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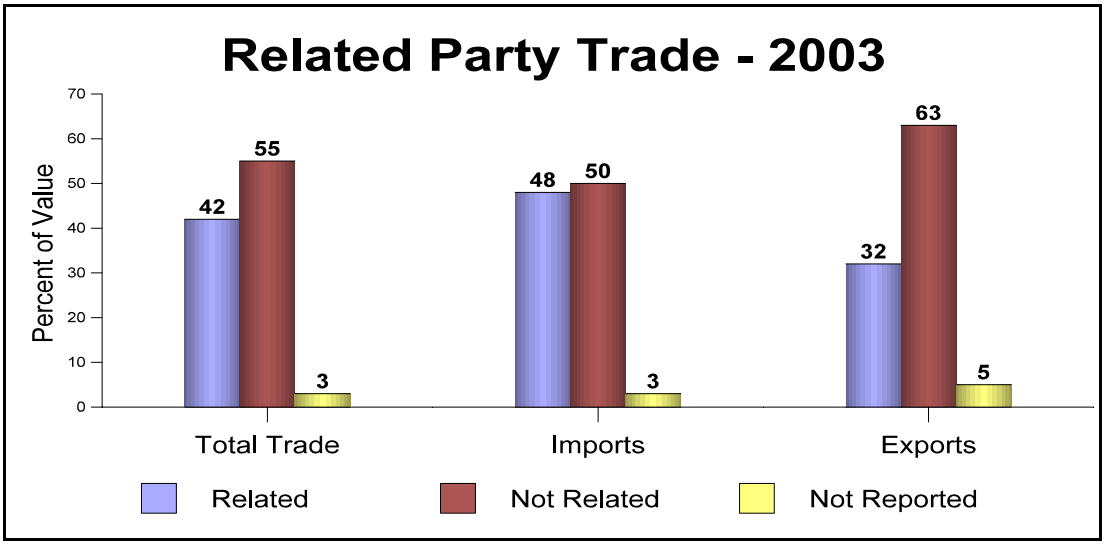
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U.S. GOODS TRADE: Imports & Exports by Related Parties; 2003

The U.S. Census Bureau, U.S. Department of Commerce, announced today that in 2003 related party trade accounted for $827 billion or 42 percent of total goods trade. Related party trade accounted for $594 billion or 48 percent of the total imports, and $233 billion or 32 percent of the total exports. These percentages are the same as those reported for 2002. *"Related party trade"* includes trade by U.S. companies with their subsidiaries abroad as well as trade by U.S. subsidiaries of foreign companies with their parent companies.



The ratio of goods trade by related parties varies markedly among our major trading partners. In 2003, it ranged from highs of 79 percent for imports from Japan and 43 percent for exports to Canada to lows of 9 and 11 percent for import and export trade with Colombia, respectively. The related party share of trade with most of our major trading partners remained similar to that reported for 2002. The largest increases include United Kingdom, France, and Argentina on the import side; and China and France on the export side. The largest increase for a country grouping, almost 2 percentage points, occurred with imports from Newly Industrialized Countries (NICS).

Exhibits 1 and 2 provide a country by country overview of related party trade for imports and exports. Exhibits 3, 4, 5, and 6 provide commodity information in terms of the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), thereby providing a link to domestic production data. Related party trade is concentrated in a few 3-digit NAICS codes. In 2003, the top five 3-digit NAICS codes (by value) accounted for approximately 74 percent of total related party imports and 65 percent of the total related party exports. NAICS 336 (Transportation equipment) and NAICS 334 (Computer and electronic products) remained numbers one and two, respectively, for both directions of trade. (Refer to Exhibits 3 and 5.) Users should note that the trade data are product, not industry based, and that the trade data do not always correspond completely to the NAICS categories.

Exhibit 1. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Imports for Consumption (1) for Selected World Areas and Countries: 2003

In millions of dollars.

NOTE: This exhibit is compiled from detailed merchandise trade data. For information on nonsampling errors and other data limitations refer to the Technical Documentation.

