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Introduction

This report presents statistics of the value of non-oil 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 second quarter 2012. It should be noted that the goods captured in the report do not belong entirely to the Emirate of Abu Dhabi and do not fully represent Abu Dhabi non-oil merchandise trade as some of these goods might belong to other Emirates. This report does not record Abu Dhabi trade through ports of the other Emirates.

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

These data are presented according to the international standards for the dissemination of merchandise trade statistics. Non-oil exports, imports and re-exports are shown by the Standard International Trade Classification (SITC), Revision 4, and the Broad Economic Category (BEC). In addition, the statistics are presented by geographic regions and countries. Statistics presented on the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS) are available from SCAD on request.

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

Key Points

Non-oil merchandise trade in the second quarter of 2012

The total value of non-oil merchandise trade was AED 36,721 million in Q2 2012, an increase of AED 2,284 million (6.6%) compared with Q2 2011. Imports increased by AED 3,560 million (13.9%), re-exports increased by AED 957 million (33.1%) while the value of non-oil exports decreased by AED 2,233 million (-37.5%) during this period. This decrease in non-oil exports was mainly due to the presence of “floating or submersible drilling or production platforms” in the export data for Q2 2011.

Imports contributed 79.4% of total foreign trade during the second quarter of 2012, while non-oil exports and re-exports contributed 10.1% and 10.5% respectively.

Table 1: Non-oil merchandise trade

Value in million AED

	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Imports	25,594	29,154	13.9
Non-oil exports	5,948	3,715	-37.5
Re-exports	2,895	3,852	33.1
Total	34,437	36,721	6.6

Source: Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration
The data for 2012 are preliminary estimates, and may be revised

Imports by Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)

“Machinery and transport equipment” was the largest contributor to imports by SITC in Q2 2012, representing 46.3% of the total, an increase in value of AED 2,028 million (17.7%) compared with Q2 2011. The main contributors to this increase were the divisions “general industrial machinery” which increased by AED 1,571 million, and “road vehicles” which increased by AED 1,240 million.

The second largest SITC section in Q2 2012 was “Manufactured goods classified by material”, which increased by AED 441 million (6.6%) compared with Q2 2011. The main contributors to this increase were “non-ferrous metals” which increased by AED 476 million, and “iron and steel” which increased by AED 234 million.

These top two sections contributed 70.9% of the total value of imports in Q2 2012, compared with 71.1% in Q2 2011.

Table 2: Imports by SITC

Value in million AED

Commodities	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Machinery and transport equipment	11,485	13,513	17.7
Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	6,725	7,167	6.6
Chemicals and related products	2,122	2,357	11.1
Miscellaneous manufactured items	1,404	2,300	63.8
Food and live animals	1,609	1,717	6.7
Inedible raw materials, except fuels	1,550	1,468	-5.3
Mineral fuel and lubricants (except oil and gas)	328	391	19.2
Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	92	121	31.7
Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere	213	77	-64.0
Beverages and tobacco	66	44	-33.8
Total	25,594	29,154	13.9

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Imports by Broad Economic Categories (BEC)

“Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified” was the largest BEC category of imports in Q2 2012 representing 37.8% of the total value, an increase of AED 197 million (1.8%) compared with Q2 2011. The largest contributor to this category was “processed industrial supplies”, which includes copper and copper alloys, tubes and pipes of iron and steel, structures of iron and steel and insulated wire.

“Capital goods (except transport equipment)” increased by AED 1,293 million (20.5%) compared with the Q2 2011 value, contributing 26.1% of total imports in Q2 2012.

Table 3: Imports by BEC

Value in million AED

Commodities	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified	10,826	11,023	1.8
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	6,311	7,604	20.5
Transport equipment and parts	5,035	5,413	7.5
Consumer goods not elsewhere specified	1,355	3,076	>100
Food and beverages	1,490	1,608	7.9
Other commodities	577	430	-25.4
Total	25,594	29,154	13.9

