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**Through the Ports of
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Introduction

This publication presents statistics on the value of non-oil foreign merchandise trade, which entered or exited the territory of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi through the ports of Abu Dhabi (comprising air, sea and road ports) in the year to date (Jan.-Sep.) and September 2017-2018. It should be noted that foreign trade data presented in this publication do not cover non-oil exports and imports through ports of the other Emirates in the UAE.

The data have been sourced from the Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration, and the scope of the statistics therefore is restricted to the trade flows recorded at ports under the jurisdiction of the Customs Administration. The publication highlights the relative importance of each individual component of imports, non-oil exports and re-exports.

The data are presented according to the Broad Economic Categories (BEC), the Harmonized System (HS) chapters and by country for total imports, non-oil exports and re-exports.

The Explanatory Notes section at the end of this publication defines the key terms and technical concepts used in the compilation of non-oil foreign merchandise trade statistics. Readers are encouraged to refer to that section while reading the statistics and information outlined in the publication.

Key points

Monthly non-oil foreign merchandise trade, in the year to date (Jan.-Sep.) and September 2017-2018

The value of non-oil foreign merchandise trade through Abu Dhabi ports increased by 5.3% from AED 116.1 billion in the year to date (Jan.-Sep.) 2017 to AED 122.2 billion in the same period of 2018. This was the result of a 17.8% increase in re-exports from AED 15.6 billion to AED 18.4 billion, 15.3% increase in non-oil exports, and 1.1% increase in imports.

Total trade increased by 16.8% in September 2018 compared with September 2017 due to an increase in non-oil exports, re-exports and imports by 61.2%, 26.8% and 5.9% respectively in the same period.

Statistical Tables

Table 1: Non-oil foreign merchandise trade through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi, (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Foreign trade type	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Imports	8,563	9,069	5.9	84,583	85,507	1.1
Non-oil exports	1,709	2,755	61.2	15,921	18,349	15.3
Re-exports	1,772	2,247	26.8	15,607	18,381	17.8
Total	12,044	14,070	16.8	116,110	122,237	5.3

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)

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Table 2: Non-oil exports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by Broad Economic Category (BEC), (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Broad Economic Categories (BEC)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Food and beverages	62.70	72.86	16.2	757.42	738.88	-2.4
Industrial supplies n.e.s.	1,566.90	2,542.85	62.3	14,275.75	16,473.65	15.4
Fuels and lubricants	1.95	2.23	14.4	16.53	35.60	115.4
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	32.83	78.53	139.2	250.62	544.32	117.2
Transport equipment, and parts	16.00	23.56	47.3	180.57	216.70	20.0
Consumer goods n.e.s.	27.83	34.23	23.0	427.63	314.42	-26.5
Goods n.e.s.	0.90	0.49	-45.6	12.04	25.63	112.9
Total	1,709	2,755	61.2	15,921	18,349	15.3

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)

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Table 3: Re-exports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by Broad Economic Category (BEC), (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Broad Economic Categories (BEC)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Food and beverages	13.57	18.32	35.0	145.55	148.87	2.3
Industrial supplies n.e.s.	52.22	118.75	127.4	2,705.31	961.99	-64.4
Fuels and lubricants	0.08	0.35	337.5	3.56	4.34	21.9
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	337.30	304.55	-9.7	3,111.43	3,526.46	13.3
Transport equipment, and parts	1,051.49	1,501.77	42.8	6,157.73	9,312.19	51.2
Consumer goods n.e.s.	305.07	291.33	-4.5	3,333.03	4,283.98	28.5
Goods n.e.s.	12.73	11.54	-9.3	150.16	143.52	-4.4
Total	1,772	2,247	26.8	15,607	18,381	17.8

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Table 4: Imports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by Broad Economic Category (BEC), (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Broad Economic Categories (BEC)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Food and beverages	492.78	519.97	5.5	4,592.57	4,673.58	1.8
Industrial supplies n.e.s.	2,700.44	4,455.07	65.0	31,084.59	36,385.41	17.1
Fuels and lubricants	24.81	44.60	79.8	333.56	458.68	37.5
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	1,620.74	1,349.50	-16.7	17,726.36	13,614.41	-23.2
Transport equipment, and parts	2,199.61	2,131.68	-3.1	24,658.43	23,466.13	-4.8
Consumer goods n.e.s.	1,483.49	562.12	-62.1	5,582.36	6,836.41	22.5
Goods n.e.s.	40.72	5.62	-86.2	604.78	72.05	-88.1
Total	8,563	9,069	5.9	84,583	85,507	1.1

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)

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Table 5: Non-oil exports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by Harmonized System Classification, (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Total	1,709	2,755	61.2	15,921	18,349	15.3
Live animals	2.16	5.57	157.9	51.65	45.08	-12.7
Meat and edible offal	0.18	0.83	361.1	2.94	11.81	301.7
Fish, crustaceans and mollusks	0.02	0.02	..	0.23	0.30	30.4
Dairy produce, birds eggs and honey	13.74	14.63	6.5	125.60	140.11	11.6
Products of animal origin, n.e.s.	-	-	..	-	-	..
Live trees, plants; bulbs, roots and cut flowers	-	-	..	0.18	0.38	111.1
Edible vegetables and roots	0.18	0.19	5.6	3.16	2.25	-28.8
Edible fruit, nuts	1.10	0.20	-81.8	61.12	24.34	-60.2
Coffee, tea, mate and spices	-	0.02	..	0.64	0.88	37.5
Cereals	0.05	0.83	1,560.0	7.62	4.81	-36.9
Products of the milling industry	0.06	0.08	33.3	7.54	6.85	-9.2
Oil seeds; grains, seeds and fruits	-	0.09	..	1.65	0.99	-40.0
Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps	0.03	0.01	-66.7	0.20	0.05	-75.0
Vegetable plaiting materials	-	-	..	0.01	-	..
Animal or vegetable fats and oils	11.41	5.80	-49.2	131.91	89.49	-32.2
Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans	20.83	33.06	58.7	224.95	283.15	25.9
Sugars and sugar confectionery	0.05	0.03	-40.0	0.87	0.51	-41.4
Cocoa and cocoa preparations	-	-	..	0.58	3.10	434.5
Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk	0.29	0.35	20.7	5.77	4.24	-26.5
Preparations of vegetables, fruit and nuts	0.65	0.37	-43.1	7.80	7.95	1.9
Miscellaneous edible preparations	5.19	3.85	-25.8	44.34	40.37	-9.0
Beverages, spirits and vinegar	6.57	6.50	-1.1	78.11	69.64	-10.8
Residues and waste from the food industries	1.85	1.54	-16.8	40.47	18.12	-55.2
Tobacco and manufactured substitutes	-	-	..	0.01	2.41	24,000.0
Salt; sulfur; earths and stone	7.76	4.08	-47.4	67.63	49.53	-26.8

