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### Foreword

Welcome to the Monthly presentation organised by the Dissemination Branch of the Central Statistical Office (CSO). The CSO embarks on vigorous information delivery strategy to major stakeholders and the media institutions in order to increase utilisation of statistical products and services. The office produces a number of statistical products in the Economic, Social, Agricultural and Environmental areas. The information collected in these areas may be used for various purposes including policy formulation, planning, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of programmes and projects.

This Monthly publication is an attempt to provide highlights of CSO's work and how it can help media institutions and the general public to make use of data and information for sustainable national development and decision-making.

I would like to urge our readers and users of statistical information to send to us any comments that may enhance statistical production and contribute to the improvement of this bulletin.

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We treasure what we measure"*

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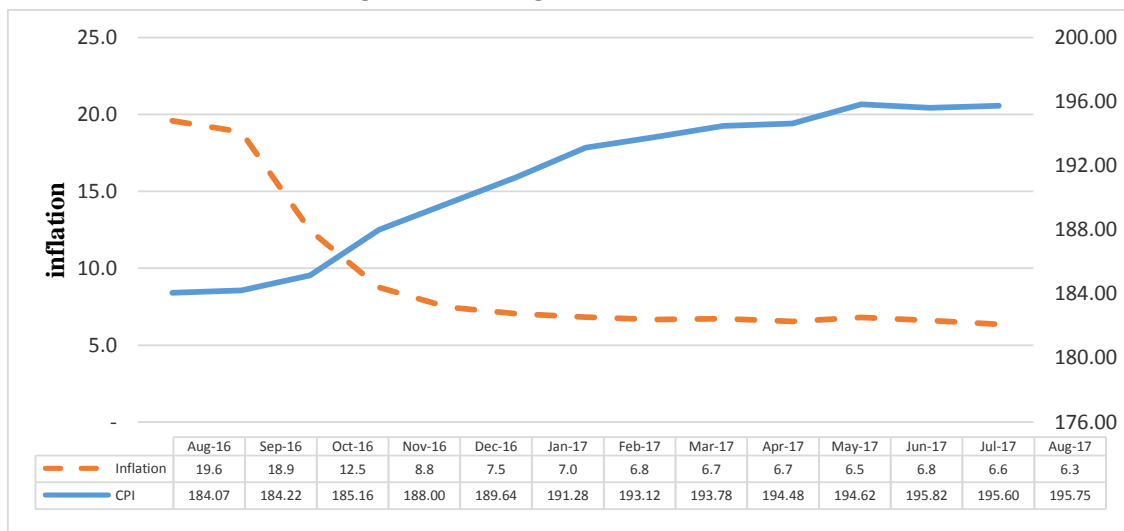
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### YEAR ON YEAR INFLATION RATE FOR AUGUST 2017 DECREASES TO 6.3 PERCENT

The year on year inflation rate as measured by the all items Consumer Price Index (CPI) for August 2017 reduced to 6.3 percent compared to 6.6 percent recorded in July 2017. This means that on average, prices increased by 6.3 percent between August 2016 and August 2017.

Movement of Consumer Price Indices (CPI) show a steadily increasing trend in the prices of commodities during the period of August 2016 to August 2017. However, Annual Inflation Rates over the same period have shown a decreasing pattern from 19.6 percent in August 2016 to 6.3 percent in August 2017.

**Consumer Price Indices (CPI) and Annual Inflation Rates from August 2016-August 2017 (2009=100)**



Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

### YEAR ON YEAR FOOD AND NON-FOOD INFLATION RATE

The year on year (Annual) food inflation rate for August 2017 was recorded at 5.1 percent compared to 5.3 percent recorded in July 2017. This represents a decrease of 0.2 percentage points. The decrease in the annual food inflation rate is mainly attributed to price changes for Bread and cereals (breakfast Mealie meal, roller meal and maize grain), Meat (T-bone, Mixed cut, Brisket, Mincemeat and Sausage) and Table salt.

The year on year (Annual) non-food inflation rate for August 2017 was recorded at 7.7 percent, from 8.1 percent recorded in July 2017, indicating a decrease of 0.4 percentage points. The decrease in the annual non-food inflation is mainly attributed to the decreases of some items in the Transport CPI division (Diesel, Petrol, car battery, motor cars).