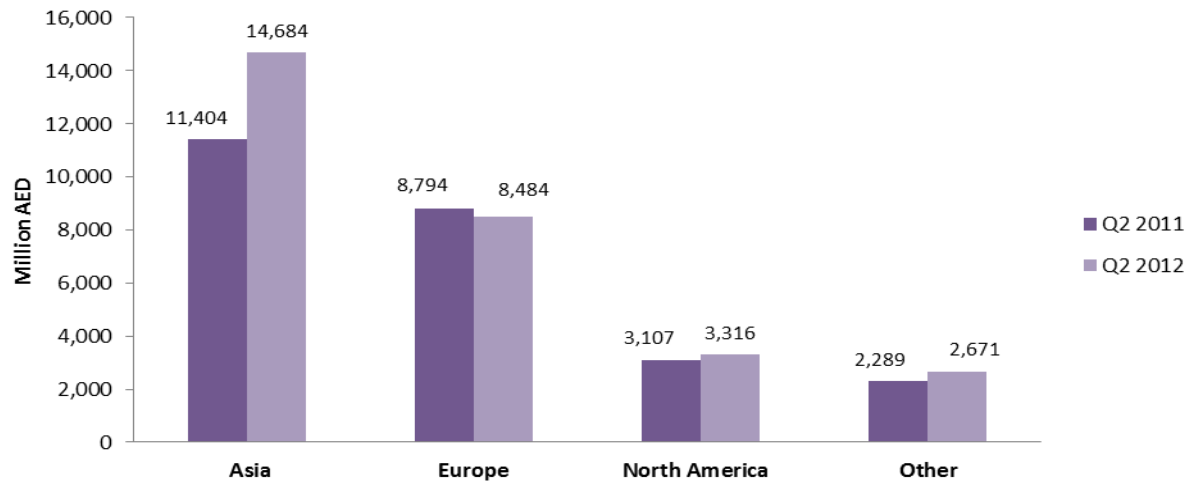
Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Imports by geographic regions

Asia Countries represented the leading source (50.4%) of imports through the ports of Abu Dhabi during Q2 2012, with the total value from these countries increasing by AED 3,280 million (28.8%) compared with Q2 2011. Imports from Europe and North America represented 29.1% and 11.4% of the total imports for Q2 2012.

Figure 1: Imports by geographic regions



Source: Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration

Imports by country

The top ten countries contributed 69.8% of total imports in Q2 2012. The largest increases were in imports from South Korea, up by AED 2,179 million (>100%) compared with Q2 2011, and Japan which increased by AED 1,129 million (95.4%) over the period.

Table 4: Imports by country

Value in million AED

Country	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
South Korea	2,128	4,308	>100
Saudi Arabia	3,344	3,193	-4.5
USA	2,957	3,077	4.1
Japan	1,183	2,312	95.4
Germany	2,848	2,303	-19.1
Italy	1,653	1,763	6.7
U.K.	1,020	1,080	5.9
China	879	969	10.3
France	1,081	707	-34.6
Brazil	442	650	47.1
Other Countries	8,059	8,792	9.1
Total	25,594	29,154	13.9

Source: Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration
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Non-oil exports by Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)

The overall decrease in non-oil exports during the second quarter 2012 was mainly caused by “machinery and transport equipment”, which declined from AED 4,406 million in Q2 2011 to AED 163 million in Q2 2012. This was due to the presence of “floating or submersible drilling or production platforms” in the export data for Q2 2011.

“Chemicals and related products” was the largest contributor to non-oil exports by SITC in Q2 2012, representing 55.0% of the total, an increase in value of AED 1,403 million (>100%) compared with Q2 2011. The main contributor to this increase was “plastics in primary forms” which increased by AED 1,422 million during the period.

The second largest SITC section was “Manufactured goods classified by material”, which increased by AED 546 million (81.0%) compared with Q2 2011. The main cause of this increase was “iron and steel” and “non-ferrous metals” which increased by AED 273 million and AED 261 million respectively.

These top two sections contributed 87.9% of the total value of non-oil exports in Q2 2012.

Table 5: Non-oil exports by SITC

Value in million AED

Commodities	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Chemicals and related products	640	2,043	>100
Manufactured goods classified by material	675	1,221	81.0
Machinery and transport equipment	4,406	163	-96.3
Other commodities	227	288	26.6
Total	5,948	3,715	-37.5

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Non-oil exports by Broad Economic Categories (BEC)

“Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified” was the largest BEC category of non-oil exports in Q2 2012 representing 87.9% of the total value, an increase of AED 2,005 million (>100%) compared with Q2 2011. This was mainly due to a rise of AED 1,969 million in the sub-category “processed industrial supplies”, which includes polymers of ethylene and propylene, copper wire, aluminum structures and products of iron and steel.

The top four categories, shown in table 6, contributed 98.7% of the total value of non-oil exports in Q2 2012, compared with 99.5% in Q2 2011.

