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## INTRODUCTION

This series of reports by the United States International Trade Commission (the Commission) is made pursuant to section 410 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2440), which requires the Commission to monitor the flow of imports and exports between the United States and certain countries.<sup>1</sup> These countries are, on the one hand, those that are accorded most-favored-nation (MFN) status and are subject to the rates in the general subcolumn of column 1 of the *Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States* (HTS), and, on the other, those that are listed in general note 3(b) of the HTS and are subject to the generally higher statutory rates of duty in column 2.<sup>2</sup> Among these countries, those receiving MFN tariff treatment during the period reviewed in this quarterly report were Armenia, Bulgaria, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic (C.S.F.R.),<sup>3</sup> Estonia, Hungary, Kyrgyzstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Mongolia, the People's Republic of China (China), Poland, the Russian Federation (Russia), and Ukraine.<sup>4</sup>

Section 410 requires that the reports in this series be published once each calendar quarter and that they present data on the effect, if any, of imports from the monitored countries on the production of like or directly competitive articles in the United States and on employment within industries producing these articles. To fulfill this requirement, the Commission developed an automated trade monitoring system to identify imports from these countries that have grown rapidly and to measure the degree of penetration of such imports. Because comprehensive data on the production of the U.S. manufacturing sector are compiled and published annually rather than quarterly, the monitoring system is run only once each year. However, every quarterly report presents import data

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<sup>1</sup> Section 410 requires the Commission to monitor the flow of imports and exports between the United States and "nonmarket economy countries" (NMEs). However, since a number of the countries whose trade is covered under sec. 410 have rejected central economic planning, the term "nonmarket economy" is no longer used in this series of reports.

<sup>2</sup> As of September 30, 1992, the following countries or areas were enumerated in general note 3(b) of the HTS: Afghanistan, Albania, Cambodia, Cuba, Laos, North Korea, Romania, the former U.S.S.R., and Vietnam. The successor states to the former Soviet Union are not listed in general note 3(b), but those still subject to column 2 rates at the end of the quarter covered by this report were Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan. The column 2 rates of duty are, in general, the full rates that were established by the Tariff Act of 1930.

<sup>3</sup> Since the period covered by this report, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic became two separate nations on January 1, 1993, the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

<sup>4</sup> MFN status was initially extended to two of these countries during the quarter: Moldova, on July 2, 1992, and Kyrgyzstan, on August 21, 1992. Since the period covered by this report, MFN status was extended to Albania on November 2, 1992.

from the monitored countries and discusses trends that may be significant for U.S. commerce.

The reports focus on U.S. trade with Bulgaria, China, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Hungary, Poland, Romania, the former Soviet Union, and the Baltic nations, whose current levels of trade with the United States are relatively significant.<sup>5</sup> U.S. exports to and imports from Afghanistan, Albania, Cambodia,<sup>6</sup> Laos, and Mongolia are also shown and included in the totals for "all monitored countries." Tables on trade with each of the monitored countries appear in the text and in appendixes A, B, and C. The negligible trade reported for the countries under U.S. trade embargo (Cuba, North Korea, and Vietnam) is no longer included in the total trade figures. Tables for the embargoed countries can be found in appendix D.

Except as otherwise noted, the trade data in this series of reports are compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Bureau of the Census. Imports are the imports for consumption (the sum of directly entered imports plus withdrawals from customs warehouses) at customs value (generally equivalent to f.o.b. (free on board) value at the foreign port of export). Exports are the domestic exports (U.S.-produced goods) at f.a.s. (free alongside ship) value.

The trade data in this series are presented in terms of the Harmonized System (HS). The detailed analysis of imports is based on the six-digit subheadings of the HTS, and that of exports is based on the six-digit subheadings of the HS-based *Schedule B* (1990 edition). The analysis of aggregate trade levels and trends is presented in terms of HTS and HS-based *Schedule B* sections, and references to chapters (two-digit numbers) and headings (four-digit numbers) are included in the discussion of this trade.<sup>7</sup>

This quarterly report contains a summary of U.S. trade with the monitored countries during July-September 1992 and, where appropriate, January-September 1992. The report also contains a section on product groups selected from among the imports from these countries identified by the 1992 run of the Commission's automated trade statistics monitoring system. The product groups selected for further examination—all of them imports from China—were

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<sup>5</sup> The 1991 data on trade with the Baltic nations (Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania) are included within the statistics for the former Soviet Union. Total U.S. exports to each of the Baltic nations during January-September and July-September 1992 are shown in table 2, and U.S. imports from each of these countries during the same periods are shown in table 3. Data on trade with the Baltics as a group are shown in tables A-2, A-5, B-5, C-9, and C-10.

<sup>6</sup> The United States lifted its embargo against Cambodia effective January 3, 1992.

<sup>7</sup> The Harmonized System is a hierarchical coding system, with the first two digits of a six-digit subheading representing one of the chapters into which a section is divided, the second two digits representing a heading in a chapter, and the third two digits representing a subheading.

footwear, luggage, and dolls and toys.<sup>8</sup> This section describes the growth of U.S. imports in each product group during 1987-91 and January-September 1992 and provides recent information on the effects of import competition on the U.S. industry and market.

The U.S. International Trade Commission is an independent, factfinding agency. Statements made in the quarterly reports in this series do not necessarily reflect the views of executive branch agencies and, unless cited as such, should not be taken as official statements of U.S. trade policy. Also, because these reports are done independently of any other work conducted by the Commission, nothing in them should be construed to indicate what the Commission's determination would be should an investigation be conducted under another statutory authority.

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## THIRD-QUARTER DEVELOPMENTS IN TRADE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE MONITORED COUNTRIES

Two-way merchandise trade between the United States and the countries monitored in this report increased by 32.7 percent, from \$8.5 billion during July-September 1991 to \$11.3 billion during July-September 1992. U.S. exports to the monitored countries increased by 18.5 percent to \$3.0 billion, and U.S. imports from these countries increased by 38.6 percent to \$8.4 billion. The value of U.S. shipments to the monitored countries accounted for 2.9 percent of worldwide U.S. exports during the third quarter of 1992, and shipments from them accounted for 6.2 percent of total U.S. imports (table 1).

The \$5.4 billion U.S. deficit in trade with the monitored countries during the third quarter of 1992 reflected mainly the shortfall with China, which widened from \$4.0 billion during the corresponding quarter of 1991 to \$6.2 billion. In contrast, the U.S. surplus in trade with the former Soviet Union increased from \$502.5 million to \$644.3 million,<sup>9</sup> and, with the

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<sup>8</sup> A total of 14 product groups imported from China met the requirements for both import growth and U.S. market share that were specified in the 1992 run of the monitoring system. The product groups selected for further examination were among those that considerably exceeded the specified requirements for identification.

<sup>9</sup> U.S. trade with the former Soviet Union includes trade with the "Baltic nations"—Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania—during 1991 but does not include trade with these countries during 1992. The reader may correct this discrepancy in the data for the former Soviet Union, however, by referring to the separate data in this report on trade with the Baltic nations during July-September 1992 and, where applicable, January-September 1992.

countries of Central and Eastern Europe, it increased from \$5.6 million to \$154.3 million.<sup>10</sup> In trade with the Baltic nations, reported for the first time in January 1992, the United States registered a surplus of \$12.1 million during the quarter under review.

During January-September 1992, two-way merchandise trade between the United States and the monitored countries amounted to \$28.9 billion, up 30.4 percent from \$22.1 billion during the corresponding period of 1991. U.S. exports to these countries increased by 15.9 percent to \$8.9 billion, and U.S. imports from them grew by 38.1 percent to \$20.0 billion. The U.S. deficit in trade with China increased by 54.7 percent, from \$8.6 billion during the first three quarters of 1991 to \$13.4 billion during the first three quarters of 1992. The U.S. surplus in trade with the former Soviet Union rose from \$1.7 billion to \$2.0 billion over the same period and with the countries of Central and Eastern Europe, from \$149.7 million to \$217.6 million. A U.S. surplus of \$73.4 million was reported in trade with the Baltic nations during the first 9 months of 1992.

### U.S. Exports

U.S. exports to China amounted to \$1.6 billion during July-September 1992, virtually unchanged from July-September 1991 (table 2). Over the same period, U.S. exports to the former Soviet Union increased from \$702.2 million to \$904.3 million,<sup>11</sup> and those to the Central and East European countries rose from \$247.6 million to \$432.1 million.

During the first three quarters of 1992, U.S. exports to China amounted to \$5.1 billion, up from \$4.5 billion during the corresponding period of 1991. The value of U.S. shipments to the former Soviet Union increased from \$2.3 billion during January-September 1991 to \$2.6 billion during January-September 1992, and exports to the Central and East European countries increased from \$861.4 million to \$1.1 billion. Reported U.S. exports to the Baltic nations amounted to \$91.0 million during the first 9 months of 1992. Quarterly changes in U.S. exports to China and to the former Soviet Union did not show any consistent trend during January-September 1992. However, U.S. exports to Central and Eastern Europe showed an unbroken expansion from the first to the second quarter and from

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<sup>10</sup> "Central and Eastern Europe" refers to Albania, Bulgaria, the former C.S.F.R., Hungary, Poland, and Romania. Albania was not added to the data on trade with Central and Eastern Europe until the *69th Quarterly Report* covering the fourth quarter of 1991, but the data for July-September 1991 and, where applicable, January-September 1991 have been adjusted in this report to include Albania.

<sup>11</sup> Exports to Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania are included in the data on exports to the former Soviet Union during July-September and January-September 1991 but are not included during the corresponding periods of 1992. To make the 1991 and 1992 export data for the former Soviet Union comparable, the reader may add the separate 1992 data on exports to the Baltic nations presented in the text and in tables 2, A-2, B-5, and C-9.



**Table 1**  
**U.S. trade with the world and with the monitored countries,<sup>1</sup> by quarters, July 1991-Sept. 1992**

Item	1991		1992		
	July-Sept.	Oct.-Dec.	Jan.-Mar.	Apr.-June	July-Sept.
<i>Value (million dollars)</i>					
U.S. world trade:					
Exports .....	96,376	104,356	105,538	107,256	101,941
Imports .....	122,489	127,554	120,421	128,973	135,148
Balance .....	-26,113	-23,198	-14,883	-21,717	-33,207
Trade turnover (exports plus imports) .....	218,865	231,910	225,959	236,229	237,089
U.S. trade with monitored countries:					
Exports .....	2,513	3,247	2,843	3,082	2,977
Imports .....	6,025	6,178	5,486	6,131	8,352
Balance .....	-3,512	-2,931	-2,643	-3,049	-5,375
Trade turnover (exports plus imports) .....	8,538	9,425	8,329	9,213	11,329
<i>Percent of total</i>					
Share of total U.S. trade accounted for by trade with monitored countries:					
Exports .....	2.61	3.11	2.69	2.87	2.92
Imports .....	4.92	4.84	4.56	4.75	6.18

<sup>1</sup> Afghanistan, Albania, Bulgaria, Cambodia, China, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Laos, Latvia, Lithuania, Mongolia, Poland, Romania, and the former Soviet Union (including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan).

Note.—Import figures in this and all other tables in this report are Census-based imports for consumption at customs value. Exports are domestic exports only, including Defense Department military assistance shipments, and are valued on an f.a.s. basis. Although the U.S. Bureau of Census began reporting data for U.S. trade with the individual successor states to the former Soviet Union during the first quarter of 1992, over one-third of the trade with this region during Jan.-Sept. 1992 was reported with the Soviet Union as partner country (without allocation to the individual states). For this report, data for the individual states plus data for which no state was specified have been aggregated and presented as "Former Soviet Union" (F.S.U.). Data for trade with Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, which had been reported within statistics for the Soviet Union prior to Jan. 1992, also became available during the first quarter of 1992 but have not been included in the F.S.U. aggregation; data for U.S. trade with these countries are presented separately.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

the second to the third quarter. This was largely attributable to quarterly increases in shipments to the former C.S.F.R. and Poland. Exports to the Baltic nations showed consistent quarterly declines during this period of 1992.

Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment (*Schedule B* sec. 17) made up the leading commodity group among U.S. exports to the monitored countries during the first 9 months of 1992 (tables A-1 and B-1). Shipments in this product category increased by 67.5 percent, from \$1.0 billion during January-September 1991 to \$1.7 billion during January-September 1992. Deliveries of aircraft weighing more than 15,000 kilograms (*Schedule B* subheading 8802.40),<sup>12</sup> the leading commodity among exports to the monitored countries, increased from \$735.0 million during the first three quarters of 1991 to \$1.3 billion during the corresponding period of 1992 (table C-1). This

commodity led U.S. exports to China and to Central and Eastern Europe during January-September 1992. Exports to China totaled \$1.1 billion (22 planes), and those to Central and Eastern Europe totaled \$227.4 million (6 planes). Among the latter, five planes were shipped to the former C.S.F.R. and one to Hungary. Shipments of parts of airplanes and helicopters (*Schedule B* subheading 8803.30) to the monitored countries increased from \$157.0 million during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$196.9 million during the corresponding period of 1992.

Machinery, mechanical appliances, and electrical equipment (*Schedule B* sec. 16) ranked second among U.S. exports to the monitored countries during January-September 1992. Shipments in this commodity group increased by 28.2 percent, from \$1.3 billion during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$1.7 billion during the corresponding period of 1992. Shipments to China amounted to \$1.1 billion, an increase of 23.3 percent from \$875.0 million during January-September 1991,

<sup>12</sup> U.S. exports to the monitored countries classified under *Schedule B* subheading 8802.40 consist mainly of new, non-military passenger transport planes but may also include cargo transports and used or rebuilt aircraft.

Table 2

U.S. exports to the individual monitored countries and to the world, 1990, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Market	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept.—		July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992	1991	1992
Afghanistan .....	4,249	2,942	2,598	1,880	846	368
Albania .....	10,409	17,973	9,419	17,695	3,265	2,681
Bulgaria .....	83,691	141,369	86,283	58,703	38,917	22,137
Cambodia .....	34	18	0	7,499	0	7,133
China .....	4,775,734	6,238,054	4,482,257	5,095,362	1,562,278	1,614,778
Czech and Slovak Federal Republic .....	85,300	119,846	81,881	306,285	23,271	185,671
Estonia .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	35,187	( <sup>1</sup> )	7,101
Hungary .....	151,643	246,922	205,443	222,088	36,888	44,185
Laos .....	771	894	812	378	27	208
Latvia .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	28,963	( <sup>1</sup> )	3,792
Lithuania .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	26,893	( <sup>1</sup> )	7,320
Mongolia .....	94	12,259	12,244	709	29	81
Poland .....	395,905	441,039	314,923	319,348	92,065	113,034
Romania .....	367,792	206,065	163,472	165,450	53,206	64,404
Former Soviet Union .....	13,071,629	13,498,452	12,319,380	22,615,657	1702,222	2904,306
Total .....	8,947,250	10,925,832	7,678,714	8,902,096	2,513,014	2,977,199
Total, U.S. exports to the world .....	374,536,647	400,842,402	296,486,277	314,735,827	96,376,045	101,941,449

<sup>1</sup> Separate data on U.S. exports to Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania were not available until Jan. 1992; trade with these countries was reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991.

<sup>2</sup> Including reported exports to Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

and those to the former Soviet Union increased by 28.3 percent over the same period, from \$274.7 million to \$352.4 million. U.S. exports of machinery, mechanical appliances, and electrical equipment to Central and Eastern Europe amounted to \$263.0 million during January-September 1992, up 45.2 percent from \$181.2 million during the first three quarters of 1991. With shipments amounting to \$228.3 million, automatic data processing units (*Schedule B* heading 8471) represented the largest commodity group among these exports to the monitored countries during January-September 1992. China received products in this category worth \$95.7 million; the former Soviet Union, \$74.0 million; and Central and Eastern Europe, \$55.5 million.

Vegetable products (*Schedule B* sec. 2), traditionally the leading commodity group among U.S. exports to the monitored countries, dropped to third place during January-September 1992. U.S. exports in this commodity group—consisting primarily of wheat, corn, and other grains—to the monitored countries increased by 4.1 percent, from \$1.6 billion during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$1.7 billion during the corresponding period of 1992. Wheat (*Schedule B* sec. 2, subheading 1001.90) was the second largest item exported to the monitored countries during January-September 1992; corn (*Schedule B* sec. 2, subheading 1005.90) ranked fourth in value of shipments; and soybeans (*Schedule B* sec. 2,

subheading 1201.00) ranked tenth. Among the countries monitored by this report, the former Soviet Union was the leading market for all three items during the first 9 months of 1992.<sup>13</sup>

U.S. exports of wheat and corn to the monitored countries totaled \$1.5 billion (12.8 million metric tons [mt]) during January-September 1992, compared with \$1.4 billion (14.4 million mt) during the corresponding period of 1991.<sup>14</sup> The simultaneous increase in the value and decrease in the quantity of these shipments resulted mainly from a rise in the unit price of wheat over the period. Shipments of U.S. wheat (*Schedule B* heading 1001) to the former Soviet Union increased from \$194.3 million (2.5 million mt) during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$780.2 million (6.1 million mt)

<sup>13</sup> During January-September 1992, the former Soviet Union was also the leading market among the monitored countries for U.S. exports of soybean oilcake (*Schedule B* sec. 4, subheading 2304.00), crude soybean oil (*Schedule B* sec. 3, subheading 1507.10), and soybean oil, other than crude (*Schedule B* sec. 3, subheading 1507.90). Soybean oilcake ranked fifth in value of U.S. shipments to the monitored countries and third, after wheat and corn, among U.S. exports to the former Soviet Union during the first 9 months of 1992.

<sup>14</sup> The values for wheat and corn shown here may be somewhat higher than those shown in the appendix C tables. Unlike the data for wheat (*Schedule B* subheading 1001.90) and corn (*Schedule B* subheading 1005.90) reported in the tables, the figures for wheat shown here include durum wheat and those for corn include corn seed.

during the first 9 months of 1992. The value of wheat exports to China expanded from \$245.3 million to \$251.7 million over the period, whereas the quantity shipped declined slightly from 2.9 million mt to 2.8 million mt. The Baltic nations accounted for an additional \$12.6 million (92,468 mt) in U.S. wheat shipments during the first three quarters of 1992. On the other hand, U.S. exports of corn (*Schedule B* heading 1005) to the former Soviet Union declined from \$922.0 million (8.5 million mt) during January-September 1991 to \$392.3 million (3.4 million mt) during January-September 1992, and corn exports to the countries of Central and Eastern Europe fell from \$72.2 million (0.5 million mt) to \$4.8 million (3,949 mt). The decline was partly offset by \$34.2 million (300,148 mt) in U.S. corn shipments to the Baltic nations during the first 9 months of 1992.

Chemical products (*Schedule B* sec. 6) ranked fourth among U.S. exports to the monitored countries during January-September 1992. U.S. shipments of chemical products to these countries decreased by 27.6 percent, from \$1.2 billion during the first three quarters of 1991 to \$882.9 million during the corresponding period of 1992. A drop in fertilizer exports (*Schedule B* subheading 3100.00) to both China and the former Soviet Union accounted for the bulk of the decrease. Fertilizer shipments to China declined from \$728.4 million to \$487.0 million, and those to the former Soviet Union fell from \$104.2 million to \$10.6 million.

Among other leading U.S. commodities exported to the monitored countries, shipments of raw cotton (*Schedule B* subheading 5201.00) to China declined from \$264.1 million during January-September 1991 to \$185.9 million during January-September 1992. However, U.S. shipments of refined petroleum products (*Schedule B* subheading 2710.00) to China increased from \$25.9 million during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$142.0 million during the first 9 months of 1992. Deliveries to China amounted to \$33.4 million during the quarter under review, a major increase from the corresponding quarter of 1991. A major growth in exports was also registered in cigarettes (*Schedule B* subheading 2402.20) to the former Soviet Union. Shipments grew from \$67.5 million during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$118.4 million during the corresponding period of 1992.

## U.S. Imports

U.S. imports from China amounted to \$7.8 billion during July-September 1992, up 39.8 percent from \$5.6 billion during the corresponding quarter of 1991 (table 3). U.S. imports from the countries of Central and Eastern Europe increased from \$242.0 million to \$277.8 million over the same period, and the value of shipments from the former Soviet Union increased from \$199.7 million to \$260.0 million.<sup>15</sup>

<sup>15</sup> To correct the discrepancy between the 1991 and 1992 data on imports from the former Soviet Union, the reader may add the separate 1992 data on imports from the Baltic nations presented in the text and in tables 3, A-5, B-5, and C-10.

Shipments to the U.S. market from China expanded by 40.7 percent, from \$13.1 billion during January-September 1991 to \$18.5 billion during January-September 1992. U.S. imports from the Central and East European countries increased from \$711.8 million to \$872.0 million over the same period, and imports from the former Soviet Union decreased from \$611.7 million to \$598.7 million. This decline can be attributed to the separation of data on the Baltic nations from data on the former Soviet Union at the beginning of 1992. Reported U.S. imports from the Baltic nations amounted to \$17.6 million during the first 9 months of 1992. Imports from China showed an unbroken expansion from the first to the second quarter and from the second to the third quarter of 1992. Quarterly shipments from Central and Eastern Europe, the former Soviet Union, and the Baltic nations fluctuated over the period.

Textiles and textile articles (HTS sec. 11) remained the leading commodity group among U.S. imports from the monitored countries during the first three quarters of 1992. Shipments increased by 34.2 percent, from \$3.1 billion during January-September 1991 to \$4.2 billion during January-September 1992 (tables A-4 and B-1). Imports of textiles and textile articles from China amounted to \$4.1 billion during the first 9 months of 1992, an increase of 33.7 percent from \$3.0 billion during the corresponding period of 1991.<sup>16</sup> U.S. imports of apparel, not knitted or crocheted (HTS ch. 62), the largest group of products among these shipments from China, increased from \$1.7 billion during January-September 1991 to \$2.3 billion during January-September 1992,<sup>17</sup> and imports from China of knitted apparel (HTS ch. 61) increased from \$776.7 million to \$1.0 billion.

Miscellaneous manufactured articles (HTS sec. 20), the second-ranking commodity group among U.S. imports from the monitored countries, amounted to \$3.3 billion during January-September 1992, an increase of 54.3 percent from \$2.1 billion during the corresponding period of 1991. Imports from China accounted for virtually all of the increase over this period and for 99.1 percent of these shipments during January-September 1992. U.S. imports of toys, games, and sports equipment (HTS ch. 95), the largest product group among miscellaneous manufactures from China, expanded from \$1.7 billion during January-September 1991 to \$2.6 billion during January-September 1992. China's share of total U.S. imports of toys, games, and sports equipment increased from 31.7 percent to 37.2 percent over this period.

