1,830,192	314,199	303,214	2,143,866	2,133,406			
BELIZE	785,084	223,366	403,786	341,571	39,996	-	443,782	341,571			
DOMINICA	21,850	150,556	939,798	459,744	113,995	411,118	1,053,793	870,862			
GRENADA	200,260	352,662	1,238,402	2,419,320	211,590	352,658	1,449,992	2,771,978			
GUYANA	3,523,506	4,828,951	3,391,061	4,886,343	41,970	36,095	3,433,031	4,922,438			
HAITI	28,716	-	38,928	167,770	7,560	167,166	46,488	334,936			
JAMAICA	1,830,227	1,953,631	3,330,640	2,698,615	1,078,651	855,524	4,409,291	3,554,139			
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	84,189	79,356	1,462,369	1,255,467	352,526	469,616	1,814,895	1,725,083			
ST. LUCIA	3,869,653	5,471,075	2,747,248	2,212,621	580,470	1,113,570	3,327,718	3,326,191			
MONSTERRAT	3,553	-	17,586	69,543	11,870	3,246	29,456	72,789			
SURINAME	430,852	841,411	791,923	538,693	21,221	-	813,144	538,693			
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	23,907,879	40,413,658	6,579,607	18,328,412	640,930	2,702,858	7,220,537	21,031,270			
ST. VINCENT	1,820,852	1,622,011	1,595,587	1,694,087	687,736	359,688	2,283,323	2,053,775			
CARICOM TOTAL *	36,552,376	55,998,668	24,366,602	36,902,378	4,102,714	6,774,753	28,469,316	43,677,131			
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	6,046,112	7,737,651	9,830,657	9,940,974	2,272,386	3,013,110	12,103,043	12,954,084			