Selected World Areas/Countries (2)	Total Imports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported (3)	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
TOTAL (4)	**1,250,097**	**100.0**	**593,833**	**47.5**	**621,515**	**49.7**	**34,749**	**2.8**
North America	**361,215**	**28.9**	**184,998**	**51.2**	**151,001**	**41.8**	**25,216**	**7.0**
Canada	224,016	17.9	96,969	43.3	103,462	46.2	23,585	10.5
Mexico	137,199	11.0	88,029	64.2	47,539	34.6	1,631	1.2
Western Europe	**263,313**	**21.1**	**151,251**	**57.4**	**107,800**	**40.9**	**4,262**	**1.6**
European Union (EU)	242,210	19.4	142,150	58.7	96,026	39.6	4,034	1.7
France	28,896	2.3	13,600	47.1	14,839	51.4	458	1.6
Germany	66,532	5.3	44,279	66.6	20,902	31.4	1,351	2.0
Netherlands	10,973	0.9	6,327	57.7	4,434	40.4	212	1.9
United Kingdom	42,455	3.4	24,701	58.2	16,896	39.8	859	2.0
Other European Union	93,354	7.5	53,244	57.0	38,956	41.7	1,155	1.2
Eastern Europe	**18,122**	**1.4**	**6,236**	**34.4**	**11,748**	**64.8**	**138**	**0.8**
Pacific Rim	**417,005**	**33.4**	**197,546**	**47.4**	**215,472**	**51.7**	**3,988**	**1.0**
China	151,620	12.1	34,839	23.0	115,513	76.2	1,269	0.8
Japan	118,485	9.5	93,716	79.1	23,212	19.6	1,557	1.3
NICs	91,481	7.3	40,398	44.2	50,313	55.0	770	0.8
Hong Kong	8,770	0.7	1,177	13.4	7,503	85.5	91	1.0
Korea	36,930	3.0	21,612	58.5	15,139	41.0	179	0.5
Singapore	14,291	1.1	10,658	74.6	3,523	24.7	110	0.8
Taiwan	31,490	2.5	6,952	22.1	24,148	76.7	390	1.2
Other Pacific Rim	55,419	4.4	28,593	51.6	26,434	47.7	392	0.7
South/Central America	**78,096**	**6.2**	**24,214**	**31.0**	**53,254**	**68.2**	**628**	**0.8**
Argentina	3,095	0.2	827	26.7	2,256	72.9	12	0.4
Brazil	17,717	1.4	6,378	36.0	11,287	63.7	51	0.3
Chile	3,979	0.3	779	19.6	3,183	80.0	17	0.4
Colombia	6,346	0.5	581	9.2	5,480	86.3	285	4.5
Other South/Central America	46,959	3.8	15,649	33.3	31,048	66.1	263	0.6
OPEC	**65,300**	**5.2**	**23,339**	**35.7**	**41,733**	**63.9**	**228**	**0.3**
Other countries	**112,346**	**9.0**	**29,588**	**26.3**	**82,240**	**73.2**	**518**	**0.5**

(1) For definition, see Technical Documentation.
(2) World areas do not sum to total. Venezuela is included in both OPEC and South/Central America, and Indonesia is included in both Pacific Rim and OPEC.
(3) Related party indicator was missing from import documentation.
(4) Total values are the summation of statistical month values and do not include annual revisions or adjustments for late receipts.

Exhibit 2. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Domestic Exports(1) by Selected World Areas and Countries: 2003

In millions of dollars.

NOTE: This exhibit is compiled from detailed merchandise trade data. For information on nonsampling errors and other data limitations refer to the Technical Documentation.

Selected World Areas/Countries (2)	Total Exports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported (3)	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
TOTAL (4)	**723,743**	**100.0**	**232,784**	**32.2**	**458,715**	**63.4**	**32,244**	**4.5**
Domestic Exports (1)	651,424	90.0	204,543	31.4	415,136	63.7	31,745	4.9
North America	**231,857**	**32.0**	**98,507**	**42.5**	**116,028**	**50.0**	**17,322**	**7.5**
Canada	148,749	20.6	64,641	43.5	72,755	48.9	11,352	7.6
Mexico	83,108	11.5	33,865	40.7	43,272	52.1	5,970	7.2
Western Europe	**150,972**	**20.9**	**45,228**	**30.0**	**100,406**	**66.5**	**5,338**	**3.5**
European Union (EU)	138,138	19.1	43,062	31.2	90,315	65.4	4,761	3.4
France	15,683	2.2	5,157	32.9	9,982	63.7	543	3.5
Germany	26,806	3.7	9,654	36.0	16,291	60.8	862	3.2
Netherlands	19,207	2.7	7,305	38.0	11,537	60.1	364	1.9
United Kingdom	30,556	4.2	8,207	26.9	21,271	69.6	1,078	3.5
Other European Union	45,887	6.3	12,738	27.8	31,234	68.1	1,915	4.2
Eastern Europe	**6,683**	**0.9**	**844**	**12.6**	**5,624**	**84.2**	**215**	**3.2**
Pacific Rim	**174,155**	**24.1**	**45,005**	**25.8**	**125,030**	**71.8**	**4,120**	**2.4**
China	26,707	3.7	3,953	14.8	22,434	84.0	320	1.2
Japan	48,862	6.8	16,518	33.8	31,446	64.4	898	1.8
NICs	64,067	8.9	12,190	19.0	50,248	78.4	1,629	2.5
Hong Kong	10,542	1.5	1,533	14.5	8,699	82.5	310	2.9
Korea	22,525	3.1	3,185	14.1	18,828	83.6	511	2.3
Singapore	14,889	2.1	4,463	30.0	10,025	67.3	401	2.7
Taiwan	16,111	2.2	3,009	18.7	12,695	78.8	407	2.5
Other Pacific Rim	34,519	4.8	12,343	35.8	20,903	60.6	1,274	3.7
South/Central America	**48,128**	**6.6**	**8,155**	**16.9**	**36,604**	**76.1**	**3,369**	**7.0**
Argentina	2,232	0.3	486	21.8	1,629	73.0	118	5.3
Brazil	9,948	1.4	2,110	21.2	7,419	74.6	419	4.2
Chile	2,443	0.3	329	13.5	1,991	81.5	123	5.0
Colombia	3,496	0.5	413	11.8	2,856	81.7	227	6.5
Other South/Central America	30,009	4.1	4,817	16.1	22,708	75.7	2,483	8.3
OPEC	**16,308**	**2.3**	**2,024**	**12.4**	**13,825**	**84.8**	**458**	**2.8**
Other countries	**39,629**	**5.5**	**6,804**	**17.2**	**31,444**	**79.3**	**1,380**	**3.5**
Reexports (1)	72,319	10.0	28,241	39.1	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)