Year on Year Food and Non Food Inflation Rate														
	Weight:	Aug-2016	Sep-2016	Oct-2016	Nov-2016	Dec-2016	Jan-2017	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	June-2017	July-2017	Aug-2017
Total	1,000.00	19.6	18.9	12.5	8.8	7.5	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.3
Food	534.85	24.1	23.4	15.6	9.2	7.8	7.4	7.4	6.7	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.3	5.1
Non-Food	465.15	14.8	14.0	9.0	8.3	7.1	6.7	6.1	6.6	7.5	7.3	8.0	8.1	7.7

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

### CONTRIBUTION OF DIVISIONS TO OVERALL INFLATION

Of the total 6.3 percent annual inflation rate recorded in August 2017, Food and Non-alcoholic beverages

accounted for 2.7 percentage points, while non-food items accounted for a total of 3.6 percentage points.

Contribution of Divisions to Overall Inflation															
Division	Division Weight	Aug 2016	Sep 2016	Oct 2016	Nov 2016	Dec 2016	Jan 2017	Feb 2017	Mar 2017	Apr 2017	May 2017	Jun 2017	July 2017	Aug 2017	
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	534.85	12.4	12.0	8.1	4.9	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.7	
Alcoholic beverages, and tobacco	15.21	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	
Clothing and footwear	80.78	1.6	1.6	1.2	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	114.11	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.4	1.6	1.5	
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house	82.36	2.0	1.9	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	
Health	8.15	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Transport	58.08	1.0	0.7	0.0	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.5	
Communications	12.94	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Recreation and culture	13.84	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	
Education	26.62	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Restaurants and hotels	3.37	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
Miscellaneous goods and services	49.69	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	

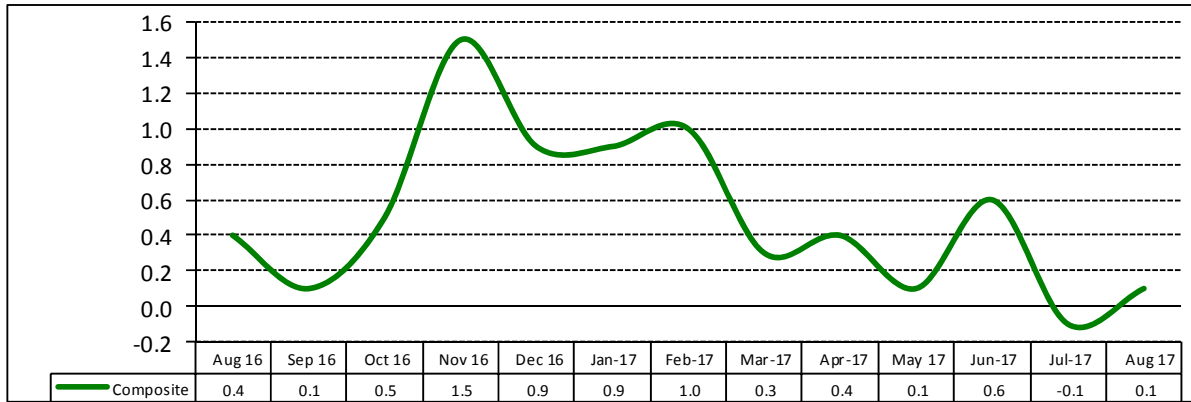
Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

### AUGUST 2017 MONTH ON MONTH INFLATION RATE INCREASES TO 0.1 PERCENT

The month on month (monthly) inflation rate for August 2017, was recorded at 0.1 percent compared to

-0.1 percent recorded in July 2017, showing an increase of 0.2 percentage points.

### Month on Month Inflation Rate August 2016 to August 2017



Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

### MONTH ON MONTH INFLATION RATE: FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS

The month on month (Monthly) food inflation rate for August, 2017 increased to 0.1 percent compared to -0.2 percent recorded in July, 2017. The increase is as a result of price changes of Vegetables such as rape and mushrooms.

The month on month (Monthly) Non-food inflation rate for August 2017 was recorded at 0.1 percent compared to 0.0 percent recorded in July, 2017. This indicates an increase of 0.1 percentage points. The increase in non-food inflation is mainly attributed to price changes of solid fuels (firewood).

Month on Month Inflation Rate: Food and Non-Food Items (2009=100)														
	Weight:	Aug-2016	Sep-2016	Oct-2016	Nov-2016	Dec-2016	Jan-2017	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	June-2017	July-2017	Aug-2017
Total	1,000.00	0.4	0.1	0.5	1.5	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.6	(0.1)	0.1
Food	534.85	0.3	(0.0)	0.6	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	(0.3)	(0.2)	0.1
Non-Food	465.15	0.4	0.2	0.4	2.3	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.1	1.7	0.0	0.1

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

### MONTH ON MONTH CONTRIBUTIONS: FOOD AND NON-FOOD

Of the total 0.1 percent month on month (Monthly) inflation rate recorded in August 2017, Food and Non-alcoholic beverages accounted

for 0.1 percentage points, while non-food items accounted for a total of 0.0 percentage points.