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Ores, slag and ash	-	-	..	20.28	2.40	-88.2
Mineral fuels and mineral oils	1.91	2.91	52.4	17.63	36.94	109.5
Inorganic chemicals	1.40	2.97	112.1	11.88	20.24	70.4
Organic chemicals	3.07	2.03	-33.9	20.73	17.24	-16.8
Pharmaceutical products	1.01	1.01	..	18.26	13.27	-27.3
Fertilizers	2.34	4.83	106.4	35.61	33.06	-7.2
Tanning extracts; dyes and paints	0.99	2.82	184.8	17.82	27.14	52.3
Essential oils; perfumery and cosmetics	0.32	0.60	87.5	31.12	5.87	-81.1
Soap, washing preparations, waxes and candles	5.21	5.53	6.1	69.02	56.09	-18.7
Modified starches and glues	-	-	..	0.30	0.12	-60.0
Explosives; pyrotechnic products and matches	-	-	..	-	0.01	..
Photographic or cinematographic goods	0.01	-	..	0.10	0.09	-10.0
Miscellaneous chemical products	4.77	8.25	73.0	35.90	66.85	86.2
Plastics and articles thereof	570.89	1,060.07	85.7	7,218.27	6,906.43	-4.3
Rubber and articles thereof	0.25	7.60	2,940.0	3.33	9.64	189.5
Raw hides and skins and leather	-	0.12	..	0.98	1.26	28.6
Articles of leather; saddlery; travel goods and handbags	0.10	0.01	-90.0	0.75	2.23	197.3
Furskin and artificial fur	-	-	..	0.03	-	..
Wood, articles of wood and charcoal	0.74	3.20	332.4	8.17	54.05	561.6
Cork and articles of cork	-	-	..	0.70	0.15	-78.6
Manufactures of straw, basket ware and wickerwork	0.02	0.03	50.0	0.53	0.67	26.4
Pulp of wood; waste and scrap of paper	-	-	..	0.15	0.37	146.7
Paper; articles of paper pulp and paperboard	26.54	35.62	34.2	253.05	348.07	37.5
Printed books, newspapers and pictures	4.03	19.28	378.4	19.85	108.35	445.8
Silk	-	-	..	0.08	0.58	625.0
Wool, animal hair and woven fabric	0.22	-	..	0.65	-	..
Cotton	-	-	..	0.14	0.01	-92.9
Other vegetable textile fibers and paper yarn	-	-	..	0.01	-	..
Man-made filaments	0.67	0.34	-49.3	5.02	5.57	11.0

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Man-made staple fibers	1.25	0.67	-46.4	12.08	23.99	98.6
Wadding, felt; twine, cordage, ropes and cables	0.03	0.14	366.7	1.35	1.11	-17.8
Carpets and textile floor coverings	6.65	7.05	6.0	68.80	63.89	-7.1
Woven fabrics; textile fabrics; lace and , tapestries	-	-	..	0.47	0.14	-70.2
Coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics	-	-	..	2.46	0.28	-88.6
Knitted or crocheted fabrics	-	-	..	0.04	-	..
Clothing, knitted or crocheted	0.45	0.11	-75.6	15.53	7.38	-52.5
Clothing not knitted or crocheted	6.75	0.45	-93.3	60.91	12.74	-79.1
Other textile articles and worn clothing	0.51	1.19	133.3	6.35	4.52	-28.8
Footwear, gaiters and parts	0.21	-	..	1.46	0.85	-41.8
Headgear and parts thereof	-	-	..	-	0.02	..
Umbrellas, walking sticks, whips and riding-crops	0.02	-	..	0.46	0.12	-73.9
Feathers, down and articles thereof; artificial flowers	0.01	-	..	0.03	0.02	-33.3
Articles of stone, plaster, cement and asbestos	3.45	6.56	90.1	44.73	45.79	2.4
Ceramic products	0.34	0.54	58.8	1.58	16.36	935.4
Glass and glassware	3.33	6.25	87.7	44.02	90.77	106.2
Pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, imitation jewelry	4.58	54.28	1,085.2	296.00	691.15	133.5
Iron and steel	48.27	153.50	218.0	733.76	1,324.22	80.5
Articles of iron or steel	52.79	52.25	-1.0	704.33	693.91	-1.5
Copper and articles thereof	143.40	258.30	80.1	1,788.21	2,432.55	36.0
Nickel and articles thereof	0.04	-	..	0.33	0.24	-27.3
Aluminum and articles thereof	684.32	862.16	26.0	2,981.71	3,019.26	1.3
Lead and articles thereof	-	-	..	-	0.03	..
Zinc and articles thereof	0.01	-	..	0.52	0.98	88.5
Tin and articles thereof	-	0.01	..	0.08	0.01	-87.5
Other base metals and articles thereof	0.06	-	..	0.39	0.19	-51.3
Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks	0.04	-	..	0.41	1.02	148.8
Miscellaneous articles of base metal	0.34	18.07	5,214.7	11.21	576.65	5,044.1

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; nuclear reactors	13.86	61.05	340.5	118.04	398.12	237.3
Electrical machinery; sound and television recorders	12.31	9.10	-26.1	108.25	75.96	-29.8
Locomotives, rolling-stock, railway track fixtures and fittings	-	0.26	..	7.15	1.74	-75.7
Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock	9.58	12.84	34.0	59.83	62.97	5.2
Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof	5.12	2.05	-60.0	38.23	86.81	127.1
Ships, boats and floating structures	11.64	10.98	-5.7	91.19	166.74	82.8
Optical, photographic, cinematographic and medical instruments	0.12	0.84	600.0	25.02	8.21	-67.2
Clocks and watches and parts thereof	-	-	..	0.03	2.06	6,766.7
Musical instruments; parts and accessories	-	-	..	-	-	..
Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories	-	-	..	-	-	..
Furniture; bedding, mattresses, cushions; lamps, prefabricated buildings	2.11	0.33	-84.4	27.63	9.63	-65.1
Toys, games and sports requisites and parts	-	-	..	0.02	0.10	400.0
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	-	0.02	..	0.51	0.13	-74.5
Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	-	-	..	0.01	0.04	300.0
Special classification provisions	0.90	0.49	-45.6	12.04	5.52	-54.2