<sup>16</sup> This large increase reflects mainly a shift to higher-priced items among textile imports from China over the period. Most of the quantitative quotas set on textile imports from China for 1992 remained unfilled at year-end.

<sup>17</sup> The leading imports within this product category during January-September 1992 were women's or girls' suits, jackets, dresses, skirts, trousers, and shorts (HTS heading 6204), which amounted to \$607.3 million; women's or girls' blouses and shirts (HTS heading 6206), which amounted to \$406.4 million; and men's or boys' suits, jackets, blazers, trousers, and shorts (HTS heading 6203), which amounted to \$282.3 million.

**Table 3****U.S. imports from the individual monitored countries and from the world, 1990, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992***(In thousands of dollars)*

Source	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept.—		July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992	1991	1992
Afghanistan .....	5,314	3,245	2,342	2,321	747	676
Albania .....	2,197	3,181	2,215	2,982	1,225	734
Bulgaria .....	42,897	42,372	29,078	111,760	7,440	14,539
Cambodia .....	112	0	0	15	0	8
China .....	15,119,852	18,855,041	13,128,757	18,472,525	5,582,404	7,803,955
Czech and Slovak Federal Republic .....	79,014	145,735	99,536	169,429	39,641	63,643
Estonia .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	9,716	( <sup>1</sup> )	4,470
Hungary .....	345,273	367,228	265,731	255,597	87,773	81,049
Laos .....	365	2,156	1,837	3,330	416	2,085
Latvia .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	5,014	( <sup>1</sup> )	441
Lithuania .....	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	2,868	( <sup>1</sup> )	1,156
Mongolia .....	1,766	464	203	3,316	18	1,835
Poland .....	401,323	350,790	260,705	265,087	89,426	94,270
Romania .....	221,949	70,193	54,492	67,134	16,511	23,577
Former Soviet Union .....	11,031,918	1793,860	1611,715	2598,655	1199,723	2259,978
Total .....	17,251,980	20,634,264	14,456,611	19,969,750	6,025,324	8,352,416
Total, U.S. imports from the world .....	490,553,739	483,027,878	355,473,761	384,542,887	122,488,763	135,148,135

<sup>1</sup> Separate data on U.S. imports from Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania were not available until Jan. 1992; trade with these countries was reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991.

<sup>2</sup> Including reported imports from Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

At \$3.2 billion, machinery, mechanical appliances, and electrical equipment (HTS sec. 16) ranked third among U.S. imports from the monitored countries during the first 9 months of 1992, up 43.9 percent from \$2.2 billion during the first 9 months of 1991. The increase was almost entirely attributable to a rise in shipments from China, from \$2.1 billion to \$3.0 billion. U.S. imports of electrical equipment, sound recorders and reproducers, and television image and sound recorders and reproducers (HTS ch. 85) from China grew from \$1.6 billion during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$2.3 billion during the first 9 months of 1992, and imports of machinery and mechanical appliances (HTS ch. 84) from China increased from \$464.5 million to \$737.2 million.

U.S. imports of footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers (HTS sec. 12), the fourth-largest commodity group among imports from the monitored countries, increased by 40.4 percent, from \$2.2 billion during January-September 1991 to \$3.1 billion during January-September 1992. Shipments of footwear (HTS ch. 64) from China, which expanded from \$1.8 billion to \$2.5 billion, accounted for the bulk of the increase. Among the leading items imported from China during the first 9 months of 1992, two consisting of footwear ranked first and second (table C-4) and were also the top two items among U.S. imports from the monitored countries as a whole (table C-2). Imports of footwear from China accounted for 33.0 percent of the total value of U.S. imports in this product group during

January-September 1992, up from a 25.4-percent share during the corresponding period of 1991.

Among other leading commodities imported from the monitored countries, shipments of leather articles, travel goods, and handbags (HTS ch. 42) from China increased from \$804.3 million during the first 9 months of 1991 to \$1.1 billion during the first 9 months of 1992. China's share of total U.S. imports in this product group increased from 28.4 percent during January-September 1991 to 34.5 percent during January-September 1992. Imports from China of plastics and articles thereof (HTS ch. 39) increased from \$352.8 million to \$560.8 million over the period, imports of fish and crustaceans (HTS ch. 03) increased from \$173.6 million to \$252.3 million, and imports of articles of iron or steel (HTS ch. 73) increased from \$179.1 million to \$216.6 million. But, imports of mineral fuels and oils and distilled products (HTS ch. 27) from China, consisting largely of crude petroleum, declined from \$493.5 million during January-September 1991 to \$408.2 million during January-September 1992.

### Unallocated U.S. Trade With the Former Soviet Union

During January-September 1992, 37.8 percent of all U.S. exports to the former Soviet Union were not allocated to any of the successor states, and the state of

origin for 32.8 percent of U.S. imports from the former Soviet Union remained unidentified (table 4). The reporting of the destination of exports and the source of imports by successor states improved considerably over the period. The unallocated U.S. exports declined from 75.2 percent during the first quarter to 25.2 percent during the second quarter and to 10.3 percent during the third quarter. The unallocated U.S. imports declined from 78.3 percent during the first quarter to 18.9 percent during the second quarter and to 5.9 percent during the quarter under review.

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## IMPORTS FROM CHINA AND COMPETITIVE CONDITIONS IN THE U.S. MARKET: FURTHER EXAMINATION OF SELECTED PRODUCT GROUPS IDENTIFIED BY THE EAST-WEST TRADE-STATISTICS MONITORING SYSTEM

In the *71st Quarterly Report*, the Commission presented updated findings of its East-West trade-statistics monitoring system. This automated import-monitoring system, which has been run annually since 1982, is designed to address a legislative requirement that the Commission's reports on U.S. trade with the countries covered in this series provide data on "the effects of such imports, if any, on the production of like, or directly competitive, articles in the United States and on employment within the industry which produces like, or directly competitive, articles in the United States."<sup>18</sup> All of the countries whose trade is monitored in this report were included in the 1992 run of the import-monitoring system.

Since statistics on U.S. trade and U.S. production are not collected on the basis of a common nomenclature (numbering system) or at the same level of detail, the monitoring system aggregates the import data into product groups that correlate with an import-based version of the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) referred to as MSIC. In the 1992 run of the monitoring system, the identification of those product groups that might warrant closer examination was based on the following criteria: (1) import penetration of greater than 2 percent by a product group from a monitored country in conjunction with import penetration of greater than 20 percent from all sources during 1991, and (2) import growth of that product group from the monitored country of at least 15 percent in value from 1990 to 1991 and from January-June 1991 to January-June 1992.<sup>19</sup>

<sup>18</sup> 19 U.S.C. 2440.

<sup>19</sup> For more information on the data sources and methodology, see *71st Quarterly Report*, pp. 16 and 17.

The monitoring system identified a total of 14 three-digit MSIC categories that met both criteria—all of them being product groups imported from China. This section further examines four of these categories: footwear, both rubber (MSIC 302) and nonrubber (MSIC 314); luggage (MSIC 316); and toys and dolls (part MSIC 394). The discussion of each focuses on imports from China and other major suppliers and describes the effects of this import competition on the U.S. industry and market.

### Footwear (MSIC 302 and MSIC 314)

Footwear is broadly classified into nonrubber and rubber categories. Nonrubber footwear primarily includes leather or vinyl dress, casual, athletic, and work shoes; boots; sandals; and slippers. Rubber footwear includes galoshes and other protective footwear, and rubber- or plastic-soled footwear with fabric uppers, such as sneakers. In 1991, nonrubber footwear accounted for 87 percent of the U.S. market by value and for 77 percent by quantity.

#### *U.S. Imports From China and Other Major Suppliers*

Footwear is classified for tariff purposes in chapter 64 of the HTS. Imported footwear is eligible neither for duty-free treatment under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) nor for preferential duty rates if imported from the least developed countries. Articles of footwear enter duty free under the United States-Israel Free Trade Area Implementation Act and at reduced rates under the United States-Canada Free Trade Agreement.

#### Nonrubber footwear

The current column 1-general rates of duty for nonrubber footwear, which are applicable to these imports from China and from other major suppliers, range from free to 15 percent ad valorem. Column 2 rates range from 20 to 35 percent ad valorem. The trade-weighted average rate of duty for nonrubber footwear was 8.5 percent in 1991. Table 5 shows U.S. imports of nonrubber footwear by primary sources, in quantity and value, and changes in the average unit value of imports. The value of U.S. imports of nonrubber footwear increased by 22 percent during 1987-91. In terms of volume, imports increased by 2 percent during this period.

China was the leading supplier of nonrubber footwear to the United States in 1991, accounting for 45 percent of total imports in volume and for 27 percent in value. In 1987, Taiwan was by far the largest volume supplier of nonrubber footwear to the United States, but, by 1991, imports from Taiwan had declined by 72 percent. Imports from South Korea, which ranked a distant second in 1987, also fell during 1987-91, by 38 percent. The volume of U.S. imports of nonrubber footwear from China increased ninefold

**Table 4**  
**Reported U.S. trade with the individual successor states to the former Soviet Union, Jan.-Sept. 1992 and July-Sept. 1992**

(In thousands of dollars)

Partner	Jan.-Sept. 1992—		July-Sept. 1992—	
	U.S. exports	U.S. imports	U.S. exports	U.S. imports
Armenia .....	15,434	997	6,125	894
Azerbaijan .....	162	302	54	230
Belarus .....	1,505	12,271	1,204	5,452
Georgia .....	10,605	5,723	10,060	5,506
Kazakhstan .....	7,295	4,688	3,972	420
Kyrgyzstan .....	1,812	367	25	91
Moldova .....	1,474	303	162	236
Russia .....	1,430,255	308,398	705,019	178,589
Tajikistan .....	620	955	0	0
Turkmenistan .....	1,552	892	295	54
Ukraine .....	141,369	66,904	68,953	52,959
Uzbekistan .....	15,289	463	14,900	293
Unallocated .....	988,286	196,392	93,538	15,255
Total .....	2,615,657	598,655	904,306	259,978

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

during the same period; imports from Thailand increased more than threefold; and imports from Indonesia increased almost four hundredfold, albeit from a relatively small base. In 1990, China replaced Taiwan as the top-volume supplier of nonrubber footwear, and South Korea fell to third place. In value terms, South Korea overtook Taiwan in 1989 and was surpassed in turn by China in 1991. During 1987-91, the value of imports from Thailand and Indonesia increased sixfold and nearly four hundredfold, respectively. Unit values increased for imports from all these countries except for those from Indonesia over this period.

According to industry sources, much of the growth in U.S. imports of footwear from China resulted from a transfer of production facilities as companies from Taiwan, South Korea, and Hong Kong established joint-equity ventures with the Chinese in the coastal provinces of Guangdong, adjacent to Hong Kong, and of Fujian, across the Formosa Strait from Taiwan. Manufacturers from Taiwan have been the leading investors in China, whereas companies from South Korea have led the more recent transfer of production to Thailand and Indonesia.<sup>20</sup>

Imports of nonrubber footwear from Brazil remained steady during 1987-91 at just over \$1 billion annually. In terms of quantity, Brazilian exports to the United States peaked in 1989, then fell below their

1987 level in 1991. For the first 9 months of 1992, however, the volume of imports from Brazil increased compared with the corresponding period of 1991. Faced with increasing labor costs, Brazil has been moving out of the low-priced market and has begun producing more expensive leather footwear. This higher end market was previously dominated by shoes from Italy and Spain, but imports from these two countries have declined steadily.

### Rubber footwear

The column 1-general rates of duty for rubber footwear range from 20 percent to 48 percent ad valorem. The trade-weighted average rate of duty for rubber footwear was 34.0 percent in 1991. Rubber footwear accounts for about 11 percent of the total value of U.S. footwear imports and for 19 percent by volume, with the remainder consisting of nonrubber footwear. Table 6 shows U.S. imports of rubber footwear by primary sources, in quantity and value, and changes in the average unit value of imports. Imports of rubber footwear increased by nearly 70 percent in terms of volume and more than doubled in terms of value during 1987-91.

Rubber footwear imports are concentrated among a relatively small number of suppliers. In 1991, China and South Korea supplied about three-quarters of total U.S. rubber footwear imports. In terms of value, South Korea supplied 40 percent and China 32 percent; in terms of volume, South Korea supplied only 14 percent and China 61 percent, reflecting the higher unit value of these imports from South Korea. As with nonrubber footwear, imports from Thailand and Indonesia have increased exponentially, although they still provide only 4 percent and 2 percent, respectively, of the total quantity of U.S. imports of rubber footwear.

<sup>20</sup> According to industry sources, the uncertainty over future relations between the United States and China, including whether the United States would continue to extend most-favored-nation status to China, led many U.S. importers to turn to such sources as Indonesia and Thailand in order to prevent an interruption in supply should the tariffs on footwear from China be substantially increased.

**Table 5**  
**Nonrubber footwear: U.S. imports for consumption, by principal sources, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**

Source	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept—	
						1991	1992
<b>Quantity (1,000 pairs)</b>							
China .....	45,638	83,674	143,515	267,343	424,460	307,283	385,015
South Korea .....	184,271	184,296	172,515	163,003	113,671	90,145	59,054
Taiwan .....	419,719	340,331	261,939	168,781	117,853	94,434	63,525
Brazil .....	107,732	112,441	112,715	103,227	93,599	70,886	80,762
Italy .....	47,409	44,151	41,739	45,698	33,113	26,240	27,629
Indonesia .....	129	3,368	12,025	33,125	51,014	35,991	57,957
Spain .....	27,849	22,834	22,616	20,905	17,500	13,012	11,449
Thailand .....	7,398	14,913	20,606	28,194	24,523	19,254	19,366
Hong Kong .....	28,052	23,051	16,813	13,956	12,589	9,755	10,604
Yugoslavia .....	3,784	5,726	5,432	5,591	4,520	3,654	832
All other .....	45,302	49,280	48,392	46,858	44,012	32,495	35,656
World .....	917,282	884,065	858,306	896,681	936,855	703,148	751,913
<b>Value (million dollars)<sup>1</sup></b>							
China .....	112	283	638	1,444	2,549	1,820	2,513
South Korea .....	1,736	2,254	2,181	2,501	1,823	1,457	984
Taiwan .....	2,604	2,484	2,040	1,504	1,123	872	634
Brazil .....	1,055	1,090	1,156	1,159	1,095	823	940
Italy .....	952	928	920	1,084	873	661	666
Indonesia .....	1	25	92	270	454	319	512
Spain .....	430	406	386	407	352	262	228
Thailand .....	44	110	183	283	280	218	224
Hong Kong .....	141	160	128	114	108	85	91
Yugoslavia .....	52	81	81	98	87	70	15
All other .....	547	562	604	636	651	472	576
World .....	7,674	8,382	8,409	9,502	9,395	7,059	7,383
<b>Average unit value (per pair)</b>							
China .....	2.46	3.38	4.45	5.40	6.00	5.92	6.53
South Korea .....	9.42	12.23	12.64	15.34	16.04	16.16	16.66
Taiwan .....	6.20	7.30	7.79	8.91	9.53	9.24	9.98
Brazil .....	9.79	9.70	10.25	11.23	11.70	11.61	11.64
Italy .....	20.08	21.02	22.03	23.73	26.37	25.20	24.09
Indonesia .....	9.14	7.31	7.66	8.17	8.89	8.85	8.83
Spain .....	15.45	17.78	17.05	19.47	20.14	20.12	19.89
Thailand .....	5.92	7.35	8.87	10.05	11.44	11.35	11.58
Hong Kong .....	5.03	6.93	7.61	8.18	8.62	8.67	8.57
Yugoslavia .....	13.77	14.19	14.99	17.59	19.21	19.19	17.49
All other .....	12.07	11.41	12.49	13.58	14.79	14.54	16.15
Average .....	8.37	9.48	9.80	10.60	10.03	10.04	9.82

<sup>1</sup> Represents the landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of the goods plus freight, insurance, and duties paid.

Note.—Data before 1989 are estimated. Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table 6**  
**Rubber footwear: U.S. Imports for consumption, by principal sources, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**

Source	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept—	
						1991	1992
<b>Quantity (1,000 pairs)</b>							
South Korea .....	40,219	44,927	36,364	36,971	31,931	23,693	25,862
China .....	33,733	64,140	96,633	117,714	134,897	103,168	135,268
Taiwan .....	24,574	19,056	22,076	18,287	13,240	10,517	8,014
Mexico .....	23,831	25,436	23,730	17,387	17,643	12,667	14,673
Thailand .....	1,502	4,056	3,929	6,201	7,821	5,840	7,687
Indonesia .....	6	215	287	691	4,384	3,005	6,514
Canada .....	669	597	886	1,073	1,251	961	1,067
Hong Kong .....	3,892	5,743	7,892	4,192	5,922	4,675	5,197
Italy .....	372	291	353	277	190	149	138
Philippines .....	952	828	519	999	857	617	1,032
All other .....	6,636	5,395	5,090	4,173	3,210	2,412	4,093
<b>World .....</b>	<b>136,388</b>	<b>170,685</b>	<b>197,756</b>	<b>207,966</b>	<b>221,345</b>	<b>167,704</b>	<b>209,544</b>
<b>Value (million dollars)<sup>1</sup></b>							
South Korea .....	251	325	312	426	440	327	406
China .....	65	129	202	260	350	264	389
Taiwan .....	120	108	152	166	148	114	109
Mexico .....	45	49	54	49	46	33	34
Thailand .....	5	14	17	32	45	35	43
Indonesia .....	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	1	3	24	15	51
Canada .....	5	5	9	11	13	10	11
Hong Kong .....	9	13	18	13	13	10	12
Italy .....	6	6	7	6	6	5	4
Philippines .....	3	3	3	4	5	4	6
All other .....	33	29	32	27	21	16	22
<b>World .....</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>806</b>	<b>997</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>1,087</b>
<b>Average unit value (per pair)</b>							
South Korea .....	6.23	7.24	8.58	11.52	13.78	13.82	15.70
China .....	1.92	2.02	2.09	2.21	2.60	2.56	2.88
Taiwan .....	4.89	5.66	6.88	9.10	11.16	10.79	13.66
Mexico .....	1.88	1.94	2.26	2.80	2.62	2.57	2.30
Thailand .....	3.12	3.48	4.27	5.17	5.79	5.96	5.54
Indonesia .....	2.72	4.35	4.64	4.26	5.40	4.85	7.80
Canada .....	8.04	9.01	10.48	10.30	10.39	10.25	9.87
Hong Kong .....	2.37	2.31	2.28	3.00	2.16	2.09	2.38
Italy .....	16.94	21.36	19.06	21.29	31.08	31.19	28.36
Philippines .....	2.72	3.82	4.94	4.21	5.61	5.73	5.84
All other .....	5.00	5.44	6.28	6.49	6.56	6.68	5.27
<b>Average .....</b>	<b>3.97</b>	<b>4.01</b>	<b>4.08</b>	<b>4.79</b>	<b>5.02</b>	<b>4.96</b>	<b>5.19</b>

<sup>1</sup> Represents the landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of the goods plus freight, insurance, and duties paid.

<sup>2</sup> Less than \$500,000.

Note.—Data before 1989 are estimated. Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



## *The U.S. Market and the Effects of Import Competition*

In terms of value, U.S. consumption of nonrubber footwear rose by an average annual rate of 5 percent during 1987-90, then fell by 2 percent in 1991 (table 7). The growth in consumption was generated almost entirely by imports, whose value share of the domestic market amounted to 73 percent in 1991. In terms of volume, consumption fell at an average annual rate of 3 percent during 1987-89 and then rose at an average annual rate of 1 percent during 1989-91, for an overall decrease of 1 percent per year for the period.

U.S. apparent consumption of rubber footwear increased from \$1.0 billion in 1987 to a record \$1.9 billion in 1991 and continued growing in 1992 (table 8). The share of the U.S. market supplied by imports increased from 53 percent in 1987 to 58 percent in 1991. Imports from China grew from 6 to 18 percent of the market over this period, and further increased to 25 percent of the estimated U.S. consumption of rubber footwear during January-September 1992.

In 1991, finished footwear was produced by approximately 300 U.S. firms that operated an estimated 450 plants and shipped products valued at \$4.3 billion wholesale. The manufacture of footwear is highly fragmented and includes firms ranging from small, family-owned operations to large, publicly-held organizations. Footwear plants are located in 38 States in all regions of the country. Maine, Missouri, Pennsylvania, and Tennessee together account for 30 percent of establishments and 44 percent of domestic employment.

The U.S. nonrubber footwear industry decreased significantly in size during the 1980s, as imports captured the bulk of the domestic market. The decline in production has slowed in recent years, however, following a consolidation of the industry during the early 1980s. During 1987-91, 116 footwear factories closed,<sup>21</sup> and employment declined by 16,000 workers, or by 19 percent. The value of producers' shipments fell 4 percent over this period, and the volume of production decreased by 27 percent.

U.S. producers' shipments of rubber footwear rose by 65 percent during 1987-91, and the volume of production rose by 38 percent. This increase was largely attributable to the continued popularity of canvas athletic and casual shoes, the major segment of the U.S. rubber footwear market.

Although the demand for footwear, like most other apparel products, is influenced by quality and fashion, the most significant factor influencing the competitive position of U.S. and foreign producers of footwear is labor costs, which represent about 27 percent value of producers' shipments. Because the production of footwear is highly labor intensive, low-labor-cost

countries, such as China, have a significant cost advantage over the United States. In 1989, the hourly compensation cost for production workers in the U.S. nonrubber footwear industry was \$8.20 per hour, which was substantially higher than the average hourly compensation of such workers in the major supplying countries. Production workers in Taiwan earned \$2.50 per hour; in Korea, \$2.40; in Brazil, \$1.50; in Indonesia, \$0.45; and in China, \$0.30.

The significant differences in labor costs have forced a number of U.S. producers to import footwear and footwear parts to remain competitive in the market. The U.S. industry has also adopted new technology to improve cost competitiveness in manufacturing. Increased use of computers has helped to integrate design, management, manufacturing, and marketing functions. In general, U.S. producers have also developed special market niches, improved product quality, and emphasized such nonprice factors as customer service and warehousing to compete with imports.

Nevertheless, industry sources believe that the long-term outlook for the footwear manufacturing industry in the United States is only fair. After 20 years of decline, the level of U.S. production is expected to be stable over the next several years. The proliferation of computer-assisted technologies in the United States will help the footwear industry to improve quality and speed of delivery, improvements that may in turn help U.S. producers in their competition against imported shoes.

