



# **THE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS**

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## EXTERNAL TRADE US\$000

	JAN 1/ 2003	JAN 2/ 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS(F.O.B)	98897	126787	27890	28.2
TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS(C.I.F)	385670	299318	-86352	-22.4
TRADE BALANCE	-286773	-172531	114242	39.8

## VALUE OF TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS US\$000

	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
0.FOOD	10308	11163	855	8.3
1.BEVER. & TOBAC	3124	3396	272	8.7
2.CRUDE MATS	61080	77548	16468	27.0
3.MINERAL FUELS	3052	3663	611	20.0
4.ANI.& VEG OILS	1	0	-1	-100.0
5.CHEMICALS	4033	12209	8176	202.7
6.MANUF. GOODS	596	698	102	17.1
7.MACH.& TRANSP.	980	920	-60	-6.1
8.MISC. MANUF	1040	1726	686	66.0
9.MISC. COMMDS.	0	0	0	0.0
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE EXPS.</b>	<b>84214</b>	<b>111323</b>	<b>27109</b>	<b>32.2</b>
FREEZONE EXPORTS	12183	11464	-719	-5.9
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	2500	4000	1500	60.0
<b>TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS</b>	<b>98897</b>	<b>126787</b>	<b>27890</b>	<b>28.2</b>

## TRADITIONAL &amp; NON-TRADITIONAL EXPORTS US\$000

	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
<b>MAJOR TRAD. EXPORT</b>	<b>62265</b>	<b>78833</b>	<b>16568</b>	<b>26.6</b>
BAUXITE	6251	9208	2957	47.3
ALUMINA	54564	67977	13413	24.6
SUGAR	0	0	0	0.0
BANANAS	1450	1648	198	13.7
<b>OTHER TRAD. EXPORT</b>	<b>4030</b>	<b>4291</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>6.5</b>
CITRUS	363	450	87	24.0
COCOA	134	124	-10	-7.5
COFFEE	1538	2125	587	38.2
PIMENTO	312	243	-69	-22.1
RUM	1529	1278	-251	-16.4
GYPSUM	154	71	-83	-53.9
<b>NON-TRAD. EXPORTS</b>	<b>16410</b>	<b>25735</b>	<b>9325</b>	<b>56.8</b>
RE-EXPORTS	1509	2464	955	63.3
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE EXPS.</b>	<b>84214</b>	<b>111323</b>	<b>27109</b>	<b>32.2</b>
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VALUE OF GOODS IMPORTS BY S.I.T.C. US\$000				
	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
0.FOOD	47207	41463	-5744	-12.2
1.BEV. & TOBAC	3561	3186	-375	-10.5
2.CRUDE MATS.	3850	4398	548	14.2
3.MIN.FUEL	79951	57918	-22033	-27.6
4.ANI & VEG OIL	946	2060	1114	117.8
5.CHEMICAL	84636	37993	-46643	-55.1
6.MANUF. GOOD	37058	32845	-4213	-11.4
7.MACH.& TRANSP	87308	69125	-18183	-20.8
8.MISC.MAN.GOOD	29412	33379	3967	13.5
9.MISC. COMMDS.	6290	5384	-906	-14.4
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS</b>	<b>380219</b>	<b>287751</b>	<b>-92468</b>	<b>-24.3</b>
FREEZONE IMPORTS	2251	5167	2916	129.5
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	3200	6400	3200	100.0
<b>TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS</b>	<b>385670</b>	<b>299318</b>	<b>-86352</b>	<b>-22.4</b>
GOODS IMPORTS BY END-USE US\$000				
	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
<b>CONSUMER GOODS</b>	<b>97393</b>	<b>84983</b>	<b>-12410</b>	<b>-12.7</b>
FOOD	26768	24608	-2160	-8.1
OTH. NON-DURS.	30177	25590	-4587	-15.2
* DURABLES	40448	34785	-5663	-14.0
*of which motor cars	15656	12397	-3259	-20.8
<b>RAW MATERIALS</b>	<b>229642</b>	<b>155602</b>	<b>-74040</b>	<b>-32.2</b>
FUELS	79952	58021	-21931	-27.4
OTHER RAW MAT.	149690	97581	-52109	-34.8
<b>CAPITAL GOODS</b>	<b>53184</b>	<b>47166</b>	<b>-6018</b>	<b>-11.3</b>
* TRANSP & EQP.	8550	4546	-4004	-46.8
*of which motor cars	223	86	-137	-61.4
CONST. MATS.	9397	10398	1001	10.7
OTHER MACH.	34537	31669	-2868	-8.3
OTHER CAPITAL	700	553	-147	-21.0
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS</b>	<b>380219</b>	<b>287751</b>	<b>-92468</b>	<b>-24.3</b>
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GOODS IMPORTS BY END USE US\$000 (BAUXITE/NON-BAUXITE)				
	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
<b>FUEL</b>	<b>79952</b>	<b>58021</b>	<b>-21931</b>	<b>-27.4</b>
BAUXITE	16034	3676	-12358	-77.1
NON-BAUXITE	63918	54345	-9573	-15.0
OTHER BAUX. IMP.	4822	3788	-1034	-21.4
OTHER IMPORTS	295445	225942	-69503	-23.5
<b>CONSUMER GOODS</b>	<b>97277</b>	<b>84884</b>	<b>-12393</b>	<b>-12.7</b>
FOOD	26768	24521	-2247	-8.4
OTHER NON-DURB.	30147	25589	-4558	-15.1
* DURABLES	40362	34774	-5588	-13.8
*of which motor cars	15656	12396	-3260	-20.8
<b>RAW MATERIALS</b>	<b>145916</b>	<b>94223</b>	<b>-51693</b>	<b>-35.4</b>
FOOD	22019	18628	-3391	-15.4
OTHER RAW MATS.	123897	75595	-48302	-39.0
<b>CAPITAL GOODS</b>	<b>52252</b>	<b>46835</b>	<b>-5417</b>	<b>-10.4</b>
* TRANSP.& EQP.	8549	4509	-4040	-47.3
*of which motor cars	222	85	-137	-61.7
CONSTRUCTION	9154	10258	1104	12.1
OTHER CAP.	34549	32068	-2481	-7.2
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS</b>	<b>380219</b>	<b>287751</b>	<b>-92468</b>	<b>-24.3</b>
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**CARICOM IMPORTS BY S.I.T.C. US\$000**

	<b>JAN 2003</b>	<b>JAN 2004</b>	<b>CHANGE</b>	<b>%CHANGE</b>
0.FOOD	5849	7095	1246	21.3
1.BEV.& TOBAC.	2049	1519	-530	-25.9
2.CRUDE MATS.	5	40	35	700.0
3.MINERAL FUEL	26464	15093	-11371	-43.0
4.ANI.& VEG. OIL	373	314	-59	-15.8
5.CHEMICALS	2961	1146	-1815	-61.3
6.MANUF. GOODS	2678	2793	115	4.3
7.MACH & TRANSP.	336	222	-114	-33.9
8.MISC. MANUF.	723	683	-40	-5.5
9.MISC. COMMDS.	0	0	0	0.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>41438</b>	<b>28905</b>	<b>-12533</b>	<b>-30.2</b>

**CARICOM EXPORTS BY S.I.T.C. US\$000**

	<b>JAN 2003</b>	<b>JAN 2004</b>	<b>CHANGE</b>	<b>%CHANGE</b>
0.FOOD	1365	1467	102	7.5
1.BEV.& TOBAC	340	301	-39	-11.5
2.CRUDE MATS.	37	5	-32	-86.5
3.MINERAL FUELS	47	62	15	31.9
4.ANI.& VEG OIL	0	0	0	0.0
5.CHEMICAL	686	714	28	4.1
6.MANUF. GOODS	265	158	-107	-40.4
7.MACH.& TRANSP.	108	7	-101	-93.5
8.MISC MANUF.	182	318	136	74.7
9.MISC COMMDS.	0	0	0	0.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3030</b>	<b>3032</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.1</b>

**CARICOM TRADE BY COUNTRIES US\$000**

	<b>JAN 2003 EXPORTS</b>	<b>JAN 2003 IMPORTS</b>	<b>TR. BAL.</b>	<b>JAN 2004 EXPORTS</b>	<b>JAN 2004 IMPORTS</b>	<b>TR. BAL.</b>
BARBADOS	535	1320	-785	506	1750	-1244
GUYANA	155	1140	-985	195	2965	-2770
BELIZE	237	1133	-896	192	1682	-1490
ST. KITTS	179	0	179	110	0	110
ANTIGUA	224	0	224	257	0	257
MONTSERRAT	0	0	0	0	10	-10
TRIN. & TOBAG.	1018	36160	-35142	1126	21354	-20228
DOMINICA	284	1012	-728	191	391	-200
GRENADA	150	0	150	107	69	38
ST.LUCIA	129	20	109	217	2	215
ST. VINCENT	40	194	-154	100	0	100
SURINAME	79	459	-380	31	682	-651
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3030</b>	<b>41438</b>	<b>-38408</b>	<b>3032</b>	<b>28905</b>	<b>-25873</b>

**MAJOR TRADITIONALS (VOLUME, VALUE, PRICE)**

	<b>JAN 2003</b>	<b>JAN 2004</b>	<b>CHANGE</b>	<b>%CHANGE</b>	
<b>BAUXITE</b>					
Volume ('000 tonnes)	264.1	375.1	111.0	42.0	
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>6251.0</b>	<b>9208.0</b>	<b>2957.0</b>	<b>47.3</b>	0.0
Price (US \$/tonne)	23.7	24.6	0.9	3.7	
<b>ALUMINA</b>					
Volume ('000 tonnes)	312.8	353.0	40.3	12.9	
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>54564.0</b>	<b>67977.0</b>	<b>13413.0</b>	<b>24.6</b>	0.0
Price (US \$/tonne)	174.5	192.5	18.1	10.4	
<b>SUGAR</b>					
Volume ('000 tonnes)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	0.0
Price (US \$/tonne)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<b>BANANAS</b>					
Volume ('000 tonnes)	2.8	3.5	0.7	22.9	
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>1450.0</b>	<b>1648.0</b>	<b>198.0</b>	<b>13.7</b>	0.0
Price (US \$/tonne)	511.3	473.3	-38.0	-7.4	