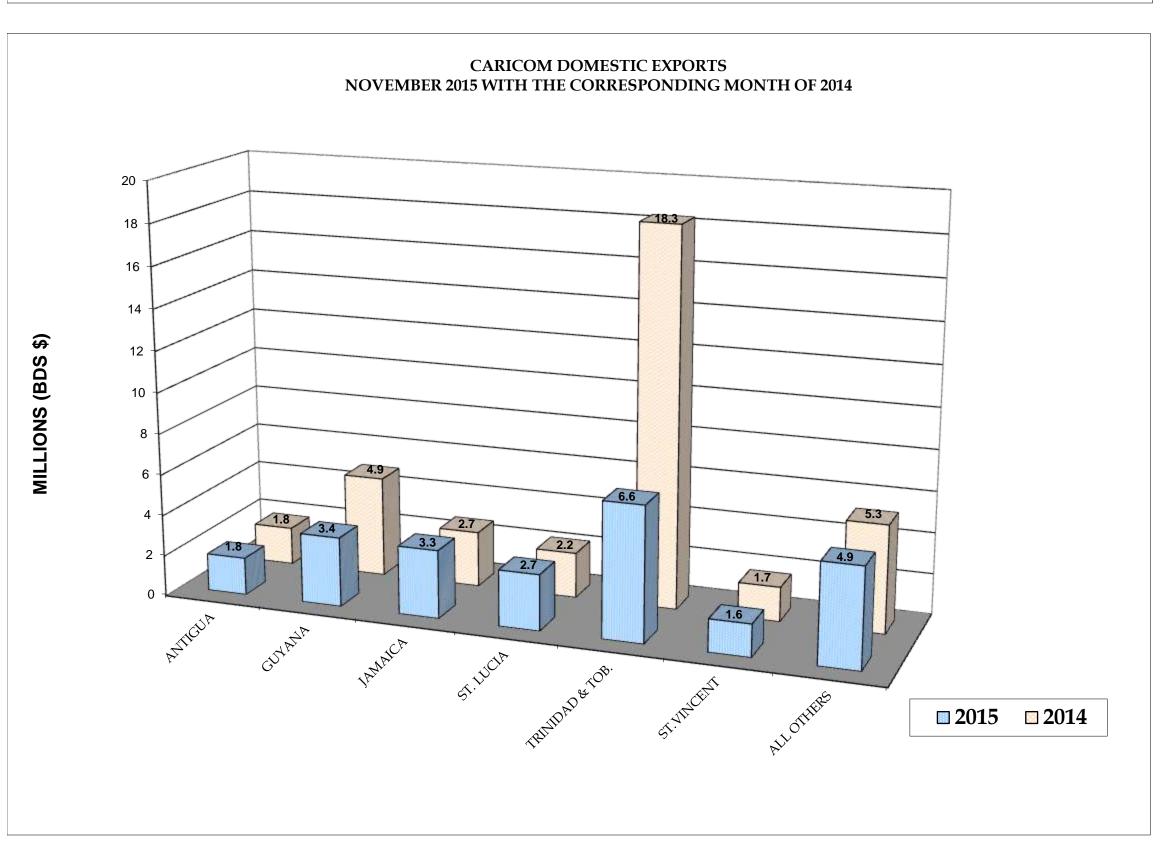
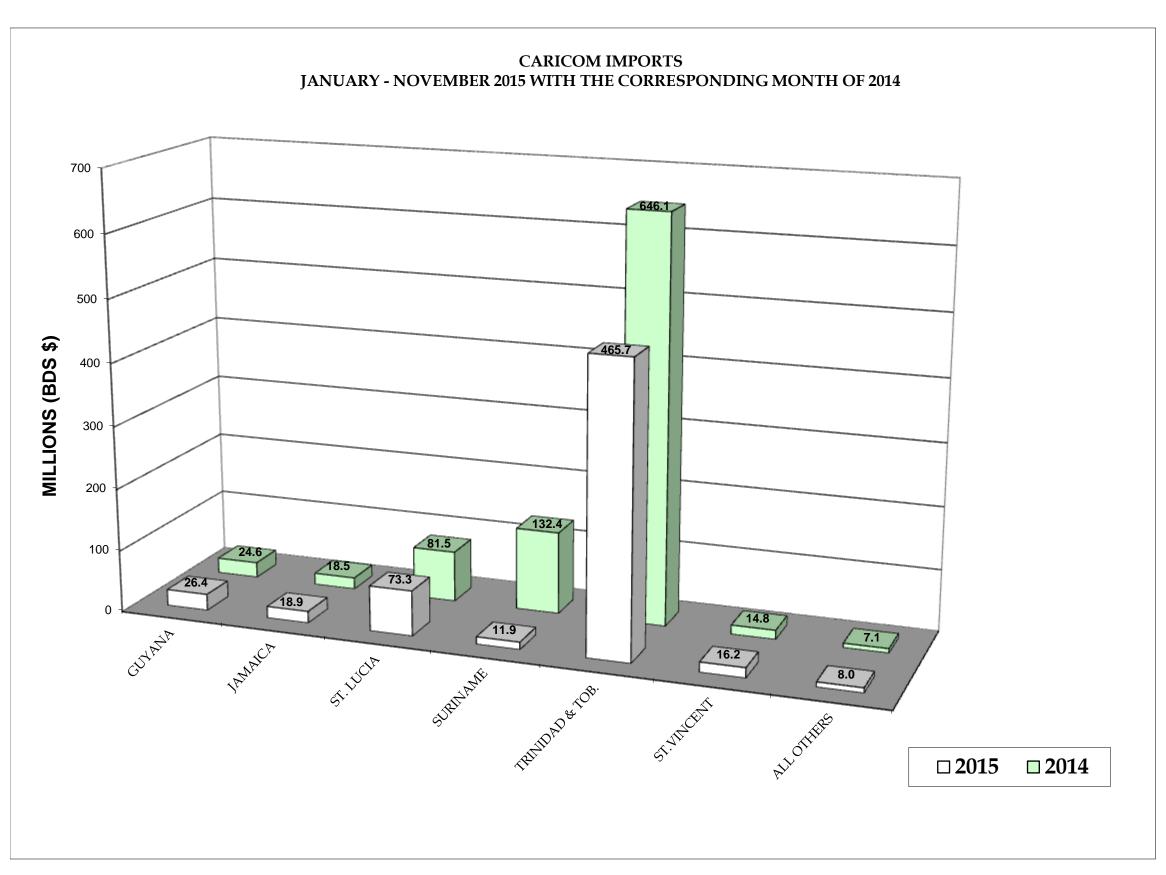