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Table 6: Re-exports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by Harmonized System Classification, (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Total	1,772	2,247	26.8	15,607	18,381	17.8
Live animals	0.53	1.01	90.6	7.59	6.09	-19.8
Meat and edible offal	0.34	1.30	282.4	3.88	5.40	39.2
Fish, crustaceans and mollusks	-	-	..	0.17	0.07	-58.8
Dairy produce, birds eggs and honey	0.22	0.22	..	4.66	4.13	-11.4
Products of animal origin, n.e.s.	-	-	..	-	-	..
Live trees, plants; bulbs, roots and cut flowers	0.01	-	..	0.20	0.05	-75.0
Edible vegetables and roots	0.07	0.11	57.1	5.74	0.97	-83.1
Edible fruit, nuts	0.29	0.73	151.7	3.58	4.73	32.1
Coffee, tea, mate and spices	0.09	1.34	1,388.9	0.55	10.27	1,767.3
Cereals	0.10	0.10	..	4.15	1.66	-60.0
Products of the milling industry	0.01	0.01	..	2.31	0.17	-92.6
Oil seeds; grains, seeds and fruits	-	0.01	..	1.34	0.37	-72.4
Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps	-	0.06	..	0.87	0.16	-81.6
Vegetable plaiting materials	-	-	..	0.21	0.01	-95.2
Animal or vegetable fats and oils	0.10	0.07	-30.0	0.97	0.83	-14.4
Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans	0.01	-	..	0.17	0.16	-5.9
Sugars and sugar confectionery	0.05	0.68	1,260.0	2.72	5.68	108.8
Cocoa and cocoa preparations	1.80	2.47	37.2	15.39	15.72	2.1
Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk	0.15	0.40	166.7	1.97	2.73	38.6
Preparations of vegetables, fruit and nuts	0.69	0.92	33.3	5.56	11.43	105.6
Miscellaneous edible preparations	1.06	0.32	-69.8	5.72	3.85	-32.7
Beverages, spirits and vinegar	8.06	8.62	6.9	80.76	75.32	-6.7
Residues and waste from the food industries	-	-	..	0.10	0.13	30.0
Tobacco and manufactured substitutes	34.07	4.94	-85.5	312.65	43.92	-86.0
Salt; sulfur; earths and stone	0.08	0.02	-75.0	1.97	21.11	971.6

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	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Ores, slag and ash	0.19	0.23	21.1	2.63	3.55	35.0
Mineral fuels and mineral oils	0.03	0.02	-33.3	1.83	2.50	36.6
Inorganic chemicals	1.44	1.54	6.9	12.45	21.42	72.0
Organic chemicals	0.41	1.29	214.6	5.09	6.50	27.7
Pharmaceutical products	0.02	0.01	-50.0	13.08	0.28	-97.9
Fertilizers	-	-	..	-	-	..
Tanning extracts; dyes and paints	1.02	3.03	197.1	7.62	10.26	34.6
Essential oils; perfumery and cosmetics	60.38	92.93	53.9	670.04	875.82	30.7
Soap, washing preparations, waxes and candles	2.25	1.43	-36.4	21.66	15.61	-27.9
Modified starches and glues	0.17	1.14	570.6	2.95	2.97	0.7
Explosives; pyrotechnic products and matches	0.01	-	..	0.02	0.09	350.0
Photographic or cinematographic goods	3.30	0.45	-86.4	21.53	2.54	-88.2
Miscellaneous chemical products	1.17	1.37	17.1	10.94	13.22	20.8
Plastics and articles thereof	7.96	12.84	61.3	91.89	102.02	11.0
Rubber and articles thereof	4.78	2.87	-40.0	87.89	61.95	-29.5
Raw hides and skins and leather	-	0.50	..	0.01	0.52	5,100.0
Articles of leather; saddlery; travel goods and handbags	10.66	9.16	-14.1	80.99	82.48	1.8
Furskin and artificial fur	-	-	..	0.21	-	..
Wood, articles of wood and charcoal	0.53	0.17	-67.9	6.09	4.81	-21.0
Cork and articles of cork	0.03	0.12	300.0	1.23	1.11	-9.8
Manufactures of straw, basket ware and wickerwork	0.29	0.13	-55.2	6.49	1.72	-73.5
Pulp of wood; waste and scrap of paper	-	-	..	0.97	0.09	-90.7
Paper; articles of paper pulp and paperboard	3.96	7.59	91.7	62.12	59.45	-4.3
Printed books, newspapers and pictures	2.30	1.74	-24.3	26.90	20.63	-23.3
Silk	-	-	..	0.54	0.15	-72.2
Wool, animal hair and woven fabric	-	-	..	-	0.05	..
Cotton	-	0.22	..	2.79	8.61	208.6
Other vegetable textile fibers and paper yarn	-	0.21	..	-	0.23	..
Man-made filaments	-	0.01	..	1.53	0.20	-86.9