Table 6: Non-oil exports by BEC

Value in million AED

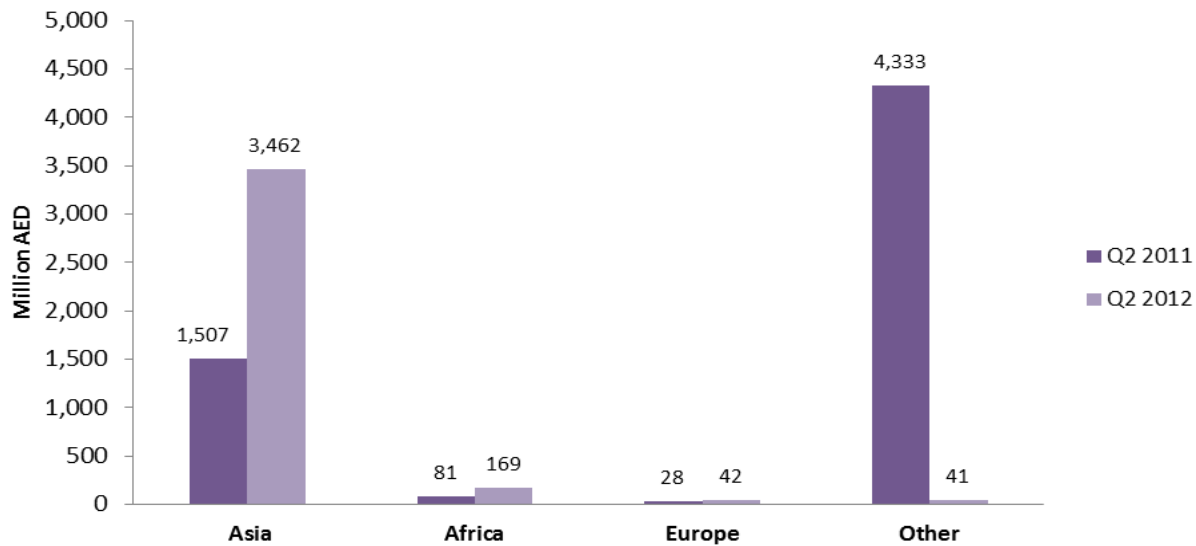
Commodities	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified	1,261	3,266	>100
Food and beverages	156	183	17.0
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	4,411	128	-97.1
Consumer goods not elsewhere specified	92	89	-3.1
Other commodities	28	49	72.3
Total	5,948	3,715	-37.5

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Non-oil exports by geographic regions

Asia was the leading destination (93.2%) for Abu Dhabi non-oil exports during Q2 2012, with the total value of exports to these countries increasing by AED 1,955 million (>100%) compared with Q2 2011. The next largest region was Africa, contributing 4.6% to the total value of non-oil exports in Q2 2012.

Figure 2: Non-oil exports by geographic region

Source: Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration

Non-oil exports by country

The top ten countries contributed 89.7% of total non-oil exports in Q2 2012. Saudi Arabia was the leading destination with AED 991 million, an increase of AED 453 million (84.1%) compared with Q2 2011. Non-oil exports to China, Singapore and India also showed significant increases over the period.

Table 7: Non-oil exports by country

Value in million AED

Country	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Saudi Arabia	538	991	84.1
China	127	924	>100
Singapore	23	436	>100
Oman	223	255	14.5
Qatar	129	194	50.5
India	90	188	>100
Kuwait	81	132	63.3
Egypt	50	96	93.6
Bahrain	34	63	85.7
Pakistan	41	52	26.9
Other Countries	4,612	383	-91.7
Total	5,948	3,715	-37.5

Source: Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration

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Re-exports by Standard International Trade Classification (SITC)

“Machinery and transport equipment” was the largest contributor to the total value of re-exports during Q2 2012 representing 65.3% of the total value, an increase of AED 574 million (29.6%) compared with Q2 2011. The second largest section “miscellaneous manufacturing articles” increased by AED 136 million (30.2%), and represented 15.3% of total re-exports in Q2 2012.

The top four sections, shown in the table 7, contributed 95.5% of total re-exports in Q2 2012, compared with 93.2% in Q2 2011.