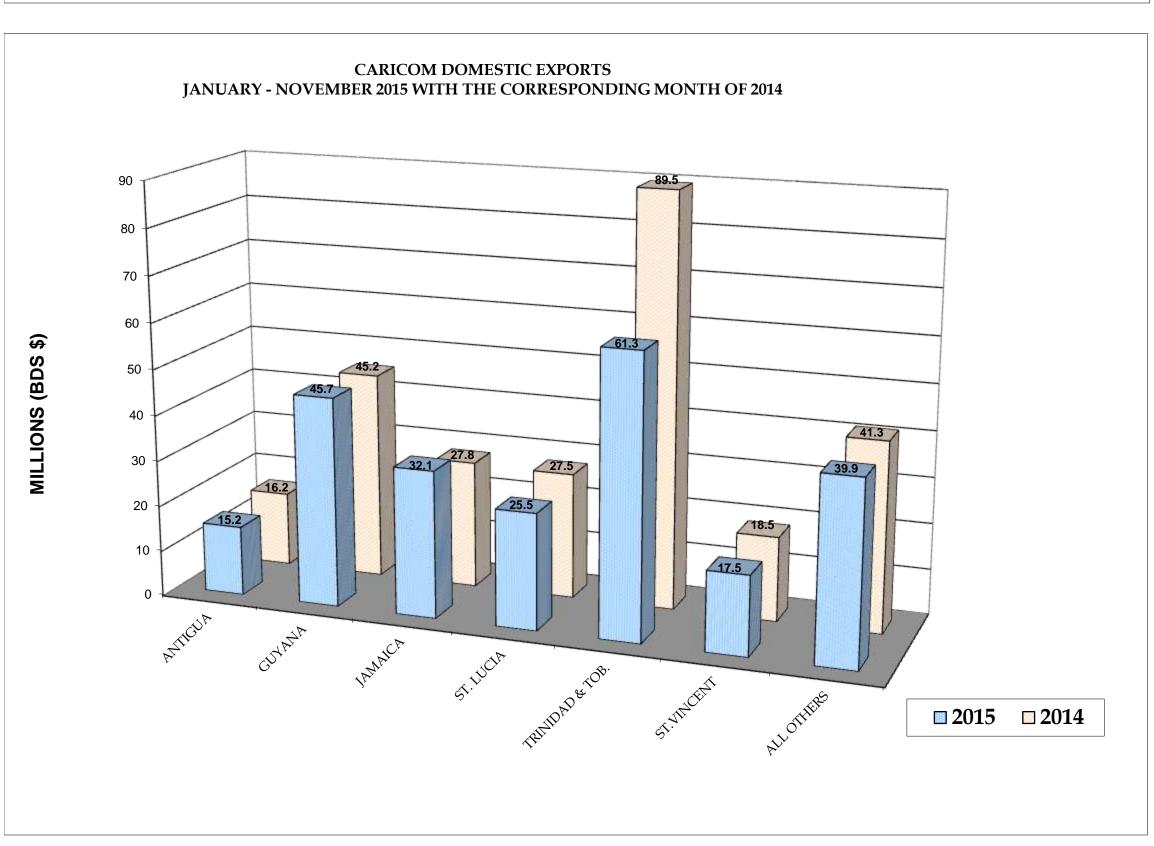