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(3) Related party indicator was missing from export documentation.
(4) Total values are the summation of statistical month values and do not include annual revisions or adjustments for late receipts.

Exhibit 3. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Imports for Consumption(1) by Three-digit NAICS Code: 2003

In millions of dollars. (Z) less than 0.1 percent. (-) Represents zero.

NOTE: This exhibit is compiled from detailed merchandise trade data. For information on nonsampling errors and other data limitations refer to the Technical Documentation.

Commodity and Description (2)	Total Imports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
Total (3)	**1,250,097**	**100.0**	**593,833**	**47.5**	**621,515**	**49.7**	**34,749**	**2.8**
111 Agricultural Products	13,035	1.0	2,592	19.9	10,440	80.1	3	(Z)
112 Livestock & Livestock Products	2,782	0.2	323	11.6	2,455	88.3	4	0.1
113 Forestry Products, Nesoi	1,612	0.1	609	37.8	1,002	62.2	(Z)	(Z)
114 Fish, Fresh/Chilled/Frozen & Other Marine Products	8,768	0.7	611	7.0	8,156	93.0	1	(Z)
211 Oil & Gas	101,800	8.1	17,926	17.6	65,488	64.3	18,387	18.1
212 Minerals & Ores	3,862	0.3	1,385	35.9	2,475	64.1	1	(Z)
311 Food & Kindred Products	23,769	1.9	7,044	29.6	16,717	70.3	9	(Z)
312 Beverages & Tobacco Products	10,925	0.9	2,799	25.6	8,005	73.3	122	1.1
313 Textiles & Fabrics	6,791	0.5	1,215	17.9	5,571	82.0	5	0.1
314 Textile Mill Products	9,857	0.8	1,241	12.6	8,606	87.3	10	0.1
315 Apparel & Accessories	66,499	5.3	10,813	16.3	55,682	83.7	4	(Z)
316 Leather & Allied Products	22,627	1.8	2,342	10.4	20,282	89.6	2	(Z)
321 Wood Products	16,581	1.3	2,955	17.8	13,612	82.1	15	0.1
322 Paper	18,414	1.5	9,154	49.7	9,260	50.3	(Z)	(Z)
323 Printed Matter And Related Products, Nesoi	4,699	0.4	727	15.5	3,964	84.4	8	0.2
324 Petroleum & Coal Products	39,161	3.1	16,997	43.4	22,134	56.5	30	0.1
325 Chemicals	102,078	8.2	66,835	65.5	35,232	34.5	11	(Z)
326 Plastics & Rubber Products	20,504	1.6	8,414	41.0	12,085	58.9	4	(Z)
327 Nonmetallic Mineral Products	14,428	1.2	4,044	28.0	10,377	71.9	7	(Z)
331 Primary Metal Mfg	34,065	2.7	13,170	38.7	20,894	61.3	1	(Z)
332 Fabricated Metal Products, Nesoi	30,068	2.4	10,579	35.2	19,433	64.6	56	0.2
333 Machinery, Except Electrical	77,344	6.2	40,959	53.0	36,226	46.8	159	0.2
334 Computer & Electronic Products	212,201	17.0	143,692	67.7	68,454	32.3	54	(Z)
335 Electrical Equipment, Appliances & Components	41,914	3.4	19,732	47.1	22,163	52.9	19	(Z)
336 Transportation Equipment	223,304	17.9	170,822	76.5	52,258	23.4	224	0.1
337 Furniture & Fixtures	19,636	1.6	3,317	16.9	16,307	83.0	12	0.1
339 Miscellaneous Manufactured Commodities	65,367	5.2	17,720	27.1	47,628	72.9	20	(Z)
511 Newspapers, Books & Other Published Matter, Nesoi	117	(Z)	49	42.3	67	57.5	(Z)	0.2
910 Waste And Scrap	1,810	0.1	389	21.5	1,420	78.4	1	(Z)
920 Used Or Second-Hand Merchandise	4,752	0.4	609	12.8	4,142	87.2	1	(Z)
980 Goods Ret To Ca (Exp); Us Goods Ret & Reimps (Imp)	33,605	2.7	14,042	41.8	19,515	58.1	48	0.1
990 Special Classification Provisions, NESOI	17,722	1.4	725	4.1	1,464	8.3	15,533	87.6

(1) For definition, see Technical Documentation.
(2) Sorted by NAICS code.
(3) Total values shown are the summation of statistical month values and do not include annual revisions or adjustments for late receipts.