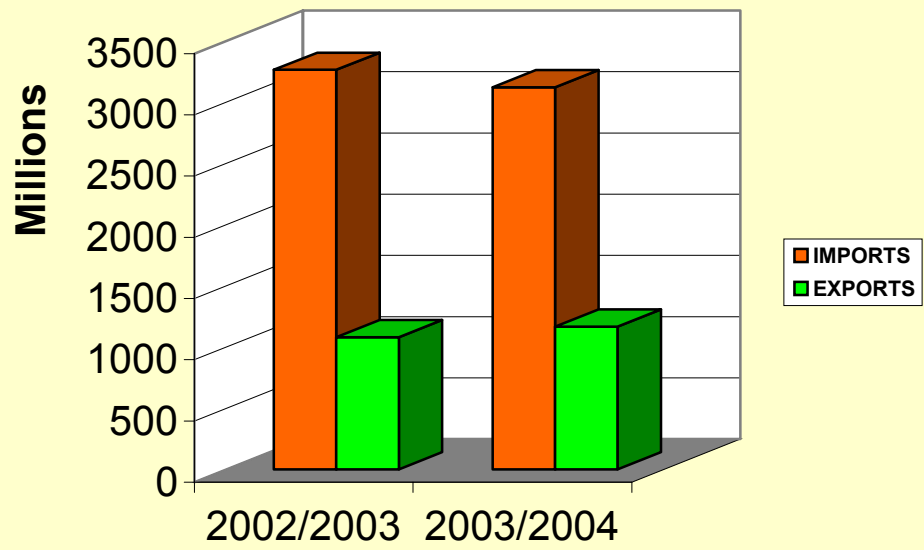
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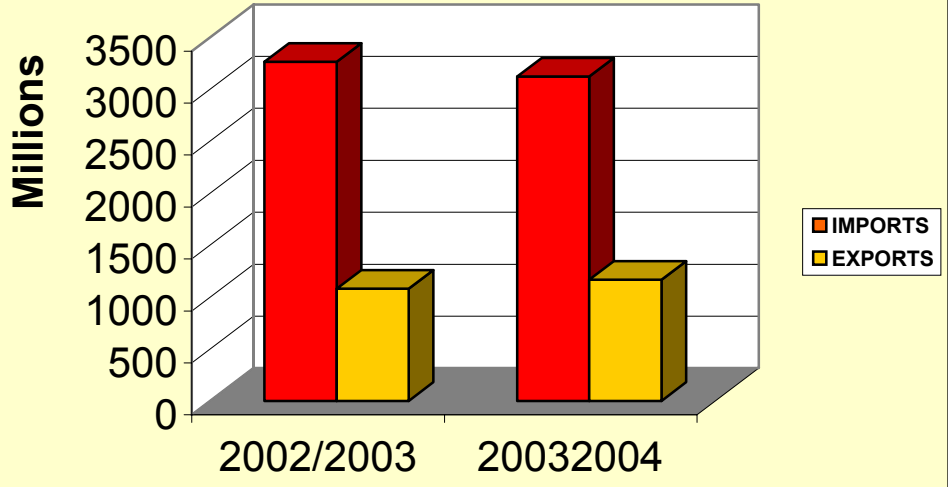
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**VALUE OF IMPORTS & EXPORT US\$Mn**  
**APRIL - JANUARY**



**CARICOM IMPORTS & EXPORT US\$Mn  
APRIL - JANUARY**





## EXTERNAL TRADE US\$000

	JAN 1/ 2003	JAN 2/ 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE	APR-JAN 1/ 2002/2003	APR-JAN 2/ 2003/2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS(F.O.B)	98897	126787	27890	28.2	1078277	1164806	86529	8.0
TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS(C.I.F)	385670	299318	-86352	-22.4	3261539	3119409	-142130	-4.4
TRADE BALANCE	-286773	-172531	114242	39.8	-2183262	-1954603	228659	10.5

## VALUE OF TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS US\$000

	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE	APR-JAN 2002/2003	APR-JAN 2003/2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
O.FOOD	10308	11163	855	8.3	151913	163233	11320	7.5
1.BEVER. & TOBAC	3124	3396	272	8.7	45334	44772	-562	-1.2
2.CRUDE MATS	61080	77548	16468	27.0	597305	677497	80192	13.4
3.MINERAL FUELS	3052	3663	611	20.0	28770	24734	-4036	-14.0
4.ANI.& VEG OILS	1	0	-1	-100.0	43	23	-20	-46.5
5.CHEMICALS	4033	12209	8176	202.7	49322	57697	8375	17.0
6.MANUF. GOODS	596	698	102	17.1	7786	8179	393	5.0
7.MACH.& TRANSP.	980	920	-60	-6.1	9221	15602	6381	69.2
8.MISC. MANUF	1040	1726	686	66.0	20079	19408	-671	-3.3
9.MISC. COMMDS.	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE EXPS.</b>	<b>84214</b>	<b>111323</b>	<b>27109</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>909773</b>	<b>1011145</b>	<b>101372</b>	<b>11.1</b>
FREEZONE EXPORTS	12183	11464	-719	-5.9	144104	127161	-16943	-11.8
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	2500	4000	1500	60.0	24400	26500	2100	8.6
<b>TOTAL GOODS EXPORTS</b>	<b>98897</b>	<b>126787</b>	<b>27890</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>1078277</b>	<b>1164806</b>	<b>86529</b>	<b>8.0</b>

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BAUXITE	6251	9208	2957	47.3	84567	77573	-6994	-8.3
ALUMINA	54564	67977	13413	24.6	507530	593852	86322	17.0
SUGAR	0	0	0	0.0	38613	40411	1798	4.7
BANANAS	1450	1648	198	13.7	14501	15773	1272	8.8
<b>OTHER TRAD. EXPORT</b>	<b>4030</b>	<b>4291</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>59726</b>	<b>52949</b>	<b>-6777</b>	<b>-11.3</b>
CITRUS	363	450	87	24.0	1593	2203	610	38.3
COCOA	134	124	-10	-7.5	1935	2821	886	45.8
COFFEE	1538	2125	587	38.2	26285	23124	-3161	-12.0
PIMENTO	312	243	-69	-22.1	1889	2479	590	31.2
RUM	1529	1278	-251	-16.4	27294	21559	-5735	-21.0
GYPSUM	154	71	-83	-53.9	730	763	33	4.5
<b>NON-TRAD. EXPORTS</b>	<b>16410</b>	<b>25735</b>	<b>9325</b>	<b>56.8</b>	<b>187305</b>	<b>204628</b>	<b>17323</b>	<b>9.2</b>
RE-EXPORTS	1509	2464	955	63.3	17531	25959	8428	48.1
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE EXPS.</b>	<b>84214</b>	<b>111323</b>	<b>27109</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>909773</b>	<b>1011145</b>	<b>101372</b>	<b>11.1</b>
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VALUE OF GOODS IMPORTS BY S.I.T.C. US\$000

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0.FOOD	47207	41463	-5744	-12.2	404551	402262	-2289	-0.6
1.BEV. & TOBAC	3561	3186	-375	-10.5	33217	27318	-5899	-17.8
2.CRUDE MATS.	3850	4398	548	14.2	47398	43126	-4272	-9.0
3.MIN.FUEL	79951	57918	-22033	-27.6	604655	671740	67085	11.1
4.ANI & VEG OIL	946	2060	1114	117.8	17233	22510	5277	30.6
5.CHEMICAL	84636	37993	-46643	-55.1	365850	328043	-37807	-10.3
6.MANUF. GOOD	37058	32845	-4213	-11.4	396365	400943	4578	1.2
7.MACH.& TRANSP	87308	69125	-18183	-20.8	880554	726193	-154361	-17.5
8.MISC.MAN.GOOD	29412	33379	3967	13.5	344151	329457	-14694	-4.3
9.MISC. COMMDS.	6290	5384	-906	-14.4	56514	45256	-11258	-19.9
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS</b>	<b>380219</b>	<b>287751</b>	<b>-92468</b>	<b>-24.3</b>	<b>3150488</b>	<b>2996848</b>	<b>-153640</b>	<b>-4.9</b>
FREEZONE IMPORTS	2251	5167	2916	129.5	79051	86461	7410	9.4
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	3200	6400	3200	100.0	32000	36100	4100	12.8
<b>TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS</b>	<b>385670</b>	<b>299318</b>	<b>-86352</b>	<b>-22.4</b>	<b>3261539</b>	<b>3119409</b>	<b>-142130</b>	<b>-4.4</b>

GOODS IMPORTS BY END-USE US\$000

	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE	APR-JAN 2002/2003	APR-JAN 2003/2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
<b>CONSUMER GOODS</b>	<b>97393</b>	<b>84983</b>	<b>-12410</b>	<b>-12.7</b>	<b>950922</b>	<b>892879</b>	<b>-58043</b>	<b>-6.1</b>
FOOD	26768	24608	-2160	-8.1	246386	231657	-14729	-6.0
OTH. NON-DURS.	30177	25590	-4587	-15.2	270277	253438	-16839	-6.2
* DURABLES	40448	34785	-5663	-14.0	434259	407784	-26475	-6.1
*of which motor cars	15656	12397	-3259	-20.8	132640	104155	-28485	-21.5
<b>RAW MATERIALS</b>	<b>229642</b>	<b>155602</b>	<b>-74040</b>	<b>-32.2</b>	<b>1622486</b>	<b>1648881</b>	<b>26395</b>	<b>1.6</b>
FUELS	79952	58021	-21931	-27.4	604184	671038	66854	11.1
OTHER RAW MAT.	149690	97581	-52109	-34.8	1018302	977843	-40459	-4.0
<b>CAPITAL GOODS</b>	<b>53184</b>	<b>47166</b>	<b>-6018</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>577080</b>	<b>455088</b>	<b>-121992</b>	<b>-21.1</b>
* TRANSP & EQP.	8550	4546	-4004	-46.8	111960	59901	-52059	-46.5
*of which motor cars	223	86	-137	-61.4	3394	2263	-1131	-33.3
CONST. MATS.	9397	10398	1001	10.7	126373	134384	8011	6.3
OTHER MACH.	34537	31669	-2868	-8.3	330226	254564	-75662	-22.9
OTHER CAPITAL	700	553	-147	-21.0	8521	6239	-2282	-26.8
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS</b>	<b>380219</b>	<b>287751</b>	<b>-92468</b>	<b>-24.3</b>	<b>3150488</b>	<b>2996848</b>	<b>-153640</b>	<b>-4.9</b>
FREEZONE IMPORTS	2251	5167	2916	129.5	79051	86461	7410	9.4
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	3200	6400	3200	100.0	32000	36100	4100	12.8
<b>TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS</b>	<b>385670</b>	<b>299318</b>	<b>-86352</b>	<b>-22.4</b>	<b>3261539</b>	<b>3119409</b>	<b>-142130</b>	<b>-4.4</b>

GOODS IMPORTS BY END USE US\$000 (BAUXITE/NON-BAUXITE)