TABLE 8

VALUE OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF CARICOM COUNTRIES JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

	IMPORTS	c.i.f)			EXPORTS (f.o	.b)		
COUNTRY			DOMES	STIC	RE-EXP	ORTS	TOTAL	_
	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015*</u>	<u>2014</u>
ANTIGUA	379,665	262,279	15,156,213	16,181,723	4,432,543	3,119,932	19,588,756	19,301,655
BELIZE	3,462,418	2,580,964	2,757,621	2,357,668	90,316	85,396	2,847,937	2,443,064
DOMINICA	1,543,205	1,874,086	5,915,416	6,103,320	2,271,076	2,655,720	8,186,492	8,759,040
GRENADA	2,134,074	2,063,847	13,674,914	17,222,402	3,547,730	3,523,363	17,222,644	20,745,765
GUYANA	26,438,946	24,560,353	45,651,366	45,182,100	883,137	809,174	46,534,503	45,991,274
HAITI	372,402	140,570	467,312	1,386,153	370,063	417,711	837,375	1,803,864
JAMAICA	18,874,087	18,535,687	32,144,762	27,769,402	7,838,910	7,130,738	39,983,672	34,900,140
ST.KITTS/NEVIS	150,992	164,567	11,171,959	9,347,340	2,887,553	3,461,349	14,059,512	12,808,689
ST. LUCIA	73,274,667	81,493,911	25,456,364	27,458,241	7,056,943	6,939,205	32,513,307	34,397,446
MONSTERRAT	5,558	6,040	401,486	357,516	186,201	67,356	587,687	424,872
SURINAME	11,892,358	132,370,511	5,540,513	4,476,086	96,323	50,599	5,636,836	4,526,685
TRINIDAD & TOBAGO *	465,749,255	646,134,265	61,258,228	89,505,757	10,555,847	11,901,449	71,814,075	101,407,206
ST. VINCENT	16,204,199	14,792,996	17,493,716	18,470,416	5,169,614	5,094,695	22,663,330	23,565,111 I
CARICOM TOTAL *	620,481,826	924,980,076	237,089,870	265,818,124	45,386,256	45,256,687	282,476,126	311,074,811
OF WHICH O.E.C.S	93,692,360	100,657,726	89,270,068	95,140,958	25,551,660	24,861,620	114,821,728	120,002,578





PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BD	S(\$)
			2015	2014
	098	Edible Products	7,581,105	6,471,493
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	4,867,966	3,669,659
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	22,057,853	45,745,483
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	9,696,160	5,984,116
	642	Articles Of Paper	4,891,493	3,579,504
IMPORTS	764	Telecommunication Equipment	5,635,755	5,440,529
	781	Motor Cars	6,967,578	7,141,454
	821	Furniture And Parts	4,673,108	6,608,212
	893	Articles Of Plastic	6,304,251	5,993,506
	897	Jewellery	5,743,915	4,887,582
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,581,371	1,488,803
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	5,200,901	15
	091	Margarine And Shortening	1,846,153	1,815,518
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	4,391,096	8,431,271
DOMESTIC	333	Petroleum Crude	4,127,861	12,447,979
EXPORTS	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	2,493,491	1,925,726
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	4,099,771	3,976,608
	661	Lime, Cement	2,284,014	3,603,371
	892	Printed Matter	2,337,969	2,177,002
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	3,006,651	3,442,625
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	10,546,836	23,590,270
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,760,267	4,960,289
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	658,480	238,314
	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	879,563	2,596,652
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	694,533	286,057
RE-EXPORTS	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	646,012	320,060
	851	Footwear	2,254,949	467,956
	872	Medical Appliances	365,412	823,032
	885	Watches And Clocks	4,943,649	3,515,556
	897	Jewellery	4,493,922	1,399,946

SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

TABLE 9

(BDS \$)

				(BDS \$)	
COMMODITY	SITC CODE				
		<u>2015</u>	%	<u>2014</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	5,200,786	11.7	-	0.0
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	1,846,153	4.2	1,815,518	2.9
RUM	112.441/449	3,482,906	7.8	6,926,276	11.2
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	2,493,491	5.6	1,925,726	3.1
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	4,116,530	9.3	4,100,504	6.6
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	14,944	0.0	8,936	0.0
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	1,475,360	3.3	2,733,849	4.4
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	247,221	0.6	415,037	0.7
CEMENT	661.222	2,277,506	5.1	3,599,501	5.8
METAL CONTAINERS	692	1,528,454	3.4	1,507,311	2.4
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	81,697	0.2	133,129	0.2
CLOTHING	841-848	11,115	0.0	9,753	0.0
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		22,776,163	51.3	23,175,540	37.5
ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS	771.21,776.1-3,81 772.31-33,35,38,41 44-46,49,51-56,59 778.6,72-74,79,849 841,759.95	1,166,276	2.6	1,257,550	2.0
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		20,498,142	46.1	37,446,436	60.5
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		44,440,581	100.0	61,879,526	100.0