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	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Man-made staple fibers	0.03	0.04	33.3	0.46	0.54	17.4
Wadding, felt; twine, cordage, ropes and cables	0.31	0.11	-64.5	1.08	0.93	-13.9
Carpets and textile floor coverings	0.04	0.26	550.0	2.01	2.78	38.3
Woven fabrics; textile fabrics; lace and , tapestries	-	0.03	..	0.18	0.24	33.3
Coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics	0.96	-	..	6.08	2.30	-62.2
Knitted or crocheted fabrics	-	-	..	1.80	0.12	-93.3
Clothing, knitted or crocheted	122.85	102.11	-16.9	1,349.04	1,189.02	-11.9
Clothing not knitted or crocheted	12.97	26.11	101.3	219.35	194.62	-11.3
Other textile articles and worn clothing	1.73	1.99	15.0	29.38	15.05	-48.8
Footwear, gaiters and parts	26.16	18.04	-31.0	240.06	170.93	-28.8
Headgear and parts thereof	0.48	0.84	75.0	7.19	6.63	-7.8
Umbrellas, walking sticks, whips and riding-crops	-	0.04	..	0.68	0.16	-76.5
Feathers, down and articles thereof; artificial flowers	0.02	0.02	..	0.50	1.06	112.0
Articles of stone, plaster, cement and asbestos	1.19	4.26	258.0	23.57	30.03	27.4
Ceramic products	0.70	1.37	95.7	30.44	15.57	-48.9
Glass and glassware	2.47	2.42	-2.0	16.33	14.03	-14.1
Pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, imitation jewelry	0.81	30.24	3,633.3	2,156.13	201.69	-90.6
Iron and steel	0.20	0.63	215.0	4.02	4.89	21.6
Articles of iron or steel	14.73	21.91	48.7	140.16	173.52	23.8
Copper and articles thereof	0.02	1.18	5,800.0	0.76	14.41	1,796.1
Nickel and articles thereof	0.13	0.41	215.4	1.48	1.52	2.7
Aluminum and articles thereof	0.52	0.34	-34.6	9.41	6.33	-32.7
Lead and articles thereof	0.01	-	..	0.17	-	..
Zinc and articles thereof	0.02	0.02	0.0	0.89	1.24	39.3
Tin and articles thereof	0.39	0.02	-94.9	0.62	0.50	-19.4
Other base metals and articles thereof	0.01	0.04	300.0	0.13	0.18	38.5
Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks	14.44	3.45	-76.1	42.38	26.75	-36.9
Miscellaneous articles of base metal	1.11	5.09	358.6	20.96	27.39	30.7
Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; nuclear reactors	264.56	442.25	67.2	2,753.96	2,919.32	6.0

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Electrical machinery; sound and television recorders	152.36	142.03	-6.8	1,346.46	1,476.24	9.6
Locomotives, rolling-stock, railway track fixtures and fittings	0.68	0.99	45.6	8.78	13.10	49.2
Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock	413.77	819.98	98.2	2,859.79	6,347.40	122.0
Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof	528.09	363.09	-31.2	2,188.87	1,311.59	-40.1
Ships, boats and floating structures	0.64	4.21	557.8	32.94	225.20	583.7
Optical, photographic, cinematographic and medical instruments	34.58	62.80	81.6	198.05	855.13	331.8
Clocks and watches and parts thereof	0.69	1.85	168.1	8.82	29.66	236.3
Musical instruments; parts and accessories	-	-	..	1.47	0.06	-95.9
Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories	-	-	..	-	-	..
Furniture; bedding, mattresses, cushions; lamps, prefabricated buildings	7.77	9.06	16.6	96.52	92.95	-3.7
Toys, games and sports requisites and parts	5.04	4.01	-20.4	44.47	35.70	-19.7
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	0.60	1.58	163.3	9.96	12.01	20.6
Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	-	0.01	..	0.04	1,303.44	3,258,500.0
Special classification provisions	12.73	11.43	-10.2	148.69	143.38	-3.6

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)

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Table 7: Imports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by Harmonized System Classification, (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Total	8,563	9,069	5.9	84,583	85,507	1.1
Live animals	31.00	14.90	-51.9	164.92	117.29	-28.9
Meat and edible offal	58.02	76.01	31.0	558.02	630.16	12.9
Fish, crustaceans and mollusks	4.32	1.01	-76.6	46.54	27.33	-41.3
Dairy produce, birds eggs and honey	158.68	136.77	-13.8	1,471.44	1,348.34	-8.4
Products of animal origin, n.e.s.	-	-	..	0.34	0.36	5.9
Live trees, plants; bulbs, roots and cut flowers	0.38	0.60	57.9	7.55	7.46	-1.2
Edible vegetables and roots	27.58	30.03	8.9	267.96	215.57	-19.6
Edible fruit, nuts	27.18	33.91	24.8	251.71	253.45	0.7
Coffee, tea, mate and spices	2.27	4.78	110.6	46.03	44.56	-3.2
Cereals	6.73	42.95	538.2	188.98	422.39	123.5
Products of the milling industry	1.28	3.39	164.8	14.43	23.79	64.9
Oil seeds; grains, seeds and fruits	111.74	132.16	18.3	794.85	761.70	-4.2
Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps	2.08	1.41	-32.2	13.68	13.36	-2.3
Vegetable plaiting materials	0.14	0.20	42.9	2.38	1.79	-24.8
Animal or vegetable fats and oils	37.78	29.86	-21.0	330.55	288.04	-12.9
Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans	6.03	3.23	-46.4	71.51	61.29	-14.3
Sugars and sugar confectionery	5.45	8.03	47.3	57.74	56.10	-2.8
Cocoa and cocoa preparations	4.14	9.23	122.9	57.19	71.73	25.4
Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk	59.86	63.93	6.8	558.57	523.48	-6.3
Preparations of vegetables, fruit and nuts	39.16	32.41	-17.2	395.69	387.76	-2.0
Miscellaneous edible preparations	18.87	24.97	32.3	190.60	168.89	-11.4
Beverages, spirits and vinegar	3.20	4.94	54.4	32.47	35.37	8.9
Residues and waste from the food industries	4.40	22.79	418.0	255.10	232.12	-9.0
Tobacco and manufactured substitutes	0.07	0.01	-85.7	3.03	2.53	-16.5
Salt; sulfur; earths and stone	34.54	43.92	27.2	366.07	694.21	89.6
Ores, slag and ash	117.97	214.11	81.5	1,881.77	1,979.40	5.2

