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Overseas Merchandise Trade January 2022

Highlights of the month

January 2022 compared with December 2021

Merchandise Exports¹

- ❖ The total value of merchandise exports declined 38.1 percent (or \$2.8 million) to \$4.5 million in January 2022. The monthly decrease was due to the reduction of:
 - ✓ Fats and oils (\$1.5 million)
 - ✓ Vegetables (down \$0.3 million)
 - ✓ Electrical machinery and equipment (down \$0.7 million)
- ❖ Exports to USA (down \$1.53 million), New Zealand (down \$0.39 million) and Australia (down \$0.31 million) recorded largest decreases in January 2022 mainly reflecting the reduction of taro, beer, cocoa and coconut oil exports as a result of the pandemic lockdown in the reviewed month.
- ❖ Oceania region became the leading export market in January 2022, accounting for 74.3 percent of total merchandise exports in January 2022.

Merchandise Imports

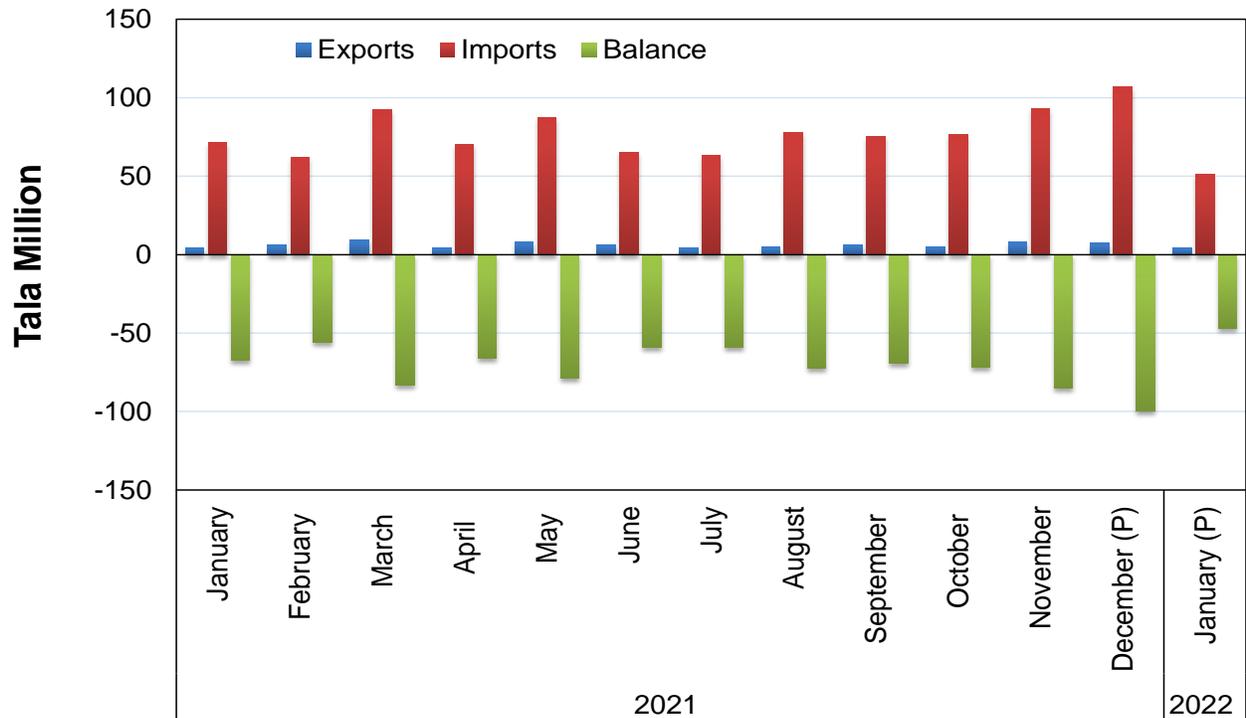
- ❖ The total value of merchandise imports decreased 52.2 percent to \$51.3 million in January 2022.
- ❖ This reduction was mainly driven by imports of:
 - ✓ Mineral fuels, minerals oils and products (down \$26.8 million)
 - ✓ Iron & steel (down \$4.1 million)
 - ✓ Vehicles, parts and accessories (down \$3.1 million)
 - ✓ Meat and edible meat offal (down \$0.8 million).
- ❖ Imports from Singapore (down \$24.8 million), Fiji (down \$12.3 million) and New Zealand (down \$11.6 million) recorded the largest decreases in the reviewed month. This was a result of a decline in imports of petroleum, cement, chicken leg (quarter) and vehicle parts to mention a few.
- ❖ Asia region recorded the largest decrease (down \$27.1 million) due to a reduction of petroleum imports in January 2022.