## **Luggage (MSIC 316)**

The term "luggage" covers an extremely heterogeneous group of articles, including trunks, hand trunks, lockers, valises, satchels, suitcases, wardrobe cases, overnight bags, pullman bags, knapsacks, kitbags, haversacks, duffelbags, and like articles designed to contain clothing or other personal effects during travel. Also included are briefcases, portfolios, schoolbags, photographic equipment bags, golf bags, camera cases, binocular cases, gun cases, occupational luggage (physicians' bags, sample cases, and so forth), and similar containers and cases designed to be carried with the person.

Luggage is made from a variety of materials, the most important of which include textiles, plastics, and leather; less important materials include unspun fibrous vegetable materials, wood, and metal. In recent years, textiles have surpassed plastics to become the principal type of exterior material in both U.S.-produced luggage and imports. Textiles especially predominate in sports bags, such as backpacks, knapsacks, and duffelbags. Leather is important only for very expensive traditional luggage and for specialty products, such as business cases.

<sup>21</sup> Footwear Industries of America, *Current Highlights*, Mar. 15, 1992.

Table 7

Nonrubber footwear: U.S. imports, total and from China,<sup>1</sup> U.S. producers' shipments, and U.S. apparent consumption, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept.—	
						1991	1992
<i>Value (million dollars)</i>							
Total U.S. imports .....	7,674.0	8,382.1	8,408.6	9,501.8	9,345.5	7,059.0	7,383.4
U.S. imports from China .....	112.1	283.2	638.1	1,443.8	2,548.7	1,820.1	2,513.3
U.S. producers' shipments .....	3,639.2	3,633.7	3,752.8	3,671.8	3,489.3	2,622.6	2,703.9
U.S. apparent consumption .....	11,313.2	12,015.8	12,161.4	13,173.6	12,884.8	9,681.6	10,087.3
<i>Percent</i>							
Ratio of— Imports from China to total imports .....	1	3	8	15	27	26	34
Total imports to apparent consumption .....	68	70	69	72	73	73	73
Imports from China to apparent consumption .....	1	2	5	11	20	19	25
<i>Quantity (million pairs)</i>							
Total U.S. imports .....	917.3	884.1	858.3	896.7	936.9	703.1	751.9
U.S. imports from China .....	45.6	83.7	143.5	267.3	424.5	307.3	385.0
U.S. production .....	230.0	235.1	221.9	184.7	167.4	126.6	128.3
U.S. apparent consumption .....	1,147.3	1,119.2	1,080.2	1,081.4	1,104.3	829.7	880.2
<i>Percent</i>							
Ratio of— Imports from China to total imports .....	5	9	17	30	45	44	51
Total imports to apparent consumption .....	80	79	79	83	85	85	86
Imports from China to apparent consumption .....	4	7	13	25	38	37	44

<sup>1</sup> Imports are imports for consumption based on landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of the goods plus freight, insurance, and duty paid.

Source: Compiled by the U.S. International Trade Commission from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

In the trade, when one speaks of traditional hand luggage (suitcases and the like), a broad distinction exists between hard-side and soft-side luggage. The former includes rigid, molded luggage and luggage with an interior frame of wood or lightweight metal such as aluminum alloy. The latter includes luggage of semisoft construction that has a wooden or metal frame with expandable sides, as well as luggage with no frame. Currently, soft-side luggage is by far the most popular.

### *U.S. Imports From China and Other Major Suppliers*

U.S. imports of luggage are classified for tariff purposes in subheadings 4202.11.00-4202.19.00,

4202.91.00-4202.99.00, 4602.10.21, 4602.10.22, 4602.10.25, and 4602.10.2940 of the HTS, depending upon the particular material that wholly or mainly covers the luggage, giving it its "essential character."<sup>22</sup> Prior to the implementation of the HTS in January 1989, luggage was classified on the basis of the component material of chief value. For example, leather luggage normally would have been considered to be in chief value of leather, but luggage made of leather, textiles, and plastics could have been in chief value of any one of these materials, depending upon which one individually had the greatest (chief) value.

<sup>22</sup> Golf bags of leather are classified as luggage in the tariff schedules, but are excluded from MSIC 316. Thus, imports of leather golf bags, which enter the United States under HTS subheading 4202.91.0010, are not included in this report.

Table 8

Rubber footwear: U.S. imports, total and from China,<sup>1</sup> U.S. producers' shipments, and U.S. apparent consumption, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept.—	
						1991	1992
<i>Value (million dollars)</i>							
Total U.S. imports .....	541.8	684.1	806.4	996.8	1,110.6	831.0	1,086.5
U.S. imports from China .....	64.7	129.4	202.3	260.0	350.3	264.2	389.4
U.S. producers' shipments .....	487.6	551.7	560.9	749.9	801.5	595.8	474.8
U.S. apparent consumption .....	1,029.4	1,235.8	1,367.3	1,746.7	1,912.1	1,426.8	1,561.3
<i>Percent</i>							
Ratio of— Imports from China to total imports .....	12	19	25	26	32	32	36
Total imports to apparent consumption .....	53	55	59	57	58	58	70
Imports from China to apparent consumption .....	6	10	15	15	18	19	25
<i>Quantity (million pairs)</i>							
Total U.S. imports .....	136.4	170.7	197.8	208.0	221.3	167.7	209.5
U.S. imports from China .....	33.7	64.1	96.6	117.7	134.9	103.2	135.3
U.S. production .....	82.1	90.5	90.9	105.7	113.2	82.7	79.7
U.S. apparent consumption .....	218.5	261.2	288.7	313.7	334.5	250.4	289.2
<i>Percent</i>							
Ratio of— Imports from China to total imports .....	25	38	49	57	61	62	65
Total imports to apparent consumption .....	62	65	69	66	66	67	72
Imports from China to apparent consumption .....	15	25	33	38	40	41	47

<sup>1</sup> Imports are imports for consumption based on landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of the goods plus freight, insurance, and duties paid.

Source: Compiled by the U.S. International Trade Commission from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

The HTS adopted an entirely new classification system in which what was formerly classified as a leather bag based on its chief value might be classified as a textile or plastic bag based on its principal exterior material. Thus, the estimated statistics for individual tariff lines prior to 1989 are of limited use, but the aggregate data for all luggage is fairly accurate. The column 1-general, or MFN, rates of duty that are applicable to luggage imports from China and from other principal sources ranged from 5.3 percent to 20.0 percent ad valorem in 1992. The special rates of duty applicable to imports from Canada ranged from duty free to 12.0 percent ad valorem in 1992. All luggage imports from Israel entered free of duty.

On a landed duty-paid basis, total U.S. imports of luggage increased irregularly from \$1.1 billion in 1987 to \$1.4 billion in 1991 (table 9).

Overall, the growth in imports amounted to 30 percent during the period, at an average annual rate of increase of 7 percent. During January-September 1992, imports again increased compared with the corresponding period of 1991, from \$1.0 billion to \$1.2 billion, or by 16 percent, reaching a 9-month total that exceeded U.S. imports of luggage during each of the full years of 1987 and 1988. Luggage of textile materials accounted for about two-thirds of the total U.S. imports of luggage in 1990 and 1991; plastics, for about one-fifth; and leather, for about one-seventh.

U.S. imports of luggage from China rose steadily and much more rapidly than total imports, jumping from \$132.0 million in 1987 to \$452.6 million in 1991, an increase of 243 percent, or an average annual rate of increase of 36 percent. The rise continued during January-September 1992, when such imports amounted

**Table 9**  
**Luggage: U.S. Imports for consumption, by principal sources, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**

Source	1987 <sup>1</sup>	1988 <sup>1</sup>	1989	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept—	
						1991	1992
<i>Value (1,000 dollars)</i>							
China .....	131,981	176,561	249,236	367,322	452,582	327,130	444,170
Taiwan .....	462,856	395,849	443,554	405,802	377,864	275,227	270,934
South Korea .....	232,698	226,638	241,540	233,997	208,829	150,740	148,898
Thailand .....	31,770	46,082	59,311	78,162	87,226	59,915	84,327
Mexico .....	25,888	28,778	41,424	38,671	39,712	28,784	40,438
Philippines .....	19,278	19,286	34,702	37,413	39,496	32,649	35,774
Hong Kong .....	33,929	28,412	28,407	25,173	30,311	21,758	23,517
Dominican Republic .....	4,188	6,642	7,186	10,187	24,056	15,945	23,091
Colombia .....	7,580	8,785	13,839	16,599	22,073	14,727	15,139
France .....	17,706	24,098	15,672	16,339	20,469	12,662	13,021
All other .....	106,377	92,638	97,484	104,320	89,619	64,490	66,970
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1,074,252</b>	<b>1,053,770</b>	<b>1,232,354</b>	<b>1,333,984</b>	<b>1,392,237</b>	<b>1,004,028</b>	<b>1,166,282</b>
<i>Share of value (percent)</i>							
China .....	12	17	20	28	33	33	38
Taiwan .....	43	38	36	30	27	27	23
South Korea .....	22	22	20	18	15	15	13
Thailand .....	3	4	5	6	6	6	7
Mexico .....	2	3	3	3	3	3	3
Philippines .....	2	2	3	3	3	3	3
Hong Kong .....	3	3	2	2	2	2	2
Dominican Republic .....	( <sup>2</sup> )	1	1	1	2	2	2
Colombia .....	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
France .....	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
All other .....	10	9	8	8	6	6	6
<b>Average .....</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

<sup>1</sup> Data before 1989 are estimated.

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.5 percent.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown. Imports are based on landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of the goods plus freight, insurance, and duties paid.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

to \$444.2 million, or 36 percent more than during the corresponding period of 1991. China's share of total imports also rose continually, from 12 percent to 33 percent during 1987-91. Its share increased to 38 percent during January-September 1992. Out of the total increase of \$162.3 million in U.S. imports of luggage from January-September 1991 to January-September 1992, China accounted for \$117.0 million, or 72 percent.

Taiwan was the leading supplier of U.S. imports of luggage during 1987-90, but its share of the total value of luggage imports over this period decreased from 43 percent (\$462.9 million) to 30 percent (\$405.8 million). In 1991, Taiwan fell to second place among suppliers to the U.S. market as its share slipped to 27 percent (\$377.9 million). Luggage imports from Taiwan continued to decrease during January-September 1992, when its share of these imports fell to 23 percent.

The share of U.S. imports of luggage from South Korea, the third-ranking supplier, declined from 22 percent in 1987 to 15 percent in 1991. Luggage imports from South Korea registered both an absolute and a share decrease during January-September 1992, compared with the corresponding period of 1991. Industry sources indicate that the Korean luggage industry has decreased in size and that some Korean suppliers have left the business.

On the other hand, U.S. imports of luggage from Thailand grew steadily during 1987-91. Such imports nearly tripled from \$31.2 million to \$87.2 million, and Thailand's share of U.S. luggage imports increased from 3 percent to 6 percent. During January-September 1992, imports of luggage from Thailand amounted to \$84.3 million, up 41 percent from \$59.9 million during January-September 1991.

Rising wage rates in Taiwan and South Korea were one of the major reasons for the decline in U.S. imports of luggage from these countries and for the subsequent rapid increase in imports from China and Thailand, where wage rates remain much lower. However, another important reason for the shift in sources of supply was the U.S. system of quotas applying to luggage of textile materials. A quantitative restriction was initially imposed on manmade-fiber luggage from Taiwan in 1984, resulting in a significant decrease in these imports, and quotas were subsequently applied to luggage imports of other textile materials from Taiwan and were extended to other countries. Quotas now apply to all textile-fiber luggage from Taiwan and South Korea. Quotas apply to both cotton- and manmade-fiber luggage from China.<sup>23</sup> Quotas had been imposed on U.S. imports of

cotton- and manmade-fiber luggage from Thailand, but the bilateral agreement elapsed during 1989. Since then, despite the rapid growth of such imports, Thailand has not been subject to quotas.

Industry sources indicate that most of the increase in U.S. imports of luggage from China has resulted from the growth of factories in the southern provinces of Guangdong and Fujian. The production facilities in Guangdong Province are mainly of joint-equity ventures with companies from Hong Kong or Taiwan, and manufacturers from Taiwan have been primarily responsible, with a loosening by the Taiwan Government of political and economic restrictions against investment in China, for the recent expansion of production in Fujian Province.

Since 1990, the exterior material of China's exports of luggage to the United States appears to have shifted in response to quota controls. According to industry sources, the proportion of luggage from China covered with certain textile materials such as cotton and manmade fibers has decreased, and the proportion of other fibers used in the exterior material that gives imports of luggage their essential character has risen. These fibers may include jute, tweed, or a type of tapestry. The composition of U.S. imports from China during 1990-91, January-September 1991, and January-September 1992 is shown in the following tabulation (in percent):

Material	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
Textiles .....	57	50	53	48
Plastics .....	26	31	28	36
Leather .....	12	15	14	12
Other .....	6	4	5	4

Of the U.S. imports of luggage from China made of textile materials, those of manmade fibers accounted for about 70 percent during 1991 (as compared with 78 percent during 1989), and those of cotton accounted for about 9 percent (as compared with 15 percent during 1989). The share of luggage imports from China made of plastics materials and, therefore, not subject to quotas, has been rising rapidly, from 26 percent in 1990 to 36 percent during January-September 1992. Luggage of plastics materials accounted for nearly 60 percent of the overall increase in China's shipments of luggage to the U.S. market from January-September 1991 to the corresponding period of 1992.

<sup>23</sup>—Continued

quota for luggage of any textile material of 42,656,400 kilograms for calendar year 1992. Korea had a combined quota for luggage and flat goods of any textile material of 35,761,563 kilograms for calendar year 1992. China had separate 1992 calendar-year quotas for cotton luggage of 2,894,557 kilograms and for manmade-fiber luggage of 14,486,443 kilograms. Commerce reports that, as of the beginning of November 1992, annual allocations had been 72.7 percent filled on cotton luggage from China and 68.1 percent filled on manmade-fiber luggage from China. Taiwan had filled 56.9 percent of its quota during the same period, and Korea had filled only 37.0 percent of its quota by the end of August.

<sup>23</sup> These quotas were imposed under the Multifiber Arrangement. According to U.S. Customs Service data compiled by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Taiwan had a combined

During 1990 and 1991, 75 to 77 percent of the U.S. imports of luggage from Thailand were of textile materials. During January-September 1992, that share increased to 82 percent, reflecting, according to industry sources, the absence of quotas on its products.

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Apparent U.S. consumption of luggage (based on a landed duty-paid valuation of imports) increased from \$1,864 million in 1987 to an estimated \$2,309 million in 1990, then decreased to an estimated \$2,301 million in 1991 (table 10). The share of the luggage market supplied by imports increased irregularly from 58 percent in 1987 to an estimated 61 percent in 1991. However, China's share of the market increased steadily from 7 percent in 1987 to an estimated 20 percent in 1991.

Approximately 241 establishments produced luggage in the United States in 1987, and the number is believed to have decreased to an estimated 235 in 1990. This decrease followed an even larger decline in establishments during the mid-1980s, from 292 production facilities in 1982. Total employment in the industry is estimated to have decreased slightly, from 10,600 in 1987 to 10,500 in 1991, but the decline in the number of production workers was more significant, from 7,700 to 7,000 workers over this period. The 22 leading producers, each with 100 or more employees, accounted for approximately 60 percent of the total value of industry shipments in 1990, slightly less than the 62-percent share recorded in 1987. There is almost no vertical integration in these industries. Producers are located principally in the Northeast (New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania), California, Illinois, Colorado, and Florida.

U.S. producers' shipments of luggage rose from \$816.8 million in 1987 to nearly \$1.1 billion in 1990, then decreased to an estimated \$1.0 billion in 1991. It is believed that firms in the luggage industry are operating at about 50 percent of capacity. Inventories as a percentage of U.S. producers' shipments declined from 18.9 percent in 1988 to 16.1 percent in 1990.

The leading U.S. luggage producers and some small establishments have taken steps to automate the production process and to introduce assembly-line techniques. This capital investment has resulted in some increase in worker productivity and a proportional decrease in unit costs. However, the luggage industry is predominantly labor intensive as compared with many other products and does not readily yield large economies of scale. This is particularly true of the soft-side luggage that is by far the largest segment of this market. The production of soft-side luggage requires machine- or hand-cutting and a multitude of individual hand operations, often including sewing, to piece the product together. The labor-intensiveness of the industry contributes to the

relative ease in establishing production facilities in both the United States and foreign locales. In addition, the equipment used is of relatively low technology and is readily available throughout the world. These factors explain much of the increase in U.S. imports of luggage in recent years and of the shifting between low-cost foreign sources in response to changing cost conditions. However, the production of hard-side, molded luggage is considerably more capital intensive than the production of soft-side luggage, requiring relatively large amounts of capital to begin operations. U.S. producers have continued to dominate this small segment of the U.S. market.

Domestic producers no longer manufacture much low-priced luggage. They concentrate on the production of moderate- to high-priced bags. Thus, many producers import luggage to offer a broader price and fashion line of merchandise. Some have shifted entirely or almost entirely to importing.

Domestic manufacturers enjoy some advantage because of proximity to the market and of the ability to respond quickly to a "hot" fashion item. Domestic producers still maintain a solid niche in the medium-price market, in which style and "value" are relatively more important than price. They are very strong in the business case segment of the market. It is in the low- and low-medium price ranges that competition from imports is most intense, since price is the most important factor in the purchase decision for these products. China enjoys a substantial labor-cost advantage over U.S. producers in the production of this highly labor-intensive product, and imports from China supply primarily the low-priced end of the market, although some are sold under brand names at higher prices.

### **Dolls and Toys (part MSIC 394)<sup>24</sup>**

The dolls and toys product group consists of stuffed and unstuffed dolls representing human beings, doll parts, and doll clothing, except doll wigs; mechanical and nonmechanical toys; and reduced-size models. Dolls can be divided into two broad categories: dolls for play and dolls for collection or decoration, not generally considered for children's play, with the former category the more significant in terms of trade. Toys may be either stuffed or unstuffed and may represent animals or nonhuman creatures. The toy category also includes reduced-size models, construction and other toy sets, toy musical instruments, toys and models incorporating a motor, kites, inflatable toys, toy guns, and nonriding vehicles. Reduced-size models must be more than a crude representation of an original and are used to entertain, explain, or teach.

<sup>24</sup> MSIC 394 also includes games, sporting goods, and children's vehicles, which, even though in the same import category as dolls and toys, are separate U.S. industries.

Table 10

Luggage: U.S. imports, total and from China, U.S. producers' shipments,<sup>1</sup> and apparent U.S. consumption, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

Item	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept—	
						1991	1992
<i>Value (million dollars)</i>							
Total U.S. imports .....	1,074.3	1,053.8	1,232.4	1,334.0	1,392.2	1,004.0	1,166.3
U.S. imports from China .....	132.0	176.6	249.2	367.3	452.6	327.1	444.2
U.S. producers' shipments .....	816.8	871.4	1,001.2	1,064.3	11,017.5	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
U.S. apparent consumption .....	1,864.4	1,886.3	2,169.4	2,309.0	12,300.7	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
<i>Percent</i>							
Ratio of—							
Imports from China to total imports .....	12	17	20	28	33	33	38
Total imports to apparent consumption .....	58	56	57	58	161	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
Imports from China to apparent consumption .....	7	9	11	16	127	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )

<sup>1</sup> Estimated.<sup>2</sup> Not available.

Note.—Data before 1989 are estimated. Imports are based on landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of goods plus freight, insurance, and duties paid.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

## *U.S. Imports From China and Other Major Suppliers*

Imports of most categories of dolls and toys are classified for tariff purposes in chapter 95 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States. The column 1-general (MFN) rates of duty that apply to China vary for dolls and toys. The rate of duty is 12 percent ad valorem for most doll products; however, the duty rate is lower for certain doll parts and accessories. The column 1-general rate of duty for most toys is 6.8 percent ad valorem, except in the instance of toy building blocks, bricks and shapes, and toy alphabet blocks, for which it is 6.0 percent. Categories of items that enter free of duty are toy tea sets of ceramic ware from countries with MFN status and crossword puzzle books from all foreign countries.

Imports of dolls and toys are eligible for preferential tariff treatment under the Generalized System of Preferences, but China is ineligible for such treatment. Hong Kong, South Korea, and Taiwan were beneficiaries of GSP treatment until January 1, 1989. Preferential duty treatment is extended to the countries covered by the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act (CBERA) and to Bolivia, Canada, Colombia, and Israel under particular tariff programs. The column 2 rate of duty on virtually all doll and toy products is 70 percent.

U.S. imports of dolls and toys from all foreign sources increased irregularly during 1987-91 at an average annual rate of 4.4 percent, from \$3.4 billion to \$4.1 billion. During the same 5 years, U.S. imports of these items from China increased at an average annual rate of 33.8 percent, from \$704.8 million to nearly \$2.3 billion (table 11).

In 1987, the top foreign suppliers for dolls and toys were South Korea, China, Taiwan, and Hong Kong. With the exception of China, each received favorable GSP treatment at the time; South Korea, Taiwan, and Hong Kong combined accounted for 58.1 percent of U.S. imports. As the leading supplier to the United States in 1987, South Korea shipped 22.0 percent of U.S. imports of dolls and toys, closely followed by China with a 20.5-percent share of U.S. imports. China became the leading source of U.S. imports of dolls and toys beginning in 1988, shipping products valued at \$1.1 billion, or 32.3 percent of the subject goods imported from all sources. Three years later, in 1991, toys and dolls imported from China surpassed \$2 billion in value.

In contrast, imports from South Korea, Taiwan, and Hong Kong were decreasing each year from 1988-91. In 1991, the value of dolls and toys imported from these three countries combined amounted to only \$786.8 million, or 19.3 percent of such imports from all foreign sources. This decline in the market share and value of imports from South Korea, Taiwan, and Hong Kong predated their loss of favorable GSP treatment in 1989 and was instead largely attributable to increases in production in China. In 1988, when

South Korea fell to second place among suppliers, its shipments of dolls and toys to the U.S. market amounted to \$572.5 million, only slightly more than one-half the value of these goods from China. Taiwan was the third largest supplier during 1987-90, but, because U.S. imports of dolls and toys from Taiwan declined more slowly than those from South Korea and Hong Kong, it became the second largest supplier in 1991.

U.S. imports of dolls and toys from China not only increased dramatically during 1987-91, but the composition of these imports also shifted over this period. In 1987, three-fourths of the imports in this product group from China were dolls and stuffed toys (MSIC 3942). Between 1987-91, imports of dolls and stuffed toys from China continued to grow at an average annual rate of 24.8 percent, from \$527.8 million to \$1.3 billion. However, growth in imports of other toys surpassed that of dolls and stuffed toys (table 12).