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Mineral fuels and mineral oils	172.09	44.62	-74.1	931.74	1,213.63	30.3
Inorganic chemicals	317.18	221.95	-30.0	2,698.58	3,143.55	16.5
Organic chemicals	21.54	40.66	88.8	275.83	368.97	33.8
Pharmaceutical products	111.31	180.40	62.1	1,147.80	1,549.59	35.0
Fertilizers	3.64	3.34	-8.2	35.92	39.51	10.0
Tanning extracts; dyes and paints	22.61	28.29	25.1	245.98	271.46	10.4
Essential oils; perfumery and cosmetics	28.70	27.05	-5.7	323.05	269.07	-16.7
Soap, washing preparations, waxes and candles	75.61	90.38	19.5	772.92	767.64	-0.7
Modified starches and glues	4.81	3.77	-21.6	38.52	34.61	-10.2
Explosives; pyrotechnic products and matches	0.72	0.74	2.8	30.31	12.34	-59.3
Photographic or cinematographic goods	0.44	2.15	388.6	9.24	12.19	31.9
Miscellaneous chemical products	45.38	133.24	193.6	522.83	808.81	54.7
Plastics and articles thereof	269.12	311.72	15.8	2,572.29	2,707.74	5.3
Rubber and articles thereof	59.17	53.61	-9.4	551.56	530.03	-3.9
Raw hides and skins and leather	0.60	0.18	-70.0	12.98	5.18	-60.1
Articles of leather; saddlery; travel goods and handbags	3.98	8.11	103.8	47.67	37.30	-21.8
Furskin and artificial fur	0.01	0.04	300.0	0.17	0.25	47.1
Wood, articles of wood and charcoal	6.91	15.30	121.4	81.43	130.82	60.7
Cork and articles of cork	0.33	0.15	-54.5	104.19	1.95	-98.1
Manufactures of straw, basket ware and wickerwork	0.37	0.29	-21.6	3.09	2.97	-3.9
Pulp of wood; waste and scrap of paper	33.55	52.50	56.5	249.49	409.69	64.2
Paper; articles of paper pulp and paperboard	35.76	52.60	47.1	427.37	429.06	0.4
Printed books, newspapers and pictures	18.34	10.15	-44.7	136.20	76.12	-44.1
Silk	0.94	0.56	-40.4	12.76	11.85	-7.1
Wool, animal hair and woven fabric	0.17	0.19	11.8	7.86	7.00	-10.9
Cotton	0.56	1.96	250.0	19.60	14.80	-24.5
Other vegetable textile fibers and paper yarn	0.10	0.17	70.0	0.54	0.89	64.8
Man-made filaments	2.51	5.04	100.8	31.88	42.13	32.2
Man-made staple fibers	9.65	3.35	-65.3	45.34	18.81	-58.5

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Wadding, felt; twine, cordage, ropes and cables	7.76	10.52	35.6	60.67	82.01	35.2
Carpets and textile floor coverings	4.65	4.96	6.7	78.64	34.77	-55.8
Woven fabrics; textile fabrics; lace and , tapestries	1.00	0.22	-78.0	7.82	3.65	-53.3
Coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics	7.81	2.67	-65.8	22.25	22.43	0.8
Knitted or crocheted fabrics	1.43	0.48	-66.4	4.53	5.74	26.7
Clothing, knitted or crocheted	4.28	6.65	55.4	81.98	85.54	4.3
Clothing not knitted or crocheted	18.12	11.47	-36.7	221.58	157.48	-28.9
Other textile articles and worn clothing	5.83	5.10	-12.5	59.17	50.17	-15.2
Footwear, gaiters and parts	7.89	5.89	-25.3	85.73	62.46	-27.1
Headgear and parts thereof	1.50	0.73	-51.3	28.88	14.23	-50.7
Umbrellas, walking sticks, whips and riding-crops	0.10	0.07	-30.0	3.84	1.75	-54.4
Feathers, down and articles thereof; artificial flowers	0.08	0.28	250.0	4.57	1.43	-68.7
Articles of stone, plaster, cement and asbestos	45.78	65.70	43.5	476.50	528.07	10.8
Ceramic products	26.93	15.18	-43.6	192.14	126.53	-34.1
Glass and glassware	30.55	37.97	24.3	348.76	346.77	-0.6
Pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, imitation jewelry	86.71	543.87	527.2	4,034.70	4,229.82	4.8
Iron and steel	267.88	267.63	-0.1	2,111.45	3,241.42	53.5
Articles of iron or steel	221.76	1,328.66	499.1	5,418.35	6,828.63	26.0
Copper and articles thereof	657.17	697.13	6.1	5,445.18	5,845.09	7.3
Nickel and articles thereof	3.76	13.90	269.7	61.77	122.88	98.9
Aluminum and articles thereof	45.30	43.03	-5.0	504.96	547.72	8.5
Lead and articles thereof	-	1.83	..	57.91	11.00	-81.0
Zinc and articles thereof	32.60	24.36	-25.3	187.96	220.31	17.2
Tin and articles thereof	0.01	0.03	200.0	1.70	2.76	62.4
Other base metals and articles thereof	8.64	5.43	-37.2	76.85	70.65	-8.1
Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks	13.55	21.97	62.1	159.23	163.26	2.5
Miscellaneous articles of base metal	11.67	14.94	28.0	222.10	111.16	-50.0
Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; nuclear reactors	1,405.97	1,170.42	-16.8	16,104.74	11,198.76	-30.5

Harmonized System Classification (HS)	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Electrical machinery; sound and television recorders	649.75	608.20	-6.4	5,173.02	5,747.99	11.1
Locomotives, rolling-stock, railway track fixtures and fittings	5.57	0.97	-82.6	43.13	16.99	-60.6
Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock	1,179.00	1,407.21	19.4	11,288.69	14,186.39	25.7
Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof	439.75	286.85	-34.8	6,302.73	4,952.96	-21.4
Ships, boats and floating structures	5.40	7.81	44.6	2,163.87	442.12	-79.6
Optical, photographic, cinematographic and medical instruments	112.95	122.71	8.6	1,411.50	1,353.53	-4.1
Clocks and watches and parts thereof	9.29	28.71	209.0	150.44	152.09	1.1
Musical instruments; parts and accessories	0.27	0.43	59.3	2.38	2.79	17.2
Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories	34.23	-	-	442.14	-	-
Furniture; bedding, mattresses, cushions; lamps, prefabricated buildings	42.52	28.17	-33.7	353.87	270.03	-23.7
Toys, games and sports requisites and parts	12.97	4.68	-63.9	139.10	100.95	-27.4
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	37.80	37.66	-0.4	299.84	297.39	-0.8
Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques	1,099.52	0.48	..	1,281.44	2,544.89	98.6
Special classification provisions	5.90	5.50	-6.8	100.26	35.64	-64.5

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)