Month on Month Contribution: Food and Non Food														
Division	Weight	Aug 2016	Sep 2016	Oct 2016	Nov 2016	Dec 2016	Jan 2017	Feb 2017	Mar 2017	Apr 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	Aug 2017
Food	534.85	0.2	(0.0)	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	(0.2)	(0.1)	0.1
Non-Food	465.15	0.3	0.1	0.2	1.0	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.8	0.0	0.0
All Items	1,000.00	0.5	0.1	0.5	1.4	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.6	(0.1)	0.1

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

## PROVINCIAL ANNUAL INFLATION RATES

Provincial changes in annual inflation rate show that between August 2016 and August 2017, Eastern and Western provinces had the highest annual rate of inflation at 7.6 percent each,

followed by Central, Copperbelt and North western provinces at 7.2 percent each. Luapula Province recorded the lowest annual rate of inflation at 4.4 percent.

Provincial Annual Inflation Rates									
	Central	Copperbelt	Eastern	Luapula	Lusaka	Northern	North-Western	Southern	Western
Weight	107.19	219.68	88.98	50.60	283.89	65.72	32.33	109.19	42.42
Nov-15	21.8	17.8	19.9	24.3	18.8	20.9	24.6	18.4	18.1
Dec-15	21.6	18.6	21.5	24.5	20.9	23.1	28.8	20.7	20.2
Jan-16	22.7	18.7	23.3	24.5	21.2	25.1	28.8	22.2	20.6
Feb-16	23.8	20.1	25.0	24.7	22.4	26.0	28.7	23.5	21.1
Mar-16	23.0	19.8	24.3	24.8	21.2	25.4	27.1	22.5	22.2
Apr-16	22.7	20.2	23.7	24.8	19.9	24.5	25.5	22.1	24.3
May-16	22.0	19.5	23.7	23.2	20.2	22.7	24.9	21.2	23.4
Jun-16	21.4	18.7	23.2	22.5	20.3	23.5	23.7	21.7	23.3
Jul-16	19.9	17.9	22.6	22.2	18.9	23.5	23.8	21.4	22.9
Aug-16	20.2	17.2	21.8	22.6	18.2	23.0	23.6	19.8	22.8
Sep-16	19.7	16.6	21.4	22.5	17.0	21.1	22.6	19.7	22.9
Oct-16	11.0	11.8	14.5	11.3	11.2	13.0	12.1	15.7	16.2
Nov-16	8.0	8.6	9.7	7.2	8.2	8.5	9.1	10.8	9.5
Dec-16	7.6	8.4	8.9	6.3	6.4	7.8	5.8	7.9	7.8
Jan-17	7.1	8.9	7.4	6.3	5.8	5.4	6.9	7.3	7.9
Feb-17	7.0	8.5	6.5	5.1	5.8	5.4	6.8	7.1	8.8
Mar-17	7.5	8.1	6.5	4.9	5.9	5.1	7.4	6.7	7.0
Apr-17	7.4	7.5	6.6	4.6	7.0	4.7	8.1	6.5	4.9
May-17	7.0	7.6	6.0	5.4	5.9	6.2	7.8	6.8	5.4
June-17	7.2	8.1	6.5	6.0	6.1	5.8	7.8	7.6	5.1
July-17	7.1	7.7	7.1	5.6	6.1	4.9	6.8	6.2	7.2
Aug-17	7.2	7.2	7.6	4.4	5.7	4.9	7.2	5.5	7.6

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

## PROVINCIAL CONTRIBUTION TO OVERALL INFLATION

Lusaka Province had the highest provincial contribution of 1.6 percentage points to the overall annual inflation rate of 6.3 percent recorded in August 2017. This implies that the price movements in Lusaka Province had the greatest influence

on the overall annual rate of inflation. Copperbelt Province had the second highest provincial contribution of 1.5 percentage points. North western and Luapula provinces had the lowest contribution of 0.2 percentage points each.