NOTE: Electronic Components includes printed circuits for motor vehicles

SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

TABLE 10

(BDS \$)

				(BDS \$)	
COMMODITY	SITO CODE	JANUARY -			
COMMODITY	SITC CODE	<u>2015</u> %		<u>2014</u>	%
SUGAR	061.11	7,202,391	1.5	18,112,818	3.5
MARGARINE AND SHORTENING	091	17,310,262	3.7	18,657,420	3.6
RUM	112.441/449	71,158,682	15.2	73,986,001	14.2
PIGMENTS, PAINTS & VARNISHES	533	13,294,919	2.8	11,261,770	2.2
MEDICAMENTS & PHARMACEUTICALS	541-542	49,380,993	10.6	48,019,250	9.2
SOAPS & CLEANING PREPARATIONS	554	141,209	0.0	785,243	0.2
DISINFECTANTS, INSECTICIDES ETC.	591	17,703,682	3.8	18,961,712	3.6
PAPER, PAPER PRODUCTS AND ARTICLES OF PAPER	641-642	3,499,916	0.7	3,835,399	0.7
CEMENT	661.222	31,456,440	6.7	35,524,336	6.8
METAL CONTAINERS	692	14,246,085	3.1	11,929,334	2.3
FURNITURE AND PARTS	821	523,371	0.1	774,144	0.1
CLOTHING	841-848	282,052	0.1	392,154	0.1
TOTAL SELECTED DOMESTIC EXPORTS LESS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS		226,200,002	48.4	242,239,581	46.6
ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS	771.21,776.1-3,81 772.31-33,35,38,41 44-46,49,51-56,59 778.6,72-74,79,849 841,759.95	15,310,215	3.3	15,088,173	2.9
OTHER DOMESTIC EXPORTS		225,464,853	48.3	262,762,201	50.5
TOTAL DOMESTIC EXPORTS		466,975,070	100.0	520,089,955	100.0

NOTE: Electronic Components includes printed circuits for motor vehicles

MAIN IMPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF 2014

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	ВІ	OS(\$)
			2015	2014
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	19,550,325	18,923,542
	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	18,422,988	18,522,495
UNITED STATES	098	Edible Products	39,374,489	36,725,017
	222	Oil Seeds For Soft Veg. Oil	19,627,533	25,802,036
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	25,977,592	26,735,068
	642	Articles Of Paper	24,142,138	22,829,386
	752	Data Processing Machines	20,335,250	24,464,937
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	26,968,989	32,893,229
	821	Furniture And Parts	25,202,725	24,718,571
	893	Articles Of Plastic	28,543,111	28,627,843
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	11,962,416	11,291,800
	098	Edible Products	10,384,416	10,188,439
	111	Non-Alcoholic Beverages	18,848,224	16,692,471
	122	Tobacco Manufactured	5,771,838	6,490,903
TRINIDAD & TOB.	334	Petroleum Products Refined	327,736,552	500,691,651
	342	Liquified Propane, Butane	7,202,807	-
	344	Petrol Gases	4,757,663	15,072,362
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	9,053,850	9,583,882
	642	Articles Of Paper	11,194,206	11,756,266
	676	Iron And Steel Bars, Rods	5,097,026	5,595,062
	625	Rubber Tyres, Cases	6,077,759	5,929,297
	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	4,644,520	4,762,693
	752	Data Processing Machines	11,075,718	11,415,734
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	18,569,054	29,233,375
CHINA, PEO.REP.	775	Household Type Equipment	4,635,046	3,797,968
	821	Furniture And Parts	3,998,068	4,748,739
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	4,768,038	3,624,975
	851	Footwear	9,270,056	8,964,726
	893	Articles Of Plastic	6,638,696	6,699,537
	897	Jewellery	6,531,164	7,861,713
	024	Cheese And Curd	4,262,885	2,870,692
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	4,516,222	4,613,375
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	6,401,364	7,841,644
	098	Edible Products	3,986,296	4,497,201
UNITED KINGDOM	112	Alcoholic Beverages	5,840,238	4,472,918
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	7,851,607	7,376,880
	699	Base Metal Manufactures	3,083,444	2,601,393
	781	Motor Cars	6,096,841	6,032,541
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	4,349,759	9,298,584
	892	Printed Matter	7,899,643	6,762,416
	081	Feeding Stuff, Animals	2,016,766	920,331
	098	Edible Products	297,079	174,060
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	96,705,622	78,876,054
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	1,030,174	460,494
PUERTO RICO	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,923,858	1,863,772
	554	Soaps, Cleaning Prep.	467,368	315,761
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	777,717	1,385,743
	598	Misc. Chemical Products	448,707	558,064
	642	Articles Of Paper	397,448	155,240
	893	Articles Of Plastic	1,703,892	2,406,718