Trade Balance

- The total value of merchandise imports (\$51.3 million) exceeded that of exports (\$4.5 million), resulting in a trade deficit of \$46.8 million in January 2022.

¹ Includes re-export commodities

Merchandise Trade



Source: Samoa Bureau of Statistics

The attached tables provide the user with more detailed information

Technical Notes

The main source of imports and exports data comes from the administrative document; a completed customs form (Single Administrative data-SAD) which is required to be filled in by importers and exporters or customs agents when clearing merchandise inward and outward through the Ministry for Customs and Revenue (Custom Department).

The February 2022 Merchandise trade report is expected to be available on April 13th 2022.

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Table 1: Overseas Merchandise Trade
Values (000 tala) ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

Period		Exports	Imports	Balance
Annual				
2018		119,204	939,443	-820,239
2019		130,098	1,031,313	-901,215
2020 (P)		99,341	828,649	-729,308
2021 (P)		73,709	51,332	-547,363
Quarter				
2016	March	28,256	220,835	-192,579
	June	35,098	226,981	-191,883
	September	44,936	224,418	-179,482
	December	35,466	226,772	-191,306
2017	March	25,871	210,126	-184,255
	June	31,138	210,684	-179,546
	September	30,834	235,475	-204,641
	December	24,372	244,712	-220,340
2018	March	20,050	197,020	-176,969
	June	25,858	227,652	-201,794
	September	36,021	250,123	-214,103
	December	37,276	264,649	-227,373
2019	March	30,683	226,898	-196,215
	June	31,965	255,687	-223,722
	September	34,841	251,566	-216,726
	December	32,608	297,161	-264,553
2020	March	24,478	206,424	-181,945
	June	26,895	175,366	-148,471
	Sep	26,002	208,136	-182,134
	Dec (P)	21,966	238,724	-216,758
Month				
2019	January	11,694	74,815	-63,122
	February	7,402	61,818	-54,415
	March	11,587	90,266	-78,678
	April	7,659	72,648	-64,990
	May	10,122	97,409	-87,287
	June	14,184	85,630	-71,446
	July	8,991	80,521	-71,530
	August	13,508	92,458	-78,950
	September	12,342	78,587	-66,245
	October	12,998	95,510	-82,512
	November (*)	9,740	101,432	-91,692
	December	9,870	100,218	-90,348
2020	January	9,900	54,741	-44,841
	February	7,300	74,938	-67,637
	March	7,278	76,745	-69,467
	April	11,088	62,770	-51,682
	May	7,924	53,370	-45,445
	June	7,882	59,226	-51,344
	July	11,465	68,981	-57,516
	August	7,528	73,980	-66,452
	September	7,009	65,175	-58,166
	October	8,582	90,442	-81,860
	November	5,856	63,476	-57,619
	December	7,528	84,807	-77,279
2021	January	4,183	71,522	-67,339
	February	5,886	61,813	-55,927
	March	9,158	92,205	-83,047
	April	4,175	70,139	-65,964
	May	8,298	87,257	-78,959
	June	5,977	65,134	-59,157
	July	4,342	63,205	-58,863
	August	5,091	77,466	-72,375
	September	6,387	75,527	-69,140
	October	5,006	76,653	-71,647
	November	7,910	93,070	-85,160
	December (P)	7,296	107,280	-99,984
2022	January (P)	4,517	51,330	-46,813

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Data source: Ministry of Customs and Revenue and establishment surveys

Notes: (*) HS - Samoa Customs Tariff (HS2017 applies to November 2019 and later data. HS2012 is used for earlier data).

