6.2 TRADE INDICES[1]

for periods indicated
1995=100

Period	Quantum Index		Price Index		Value Index		Net Terms of Trade	Purchasing Power of Exports
	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
2005	**152**	**186**	**115**	**127**	**174**	**236**	**110**	**205**
Jan	142	184	106	123	150	226	116	214
Feb	125	161	110	128	138	206	116	187
Mar	152	182	109	123	165	224	113	205
Apr	155	192	114	116	177	223	102	195
May	153	186	106	122	162	227	115	214
Jun	159	180	114	128	181	231	112	202
Jul	140	202	124	119	173	241	96	194
Aug	155	200	124	121	192	242	98	195
Sep	152	183	129	138	196	253	107	196
Oct	150	207	125	121	188	250	97	200
Nov	144	170	125	147	180	250	118	200
Dec	136	185	140	142	190	263	101	188
2006	**151**	**222**	**129**	**124**	**194**	**270**	**98**	**210**
Jan	140	152	119	150	166	229	126	192
Feb	117	171	130	139	152	237	107	183
Mar	150	225	125	126	187	284	101	227
Apr	148	232	135	116	200	269	86	199
May	143	210	141	127	201	267	90	189
Jun	160	213	128	131	205	279	102	218
Jul	157	208	127	133	200	276	105	218
Aug	169	249	131	118	221	294	90	224
Sep	147	279	134	103	197	287	77	214
Oct	166	284	128	102	212	289	80	226
Nov	161	245	127	113	204	277	89	218
Dec	151	195	125	130	189	254	104	203

[1] *Availability of data from PSA is only until 2006. This is due to the shift from the use of the 1999 Philippine Standard Commodity Classification (PSCC) that has 7-digit commodity classification codes to the 2004 PSCC that has 10-digit commodity classification codes. The system for the generation of price indices is suited only for the 7-digit commodity classification codes. Efforts of the PSA in recent years are focused on the study of chain-type indices to replace these indices.*

Source: PSA