U.S. imports of toys other than stuffed toys (MSIC 3944) from China grew at an average annual rate of 53.5 percent, from \$177.0 million in 1987 to \$981.5 million in 1991. During January-September 1992, these imports grew by 68 percent to \$1,069 million, nearly equaling the \$1,099 million value of imports of dolls and stuffed toys from China.

U.S. imports of every category of finished dolls from China showed significant growth during the period 1987-91. Imports of stuffed dolls increased from \$48.4 million in 1987 to \$16.1 million in 1991. Small nonstuffed dolls remained the largest category of imports from China, rising from \$101.5 million in 1987 to \$296.3 million in 1991; however, a sizable increase, from \$28.6 million to \$88.2 million, in imports of large nonstuffed dolls was also recorded for the period. China became the dominant foreign source for imports of doll garments, doll accessories, and most doll parts in the mid-1980s.

China replaced South Korea as the leading foreign supplier of stuffed toys to the U.S. market in 1990-91. Although total U.S. imports of stuffed toys declined irregularly from \$933.7 million to \$670.3 million during 1987-91, imports of stuffed toys from China grew from \$143.4 million in 1987 to \$354.0 million in 1991. China's share of U.S. imports of stuffed toys, a product category long dominated by imports from South Korea, exceeded 50 percent for the first time in 1991.

Other imports of toy products from China that increased rapidly during 1987-91 included toys without a spring mechanism (from \$67.6 million to \$483.5 million), toys incorporating an electric motor (from \$16.7 million to \$163.1 million), and toys put up in sets or outfits (from \$26.5 million to \$85.9 million). In 1991, China was the leading source for virtually all imported toy products except toy building blocks, bricks, and shapes; other construction sets and constructional toys; and toy kites.



Table 11

Dolls and toys: U.S. imports for consumption,<sup>1</sup> by principal sources, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

Source	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	Jan.-Sept—	
						1991	1992
<i>Value (1,000 dollars)</i>							
China .....	704,755	1,059,024	1,528,059	1,888,137	2,261,538	1,463,955	2,168,246
Taiwan .....	682,159	461,009	457,064	357,882	347,897	243,218	246,584
South Korea .....	756,897	572,488	472,667	363,477	271,035	200,386	125,717
Hong Kong .....	555,153	375,967	301,284	207,635	167,903	108,826	129,057
Mexico .....	86,511	141,210	148,799	139,705	154,344	112,386	105,909
Thailand .....	38,567	52,789	86,591	127,852	151,405	105,982	98,521
Malaysia .....	43,371	56,611	84,241	99,302	137,584	91,474	121,049
Macao .....	94,989	100,501	129,829	198,473	116,618	77,121	114,439
Germany .....	60,694	59,448	53,484	75,681	75,202	54,278	53,567
Denmark .....	25,780	42,900	50,847	48,069	61,822	44,101	48,668
All other .....	386,863	357,748	327,274	319,278	331,514	224,172	275,442
Total .....	3,435,739	3,279,695	3,640,139	3,825,491	4,076,862	2,725,899	3,487,199
<i>Share of value (percent)</i>							
China .....	20.5	32.3	42.0	49.4	55.5	53.7	62.2
Taiwan .....	19.9	14.1	12.6	9.4	8.5	8.9	7.1
South Korea .....	22.0	17.5	13.0	9.5	6.6	7.4	3.6
Hong Kong .....	16.2	11.5	8.3	5.4	4.1	4.0	3.7
Mexico .....	2.5	4.3	4.1	3.7	3.8	4.1	3.0
Thailand .....	1.1	1.6	2.4	3.3	3.7	3.9	2.8
Malaysia .....	1.3	1.7	2.3	2.6	3.4	3.4	3.5
Macao .....	2.8	3.1	3.6	5.2	2.9	2.8	3.3
Germany .....	1.7	1.8	1.4	1.9	1.8	2.0	1.5
Denmark .....	0.8	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.4
All other .....	11.3	11.0	9.0	8.4	8.1	8.2	7.9
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

<sup>1</sup> Imports are based on landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of the goods plus freight, insurance, and duties paid.  
 Note.—Data before 1989 are estimated. Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 12  
 Dolls and toys: U.S. Imports from China,<sup>1</sup> by four-digit industry classification, 1987-91, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992  
 (1,000 dollars)

Industry classification	Jan.-Sept.—					
	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992
Dolls and stuffed toys (MSIC 3942) .....	527,777	637,331	759,240	1,061,776	1,280,042	1,098,971
Toys (MSIC 3944, excluding games and children's vehicles) .....	176,978	421,692	768,818	826,361	981,497	1,069,275
Total .....	704,755	1,059,024	1,528,059	1,888,137	2,261,538	2,168,246

<sup>1</sup> Imports are those for consumption based on landed duty-paid value, which includes the cost of the goods plus freight, insurance, and duties paid.  
 Note.—Data before 1989 are estimated. Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Several categories of toy products imported from China demonstrated continued growth in 1992. The 9-month import value in 1992 for each of these products imported from China exceeded by at least 60 percent the value of such imports during the corresponding period of 1991. During January-September 1992, imports from China in the product categories shown in table 12 included such items as toys without a spring mechanism (\$525.3 million); stuffed toy animals or nonhuman creatures (\$364.5 million); a basket category of miscellaneous toys (\$167.5 million); toys put up in sets or outfits (\$126.5 million); and inflatable balls, balloons, and punchballs (\$13.6 million).

### *The U.S. Market and the Effects of Import Competition*

U.S. consumption of dolls and toys increased irregularly at an average annual rate of 1.1 percent, from \$5.0 billion in 1987 to \$5.2 billion in 1991. The increase in consumption of dolls and toys affected the consumption of goods overseas more than the consumption of domestically produced goods. This was particularly the case with respect to these goods produced in China, which increased from 14 percent of U.S. apparent consumption in 1987 to 43 percent of consumption in 1991 (table 13). In contrast, the consumption of toys and dolls from combined foreign sources other than China decreased during the period from \$2.7 billion or 55 percent of consumption in 1987 to \$1.8 billion or 35 percent of consumption in 1991.

In 1991, there were approximately 475 establishments in the U.S. industry engaged in the manufacture of dolls or toys. Of these, approximately 120 establishments had 20 or more employees, compared with 150 establishments of this size in 1987. Establishments of at least 20 employees produced more than 85 percent of the value of domestic shipments in 1991. Whereas establishments that produced collectible dolls limited production largely to these items, a number of establishments that produced dolls for play also manufactured toys or other products for amusement.

U.S. producers' shipments stood at \$1.5 billion in 1991. During 1987-91, shipments from domestic producers decreased at an average annual rate of 3.7

percent. The products primarily involved in this decline were toys other than stuffed, whereas the production of dolls and stuffed toys remained relatively stable. Approximately 80 percent of U.S. sales consisted of toys other than stuffed.

The U.S. industry for dolls and toys is concentrated in New York, Ohio, and the New England States, and notable production exists in Illinois and New Jersey. Domestic employment in this industry declined from 24,000 in 1987 to 16,000 in 1991, continuing a downturn in industry employment since the 1970s. The primary reason for this decline was the lower labor costs available overseas, especially in China, which led many large U.S. producers, as well as producers in Hong Kong and other Asian countries, to shift production to China, either by opening production facilities or by contracting with Chinese manufacturers. U.S. firms that have lowered or eliminated their U.S. production now gear their domestic operations to development, design, marketing, distribution, and management. Some producers manufacture certain parts domestically when this proves economical. Others perform assembly operations for parts manufactured overseas. It is believed that firms in the industry are producing at about 70 to 75 percent of capacity.

Generally, U.S. producers have the following competitive advantages over producers in China and in most other foreign countries exporting dolls and toys: (1) for certain dolls and toys, U.S.-made products are of a higher quality than foreign products; (2) the delivery time for U.S.-made products is shorter; and (3) the warranties and service for U.S.-made products are superior to those provided for imports. The principal competitive advantage enjoyed by China in world markets is that it can deliver lower quality and/or labor-intensive products in varying quantities at lower prices because of substantially lower labor costs.

The production of stuffed dolls and stuffed toys in particular is highly labor intensive, involving a large amount of hand cutting and sewing. The variety of patterns and styles necessary to produce a full line of stuffed dolls and stuffed toys precludes automation of much of the production process. Hence, there is relatively little large-quantity domestic production of these goods, and imports from China have captured most of the U.S. market.



**APPENDIX A**  
**TRENDS IN TRADE BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND**  
**THE MONITORED COUNTRIES**

Table A-1

U.S. exports to the world and to the monitored countries,<sup>1</sup> by Schedule B sections, Jan.-Sept. 1991 and Jan.-Sept. 1992

Schedule B section	Total exports		Exports to monitored countries	
	Jan.-Sept. 1991	Jan.-Sept. 1992	Jan.-Sept. 1991	Jan.-Sept. 1992
	Value (million dollars)			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	5,636	6,511	77	139
2. Vegetable products .....	13,836	15,498	1,590	1,655
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	927	1,180	3	85
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	10,618	11,197	402	490
5. Mineral products .....	10,842	10,173	185	265
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	26,534	27,372	1,220	883
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	11,986	12,656	302	209
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1,935	1,966	14	22
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	4,768	4,999	120	88
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	9,923	10,515	214	188
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	8,710	9,256	465	355
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	497	556	13	30
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	2,263	2,471	25	30
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	3,936	4,113	7	27
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	14,092	12,942	184	271
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	87,964	93,449	1,332	1,708
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	51,065	56,623	1,038	1,739
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	14,367	15,439	293	399
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	1,560	1,921	1	1
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	4,081	4,796	32	64
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	983	836	6	5
22. Special classification provisions .....	9,963	10,266	154	250
Total .....	296,486	314,736	7,679	8,902
	Percent of total			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	1.9	2.1	1.0	1.6
2. Vegetable products .....	4.7	4.9	20.7	18.6
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0.3	0.4	( <sup>2</sup> )	1.0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	3.6	3.6	5.2	5.5
5. Mineral products .....	3.7	3.2	2.4	3.0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	8.9	8.7	15.9	9.9
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	4.0	4.0	3.9	2.3
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.2
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	3.3	3.3	2.8	2.1
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	2.9	2.9	6.1	4.0
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0.8	0.8	0.3	0.3
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	1.3	1.3	0.1	0.3
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	4.8	4.1	2.4	3.0
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	29.7	29.7	17.3	19.2
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	17.2	18.0	13.5	19.5
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	4.8	4.9	3.8	4.5
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0.5	0.6	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	1.4	1.5	0.4	0.7
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1
22. Special classification provisions .....	3.4	3.3	2.0	2.8
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

<sup>1</sup> Afghanistan, Albania, Bulgaria, Cambodia, China, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Laos, Latvia, Lithuania, Mongolia, Poland, Romania, and the former Soviet Union (including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan).

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.05 percent.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table A-2**  
**U.S. exports to the monitored countries, by Schedule B sections, July-Sept. 1992**  
*(In thousands of dollars)*

Schedule B section	Afghani- stan	Albania	Bulgaria	Cam- bodia	China	C.S.F.R. <sup>1</sup>	Hungary
1. Live animals; animal products .....	15	736	56	0	9,353	186	772
2. Vegetable products .....	0	10	4	0	35,314	4,414	948
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0	0	286	3	71
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	50	0	3,650	0	4,326	5,554	3,403
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	8,223	0	41,425	136	111
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	128	1,469	307	0	191,930	3,638	3,146
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	3	456	0	65,074	586	543
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0	0	3,192	149	99
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	9	0	29,856	495	76
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	3	31	251	0	40,493	420	883
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	110	0	90	47	32,044	1,135	501
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	83	0	1,688	11	37
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	49	0	9,177	358	1,344
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0	0	686	10	3
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	37	186	272	85,262	257	593
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	168	6,339	3,589	370,505	34,361	18,038
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	49	0	1,374	348	564,750	123,631	5,366
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	529	2,787	102,226	5,139	4,937
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0	0	62	125	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	68	0	10,402	224	1,061
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0	0	126	112	29
22. Special classification provisions .....	14	227	463	89	16,601	4,726	2,224
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>2,681</b>	<b>22,137</b>	<b>7,133</b>	<b>1,614,778</b>	<b>185,671</b>	<b>44,185</b>

See notes at end of table.

Table A-2—Continued

U.S. exports to the monitored countries, by Schedule B sections, July-Sept. 1992  
(In thousands of dollars)

Schedule B section	Laos	Mongolia	Poland	Romania	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	Baltics <sup>3</sup>	Total
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	9,078	3,155	38,398	0	61,749
2. Vegetable products .....	0	0	263	24,635	279,026	35	344,649
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	5	308	31,190	0	31,864
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	5,743	9,10	207,757	332	239,919
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	599	7,474	19,665	1,846	79,480
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	6	5,347	2,125	10,880	64	219,040
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	2,237	279	8,978	298	78,454
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers ...	0	0	460	559	3,333	41	7,832
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	723	1,826	330	0	33,316
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	5	0	2,845	706	2,172	2,104	49,913
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	24	0	5,341	588	16,092	532	56,505
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	350	47	11,146	721	14,083
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	861	5	1,102	52	12,947
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	8	62	3,025	351	4,145
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	1,138	53	23,415	2,191	113,403
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	27	16	35,429	7,593	167,200	4,772	648,036
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	129	0	6,226	2,573	32,031	1,122	737,600
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	6	47	7,134	2,138	21,715	293	146,952
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0	0	5	0	193
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	1,567	79	8,513	186	22,100
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	1,000	0	9	0	1,276
22. Special classification provisions .....	16	12	26,681	1,096	18,320	3,274	73,743
Total .....	208	81	113,034	64,404	904,306	18,213	2,977,199

<sup>1</sup> Czech and Slovak Federal Republic.<sup>2</sup> Former Soviet Union.<sup>3</sup> Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**Table A-3**  
**Twenty U.S. export items for which the monitored countries collectively accounted for the largest market share in 1992, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1991 and Jan.-Sept. 1992<sup>1</sup>**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Major customer	Share of total exports accounted for by monitored countries		Value of exports to monitored countries, Jan.-Sept. 1992
			Jan.-Sept. 1991	Jan.-Sept. 1992	
			—— Percent ——		1,000 dollars
3807.00	Wood tar and its oils; wood creosote; wood naphtha; vegetable pitch; preparations based on rosin, resin acids or vegetable pitch ....	China	.0	75.8	4,126
6104.13	Women's or girls' suits, knitted or crocheted, of synthetic fibers .....	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	2.1	74.8	1,429
5801.21	Uncut weft pile fabrics of cotton, other than fabrics of heading 5802 or 5806 .....	China	29.7	74.5	2,187
6102.90	Women's or girls' overcoats, carcoats, capes, windbreakers and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	.0	69.5	1,850
5208.19	Woven fabrics of unbleached cotton, nesi, containing 85% or more by weight of cotton and not more than 200 g/m <sup>2</sup> .....	China	21.8	68.1	9,936
8455.22	Cold metal-rolling mills, other than tube mills .....	China	13.8	63.9	7,574
2604.00	Nickel ores and concentrates .....	China	86.1	63.9	1,550
2912.13	Butanal (Butyraldehyde, normal isomer) .....	China	.0	62.5	2,450
1701.11	Cane sugar, raw, not containing added flavoring or coloring matter, in solid form .....	Bulgaria	.0	59.2	3,141
0405.00	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk .....	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	.0	54.8	41,204
2908.90	Derivatives of phenols or phenol-alcohols, nesi .....	China	53.7	50.6	3,426
6601.10	Garden or similar umbrellas .....	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	2.9	46.9	1,475
3206.50	Inorganic products of a kind used as luminophores .....	China	39.6	46.7	2,938
5508.10	Sewing thread of synthetic staple fibers, whether or not put up for retail sale .....	China	1.0	43.7	7,127
8460.11	Flat-surface grinding machines for finishing metal, in which any one axis can be set to an accuracy of at least 0.01 mm, numerically controlled .....	China	.0	42.6	1,901
6404.20	Footwear with outer soles of leather or composition leather and uppers of textile materials .....	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	5.5	41.0	2,456
8455.10	Metal-rolling tube mills .....	China	49.6	39.0	5,361
7304.20	Seamless casing, tubing and drill pipe, of a kind used in the drilling for oil or gas, of iron (other than cast iron) or steel ....	China	15.2	36.8	62,182
0402.21	Milk & cream, concentrated, in powder, granules or other solid forms, fat content wgt ov 1.5%, nt cont. added sugar or other sweetening matter .....	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	.0	35.5	3,710
6202.13	Women's and girls' overcoats, carcoats, capes, cloaks and similar coats, of man-made fibers, not knitted or crocheted .....	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	8.9	34.8	1,131

<sup>1</sup> Only items that accounted for at least 1 million dollars' worth of exports in Jan.-Sept. 1992 are included in this table.

<sup>2</sup> Former Soviet Union.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table A-4

U.S. imports from the world and from the monitored countries,<sup>1</sup> by HTS sections, Jan.-Sept. 1991 and Jan.-Sept. 1992

HTS section	Total imports		Imports from monitored countries	
	Jan.-Sept. 1991	Jan.-Sept. 1992	Jan.-Sept. 1991	Jan.-Sept. 1992
	<i>Value (million dollars)</i>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	6,597	6,701	258	357
2. Vegetable products .....	5,706	5,830	98	126
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	602	736	1	1
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	8,232	9,676	216	272
5. Mineral products .....	43,008	41,226	753	598
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	17,002	19,128	418	576
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	8,593	9,871	386	603
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	3,503	3,993	827	1,153
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	3,891	4,984	126	180
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	8,951	8,824	61	89
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	22,597	27,280	3,149	4,225
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	7,981	8,785	2,175	3,053
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	3,520	3,915	189	281
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	9,011	9,024	209	243
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	18,945	19,485	578	733
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	91,397	101,961	2,196	3,160
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	59,871	61,969	195	254
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments ..	12,315	13,414	271	418
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof ..	387	423	17	39
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	11,011	13,452	2,106	3,250
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	1,291	1,515	109	50
22. Special classification provisions .....	11,064	12,354	119	307
Total .....	355,474	384,543	14,457	19,970
	<i>Percent of total</i>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.8
2. Vegetable products .....	1.6	1.5	0.7	0.6
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0.2	0.2	( <sup>2</sup> )	( <sup>2</sup> )
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	2.3	2.5	1.5	1.4
5. Mineral products .....	12.1	10.7	5.2	3.0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	4.8	5.0	2.9	2.9
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	2.4	2.6	2.7	3.0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1.0	1.0	5.7	5.8
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	1.1	1.3	0.9	0.9
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof ..	2.5	2.3	0.4	0.4
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	6.4	7.1	21.8	21.2
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	2.2	2.3	15.0	15.3
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware ..	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.4
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	2.5	2.3	1.4	1.2
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	5.3	5.1	4.0	3.7
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	25.7	26.5	15.2	15.8
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	16.8	16.1	1.3	1.3
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments ..	3.5	3.5	1.9	2.1
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof ..	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	3.1	3.5	14.6	16.3
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.3
22. Special classification provisions .....	3.1	3.2	0.8	1.5
Total .....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

<sup>1</sup> Afghanistan, Albania, Bulgaria, Cambodia, China, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Laos, Latvia, Lithuania, Mongolia, Poland, Romania, and the former Soviet Union (including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan).

<sup>2</sup> Less than 0.05 percent.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table A-5**  
**U.S. imports from the monitored countries, by HTS sections, July-Sept. 1992**  
*(In thousands of dollars)*

HTS section	Afghani- stan	Albania	Bulgaria	Cam- bodia	China	C.S.F.R. <sup>1</sup>	Hungary
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	400	0	103,281	269	2,253
2. Vegetable products .....	292	591	220	0	31,093	339	1,573
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0	0	489	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	120	4,958	0	34,432	1,588	8,816
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	0	0	134,748	3	220
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	17	833	0	129,544	4,017	5,873
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	9	0	0	0	227,249	3,104	1,885
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	7	0	488,843	131	567
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0	0	76,397	50	53
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0	0	40,744	715	101
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	361	1	5,245	8	1,733,392	11,199	20,244
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	98	0	1,214,790	6,433	2,215
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	71	0	110,095	7,696	3,214
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	2	0	0	41,204	1,150	183
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	132	0	232,478	4,070	6,495
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	2,268	0	1,240,182	10,110	6,776
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	2	0	45,856	3,783	15,204
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	9	0	167,987	1,144	662
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0	0	14,310	631	2,872
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	148	0	1,574,968	5,739	1,137
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	13	0	2	0	22,113	153	38
22. Special classification provisions .....	1	3	145	0	139,756	1,319	668
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>14,539</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7,803,955</b>	<b>63,643</b>	<b>81,049</b>

See notes at end of table.

**Table A-5—Continued**  
**U.S. imports from the monitored countries, by HTS sections, July-Sept. 1992**  
*(In thousands of dollars)*

HTS section	Laos	Mongolia	Poland	Romania	F.S.U. <sup>2</sup>	Baltics <sup>3</sup>	Total
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	3,176	9	12,076	0	121,464
2. Vegetable products .....	0	0	638	0	96	13	34,854
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	489
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	8,042	562	5,168	260	63,945
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	1	8,565	98,756	0	242,292
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	0	7,012	14	39,460	755	187,525
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	1,096	162	1,539	0	235,044
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	97	79	227	132	2,089	8	492,180
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	14	0	1,148	62	1,949	33	79,705
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	103	0	457	0	42,122
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	1,954	1,744	19,606	3,332	2,765	3,837	1,803,689
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	1	0	4,742	4,415	179	0	1,232,873
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	7,477	465	619	322	129,960
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	127	367	57,407	80	100,520
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	9,890	802	9,363	449	263,680
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	2	4	15,076	990	2,210	45	1,277,664
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	7,784	2,210	7,770	0	82,608
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	774	392	495	13	171,475
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	8	0	17	0	17,839
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	4	0	5,121	948	708	221	1,588,994
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	94	3	2,698	2	25,115
22. Special classification provisions .....	15	8	2,126	149	14,158	30	158,379
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>2,085</b>	<b>1,835</b>	<b>94,270</b>	<b>23,577</b>	<b>259,978</b>	<b>6,067</b>	<b>8,352,416</b>

<sup>1</sup> Czech and Slovak Federal Republic.

<sup>2</sup> Former Soviet Union.