Table 2: Exports by main Commodities
Values (000 tala) ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

HS Code	Commodity	Annual			Month							% Change	
		2019	2020	2021(P)	2019	2020	2021				2022	Jan 22 /Dec 21	Jan22 /Jan21
					Jan	Jan	Jan	Feb	Mar	Dec (P)	Jan (P)		
3	Fish, crustaceans and molluscs	46,415	32,774	6,536	4,871	3,732	1,840	117	3,964	615	1,057	71.9	-42.5
27	Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products	32,165	14,148	2,627	2,775	2,953	612	677	859	479	924	92.9	51.0
7	Vegetables	7,915	8,841	2,750	536	512	349	1,108	682	611	365	-40.3	4.5
85	Electrical machinery and equipment	4,879	8,628	2,011	497	422	199	460	302	1,050	353	-66.4	77.3
24	Tobacco	1,337	2,399	1,007	89	268	198	213	289	307	348	13.3	75.7
8	Fruit and nuts	2,024	2,385	1,215	105	207	226	406	280	303	343	13.3	51.9
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	5,238	5,080	1,703	39	546	399	582	425	297	284	-4.3	-28.7
20	Preparations of vegetables, fruit and nuts	12,237	2,677	766	1,666	352	-	174	346	246	248	0.9	0.0
15	Fats and oils	4,830	7,197	3,636	411	278	-	1,136	820	1,680	162	-90.4	0.0
72-73	Iron and steel and articles	845	864	399	0	91	-	60	230	109	98	-10.1	0.0
18	Cocoa	587	764	403	5	147	216	19	43	125	72	-42.3	-66.6
2	Meat and edible offal	583	280	138	63	4	1	131	6	-	54	0.0	5320.0
19	Cereal preparations	741	409	219	305	13	15	111	31	62	53	-14.7	252.6
94	Furniture, furnishings and light fittings	554	970	138	12	41	17	1	51	69	48	-30.8	180.8
4	Dairy	308	1,043	206	1	46	0	75	101	30	31	4.1	0.0
25	Mineral substances	325	467	105	0	-	0	12	3	90	14	-84.3	0.0
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	481	774	783	1	22	0	42	43	698	12	-98.4	0.0
62	Apparel and clothing accessories	454	26	12	1	3	-	6	-	6	4	-36.8	0.0
34	Soaps and polishes	1,020	2,073	57	2	15	0	22	22	13	4	-73.0	0.0
33	Essential oils and cosmetic preparations	84	217	69	0	4	0	45	13	11	3	-69.0	0.0
84	Mechanical machinery and equipment	808	402	27	148	15	6	2	1	18	3	-81.4	-44.1
39	Plastics and articles	1,005	1,180	84	65	13	1	32	51	1	3	334.8	204.4
44	Wood and articles of wood	371	846	242	0	10	0	74	164	4	1	-70.2	0.0
16	Meat and fish preparation	376	427	43	21	2	0	39	3	1	1	-10.5	0.0
12	Oil seeds	950	812	281	0	27	29	54	163	35	0	-99.0	-98.8
87	Vehicles, parts and accessories	623	571	103	26	119	21	6	29	47	0	-99.3	-98.5
17	Sugar	61	27	7	0	1	0	0	3	4	0	-97.0	0.0
23	Food wastes	166	325	219	0	9	0	145	0	74	0	-99.8	0
96	Miscellaneous manufactured products	68	348	63	0	2	0	0	2	61	0	-99.8	0.0
64	Footwear	216	315	104	0	-	0	0	104	0	0	-60.0	0.0
10	Cereals	105	170	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	20.0	0.0
38	Chemical products n.e.s.	730	134	22	1	15	8	14	0	-	0	0.0	-98.5
...	Others	1,598	1,768	1,848	52	31	46	125	128	250	30	-88.0	-34.8
01-98	Total	130,098	99,341	27,822	11,694	9,900	4,183	5,886	9,158	7,296	4,517	-38.1	8.0

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Table 3: Exports (value) by major items, SITC (3)
Values (000 tala)⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