Table 8: Re-exports by SITC

Value in million AED

Commodities	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Machinery and transport equipment	1,942	2,517	29.6
Miscellaneous manufactured articles	452	589	30.2
Manufactured goods classified by material	156	368	>100
Chemicals and related products	147	206	40.4
Other commodities	197	173	-12.3
Total	2,895	3,852	33.1

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Re-exports by Broad Economic Categories (BEC)

“Capital goods (except transport equipment)” was the largest BEC category of re-exports in Q2 2012 representing 42.7% of the total value, an increase of AED 431 million (35.5%) compared with Q2 2011. The second largest category was “consumer goods not elsewhere specified” which contributed 24.6% of re-exports in Q2 2012, although it decreased in value by AED 60 million (-5.9%) compared with Q2 2011.

The top four categories, shown in table 8, contributed 99.1% of total re-exports in Q2 2012, compared with 98.9% in Q2 2011.

Table 9: Re-exports by BEC

Value in million AED

Commodities	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Capital goods (except transport equipment)	1,212	1,643	35.5
Consumer goods not elsewhere specified	1,009	949	-5.9
Transport equipment and parts	456	795	74.3
Industrial supplies not elsewhere specified	186	430	>100
Other commodities	31	35	13.0
Total	2,895	3,852	33.1

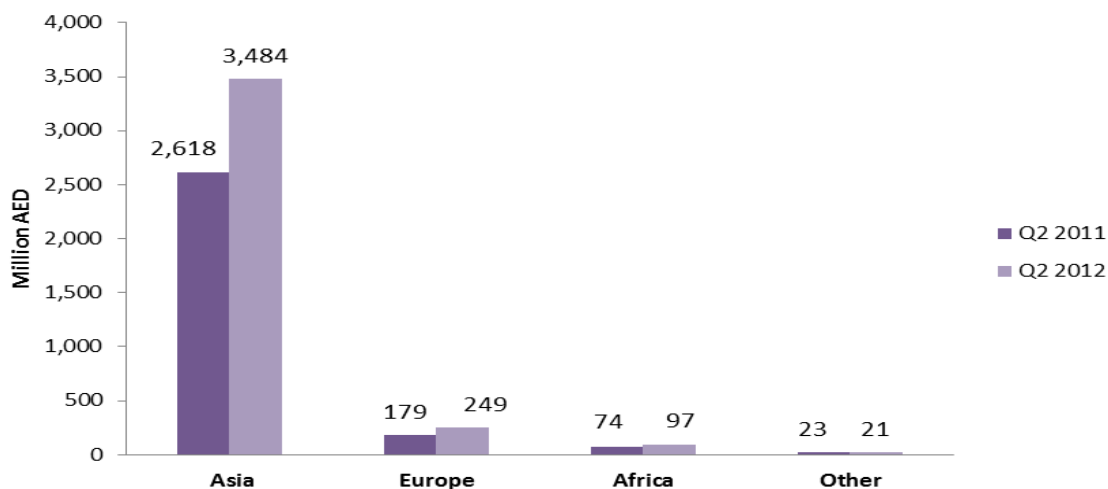
Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Re-exports by geographic regions

The Asia region was the top destination for Abu Dhabi’s re-exports in Q2 2012, representing 90.4% of the total re-exports. The next largest region was Europe, contributing 6.5% to the total value of re-exports in Q2 2012

Figure 3: Re-exports by geographic regions



Source: Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration

Re-exports by country

The top ten countries contributed 87.8% of total re-exports in Q2 2012. The most significant destination for re-exports was Bahrain (27.9% of the total), followed by Saudi Arabia (18.4%), Qatar (13.5%) and Kuwait (13.1%).

Table 10: Re-exports by country

Value in million AED

Country	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	Change (%)
Bahrain	860	1,076	25.1
Saudi Arabia	453	710	56.8
Qatar	399	520	30.2
Kuwait	282	504	78.8
Oman	138	123	-11.1
Jordan	91	118	29.8
India	121	104	-13.9
Turkmenistan	49	104	>100
Netherlands	30	68	>100
Singapore	8	54	>100
Other	464	471	1.4
Total	2,895	3,852	33.1

Source: Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration
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Statistical Tables

Table I: Imports by Standard International Trade Classification (SITC), second quarter 2012