<sup>3</sup> Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table A-6

Twenty U.S. import items for which the monitored countries collectively accounted for the largest market share in 1992, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1991 and Jan.-Sept. 1992<sup>1</sup>

HTS subheading	Description	Major supplier	Share of total imports accounted for by monitored countries		Value of imports from monitored countries,
			Jan.-Sept. 1991	Jan.-Sept. 1992	Jan.-Sept. 1992
			Percent		1,000 dollars
6401.91	Waterproof footwear covering the knee, nesi, with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics ..	China	89.6	99.4	2,080
0502.10	Pigs', hogs' or boars' bristles and hair and waste thereof .....	China	92.4	97.6	4,639
6107.19	Men's or boys' underpants and briefs, knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	China	96.0	95.7	1,577
2932.21	Coumarin, methylcoumarins and ethylcoumarins .....	China	88.6	93.4	3,729
6201.99	Men's or boys' anoraks, windbreakers and similar articles, not knitted or crocheted, of textile materials nesi .....	China	66.5	90.0	22,360
8516.32	Electrothermic hairdressing apparatus other than hair dryers ..	China	78.1	89.2	60,367
2917.13	Azelaic acid, sebacic acid, their salts and esters .....	China	94.7	89.1	4,144
9101.12	Wrist watches with cases of, or clad with precious metal, battery powered, with opto-electronic display only .....	China	75.0	87.7	1,107
6108.99	Women's or girls' negligees, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi	China	84.2	85.7	2,358
9105.19	Alarm clocks, not battery or AC powered .....	China	53.4	85.2	6,424
5513.13	Woven fabrics, cont. less than 85% polyester staple fibers mixed mainly or solely with cotton, n/o 170 g/m2, unbleached or bleached, nesi .....	China	62.0	85.1	1,419
6601.91	Umbrellas, other than garden or similar umbrellas, having a telescopic shaft .....	China	76.8	84.5	34,912
6211.39	Men's or boys' track suits or other garments, not knitted or crocheted, nesi, of textile materials, nesi .....	China	62.4	84.3	4,236
9502.91	Garments and accessories thereof and footwear and headgear for dolls representing only human beings .....	China	86.6	83.4	32,135
9404.30	Sleeping bags .....	China	72.1	83.0	2,826
7202.80	Ferrotungsten and ferrosilicon tungsten .....	China	97.1	81.2	1,466
8110.00	Antimony and articles thereof, including waste and scrap .....	China	78.4	80.9	14,637
6702.90	Artificial flowers, foliage & fruit & parts thereof, & articles made up of artificial flowers, foliage or fruit, of materials .....	China	73.3	78.6	242,536
8516.31	Electrothermic hair dryers .....	China	77.8	77.8	99,987
6201.19	Men's or boys' overcoats, carcoats, capes, cloaks & like coats, not knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	China	57.8	77.7	3,498

<sup>1</sup> Only items that accounted for at least 1 million dollars' worth of imports in Jan.-Sept. 1992 are included in this table.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**APPENDIX B**  
**U.S. TRADE WITH THE MONITORED COUNTRIES,**  
**BY *SCHEDULE B* AND HTS SECTIONS, 1991,**  
**JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1991,**  
**AND JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1992**

Table B-1

U.S. trade with all monitored countries,<sup>1</sup> by Schedule B and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
U.S. exports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	124,659	76,676	139,448
2. Vegetable products .....	2,296,800	1,589,697	1,655,393
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	8,987	3,192	84,845
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	658,995	402,191	489,589
5. Mineral products .....	260,375	185,324	264,962
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	1,701,120	1,220,210	882,887
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	404,251	302,383	208,844
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	21,610	14,484	21,512
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	177,874	120,247	87,971
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	265,839	214,018	188,370
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	596,331	465,234	354,720
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	16,827	13,172	29,841
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	32,128	25,449	30,156
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	12,084	6,630	27,170
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	270,216	183,576	270,518
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	1,972,844	1,332,023	1,707,517
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	1,392,323	1,038,109	1,738,799
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	424,897	293,345	399,421
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	2,290	1,040	1,346
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	47,301	32,324	63,788
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	6,571	5,678	4,854
22. Special classification provisions .....	231,509	153,713	250,144
Total .....	10,925,832	7,678,714	8,902,096
U.S. imports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	417,334	257,613	356,707
2. Vegetable products .....	142,226	98,415	126,309
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	1,436	995	1,086
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	298,979	216,412	271,874
5. Mineral products .....	911,532	753,007	598,240
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	647,874	418,073	576,422
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	546,502	385,735	603,484
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1,195,035	826,970	1,153,176
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	179,956	126,441	180,158
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	91,127	61,088	89,237
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	4,292,827	3,149,025	4,224,775
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	3,044,225	2,175,184	3,053,461
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	279,724	188,821	281,431
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	281,878	208,832	242,588
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	789,711	578,145	732,684
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	3,305,662	2,196,070	3,159,755
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	265,705	194,535	254,375
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	413,309	270,729	418,234
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	24,750	16,623	38,990
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	3,195,175	2,106,022	3,249,809
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	118,915	108,774	50,125
22. Special classification provisions .....	190,382	119,100	306,830
Total .....	20,634,264	14,456,611	19,969,750

<sup>1</sup> Afghanistan, Albania, Bulgaria, Cambodia, China, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Laos, Latvia, Lithuania, Mongolia, Poland, Romania, and the former Soviet Union (including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan).

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**Table B-2**  
**U.S. trade with China, by Schedule B and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**  
*(In thousands of dollars)*

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	34,167	30,196	34,128
2. Vegetable products .....	367,042	248,365	286,417
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	3,341	2,790	9,447
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	18,266	13,165	11,907
5. Mineral products .....	99,084	68,992	168,575
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	1,384,728	1,031,936	771,065
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	304,809	222,650	183,116
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	13,504	8,980	12,074
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	169,393	113,863	81,459
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	225,649	182,249	146,082
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	514,737	404,887	282,717
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	831	445	3,134
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	19,866	16,407	17,479
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	6,024	2,090	20,909
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	231,765	158,028	227,790
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	1,310,818	875,017	1,078,628
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	1,149,415	843,805	1,384,282
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	310,604	207,106	296,688
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	2,196	967	1,036
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	23,436	15,505	28,196
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	436	309	442
22. Special classification provisions .....	47,942	34,506	49,790
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>6,238,054</b>	<b>4,482,257</b>	<b>5,095,362</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	358,638	231,765	316,150
2. Vegetable products .....	119,944	83,861	98,949
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	1,422	981	1,086
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	114,180	83,860	102,631
5. Mineral products .....	696,886	565,716	458,228
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	388,242	262,580	355,446
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	517,457	364,653	581,539
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1,184,473	818,197	1,142,924
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	173,757	121,384	173,615
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	87,583	58,393	86,870
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	4,126,745	3,028,195	4,050,018
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	2,992,894	2,136,913	3,013,189
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	221,195	145,741	228,549
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	111,473	73,043	99,208
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	648,715	462,776	595,746
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	3,184,766	2,111,558	3,046,538
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	149,001	101,999	148,270
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	404,358	264,480	409,415
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	22,303	15,332	30,435
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	3,158,947	2,079,724	3,219,744
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	23,064	14,877	42,026
22. Special classification provisions .....	168,997	102,727	271,946
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>18,855,041</b>	<b>13,128,757</b>	<b>18,472,525</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-3

U.S. trade with the former Soviet Union,<sup>1</sup> by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
U.S. exports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	68,777	39,725	72,278
2. Vegetable products .....	1,803,604	1,226,582	1,264,580
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	5,207	0	74,907
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	611,186	367,476	418,906
5. Mineral products .....	41,622	29,192	29,657
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	261,561	151,972	54,774
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	81,149	65,742	14,793
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	3,250	1,278	5,777
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	1,018	885	889
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	8,085	6,669	9,444
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	22,935	12,511	42,274
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	11,465	9,143	23,438
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	3,671	2,427	3,291
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	3,960	2,539	4,520
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	23,991	13,250	31,484
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	388,001	274,676	352,399
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	37,767	30,992	65,805
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	53,681	41,668	44,790
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	21
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	15,093	10,539	26,138
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	1,875	1,190	1,087
22. Special classification provisions .....	50,553	30,924	74,404
Total .....	3,498,452	2,319,380	2,615,657
U.S. imports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	22,718	5,267	24,918
2. Vegetable products .....	661	570	1,281
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	14	14	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	19,446	12,742	14,525
5. Mineral products .....	211,816	184,624	107,279
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	184,091	103,560	158,962
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	1,118	900	2,848
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	4,055	3,655	7,125
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	3,175	2,856	3,140
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	1,682	1,238	954
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	11,958	10,192	5,432
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	58	43	222
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	2,473	1,742	1,253
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	165,291	132,199	138,299
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	46,914	40,278	73,004
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	4,809	3,828	6,653
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	15,622	13,478	25,133
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	788	569	869
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	26	19	28
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	1,189	890	1,126
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	87,465	86,219	6,134
22. Special classification provisions .....	8,490	6,830	19,469
Total .....	793,860	611,715	598,655

<sup>1</sup> Including data reported for Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan during Jan.-Sept. 1992. Data for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991, have not been included in 1992 figures.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table B-4**  
**U.S. trade with Central and Eastern Europe,<sup>1</sup> by Schedule B and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	21,715	6,754	33,018
2. Vegetable products .....	122,515	111,111	57,582
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	439	403	475
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	29,196	21,201	53,010
5. Mineral products .....	119,668	87,140	64,861
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	54,103	35,698	55,867
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	18,069	13,781	10,453
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	4,857	4,225	3,589
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	7,463	5,499	5,404
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	32,092	25,088	30,419
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	57,354	46,569	26,552
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	4,531	3,585	1,683
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	8,592	6,616	9,271
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	2,101	2,001	1,168
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	14,447	12,287	7,550
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	272,790	181,161	262,993
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	199,969	158,259	285,728
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	57,670	41,680	53,395
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	94	73	289
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	8,732	6,240	8,613
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	4,260	4,179	3,276
22. Special classification provisions .....	132,557	87,873	114,372
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1,173,213</b>	<b>861,423</b>	<b>1,089,568</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	35,977	20,580	15,619
2. Vegetable products .....	21,083	13,581	25,274
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	165,354	119,810	154,355
5. Mineral products .....	2,830	2,667	32,289
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	75,541	51,933	57,906
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	27,927	20,181	19,090
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	6,137	4,782	2,598
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	3,012	2,189	3,316
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereo .....	1,861	1,457	1,401
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	150,649	108,267	156,729
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	51,267	38,221	40,048
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	56,057	41,337	51,285
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	3,978	2,641	4,938
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	94,059	75,068	59,201
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	116,034	80,630	106,434
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	101,081	79,058	80,406
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	8,154	5,669	7,853
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	2,420	1,273	8,528
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	35,036	25,405	28,035
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	8,303	7,613	1,419
22. Special classification provisions .....	12,740	9,392	15,268
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>979,499</b>	<b>711,757</b>	<b>871,990</b>

<sup>1</sup> Albania, Bulgaria, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Hungary, Poland, and Romania.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-5

U.S. trade with the Baltic nations,<sup>1</sup> by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	(2)	(2)	0
2. Vegetable products .....	(2)	(2)	46,797
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	(2)	(2)	17
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	(2)	(2)	5,680
5. Mineral products .....	(2)	(2)	1,858
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	(2)	(2)	847
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	(2)	(2)	478
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	(2)	(2)	72
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	(2)	(2)	219
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	(2)	(2)	2,218
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	(2)	(2)	2,019
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	(2)	(2)	1,586
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	(2)	(2)	109
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	(2)	(2)	572
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	(2)	(2)	3,168
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	(2)	(2)	9,578
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	(2)	(2)	2,273
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	(2)	(2)	1,439
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	(2)	(2)	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	(2)	(2)	743
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	(2)	(2)	50
22. Special classification provisions .....	(2)	(2)	11,321
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>91,043</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	(2)	(2)	4
2. Vegetable products .....	(2)	(2)	33
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	(2)	(2)	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	(2)	(2)	340
5. Mineral products .....	(2)	(2)	443
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	(2)	(2)	4,094
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	(2)	(2)	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	(2)	(2)	109
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	(2)	(2)	64
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	(2)	(2)	2
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	(2)	(2)	5,546
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	(2)	(2)	1
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	(2)	(2)	342
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	(2)	(2)	98
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	(2)	(2)	4,730
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	(2)	(2)	124
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	(2)	(2)	567
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	(2)	(2)	96
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	(2)	(2)	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	(2)	(2)	889
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	(2)	(2)	24
22. Special classification provisions .....	(2)	(2)	91
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>17,598</b>

<sup>1</sup> Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania.<sup>2</sup> Trade with these countries was reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table B-6**  
**U.S. trade with Afghanistan, by Schedule B and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**  
*(In thousands of dollars)*

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	15
2. Vegetable products .....	18	18	0
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	348	348	50
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	12
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	392	268	328
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	161	146	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	4	4	40
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	1,303	1,265	1,053
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	12	12	40
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	276	276	3
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	260	142	190
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	34	16	8
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	40	40	98
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	94	64	44
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>2,942</b>	<b>2,598</b>	<b>1,880</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	0
2. Vegetable products .....	538	403	772
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	23
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	2
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	0	14
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	9
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1	0	1
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	2,336	1,770	907
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	6	6	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	224	36	44
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	2
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	47	47	0
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	0
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	10	10	1
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	4	3	0
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	64	54	520
22. Special classification provisions .....	16	12	27
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>3,245</b>	<b>2,342</b>	<b>2,321</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-7

U.S. trade with Albania, by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
U.S. exports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	2,569	0	7,523
2. Vegetable products .....	6,369	803	10
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	184	184	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	16	16	98
5. Mineral products .....	6,691	6,691	1,496
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	195	195	4,782
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	3	3	3
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	6
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	27	10	105
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	0	0	721
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	24	18	53
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	513	283	835
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	4	0	1,451
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	495	470	0
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	7
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	884	746	606
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>17,973</b>	<b>9,419</b>	<b>17,695</b>
U.S. imports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	0
2. Vegetable products .....	3,055	2,094	1,563
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	10	10	120
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	1,239
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	116	112	40
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	0	0	2
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	2
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	0
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	0
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	6
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	0
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	0	0	9
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>3,181</b>	<b>2,215</b>	<b>2,982</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table B-8**  
**U.S. trade with Bulgaria, by Schedule B and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**  
*(In thousands of dollars)*

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	112
2. Vegetable products .....	34,358	34,349	557
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	1,015	629	4,383
5. Mineral products .....	54,595	32,718	27,305
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	1,191	824	2,231
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	806	399	893
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	27	27	5
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	178	178	54
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	1,068	466	988
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	1,927	768	437
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	162	162	125
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	109	92	1,317
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	160	148	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	4,603	4,450	721
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	8,911	7,395	11,880
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	29,428	1,926	3,737
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	1,311	1,031	1,939
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	539	287	177
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	981	436	1,843
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>141,369</b>	<b>86,283</b>	<b>58,703</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	3,987	1,847	1,881
2. Vegetable products .....	324	191	476
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	18,362	13,987	82,742
5. Mineral products .....	2	2	0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	13,175	9,964	6,468
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	32	25	4
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	2	2	9
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	2	2	7
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	71	66	6
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	1,864	271	11,435
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	17	17	98
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	161	80	187
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	10	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	29	19	272
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	3,082	1,492	6,461
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	157
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	26	26	26
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	3	3	38
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	615	541	453
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	24	9	29
22. Special classification provisions .....	584	532	1,011
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>42,372</b>	<b>29,078</b>	<b>111,760</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-9

U.S. trade with Cambodia, by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	0
2. Vegetable products .....	0	0	0
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	0
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	0	0
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	0	0	82
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	467
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	3,687
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	362
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	2,803
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	0
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	18	0	99
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,499</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	0
2. Vegetable products .....	0	0	0
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	0
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	0	0
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	4
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	0	0	10
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	0
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	0
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	0
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	0
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	2
22. Special classification provisions .....	0	0	0
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



Table B-10

U.S. trade with the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
U.S. exports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	354	205	588
2. Vegetable products .....	2,156	1,116	10,566
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	67	67	80
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	4,832	2,770	11,451
5. Mineral products .....	193	165	264
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	9,818	6,354	16,708
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	1,574	1,108	1,391
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	2,235	2,160	441
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	1,134	795	803
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	7,199	5,768	2,400
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	16,850	16,648	2,862
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	210	37	70
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	1,427	949	951
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	183	174	58
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	761	581	788
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	48,086	27,013	76,626
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	6,596	5,971	156,718
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	9,768	5,317	13,079
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	73	73	289
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	752	652	841
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	843	824	175
22. Special classification provisions .....	4,734	3,135	9,136
Total .....	119,846	81,881	306,285
U.S. imports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	704	210	391
2. Vegetable products .....	6,556	5,262	11,131
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	11,818	7,370	4,729
5. Mineral products .....	367	367	288
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	3,394	1,541	10,212
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	9,431	6,224	9,150
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	554	300	432
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	164	104	181
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	755	472	1,034
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	21,175	13,958	28,533
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	16,636	12,609	13,177
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	17,575	13,549	20,314
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	1,852	1,240	2,882
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	9,455	7,031	9,292
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	20,425	11,001	29,208
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	6,783	5,546	6,956
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	3,451	2,454	3,428
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	300	181	2,465
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	9,355	6,505	11,107
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	1,343	1,109	820
22. Special classification provisions .....	3,641	2,503	3,699
Total .....	145,735	99,536	169,429

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table B-11**  
**U.S. trade with Hungary, by Schedule B and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992**  
*(In thousands of dollars)*

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	2,866	2,752	2,906
2. Vegetable products .....	8,901	8,884	1,369
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	136	100	76
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	2,849	1,143	6,659
5. Mineral products .....	118	88	301
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	19,008	12,367	14,486
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	5,810	4,433	1,700
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	843	656	431
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	189	136	266
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	3,840	3,059	5,182
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	4,488	3,695	4,082
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	360	171	150
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	4,953	3,753	4,598
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	134	96	309
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	2,068	1,660	1,349
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	56,110	39,785	55,474
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	105,903	102,297	101,121
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	19,271	14,044	11,567
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	21	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	2,199	1,582	2,725
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	375	313	41
22. Special classification provisions .....	6,479	4,428	7,295
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>246,922</b>	<b>205,443</b>	<b>222,088</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	11,405	6,057	5,896
2. Vegetable products .....	5,742	3,608	4,785
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	75,269	50,562	33,127
5. Mineral products .....	865	703	652
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	32,346	22,366	21,341
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	14,365	10,822	7,082
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1,756	1,205	693
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	185	119	141
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	911	848	159
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	51,867	36,836	53,803
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	16,812	14,240	9,368
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	9,983	7,094	9,238
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	620	393	433
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	19,049	16,216	18,783
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	37,811	27,390	24,560
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	67,496	52,190	52,937
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	1,216	754	1,466
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	2,049	1,034	5,973
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	7,470	4,873	2,921
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	6,616	6,329	175
22. Special classification provisions .....	3,397	2,093	2,064
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>367,228</b>	<b>265,731</b>	<b>255,597</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-12

U.S. trade with Laos, by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	0
2. Vegetable products .....	0	0	0
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	0
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	327	327	0
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	63	63	4
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	5
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	3	3	24
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	3
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	5
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	120	60	113
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	151
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	56	35	48
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	0
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	324	324	24
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>378</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	16
2. Vegetable products .....	0	0	0
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	0
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	0	0
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	368	335	340
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	11	11	24
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	695	410	2,916
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	1
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	912	912	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	23	23	0
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	7	7	2
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	0
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	0
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	15
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	140	139	16
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>2,156</b>	<b>1,837</b>	<b>3,330</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-13

U.S. trade with Mongolia, by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
<b>U.S. exports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	9
2. Vegetable products .....	3,621	3,621	17
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	36
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	9	9	6
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	0	0	0
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	9	9	162
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	0	0	0
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	3
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	14
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	838	833	114
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	4,912	4,912	8
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	2,850	2,840	250
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	0
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	21	21	91
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>12,259</b>	<b>12,244</b>	<b>709</b>
<b>U.S. imports:</b>			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	0
2. Vegetable products .....	0	0	0
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	0	0	0
5. Mineral products .....	0	0	0
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	0	0	0
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	0	0	0
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1	1	79
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	0	0	0
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	0	0	5
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	444	191	3,217
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	0	0	0
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	0	0	0
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	0	0	0
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	0	0	0
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	4
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	0	0	0
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	0	0	0
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	0	0	0
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	20	11	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	0	0	12
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>3,316</b>

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-14

U.S. trade with Poland, by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
U.S. exports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	5,184	3,750	14,859
2. Vegetable products .....	12,296	8,051	6,820
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	52	52	10
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	19,340	15,880	14,033
5. Mineral products .....	1,949	1,441	1,619
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	15,008	10,188	12,399
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	9,267	7,287	5,319
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1,331	1,196	1,360
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	1,591	933	1,650
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	10,928	7,818	14,260
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	27,774	23,617	15,011
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	3,678	3,151	1,231
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	2,006	1,759	2,393
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	1,584	1,543	718
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	3,685	2,838	2,689
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	125,753	81,016	89,568
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	57,126	47,291	19,758
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	24,660	19,302	23,516
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	4,349	3,283	4,083
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	3,042	3,042	3,061
22. Special classification provisions .....	110,437	71,484	84,992
Total .....	441,039	314,923	319,348
U.S. imports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	19,881	12,467	7,441
2. Vegetable products .....	5,175	2,231	7,209
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	58,272	46,992	31,950
5. Mineral products .....	1,073	1,071	47
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	26,495	17,940	19,827
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	3,539	2,656	2,538
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	1,252	901	1,036
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	2,225	1,645	2,810
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	123	69	198
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	57,697	43,196	54,850
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	9,626	5,533	10,587
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	24,177	17,284	20,003
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	634	451	553
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	47,167	36,872	26,730
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	50,685	37,856	41,830
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	21,485	17,241	16,222
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	2,121	1,507	1,934
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	69	56	51
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	14,307	10,881	11,444
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	249	139	364
22. Special classification provisions .....	4,538	3,719	7,462
Total .....	350,790	260,705	265,087

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table B-15

U.S. trade with Romania, by *Schedule B* and HTS sections, 1991, Jan.-Sept. 1991, and Jan.-Sept. 1992

(In thousands of dollars)