SITC Section	Annual			Month							% Change	
				2019	2020	2021				2022	Jan 22 /Dec21	Jan22 /Jan 21
	2019	2020	2021 (P)	Jan	Jan	Jan	Feb	Mar	Dec (P)	Jan (P)		
Food & Live Animal	73,254	51,302	30,856	7,575	5,073	2,681	2,426	5,612	2,810	2,237	-20.4	-16.6
Beverages & Tobacco	6,563	7,732	8,774	128	813	597	795	715	605	632	4.5	5.9
Crude Materials, Inedible, Except Fuels	881	1,542	1,645	17	77	-	62	220	70	96	37.8	0.0
Mineral fuels, Lubricants & Related Materials	32,159	14,145	8,023	2,771	2,953	612	677	859	480	924	92.5	51.0
Animal & Vegetable Oils, Fats & Waxes	2,110	7,170	124	0	278	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Chemicals & Related Products	4,021	1,790	11,853	414	55	8	1,225	917	1,726	187	-89.2	2233.2
Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Material	2,625	2,376	2,004	4	34	42	170	299	315	23	-92.8	-46.2
Machinery & Transport Equipment	6,066	10,339	8,586	672	556	225	469	332	1,115	357	-68.0	58.5
Miscellaneous Manufactured Goods & Articles	2,369	2,930	1,841	113	51	17	61	204	175	61	-64.9	261.1
Commodities & Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere In The SITC	49	13	2	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	-100.0
Total	130,098	99,340	73,709	11,694	9,900	4,183	5,886	9,158	7,296	4,517	-38.1	8.0

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Table 4: Exports by Region, by main Countries of Destination
Values (in '000 Tala)⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

Region/Country	Annual			Month							% Change		
				2019	2020	2021				2022			
	2019	2020	2021 (P)	Jan	Jan	Jan	Feb	Mar	Dec (P)	Jan (P)	Jan 22 /Dec21	Jan22 /Jan21	
Region													
Africa	10	0	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
America	16,829	11,016	13,732	1,577	1,098	158	1,291	1,091	1,617	89	-25.1	-7.9	
Asia	22,115	11,314	7,660	2,008	1,498	497	489	1,372	563	802	-48.2	296.5	
Europe	1,055	1,911	339	228	195	0	0	0	-	269	-100.0	-100.0	
Oceania	90,087	75,098	51,979	7,881	7,109	3,528	4,106	6,695	5,116	3,357	12.2	-5.1	
Other	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	- 100	
Top Countries													
New Zealand	20,762	17,447	17140	1,675	1,602	424	1791	1326	1261	876	-30.5	106.6	
Australia	10,663	8,253	6403	982	878	624	745	381	767	462	-39.8	-26.0	
American Samoa	40,423	33,011	15529	3,922	3,509	1629	423	3293	1297	1,311	1.1	-19.5	
Fiji	3,323	780	1289.3	441	264	83	337	83	768	0	-100.0	-100.0	
Tokelau	11,301	9,234	5518	767	502	154	529	579	400	319	-20.3	107.1	
China	1,767	1,075	367	164	179	0	40	0	0	54	0.0	0.0	
Taiwan	8,152	5,576	4048	623	525	417	375	578	84	639	660.7	53.2	
Japan	5,640	5,258	2665	138	376	211	0	1115	110	0	-100.0	-100.0	
Singapore	2,064	300	857	241	16	51	10	12	59	56	-5.1	9.8	
USA	15,127	10,868	13524	1,266	1,064	158	1151	1091	1615	89	-94.5	-43.7	
Other countries	10,875	7,539	6369	1,474	985	432	485	700	935	711	-24.0	64.6	
Total	130,097	99,340	73709	11,694	9,900	4,183	5,886	9,158	7,296	4,517	-38.1	8.0	

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Table 5: Imports by main Commodities
Values (000 tala) ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

