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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 annual change within each major commodity grouping. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. (R) - Revised.

Item (1)	December 2012	November 2012 (R)	Monthly Change	Annual 2012	Annual 2011	Annual Change
Total, Balance of Payments Basis	**188,765**	**194,864**	**-6,099**	**2,299,281**	**2,235,819**	**63,462**
Net Adjustments	**1,910**	**1,931**	**-21**	**24,238**	**27,995**	**-3,757**
Total, Census Basis	**186,855**	**192,933**	**-6,078**	**2,275,043**	**2,207,824**	**67,219**
Foods, feeds, and beverages	**9,344**	**9,419**	**-75**	**110,211**	**107,460**	**2,751**
Feedstuff and foodgrains	623	644	-21	5,849	4,602	1,246
Other foods	1,042	1,009	34	11,448	10,554	894
Meat products	719	721	-2	8,523	7,709	814
Fruits, frozen juices	1,024	1,115	-91	12,257	11,686	571
Wine, beer, and related products	754	762	-8	8,914	8,533	381
Bakery products	763	775	-12	8,811	8,483	328
Alcoholic beverages, excluding wine	568	575	-7	6,555	6,288	266
Vegetables	868	855	13	9,942	9,699	243
Nuts	146	149	-3	2,009	1,884	125
Dairy products and eggs	154	143	11	1,690	1,586	104
Tea, spices, etc.	167	172	-4	1,852	1,753	99
Fish and shellfish	1,390	1,339	51	16,621	16,572	49
Nonagricultural foods, etc.	59	60	-1	720	742	-22
Food oils, oilseeds	480	451	29	5,934	6,247	-314
Cocoa beans	87	54	33	996	1,425	-428
Cane and beet sugar	152	174	-23	2,283	2,790	-507
Green coffee	347	421	-74	5,808	6,906	-1,099
Industrial supplies and materials	**57,105**	**61,346**	**-4,241**	**731,204**	**755,807**	**-24,603**
Crude oil	22,107	25,423	-3,316	312,800	331,582	-18,782
Gas-natural	804	860	-56	9,064	13,567	-4,503
Liquefied petroleum gases	442	354	88	6,389	9,963	-3,574
Other precious metals	1,194	993	201	12,632	15,675	-3,043
Natural rubber	271	248	23	3,382	4,773	-1,391
Fuel oil	3,769	3,998	-229	45,591	46,879	-1,287
Nuclear fuel materials	354	541	-187	4,676	5,658	-981
Copper	563	569	-5	5,817	6,770	-953
Nickel	198	192	5	2,885	3,605	-720
Pulpwood and woodpulp	258	286	-27	3,360	4,024	-664
Chemicals-inorganic	611	671	-59	7,984	8,645	-661
Bauxite and aluminum	989	847	142	10,873	11,532	-660
Chemicals-organic	2,330	2,418	-88	24,783	25,399	-616
Petroleum products, other	4,005	4,296	-291	50,326	50,918	-592
Steelmaking materials	685	704	-19	8,626	9,000	-374
Zinc	136	123	14	1,513	1,810	-297
Tin	84	71	13	833	979	-145
Newsprint	111	111	(-)	1,344	1,464	-120
Blank tapes, audio & visual	65	65	-1	987	1,100	-113
Electric energy	243	258	-15	1,914	2,015	-102
Cotton cloth, fabrics	108	104	4	1,261	1,357	-97
Cotton, natural fibers	4	5	-2	86	94	-8
Nonferrous metals, other	387	356	32	4,368	4,345	23
Materials, excluding chemicals	116	111	5	1,457	1,433	23
Paper and paper products	555	581	-26	6,913	6,887	25
Hides and skins	18	16	2	226	188	39
Sulfur, nonmetallic minerals	144	167	-24	1,644	1,581	63
Leather and furs	54	54	-1	655	590	64
Wool, silk, etc.	66	58	7	758	681	78
Hair, waste materials	93	73	20	939	856	84
Glass-plate, sheet, etc.	98	106	-8	1,204	1,107	97
Nontextile floor tiles	212	222	-10	2,477	2,373	104
Synthetic rubber-primary	259	263	-5	3,244	3,134	110
Synthetic cloth	495	484	11	6,005	5,894	111
Finished textile supplies	344	363	-19	4,223	4,018	205
Plywood and veneers	195	179	17	2,222	1,930	292
Chemicals-fertilizers	1,455	1,500	-45	16,128	15,817	311
Coal and related fuels	344	343	(-)	3,258	2,944	314
Stone, sand, cement, etc.	386	360	26	4,122	3,798	324
Farming materials, livestock	173	138	35	1,714	1,355	359
Plastic materials	1,210	1,186	25	14,582	14,105	477
Lumber	375	380	-5	4,124	3,498	626
Finished metal shapes	1,335	1,388	-53	17,373	16,720	654
Chemicals-other, n.e.c.	987	941	46	11,832	11,070	762
Shingles, wallboard	744	680	64	7,803	6,879	925
Iron and steel, advanced	766	768	-2	9,458	8,509	949
Iron and steel mill products	1,604	1,729	-125	20,872	19,779	1,093
Iron and steel products, n.e.c.	761	788	-27	9,994	8,759	1,234
Nonmonetary gold	1,586	1,914	-328	17,892	16,390	1,502
Industrial supplies, other	2,370	2,359	11	28,152	26,557	1,596
Tobacco, waxes, etc.	642	700	-57	10,441	7,803	2,638