Section	1991	Jan.- Sept. 1991	Jan.- Sept. 1992
U.S. exports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	10,741	48	7,030
2. Vegetable products .....	58,436	57,908	38,260
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	308
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	1,144	764	16,386
5. Mineral products .....	56,123	46,036	33,876
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	8,884	5,770	5,262
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	609	551	1,147
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	420	186	1,351
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	4,372	3,457	2,625
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	9,030	7,966	7,483
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	6,315	1,841	3,439
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	120	64	106
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	97	63	12
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	40	40	83
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	3,306	2,741	1,951
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	33,417	25,669	28,611
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	913	773	2,943
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	2,164	1,516	3,293
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	892	437	780
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	0	0	0
22. Special classification provisions .....	9,043	7,644	10,501
Total .....	206,065	163,472	165,450
U.S. imports:			
1. Live animals; animal products .....	0	0	9
2. Vegetable products .....	230	196	110
3. Animal or vegetable fats, oils, and waxes .....	0	0	0
4. Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, and tobacco .....	1,622	888	1,688
5. Mineral products .....	523	523	30,063
6. Products of the chemical or allied industries .....	15	10	18
7. Plastics and rubber, and articles thereof .....	560	454	315
8. Hides and skins; leather and articles thereof; travel goods, handbags and similar containers .....	2,573	2,374	429
9. Articles of wood, cork, or plaiting materials .....	435	319	176
10. Wood pulp; paper, paperboard, and articles thereof .....	2	2	4
11. Textiles and textile articles .....	18,047	14,006	8,105
12. Footwear, headgear, and artificial flowers .....	8,176	5,823	6,818
13. Articles of stone or ceramics; glass and glassware .....	4,160	3,331	1,543
14. Pearls; precious stones and metals; jewelry; coin .....	862	557	1,068
15. Base metals and articles of base metal .....	18,359	14,930	4,125
16. Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts and accessories thereof .....	4,031	2,891	4,376
17. Vehicles, aircraft, and other transport equipment .....	5,318	4,082	4,134
18. Optical, photographic, measuring, and medical ap- paratus; clocks and watches; musical instruments .....	1,339	929	992
19. Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof .....	0	0	0
20. Miscellaneous manufactured articles .....	3,289	2,606	2,110
21. Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques .....	71	28	31
22. Special classification provisions .....	581	545	1,023
Total .....	70,193	54,492	67,134

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**APPENDIX C**  
**LEADING ITEMS TRADED WITH THE MONITORED COUNTRIES,**  
**BY *SCHEDULE B* AND HTS SUBHEADINGS,**  
**JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1992, JULY-SEPTEMBER 1991,**  
**AND JULY-SEPTEMBER 1992**

**Table C-1**  
**Leading items exported to monitored countries,<sup>1</sup> by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992,**  
**July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8802.40	Airplanes and other aircraft, of an unladen weight exceeding 15000 kg .....	\$1,322,508	\$275,701	\$588,974
1001.90	Wheat and meslin, excluding durum wheat .....	1,044,517	150,756	202,123
3100.00	Fertilizers .....	502,352	276,891	102,635
1005.90	Corn (maize) excluding seed .....	422,102	311,277	66,925
2304.00	Oilcake and other solid residues, resulting from the extraction of soybean oil .....	266,619	99,859	89,095
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	196,901	45,104	43,736
5201.00	Cotton, not carded or combed .....	188,680	3,403	235
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	163,946	22,539	42,982
2402.20	Cigarettes containing tobacco .....	134,853	9,376	106,601
1201.00	Soybeans, whether or not broken .....	118,058	42,635	60,098
8431.43	Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49 .....	106,468	19,041	29,413
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	93,213	18,876	29,599
8411.12	Turbojets of a thrust exceeding 25 kN .....	88,919	24,563	36,811
4403.20	Coniferous wood in the rough, whether or not stripped of bark or sapwood or roughly squared, not treated with preservatives .....	76,810	28,372	28,514
4804.11	Uncoated, unbleached kraftliner paper or paperboard, in rolls or sheets, nesi .....	71,437	33,589	19,915
7304.20	Seamless casing, tubing and drill pipe, of a kind used in the drilling for oil or gas, of iron (other than cast iron) or steel .....	62,182	17,808	25,800
2917.36	Terephthalic acid and its salts .....	60,687	24,033	18,251
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	55,255	8,822	21,680
8479.89	Machines and mechanical appliances having individual functions, nesi .....	54,713	26,831	32,879
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	54,237	11,178	20,962
	Total .....	5,084,457	1,450,653	1,567,227
	Total, U.S. exports to monitored countries ..	8,902,096	2,513,014	2,977,199

<sup>1</sup> Afghanistan, Albania, Bulgaria, Cambodia, China, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Laos, Latvia, Lithuania, Mongolia, Poland, Romania, and the former Soviet Union (including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan).

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**Table C-2**  
**Leading Items Imported from monitored countries,<sup>1</sup> by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991,**  
**and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
6402.99	Footwear with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics, nesi .....	\$750,979	\$258,168	\$268,373
6403.99	Footwear not covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber or plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	745,845	230,862	307,423
9503.90	Other toys and models, nesi .....	618,391	155,842	259,033
6110.90	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	547,618	246,810	333,547
2709.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude .....	401,731	127,915	144,477
6403.91	Footwear, covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber, plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	380,940	124,638	206,710
9502.10	Dolls representing only human beings and parts and accessories thereof, whether or not dressed .....	362,001	161,971	185,570
9503.41	Stuffed toys representing animals or non-human creatures and parts and accessories thereof .....	333,392	93,126	157,428
8527.11	Reception apparatus for radiotelephony, radiotelegraphy or radio broadcasting combined with sound recording or reproducing apparatus .....	315,513	103,823	124,067
9505.10	Articles for Christmas festivities and parts and accessories thereof .....	305,256	126,222	217,085
6206.10	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or silk waste .....	265,132	59,892	105,796
6702.90	Artificial flowers, foliage & fruit & parts thereof, & articles made up of artificial flowers, foliage or fruit, of materials .....	242,536	64,361	85,138
4202.92	Trunks, cases, bags and similar containers, with outer surface of plastic sheeting or of textile materials .....	235,868	60,675	84,523
9503.49	Toys representing animals or non-human creatures, other than stuffed toys, and parts and accessories thereof .....	221,605	69,602	103,642
4203.10	Articles of apparel of leather or of composition leather .....	215,424	60,923	122,185
6402.91	Footwear covering the ankle, with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics, excluding waterproof footwear .....	215,059	80,353	119,576
4202.22	Handbags, with outer surface of plastic sheeting or of textile materials .....	206,945	68,015	74,774
3926.90	Articles of plastics and articles of other materials of headings 3901 to 3914, nesi ...	201,189	49,238	71,626
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	189,219	76,012	75,588
6404.19	Footwear, nesi, with outer soles of rubber or plastics and uppers of textile materials .....	185,156	30,889	38,943
	Total .....	6,939,798	2,249,338	3,085,504
	Total, U.S. imports from monitored countries .....	19,969,750	6,025,324	8,352,416

<sup>1</sup> Afghanistan, Albania, Bulgaria, Cambodia, China, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Laos, Latvia, Lithuania, Mongolia, Poland, Romania, and the former Soviet Union (including Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan).

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-3**  
**Leading items exported to China, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8802.40	Airplanes and other aircraft, of an unladen weight exceeding 15000 kg .....	\$1,095,073	\$275,701	\$473,973
3100.00	Fertilizers .....	487,010	245,060	101,156
1001.90	Wheat and meslin, excluding durum wheat .....	251,735	123,951	3,439
5201.00	Cotton, not carded or combed .....	185,943	2,229	86
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	185,370	44,230	38,076
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	141,987	17,757	33,382
4403.20	Coniferous wood in the rough, whether or not stripped of bark or sapwood or roughly squared, not treated with preservatives .....	76,804	28,372	28,514
4804.11	Uncoated, unbleached kraftliner paper or paperboard, in rolls or sheets, nesi .....	69,423	33,254	19,905
8411.12	Turbojets of a thrust exceeding 25 kN .....	68,526	24,563	17,418
2917.36	Terephthalic acid and its salts .....	60,687	24,033	18,251
7304.20	Seamless casing, tubing and drill pipe, of a kind used in the drilling for oil or gas, of iron (other than cast iron) or steel .....	49,894	17,549	15,559
8479.89	Machines and mechanical appliances having individual functions, nesi .....	49,720	26,220	32,217
3902.10	Polypropylene .....	49,412	31,196	14,986
8431.43	Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49 .....	48,739	5,520	9,343
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	44,099	7,184	17,246
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	42,574	12,463	10,556
5502.00	Artificial filament tow .....	41,923	22,047	15,087
3901.10	Polyethylene having a specific gravity of less than 0.94 .....	41,604	19,627	14,337
7404.00	Copper waste and scrap .....	36,104	9,015	9,360
7403.11	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper .....	30,922	5,441	17,439
	Total .....	3,057,550	975,411	890,329
	Total, U.S. exports to China .....	5,095,362	1,562,278	1,614,778

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-4**  
**Leading Items Imported from China, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
6402.99	Footwear with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics, nesi .....	\$750,837	\$258,168	\$268,373
6403.99	Footwear not covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber or plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	730,434	222,920	302,174
9503.90	Other toys and models, nesi .....	617,982	155,696	258,898
6110.90	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	547,618	246,810	333,547
2709.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude .....	367,752	127,915	110,497
6403.91	Footwear, covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber, plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	367,240	117,772	198,829
9502.10	Dolls representing only human beings and parts and accessories thereof, whether or not dressed .....	361,469	161,829	185,356
9503.41	Stuffed toys representing animals or non-human creatures and parts and accessories thereof .....	333,384	93,115	157,427
8527.11	Reception apparatus for radiotelephony, radiotelegraphy or radio broadcasting combined with sound recording or reproducing apparatus .....	315,513	103,823	124,067
9505.10	Articles for Christmas festivities and parts and accessories thereof .....	301,689	124,363	214,658
6206.10	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or silk waste .....	265,089	59,877	105,765
6702.90	Artificial flowers, foliage & fruit & parts thereof, & articles made up of artificial flowers, foliage or fruit, of materials .....	242,420	64,295	85,087
4202.92	Trunks, cases, bags and similar containers, with outer surface of plastic sheeting or of textile materials .....	235,675	60,674	84,444
9503.49	Toys representing animals or non-human creatures, other than stuffed toys, and parts and accessories thereof .....	221,489	69,571	103,593
4203.10	Articles of apparel of leather or of composition leather .....	215,053	60,744	121,900
6402.91	Footwear covering the ankle, with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics, excluding waterproof footwear .....	214,901	80,205	119,505
4202.22	Handbags, with outer surface of plastic sheeting or of textile materials .....	206,944	68,013	74,773
3926.90	Articles of plastics and articles of other materials of headings 3901 to 3914, nesi .....	200,735	49,031	71,430
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	189,218	76,012	75,586
6404.19	Footwear, nesi, with outer soles of rubber or plastics and uppers of textile materials .....	185,128	30,885	38,919
	Total .....	6,870,569	2,231,720	3,034,828
	Total, U.S. imports from China .....	18,472,525	5,582,404	7,803,955

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-5

Leading items exported to the former Soviet Union,<sup>1</sup> by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
1001.90	Wheat and meslin, excluding durum wheat .....	\$780,206	\$26,805	\$198,684
1005.90	Corn (maize) excluding seed .....	391,871	267,024	66,644
2304.00	Oilcake and other solid residues, resulting from the extraction of soybean oil .....	251,286	99,859	83,829
2402.20	Cigarettes containing tobacco .....	118,395	7,496	96,772
1201.00	Soybeans, whether or not broken .....	53,856	42,635	6,619
8431.43	Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49 .....	50,682	13,339	15,108
0405.00	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk .....	36,036	0	29,029
1507.10	Crude soybean oil, whether or not degummed .....	29,226	0	0
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	24,286	1,282	15,851
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	22,902	1,939	10,120
8411.12	Turbojets of a thrust exceeding 25 kN .....	20,393	0	19,393
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	19,732	3,123	8,659
8419.89	Machinery, plant or laboratory equipment, nesi, not used for domestic purposes .....	19,640	9	19,640
9406.00	Prefabricated buildings .....	17,990	1,015	5,685
2208.90	Spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages, nesi .....	17,282	417	15,391
1502.00	Fats of bovine animals, sheep or goats, raw or rendered, whether or not pressed or solvent-extracted .....	17,111	0	17,111
1006.30	Semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed .....	15,606	0	1,009
8471.92	Automatic data processing machines with or without input or output units or containing storage units in the same housing .....	15,321	2,386	5,422
0402.10	Milk and cream, whether or not sweetened, in powder, granules or other solid forms, fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1.5 percent .....	14,531	0	3,416
1507.90	Soybean oil and its fractions, whether or not refined, but not chemically modified, other than crude soybean oil .....	13,953	0	2,703
	Total .....	1,930,306	467,327	621,083
	Total, U.S. exports to the former Soviet Union .....	2,615,657	702,222	904,306

<sup>1</sup> Including reported exports to Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan during Jan.-Sept. 1992. Exports to Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991, have not been included in 1992 figures.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-6

Leading items imported from the former Soviet Union,<sup>1</sup> by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
7110.31	Rhodium, unwrought or in powdered form .....	\$79,541	\$23,440	\$32,436
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	69,913	71,704	63,103
2814.10	Anhydrous ammonia .....	39,274	9,828	10,388
2709.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude .....	33,979	0	33,979
2844.30	Uranium depleted in U235 & its compounds; thorium & its compounds; alloys, dispersions, ceramic products & mixtures containing these products .....	32,124	2,094	0
7110.29	Palladium in semimanufactured forms .....	26,758	1,611	9,996
2844.10	Natural uranium and its compounds; alloys, dispersions, ceramic products & mixtures containing natural uranium or natural uranium compounds .....	24,927	32,713	0
8701.90	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709), nesi .....	23,622	2,991	6,896
7502.10	Unwrought nickel, not alloyed .....	23,460	7,652	0
3104.20	Potassium chloride .....	19,000	1,819	13,924
7202.29	Ferrosilicon not containing by weight more than 55% of silicon .....	18,723	3,223	0
2844.20	Uranium enriched in U235 and plutonium and their compounds; alloys, dispersions, ceramic products and mixtures containing these products .....	12,229	0	0
2208.90	Spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages, nesi .....	11,517	4,198	3,692
3105.40	Ammonium dihydrogenorthophosphate (Monoammonium phosphate), mixtures thereof with diammonium hydrogenorthophosphate (Diammonium phosphate) .....	11,513	0	7,330
0304.20	Frozen fish fillets (whether or not minced) .....	11,333	1,765	4,406
7110.21	Palladium, unwrought or in powder form .....	8,843	9,177	4,763
8105.10	Cobalt mattes and other intermediate products of cobalt metallurgy; unwrought cobalt; waste and scrap; powders .....	7,379	1,469	3,350
7504.00	Nickel powders and flakes .....	6,966	140	0
3501.10	Casein .....	6,930	1,394	4,638
7110.11	Platinum, unwrought or in powder form .....	6,898	641	580
	Total .....	474,930	175,859	199,481
	Total, U.S. imports from the former Soviet Union .....	598,655	199,723	259,978

<sup>1</sup> Including reported imports from Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan during Jan.-Sept. 1992. Imports from Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991, have not been included in 1992 figures.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-7**  
**Leading items exported to Central and Eastern Europe,<sup>1</sup> by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992,**  
**July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8802.40	Airplanes and other aircraft, of an unladen weight exceeding 15000 kg .....	\$227,435	0	\$115,001
2701.12	Bituminous coal, whether or not pulverized, but not agglomerated .....	42,180	17,834	15,462
1201.00	Soybeans, whether or not broken .....	34,519	0	23,797
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	27,351	4,474	8,787
8473.30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471 .....	23,098	3,094	7,692
0207.41	Cuts and offal, of chickens, other than livers, frozen .....	15,862	136	9,584
8524.90	Recorded media for sound or other similarly recorded phenomena .....	14,317	1,701	5,459
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	12,759	4,104	5,030
1006.30	Semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed .....	12,738	1,248	5,188
2403.10	Smoking tobacco, whether or not containing tobacco substitutes in any proportion .....	12,225	2,916	6,457
2603.00	Copper ores and concentrates .....	11,686	0	0
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	10,914	2,409	4,868
4818.40	Sanitary napkins and tampons, diapers and diaper liners and similar sanitary articles of paper pulp, paper, cellulose wadding or webs of cellulose fibers .....	10,630	612	934
2304.00	Oilcake and other solid residues, resulting from the extraction of soybean oil .....	10,142	0	5,266
2402.20	Cigarettes containing tobacco .....	10,113	706	7,124
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	9,825	405	569
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	8,950	843	4,210
8517.90	Parts of telephonic or telegraphic apparatus .....	8,875	2,220	6,694
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	8,774	2,617	3,884
9015.80	Surveying, hydrographic, oceanographic, hydrological, meteorological or geophysical instruments and appliances, nesi .....	8,373	2,821	229
	Total .....	520,764	48,140	236,236
	Total, U.S. exports to Central and Eastern Europe .....	1,089,568	247,612	432,112

<sup>1</sup> Albania, Bulgaria, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Hungary, Poland, and Romania.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-8**  
**Leading items imported from Central and Eastern Europe,<sup>1</sup> by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992,**  
**July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
2401.10	Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped .....	\$81,504	\$2,880	\$4,669
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	31,302	6	8,565
1602.41	Prepared or preserved hams and cuts thereof, of swine .....	27,409	13,083	8,560
8708.50	Drive axles with differential, whether or not provided with other trans- mission components of the motor- vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	19,152	2,863	5,069
8708.60	Non-driving axles and parts thereof of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	18,293	4,483	7,544
6403.99	Footwear not covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber or plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	15,410	7,942	5,250
8481.80	Taps, cocks, valves, and similar appliances, nesi, for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats or the like .....	13,736	1,241	3,852
6403.91	Footwear, covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber, plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	13,687	6,866	7,869
8701.90	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709), nesi .....	12,879	3,750	7,141
1210.10	Hop cones, fresh or dried, neither ground, powdered nor in the form of pellets .....	12,049	0	4
8539.22	Electrical filament lamps, excluding tungsten halogen lamps, nesi, of a power not exceeding 200 W and for a voltage exceeding 100 V .....	11,667	5,960	3,659
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	11,386	5,474	1,663
3501.10	Casein .....	11,066	5,922	4,556
6204.31	Women's or girls' suit-type jackets and blazers, not knitted or crocheted, of wool or fine animal hair .....	10,642	3,598	6,987
6203.11	Men's or boys' suits, of wool or fine animal hair, knitted or crocheted .....	10,508	3,164	4,804
2009.70	Apple juice, unfermented and not containing added spirit .....	9,780	1,056	446
7018.10	Glass beads, imitation pearls, imitation precious or semiprecious stones and similar glass smallwares .....	9,109	1,797	3,407
6110.20	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	8,647	400	3,166
7013.29	Drinking glasses other than of glass-ceramics or of lead crystal .....	8,226	2,125	3,693
7409.21	Strip of copper-zinc base alloys (brass), in coils .....	8,075	2,659	2,466
	Total .....	344,528	75,268	93,368
	Total, U.S. imports from Central and Eastern Europe .....	871,990	242,016	277,812

<sup>1</sup> Albania, Bulgaria, the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Hungary, Poland, and Romania.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-9

Leading items exported to the Baltic nations,<sup>1</sup> by *Schedule B* subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
1005.90	Corn (maize) excluding seed .....	\$28,351	(2)	\$22
1001.90	Wheat and meslin, excluding durum wheat .....			0
1005.10	Seed corn (maize) .....	12,576	(2)	0
2304.00	Oilcake and other solid residues, resulting from the extraction of soybean oil .....	5,824	(2)	0
7304.20	Seamless casing, tubing and drill pipe, of a kind used in the drilling for oil or gas, of iron (other than cast iron) or steel .....	5,190	(2)	0
4907.00	Unused stamps of current or new issue in country to which destined; stamp-impressed paper; check forms; documents of title, etc .....	2,898	(2)	2,129
2713.12	Petroleum coke, calcined .....	2,034	(2)	2,000
8471.10	Analog or hybrid automatic data processing machines .....	1,540	(2)	1,540
8430.41	Self-propelled boring or sinking machinery .....	1,524	(2)	1,156
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	1,500	(2)	500
8529.10	Antennas & antenna reflectors of all kinds for use solely or principally with apparatus of headings 8525-8528; parts suitable for use therewith .....	1,177	(2)	732
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	847	(2)	297
8517.10	Telephone sets .....	651	(2)	327
6403.19	Sports footwear with outer soles of rubber, plastics, leather or composition leather & uppers of leather, excl. ski- & cross-country ski footwear .....	462	(2)	6
9022.11	Apparatus based on the use of X-rays for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary use .....	406	(2)	98
8703.24	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, cylinder capacity over 3,000 cc .....	405	(2)	0
6403.59	Footwear with outer soles and uppers of leather, not covering the ankle .....	375	(2)	255
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	372	(2)	121
6309.00	Worn clothing and other worn textile articles .....	371	(2)	136
6403.20	Footwear with outer soles of leather and uppers of leather straps across the instep and around the big toe .....	364	(2)	167
		360	(2)	360
	Total .....	67,228	(2)	9,847
	Total, U.S. exports to the Baltic nations .....	91,043	(2)	18,213

<sup>1</sup> Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania.

<sup>2</sup> Exports to these countries were reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**Table C-10**  
**Leading Items Imported from the Baltic nations,<sup>1</sup> by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000	1,000	1,000
		dollars	dollars	dollars
5208.12	Plain weave fabrics of unbleached cotton, containing 85% or more by weight of cotton and weighing more than 100 g/m2 .....	\$5,238	(2)	\$3,617
7404.00	Copper waste and scrap .....	2,407	(2)	359
3104.20	Potassium chloride .....	2,195	(2)	0
7602.00	Aluminum waste and scrap .....	1,815	(2)	0
2814.10	Anhydrous ammonia .....	819	(2)	0
9403.60	Wooden furniture, other than of a kind used in the bedroom .....	708	(2)	123
2916.31	Benzoic acid, its salts and esters .....	698	(2)	573
8701.90	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709), nesi .....	567	(2)	0
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	443	(2)	0
6913.10	Statuettes and other ornamental ceramic articles of porcelain or china .....	334	(2)	322
3507.90	Enzymes; prepared enzymes nesi, excluding rennet and concentrates thereof .....	183	(2)	86
9506.11	Snow-skis and parts and accessories thereof, except ski poles .....	156	(2)	96
1604.13	Prepared or preserved sardines, sardinella and brisling or sprats, whole or in pieces, but not minced .....	142	(2)	121
5309.19	Woven fabrics of flax, containing 85 percent or more by weight of flax, other than unbleached or bleached .....	136	(2)	65
7503.00	Nickel waste and scrap .....	124	(2)	0
7403.21	Copper-zinc base alloys (brass) .....	110	(2)	0
2208.90	Spirits, liqueurs and other spirituous beverages, nesi .....	91	(2)	91
8108.10	Unwrought titanium; waste and scrap; powders .....	90	(2)	90
3002.10	Antisera and other blood fractions .....	81	(2)	25
8518.22	Multiple loudspeakers mounted in the same enclosure .....	76	(2)	0
	Total .....	16,413	(2)	5,568
	Total, U.S. imports from the Baltic nations .....	17,598	(2)	6,067

<sup>1</sup> Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania.