Exhibit 4. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Imports for Consumption (1) for Selected Four-digit NAICS Codes (2): 2003

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Commodity and Description (3)	Total Imports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
Total (4)	**1,250,097**	**100.0**	**593,833**	**47.5**	**621,515**	**49.7**	**34,749**	**2.8**
1112 Vegetables & Melons	3,226	0.3	668	20.7	2,558	79.3	(Z)	(Z)
1113 Fruits & Tree Nuts	6,334	0.5	1,390	21.9	4,944	78.0	1	(Z)
2111 Oil & Gas	101,800	8.1	17,926	17.6	65,488	64.3	18,387	18.1
3112 Grain & Oilseed Milling Products	2,688	0.2	718	26.7	1,970	73.3	(Z)	(Z)
3113 Sugar & Confectionery Products	3,580	0.3	1,703	47.6	1,872	52.3	5	0.1
3114 Fruits & Veg Preserves & Specialty Foods	3,999	0.3	1,179	29.5	2,819	70.5	2	(Z)
3115 Dairy Products	1,640	0.1	558	34.0	1,082	65.9	(Z)	(Z)
3116 Meat Products & Meat Packaging Products	4,903	0.4	887	18.1	4,015	81.9	1	(Z)
3118 Bakery & Tortilla Products	1,834	0.1	563	30.7	1,271	69.3	(Z)	(Z)
3119 Foods, Nesoi	3,257	0.3	1,064	32.7	2,193	67.3	(Z)	(Z)
3121 Beverages	10,384	0.8	2,602	25.1	7,661	73.8	121	1.2
3152 Apparel	61,625	4.9	9,872	16.0	51,751	84.0	2	(Z)
3159 Apparel Accessories	3,788	0.3	697	18.4	3,090	81.6	1	(Z)
3211 Sawmill & Wood Products	6,437	0.5	1,232	19.1	5,197	80.7	8	0.1
3212 Veneer, Plywood & Engineered Wood Products	5,947	0.5	1,040	17.5	4,904	82.5	2	(Z)
3219 Other Wood Products	4,198	0.3	683	16.3	3,510	83.6	5	0.1
3221 Pulp, Paper & Paperboard Mill Products	12,718	1.0	7,091	55.8	5,627	44.2	(Z)	(Z)
3222 Converted Paper Products	5,696	0.5	2,063	36.2	3,633	63.8	(Z)	(Z)
3241 Petroleum & Coal Products	39,161	3.1	16,997	43.4	22,134	56.5	30	0.1
3251 Basic Chemicals	30,259	2.4	15,771	52.1	14,483	47.9	4	(Z)
3252 Resin, Syn Rubber, Artf & Syn Fibers/Fil	9,326	0.7	6,016	64.5	3,310	35.5	(Z)	(Z)
3253 Pesticides, Fertilizers & Oth Agri Chemicals	4,166	0.3	1,709	41.0	2,455	58.9	2	(Z)
3254 Pharmaceuticals & Medicines	49,259	3.9	38,642	78.4	10,615	21.5	2	(Z)
3255 Paints, Coatings & Adhesives	961	0.1	591	61.4	371	38.6	(-)	(-)
3256 Soaps, Cleaning Compounds & Toilet Preparations	4,519	0.4	1,863	41.2	2,656	58.8	(Z)	(Z)
3259 Other Chemical Products & Preparations	3,587	0.3	2,243	62.5	1,341	37.4	3	0.1
3261 Plastics Products	12,568	1.0	3,262	26.0	9,303	74.0	3	(Z)
3262 Rubber Products	7,935	0.6	5,152	64.9	2,782	35.1	1	(Z)
3271 Clay & Refractory Products	4,535	0.4	1,070	23.6	3,464	76.4	1	(Z)
3272 Glass & Glass Products	4,464	0.4	1,711	38.3	2,753	61.7	(Z)	(Z)
3273 Cement & Concrete Products	1,861	0.1	514	27.6	1,346	72.3	1	0.1
3279 Other Nonmetallic Mineral Products	3,476	0.3	722	20.8	2,751	79.1	4	0.1
3311 Iron & Steel & Ferroalloy	11,981	1.0	5,112	42.7	6,868	57.3	(Z)	(Z)
3312 Steel Products From Purchased Steel	1,183	0.1	364	30.8	819	69.2	(Z)	(Z)
3313 Alumina & Aluminum & Processing	7,407	0.6	4,558	61.5	2,849	38.5	(Z)	(Z)
3314 Nonferrous (Exc Alum) & Processing	13,044	1.0	3,036	23.3	10,008	76.7	1	(Z)
3322 Cutlery & Handtools	3,818	0.3	1,088	28.5	2,729	71.5	2	(Z)
3323 Architectural & Structural Metals	1,791	0.1	443	24.7	1,339	74.8	9	0.5