HS Code	Commodity	Annual			Month							% Change	
					2019	2020	2021				2022		
		2019	2020	2021 (P)	Jan	Jan	Jan	Feb	Mar	Dec (P)	Jan (P)	Jan22 /Dec21	Jan 22 / Jan 21
2	Meat and edible meat offal	69,433	63,639	77,029	4,027	2,336	5,398	3,605	8,019	6,233	5,479	-12.1	2
87	Vehicles, parts and accessories	94,809	58,714	61,689	6,950	5,372	6,108	2,243	7,976	7,234	4,121	-43.0	33
72-73	Iron and steel	54,211	34,321	42,721	4,794	4,775	3,489	3,195	2,460	7,864	3,784	-51.9	8
84	Mechanical machinery and equipment	65,448	59,284	51,178	3,350	2,955	4,608	3,158	5,711	5,538	3,546	-36.0	23
19	Cereal preparations	29,417	28,933	31,382	2,123	1,799	2,627	2,333	2,846	2,191	3,115	42.2	19
85	Electrical machinery and equipment	69,003	48,157	47,631	5,894	6,236	2,663	2,506	4,923	3,747	2,508	-33.1	6
30	Pharmaceutical products	12,875	23,951	21,506	917	1,101	1,371	1,533	1,507	915	2,093	128.7	53
39	Plastics and articles	29,660	20,445	21,878	2,055	1,747	1,373	1,669	1,994	1,888	1,978	4.8	44
4	Dairy	31,626	31,146	34,565	2,451	2,502	2,012	2,909	2,581	3,673	1,851	-49.6	8
25	Mineral substances	18,956	17,015	18,697	1,608	1,154	1,790	1,110	1,169	3,296	1,741	-47.2	3
16	Meat and fish preparation	19,612	21,966	26,062	1,728	1,727	2,551	1,699	2,129	1,912	1,444	-24.5	43
10	Cereals	11,484	15,182	11,588	706	982	682	649	447	1,265	1,171	-7.4	72
21	Miscellaneous edible preparations	18,038	16,435	17,132	1,214	1,249	1,611	742	1,716	1,079	1,167	8.4	27
90	Optical, medical, and measuring equipment	9,520	16,496	11,967	1,191	1,471	855	1,379	1,409	867	1,170	34.5	36
27	Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products	182,429	115,734	152,667	16,447	1,447	12,820	1,062	17,458	27,983	1,134	-95.9	91
48	Paper products	17,234	16,573	19,074	1,867	1,219	1,788	1,898	2,664	1,434	1,115	-22.3	38
62	Apparel not knitted and crocheted	12,034	5,297	10,925	1,107	174	449	906	1,318	2,228	1,009	-54.7	125
11	Milling industry products	15,459	13,998	15,100	916	1,175	960	1,191	1,483	1,593	963	-39.6	0
44	Wood and articles of wood	34,940	27,508	36,298	879	1,029	3,417	3,360	2,775	3,916	961	-75.5	72
7	Vegetables	9,474	8,151	9,584	691	617	541	1,041	1,036	1,138	934	-17.9	73
17	Sugar	13,049	13,303	18,699	552	896	705	1,155	1,567	2,738	779	-71.5	11
23	Food wastes	4,750	5,250	6,249	405	188	451	18	477	729	734	0.7	63
20	Vegetable, fruit, and nut preparations	7,978	6,890	7,912	355	441	451	161	568	986	626	-36.5	39
32	Dyes, tannin, and paint	9,913	6,843	8,586	599	313	866	595	640	455	593	30.2	32
96	Miscellaneous manufactured products	10,569	10,620	10,920	1,235	661	615	254	955	841	565	-32.8	8
15	Fats and oils	8,136	8,304	9,703	591	604	445	1,089	282	464	560	20.7	26
22	Beverages	7,400	4,958	10,710	379	457	586	360	1,131	1,647	510	-69.0	13
40	Rubber	7,967	7,725	6,888	603	495	572	314	687	557	494	-11.3	14
33	Essential oils and cosmetic preparations	9,391	9,262	9,846	419	545	605	441	653	1,239	424	-65.7	30
34	Soaps and polishes	12,662	14,613	14,980	676	1,312	1,196	532	1,134	1,851	420	-77.3	65
94	Furniture	17,788	9,572	14,084	827	939	623	1,506	2,524	1,024	376	-63.3	40
55	Man-made staple fibres	7,168	3,272	5,006	436	125	105	137	797	797	362	-54.6	245
69	Ceramic products	5,931	5,332	5,504	833	864	183	1,184	431	612	324	-47.1	77
28	Inorganic chemicals and compounds	2,521	1,749	1,851	117	133	213	88	140	92	273	196.4	28
3	Fish	5,949	5,574	3,232	605	294	109	201	437	112	257	129.0	136
63	Made up textile articles	5,262	2,732	2,989	304	185	176	207	385	326	241	-26.1	37
83	Miscellaneous metal articles	4,342	2,924	3,166	202	141	380	295	127	178	61	-65.8	84
95	Toys and games	8,846	3,164	3,469	159	129	223	197	211	750	239	-68.1	7
49	Books and newspapers	3,380	5,654	2,478	152	227	350	125	529	56	219	291.1	37
70	Glass and glassware	7,104	4,862	5,072	412	77	40	541	836	492	216	-56.2	442
38	Chemical products n.e.c.	9,952	8,579	8,989	604	1,144	933	436	779	836	166	-80.1	82
64	Footwear	2,424	2,475	4,071	104	168	270	202	240	196	151	-22.9	44
82	Metal tools and cutlery	3,567	2,655	2,764	245	274	323	134	329	236	116	-50.8	64
76	Aluminium	10,060	7,170	6,412	620	813	656	424	1,024	320	92	-71.3	86
61	Knitted and crocheted apparel	4,342	2,997	4,059	220	105	310	215	515	315	74	-76.5	76
9	Coffee, tea, and spices	2,164	2,349	2,353	164	173	132	113	548	314	71	-77.3	46
37	Photographic equipment	2,332	1,962	3,243	340	164	155	377	311	256	45	-82.5	71
18	Cocoa	1,198	1,167	1,114	43	81	90	37	57	115	44	-61.5	51
52	Cotton	817	934	433	145	168	73	24	19	107	10	-90.5	86
68	Stone	6,916	5,656	5,910	555	804	474	559	247	836	214	-74.4	55
24	Tobacco	3,120	2,597	2,451	96	-	181	0	449	306	2	-99.5	99
8	Fruits and nuts	3,723	3,252	4,617	240	78	403	304	356	454	226	-50.2	44
...	Others	14,930	11,310	24,837	663	674	1,514	11,403	1,199	1,049	565	-46.1	63
01-98	Total	1,031,313	828,650	941,270	74,815	54,741	71,522	61,813	92,205	107,280	51,330	-52.2	28.2

