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Exhibit 8. Imports of Goods by End-Use Category and Commodity

In millions of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to seasonal adjustment and rounding. The commodities in this exhibit are ranked on the month-to-month change within each major commodity grouping. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. (R) - Revised.

Item (1)	March 2004	February 2004 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-date 2004	Year-to-date 2003	Year-to-date Change
Total, Balance of Payments Basis	**118,427**	**112,381**	**6,046**	**341,204**	**309,329**	**31,875**
Net Adjustments	**308**	**251**	**57**	**802**	**651**	**151**
Total, Census Basis	**118,119**	**112,130**	**5,989**	**340,402**	**308,678**	**31,724**
Foods, feeds, and beverages	**5,229**	**5,089**	**140**	**15,157**	**13,581**	**1,577**
Fruits, frozen juices	536	449	88	1,400	1,309	91
Cocoa beans	91	39	52	206	255	-49
Vegetables	487	442	45	1,366	1,225	141
Feedstuff and foodgrains	180	151	29	470	393	76
Cane and beet sugar	61	35	26	118	119	-1
Food oils, oilseeds	187	163	23	479	354	125
Green coffee	139	122	17	373	359	14
Nonagricultural foods, etc.	32	27	5	97	101	-4
Bakery products	423	420	3	1,226	1,066	160
Dairy products and eggs	109	107	2	317	298	19
Meat products	501	500	1	1,576	1,536	40
Alcoholic beverages, excluding wine	308	310	-2	953	895	58
Other foods	501	506	-5	1,523	1,049	474
Nuts	61	76	-14	211	184	27
Wine and related products	482	503	-21	1,496	1,467	29
Tea, spices, etc.	93	117	-23	296	226	70
Fish and shellfish	1,039	1,124	-85	3,050	2,744	306
Industrial supplies and materials	**31,582**	**29,654**	**1,928**	**88,718**	**79,285**	**9,433**
Crude oil	9,977	8,831	1,146	27,474	24,505	2,970
Petroleum products, other	1,867	1,317	549	4,327	4,120	207
Iron and steel mill products	1,000	807	193	2,523	2,180	342
Copper	245	144	101	537	443	94
Shingles, wallboard	956	880	76	2,645	1,902	743
Other precious metals	480	411	69	1,176	854	322
Chemicals-organic	1,319	1,251	69	3,552	3,177	375
Industrial supplies, other	1,456	1,391	65	4,240	3,828	411
Nuclear fuel materials	195	137	59	501	671	-170
Finished metal shapes	759	711	48	2,154	1,805	349
Plywood and veneers	205	158	47	542	405	137
Nickel	179	145	34	443	295	147
Lumber	654	622	32	1,884	1,496	388
Iron and steel, advanced	437	415	22	1,265	1,209	57
Tobacco, waxes, etc	337	316	20	938	882	56
Coal and related fuels	133	113	20	336	282	54
Electric energy	123	105	18	350	392	-42
Iron and steel products, n.e.c.	417	399	18	1,168	1,024	144
Glass-plate, sheet, etc.	98	81	17	267	221	46
Natural rubber	133	116	17	363	269	94
Stone, sand, cement, etc.	372	357	15	1,132	978	154
Nonferrous metals, other	153	140	13	406	330	76
Pulpwood and woodpulp	222	210	12	637	592	45
Zinc	105	96	8	288	227	61
Plastic materials	778	770	8	2,261	2,082	179
Hair, waste materials	49	41	8	133	120	14
Hides and skins	13	8	5	35	33	1
Wool, silk, etc.	61	57	4	175	165	10
Paper and paper products	576	571	4	1,646	1,643	3
Synthetic cloth	381	377	4	1,126	1,058	68
Cotton cloth, fabrics	189	186	3	554	533	22
Materials, excluding chemicals	127	124	3	366	369	-3
Chemicals-other, n.e.c.	523	521	2	1,551	1,396	155
Tin	24	22	2	63	46	17
Cotton, natural fibers	8	6	2	21	26	-5
Leather and furs	69	69	(-)	208	212	-3
Nontextile floor tiles	190	193	-3	581	562	19
Finished textile supplies	242	247	-5	727	650	77
Synthetic rubber--primary	110	118	-8	329	317	13
Sulfur, nonmetallic minerals	55	66	-11	185	156	30
Chemicals-inorganic	333	349	-16	1,032	953	79
Farming materials, livestock	52	72	-20	187	205	-17
Blank tapes, audio & visual	300	330	-29	927	629	298
Steelmaking materials	371	403	-32	1,071	691	379
Newsprint	244	281	-37	764	725	39
Fuel oil	1,448	1,485	-37	4,310	3,918	392
Nonmonetary gold	312	370	-58	1,022	595	427
Bauxite and aluminum	706	767	-61	2,036	1,872	164
Liquefied petroleum gases	539	606	-67	1,736	1,442	293
Chemicals-fertilizers	446	527	-80	1,402	1,114	288
Gas-natural	1,613	1,937	-323	5,122	5,686	-564