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Table 8: Non-oil exports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by country in (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Country	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Total	1,709	2,755	61.2	15,921	18,349	15.3
Saudi Arabia	192.64	323.35	67.9	1,845.23	2,979.10	61.4
China	252.60	461.16	82.6	3,173.67	2,552.80	-19.6
India	96.20	227.95	137.0	1,232.13	1,880.91	52.7
United States of America	369.95	522.76	41.3	1,480.28	1,809.47	22.2
Oman	106.82	106.45	-0.3	865.36	1,089.73	25.9
Netherlands	79.13	157.93	99.6	654.80	865.55	32.2
Egypt	20.69	93.15	350.2	468.60	677.17	44.5
Kingdom of Bahrain	41.90	84.08	100.7	308.11	672.52	118.3
Kuwait	57.27	60.86	6.3	579.89	629.57	8.6
Singapore	57.19	72.06	26.0	795.20	485.06	-39.0
Pakistan	27.44	46.94	71.1	464.67	462.66	-0.4
Bangladesh	12.30	47.57	286.7	180.18	278.38	54.5
Jordan	32.34	21.89	-32.3	263.14	275.84	4.8
Turkey	40.62	42.59	4.8	222.68	264.19	18.6
Malaysia	31.70	44.45	40.2	227.74	257.20	12.9
South Africa	37.13	29.28	-21.1	322.61	242.88	-24.7
Italy	63.13	58.76	-6.9	280.45	209.36	-25.3
Kenya	9.17	18.99	107.1	136.03	176.83	30.0
Belgium	6.63	15.69	136.7	46.41	127.05	173.8
Switzerland	-	-	..	127.08	122.71	-3.4
Canada	0.08	1.28	1,500.0	85.59	121.77	42.3
Indonesia	5.66	16.59	193.1	42.94	118.37	175.7
Taiwan	11.38	32.94	189.5	31.13	108.92	249.9
Syrian Arab Republic	5.77	13.12	127.4	23.59	107.89	357.4
Spain	21.35	19.92	-6.7	108.79	106.68	-1.9
Australia	1.56	15.34	883.3	16.58	97.76	489.6
Philippines	0.07	1.52	2,071.4	19.20	96.15	400.8
Thailand	14.46	12.42	-14.1	81.24	89.30	9.9
Algeria	3.54	11.66	229.4	78.49	85.33	8.7
Sudan (new)	6.80	11.40	67.6	157.06	83.39	-46.9
Vietnam	5.24	9.90	88.9	34.98	82.96	137.2
United Kingdom	1.40	12.89	820.7	56.94	81.26	42.7

Country	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Germany	12.61	8.69	-31.1	37.63	80.08	112.8
Lebanon	17.17	12.21	-28.9	86.76	71.90	-17.1
South Korea	14.81	10.40	-29.8	56.18	66.56	18.5
Tanzania	5.38	5.99	11.3	41.50	66.50	60.2
Mexico	10.58	13.21	24.9	88.78	64.13	-27.8
Tunisia	4.22	8.56	102.8	31.75	59.15	86.3
France	5.93	2.71	-54.3	45.21	51.92	14.8
Ethiopia	4.33	5.10	17.8	19.06	49.47	159.5
Panama	0.10	-	..	0.10	48.71	48,610.0
Yemen	3.24	7.02	116.7	34.85	40.82	17.1
Morocco	0.63	1.20	90.5	28.07	35.10	25.0
Uganda	0.86	3.34	288.4	12.17	32.12	163.9
Djibouti	0.32	4.92	1,437.5	59.42	30.10	-49.3
Nepal	0.93	5.02	439.8	14.14	27.36	93.5
Hong Kong	0.44	11.13	2,429.5	5.75	27.19	372.9
Zimbabwe	-	-	..	-	25.70	..
Iraq	0.67	2.66	297.0	27.47	24.22	-11.8
Greece	0.11	4.21	3,727.3	2.02	23.68	1,072.3
Sri Lanka	0.02	8.67	43,250.0	7.99	23.05	188.5
Angola	-	-	..	1.10	22.00	1,900.0
Portugal	-	1.06	..	5.53	19.88	259.5
Japan	0.36	4.57	1,169.4	18.28	18.53	1.4
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	-	9.45	..	-	18.44	..
Russian Federation	0.42	2.05	388.1	11.64	17.26	48.3
Brazil	1.25	9.55	664.0	8.67	15.86	82.9
Nigeria	3.16	0.25	-92.1	14.02	13.57	-3.2
Ireland	-	0.71	..	0.31	13.30	4,190.3
Colombia	1.16	1.48	27.6	2.21	13.12	493.7
Myanmar	1.13	2.92	158.4	1.13	11.83	946.9
Peru	-	1.15	..	1.13	11.12	884.1
Ukraine	0.22	0.36	63.6	7.10	9.43	32.8
Mauritania	1.05	0.37	-64.8	8.96	5.88	-34.4
Others	5.82	10.90	87.3	830.91	72.45	-91.3

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)

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Table 9: Re-exports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by country, (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Country	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Total	1,772	2,247	26.8	15,607	18,381	17.8
Kuwait	230.98	207.63	-10.1	1,977.80	2,260.16	14.3
Saudi Arabia	170.27	239.02	40.4	1,906.84	2,031.95	6.6
China	347.78	227.41	-34.6	2,182.71	1,907.75	-12.6
Kingdom of Bahrain	207.32	178.44	-13.9	1,599.78	1,848.83	15.6
Germany	406.83	3.68	-99.1	834.98	1,509.29	80.8
United Kingdom	57.22	12.03	-79.0	668.41	597.02	-10.7
India	110.17	11.63	-89.4	350.49	553.29	57.9
South Korea	1.07	0.97	-9.3	24.69	491.41	1,890.3
Egypt	2.49	21.91	779.9	52.53	279.06	431.2
Jordan	24.75	32.41	30.9	223.48	259.29	16.0
France	49.07	0.72	-98.5	464.82	224.01	-51.8
Oman	33.36	23.07	-30.8	270.03	204.47	-24.3
Bangladesh	3.80	24.21	537.1	48.71	148.69	205.3
United States of America	1.16	17.76	1,431.0	61.68	120.37	95.2
Singapore	4.65	0.22	-95.3	152.60	90.54	-40.7
Spain	0.54	0.44	-18.5	4.62	64.49	1,295.9
Serbia	0.21	5.68	2,604.8	29.37	51.09	74.0
Yemen	4.89	0.81	-83.4	30.06	35.33	17.5
Turkey	0.42	0.51	21.4	5.68	33.59	491.4
Canada	0.14	0.18	28.6	31.22	30.74	-1.5
Sudan (new)	1.02	2.65	159.8	24.10	24.50	1.7
Netherlands	4.35	10.49	141.1	32.58	18.84	-42.2
Myanmar	0.02	-	..	0.19	17.71	9,221.1
South Africa	0.04	0.93	2,225.0	4.05	17.16	323.7
Luxembourg	-	-	..	-	17.06	..
Italy	1.18	0.21	-82.2	13.32	15.79	18.5
Sri Lanka	0.02	0.06	200.0	1.82	14.20	680.2
Turkmenistan	0.08	5.64	6,950.0	21.61	14.07	-34.9
Malaysia	4.61	0.93	-79.8	46.92	13.16	-72.0
Belgium	0.01	0.33	3,200.0	7.18	11.20	56.0
Pakistan	0.66	0.35	-47.0	13.42	10.81	-19.4
Hong Kong	4.34	0.30	-93.1	440.71	10.58	-97.6