	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE	APR-JAN 2002/2003	APR-JAN 2003/2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
<b>FUEL</b>	<b>79952</b>	<b>58021</b>	<b>-21931</b>	<b>-27.4</b>	<b>604184</b>	<b>671038</b>	<b>66854</b>	<b>11.1</b>
BAUXITE	16034	3676	-12358	-77.1	159393	113984	-45409	-28.5
NON-BAUXITE	63918	54345	-9573	-15.0	444791	557054	112263	25.2
OTHER BAUX. IMP.	4822	3788	-1034	-21.4	83226	54309	-28917	-34.7
OTHER IMPORTS	295445	225942	-69503	-23.5	2463078	2271501	-191577	-7.8
<b>CONSUMER GOODS</b>	<b>97277</b>	<b>84884</b>	<b>-12393</b>	<b>-12.7</b>	<b>950122</b>	<b>897873</b>	<b>-52249</b>	<b>-5.5</b>
FOOD	26768	24521	-2247	-8.4	246379	237049	-9330	-3.8
OTHER NON-DURB.	30147	25589	-4558	-15.1	270143	253391	-16752	-6.2
* DURABLES	40362	34774	-5588	-13.8	433600	407433	-26167	-6.0
*of which motor cars	15656	12396	-3260	-20.8	132639	104153	-28486	-21.5
<b>RAW MATERIALS</b>	<b>145916</b>	<b>94223</b>	<b>-51693</b>	<b>-35.4</b>	<b>953921</b>	<b>926931</b>	<b>-26990</b>	<b>-2.8</b>
FOOD	22019	18628	-3391	-15.4	179491	188702	9211	5.1
OTHER RAW MATS.	123897	75595	-48302	-39.0	774430	738229	-36201	-4.7
<b>CAPITAL GOODS</b>	<b>52252</b>	<b>46835</b>	<b>-5417</b>	<b>-10.4</b>	<b>559035</b>	<b>446697</b>	<b>-112338</b>	<b>-20.1</b>
* TRANSP.& EQP.	8549	4509	-4040	-47.3	109993	59673	-50320	-45.7
*of which motor cars	222	85	-137	-61.7	3389	2259	-1130	-33.3
CONSTRUCTION	9154	10258	1104	12.1	122101	132550	10449	8.6
OTHER CAP.	34549	32068	-2481	-7.2	326941	254474	-72467	-22.2
<b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE IMPORTS</b>	<b>380219</b>	<b>287751</b>	<b>-92468</b>	<b>-24.3</b>	<b>3150488</b>	<b>2996848</b>	<b>-153640</b>	<b>-4.9</b>
FREEZONE IMPORTS	2251	5167	2916	129.5	79051	86461	7410	9.4
GOODS PROCURED IN PORTS	3200	6400	3200	100.0	32000	36100	4100	12.8
<b>TOTAL GOODS IMPORTS</b>	<b>385670</b>	<b>299318</b>	<b>-86352</b>	<b>-22.4</b>	<b>3261539</b>	<b>3119409</b>	<b>-142130</b>	<b>-4.4</b>

**CARICOM IMPORTS BY S.I.T.C. US\$000**

	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE	APR-JAN 2002/2003	APR-JAN 2003/2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
0.FOOD	5849	7095	1246	21.3	67967	63741	-4226	-6.2
1.BEV.& TOBAC.	2049	1519	-530	-25.9	18016	15028	-2988	-16.6
2.CRUDE MATS.	5	40	35	700.0	196	387	191	97.4
3.MINERAL FUEL	26464	15093	-11371	-43.0	189315	226452	37137	19.6
4.ANI.& VEG. OIL	373	314	-59	-15.8	2607	3182	575	22.1
5.CHEMICALS	2961	1146	-1815	-61.3	23321	19104	-4217	-18.1
6.MANUF. GOODS	2678	2793	115	4.3	31001	30736	-265	-0.9
7.MACH.& TRANSP.	336	222	-114	-33.9	3893	4670	777	20.0
8.MISC. MANUF.	723	683	-40	-5.5	10676	11823	1147	10.7
9.MISC. COMMDS.	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>41438</b>	<b>28905</b>	<b>-12533</b>	<b>-30.2</b>	<b>346992</b>	<b>375123</b>	<b>28131</b>	<b>8.1</b>

**CARICOM EXPORTS BY S.I.T.C. US\$000**

	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE	APR-JAN 2002/2003	APR-JAN 2003/2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
0.FOOD	1365	1467	102	7.5	14366	16868	2502	17.4
1.BEV.& TOBAC	340	301	-39	-11.5	3450	3207	-243	-7.0
2.CRUDE MATS.	37	5	-32	-86.5	411	503	92	22.4
3.MINERAL FUELS	47	62	15	31.9	2980	3400	420	14.1
4.ANI.& VEG OIL	0	0	0	0.0	7	4	-3	-42.9
5.CHEMICAL	686	714	28	4.1	9890	9341	-549	-5.6
6.MANUF. GOODS	265	158	-107	-40.4	3772	2872	-900	-23.9
7.MACH.& TRANSP.	108	7	-101	-93.5	1376	570	-806	-58.6
8.MISC MANUF.	182	318	136	74.7	5049	4703	-346	-6.9
9.MISC COMMDS.	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3030</b>	<b>3032</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>41301</b>	<b>41468</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>0.4</b>

**CARICOM TRADE BY COUNTRIES US\$000**

	JAN 2003 EXPORTS	JAN 2003 IMPORTS	TR. BAL.	JAN 2004 EXPORTS	JAN 2004 IMPORTS	TR. BAL.	APR-JAN 2002/2003 EXPORTS	APR-JAN 2002/2003 IMPORTS	TR. BAL.	APR-JAN 2002/2004 EXPORTS	APR-JAN 2003/2004 IMPORTS	TR. BAL.
BARBADOS	535	1320	-785	506	1750	-1244	8152	10959	-2807	6605	13031	-6426
GUYANA	155	1140	-985	195	2965	-2770	2360	23185	-20825	2881	27807	-24926
BELIZE	237	1133	-896	192	1682	-1490	3128	6073	-2945	2816	8422	-5606
ST. KITTS	179	0	179	110	0	110	1481	67	1414	1417	3	1414
ANTIGUA	224	0	224	257	0	257	4735	0	4735	2416	149	2267
RE-EXPORTS	0	0	0	0	10	-10	108	0	108	104	10	94
TRIN. & TOBAG.	1018	36160	-35142	1126	21354	-20228	13823	289633	-275810	14983	310841	-295858
DOMINICA	284	1012	-728	191	391	-200	1418	8217	-6799	4673	6876	-2203
GRENADA	150	0	150	107	69	38	1077	535	542	1380	388	992
ST.LUCIA	129	20	109	217	2	215	3215	281	2934	2514	55	2459
ST. VINCENT	40	194	-154	100	0	100	1132	1667	-535	988	337	651
SURINAME	79	459	-380	31	682	-651	672	6375	-5703	691	7204	-6513
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3030</b>	<b>41438</b>	<b>-38408</b>	<b>3032</b>	<b>28905</b>	<b>-25873</b>	<b>41301</b>	<b>346992</b>	<b>-305691</b>	<b>41468</b>	<b>375123</b>	<b>-333655</b>

**MAJOR TRADITIONALS (VOLUME, VALUE, PRICE)**

	<b>JAN 2003</b>	<b>JAN 2004</b>	<b>CHANGE</b>	<b>%CHANGE</b>	<b>APR-JAN 2002/2003</b>	<b>APR-JAN 2003/2004</b>	<b>CHANGE</b>	<b>%CHANGE</b>
<b>BAUXITE</b>								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	264.1	375.1	111.0	42.0	3264.7	3263.3	-1.4	-0.1
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>6251.0</b>	<b>9208.0</b>	<b>2957.0</b>	<b>47.3</b>	<b>84567.0</b>	<b>77573.0</b>	<b>-6994.0</b>	<b>-8.3</b>
Price (US \$/tonne)	23.7	24.6	0.9	3.7	25.9	23.8	-2.1	-8.2
<b>ALUMINA</b>								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	312.8	353.0	40.3	12.9	3026.3	3256.1	229.8	7.6
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>54564.0</b>	<b>67977.0</b>	<b>13413.0</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>507530.0</b>	<b>593852.0</b>	<b>86322.0</b>	<b>17.0</b>
Price (US \$/tonne)	174.5	192.5	18.1	10.4	167.7	182.4	14.7	8.7
<b>SUGAR</b>								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	78.3	66.7	-11.6	-14.8
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>38613.0</b>	<b>40411.0</b>	<b>1798.0</b>	<b>4.7</b>
Price (US \$/tonne)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	493.1	606.0	112.9	22.9
<b>BANANAS</b>								
Volume ('000 tonnes)	3.0	3.4	0.4	14.7	32.0	34.0	2.0	6.1
<b>Value (U.S. \$000)</b>	<b>1450.0</b>	<b>1648.0</b>	<b>198.0</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>14501.0</b>	<b>15773.0</b>	<b>1272.0</b>	<b>8.8</b>
Price (US \$/tonne)	483.5	479.8	-3.7	-0.8	452.6	463.9	11.3	2.5

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**IMPORTS BY PAYMENT TERMS & ENDUSE (US\$MN)**

	<b>1/ JANUARY 2003</b>	<b>AS % OF TOTAL 1/</b>	<b>2/ JANUARY 2004</b>	<b>AS % OF TOTAL 2/</b>	<b>CHANGE (2-1)</b>	<b>CHANGE% (2-1)</b>
PREPAYMENT	9.3	2.5	9.3	3.2	0.0	0.4
NO FUNDS	25.1	6.6	13.9	4.8	-11.1	-44.4
SIGHT DRAFT	7.4	1.9	6.7	2.3	-0.7	-9.0
LETTER OF CREDIT	1.0	0.3	2.9	1.0	1.8	177.9
OPEN ACCOUNT	330.5	86.9	248.3	86.3	-82.2	-24.9
CASH ON DELIVERY	2.4	0.6	1.7	0.6	-0.7	-28.3
BILLS OF COLLECTION	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
OTHER	4.6	1.2	4.9	1.7	0.3	6.3
INVALID PAYMENT TERMS CODES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>	<b>380.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>287.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-92.5</b>	<b>-24.3</b>