MAIN DOMESTIC EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	ВІ	OS(\$)
			2015	2014
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	2,567,188	4,998,158
TRINIDAD & TOB.	059	Fruit Juices	808,031	677,781
	091	Margarine And Shortening	7,508,747	8,467,688
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	1,054,082	1,670,493
	333	Petroleum Crude	25,817,480	41,923,820
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	4,514,889	6,264,497
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	1,108,594	976,475
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	6,016,843	7,074,885
	692	Metal Containers	5,066,525	6,766,574
	892	Printed Matter	1,235,589	2,210,967
	057	Fruits And Nuts Fresh/Dry	355,512	274,850
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	5,900,999	5,828,791
	098	Edible Products	529,610	309,841
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	4,181,949	4,707,382
UNITED KINGDOM	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	358,994	111,030
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	3,636,877	4,062,670
	792	Aircraft; Spacecraft	1,500,485	1,028,333
	874	Measuring Checking Instruments	3,577,298	5,395,258
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	368,386	1,471,593
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	1,342,150	999,750
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	5,341,932	5,445,721
	061	Sugar, Molasses, Honey	1,307,674	6,694,776
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	38,173,418	39,557,820
	289	Ores Of Precious Metal	3,023,450	3,451,240
UNITED STATES	658	Made-Up Textile Articles	1,466,537	1,271,722
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	11,072,862	10,286,428
	873	Meters And Counters	11,870,073	226,269
	897	Jewellery	4,237,687	1,636,079
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	2,609,405	4,995,788
	931	Special Transactions And Commodities	1,436,421	3,259,117
	046	Meals Flour, Wheat, Meslin	2,641,017	2,330,455
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	1,367,989	2,049,369
	059	Fruit Juices	806,271	703,225
	091	Margarine And Shortening	1,205,260	963,757
GUYANA	112	Alcoholic Beverages	835,232	488,507
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	2,042,769	1,648,653
	642	Articles Of Paper	965,801	852,620
	661	Lime, Cement	28,054,838	27,868,894
	892	Printed Matter	2,117,947	2,172,456
	893	Articles Of Plastic	1,717,593	1,908,488
	017	Meat Prepared	751,620	951,215
JAMAICA	047	Other Cereals, Meals, Flours	884,420	736,255
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	3,003,876	3,075,542
	091	Margarine And Shortening	895,223	1,001,580
	533	Pigments, Paints, Varnishes	1,139,831	991,091
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	7,652,427	6,766,055
	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	1,079,245	1,261,034
	692	Metal Containers	8,790,555	4,499,689
	813	Light Fixtures, Fittings	651,687	59,568
	892	Printed Matter	5,666,911	5,618,962