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Item (1)	December 2012	November 2012 (R)	Monthly Change	Annual 2012	Annual 2011	Annual Change
Capital goods, except automotive	**45,280**	**45,544**	**-264**	**548,204**	**510,737**	**37,467**
Telecommunications equipment	4,416	4,395	21	52,794	48,474	4,320
Electric apparatus	3,669	3,602	67	42,826	38,743	4,084
Industrial machines, other	3,866	3,630	236	47,977	45,085	2,892
Excavating machinery	843	966	-123	12,664	9,775	2,889
Drilling & oilfield equipment	712	794	-82	11,758	9,013	2,746
Industrial engines	1,890	1,850	40	23,778	21,361	2,417
Materials handling equipment	1,051	1,125	-74	13,229	11,098	2,131
Engines-civilian aircraft	1,364	1,419	-55	16,318	14,280	2,038
Parts-civilian aircraft	1,221	1,216	4	13,373	11,364	2,009
Metalworking machine tools	988	1,011	-23	11,666	9,740	1,926
Computer accessories	4,755	4,310	445	56,484	54,796	1,688
Generators, accessories	1,727	1,764	-37	22,109	20,623	1,486
Agricultural machinery, equipment	801	743	58	9,324	8,069	1,255
Medicinal equipment	2,699	2,633	66	31,556	30,432	1,124
Measuring, testing, control instruments	1,493	1,506	-13	18,406	17,510	895
Computers	5,523	6,306	-782	65,757	64,899	858
Photo, service industry machinery	1,262	1,255	7	15,840	15,160	680
Wood, glass, plastic	652	563	88	6,087	5,505	582
Nonfarm tractors and parts	183	187	-5	2,561	2,235	326
Railway transportation equipment	101	113	-12	1,696	1,412	284
Civilian aircraft	1,191	1,068	123	10,159	9,891	268
Laboratory testing instruments	457	461	-5	5,658	5,437	221
Business machines and equipment	408	408	(-)	4,744	4,580	165
Pulp and paper machinery	348	369	-21	4,294	4,130	164
Semiconductors	3,067	3,247	-180	40,302	40,169	132
Marine engines, parts	106	88	19	1,041	969	72
Food, tobacco machinery	267	247	20	3,094	3,046	48
Vessels, except scrap	1	(-)	(-)	13	2	12
Spacecraft, excluding military	5	77	-73	165	166	(-)
Commercial vessels, other	18	8	9	109	162	-53
Specialized mining	51	42	9	704	769	-64
Textile, sewing machines	148	140	8	1,716	1,843	-128
Automotive vehicles, parts, and engines	**24,498**	**25,442**	**-944**	**297,697**	**254,609**	**43,088**
Consumer goods	**45,245**	**45,203**	**43**	**516,296**	**514,061**	**2,235**
Apparel, textiles, nonwool or cotton	3,597	3,146	451	39,378	36,971	2,407
Furniture, household goods, etc.	2,315	2,138	177	25,612	23,629	1,983
Household appliances	1,940	1,788	152	22,268	20,894	1,374
Artwork, antiques, stamps, etc.	953	982	-29	9,884	8,797	1,087
Cell phones and other household goods, n.e.c.	7,939	8,451	-512	81,284	80,274	1,010
Toiletries and cosmetics	792	745	47	8,693	7,871	822
Stereo equipment, etc	606	574	31	6,761	5,974	787
Footwear	1,798	1,468	330	19,111	18,335	777
Apparel, household goods-nontextile	766	722	44	8,638	8,050	588
Toys, games, and sporting goods	2,796	2,866	-70	33,457	32,958	499
Motorcycles and parts	275	278	-3	3,055	2,607	449
Camping apparel and gear	834	681	153	9,045	8,631	414
Cookware, cutlery, tools	668	630	38	7,814	7,446	368
Gem stones, other	287	279	8	3,408	3,113	294
Other consumer nondurables	1,140	1,154	-15	13,402	13,222	180
Pleasure boats and motors	175	197	-23	2,317	2,140	177
Rugs	189	175	14	2,049	1,922	127
Nursery stock, etc.	132	133	-2	1,622	1,547	75
Glassware, chinaware	187	181	5	2,136	2,062	74
Musical instruments	124	127	-3	1,622	1,583	39
Photo equipment	406	317	89	5,350	5,343	7
Recorded media	68	75	-7	905	925	-21
Books, printed matter	312	298	15	3,623	3,648	-26
Apparel, household goods-wool	276	256	20	3,245	3,326	-82
Jewelry	1,035	979	56	12,103	12,337	-234
Numismatic coins	269	251	18	1,933	2,537	-605
Televisions and video equipment	2,784	2,654	130	32,845	33,497	-651
Gem diamonds	1,775	1,927	-152	20,203	22,299	-2,095
Apparel, household goods-cotton	4,265	4,019	247	47,440	50,388	-2,948
Pharmaceutical preparations	6,543	7,711	-1,167	87,095	91,737	-4,642
Other goods	**5,382**	**5,979**	**-597**	**71,430**	**65,150**	**6,280**

(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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