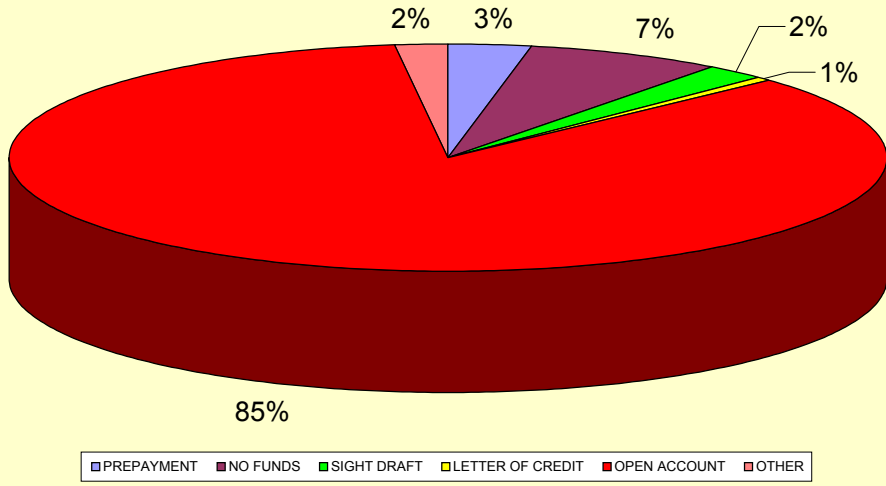
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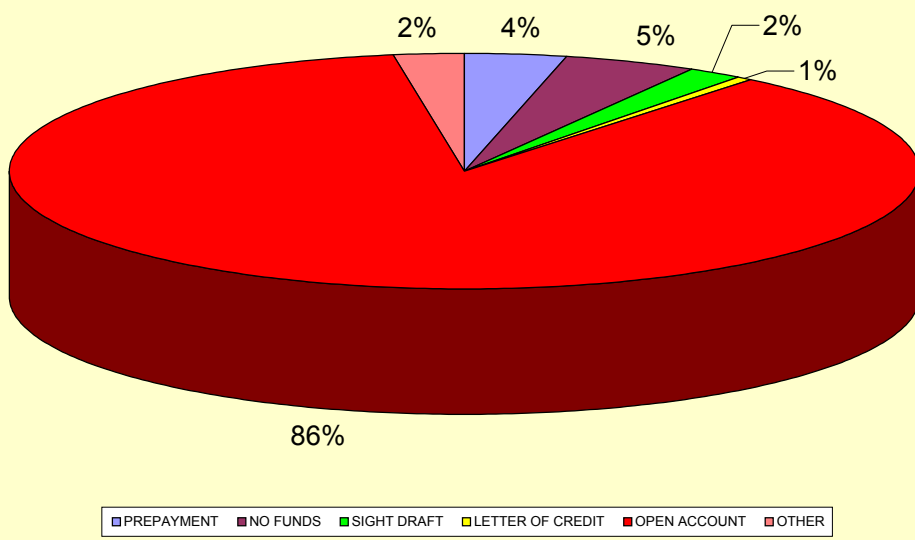
	1/ APRIL-JAN 2002/2003	AS % OF TOTAL 1/	2/ APRIL-JAN 2003/2004	AS % OF TOTAL 2/	CHANGE (2-1)	CHANGE% (2-1)
PREPAYMENT	97.3	3.1	105.8	3.5	8.5	8.8
NO FUNDS	223.8	7.1	146.4	4.9	-77.3	-34.6
SIGHT DRAFT	72.8	2.3	56.7	1.9	-16.0	-22.0
LETTER OF CREDIT	20.1	0.6	18.8	0.6	-1.4	-6.8
OPEN ACCOUNT	2672.5	84.8	2597.9	86.7	-74.5	-2.8
CASH ON DELIVERY	20.4	0.7	20.4	0.7	0.0	-0.1
BILLS OF COLLECTION	1.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	-0.4	-36.1
OTHER	42.6	1.4	50.1	1.7	7.5	17.5
INVALID PAYMENT TERMS CODES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>	<b>3150.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2996.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-153.6</b>	<b>-4.9</b>

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**Imports by Payment Terms  
April - January 2002/03**



**Imports by Payment Terms  
April - January 2003/04**



**EXPORTS US\$Mn.**

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	JAN 2003	JAN 2004	% Change
<b>MAJOR TRADITIONAL</b>	<b>809.6</b>	<b>807.5</b>	<b>836.0</b>	<b>825.1</b>	<b>793.8</b>	<b>863.7</b>	<b>62.3</b>	<b>78.8</b>	<b>26.5</b>
Bauxite	81.0	55.9	45.5	93.8	106.3	90.1	6.2	9.2	48.4
Alumina	600.7	626.5	684.3	642.6	603.8	688.4	54.6	68.0	24.5
Sugar	94.6	95.3	83.3	70.5	66.2	66.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bananas	33.3	29.8	22.9	18.2	17.5	18.9	1.5	1.6	6.7
<b>OTHER TRADITIONAL</b>	<b>55.7</b>	<b>65.5</b>	<b>73.8</b>	<b>72.2</b>	<b>74.7</b>	<b>67.5</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>7.5</b>
Citrus	3.9	4.4	4.9	4.2	2.2	3.3	0.4	0.5	25.0
Cocoa	3.6	2.7	2.3	3.0	2.2	3.5	0.1	0.1	0.0
Coffee	17.5	24.7	33.1	30.7	32.7	29.5	1.5	2.1	40.0
Pimento	4.1	4.9	4.9	3.5	2.6	2.8	0.3	0.2	-33.3
Rum	25.3	27.6	26.4	28.8	34.1	27.4	1.5	1.3	-13.3
Gypsum	1.3	1.2	2.2	2.0	0.9	1.0	0.2	0.1	-50.0
<b>NON -TRADITIONAL</b>	<b>451.0</b>	<b>372.7</b>	<b>391.2</b>	<b>325.8</b>	<b>248.8</b>	<b>264.8</b>	<b>17.9</b>	<b>28.2</b>	<b>57.5</b>
<b>CARICOM</b>	<b>43.6</b>	<b>42.0</b>	<b>49.0</b>	<b>50.6</b>	<b>48.7</b>	<b>50.9</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
0. Food	13.9	14.3	16.4	21.8	17.4	21.1	1.4	1.5	7.1
1. Beverages & Tobacco	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	0.3	0.3	0.0
2. Crude Materials	0.5	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
3. Mineral Fuels	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.7	3.1	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
4. Animal & Veg Oils & Fats	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
5. Chemicals	10.9	11.7	12.6	12.1	12.4	11.1	0.7	0.7	0.0
6. Manufactured Goods	4.6	4.2	5.7	5.0	4.4	3.9	0.3	0.2	-33.3
7. Mach. & Trans. Equipment	3.3	1.9	3.8	1.3	1.6	1.5	0.1	0.0	-100.0
8. Misc. Manufact. Goods	5.7	5.0	5.6	5.2	5.6	5.4	0.2	0.3	50.0
9. Misc. Commodities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>THIRD COUNTRY</b>	<b>407.4</b>	<b>330.7</b>	<b>342.2</b>	<b>275.2</b>	<b>200.1</b>	<b>213.9</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>25.2</b>	<b>69.1</b>
0. Food	66.1	67.5	59.9	73.0	65.5	74.2	5.1	5.2	2.0
1. Beverages & Tobacco	43.6	25.5	29.8	15.8	18.3	22.7	1.3	1.8	38.5
2. Crude Materials	6.8	3.5	4.4	3.6	4.7	5.5	0.1	0.2	100.0
3. Mineral Fuels	2.1	3.5	3.8	14.1	26.0	25.5	3.1	3.7	19.4
4. Animal & Veg Oils & Fats	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
5. Chemicals	39.8	37.4	58.0	56.4	46.9	46.6	3.3	11.5	248.5
6. Manufactured Goods	4.5	4.2	6.7	5.0	4.9	6.0	0.3	0.5	66.7
7. Mach. & Trans. Equipment	38.2	25.7	23.2	14.4	9.0	16.5	0.9	0.9	0.0
8. Misc. Manufact. Goods	206.3	163.4	156.3	92.8	24.8	16.9	0.8	1.4	75.0
9. Misc. Commodities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>GEN. MERCHANDISE EXPORTS</b>	<b>1316.3</b>	<b>1245.7</b>	<b>1301.0</b>	<b>1223.1</b>	<b>1117.3</b>	<b>1196.0</b>	<b>84.2</b>	<b>111.3</b>	<b>32.2</b>