<sup>2</sup> Imports from these countries were reported within statistics for the Soviet Union through 1991.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-11**  
**Leading Items exported to Afghanistan, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
6309.00	Worn clothing and other worn textile articles .....	\$904	\$418	\$110
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	162	31	43
5208.21	Plain weave fabrics of bleached cotton, containing 85% or more by weight of cotton and weighing not more than 100 g/m2 .....	110	0	0
9504.40	Playing cards .....	98	23	0
2828.90	Hypochlorites, except of calcium; hypobromites; chlorites .....	70	8	48
3305.10	Shampoos .....	58	0	52
3819.00	Hydraulic brake fluids and other prepared liquid for hydraulic transmission cont. less than 70% by weight of petroleum oils, etc .....	52	65	0
3811.90	Prepared additives for mineral oils (incl. gasoline) or other liquids used for the same purposes as mineral oils, nesi .....	45	0	0
2930.90	Organo-sulfur compounds, nesi .....	43	0	0
2301.20	Flours, meals, and pellets, of fish or of crustaceans, molluscs or other aquatic invertebrates, unfit for human consumption .....	40	0	40
5403.32	Yarn of viscose rayon (except sewing thread), with a twist exceeding 120 turns/m, single, not put up for retail sale .....	38	0	0
7307.22	Threaded elbows, bends and sleeves, of stainless steel .....	37	0	0
4901.99	Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter, other than in single sheets .....	37	4	0
3820.00	Antifreezing preparations and prepared de-icing fluids .....	29	10	20
8907.90	Floating structures, nesi (for example, rafts, other than inflatable rafts, tanks, cofferdams, landing-stages, buoys and beacons) .....	17	0	0
0207.41	Cuts and offal, of chickens, other than livers, frozen .....	15	0	15
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	12	0	0
3702.39	Film in rolls without sprocket holes, width not exceeding 105 mm, other than color photography or silver halide emulsion film .....	12	0	0
3822.00	Composite diagnostic or laboratory reagents, other than those of heading 3002 or 3006 .....	10	0	0
2309.90	Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (excluding dog or cat food, put up for retail sale) .....	10	0	10
	Total .....	1,800	558	337
	Total, U.S. exports to Afghanistan .....	1,880	846	368

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-12**  
**Leading Items Imported from Afghanistan, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
1211.10	Licorice roots, fresh or dried, of a kind used in perfumery, in pharmacy, or for insecticidal, fungicidal or similar purposes .....	\$631	\$82	\$151
5102.10	Fine animal hair, not carded or combed .....	591	291	300
9706.00	Antiques of an age exceeding one hundred years .....	518	34	11
5701.10	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, of wool or fine animal hair, knotted .....	174	133	3
0802.50	Pistachios, shelled or in shell, fresh or dried .....	141	170	141
5702.10	"Kelem," "Schumacks," "Karamanie" and similar hand-woven rugs .....	124	7	57
7103.10	Precious or semiprecious stones, unworked or simply sawn or roughly shaped .....	44	0	0
2008.19	Nuts and other seeds (except peanuts), otherwise prepared or preserved, nesi .....	23	0	0
2909.30	Aromatic ethers and their halogenated, sulfonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives .....	14	0	0
3908.10	Polyamide-6, -11, -12, -6,6, -6,9, -6,10 or -6,12, in primary form .....	9	0	9
5702.51	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, not of construction, woven, not made up, not tufted or flocked, of wool or fine animal hair .....	8	(1)	0
6302.93	Bed, table, toilet and kitchen linen of man-made fibers, nesi .....	3	0	0
5705.00	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, nesi .....	3	0	0
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	2	0	0
7318.15	Threaded screws and bolts, of iron or steel, nesi, whether or not with their nuts or washers .....	2	0	0
9705.00	Collections and collectors' pieces of zoological, botanical, mineralogical, anatomical, historical, archaeological etc. interest .....	2	0	2
6307.90	Made-up articles, nesi .....	1	0	0
9014.90	Parts and accessories of navigational instruments and appliances .....	1	0	0
6202.93	Women's/girls' anoraks (incl. ski-jackets), windbreakers & like articles (incl. padded, sleeveless jackets), of man-made fibers, nt knit/crochet .....	1	0	1
6206.30	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	1	0	0
	Total .....	2,292	717	675
	Total, U.S. imports from Afghanistan .....	2,321	747	676

<sup>1</sup> Trade less than \$500.

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-13

Leading Items exported to Albania, by *Schedule B* subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
0405.00	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk .....	\$5,159	0	\$736
3100.00	Fertilizers .....	4,730	0	1,469
0402.10	Milk and cream, whether or not sweetened, in powder, granules or other solid forms, fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1.5 percent .....	2,364	0	0
2701.12	Bituminous coal, whether or not pulverized, but not agglomerated .....	1,496	1,491	0
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	892	0	0
8704.10	Dumpers designed for off-highway use, for the transport of goods .....	437	0	0
6305.31	Sacks and bags of a kind used for the packing of goods, of polyethylene or polypropylene strip or the like .....	424	0	0
5201.00	Cotton, not carded or combed .....	298	0	0
8405.10	Producer gas or water gas generators, acetylene gas generators and similar water process gas generators; with or without their purifiers .....	247	0	0
8529.10	Antennas & antenna reflectors of all kinds for use solely or principally with apparatus of headings 8525-8528; parts suitable for use therewith .....	131	0	14
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor- vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	123	0	0
8502.11	Electric generating sets with compression-ignition internal- combustion piston engines, of an output not exceeding 75 kVA .....	106	0	0
2106.10	Protein concentrates and textured protein substances .....	98	0	0
8431.39	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the machinery of heading 8428, nesi .....	82	0	82
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	78	0	0
4911.99	Printed matter, nesi .....	55	0	0
4901.99	Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter, other than in single sheets .....	47	10	31
8548.00	Electrical parts of machinery or apparatus not specified or included elsewhere in chapter 85 .....	45	0	45
8523.13	Prepared unrecorded magnetic tapes for sound recording or similar recording of other phenomena, of a width exceeding 6.5 mm .....	43	0	0
8207.12	Interchangeable rock drilling or earth boring tools with working part of other material, nesi, and base metal parts thereof .....	37	18	37
	Total .....	16,889	1,519	2,414
	Total, U.S. exports to Albania .....	17,695	3,265	2,681

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-14

Leading Items Imported from Albania, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
1211.90	Plants & parts of plants (incl. seeds & fruits) used in perfumery, pharmacy, insecticidal, fungicidal or like purposes, fresh or dried, nesi .....	\$1,553	\$1,222	\$585
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	1,239	0	0
2401.10	Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped .....	120	0	120
3301.29	Essential oils other than those of citrus fruit, nesi .....	38	0	17
9022.11	Apparatus based on the use of X-rays for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary use .....	6	0	0
1212.99	Vegetable products nesi, (including unroasted chicory roots) of a kind used primarily for human consumption .....	6	0	6
0712.90	Dried vegetables, nesi, and dried mixtures of vegetables, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder, but not further prepared .....	4	3	0
3706.10	Motion-picture film, exposed and developed, of a width of 35 mm or more .....	2	0	0
7118.10	Coin (other than gold coin), not being legal tender .....	2	0	2
6206.40	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of man-made fibers .....	1	0	1
5702.10	"Kelem," "Schumacks," "Karamanie" and similar hand-woven rugs .....	1	0	0
	Total .....	2,973	1,225	731
	Total, U.S. imports from Albania .....	2,982	1,225	734

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-15**  
**Leading items exported to Bulgaria, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
2701.12	Bituminous coal, whether or not pulverized, but not agglomerated .....	\$15,597	\$10,400	\$8,214
2603.00	Copper ores and concentrates .....	11,686	0	0
1701.11	Cane sugar, raw, not containing added flavoring or coloring matter, in solid form .....	3,141	0	3,141
8421.39	Filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus for gases, other than intake air filters for internal combustion engines .....	1,439	0	1,427
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	1,401	92	713
8473.30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471 .....	1,095	26	559
6815.10	Nonelectrical articles of graphite or other carbon, nesi .....	1,046	0	0
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	980	37	137
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	920	83	21
8438.90	Parts for machines for the industrial preparation or manufacturing of food or drink, nesi .....	838	0	838
8471.93	Storage units of automatic data processing machines, whether or not entered with the rest of a system .....	737	202	267
4901.99	Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter, other than in single sheets .....	584	430	8
3920.10	Nonadhesive plates, sheets, film, foil and strip, of polymers of ethylene, noncellular, not reinforced or combined with other materials .....	567	250	296
8408.90	Compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines, nesi .....	518	0	349
1302.19	Vegetable saps and extracts, nesi .....	496	0	0
8402.90	Parts of steam- or other vapor-generating boilers .....	477	0	100
3304.99	Beauty, make-up and care of the skin preparations, excl. medicaments but incl. sunscreen or sun tan preparations, nesi .....	397	7	16
9014.20	Instruments and appliances for aeronautical or space navigation (other than compasses) .....	395	0	12
8430.39	Coal or rock cutters and tunneling machinery, not self-propelled .....	377	0	0
1806.10	Cocoa powder, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter .....	352	0	0
	Total .....	43,044	11,526	16,097
	Total, U.S. exports to Bulgaria .....	58,703	38,917	22,137

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-16**  
**Leading items imported from Bulgaria, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
2401.10	Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped .....	\$81,384	\$2,880	\$4,548
0406.90	Cheese, nesi .....	1,881	795	400
3301.29	Essential oils other than those of citrus fruit, nesi .....	1,853	435	723
6204.31	Women's or girls' suit-type jackets and blazers, not knitted or crocheted, of wool or fine animal hair .....	1,613	0	689
3102.10	Urea, whether or not in aqueous solution .....	1,582	0	0
6204.69	Women's or girls' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, not knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	1,409	0	68
8469.31	Nonelectric typewriters, weighing not more than 12 kg, excluding case .....	1,383	210	316
6203.42	Men's or boys' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	1,154	0	516
2941.90	Antibiotics, nesi .....	1,133	643	84
3102.80	Mixtures of urea and ammonium nitrate in aqueous or ammoniacal solution .....	1,124	1,330	0
8454.30	Casting machines, of a kind used in metallurgy or in metal foundries .....	911	0	363
8511.90	Parts of electric ignition or starting equipment, nesi .....	899	0	397
6204.61	Women's or girls' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, not knitted or crocheted, of wool or fine animal hair .....	889	0	382
2204.21	Wine (excluding sparkling wine); grape must with fermentation prevented or arrested by the addition of alcohol, in containers of 2 liters or less .....	869	280	338
8427.20	Self-propelled works trucks fitted with lifting and handling equip- ment other than powered by an electric motor .....	822	0	430
8523.20	Prepared unrecorded magnetic discs for sound recording or similar recording of other phenomena .....	637	0	256
2903.15	1,2-Dichloroethane (Ethylene dichloride) .....	621	0	0
6204.62	Women's or girls' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	600	0	116
6105.10	Men's or boys' shirts, knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	534	42	211
6110.30	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of man-made fibers .....	472	0	472
	Total .....	101,771	6,616	10,309
	Total, U.S. imports from Bulgaria .....	111,760	7,440	14,539

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-17**  
**Leading items exported to Cambodia, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
9030.39	Instruments and apparatus nesi, for measuring or checking electrical voltage, current, resistance or power, without a recording device .....	\$2,803	0	\$2,787
8473.30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471 .....	1,604	0	1,604
8502.11	Electric generating sets with compression-ignition internal-combustion piston engines, of an output not exceeding 75 kVA .....	680	0	680
8501.64	AC generators (alternators) of an output exceeding 750 kVA .....	450	0	450
7321.11	Cooking appliances and plate warmers of iron or steel, for gas fuel or for both gas and other fuels .....	401	0	272
8502.12	Electric generating sets with compression-ignition internal-combustion piston engines, of an output exceeding 75 kVA but not over 375 kVA .....	290	0	290
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc ...	256	0	242
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	143	0	137
8511.80	Equipment, nesi, of a kind used in conjunction with spark-ignition or compression-ignition internal-combustion engines .....	130	0	130
8502.13	Electric generating sets with compression-ignition internal-combustion piston engines, of an output exceeding 375 kVA .....	115	0	115
8703.33	Passenger motor vehicles with compression-ignition internal-combustion piston engine, cylinder capacity over 2,500 cc .....	84	0	84
6306.22	Tents of synthetic fibers .....	79	0	45
8541.40	Photosensitive semiconductor devices, incl. photovoltaic cells whether or not assembled in modules or made up into panels light-emitting diodes .....	66	0	66
8527.90	Reception apparatus for radio-telephony, radio-telegraphy or radio-broadcasting, nesi .....	62	0	62
8302.49	Mountings, fittings and similar articles of base metal, nesi, and base metal parts thereof .....	37	0	0
8517.30	Electrical telephonic or telegraphic switching apparatus .....	35	0	0
7508.00	Articles of nickel, nesi .....	29	0	0
8527.39	Radiobroadcast receivers nesi, including apparatus capable of receiving also radiotelephony or radiotelegraphy .....	26	0	0
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	22	0	22
8469.21	Electric typewriters, weighing not more than 12 kg, excluding case .....	18	0	18
	Total .....	7,330	0	7,003
	Total, U.S. exports to Cambodia .....	7,499	0	7,133

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



Table C-18

Leading Items Imported from Cambodia, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
6205.20	Men's or boys' shirts, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	\$5	0	\$5
4907.00	Unused stamps of current or new issue in country to which destined; stamp-impressed paper; check forms; documents of title, etc .....	4	0	0
6203.42	Men's or boys' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	3	0	3
9706.00	Antiques of an age exceeding one hundred years .....	2	0	0
6110.20	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	1	0	0
	Total .....	15	0	8
	Total, U.S. imports from Cambodia .....	15	0	8

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-19**  
**Leading Items exported to the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, by Schedule B subheadings,**  
**Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8802.40	Airplanes and other aircraft, of an unladen weight exceeding 15000 kg .....	\$143,636	0	\$115,001
8473.30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471 .....	11,722	877	3,234
1006.30	Semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed .....	9,898	126	4,348
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	9,092	595	4,771
8517.90	Parts of telephonic or telegraphic apparatus .....	6,184	19	5,980
2402.20	Cigarettes containing tobacco .....	4,527	7	2,698
2403.10	Smoking tobacco, whether or not containing tobacco substitutes in any proportion .....	4,515	983	2,541
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	4,495	32	3,223
8529.90	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the apparatus of headings 8525 to 8528, excluding antennas and antenna reflectors of all kinds .....	3,972	14	2,142
8524.90	Recorded media for sound or other similarly recorded phenomena .....	3,935	591	1,269
8438.80	Machinery for the industrial preparation or manufacture of food or drink, nesi .....	3,504	0	24
8471.93	Storage units of automatic data processing machines, whether or not entered with the rest of a system .....	2,869	122	1,746
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	2,798	786	798
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	2,793	195	1,414
3305.90	Preparations for use on the hair, nesi .....	2,400	0	1,413
8517.40	Electrical apparatus for carrier-current line systems .....	2,148	123	259
3304.99	Beauty, make-up and care of the skin preparations, excl. medicaments but incl. sunscreen or sun tan preparations, nesi .....	1,949	24	422
3004.90	Certain medicaments put up in measured doses or in forms or packings for retail sale, nesi .....	1,914	80	8
8431.49	Parts for machinery of heading 8426, 8429 or 8430, nesi .....	1,756	0	0
9022.11	Apparatus based on the use of X-rays for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary use .....	1,741	0	0
	Total .....	225,848	4,574	151,290
	Total, U.S. exports to the Czech & Slovak Federal Republic .....	306,285	23,271	185,671

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-20**  
**Leading items imported from the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992,**  
**July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
8481.80	Taps, cocks, valves, and similar appliances, nesi, for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats or the like .....	\$10,655	\$996	\$3,059
1210.10	Hop cones, fresh or dried, neither ground, powdered nor in the form of pellets .....	10,050	0	4
7018.10	Glass beads, imitation pearls, imitation precious or semiprecious stones and similar glass smallwares .....	9,109	1,797	3,407
8701.90	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709), nesi .....	5,164	1,893	3,225
4011.20	New pneumatic tires, of rubber, of a kind used on buses or trucks .....	3,504	1,320	1,122
6403.91	Footwear, covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber, plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	3,189	1,652	2,096
7018.90	Articles of glass beads, imitation pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, excl. jewelry, glass eyes nesi statuettes & ornaments of lamp-worked glass, nesi .....	2,785	839	987
7013.29	Drinking glasses other than of glass-ceramics or of lead crystal .....	2,772	394	1,246
4011.10	New pneumatic tires, of rubber, of a kind used on motor cars (including station wagons and racing cars) .....	2,610	817	810
6403.59	Footwear with outer soles and uppers of leather, not covering the ankle .....	2,560	1,086	1,014
5515.13	Woven fabrics of polyester staple fibers, mixed mainly or solely with wool or fine animal hair .....	2,498	375	848
2309.90	Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (excluding dog or cat food, put up for retail sale) .....	2,442	545	990
6403.99	Footwear not covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber or plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	2,236	787	968
7209.22	Flat-rolled iron or nonalloy steel products, 600 mm or more wide, in coils, cold-rolled, not clad, plated or coated, nesi, over 1 mm but under 3 mm thick .....	1,976	0	1,976
4011.91	New pneumatic tires of rubber, of a kind, nesi, having a "herring-bone" or similar tread .....	1,968	520	694
2941.30	Tetracyclines and their derivatives; salts thereof .....	1,935	0	955
8443.19	Offset printing machinery other than reel-fed or sheet-fed, office type .....	1,788	487	865
6213.20	Handkerchiefs, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	1,766	21	762
6403.19	Sports footwear with outer soles of rubber, uppersplastics, leather or composition leather & uppers of leather, excl. ski- & cross-country ski footwear .....	1,690	246	653
7117.90	Imitation jewelry, other than of base metal .....	1,676	176	695
	Total .....	72,372	13,950	26,375
	Total, U.S. imports from the Czech & Slovak Federal Republic .....	169,429	39,641	63,643

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-21**  
**Leading items exported to Hungary, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8802.40	Airplanes and other aircraft, of an unladen weight exceeding 15000 kg .....	\$83,798	0	0
8524.90	Recorded media for sound or other similarly recorded phenomena .....	6,263	666	2,161
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	5,405	507	1,759
8502.30	Electric generating sets, nesi .....	4,850	0	0
2403.10	Smoking tobacco, whether or not containing tobacco substitutes in any proportion .....	4,731	0	2,811
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	3,535	468	1,844
8705.90	Special purpose motor vehicles nesi, other than those designed primarily for the transport of persons or goods .....	3,019	0	0
2917.14	Maleic anhydride .....	2,641	0	0
8473.30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471 .....	2,542	734	894
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	2,471	289	945
8517.30	Electrical telephonic or telegraphic switching apparatus .....	2,302	327	1,576
7002.31	Glass tubes, of fused quartz or other fused silica, unworked .....	2,293	280	668
2941.20	Streptomycins and their derivatives; salts thereof .....	2,267	0	0
5201.00	Cotton, not carded or combed .....	2,102	0	0
9018.19	Electro-diagnostic apparatus, parts and accessories thereof, excluding electrocardiographs, parts and accessories thereof .....	2,065	1,290	1,538
0105.11	Live chickens weighing not over 185 g each .....	1,902	1,163	555
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	1,892	312	322
7002.39	Glass tubes, unworked, nesi .....	1,841	499	557
8407.90	Spark-ignition reciprocating or rotary internal combustion piston engines, nesi .....	1,729	251	182
4902.90	Newspapers, journals and periodicals except those appearing at least four times a week .....	1,707	0	22
	Total .....	139,355	6,787	15,835
	Total, U.S. exports to Hungary .....	222,088	36,888	44,185

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-22

Leading Items Imported from Hungary, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8708.50	Drive axles with differential, whether or not provided with other transmission components of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	\$19,152	\$2,863	\$5,069
8708.60	Non-driving axles and parts thereof of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	18,293	4,482	7,544
1602.41	Prepared or preserved hams and cuts thereof, of swine .....	9,826	4,449	3,015
2009.70	Apple juice, unfermented and not containing added spirit .....	7,752	628	446
6204.31	Women's or girls' suit-type jackets and blazers, not knitted or crocheted, of wool or fine animal hair .....	7,586	2,822	5,508
6403.99	Footwear not covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber or plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	7,546	4,192	1,466
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	7,531	4,785	371
1602.42	Prepared or preserved shoulders and cuts thereof, of swine .....	6,158	2,431	2,441
8539.22	Electrical filament lamps, excluding tungsten halogen lamps, nesi, of a power not exceeding 200 W and for a voltage exceeding 100 V .....	5,570	3,179	1,104
7409.21	Strip of copper-zinc base alloys (brass), in coils .....	5,550	1,959	1,720
9302.00	Revolvers and pistols, other than those of heading 9303 or 9304. ....	5,029	597	2,359
7606.92	Plates, sheets and strips, of a thickness exceeding 0.2 mm (excluding rectangular), of aluminum alloys .....	4,570	854	1,415
8712.00	Bicycles and other cycles (including delivery tricycles), not motorized .....	4,200	0	704
2941.90	Antibiotics, nesi .....	3,944	2,650	616
6204.39	Women's or girls' suit-type jackets and blazers, not knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	3,407	249	314
8539.31	Fluorescent, hot cathode discharge lamps, other than ultraviolet lamps .....	3,233	43	272
4011.20	New pneumatic tires, of rubber, of a kind used on buses or trucks .....	3,103	1,705	590
6203.11	Men's or boys' suits, of wool or fine animal hair, knitted or crocheted .....	3,042	473	1,378
0406.90	Cheese, nesi .....	3,031	1,275	1,661
6204.62	Women's or girls' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	2,792	1	476
	Total .....	131,313	39,635	38,468
	Total, U.S. imports from Hungary .....	255,597	87,773	81,049

