

7.2 (B) : SHARE AND PERCENTAGE GROWTH/CHANGE OF MAJOR IMPORTS

Commodity Group	(Percentage of Share)				(Percentage of change ^a)			
	2006-07	2007-08	2007-08 (Apr.-Dec)	2008-09 (Apr.-Dec)	2006-07	2007-08	2007-08 (Apr.-Dec)	2008-09 (Apr.-Dec)
I. Food and allied products, of which	2.9	2.3	2.4	2.0	42.4	8.3	22.4	11.4
1. Cereals	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.0	3589.7	-46.8	21.3	-91.5
2. Pulses	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	53.8	55.2	54.6	3.6
3. Cashew Nuts	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	-14.7	5.8	-10.1	73.9
4. Edible Oils	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	4.2	21.4	19.1	24.0
II. Fuel, of which	33.2	34.2	34.3	37.4	29.0	39.4	25.2	49.2
5. Coal	2.5	2.6	2.7	3.6	18.3	40.4	40.4	82.7
6. POL	30.8	31.7	31.6	33.8	30.0	39.4	24.0	46.3
III. Fertilizers	1.6	2.0	2.3	5.0	52.4	66.2	53.9	200.2
IV. Paper board manufactures & newsprint	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	27.8	18.2	10.4	44.7
V. Capital goods, of which	15.4	18.7	13.6	12.8	21.8	63.8	28.4	28.6
7. Machinery except elec & machine tool	7.5	7.9	7.8	6.9	24.9	43.3	23.0	21.3
8. Electrical machinery	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	30.3	53.3	43.0	25.1
9. Transport equipment	5.1	8.0	3.0	2.7	6.8	113.1	51.6	23.8
10. Project goods	1.0	0.5	0.5	1.0	103.4	-28.0	-33.1	156.2
VI. Others, of which	43.8	38.9	43.2	38.4	24.6	20.2	26.2	21.4
11. Chemicals	5.2	4.9	5.2	5.3	14.1	25.9	24.1	37.1
12. Pearls precious semi precious stones	4.0	3.2	4.1	4.6	-18.0	6.5	20.8	50.7
13. Iron & steel	3.5	3.5	3.8	3.2	40.5	35.3	44.7	14.9
14. Non-ferrous metals	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.1	41.2	34.6	32.1	5.5
15. Gold & Silver	7.9	7.1	8.4	7.2	29.4	22.0	34.5	18.2
16. Professional instruments, optical goods, etc.	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	18.7	31.0	30.0	41.6
17. Electronic Goods	8.6	8.2	8.9	7.1	20.6	29.3	29.1	8.5
18. Computer Software	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	7.2	9.5	-1.6	14.3
GRAND TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	24.5	35.4	28.0	36.8

Source : DGCI&S, Kolkata.

^a In terms of US Dollar.

- I. Including Tea, Sugar, Milk and Cream, Spices, Fruits & Nuts.
- I. (1) Including cereals preparations.
- II. (5) Includes coke and briquettes.
- III. Includes fertilizers crude ; fertilizers manufactured.
- V. Including Manufactures of metals.
- VI. (11) Including organic chemical, inorganic chemical, che. Materials & products and dyeing, tanning & colouring material.
- (13) Including primary steel, pig iron based items.