**EXTERNAL SECTOR STATISTICS**

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**EXPORTS US\$Mn.**

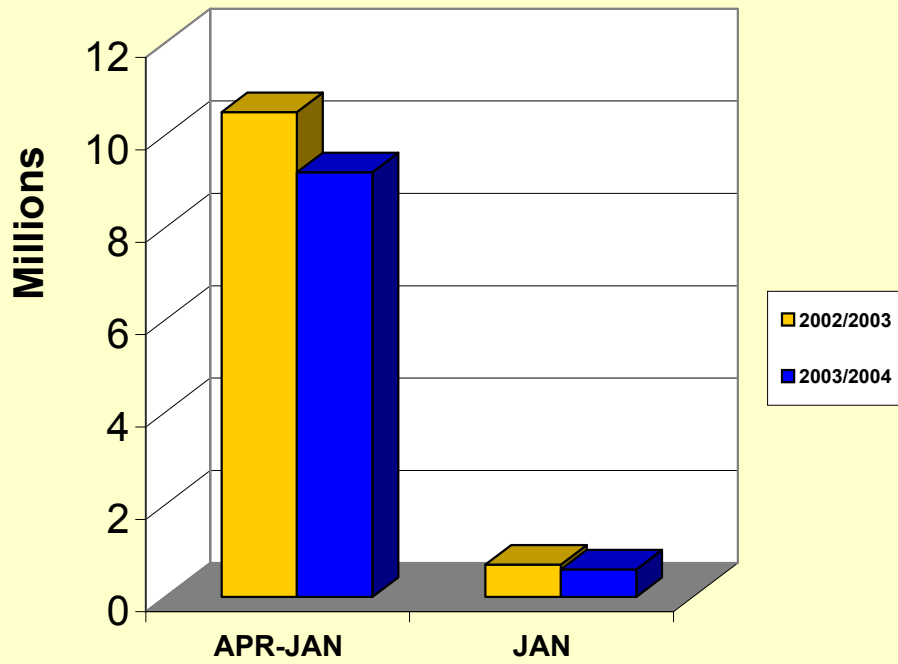
	1998/99	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	APRIL-JAN 2002/2003	APRIL-JAN 2003/2004	% Change
<b>MAJOR TRADITIONAL</b>	<b>802.0</b>	<b>843.7</b>	<b>825.4</b>	<b>813.8</b>	<b>795.8</b>	<b>645.2</b>	<b>727.7</b>	<b>12.8</b>
Bauxite	82.7	49.1	56.4	97.8	99.2	84.6	77.6	-8.3
Alumina	587.9	664.6	677.0	629.5	614.3	507.5	593.9	17.0
Sugar	98.3	103.5	69.4	68.5	64.5	38.6	40.4	4.7
Bananas	33.1	26.5	22.6	18.0	17.8	14.5	15.8	9.0
<b>OTHER TRADITIONAL</b>	<b>57.8</b>	<b>69.2</b>	<b>75.3</b>	<b>72.0</b>	<b>74.5</b>	<b>59.7</b>	<b>53.0</b>	<b>-11.2</b>
Citrus	4.6	5.1	3.3	3.3	2.8	1.6	2.2	37.5
Cocoa	3.6	2.9	2.2	2.7	2.6	1.9	2.8	47.4
Coffee	17.5	27.9	35.4	29.6	33.3	26.3	23.1	-12.2
Pimento	4.6	4.6	4.5	3.9	2.1	1.9	2.5	31.6
Rum	26.2	27.2	27.9	30.6	32.9	27.3	21.6	-20.9
Gypsum	1.3	1.5	2.0	1.9	0.8	0.7	0.8	14.3
<b>NON- TRADITIONAL</b>	<b>414.2</b>	<b>384.3</b>	<b>367.7</b>	<b>313.2</b>	<b>249.4</b>	<b>204.9</b>	<b>230.4</b>	<b>12.4</b>
<b>CARICOM</b>	<b>42.6</b>	<b>43.4</b>	<b>49.9</b>	<b>48.9</b>	<b>50.7</b>	<b>41.3</b>	<b>41.5</b>	<b>0.5</b>
0. Food	14.4	14.7	17.6	20.9	18.6	14.4	16.9	17.4
1. Beverages & Tobacco	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.8	4.0	3.4	3.2	-5.9
2. Crude Materials	0.6	1.0	1.1	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.5	25.0
3. Mineral Fuels	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.7	3.1	3.0	3.4	13.3
4. Animal & Veg Oils & Fats	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
5. Chemicals	11.0	11.7	13.2	12.0	11.7	9.9	9.3	-6.1
6. Manufactured Goods	4.3	4.9	5.6	4.4	4.7	3.8	2.9	-23.7
7. Mach. & Trans. Equipment	2.6	2.5	3.1	1.3	2.2	1.4	0.6	-57.1
8. Misc. Manufact. Goods	5.4	4.9	5.4	5.2	5.9	5.0	4.7	-6.0
9. Misc. Commodities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>THIRD COUNTRY</b>	<b>371.6</b>	<b>340.9</b>	<b>317.8</b>	<b>264.3</b>	<b>198.7</b>	<b>163.6</b>	<b>188.9</b>	<b>15.5</b>
0. Food	65.4	66.5	61.3	74.7	67.4	52.7	59.5	12.9
1. Beverages & Tobacco	37.9	24.7	27.5	17.7	17.8	14.6	20.0	37.0
2. Crude Materials	6.1	3.9	4.4	3.5	5.1	4.1	4.7	14.6
3. Mineral Fuels	2.7	3.7	4.7	15.5	30.6	25.8	21.3	-17.4
4. Animal & Veg Oils & Fats	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
5. Chemicals	33.2	49.9	50.2	58.1	45.8	39.4	48.4	22.8
6. Manufactured Goods	4.5	4.2	6.9	5.2	4.9	4.0	5.3	32.5
7. Mach. & Trans. Equipment	30.4	20.3	20.5	11.8	9.4	7.8	15.0	92.3
8. Misc. Manufact. Goods	191.4	167.7	142.2	77.7	17.7	15.1	14.7	-2.6
9. Misc. Commodities	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>GEN. MERCHANDISE EXPORTS</b>	<b>1274.0</b>	<b>1297.2</b>	<b>1268.4</b>	<b>1199.0</b>	<b>1119.7</b>	<b>909.8</b>	<b>1011.1</b>	<b>11.1</b>

**EXTERNAL SECTOR STATISTICS**

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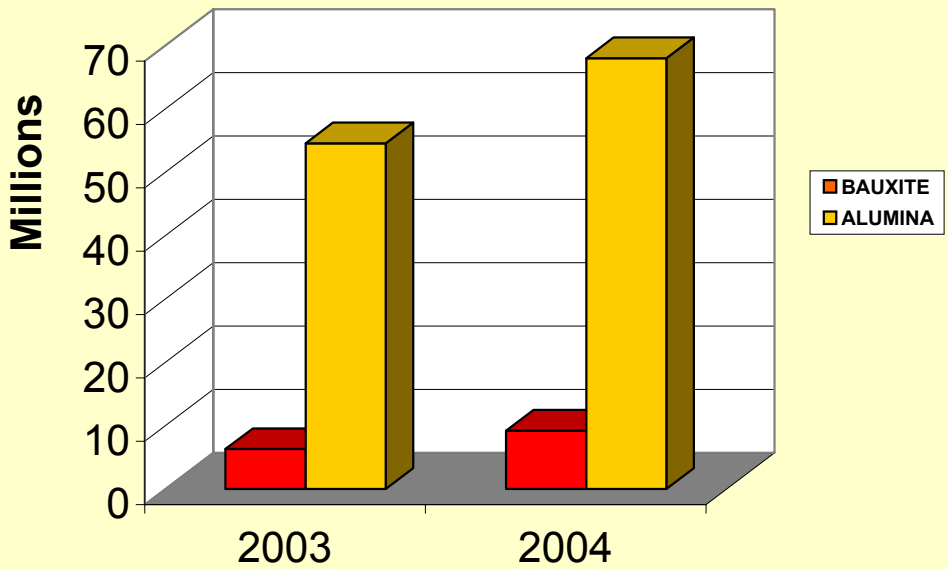
	GARMENTS EXPORTS US\$Mn.			
	2003	2004	CHANGE	%CHANGE
<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>-14.3</b>
	<b>2002/2003</b>	<b>2003/2004</b>	<b>CHANGE</b>	<b>%CHANGE</b>
APRIL	1.1	1	-0.1	-9.1
MAY	1.3	1	-0.3	-23.1
JUNE	0.9	1	0.1	11.1
<b>APRIL-JUNE</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>-9.1</b>
JULY	1	1.3	0.3	30
AUGUST	1.3	0.7	-0.6	-46.2
SEPTEMBER	1	0.7	-0.3	-30
<b>APRIL-SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>-13.6</b>
OCTOBER	1.0	1.1	0.1	10.0
NOVEMBER	1.1	0.8	-0.3	-27.3
DECEMBER	1.1	1	-0.1	-9.1
<b>APRIL-DECEMBER</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>-1.2</b>	<b>-12.2</b>
JANUARY	0.7	0.6	-0.1	-14.3
<b>APRIL-JANUARY</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>-12.4</b>
SOURCE: STATISTICAL INSTITUTE OF JAMAICA EXTERNAL SECTOR STATISTICS September 2, 2004				

**GARMENTS EXPORT US\$Mn**  
**APRIL - JANUARY**



BAUXITE						
	2002 Volumes (Tonnes)	2004 Volumes (Tonnes)	% Change	2002 Values (\$ 000')	2004 Values (\$ 000')	% Change
JANUARY	264085.0	375063.0	42.0	6251.0	9208.0	47.3
<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>264085.0</b>	<b>375063.0</b>	<b>42.0</b>	<b>6251.0</b>	<b>9208.0</b>	<b>47.3</b>
ALUMINA						
	2003 Volumes (Tonnes)	2004 Volumes (Tonnes)	% Change	2003 Values (\$ 000')	2004 Values (\$ 000')	% Change
JANUARY	312760.0	353037.0	12.9	54564.0	67977.0	24.6
<b>JANUARY</b>	<b>312760.0</b>	<b>353037.0</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>54564.0</b>	<b>67977.0</b>	<b>24.6</b>
EXTERNAL SECTOR STATISTICS SEPT. 2, 2004						

**BAUXITE/ALUMINA US\$Mn  
JANUARY**



'EXPORTS OF SELECTED NON-TRADITIONAL DOMESTIC COMMODITIES US\$ 000

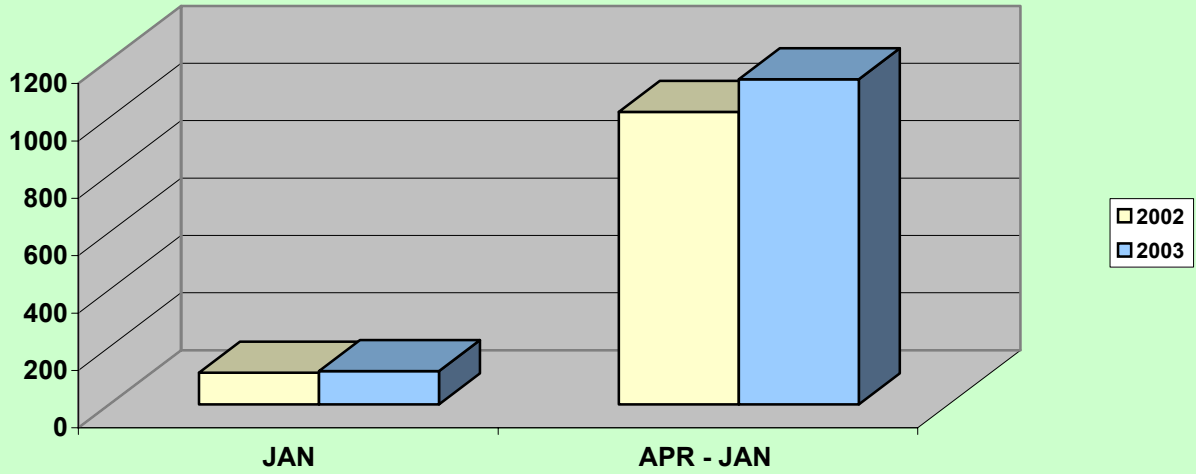
	2002	2003	%	2003	2004	%	2002/03	2003/04	%
	JAN-DEC	JAN-DEC		JAN	JAN		APR-JAN	APR-JAN	
<b>COMMODITIES</b>									
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<b>FOOD</b>									
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ACKEE	7182.0	8756.0	21.9	325.0	325.0	0.0	7113.0	7113.0	0.0
FISH	5677.0	7854.0	38.3	405.0	241.0	-40.5	5970.0	5806.0	-2.7
BREADFRUIT	763.0	950.0	24.5	102.0	56.0	-45.1	863.0	817.0	-5.3
CUCUMBERS	10.0	11.0	10.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	9.0	9.0	0.0
PUMPKINS	556.0	655.0	17.8	93.0	73.0	-21.5	494.0	474.0	-4.0
OTHER VEGETABLES	301.0	218.0	-27.6	0.0	5.0	100.0	213.0	218.0	2.3
DASHEEN	952.0	1164.0	22.3	64.0	155.0	142.2	1020.0	1111.0	8.9
CASSAVA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SWEET POTATOES	1533.0	1816.0	18.5	124.0	122.0	-1.6	1532.0	1530.0	-0.1
YAMS	13157.0	14168.0	7.7	1124.0	1161.0	3.3	11614.0	11651.0	0.3
AVOCADOES	217.0	304.0	40.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	304.0	304.0	0.0
MANGOES	561.0	879.0	56.7	3.0	14.0	0.0	859.0	870.0	1.3
OTHER ROOTS	394.0	373.0	-5.3	23.0	41.0	78.3	317.0	335.0	5.7
PAPAYAS	4234.0	2679.0	-36.7	198.0	213.0	7.6	2252.0	2267.0	0.7
MELON	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>31303.0</b>	<b>37148.0</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>2264.0</b>	<b>2194.0</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>32560.0</b>	<b>32505.0</b>	<b>-0.2</b>
<b>CRUDE MATERIALS</b>									
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Cut Flowers	97.0	65.0	-33.0	7.0	6.0	-14.3	54.0	53.0	-1.9
Live Plts.&Foliage	249.0	278.0	11.6	4.0	0.0	-100.0	29.0	25.0	-13.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>346.0</b>	<b>343.0</b>	<b>-0.9</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>-45.5</b>	<b>83.0</b>	<b>78.0</b>	<b>-6.0</b>