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Data source: Ministry of Customs and Revenue and establishment surveys

Notes: (*) HS - Samoa Customs Tariff (HS2017 applies to November 2019 and later data. HS2012 is used for earlier data.)

Table 6: Imports (value) by major items, SITC(3)
Values (000 tala)⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

SITC Section	Annual			Month							% Change	
	2019	2020	2021 (P)	2019	2020	2021				2022	Jan 22 /Dec21	Jan22 / Jan 21
				Jan	Jan	Jan	Feb	Mar	Dec (P)	Jan (P)		
Food & Live Animal	246,220	239,225	269,946	16,363	14,676	18,861	16,319	24,465	24,710	19,038	-23.0	0.9
Beverages & Tobacco	10,100	7,260	12,515	461	386	725	360	1,537	1,883	510	-72.9	-29.7
Crude Materials, Inedible, Except Fuels	35,063	26,188	35,187	1,265	761	2,987	2,930	2,740	3,586	1,062	-70.4	-64.5
Mineral fuels, Lubricants & Related Materials	175,246	112,034	149,740	15,679	1,005	12,746	952	17,298	27,618	1,046	-96.2	-91.8
Animal & Vegetable Oils, Fats & Waxes	5,940	6,489	8,137	495	511	351	1,015	144	318	478	50.4	36.3
Chemicals & Related Products	69,884	75,048	74,181	3,956	5,581	5,819	4,090	5,547	6,114	4,442	-27.3	-23.7
Manufactured Goods Classified Chiefly by Material	159,098	118,935	132,979	13,183	12,034	11,433	10,784	11,723	17,911	8,790	-50.9	-23.1
Machinery & Transport Equipment	230,974	171,299	171,926	16,208	14,587	13,404	18,303	18,683	16,534	10,191	-38.4	-24.0
Miscellaneous Manufactured Goods & Articles	98,777	72,101	86,619	7,202	5,196	5,194	7,057	10,067	8,606	5,772	-32.9	11.1
Commodities & Transactions Not Classified Elsewhere In The SITC	11	71	41	3	4	2	3	0	0	0.061	0.0	-97.0
Total	1,031,313	828,651	941,270	74,815	54,741	71,522	61,813	92,205	107,280	51,330	-52.2	-28.2