Country	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Djibouti	1.66	0.21	-87.3	11.16	9.33	-16.4
Ethiopia	0.78	0.87	11.5	18.31	8.76	-52.2
Belarus	-	0.02	..	0.02	7.07	35,250.0
Australia	0.35	1.13	222.9	5.57	6.65	19.4
Morocco	0.48	0.21	-56.3	22.21	6.33	-71.5
Philippines	0.66	0.45	-31.8	8.91	5.96	-33.1
Chile	0.03	0.10	233.3	88.48	5.74	-93.5
Iraq	0.21	0.47	123.8	11.94	5.48	-54.1
Lebanon	0.07	0.60	757.1	9.67	5.16	-46.6
Indonesia	0.59	0.24	-59.3	4.52	4.71	4.2
Chad	0.06	0.39	550.0	0.57	4.55	698.2
Argentina	-	0.01	..	0.02	4.40	21,900.0
Tunisia	0.28	0.36	28.6	3.54	4.28	20.9
Algeria	1.58	0.02	-98.7	2.87	3.75	30.7
Cote d'Ivoire	-	-	..	-	3.38	..
Kazakhstan	0.85	1.58	85.9	4.47	3.30	-26.2
Hungary	-	0.02	..	0.58	2.70	365.5
Mexico	0.01	-	..	0.02	2.34	11,600.0
Seychelles	0.42	0.05	-88.1	3.45	2.31	-33.0
Switzerland	0.06	0.10	66.7	15.55	2.06	-86.8
Uzbekistan	2.99	2.05	-31.4	3.08	2.05	-33.4
Japan	0.08	0.14	75.0	2.98	1.91	-35.9
Azerbaijan	0.02	1.24	6,100.0	0.19	1.84	868.4
Austria	0.05	0.05	..	0.75	1.77	136.0
Others	87.75	1,205.67	1,274.0	3,861.52	5,349.05	38.5

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)

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Table 10: Imports through the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi by country, (Jan.-Sep.) and September, 2017-2018

Value in million AED

Country	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Total	8,563	9,069	5.9	84,583	85,507	1.1
United States of America	1,142.58	881.82	-22.8	13,117.92	10,580.57	-19.3
Saudi Arabia	852.58	1,073.26	25.9	8,325.92	9,160.64	10.0
Japan	544.40	748.19	37.4	7,380.24	8,898.56	20.6
South Korea	144.89	1,215.90	739.2	5,392.64	5,650.81	4.8
China	540.60	545.19	0.8	4,051.40	5,037.56	24.3
France	1,404.81	160.49	-88.6	4,292.74	4,746.56	10.6
India	363.92	409.56	12.5	2,424.31	4,296.12	77.2
Germany	451.93	605.24	33.9	4,020.24	3,951.83	-1.7
Congo	289.54	445.69	53.9	2,091.83	3,403.96	62.7
United Kingdom	238.15	171.87	-27.8	3,702.13	2,613.82	-29.4
Australia	296.40	125.31	-57.7	1,859.75	2,612.75	40.5
Italy	395.40	287.23	-27.4	3,341.33	2,110.74	-36.8
Islamic Republic Of Iran	92.88	49.77	-46.4	602.19	1,529.33	154.0
Hong Kong	1.41	38.25	2,612.8	1,581.33	1,481.63	-6.3
Brazil	39.56	94.73	139.5	1,609.95	1,414.96	-12.1
Kingdom of Bahrain	191.14	176.03	-7.9	1,304.41	1,409.82	8.1
Oman	65.66	69.94	6.5	1,046.66	1,398.84	33.6
Spain	102.21	124.75	22.1	882.95	1,253.98	42.0
Thailand	85.02	110.22	29.6	756.14	1,139.31	50.7
Zambia	148.47	74.83	-49.6	1,116.34	982.97	-11.9
Switzerland	31.83	89.69	181.8	575.65	850.39	47.7
Netherlands	55.58	62.62	12.7	642.69	656.06	2.1
Sweden	50.93	115.52	126.8	657.08	616.74	-6.1
Indonesia	57.39	42.64	-25.7	621.11	615.03	-1.0
Canada	29.14	60.36	107.1	468.60	598.86	27.8
South Africa	24.47	346.14	1,314.5	285.58	535.25	87.4
Austria	38.24	72.00	88.3	578.76	477.30	-17.5
Jordan	36.26	49.60	36.8	455.84	474.86	4.2
Denmark	27.51	36.35	32.1	297.43	432.06	45.3
Kuwait	75.18	49.71	-33.9	496.39	416.09	-16.2
Singapore	73.90	46.86	-36.6	1,337.95	392.26	-70.7
Belgium	26.07	20.44	-21.6	283.29	371.50	31.1
Russian Federation	3.14	28.39	804.1	497.77	362.53	-27.2