MAIN RE- EXPORTS OF THE MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

COUNTRY	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	I	BDS(\$)	
			2015	2014	
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	6,838,038	2,398,761	
	763	Sound Recorders	8,836,706	17,700	
	778	Electrical Machinery & Apparatus	2,868,742	110,955	
	781	Motor Cars	12,974,912	50,000	
UNITED STATES	784	Motor Vehicle Parts	2,839,117	74	
	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	3,220,010	1,003,435	
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	2,763,801	1,134,920	
	851	Footwear	10,087,023	1,257,485	
	885	Watches And Clocks	49,206,625	17,162,116	
	897	Jewellery	53,352,200	15,391,121	
SHIPS STORES	334	Petroleum Products Refined	134,385,944	208,264,109	
	831	Travel Goods, Handbags	4,457,842	5,868,102	
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	211,601	247,085	
	842	Female Clothing Non Knitted	1,002,332	717,218	
	844	Female Clothing Knitted	192,455	59,217	
FRANCE	845	Articles Of Apparel	232,975	293,376	
	846	Clothing Accessories	272,367	371,383	
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	585,135	475,297	
	851	Footwear	1,028,609	1,109,410	
	884	Optical Cord	220,630	335,872	
	897	Jewellery	476,985	285,810	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	6,534,077	6,053,135	
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	50,172	38,178	
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	75,030	71,030	
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	41,143	19,493	
	781	Motor Cars	662,468	160,792	
JAMAICA	782	Goods And Special Purpose M.V.	20,114	-	
	784	Motor Vehicle Parts	20,399	195	
	841	Male Clothing-Non Knitted	53,995	230,150	
	846	Clothing Accessories	8,779	10,385	
	872	Medical Appliances	322,675	168,097	
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	318,425	138,504	
	541	Medicinal Pharmacy Products	231,177	3 7 5 ,4 5 7	
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	2,230,521	2,141,154	
	641	Paper And Paper Products	114,423	43,254	
ST.VINCENT	665	Glassware	252,623	232,245	
	723	Contractors Plant Equipment	297,399	92,049	
	781	Motor Cars	179,000	-	
	782	Goods And Special Purpose M.V.	140,061	276,501	
	848	Headgear-Non Textile Clothing	174,641	225,502	
	872	Medical Appliances	104,823	125,356	

PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES TRADED WITH CARICOM JANUARY - NOVEMBER 2015 WITH THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF 2014

	SITC GROUP	DESCRIPTION	BDS(\$)	
			2015	2014
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	42,404,279	39,452,084
	098	Edible Products	79,101,483	77,438,922
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	49,447,655	42,112,555
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	532,141,634	792,623,257
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	106,497,473	123,886,579
IMPORTS	642	Articles Of Paper	47,842,691	46,503,224
	764	Telecommunication Equipment	69,584,788	77,152,263
	781	Motor Cars	75,439,019	74,628,515
	821	Furniture And Parts	42,687,193	44,666,661
	893	Articles Of Plastic	61,907,249	65,825,152
	048	Cereal, Flour, Starch	16,583,043	22,819,129
	091	Margarine And Shortening	17,310,262	18,657,420
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	80,124,233	83,233,460
	333	Petroleum Crude	25,817,480	41,923,820
DOMESTIC	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	49,219,910	47,272,781
EXPORTS	591	Disinfectants, Insecticides	17,703,682	18,961,712
	661	Lime, Cement	31,810,755	35,657,930
	772	Electric Switches Fuses	15,275,445	14,985,867
	892	Printed Matter	22,497,146	26,209,856
	899	Misc. Manufactured Articles	31,179,797	33,952,645
	112	Alcoholic Beverages	5,477,360	4,261,781
	334	Petroleum Products Refined	134,395,416	208,268,959
	542	Medicaments Including Vet. Med.	36,958,733	36,110,063
	553	Perfumery, Cosmetics	7,298,907	2,980,725
	763	Sound Recorders	8,837,457	17,700
RE-EXPORTS	781	Motor Cars	14,472,002	1,777,062
	831	Travel Goods,Handbags	9,671,796	7,178,485
	851	Footwear	13,328,221	2,571,153
	885	Watches And Clocks	50,910,414	20,302,833
	897	Jewellery	54,874,215	18,988,076