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3 SITC: Standard International Trade Classification

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Table 7: Imports by Region, by main Countries of Exports

Values (in '000 Tala)⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾

Region/Country	Annual			Month							% Change	
				2019	2020	2021				2022	Jan 22 /Dec 21	Jan22 /Jan 21
	2019	2020	2021(P)	Jan	Jan	Jan	Feb	Mar	Dec (P)	Jan (P)		
Region												
Africa	41	153	88	3	0	0	0	0	19	0	-98.9	0.0
America	93,527	87,590	95,630	5,836	4,560	8,304	4,963	9,421	6,921	5,688	-17.8	-31.5
Asia	489,645	328,372	384,046	38,255	25,522	32,582	15,924	40,711	49,308	21,400	-56.6	-34.3
Europe	10,952	3,809	2,366	962	333	190	30	472	289	636	120.0	234.6
Oceania	437,147	408,729	459,137	29,760	24,327	30,445	40,896	41,601	50,744	23,606	-53.5	-22.5
Other	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0
Top Countries												
New Zealand	270,086	237,309	288,208	17,520	14,096	15,093	20,418	25,996	25,621	14,015	-45.3	7.1
Australia	93,043	93,847	82,867	8,470	6,148	7,854	16,833	7,824	7,148	5,247	-26.6	33.2
Fiji	66,895	68,282	84,907	3,321	3,872	7,209	3,539	7,732	16,585	4,325	-73.9	40.0
United States of America	90,688	87,320	94,763	5,680	4,544	8,198	4,849	9,318	6,921	5,572	-19.5	32.0
China	127,719	68,204	82,783	8,257	8,799	6,593	7,671	6,627	9,009	7,899	-12.3	19.8
Hong Kong	50,131	44,732	42,249	5,046	4,403	3,238	3,035	6,510	1,806	921	-49.0	71.6
Indonesia	11,160	8,205	8,753	661	229	562	905	325	743	813	9.4	44.7
Japan	40,280	36,584	24,137	2,609	5,365	3,003	246	4,567	894	2,240	150.6	25.4
Malaysia	9,788	6,395	4,122	529	1,263	411	386	272	378	315	-16.7	23.4
Philippines	1,990	485	511	22	0	0	42	0	-	0	0.0	-
Singapore	174,133	118,465	147,259	15,357	238	12,148	476	16,769	26,035	1,242	-95.2	89.8
Thailand	28,481	23,200	18,972	2,791	2,693	2,990	736	2,610	942	3,154	234.8	5.5
India	12,268	1,649	2,611	687	128	242	597	446	271	127	-53.1	47.5
Korea Democratic People's	4,783	3,423	1,211	358	60	54	0	267	-	157	0.0	191.6
Korea Republic	19,583	17,092	49,703	882	2,055	3,289	1,707	2,089	9,221	3,995	-56.7	21.5
Papua New Guinea	580	195	0	258	3	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	-
Tonga	296	843	1,439	16	35	71	0	0	1,153	0	-100.0	100.0
Taiwan, Province of China	4,551	2,061	898	327	120	52	122	2	-	45	0.0	13.5
Viet Nam	5,035	2,540	0	720	103	0	0	0	0	328	0.0	-
Other countries	19,824	7,820	5,876	1,303	587	515	251	851	553	935	69.1	81.6
Total	1,031,313	828,650	941,270	74,815	54,741	71,522	61,813	92,205	107,280	51,330	-52.2	28.2

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