Exhibit 4. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Imports for Consumption (1) for Selected Four-digit NAICS Codes (2): 2003

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Commodity and Description (3)	Total Imports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
3324 Boilers, Tanks & Shipping Containers	1,739	0.1	406	23.3	1,333	76.6	1	(Z)
3325 Hardware	3,617	0.3	1,504	41.6	2,113	58.4	(Z)	(Z)
3326 Springs & Wire Products	1,684	0.1	569	33.8	1,115	66.2	(Z)	(Z)
3327 Bolts/Nuts/Scrws/Rivts/Washrs & Other Turned Prods	2,348	0.2	622	26.5	1,723	73.4	3	0.1
3329 Other Fabricated Metal Products	14,833	1.2	5,874	39.6	8,918	60.1	41	0.3
3331 Ag & Construction & Machinery	13,298	1.1	7,442	56.0	5,854	44.0	1	(Z)
3332 Industrial Machinery	8,997	0.7	4,158	46.2	4,838	53.8	(Z)	(Z)
3333 Commercial & Service Industry Machinery	11,176	0.9	7,495	67.1	3,676	32.9	5	(Z)
3334 Hvac & Commercial Refrigeration Equipment	5,287	0.4	2,678	50.7	2,608	49.3	(Z)	(Z)
3335 Metalworking Machinery	6,920	0.6	3,306	47.8	3,612	52.2	2	(Z)
3336 Engines, Turbines & Power Transmsn Equip	11,438	0.9	6,982	61.0	4,391	38.4	65	0.6
3339 Other General Purpose Machinery	20,230	1.6	8,898	44.0	11,247	55.6	85	0.4
3341 Computer Equipment	63,803	5.1	44,171	69.2	19,625	30.8	7	(Z)
3342 Communications Equipment	30,236	2.4	22,338	73.9	7,896	26.1	2	(Z)
3343 Audio & Video Equipment	31,987	2.6	21,260	66.5	10,725	33.5	2	(Z)
3344 Semiconductors & Other Electronic Components	57,189	4.6	37,661	65.9	19,503	34.1	26	(Z)
3345 Navigational/Measuring/Medical/Control Instrument	25,596	2.0	16,457	64.3	9,121	35.6	18	0.1
3346 Magnetic & Optical Media	3,390	0.3	1,805	53.3	1,584	46.7	(Z)	(Z)
3351 Electric Lighting Equipment	6,373	0.5	1,911	30.0	4,459	70.0	2	(Z)
3352 Household Appliances And Misc Machines, Nesoi	11,979	1.0	4,532	37.8	7,447	62.2	(Z)	(Z)
3353 Electrical Equipment	12,564	1.0	7,855	62.5	4,704	37.4	4	(Z)
3359 Electrical Equipment & Components, Nesoi	10,999	0.9	5,434	49.4	5,553	50.5	12	0.1
3361 Motor Vehicles	133,861	10.7	126,874	94.8	6,926	5.2	61	(Z)
3362 Motor Vehicle Bodies & Trailers	1,476	0.1	734	49.7	742	50.3	(-)	(-)
3363 Motor Vehicle Parts	56,681	4.5	33,327	58.8	23,342	41.2	12	(Z)
3364 Aerospace Products & Parts	24,260	1.9	6,278	25.9	17,868	73.6	115	0.5
3365 Railroad Rolling Stock	852	0.1	418	49.1	434	50.9	(Z)	(Z)
3366 Ships & Boats	1,610	0.1	403	25.1	1,188	73.8	18	1.1
3369 Transportation Equipment, Nesoi	4,565	0.4	2,788	61.1	1,759	38.5	19	0.4
3371 Household & Institutional Furn & Kitchen Cabinets	14,994	1.2	2,130	14.2	12,864	85.8	1	(Z)
3372 Office Furniture (Including Fixtures)	3,852	0.3	1,076	27.9	2,775	72.1	(Z)	(Z)
3391 Medical Equipment & Supplies	12,862	1.0	7,553	58.7	5,307	41.3	2	(Z)
3399 Miscellaneous Manufactured Commodities	52,505	4.2	10,167	19.4	42,321	80.6	17	(Z)
9800 Goods Ret To Ca (Exp); Us Goods Ret & Reimps (Imp)	33,605	2.7	14,042	41.8	19,515	58.1	48	0.1
Other Domestic Imports	93,933	7.5	11,886	12.7	66,467	70.8	15,580	16.6

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(3) Sorted by NAICS code.
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Exhibit 5. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Domestic Exports (1) by Three-digit NAICS Code: 2003

In millions of dollars. (Z) less than 0.1 percent. (-) Represents zero.