Value in million AED

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
Section 0	Food and live animals	1,608.55	1,716.76	108.21	6.7
00	Live animals (excl. animals of SITC Division 03)	13.36	9.24	-4.12	-30.8
01	Meat and meat preparations	160.10	186.65	26.55	16.6
02	Dairy products and birds' eggs	363.05	404.40	41.35	11.4
03	Fish (excl. marine mammals) crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	20.65	27.24	6.59	31.9
04	Cereals and cereal preparations	132.83	230.34	97.50	73.4
05	Vegetables and fruit	384.45	388.69	4.25	1.1
06	Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	22.53	22.23	-0.29	-1.3
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof	73.42	59.97	-13.45	-18.3
08	Feeding stuff for animals (excl. unmilled cereals)	302.12	306.39	4.27	1.4
09	Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	136.04	81.60	-54.43	-40.0
Section 1	Beverages and tobacco	66.49	44.00	-22.48	-33.8
11	Beverages	64.98	42.74	-22.24	-34.2
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	1.51	1.27	-0.25	-16.2
Section 2	Inedible raw materials, except fuels	1,549.54	1,467.90	-81.64	-5.3
21	Hides, skins and furskins, raw	0.44	0.42	-0.01	-2.6
22	Oil-seeds and oleaginous fruits	1.09	2.42	1.33	>100
23	Crude rubber (incl. synthetic and reclaimed)	10.89	13.03	2.15	19.7
24	Cork and wood	49.26	33.31	-15.95	-32.4
25	Pulp and waste paper	27.61	43.33	15.72	56.9
26	Textile fibres (excl. wool tops and other combed wool) and their wastes, not manufactured into yarn or fabric	2.69	6.08	3.40	>100

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
27	Crude fertilizers (excl. those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excl. coal, petroleum and precious stones)	99.59	83.34	-16.24	-16.3
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	1,346.93	1,274.39	-72.54	-5.4
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, nes	11.05	11.56	0.50	4.5
Section 3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	327.94	391.01	63.08	19.2
32	Coal, coke and briquettes	12.18	20.74	8.56	70.3
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	313.66	368.18	54.52	17.4
34	Gas, natural and manufactured	2.09	2.09	0	-0.2
Section 4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	92.17	121.37	29.20	31.7
41	Animal oils and fats	0.03	0.19	0.16	>100
42	Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated	88.31	113.44	25.14	28.5
43	Animal or vegetable fats and oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, nes	3.83	7.73	3.90	>100
Section 5	Chemicals and related products, nes	2,122.32	2,356.84	234.52	11.1
51	Organic chemicals	111.21	99.04	-12.17	-10.9
52	Inorganic chemicals	116.65	215.90	99.25	85.1
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	128.39	148.02	19.64	15.3
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	397.28	432.83	35.55	8.9
55	Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	197.52	232.33	34.81	17.6
56	Fertilisers (excl. those of group 272)	14.22	14.61	0.39	2.7
57	Plastics in primary forms	821.91	727.93	-93.98	-11.4
58	Plastics in non-primary forms	145.23	173.19	27.96	19.3
59	Chemical materials and products, nes	189.91	312.98	123.07	64.8

	Description of Section and Division	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
Section 6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	6,725.46	7,166.65	441.20	6.6
61	Leather, leather manufactures, nes, and dressed furskins	1.36	1.16	-0.19	-14.3
62	Rubber manufactures, nes	194.34	214.71	20.37	10.5
63	Cork and wood manufactures (excl. furniture)	50.77	65.79	15.02	29.3
64	Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	271.79	229.71	-42.08	-15.5
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles nes, and related products	162.81	135.21	-27.61	-17.0
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, nes	665.54	523.51	-142.03	-21.3
67	Iron and steel	2,393.85	2,627.45	233.61	9.8
68	Non-ferrous metals	1,108.19	1,584.08	475.89	42.9
69	Manufactures of metals, nes	1,876.80	1,785.02	-97.78	-4.9
Section 7	Machinery and transport equipment	11,484.65	13,512.97	2,028.31	17.7
71	Power generating machinery and equipment	770.43	1,003.12	232.70	30.2
72	Machinery specialized for particular industries	748.58	841.45	92.86	12.4
73	Metalworking machinery	324.66	93.81	-230.86	-71.1
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, nes, and machine parts, nes	2,555.34	4,126.71	1,571.37	61.5
75	Office machines and automatic data processing machines	179.73	124.58	-55.14	-30.7
76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	272.34	593.47	321.13	>100
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, nes, and electrical parts thereof (incl. non electrical counterparts, nes, of electrical household type equipment)	2,223.07	2,176.40	-46.67	-2.1
78	Road vehicles (incl. air-cushion vehicles)	2,062.81	3,302.61	1,239.80	60.1
79	Transport equipment (excl. road vehicles)	2,347.69	1,250.81	-1,096.89	-46.7
Section 8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1,403.98	2,300.39	896.41	63.8
81	Prefabricated buildings and sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, nes	104.03	82.83	-21.20	-20.4
82	Furniture and parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	109.82	92.75	-17.07	-15.5