Country	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Finland	34.26	54.29	58.5	411.93	345.42	-16.1
Malaysia	35.15	19.81	-43.6	175.34	345.40	97.0
Mexico	27.22	40.10	47.3	232.95	333.91	43.3
Turkey	31.58	40.87	29.4	334.77	329.27	-1.6
Taiwan	31.55	18.37	-41.8	209.12	282.81	35.2
Norway	13.12	4.41	-66.4	241.53	274.92	13.8
Ukraine	9.34	15.77	68.8	142.09	237.77	67.3
Egypt	19.96	36.25	81.6	248.79	225.32	-9.4
Poland	30.23	27.66	-8.5	220.81	221.96	0.5
Kazakhstan	84.69	69.62	-17.8	323.17	215.20	-33.4
Vietnam	20.56	2.66	-87.1	509.31	208.37	-59.1
Ireland	24.61	29.38	19.4	234.28	181.88	-22.4
Romania	11.53	71.41	519.3	150.85	164.09	8.8
Czech Republic	25.78	12.81	-50.3	262.12	160.33	-38.8
Slovakia	9.96	36.33	264.8	77.50	153.50	98.1
Argentina	-	3.76	..	72.78	147.09	102.1
Philippines	30.47	41.31	35.6	734.52	132.91	-81.9
Sudan (new)	12.67	6.00	-52.6	98.73	125.63	27.2
Chile	2.12	19.06	799.1	26.46	107.02	304.5
Pakistan	4.58	6.66	45.4	38.86	89.80	131.1
Hungary	11.41	3.28	-71.3	128.79	84.25	-34.6
Lebanon	34.54	8.07	-76.6	133.33	73.75	-44.7
Paraguay	-	15.64	..	7.41	54.89	640.8
New Zealand	4.13	3.71	-10.2	50.22	42.94	-14.5
Greece	5.75	2.29	-60.2	38.90	42.82	10.1
State of Palestine	2.95	5.11	73.2	38.36	38.92	1.5
Luxembourg	5.60	1.46	-73.9	31.13	38.19	22.7
Portugal	2.03	4.95	143.8	48.63	32.64	-32.9
Cyprus	1.10	1.00	-9.1	27.04	31.26	15.6
Tunisia	2.63	14.71	459.3	36.76	29.11	-20.8
Tanzania	0.02	1.10	5,400.0	7.34	19.99	172.3
Slovenia	0.44	0.55	25.0	22.17	19.20	-13.4
Estonia	0.06	0.13	116.7	7.39	18.88	155.5
Morocco	1.60	3.85	140.6	35.62	18.28	-48.7
Yemen	35.98	2.57	-92.9	160.03	17.29	-89.2
Kenya	0.57	1.33	133.3	10.63	14.10	32.6
Serbia	9.32	2.52	-73.0	50.93	10.65	-79.1
Bulgaria	0.81	0.80	-1.2	23.24	10.49	-54.9

Country	September			Year -to- date (Jan.-Sep.)		
	2017	2018	Change (%)	2017	2018	Change (%)
Uruguay	2.38	-	..	14.50	10.21	-29.6
Puerto Rico	-	1.71	..	10.95	9.01	-17.7
Sri Lanka	0.73	0.70	-4.1	5.66	7.86	38.9
Colombia	0.08	0.18	125.0	0.79	6.62	738.0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0.16	0.41	156.3	6.43	6.53	1.6
Bangladesh	1.48	0.46	-68.9	7.83	6.28	-19.8
Peru	0.79	0.55	-30.4	4.03	4.50	11.7
Malta	0.54	0.83	53.7	4.07	3.06	-24.8
Latvia	0.01	0.06	500.0	13.13	3.02	-77.0
Croatia	0.17	0.15	-11.8	9.03	2.97	-67.1
Belarus	-	-	..	9.34	2.92	-68.7
Lithuania	0.16	0.01	-93.8	12.97	2.90	-77.6
Namibia	0.03	-	..	0.30	2.74	813.3
Costa Rica	0.02	0.34	1,600.0	1.30	2.33	79.2
Cambodia	0.05	0.30	500.0	1.06	2.13	100.9
Ecuador	0.17	0.06	-64.7	0.72	1.19	65.3
Nicaragua	-	-	..	0.01	1.16	11,500.0
Others	56.26	4.61	-91.8	2,778.09	77.28	-97.2

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Explanatory notes

Technical notes

Data source

Data are obtained from Department of Finance – Customs Administration. The data are processed and passed to Statistic Centre – Abu Dhabi for further editing, compilation and reclassified according to statistical classifications for foreign trade.

Valuation

In line with the World Customs Organization (WCO) agreement on valuation:

- Exports (including re-exports) are valued free on board (fob), which represents the value at the export border, and includes inland freight costs and packaging
- Imports are valued on the cost insurance and freight (c.i.f.) basis, which represents the value at the import border, and includes the additional cost of freight and insurance in transporting the goods internationally

Revision Policy

Monthly estimates of Foreign Trade are released on the following schedule: “Preliminary” estimates, based on administrative data that are incomplete or subject to further revision by the source agency, are released near the end of the second month after the end of the reference month. No further updates are incorporated into the monthly Foreign Trade until the source finalize its data four months after the end of the reference calendar year.

These revisions are necessary to incorporate definition and classification changes or to reflect the introduction of new and improved methodologies and new data.

Notes on Tables

- Changes (levels and %) in all tables are based on unrounded numbers.
- Relative importance is calculated as the ratio between the value of the sub-group and the total value for all groups, expressed as a percentage.
- Totals in some tables may not add up due to rounding.
- The data for 2018 are preliminary, and may be revised.

Symbols used

‘-’ nil or rounded to zero

‘..’ Not applicable

n.e.s. denotes ‘not elsewhere specified’

Glossary

This publication contains certain terms specific to foreign merchandise trade and necessary when analyzing the trade statistics of Abu Dhabi Emirate. They include the following terms:

Classifications

The non-oil foreign merchandise trade statistics are presented in accordance with the two main internationally recommended output classifications: Harmonized System (HS) and Broad Economic Categories (BEC).

If users require statistics by the detailed Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS), these are available from SCAD on request. The HS is an input classification, and is the basis on which traders' record goods with Customs.

Imports

Imports are goods that enter Abu Dhabi's customs and economic district from various parts of the world, excluding other emirates in the United Arab Emirates, and receive customs clearance. Goods are considered imports regardless of whether they enter the Emirate directly or are retrieved from customs warehouses, temporary entry areas or free zones inside the country. These goods receive customs clearance in order to become part of Abu Dhabi's merchandise balance.

Merchandise Trade

Foreign Merchandise Trade statistics record goods, which add to or subtract from the stock of material resources of Abu Dhabi by entering or leaving its territory. Throughout this publication, the term merchandise trade statistics refers to trade which moves through the ports of Abu Dhabi only, and do not capture inter-emirate trade activity.

Non-oil Exports

Non-oil exports include goods that are entirely produced locally or in whose production process local resources are used. Non-oil exports through the ports of Abu Dhabi September include goods that were produced in other Emirates in the United Arab Emirates. Oil is excluded from these goods. These goods leave Abu Dhabi's customs and economic district to the outside world, reducing the Emirate's non-oil merchandise trade deficit.

Re-exports

Re-exports represent goods that are imported from abroad, enter Abu Dhabi's customs and economic district and become part of the Emirate's merchandise balance. These goods are then re-exported as they are, without any modification, outside the country.

Preliminary estimates

Estimates that have been calculated using only secondary data sources and methods. Users of this data should be aware that preliminary estimates will be revised when primary data sources become available for that time period.

More information

For more information about foreign trade and other official statistics for Abu Dhabi Emirate, please visit the statistics link on the SCAD website at <http://www.scad.gov.abudhabi>

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