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-23

Leading items exported to Laos, by *Schedule B* subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8607.19	Axles and wheels of railway or tramway locomotives or rolling stock, including parts thereof .....	\$129	0	\$129
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	46	0	0
9014.80	Navigational instruments and appliances, nesi .....	42	0	0
5208.11	Plain weave fabrics of unbleached cotton, containing 85% or more by weight of cotton and weighing not more than 100 g/m <sup>2</sup> .....	24	0	24
8471.92	Automatic data processing machines with or without input or output units or containing storage units in the same housing .....	16	0	16
8468.90	Parts of machinery and apparatus for soldering, brazing or welding .....	13	0	0
8803.30	Parts of airplanes or helicopters, nesi .....	12	0	0
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	9	0	0
8543.90	Parts of electrical machines and apparatus having individual functions, nesi .....	9	0	4
8524.21	Magnetic tapes, of a width not exceeding 4 mm, for sound or other recordings, nesi .....	7	0	0
8501.51	AC motors, multi-phase, of an output not exceeding 750 W .....	6	0	6
8517.82	Electrical telegraphic apparatus, nesi .....	6	0	0
8201.50	One-handed secateurs and similar pruners or shears (including poultry shears), and parts thereof, of base metal .....	5	0	0
8544.19	Insulated (including enameled or anodized) winding wire, other than of copper .....	5	0	0
4901.99	Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter, other than in single sheets .....	5	0	5
3924.90	Household articles, excluding tableware and kitchenware, and toilet articles, of plastics .....	4	0	0
9015.20	Theodolites and tachymeters .....	3	0	3
9015.90	Parts and accessories for surveying, hydrographic, oceanographic, hydrological, meteorological or geophysical instruments and appliances .....	3	0	3
7010.90	Carboys, bottles, flasks, jars, pots, vials, and other containers of glass, nesi, of a kind used for the conveyance or packing of goods .....	3	0	0
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	3	0	0
	Total .....	351	0	192
	Total, U.S. exports to Laos .....	378	27	208

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-24**  
**Leading Items Imported from Laos, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
6205.20	Men's or boys' shirts, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	\$2,909	\$298	\$1,949
4107.90	Leather of animals nesi, without hair on, other than chamois, patent or metallized leather .....	271	79	60
4107.29	Leather of reptiles, other than vegetable pretanned .....	61	14	28
4602.10	Basketwork, wickerwork and other articles made directly to shape of vegetable plaiting materials, nesi .....	14	0	6
9505.10	Articles for Christmas festivities and parts and accessories thereof .....	11	0	4
4420.10	Statuettes and other ornaments, of wood .....	8	0	8
0302.12	Pacific, Atlantic and Danube salmon, fresh or chilled, excluding fillets, other fish meat portions and livers and roes, of heading 0304 .....	8	0	0
4107.21	Leather of reptiles, vegetable pretanned .....	6	0	6
0307.91	Molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, excluding crustaceans, nesi, whether in shell or not, live, fresh or chilled .....	6	0	0
6204.52	Women's or girls' skirts and divided skirts, not knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	3	0	1
4409.20	Nonconiferous wood, continuously shaped along any of its edges or faces .....	2	0	0
0106.00	Live animals, nesi .....	2	0	0
8524.23	Magnetic tapes, of a width exceeding 6.5 mm, for sound or other recordings, nesi .....	2	0	2
9401.69	Seats with wooden frames, not upholstered .....	2	0	0
4202.32	Articles of a kind normally carried in the pocket or in the handbag, with outer surface of plastic sheeting or of textile materials .....	2	0	1
9502.10	Dolls representing only human beings and parts and accessories thereof, whether or not dressed .....	2	0	0
6217.10	Made up clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted, nesi .....	1	0	1
6302.51	Table linen, of cotton, not knitted or crocheted .....	1	0	1
6505.90	Hats and other headgear, knitted or crocheted, or made up from lace, felt or other textile fabric, in the piece, excluding hair-nets .....	1	0	1
4202.22	Handbags, with outer surface of plastic sheeting or of textile materials .....	1	0	1
	Total .....	3,312	392	2,069
	Total, U.S. imports from Laos .....	3,330	416	2,085

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-25

Leading items exported to Mongolia, by *Schedule B* subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
9015.90	Parts and accessories for surveying, hydrographic, oceanographic, hydrological, meteorological or geophysical instruments and appliances .....	\$177	0	0
4804.11	Uncoated, unbleached kraftliner paper or paperboard, in rolls or sheets, nesi .....	162	9	0
8540.49	Microwave tubes other than magnetrons or klystrons, excluding grid-controlled tubes .....	45	0	0
9015.80	Surveying, hydrographic, oceanographic, hydrological, meteorological or geophysical instruments and appliances, nesi .....	39	0	39
8529.90	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the apparatus of headings 8525 to 8528, excluding antennas and antenna reflectors of all kinds .....	23	0	3
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	18	0	0
2106.90	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	18	0	0
1104.29	Grains of cereals other than barley, oats or corn, hulled, pearled, clipped, sliced, kibbled or otherwise worked, but not rolled or flaked .....	17	0	0
7615.10	Aluminum table, kitchen or other household articles & parts thereof; aluminum pot scourers, scouring or polishing pads, gloves & the like .....	14	0	0
9027.50	Instruments and apparatus, using optical radiations (ultraviolet, visible, infrared) .....	12	0	0
9030.10	Instruments and apparatus for measuring or detecting ionizing radiations .....	11	0	9
8436.21	Poultry incubators and brooders .....	11	0	0
2008.99	Fruit, nuts and other edible parts of plants, nesi, otherwise prepared or preserved in a manner, nesi .....	9	0	0
0405.00	Butter and other fats and oils derived from milk .....	9	0	0
2103.90	Sauces and preparations, nesi .....	9	0	0
8708.40	Gear boxes of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	8	0	0
8481.90	Parts for taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances .....	7	0	7
3702.32	Film in rolls, with silver halide emulsion, without sprocket holes, of a width not exceeding 105 mm, sensitized, unexposed .....	6	0	6
9027.80	Instruments and apparatus for physical or chemical analysis, for measuring viscosity, porosity, expansion, surface tension, or for measuring quantities of heat, sound or light .....	6	0	0
9026.80	Instruments and apparatus for checking other variables of liquids or gases, nesi .....	4	0	0
	Total .....	605	9	63
	Total, U.S. exports to Mongolia .....	709	29	81

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**Table C-26**  
**Leading items imported from Mongolia, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
		1,000 dollars	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
5102.10	Fine animal hair, not carded or combed .....	\$1,645	\$18	\$206
6110.20	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	1,538	0	1,538
4203.10	Articles of apparel of leather or of composition leather .....	79	0	79
5105.30	Fine animal hair, carded or combed .....	29	0	0
6110.10	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of wool or fine animal hair .....	5	0	0
4802.10	Handmade paper and paperboard .....	5	0	0
8534.00	Printed circuits .....	4	0	4
	Total .....	3,304	18	1,827
	Total, U.S. imports from Mongolia .....	3,316	18	1,835

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-27**  
**Leading items exported to Poland, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
4818.40	Sanitary napkins and tampons, diapers and diaper liners and similar sanitary articles of paper pulp, paper, cellulose wadding or webs of cellulose fibers .....	\$10,546	\$579	\$934
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	9,589	2,934	1,262
0207.41	Cuts and offal, of chickens, other than livers, frozen .....	8,876	136	6,473
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	6,959	1,903	2,805
9015.80	Surveying, hydrographic, oceanographic, hydrological, meteorological or geophysical instruments and appliances, nesi .....	6,672	266	4
6309.00	Worn clothing and other worn textile articles ....	5,890	104	1,810
8431.43	Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49 .....	5,702	7	4,174
8703.23	Passenger motor vehicles with spark-ignition internal-combustion reciprocating piston engine, over 1,500 but n/o 3,000 cc .....	4,826	3,511	1,696
8473.30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471 .....	4,529	882	2,599
8471.92	Automatic data processing machines with or without input or output units or containing storage units in the same housing .....	4,207	3,043	1,443
2401.10	Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped .....	4,106	0	1,237
8524.90	Recorded media for sound or other similarly recorded phenomena .....	3,372	414	1,645
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	3,183	1,471	1,661
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	2,948	212	1,131
8517.30	Electrical telephonic or telegraphic switching apparatus .....	2,942	47	281
1001.10	Durum wheat .....	2,750	0	0
2403.10	Smoking tobacco, whether or not containing tobacco substitutes in any proportion .....	2,703	1,933	829
8438.90	Parts for machines for the industrial preparation or manufacturing of food or drink, nesi .....	2,597	38	1,537
8459.69	Milling machines, other than knee type, for removing metal, other than numerically controlled, nesi .....	2,356	0	0
2402.20	Cigarettes containing tobacco .....	2,252	504	2,252
	Total .....	97,004	17,986	33,773
	Total, U.S. exports to Poland .....	319,348	92,065	113,034

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table C-28

Leading items imported from Poland, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
1602.41	Prepared or preserved hams and cuts thereof, of swine .....	\$16,933	\$8,434	\$5,473
3501.10	Casein .....	9,109	4,155	4,164
6403.91	Footwear, covering the ankles; with outer soles of rubber, plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	7,145	3,422	3,267
6110.20	Sweaters, pullovers, sweatshirts, waistcoats (vests) and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	6,648	318	2,483
6203.11	Men's or boys' suits, of wool or fine animal hair, knitted or crocheted .....	3,344	1,696	2,430
8539.22	Electrical filament lamps, excluding tungsten halogen lamps, nesi, of a power not exceeding 200 W and for a voltage exceeding 100 V .....	6,096	2,781	2,554
5309.11	Woven fabrics of flax, containing 85 percent or more by weight of flax, unbleached or bleached .....	5,708	2,178	1,933
8701.30	Track-laying tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709) .....	5,605	1,251	3,676
7013.31	Glassware of a kind used for table (other than drinking glasses), or kitchen purposes of lead crystal .....	5,496	1,880	1,937
1703.90	Molasses, other than cane molasses .....	5,169	1,829	0
8701.90	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709), nesi .....	4,921	635	2,303
7013.91	Glassware of a kind used for table, kitchen, toilet, office, indoor decoration or similar purposes, of lead crystal, nesi .....	4,909	1,458	1,671
7408.21	Wire of copper-zinc base alloys (brass) .....	3,676	1,060	1,192
8544.11	Insulated (including enameled or anodized) winding wire, of copper .....	3,633	241	872
7407.21	Bars, rods and profiles of copper-zinc base alloys (brass) .....	3,564	807	1,520
8482.10	Ball bearings .....	3,439	727	1,055
5309.21	Woven fabrics of flax, unbleached or bleached, containing less than 85% by weight of flax .....	3,436	344	775
3206.10	Pigments and preparations based on titanium dioxide .....	3,362	1,572	417
6203.31	Men's or boys' suit-type jackets and blazers, not knitted or crocheted, of wool or fine animal hair .....	3,171	971	1,690
8458.19	Horizontal lathes for removing metal, other than numerically controlled .....	3,161	967	1,364
	Total .....	111,526	36,724	40,775
	Total, U.S. imports from Poland .....	265,087	89,426	94,270

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-29**  
**Leading items exported to Romania, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
1201.00	Soybeans, whether or not broken .....	\$34,515	0	\$23,797
2701.12	Bituminous coal, whether or not pulverized, but not agglomerated .....	25,087	5,942	7,248
2304.00	Oilcake and other solid residues, resulting from the extraction of soybean oil .....	10,142	0	5,266
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	8,789	79	226
0207.41	Cuts and offal, of chickens, other than livers, frozen .....	6,986	0	3,110
4702.00	Chemical woodpulp, dissolving grades .....	4,202	0	139
2402.20	Cigarettes containing tobacco .....	3,334	195	2,175
8473.30	Parts and accessories of the machines of heading 8471 .....	3,182	567	403
8475.90	Parts of machines for assembling electronic lamps, tubes or flashbulbs in glass envelopes or for making or hot working glass or glassware .....	2,775	0	8
1005.10	Seed corn (maize) .....	2,656	0	0
4407.91	Oak wood, sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, over 6 mm thick .....	2,446	1,216	1,775
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	2,206	400	858
2203.00	Beer made from malt .....	1,975	187	1,190
4804.11	Uncoated, unbleached kraftliner paper or paperboard, in rolls or sheets, nesi .....	1,636	327	0
8525.20	Transmission apparatus incorporating reception apparatus .....	1,635	759	200
3815.19	Supported catalysts other than with nickel or precious metal or their compounds as the active substance .....	1,584	0	1,566
9015.90	Parts and accessories for surveying, hydrographic, oceanographic, hydrological, meteorological or geophysical instruments and appliances .....	1,554	4	1,546
8471.92	Automatic data processing machines with or without input or output units or containing storage units in the same housing .....	1,500	355	377
2921.49	Aromatic monoamines and their derivatives; salts thereof, nesi .....	1,414	0	0
8471.20	Digital automatic data processing machines, containing in the same housing at least a central processing unit and an input and output unit .....	1,223	138	662
	Total .....	118,842	10,170	50,547
	Total, U.S. exports to Romania .....	165,450	53,206	64,404

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table C-30**  
**Leading Items Imported from Romania, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
2710.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included .....	\$30,063	0	\$8,565
6403.99	Footwear not covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber or plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather ....	3,641	1,844	2,000
6403.91	Footwear, covering the ankles, with outer soles of rubber, plastics or composition leather and uppers of leather .....	2,762	1,014	2,098
8701.90	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709), nesi .....	2,677	1,222	1,613
7208.42	Flat-rolled iron or nonalloy steel products nesi, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide, hot-rolled, not clad, plated or coated, over 10 mm thick .....	2,180	1,004	483
8481.80	Taps, cocks, valves, and similar appliances, nesi, for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats or the like .....	2,076	229	608
6101.20	Men's or boys' overcoats, carcoats, capes, cloaks, anoraks, windbreakers and similar articles, knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	1,319	132	1,265
8708.99	Parts and accessories, nesi, of the motor-vehicles of headings 8701 to 8705 .....	1,162	140	382
6204.39	Women's or girls' suit-type jackets and blazers, not knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	1,109	142	235
7105.10	Dust and powder of natural or synthetic diamonds .....	1,048	149	367
9202.10	String musical instruments played with a bow .....	913	281	359
7208.43	Flat-rolled iron or nonalloy steel products nesi, not in coils, 600 mm or more wide, hot-rolled, not clad, plated or coated, 4.75 mm but n/o 10 mm thick .....	887	606	195
7013.29	Drinking glasses other than of glass-ceramics or of lead crystal .....	871	684	204
9401.69	Seats with wooden frames, not upholstered .....	818	224	386
6204.69	Women's or girls' trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts, not knitted or crocheted, of textile materials, nesi .....	731	331	63
1602.41	Prepared or preserved hams and cuts thereof, of swine .....	651	0	72
6204.49	Women's or girls' dresses, not knitted or crocheted, of textile materials nesi .....	561	0	74
8481.30	Check valves for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats or the like .....	547	9	98
8503.00	Parts for use solely or principally with machines of heading 8501 (electric motors & generators) or 8502 (electric generator sets & rotary converters) .....	541	0	0
9505.10	Articles for Christmas festivities and parts and accessories thereof .....	526	203	192
	Total .....	55,082	8,214	19,257
	Total, U.S. imports from Romania .....	67,134	16,511	23,577

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**APPENDIX D**  
**LEADING ITEMS TRADED WITH THE EMBARGOED COUNTRIES,**  
**BY *SCHEDULE B* AND HTS SUBHEADINGS,**  
**JANUARY-SEPTEMBER 1992, JULY-SEPTEMBER 1991,**  
**AND JULY-SEPTEMBER 1992**

**Table D-1**  
**Leading items exported to Cuba, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
6107.11	Men's or boys' underpants and briefs, knitted or crocheted, of cotton .....	\$118	0	\$35
3004.90	Certain medicaments put up in measured doses or in forms or packings for retail sale, nesi .....	84	0	12
8536.41	Relays for switching, protecting or making connections to or in electrical circuits, for a voltage not exceeding 60 V .....	9	0	0
8472.90	Coin sorting, counting or wrapping machines, pencil sharpening machines, perforating or stapling machines .....	7	0	0
	Total .....	218	0	47
	Total, U.S. exports to Cuba .....	861	403	299

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.  
Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**Table D-2**  
**Leading Items Imported from Cuba, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and**  
**July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>	<i>1,000</i>
		<i>dollars</i>	<i>dollars</i>	<i>dollars</i>
	Total, U.S. imports from Cuba .....	0	0	0

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table D-3

Leading items exported to North Korea, by *Schedule B* subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept.	July-Sept.—	
		1992	1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
8479.89	Machines and mechanical appliances having individual functions, nesl .....	\$384	0	0
4410.10	Particle board and similar board of wood, whether or not agglomerated with resins or other organic binding substances .....	74	0	0
8481.90	Parts for taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances .....	6	0	0
	Total .....	464	0	0
	Total, U.S. exports to North Korea .....	464	0	0

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table D-4**  
**Leading Items Imported from North Korea, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
6402.99	Footwear with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics, nesl .....	\$8	0	0
	Total .....	8	0	0
	Total, U.S. imports from North Korea .....	8	0	0

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.  
Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table D-5**  
**Leading items exported to Vietnam, by Schedule B subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

Schedule B subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
9018.39	Instruments and appliances nesi, used in medical, surgical, dental or veterinary sciences, and parts and accessories thereof .....	\$340	0	0
9021.30	Artificial parts of the body nesi, and parts and accessories thereof .....	92	0	0
8471.91	Digital processing units which may contain in the same housing one or two storage units, input units or output units .....	65	0	65
8469.31	Nonelectric typewriters, weighing not more than 12 kg, excluding case .....	15	0	15
8471.92	Automatic data processing machines with or without input or output units or containing storage units in the same housing .....	13	0	10
9021.11	Artificial joints and parts and accessories thereof, for orthopedic use .....	10	0	10
8474.90	Parts for the machinery of heading 8474 .....	6	0	6
8471.93	Storage units of automatic data processing machines, whether or not entered with the rest of a system .....	6	0	6
9026.90	Parts and accessories of instruments and apparatus for measuring or checking the variables of liquids or gases .....	4	0	0
	Total .....	551	0	112
	Total, U.S. exports to Vietnam .....	3,358	504	938

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

**Table D-6**  
**Leading Items Imported from Vietnam, by HTS subheadings, Jan.-Sept. 1992, July-Sept. 1991, and July-Sept. 1992**

HTS subheading	Description	Jan.-Sept. 1992	July-Sept.—	
			1991	1992
		<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>	<i>1,000 dollars</i>
6502.00	Hat shapes, plaited or made by assembling strips of any material, neither blocked to shape, nor with made brims, not lined, nor trimmed .....	\$8	0	\$8
	Total .....	8	0	8
	Total, U.S. imports from Vietnam .....	8	0	8

Note.—Because of rounding, figures may not add to the totals shown.  
Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.



**APPENDIX E**  
**OFFICIAL *SCHEDULE B* AND HTS SECTION TITLES**  
**AND RELATED CHAPTERS**

<i>Section No.</i>	<i>Section title</i>	<i>Chapters</i>
1	Live animals; animal products	01-05
2	Vegetable products	06-14
3	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	15
4	Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	16-24
5	Mineral products	25-27
6	Products of the chemical or allied industries	28-38
7	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof	39-40
8	Raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkworm gut)	41-43
9	Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	44-46
10	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	47-49
11	Textiles and textile articles	50-63
12	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking sticks, seatsticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith; artificial flowers; articles of human hair	64-67
13	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials; ceramic products; glass and glassware	68-70
14	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal, and articles thereof; imitation jewelry; coin	71
15	Base metals and articles of base metal	72-83 <sup>1</sup>
16	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles	84-85
17	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment	86-89
18	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clocks and watches; musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof	90-92
19	Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	93
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<sup>1</sup> Chapter 77 was reserved for possible future use.

<sup>2</sup> Chapter 99, which covers provisions of a temporary nature, such as articles temporarily subject to additional tariff duties or other import restrictions, appears only in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule.



## **GLOSSARY OF ABBREVIATIONS**

<i>Abbreviation</i>	<i>Full wording</i>
<b>BXA</b>	Bureau of Export Administration (U.S. Department of Commerce)
<b>CCC</b>	Commodity Credit Corporation (U.S. Department of Agriculture)
<b>CCL</b>	Commerce Control List
<b>CIA</b>	Central Intelligence Agency
<b>CIS</b>	Commonwealth of Independent States
<b>CMEA</b>	Council for Mutual Economic Assistance
<b>COCOM</b>	Coordinating Committee for Multilateral Export Controls
<b>CPE</b>	Centrally planned economy
<b>EBRD</b>	European Bank for Reconstruction and Development
<b>EC</b>	European Community
<b>ECP</b>	Export Enhancement Program (U.S. Department of Agriculture)
<b>EXIMBANK</b>	Export-Import Bank of the United States
<b>FAO</b>	Food and Agricultural Organization (United Nations)
<b>GATT</b>	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
<b>GNP</b>	Gross National Product
<b>GSP</b>	Generalized System of Preferences
<b>HS</b>	Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System, or Harmonized System
	The HS is arranged as follows:
	Sections, which are divided into
	Chapters (2-digit numbers), which are divided into
	Headings (4-digit numbers), which are divided into
	Subheadings (6-digit numbers)
<b>HTS</b>	Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States
<b>IAEA</b>	International Atomic Energy Agency
<b>IMF</b>	International Monetary Fund
<b>LTFV</b>	Less than fair value
<b>MFA</b>	Multifiber Arrangement
<b>MFN</b>	Most-favored-nation
<b>NMEs</b>	Nonmarket economy countries
<b>OECD</b>	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
<b>SDR</b>	Special Drawing Rights
<b>SIC</b>	Standard Industrial Classification
	MSIC: SIC-based import product groupings
	OSIC: SIC-based domestic manufactured output categories
<b>SITC</b>	Standard International Trade Classification
<b>TSUSA</b>	Tariff Schedules of the United States Annotated
<b>USC</b>	United States Code
<b>USDA</b>	U.S. Department of Agriculture
<b>USITC</b>	U.S. International Trade Commission

*See following page for abbreviations frequently used in the tables.*

<i>Abbreviation</i>	<i>Full wording</i>
cc	Cubic centimeters
cm	Centimeters
fbr m	Fiber meter
GVW	Gross vehicle weight
kg	Kilograms
kN	Kilonewtons
kW	Kilowatts
kWH	Kilowatt-hours
kVA	kilovolt-amperes
m	Meters
m <sup>2</sup>	Square meters
mm	Millimeters
nesi (or) nesoi	Not elsewhere specified or included
nm	Number of 1000 meterlengths of (textile) yarn in one kilogram
pcs.	Pieces
mt	Metric ton(s)
V	Volts
vol	Volume
W	Watts
wt	Weight