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Commodity and Description (2)	Total Exports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
Total (3)	**723,743**	**100.0**	**232,784**	**32.2**	**458,715**	**63.4**	**32,244**	**4.5**
	651,424	90.0	204,543	31.4	415,136	63.7	31,745	4.9
111 Agricultural Products	29,194	4.0	3,952	13.5	24,346	83.4	895	3.1
112 Livestock & Livestock Products	1,177	0.2	200	17.0	620	52.6	358	30.4
113 Forestry Products, Nesoi	1,462	0.2	171	11.7	1,196	81.8	95	6.5
114 Fish, Fresh/Chilled/Frozen & Other Marine Products	2,866	0.4	367	12.8	2,454	85.6	45	1.6
211 Oil & Gas	2,143	0.3	984	45.9	1,089	50.8	70	3.3
212 Minerals & Ores	3,973	0.5	531	13.4	3,342	84.1	101	2.5
311 Food & Kindred Products	26,795	3.7	4,583	17.1	21,461	80.1	752	2.8
312 Beverages & Tobacco Products	3,648	0.5	925	25.4	2,680	73.5	42	1.1
313 Textiles & Fabrics	7,557	1.0	1,998	26.4	5,401	71.5	158	2.1
314 Textile Mill Products	1,881	0.3	520	27.6	1,171	62.3	190	10.1
315 Apparel & Accessories	4,923	0.7	1,203	24.4	3,532	71.8	187	3.8
316 Leather & Allied Products	2,035	0.3	389	19.1	1,495	73.5	151	7.4
321 Wood Products	3,818	0.5	482	12.6	3,216	84.2	119	3.1
322 Paper	13,965	1.9	3,620	25.9	9,921	71.0	425	3.0
323 Printed Matter And Related Products, Nesoi	4,706	0.7	1,112	23.6	3,362	71.5	231	4.9
324 Petroleum & Coal Products	9,349	1.3	2,007	21.5	7,000	74.9	342	3.7
325 Chemicals	88,384	12.2	36,095	40.8	51,071	57.8	1,218	1.4
326 Plastics & Rubber Products	15,661	2.2	5,943	37.9	8,956	57.2	761	4.9
327 Nonmetallic Mineral Products	6,069	0.8	1,766	29.1	4,026	66.3	277	4.6
331 Primary Metal Mfg	17,877	2.5	3,077	17.2	14,480	81.0	320	1.8
332 Fabricated Metal Products, Nesoi	18,848	2.6	5,229	27.7	12,298	65.2	1,321	7.0
333 Machinery, Except Electrical	69,285	9.6	19,300	27.9	48,149	69.5	1,837	2.7
334 Computer & Electronic Products	115,883	16.0	42,570	36.7	70,852	61.1	2,462	2.1
335 Electrical Equipment, Appliances & Components	20,632	2.9	7,647	37.1	12,110	58.7	874	4.2
336 Transportation Equipment	122,246	16.9	47,564	38.9	71,230	58.3	3,452	2.8
337 Furniture & Fixtures	2,349	0.3	424	18.1	1,590	67.7	334	14.2
339 Miscellaneous Manufactured Commodities	21,267	2.9	6,926	32.6	13,275	62.4	1,065	5.0
511 Newspapers, Books & Other Published Matter, Nesoi	324	(Z)	87	27.0	228	70.3	9	2.7
910 Waste And Scrap	6,456	0.9	486	7.5	5,718	88.6	252	3.9
920 Used Or Second-Hand Merchandise	1,808	0.2	102	5.6	1,650	91.2	56	3.1
980 Goods Ret To Ca (Exp); Us Goods Ret & Reimps (Imp)	205	(Z)	48	23.5	131	63.7	26	12.8
990 Special Classification Provisions, Nesoi	24,640	3.4	4,236	17.2	7,084	28.7	13,320	54.1
Re-exports	72,319	10.0	28,241	39.1	43,579	60.3	499	0.7

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(2) Sorted by NAICS code.
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Exhibit 6. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Domestic Exports (1) for Selected Four-digit NAICS Codes (2): 2003

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NOTE: This exhibit is compiled from detailed merchandise trade data. For information on nonsampling errors and other data limitations refer to the Technical Documentation.