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	8.75	7.60	-1.15	-13.2
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	129.47	122.37	-7.10	-5.5
85	Footwear	25.12	27.43	2.31	9.2
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, nes	343.74	568.09	224.35	65.3
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, nes; watches and clocks	83.31	81.12	-2.19	-2.6
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, nes	599.75	1,318.21	718.46	>100
Section 9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC	212.84	76.57	-136.27	-64.0
93	Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	46.07	71.17	25.1	54.5
97	Gold, non-monetary (excl. gold ores and concentrates)	166.77	5.41	-161.36	-96.8
	TOTAL	25,593.93	29,154.45	3,560.52	13.9

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

Notes:

1. "-" means value equal to "0"
2. "0" means value equal to less than "0.005 million"
3. * changes (levels and %) are based on unrounded numbers
4. The data for 2011 are preliminary estimates, and may be revised

Table II: Non-oil exports by Standard International Trade Classification (SITC), second quarter 2012

Value in million AED

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
Section 0	Food and live animals	74.89	91.16	16.27	21.7
00	Live animals (excl. animals of SITC Division 03)	0.24	3.48	3.24	>100
01	Meat and meat preparations	3.82	3.64	-0.18	-4.7
02	Dairy products and birds' eggs	16.94	17.39	0.45	2.7
03	Fish (excl. marine mammals) crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	0.36	0.94	0.58	>100
04	Cereals and cereal preparations	9.12	9.02	-0.10	-1.1
05	Vegetables and fruit	5.76	11.96	6.19	>100
06	Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	0.77	1.70	0.92	>100
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof	13.52	26.45	12.94	95.7
08	Feeding stuff for animals (excl. unmilled cereals)	2.72	4.55	1.83	67.1
09	Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	21.64	12.03	-9.61	-44.4
Section 1	Beverages and tobacco	20.49	24.61	4.12	20.1
11	Beverages	20.46	24.46	4.00	19.5
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	0.03	0.15	0.12	>100
Section 2	Inedible raw materials, except fuels	15.12	48.26	33.14	>100
21	Hides, skins and furskins, raw	0.01	0.01	0	-14.3
22	Oil-seeds and oleaginous fruits	-	0	0	-
23	Crude rubber (incl. synthetic and reclaimed)	0.20	0.01	-0.19	-95.3
24	Cork and wood	0.04	1.18	1.14	>100
25	Pulp and waste paper	0.35	0.17	-0.18	-51.9
26	Textile fibres (excl. wool tops and other combed wool) and their wastes, not manufactured into yarn or fabric	11.28	12.46	1.19	10.5
27	Crude fertilizers (excl. those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excl. coal, petroleum and precious stones)	2.69	2.13	-0.56	-20.9

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	0.26	32.18	31.92	>100
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, nes	0.30	0.12	-0.18	-60.0
Section 3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	7.41	6.41	-1.00	-13.5
32	Coal, coke and briquettes	0	0.17	0.17	>100
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	7.41	6.17	-1.24	-16.8
34	Gas, natural and manufactured	-	0.07	0.07	-
Section 4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	60.01	65.21	5.20	8.7
42	Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated	12.92	9.24	-3.69	-28.5
43	Animal or vegetable fats and oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, nes	47.09	55.98	8.88	18.9
Section 5	Chemicals and related products, nes	640.48	2,043.08	1,402.60	>100
51	Organic chemicals	8.88	13.36	4.48	50.4
52	Inorganic chemicals	25.83	4.61	-21.23	-82.2
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	2.29	1.69	-0.60	-26.3
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	0.74	1.82	1.08	>100
55	Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	35.53	17.01	-18.51	-52.1
56	Fertilisers (excl. those of group 272)	13.04	16.76	3.71	28.5
57	Plastics in primary forms	537.66	1,959.59	1,421.93	>100
58	Plastics in non-primary forms	11.34	21.98	10.64	93.8
59	Chemical materials and products, nes	5.18	6.28	1.11	21.4
Section 6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	674.59	1,221.05	546.47	81.0
61	Leather, leather manufactures, nes, and dressed furskins	0.02	0.16	0.14	>100