EXTERNAL SECTOR STATISTICS

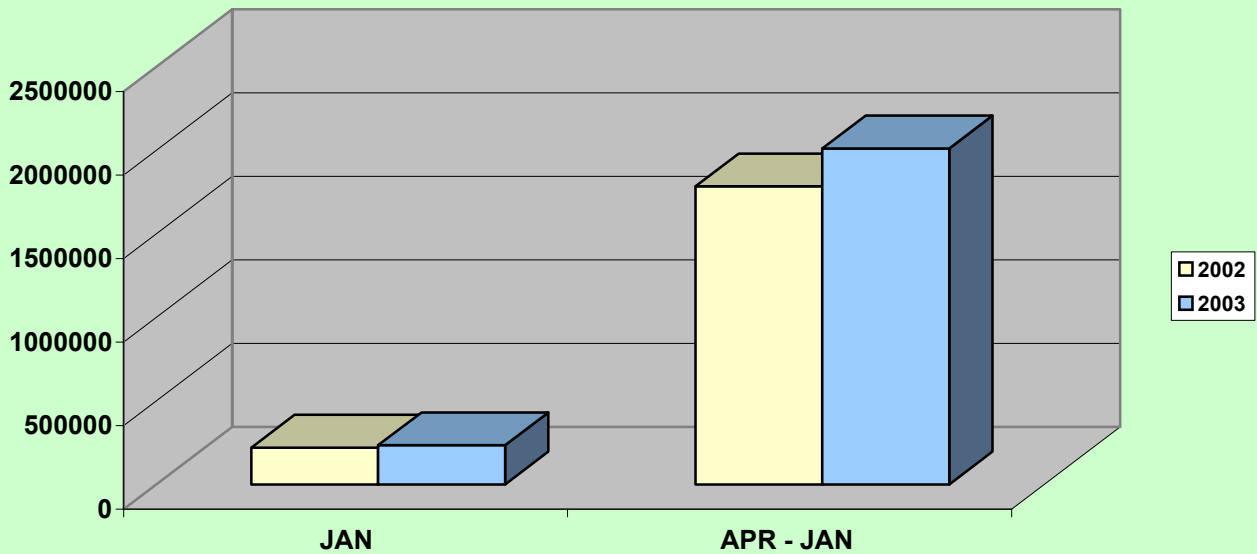
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TOURISM STATISTICS						
	2003 JAN	2004 JAN	% CHNG	2002/2003 APR-JAN	2003/2004 APR-JAN	% CHNG
<b>TOTAL STOP-OVERS</b>	<b>101306</b>	<b>109350</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>1047365</b>	<b>1117385</b>	<b>6.7</b>
<b>FOREIGN NAT. STOP-OVERS</b>	<b>95875</b>	<b>104425</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>970890</b>	<b>1040075</b>	<b>7.1</b>
Long Stay	89407	97703	9.3	911474	977484	7.2
Short Stay	6468	6722	3.9	59416	62591	5.3
NON-RES. JAMAICANS	5431	4925	-9.3	76475	77310	1.1
CRUISE PASSENGERS	118834	124650	4.9	736508	893203	21.3
<b>TOTAL TOURISTS</b>	<b>220140</b>	<b>234000</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>1783873</b>	<b>2010588</b>	<b>12.7</b>
ARMED FORCES	70	N.A.	-	877	745	-15.1
<b>TOTAL VISITORS</b>	<b>220210</b>	<b>234000</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>1784750</b>	<b>2011333</b>	<b>12.7</b>
AVG.LENGTH.OF STAY	10.1	9.8	-3.0	10.5	10.4	-1.0
<b>ESTM.EXPD.(US\$MN)</b>	<b>110.6</b>	<b>116.5</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>1020.5</b>	<b>1133.8</b>	<b>11.1</b>
Avg. Est.Expd/per person/per day						
Stop-Overs	101.5	101.5	0.0			
A.forces/Cruise	82.4	82.2	-0.2			

**Estimated Tourist Expenditure  
(US\$mn)**

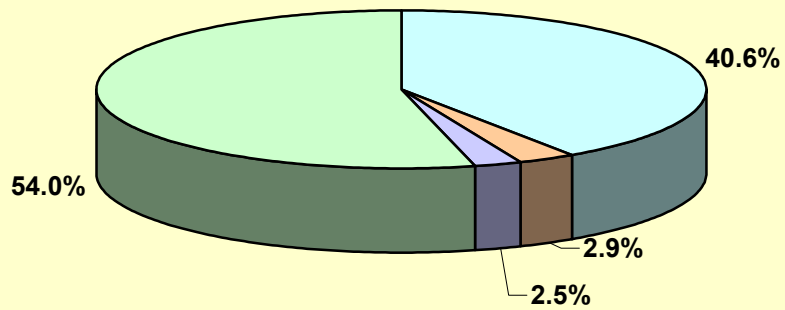


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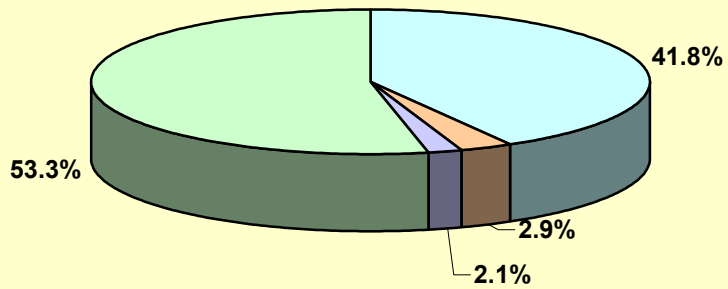


### Composition of Visitors January 2003



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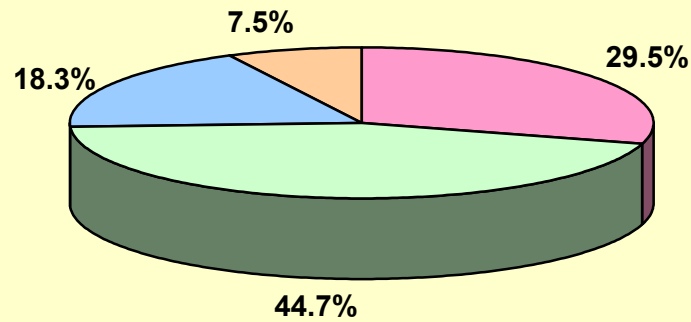
**TOURISM STATISTICS**

	<b>2002/2003</b>	<b>2003/2004</b>		<b>%</b>
	<b>APR-DEC</b>	<b>APR-DEC</b>	<b>CHNG</b>	<b>CHNG</b>
<b>TOTAL STOP-OVERS</b>	<b>946059</b>	<b>1008035</b>	<b>61976</b>	<b>6.6</b>
FOREIGN NAT. STOP-OVERS	<b>875015</b>	<b>935650</b>	<b>60635</b>	<b>6.9</b>
Long Stay	822067	879781	57714	7.0
Short Stay	52948	55869	2921	5.5
NON-RES. JAMAICANS	71044	72385	1341	1.9
CRUISE PASSENGERS	617674	768553	150879	24.4
<b>TOTAL TOURISTS</b>	<b>1563733</b>	<b>1776588</b>	<b>212855</b>	<b>13.6</b>
ARMED FORCES	807	745	-62	-7.7
<b>TOTAL VISITORS</b>	<b>1564540</b>	<b>1777333</b>	<b>212793</b>	<b>13.6</b>
AVG.LENGTH.OF STAY	10.5	10.5		
<b>ESTM.EXPD.(US\$mn)</b>	<b>909.9</b>	<b>1017.3</b>	<b>107.4</b>	<b>11.8</b>

**SOURCES OF PRIVATE TRANSFERS  
(US\$Mn)**

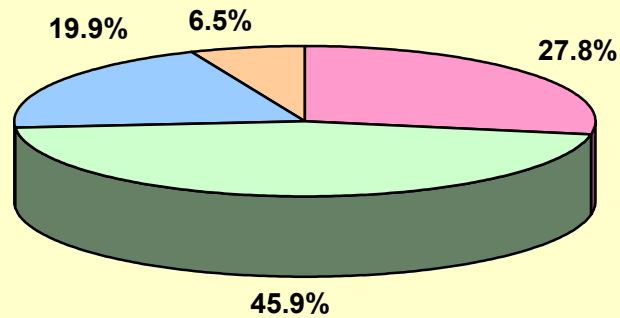
	<b>2002</b>	<b>2003</b>			<b>2002</b>	<b>2003</b>		
	<b>JAN</b>	<b>JAN</b>	<b>CHNG</b>	<b>%CHNG</b>	<b>APR - JAN</b>	<b>APR - JAN</b>	<b>CHNG</b>	<b>%CHNG</b>
<b>TOTAL INFLOWS</b>	<b>91.9</b>	<b>105.4</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>1047.7</b>	<b>1164.7</b>	<b>117.0</b>	<b>11.2</b>
COMMERCIAL BANKS	19.0	31.1	12.1	63.7	244.6	267.9	23.3	9.5
REMITTANCE COMPS.	47.5	47.1	-0.4	-0.8	515.8	578.8	63.0	12.2
POST OFFICE	0.1	0.1	0.0	-	0.6	1.0	0.4	66.7
BUILDING SOCIETIES	17.7	19.3	1.6	9.0	209.5	239.0	29.5	14.1
OTHER	7.6	7.8	0.2	2.6	77.2	78.0	0.8	1.0