Commodity and Description (3)	Total Exports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
Total (4)	**723,743**	**100.0**	**232,784**	**32.2**	**458,715**	**63.4**	**32,244**	**4.5**
Domestic Exports	651,424	90.0	204,543	31.4	415,136	63.7	31,745	4.9
1111 Oilseeds & Grains	18,371	2.5	3,047	16.6	14,936	81.3	388	2.1
1119 Other Agricultural Products	5,175	0.7	617	11.9	4,503	87.0	56	1.1
2111 Oil & Gas	2,143	0.3	984	45.9	1,089	50.8	70	3.3
3111 Animal Foods	1,342	0.2	299	22.3	1,002	74.7	41	3.0
3112 Grain & Oilseed Milling Products	5,743	0.8	1,078	18.8	4,572	79.6	93	1.6
3113 Sugar & Confectionery Products	1,129	0.2	368	32.6	741	65.6	20	1.8
3114 Fruits & Veg Preserves & Specialty Foods	2,638	0.4	584	22.1	1,941	73.6	113	4.3
3116 Meat Products & Meat Packaging Products	10,107	1.4	586	5.8	9,226	91.3	294	2.9
3119 Foods, Nesoi	3,606	0.5	1,206	33.4	2,280	63.2	120	3.3
3121 Beverages	1,802	0.2	204	11.3	1,557	86.4	41	2.3
3122 Tobacco Products	1,845	0.3	722	39.1	1,123	60.9	1	(Z)
3131 Fibers, Yarns & Threads	722	(Z)	204	28.3	511	70.8	7	0.9
3132 Fabrics	5,894	0.8	1,431	24.3	4,327	73.4	136	2.3
3133 Finished & Coated Textile Fabrics	940	0.1	363	38.6	562	59.8	15	1.6
3152 Apparel	3,655	0.5	920	25.2	2,593	70.9	143	3.9
3159 Apparel Accessories	928	0.1	254	27.4	642	69.1	33	3.5
3221 Pulp, Paper & Paperboard Mill Products	7,673	1.1	1,092	14.2	6,477	84.4	104	1.4
3222 Converted Paper Products	6,293	0.9	2,528	40.2	3,444	54.7	321	5.1
3231 Printed Matter And Related Products, Nesoi	4,706	0.7	1,112	23.6	3,362	71.5	231	4.9
3241 Petroleum & Coal Products	9,349	1.3	2,007	21.5	7,000	74.9	342	3.7
3251 Basic Chemicals	30,278	4.2	9,983	33.0	19,887	65.7	408	1.3
3252 Resin, Syn Rubber, Artf & Syn Fibers/Fil	17,052	2.4	6,883	40.4	10,021	58.8	148	0.9
3253 Pesticides, Fertilizers & Oth Agri Chemicals	3,926	0.5	1,163	29.6	2,675	68.1	87	2.2
3254 Pharmaceuticals & Medicines	22,488	3.1	11,197	49.8	11,184	49.7	106	0.5
3255 Paints, Coatings & Adhesives	2,302	0.3	943	41.0	1,248	54.2	111	4.8
3256 Soaps, Cleaning Compounds & Toilet Preparations	6,387	0.9	2,598	40.7	3,509	54.9	280	4.4
3259 Other Chemical Products & Preparations	5,951	0.8	3,327	55.9	2,548	42.8	77	1.3
3261 Plastics Products	11,203	1.5	3,799	33.9	6,909	61.7	495	4.4
3262 Rubber Products	4,458	0.6	2,144	48.1	2,047	45.9	266	6.0
3271 Clay & Refractory Products	1,021	0.1	238	23.3	724	70.9	59	5.8
3272 Glass & Glass Products	3,378	0.5	1,098	32.5	2,148	63.6	133	3.9
3279 Other Nonmetallic Mineral Products	1,396	0.2	364	26.1	971	69.5	61	4.4
3311 Iron & Steel & Ferroalloy	5,537	0.8	927	16.7	4,460	80.5	151	2.7

Exhibit 6. U.S. Merchandise Trade: Domestic Exports (1) for Selected Four-digit NAICS Codes (2): 2003