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
62	Rubber manufactures, nes	1.23	0.25	-0.98	-79.7
63	Cork and wood manufactures (excl. furniture)	0.38	3.66	3.28	>100
64	Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	40.00	44.82	4.82	12.1
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles nes, and related products	17.52	21.27	3.74	21.4
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, nes	42.43	49.83	7.40	17.4
67	Iron and steel	250.55	523.31	272.77	>100
68	Non-ferrous metals	254.72	516.21	261.49	>100
69	Manufactures of metals, nes	67.74	61.55	-6.19	-9.1
Section 7 Machinery and transport equipment					
71	Power generating machinery and equipment	0.58	0.29	-0.29	-50.7
72	Machinery specialized for particular industries	24.61	6.43	-18.18	-73.9
73	Metalworking machinery	-	0.21	0.21	-
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, nes, and machine parts, nes	5.73	33.46	27.73	>100
75	Office machines and automatic data processing machines	0	1.19	1.18	>100
76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	0.09	0.04	-0.05	-57.2
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, nes, and electrical parts thereof (incl. non electrical counterparts, nes, of electrical household type equipment)	63.72	81.42	17.70	27.8
78	Road vehicles (incl. air-cushion vehicles)	8.24	16.16	7.91	96.0
79	Transport equipment (excl. road vehicles)	4,302.98	23.84	-4,279.15	-99.4
Section 8 Miscellaneous manufactured articles					
81	Prefabricated buildings and sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, nes	1.39	2.76	1.37	98.1
82	Furniture and parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	2.67	4.53	1.86	69.6
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	0.01	0.02	0.01	78.4
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	1.32	1.84	0.53	39.9

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
85	Footwear	0.10	0.32	0.22	>100
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, nes	0.96	1.15	0.19	19.5
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, nes; watches and clocks	0.88	0.33	-0.55	-62.3
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, nes	38.25	33.29	-4.96	-13.0
Section 9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC	3.78	7.85	4.07	>100
93	Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	3.78	7.85	4.07	>100
	TOTAL	5,948.31	3,714.92	-2,233.40	-37.5

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Table III: Re-exports by Standard International Trade Classification (SITC), second quarter 2012

Value in million AED

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
Section 0	Food and live animals	38.06	28.23	-9.83	-25.8
00	Live animals (excl. animals of SITC Division 03)	11.62	0.66	-10.96	-94.3
01	Meat and meat preparations	0.32	0.42	0.11	33.3
02	Dairy products and birds' eggs	0.37	2.13	1.76	>100
03	Fish (excl. marine mammals) crustaceans, molluscs and aquatic invertebrates, and preparations thereof	0.03	0.02	0	-17.1
04	Cereals and cereal preparations	1.27	11.46	10.19	>100
05	Vegetables and fruit	16.43	8.13	-8.30	-50.5
06	Sugars, sugar preparations and honey	0.26	0.17	-0.10	-36.3
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, and manufactures thereof	5.08	1.29	-3.79	-74.5
08	Feeding stuff for animals (excl. unmilled cereals)	0.39	0.88	0.48	>100
09	Miscellaneous edible products and preparations	2.30	3.07	0.78	33.8
Section 1	Beverages and tobacco	1.52	1.29	-0.23	-15.2
11	Beverages	0.63	1.18	0.55	88.4
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	0.90	0.11	-0.79	-87.6
Section 2	Inedible raw materials, except fuels	7.60	5.65	-1.95	-25.6
22	Oil-seeds and oleaginous fruits	0.12	0.15	0.04	30.9
23	Crude rubber (incl. synthetic and reclaimed)	1.86	0.54	-1.32	-71.1
24	Cork and wood	0.64	0.99	0.35	54.7
25	Pulp and waste paper	0.92	0.23	-0.69	-74.8
26	Textile fibres (excl. wool tops and other combed wool) and their wastes, not manufactured into yarn or fabric	0.01	1.71	1.70	>100
27	Crude fertilizers (excl. those of Division 56) and crude minerals (excl. coal, petroleum and precious stones)	1.68	1.76	0.08	4.6