**Sources of Private Transfers (US\$m)**  
**January 2003**



Commercial Banks Remittance Companies Building Societies Other

**Sources of Private Transfers (US\$m)**  
**January 2004**



Commercial Banks Remittance Companies Building Societies Other

**Balance of Payments of Jamaica**

	US\$Mn		
	Jan 2003	Jan 2004	Change
<b>1. Current Account</b>	<b>-147.2</b>	<b>-43.2</b>	<b>104.1</b>
<b>A. Goods Balance</b>	<b>-235.2</b>	<b>-141.3</b>	<b>94.0</b>
Exports	100.4	126.8	26.4
Imports	335.6	268.1	-67.6
<b>B. Services Balance</b>	<b>40.7</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>11.9</b>
Transportation	-19.1	-8.2	10.9
Travel	90.4	93.4	3.0
Other Services	-30.6	-32.5	-2.0
<b>C. Income</b>	<b>-46.6</b>	<b>-55.0</b>	<b>-8.4</b>
Compensation of employees	3.3	4.4	1.1
Investment Income	-49.9	-59.4	-9.5
<b>D. Current Transfers</b>	<b>93.9</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>6.5</b>
Official	8.4	7.1	-1.3
Private	85.5	93.3	7.8
<b>2. Capital &amp; Financial Account</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.2</b>	<b>-104.1</b>
<b>A. Capital Account</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>
<b>Capital Transfers</b>	0.0	0.1	0.1
Official	0.1	0.1	0.0
Private	-0.1	0.0	0.1
<b>Acq/disp. of non-produced non-fin. assets</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>B. Financial Account</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>-104.2</b>
Other Official Investment	-12.8	-18.6	-5.8
Other Private Investment (incl.errors & omissions)	73.3	116.3	43.0
Reserves	86.7	-54.7	
Govt. Reserves			

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## Balance of Payments of Jamaica

	US\$Mn.		Change
	Jan 2003	Jan 2004	
<b>Services (Net)</b>	<b>40.7</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>11.9</b>
Inflows	182.3	189.4	7.1
Outflows	141.5	136.7	-4.8
<b>Transportation</b>	<b>-19.1</b>	<b>-8.2</b>	<b>10.9</b>
Inflows	42.1	44.7	2.6
Outflows	61.2	52.9	-8.3
<b>Travel</b>	<b>90.4</b>	<b>93.4</b>	<b>3.0</b>
Inflows	110.6	116.5	5.9
Outflows	20.2	23.1	2.9
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>-30.6</b>	<b>-32.5</b>	<b>-2.0</b>
Inflows	29.6	28.2	-1.4
Outflows	60.2	60.7	0.5
<b>Income (Net)</b>	<b>-46.6</b>	<b>-55.0</b>	<b>-8.4</b>
<b>Compensation of Employees</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>1.1</b>
Inflows	6.4	7.3	0.9
Outflows	3.1	2.9	-0.2
<b>Investment Income</b>	<b>-49.9</b>	<b>-59.4</b>	<b>-9.5</b>
Inflows	10.7	7.6	-3.1
Outflows	60.6	67.0	6.4
- Bank of Jamaica	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Government Direct	19.1	22.9	3.8
- Government Guaranteed	0.0	0.0	0.0
- Private	1.6	1.6	0.0
- Direct investment	32.2	34.8	2.6
- Other	7.7	7.7	0.0
<b>Current Transfers (Net)</b>	<b>93.9</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>6.5</b>
Inflows	118.4	132.8	14.4
Outflows	24.5	32.4	7.9
<b>Official</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>-1.3</b>
Inflows	8.8	7.5	-1.3
Outflows	0.4	0.4	0.0
<b>Private</b>	<b>85.5</b>	<b>93.3</b>	<b>7.8</b>
Inflows	109.6	125.3	15.7
Outflows	24.1	32.0	7.9

<b>Balance of Payments of Jamaica</b>			
	<b>US\$Mn.</b>		
	<b>Jan 2003</b>	<b>Jan 2004</b>	<b>Change</b>
<b>Capital &amp; Financial Account (Net)</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.2</b>	<b>-104.1</b>
<b>Capital Account (Net)</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>
<b>1. Capital Transfers</b>	0.0	0.1	0.1
<b>Official</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.0</b>
Inflows	0.1	0.1	0.0
Outflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Private</b>	<b>-0.1</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>
Inflows	1.5	1.6	0.1
Outflows	1.6	1.6	0.0
<b>2. Acq/disp. of non-produced non-fin. assets</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
Inflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
Outflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Financial Account (Net)</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>-104.2</b>
<b>Other Official Investments</b>	<b>-12.8</b>	<b>-18.6</b>	<b>-5.8</b>
Inflows	2.2	2.6	0.4
Outflows	15.0	21.1	6.1
<b>Other Private Investments(incl. errors \$ omissions)</b>	<b>73.3</b>	<b>116.3</b>	<b>43.0</b>
Inflows	372.0	278.7	-93.3
Outflows	298.7	162.3	-136.4
<b>Reserves</b>	<b>86.7</b>	<b>-54.7</b>	
<b>Govt. Reserves</b>			

<b>Balance of Payments of Jamaica</b>			
<b>US\$Mn.</b>			
	<b>Apr-Jan</b>	<b>Apr-Jan</b>	
	<b>2002/03</b>	<b>2003/04</b>	<b>Change</b>
<b>1. Current Account</b>	<b>-1063.9</b>	<b>-564.2</b>	<b>499.8</b>
<b>A. Goods Balance</b>	<b>-1728.4</b>	<b>-1551.3</b>	<b>177.1</b>
Exports	1079.8	1178.2	98.4
Imports	2808.2	2729.5	-78.7
<b>B. Services Balance</b>	<b>250.6</b>	<b>453.5</b>	<b>202.9</b>
Transportation	-215.9	-122.0	93.9
Travel	792.7	912.7	120.0
Other Services	-326.2	-337.2	-11.0
<b>C. Income</b>	<b>-505.8</b>	<b>-472.6</b>	<b>33.2</b>
Compensation of employees	82.4	71.4	-11.0
Investment Income	-588.2	-544.0	44.2
<b>D. Current Transfers</b>	<b>919.7</b>	<b>1006.2</b>	<b>86.5</b>
Official	90.8	86.0	-4.8
Private	828.9	920.2	91.3
<b>2. Capital &amp; Financial Account</b>	<b>1063.9</b>	<b>564.2</b>	<b>-499.8</b>
<b>A. Capital Account</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>12.3</b>
Capital Transfers	-11.3	0.6	11.9
Official	0.2	0.1	-0.1
Private	-11.5	0.5	12.0
Acq/disp. of non-produced non-fin. assets	0.0	0.4	0.4
<b>B. Financial Account</b>	<b>1075.2</b>	<b>563.2</b>	<b>-512.1</b>
Other Official Investment	12.2	-130.8	-143.0
Other Private Investment(incl. Errors & omissions)	631.7	573.9	-57.8
Reserves	431.3	120.1	
Govt. Reserves			



	<b>Balance of Payments of Jamaica</b>		
	<b>US\$Mn.</b>		
	<b>Apr-Jan 2002/03</b>	<b>Apr-Jan 2003/04</b>	<b>Change</b>
<b>Services (Net)</b>	<b>250.6</b>	<b>453.5</b>	<b>202.9</b>
Inflows	1616.5	1768.4	151.9
Outflows	1365.8	1314.9	-51.0
<b>Transportation</b>	<b>-215.9</b>	<b>-122.0</b>	<b>93.9</b>
Inflows	312.6	384.1	71.5
Outflows	528.5	506.1	-22.3
<b>Travel</b>	<b>792.7</b>	<b>912.7</b>	<b>120.0</b>
Inflows	1020.5	1133.8	113.3
Outflows	227.8	221.1	-6.7
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>-326.2</b>	<b>-337.2</b>	<b>-11.0</b>
Inflows	283.4	250.5	-32.9
Outflows	609.6	587.7	-21.9
<b>Income (Net)</b>	<b>-505.8</b>	<b>-472.6</b>	<b>33.2</b>
<b>Compensation of Employees</b>	<b>82.4</b>	<b>71.4</b>	<b>-11.0</b>
Inflows	107.3	104.3	-3.0
Outflows	24.9	32.9	8.0
<b>Investment Income</b>	<b>-588.2</b>	<b>-544.0</b>	<b>44.2</b>
Inflows	94.1	86.4	-7.7
Outflows	682.3	630.4	-51.9
- Bank of Jamaica	1.9	0.7	-1.2
- Government Direct	256.2	258.6	2.4
- Government Guaranteed	1.8	1.8	0.0
- Private	25.4	16.0	-9.4
- Direct Investment	358.9	276.3	-82.6
- Other	38.1	77.0	38.9
<b>Current Transfers (Net)</b>	<b>919.7</b>	<b>1006.2</b>	<b>86.5</b>
Inflows	1148.8	1296.5	147.7
Outflows	229.1	290.3	61.2
<b>Official</b>	<b>90.8</b>	<b>86.0</b>	<b>-4.8</b>
Inflows	96.9	90.0	-6.9
Outflows	6.1	4.0	-2.1
<b>Private</b>	<b>828.9</b>	<b>920.2</b>	<b>91.3</b>
Inflows	1051.9	1206.5	154.6
Outflows	223.0	286.3	63.3

	<b>Balance of Payments of Jamaica</b>		
	<b>US\$Mn.</b>		
	<b>Apr-Jan 2002/03</b>	<b>Apr-Jan 2003/04</b>	<b>Change</b>
<b>Capital &amp; Financial Account (Net)</b>	<b>1063.9</b>	<b>564.2</b>	<b>-499.8</b>
<b>Capital Account (Net)</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>12.3</b>
<b>1. Capital Transfers</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>11.9</b>
<b>Official</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
Inflows	0.2	0.1	-0.1
Outflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Private</b>	<b>-11.5</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>12.0</b>
Inflows	17.1	16.5	-0.6
Outflows	28.6	16.0	-12.6
<b>2. Acq/disp. of non-produced non-fin. assets</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>
Inflows	0.0	0.4	0.4
Outflows	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Financial Account (Net)</b>	<b>1075.2</b>	<b>563.2</b>	<b>-512.1</b>
<b>Other Official Investments</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>-130.8</b>	<b>-143.0</b>
Inflows	471.4	103.4	-368.0
Outflows	459.2	234.2	-225.0
<b>Other Private Investments (incl.errors &amp; omissions)</b>	<b>631.7</b>	<b>573.9</b>	<b>-57.8</b>
Inflows	2213.4	2322.1	108.7
Outflows	1581.7	1748.3	166.6
<b>Reserves</b>	<b>431.3</b>	<b>120.1</b>	
<b>Govt. Reserves</b>			