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Commodity and Description (3)	Total Exports		Related Party Trade		Nonrelated Party Trade		Nonreported	
	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent	Value	Percent
3313 Alumina & Aluminum & Processing	3,170	0.4	1,028	32.4	2,062	65.1	79	2.5
3314 Nonferrous (Exc Alum) & Processing	8,495	1.2	984	11.6	7,447	87.7	64	0.8
3322 Cutlery & Handtools	1,589	0.2	503	31.7	941	59.2	145	9.1
3325 Hardware	1,857	0.3	503	27.1	1,167	62.8	187	10.1
3327 Bolts/Nuts/Scrws/Rivts/Washrs & Other Turned Prods	1,520	0.2	343	22.5	927	61.0	251	16.5
3329 Other Fabricated Metal Products	10,647	1.5	3,214	30.2	6,815	64.0	618	5.8
3331 Ag & Construction & Machinery	16,986	2.3	5,852	34.5	10,822	63.7	311	1.8
3332 Industrial Machinery	7,215	1.0	1,362	18.9	5,714	79.2	139	1.9
3333 Commercial & Service Industry Machinery	5,806	0.8	2,036	35.1	3,646	62.8	125	2.1
3334 Hvac & Commercial Refrigeration Equipment	4,892	0.7	1,695	34.6	3,040	62.1	158	3.2
3335 Metalworking Machinery	4,320	0.6	926	21.4	3,230	74.8	164	3.8
3336 Engines, Turbines & Power Transmsn Equip	11,618	1.6	3,100	26.7	8,247	71.0	271	2.3
3339 Other General Purpose Machinery	18,447	2.5	4,330	23.5	13,449	72.9	669	3.6
3341 Computer Equipment	27,724	3.8	9,924	35.8	16,903	61.0	897	3.2
3342 Communications Equipment	10,680	1.5	2,470	23.1	7,963	74.6	246	2.3
3343 Audio & Video Equipment	3,244	0.4	1,037	32.0	2,071	63.9	136	4.2
3344 Semiconductors & Other Electronic Components	47,205	6.5	21,430	45.4	25,258	53.5	517	1.1
3345 Navigational/Measuring/Medical/Control Instrument	25,683	3.5	7,063	27.5	18,000	70.1	620	2.4
3346 Magnetic & Optical Media	1,348	0.2	646	47.9	657	48.7	46	3.4
3351 Electric Lighting Equipment	1,329	0.2	449	33.8	772	58.1	108	8.1
3352 Household Appliances And Misc Machines, Nesoi	2,989	0.4	1,214	40.6	1,629	54.5	146	4.9
3353 Electrical Equipment	7,415	1.0	2,498	33.7	4,647	62.7	270	3.6
3359 Electrical Equipment & Components, Nesoi	8,899	1.2	3,487	39.2	5,062	56.9	350	3.9
3361 Motor Vehicles	29,659	4.1	21,514	72.5	7,904	26.6	241	0.8
3362 Motor Vehicle Bodies & Trailers	1,570	0.2	276	17.6	1,266	80.6	28	1.8
3363 Motor Vehicle Parts	37,281	5.2	17,249	46.3	18,153	48.7	1,880	5.0
3364 Aerospace Products & Parts	49,675	6.9	7,476	15.1	40,987	82.5	1,212	2.4
3369 Transportation Equipment, Nesoi	1,722	0.2	682	39.6	984	57.1	56	3.3
3391 Medical Equipment & Supplies	12,352	1.7	4,897	39.6	7,219	58.4	236	1.9
3399 Miscellaneous Manufactured Commodities	8,914	1.2	2,029	22.8	6,057	67.9	829	9.3
9900 Special Classification Provisions, Nesoi	24,640	3.4	4,236	17.2	7,084	28.7	13,320	54.1
Other Domestic Exports	43,094	6.0	5,823	13.5	34,795	80.7	2,475	5.7
Re-Exports	72,319	10.0	28,241	39.1	43,579	60.3	499	0.7

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Technical Documentation

Sources and Limitations

The data in this release are compiled from administrative records from the official U.S. import and export merchandise trade statistics. The merchandise trade data are a complete enumeration of documentation collected by the U.S. Bureau of Customs and Border Protection and are not subject to sampling error. Quality assurance procedures are performed at every stage of collection, processing and tabulation; however, the data are still subject to nonsampling errors. These include undocumented shipments, untimely filing of documentation, data capture errors and errors in the estimation of low-valued transactions.

Related party shipments are identified by an indicator, "R" for related or "N" for nonrelated, that is required on every import or export transaction. However, importers and exporters, especially exporters, do not always report the indicator on their shipments. No attempt is made to estimate the related party status of shipments with missing indicators; instead, they are categorized on the data tables as "nonreported." Therefore, the ratios of related and unrelated party trade are understated.

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Definitions

Related party trade:

Imports: As defined in Section 402(e) of the Tariff Act of 1930, related party trade includes transactions between parties with various types of relationships including "any person directly or indirectly, owning, controlling or holding power to vote, 6 percent of the outstanding voting stock or shares of any organization."

Exports: The Foreign Trade Statistics Regulations, 30.7(v), define a related party transactions as one between a U.S. exporter and a foreign consignee, where either party owns, directly or indirectly, 10 percent or more of the other party.

Imports for Consumption: The import data shown in this report are imports for consumption that measure all merchandise that has physically cleared through Customs, either entering consumption channels immediately or after withdrawal from bonded warehouses under Customs custody or from Foreign Trade Zones.

Customs Value: The import data in this report are based on Customs value, generally defined as the price actually paid or payable for merchandise when sold for exportation to the United States, excluding U.S. import duties, freight, insurance, and other charges incurred in bringing the merchandise to the United States.

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Low Value Estimates: Import and export transactions below specific values are estimated using factors based on the ratios of low-valued transactions to individual country totals for past periods. Import transactions valued $2,000 or less, excluding certain textile articles, and all export transactions valued $2,500 or less are estimated.

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