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Item (1)	March 2004	February 2004 (R)	Monthly Change	Year-to-date 2004	Year-to-date 2003	Year-to-date Change
Capital goods, except automotive	**26,903**	**26,017**	**885**	**79,853**	**70,897**	**8,957**
Civilian aircraft	835	483	352	2,309	2,829	-520
Computer accessories	4,983	4,841	142	14,913	13,577	1,336
Engines-civilian aircraft	739	608	131	1,967	1,900	67
Electric apparatus	2,216	2,142	74	6,483	5,627	856
Telecommunications equipment	2,362	2,289	73	7,013	5,802	1,211
Business machines and equipment	647	575	72	1,830	1,564	267
Industrial engines	890	824	66	2,518	2,247	271
Semiconductors	2,268	2,210	58	6,639	6,118	521
Agricultural machinery, equipment	510	465	45	1,439	1,049	389
Industrial machines, other	1,743	1,698	45	5,134	4,631	503
Materials handling equipment	627	589	38	1,781	1,529	252
Medicinal equipment	1,620	1,585	34	4,618	3,844	774
Marine engines, parts	78	60	17	192	173	19
Textile, sewing machines	103	90	13	288	251	37
Railway transportation equipment	103	92	11	270	252	18
Drilling & oilfield equipment	131	120	10	388	354	34
Specialized mining	33	29	4	93	85	8
Nonfarm tractors and parts	68	66	2	203	168	35
Spacecraft, excluding military	3	1	2	7	53	-47
Vessels, except scrap	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	4	-3
Food, tobacco machinery	155	157	-1	446	389	57
Photo, service industry machinery	882	890	-8	2,800	2,504	296
Excavating machinery	514	522	-8	1,601	1,031	570
Generators, accessories	942	953	-11	2,740	2,598	142
Laboratory testing instruments	217	228	-12	625	495	130
Wood, glass, plastic	437	451	-14	1,312	1,269	43
Metalworking machine tools	514	529	-15	1,546	1,471	75
Parts-civilian aircraft	371	386	-15	1,149	1,145	4
Pulp and paper machinery	312	342	-30	1,069	865	204
Measuring, testing, control instruments	889	934	-45	2,707	2,350	357
Commercial vessels, other	6	63	-57	219	16	202
Computers	1,702	1,793	-91	5,557	4,707	850
Automotive vehicles, parts, and engines	**19,007**	**18,437**	**569**	**55,082**	**51,128**	**3,954**
Consumer goods	**31,333**	**28,749**	**2,584**	**89,402**	**81,973**	**7,429**
Other household goods	3,877	3,312	565	10,496	8,714	1,781
Toys/games/sporting goods	1,969	1,629	340	5,656	5,843	-188
TV's, VCR's, etc	2,539	2,294	246	7,164	5,463	1,702
Apparel, textiles, nonwool or cotton	2,460	2,253	207	7,102	6,864	238
Stereo equipment, etc	773	597	177	2,115	1,644	471
Apparel,household goods-nontextile	647	491	156	1,720	1,573	147
Footwear	1,103	967	137	3,156	3,133	22
Furniture, household goods, etc.	1,675	1,541	133	4,871	4,361	510
Pharmaceutical preparations	4,723	4,607	116	13,277	12,112	1,165
Gem diamonds	1,211	1,121	90	3,435	3,021	414
Motorcycles and parts	387	301	86	970	854	117
Writing and art supplies	950	870	80	2,719	2,518	200
Household appliances	1,118	1,047	72	3,254	2,863	392
Camping apparel and gear	580	523	58	1,690	1,665	26
Cookware, cutlery, tools	436	397	39	1,256	1,252	4
Jewelry	883	847	37	2,569	2,323	246
Books, printed matter	318	294	25	908	845	63
Apparel, household goods - cotton	3,201	3,183	18	9,687	9,984	-297
Photo equipment	125	109	16	343	419	-76
Gem stones, other	161	146	15	462	431	32
Musical instruments	141	127	14	388	372	17
Glassware, chinaware	194	183	12	572	568	4
Toiletries and cosmetics	408	397	11	1,179	1,034	145
Rugs	152	148	4	447	427	20
Numismatic coins	31	31	1	86	91	-5
Records, tapes, and disks	122	128	-6	365	358	8
Nursery stock, etc.	112	118	-6	349	303	46
Apparel, household goods - wool	272	281	-9	841	830	11
Artwork, antiques, stamps, etc.	518	533	-16	1,608	1,496	111
Pleasure boats and motors	246	277	-31	718	614	104
Other goods	**4,065**	**4,183**	**-119**	**12,188**	**11,813**	**375**

(1) Detailed data are presented on a Census basis. The information needed to convert to a BOP basis is not available.

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