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	Jan-Sep 2002	Jan-Sep 1/ 2003	Change	Nov 2002	Nov 1/ 2003	Change	Dec 2002	Dec 1/ 2003	Change	Jan-Dec 2002	Jan-Dec 1/ 2003	Change	Jan 2003	Jan 1/ 2004	Change
<b>1. Current Account</b>	<b>-744.7</b>	<b>-564.8</b>	<b>179.9</b>	<b>-124.6</b>	<b>-68.4</b>	<b>56.2</b>	<b>-86.9</b>	<b>-28.0</b>	<b>58.9</b>	<b>-1074.4</b>	<b>-765.1</b>	<b>309.3</b>	<b>-147.2</b>	<b>-43.2</b>	<b>104.1</b>
<b>A. Goods Balance</b>	<b>-1363.0</b>	<b>-1440.1</b>	<b>-77.1</b>	<b>-167.6</b>	<b>-141.3</b>	<b>26.3</b>	<b>-178.5</b>	<b>-163.3</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>-1870.5</b>	<b>-1942.6</b>	<b>-72.1</b>	<b>-235.2</b>	<b>-141.3</b>	<b>94.0</b>
Exports	988.6	1046.0	57.4	105.9	120.8	14.9	92.7	108.4	15.7	1309.1	1385.6	76.5	100.4	126.8	26.4
Imports	2351.6	2486.1	134.5	273.5	262.1	-11.4	271.2	271.7	0.5	3179.6	3328.2	148.6	335.6	268.1	-67.6
<b>B. Services Balance</b>	<b>238.8</b>	<b>423.9</b>	<b>185.1</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>33.1</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>68.6</b>	<b>84.8</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>314.7</b>	<b>559.8</b>	<b>245.1</b>	<b>40.7</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>11.9</b>
Transportation	-181.8	-110.2	71.6	-22.4	-11.4	11.0	-15.6	-6.6	9.0	-245.6	-143.6	102.0	-19.1	-8.2	10.9
Travel	712.4	828.1	115.7	70.6	77.4	6.8	123.3	135.0	11.7	950.3	1102.7	152.4	90.4	93.4	3.0
Other Services	-291.8	-294.1	-2.3	-32.3	-32.9	-0.6	-39.1	-43.7	-4.6	-390.0	-399.2	-9.2	-30.6	-32.5	-2.0
<b>C. Income</b>	<b>-442.0</b>	<b>-404.2</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>-61.7</b>	<b>-63.3</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>-67.5</b>	<b>-72.9</b>	<b>-5.4</b>	<b>-605.5</b>	<b>-571.4</b>	<b>34.1</b>	<b>-46.6</b>	<b>-55.0</b>	<b>-8.4</b>
Compensation of employees	49.3	37.2	-12.1	12.8	8.3	-4.5	6.0	10.7	4.7	82.1	70.7	-11.4	3.3	4.4	1.1
Investment Income	-491.3	-441.4	49.9	-74.5	-71.6	2.9	-73.5	-83.6	-10.1	-687.6	-642.1	45.5	-49.9	-59.4	-9.5
<b>D. Current Transfers</b>	<b>821.5</b>	<b>855.6</b>	<b>34.1</b>	<b>88.8</b>	<b>103.1</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>90.5</b>	<b>123.4</b>	<b>32.9</b>	<b>1086.9</b>	<b>1189.1</b>	<b>102.2</b>	<b>93.9</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>6.5</b>
General Government	83.7	79.4	-4.3	7.7	8.5	0.8	8.7	9.3	0.6	107.6	105.2	-2.4	8.4	7.1	-1.3
Other Sector	737.8	776.2	38.4	81.1	94.6	13.5	81.8	114.1	32.3	979.3	1083.9	104.6	85.5	93.3	7.8
<b>2. Capital &amp; Financial Account</b>	<b>744.7</b>	<b>564.8</b>	<b>-179.9</b>	<b>124.6</b>	<b>68.4</b>	<b>-56.2</b>	<b>86.9</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>-58.9</b>	<b>1074.4</b>	<b>765.1</b>	<b>-309.3</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.2</b>	<b>-104.1</b>
<b>A. Capital Account</b>	<b>-13.9</b>	<b>-1.1</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-16.9</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>
<b>Capital Transfers</b>	<b>-13.9</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-16.9</b>	<b>-0.3</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>
General Government	0.2	0.1	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	-0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0
Other Sector	-14.1	-1.6	12.5	-1.5	0.6	2.1	-1.0	0.7	1.7	-17.1	-0.4	16.7	-0.1	0.0	0.1
<b>Acq/dis. of non-produced non-fin. assets</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>B. Financial Account</b>	<b>758.6</b>	<b>565.9</b>	<b>-192.7</b>	<b>126.1</b>	<b>67.8</b>	<b>-58.3</b>	<b>87.9</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>-60.6</b>	<b>1091.3</b>	<b>765.0</b>	<b>-326.3</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>-104.2</b>
Other Official Investment	20.2	-339.1	-359.3	63.9	-29.6	-93.5	2.3	-23.6	-25.9	77.1	-363.8	-440.9	-12.8	-18.6	-5.8
Other Private Investment (incl.errors & omissions)	585.0	490.6	-94.4	21.4	69.5	48.1	68.2	112.6	44.4	770.5	696.7	-73.8	73.3	116.3	43.0
Reserves	153.4	414.4		40.8	27.9		17.4	-61.7		243.7	432.1		86.7	-54.7	
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	Nov 2002	Nov 1/ 2003	Change	Dec 2002	Dec 1/ 2003	Change	Apr-Dec 2002/2003	Apr-Dec 1/ 2003/2004	Change	Jan 2003	Jan 1/ 2004	Change	Apr-Jan 2002/2003	Apr-Jan 1/ 2003/2004	Change
<b>1. Current Account</b>	<b>-124.6</b>	<b>-68.4</b>	<b>56.2</b>	<b>-86.9</b>	<b>-28.0</b>	<b>58.9</b>	<b>-916.7</b>	<b>-521.0</b>	<b>395.7</b>	<b>-147.2</b>	<b>-43.2</b>	<b>104.1</b>	<b>-1063.9</b>	<b>-564.2</b>	<b>499.8</b>
<b>A. Goods Balance</b>	<b>-167.6</b>	<b>-141.3</b>	<b>26.3</b>	<b>-178.5</b>	<b>-163.3</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>-1493.2</b>	<b>-1410.0</b>	<b>83.2</b>	<b>-235.2</b>	<b>-141.3</b>	<b>94.0</b>	<b>-1728.4</b>	<b>-1551.3</b>	<b>177.1</b>
Exports	105.9	120.8	14.9	92.7	108.4	15.7	979.4	1051.4	72.0	100.4	126.8	26.4	1079.8	1178.2	98.4
Imports	273.5	262.1	-11.4	271.2	271.7	0.5	2472.6	2461.4	-11.2	335.6	268.1	-67.6	2808.2	2729.5	-78.7
<b>B. Services Balance</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>33.1</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>68.6</b>	<b>84.8</b>	<b>16.2</b>	<b>209.9</b>	<b>400.8</b>	<b>190.9</b>	<b>40.7</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>11.9</b>	<b>250.6</b>	<b>453.5</b>	<b>202.9</b>
Transportation	-22.4	-11.4	11.0	-15.6	-6.6	9.0	-196.8	-113.8	83.0	-19.1	-8.2	10.9	-215.9	-122.0	93.9
Travel	70.6	77.4	6.8	123.3	135.0	11.7	702.3	819.3	117.0	90.4	93.4	3.0	792.7	912.7	120.0
Other Services	-32.3	-32.9	-0.6	-39.1	-43.7	-4.6	-295.6	-304.7	-9.1	-30.6	-32.5	-2.0	-326.2	-337.2	-11.0
<b>C. Income</b>	<b>-61.7</b>	<b>-63.3</b>	<b>-1.6</b>	<b>-67.5</b>	<b>-72.9</b>	<b>-5.4</b>	<b>-459.2</b>	<b>-417.6</b>	<b>41.6</b>	<b>-46.6</b>	<b>-55.0</b>	<b>-8.4</b>	<b>-505.8</b>	<b>-472.6</b>	<b>33.2</b>
Compensation of employees	12.8	8.3	-4.5	6.0	10.7	4.7	79.1	67.0	-12.1	3.3	4.4	1.1	82.4	71.4	-11.0
Investment Income	-74.5	-71.6	2.9	-73.5	-83.6	-10.1	-538.3	-484.6	53.7	-49.9	-59.4	-9.5	-588.2	-544.0	44.2
<b>D. Current Transfers</b>	<b>88.8</b>	<b>103.1</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>90.5</b>	<b>123.4</b>	<b>32.9</b>	<b>825.8</b>	<b>905.8</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>93.9</b>	<b>100.4</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>919.7</b>	<b>1006.2</b>	<b>86.5</b>
General Government	7.7	8.5	0.8	8.7	9.3	0.6	82.4	78.9	-3.5	8.4	7.1	-1.3	90.8	86.0	-4.8
Other Sector	81.1	94.6	13.5	81.8	114.1	32.3	743.4	826.9	83.5	85.5	93.3	7.8	828.9	920.2	91.3
<b>2. Capital &amp; Financial Account</b>	<b>124.6</b>	<b>68.4</b>	<b>-56.2</b>	<b>86.9</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>-58.9</b>	<b>189.7</b>	<b>72.4</b>	<b>-117.3</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.2</b>	<b>-104.1</b>	<b>1063.9</b>	<b>564.2</b>	<b>-499.8</b>
<b>A. Capital Account</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>12.3</b>
<b>Capital Transfers</b>	<b>-1.5</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>-1.0</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>-11.3</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>11.9</b>
General Government	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	-0.1
Other Sector	-1.5	0.6	2.1	-1.0	0.7	1.7	-11.4	0.5	11.9	-0.1	0.0	0.1	-11.5	0.5	12.0
<b>Acq/dis. of non-produced non-fin. assets</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.4</b>
<b>B. Financial Account</b>	<b>126.1</b>	<b>67.8</b>	<b>-58.3</b>	<b>87.9</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>-60.6</b>	<b>201.0</b>	<b>71.5</b>	<b>-129.5</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>-104.2</b>	<b>1075.2</b>	<b>563.2</b>	<b>-512.1</b>
Other Official Investment	63.9	-29.6	-93.5	2.3	-23.6	-25.9	-40.7	-33.1	7.6	-12.8	-18.6	-5.8	12.2	-130.8	-143.0
Other Private Investment (incl.errors & omission)	21.4	69.5	48.1	68.2	112.6	44.4	110.7	-1.8	-112.5	73.3	116.3	43.0	631.7	573.9	-57.8
Reserves	40.8	27.9	-12.9	17.4	-61.7	-79.1	131.0	106.4	-24.6	86.7	-54.7	-141.4	431.3	120.1	-311.2
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