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	0.08	0.10	0.02	21.4
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, nes	2.27	0.16	-2.11	-93.0
Section 3	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	2.96	4.31	1.35	45.7
33	Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	2.95	4.29	1.34	45.5
34	Gas, natural and manufactured	0.01	0.02	0.01	97.8
Section 4	Animal and vegetable oils, fats and waxes	0.28	0.60	0.32	>100
42	Fixed vegetable fats and oils, crude, refined or fractionated	0.26	0.46	0.20	77.4
43	Animal or vegetable fats and oils, processed; waxes of animal or vegetable origin; inedible mixtures or preparations of animal or vegetable fats or oils, nes	0.02	0.14	0.12	>100
Section 5	Chemicals and related products, nes	146.59	205.84	59.26	40.4
51	Organic chemicals	3.05	4.46	1.41	46.5
52	Inorganic chemicals	2.81	2.69	-0.12	-4.2
53	Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	2.80	1.20	-1.60	-57.0
54	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	4.26	0.63	-3.63	-85.3
55	Essential oils and resinoids and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	117.69	184.79	67.09	57.0
56	Fertilisers (excl. those of group 272)	1.10	0.12	-0.97	-88.6
57	Plastics in primary forms	3.24	2.40	-0.85	-26.1
58	Plastics in non-primary forms	2.11	5.70	3.59	>100
59	Chemical materials and products, nes	9.53	3.86	-5.67	-59.5
Section 6	Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	156.34	367.68	211.34	>100
61	Leather, leather manufactures, nes, and dressed furskins	0.03	0.04	0.01	16.8
62	Rubber manufactures, nes	16.78	227.40	210.61	>100
63	Cork and wood manufactures (excl. furniture)	5.94	14.32	8.38	>100

	Description of Section and Division	Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
64	Paper, paperboard and articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	3.77	2.71	-1.05	-27.9
65	Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles nes, and related products	29.15	21.90	-7.26	-24.9
66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures, nes	17.76	15.05	-2.71	-15.2
67	Iron and steel	29.39	36.38	6.99	23.8
68	Non-ferrous metals	11.49	0.89	-10.59	-92.2
69	Manufactures of metals, nes	42.03	48.99	6.96	16.6
Section 7	Machinery and transport equipment	1,942.50	2,516.87	574.37	29.6
71	Power generating machinery and equipment	62.98	167.51	104.53	>100
72	Machinery specialized for particular industries	201.41	226.67	25.25	12.5
73	Metalworking machinery	1.05	5.03	3.98	>100
74	General industrial machinery and equipment, nes, and machine parts, nes	73.22	167.58	94.36	>100
75	Office machines and automatic data processing machines	727.26	875.58	148.32	20.4
76	Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	379.69	247.32	-132.37	-34.9
77	Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, nes, and electrical parts thereof (incl. non electrical counterparts, nes, of electrical household type equipment)	65.31	115.07	49.76	76.2
78	Road vehicles (incl. air-cushion vehicles)	280.84	559.20	278.36	99.1
79	Transport equipment (excl. road vehicles)	150.74	152.93	2.18	1.4
Section 8	Miscellaneous manufactured articles	452.10	588.51	136.41	30.2
81	Prefabricated buildings and sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings, nes	1.87	7.55	5.68	>100
82	Furniture and parts thereof; bedding, mattresses, mattress supports, cushions and similar stuffed furnishings	18.63	14.52	-4.10	-22.0
83	Travel goods, handbags and similar containers	4.64	13.60	8.96	>100
84	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	318.77	346.32	27.55	8.6
85	Footwear	29.13	46.89	17.75	60.9
87	Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus, nes	31.91	40.67	8.76	27.4

Description of Section and Division		Q2 2011	Q2 2012	* Change Value	* Change %
88	Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies and optical goods, nes; watches and clocks	11.41	37.48	26.07	>100
89	Miscellaneous manufactured articles, nes	35.74	81.48	45.74	>100
Section 9	Commodities and transactions not classified elsewhere in the SITC	146.81	132.89	-13.92	-9.5
93	Special transactions and commodities not classified according to kind	146.81	132.89	-13.92	-9.5
	TOTAL	2,894.76	3,851.87	957.11	33.1

Source: Statistics Centre - Abu Dhabi

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Explanatory Notes

Glossary

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

Merchandise Trade

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 report, 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.

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.

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.

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 may 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.

Classifications

The non-oil merchandise trade statistics are presented in accordance with the two main internationally recommended output classifications: Standard International Trade Classification, Revision 4 (SITC) and Broad Economic Categories (BEC).

- SITC groups goods according to their level of manufacturing or processing
- BEC groups goods according to their main end use, namely capital, intermediate consumption and consumption goods

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

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 classification for foreign trade.

Valuation

In line with the World Trade Organization (WTO) 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 (cif) basis, which represents the value at the import border, and includes the additional cost of freight and insurance in transporting the goods internationally

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 2012 are preliminary estimates, and may be revised.

Symbols Used

“> 100%” rate of change exceeds one hundred per cent.

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.ae>