Provincial Contribution to Overall Inflation														
Province	Weight	Aug 2016	Sep 2016	Oct 2016	Nov 2016	Dec 2016	Jan 2017	Feb 2017	Mar 2017	Apr 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	Aug 2017
Central	107.19	2.1	2.0	1.2	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8
Copperbelt	219.68	3.7	3.6	2.5	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5
Eastern	88.98	2.0	1.9	1.3	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7
Luapula	50.60	1.1	1.1	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Lusaka	283.89	5.3	4.9	3.2	2.3	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6
Northern	65.72	1.5	1.4	0.9	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
North Western	32.33	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Southern	109.19	2.2	2.2	1.7	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6
Western	42.42	0.9	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
National	1,000.00	19.6	18.9	12.5	8.8	7.5	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.3

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

## NATIONAL AVERAGE PRICES FOR SELECTED PRODUCTS

The Consumer Price Basket consists of 440 items and over 23,000 price quotations are collected from selected outlets in all the districts in

Zambia from 1<sup>st</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> of every month. The table below shows the maximum and minimum prices for selected items and the location in August, 2017.

Product Description	Unit of Measure	Minimum		Maximum	
		Price (K)	Location	Price (K)	Location
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25 kg	60.00	Kapiri Mposhi, Kafue, Lusaka, Siavonga	130.00	Mufumbwe
Roller mealie meal	25 kg	32.00	Lusaka	90.00	Chiengwe
Maize Grain	20 litre tin	15.00	Mufumbwe	60.00	Nakonde,
Dried Kapenta (Mpulungu)	1 kg	50.00	Mpulungu	312.5	Lusaka
Charcoal	50 kg bag	20.00	Mporokoso, Mungwi, Namwala, Zambezi,	90.00	Ndola
Cement	50 kg	57.00	Luashya, Lusaka	85.00	Mporokoso

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

On a monthly basis, a comparison of retail prices between August 2017 and July 2017 shows that the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Breakfast Mealie meal decreased by 12.8 percent from K88.58 to K77.27 while the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Roller Mealie meal decreased by 12.3 percent from K65.84 to K57.73. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain

decreased by 8.5 percent from K33.97 to K31.07.

On an annual basis, a comparison of retail prices between August 2016 and August 2017 shows that the national average price of a 25kg bag of Breakfast Mealie meal decreased by 9.1 percent from K84.99 to K77.27. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain decreased by 11.20 percent from K34.99 to K31.07.

## NATIONAL AVERAGE PRICES FOR SELECTED PRODUCTS

Description	Unit of measure		Aug 16	Sep 16	Nov 16	Jan 17	Feb 17	Apr 17	May 17	Jun 17	Jul 17	Aug 17	% change Jul 17/Aug17	%change Aug 16/Aug17
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25	Kg	84.99	85.24	92.95	101.10	102.73	100.73	98.76	96.37	88.58	77.27	-12.8	-9.1
Roller Mealie Meal	25	Kg	66.81	66.21	75.38	83.66	85.11	83.32	80.56	74.73	65.84	57.73	-12.3	-13.6
Maize grain	20	L	34.99	37.91	41.88	46.46	49.76	51.12	42.82	36.41	33.97	31.07	-8.5	-11.2
T-bone	1	Kg	42.43	42.92	42.01	42.68	42.44	43.22	43.44	44.10	44.44	43.86	-1.3	3.4
Fresh Milk Super Milk	500	ml	7.34	7.25	7.35	7.55	7.59	7.64	7.56	7.41	7.41	7.54	1.8	2.7
Eggs	30	Ea	35.44	34.34	32.88	33.10	33.35	33.21	33.58	33.53	32.65	33.10	1.4	-6.6
Bananas	1	Kg	6.80	6.99	7.08	6.91	7.10	6.73	7.31	7.21	7.12	7.46	4.8	9.7
Sugar	2	Kg	25.83	26.24	26.53	26.44	26.50	26.43	26.58	26.47	26.47	26.35	-0.5	2.0
Table Salt	1	Kg	6.69	6.69	6.58	6.85	6.88	7.11	7.07	7.74	7.92	8.30	4.8	24.1
Tea Leaves Silver	250	gm	9.20	8.36	9.62	9.09	9.35	9.50	8.68	9.95	9.15	9.54	4.3	3.7
Tea bags	1	Pk	13.78	13.54	13.67	13.47	13.79	14.01	13.36	13.75	13.89	13.49	-2.9	-2.1
Castle Lager	375	ml	7.58	7.66	8.36	8.24	8.23	8.00	7.92	7.87	7.87	7.86	-0.1	3.7
Men's socks	1	Ea	13.36	14.04	12.54	12.49	12.15	11.59	12.14	12.07	11.54	11.00	-4.7	-17.7
Cement	50	Kg	62.52	61.69	65.29	67.38	66.49	66.60	67.33	68.75	68.93	68.46	-0.7	9.5
Wooden bed frame	1	Ea	512.34	513.95	521.62	526.66	537.56	551.87	540.64	532.80	524.18	530.80	1.3	3.6
Kiwi Shoe Polish	40	ml	9.64	9.69	9.82	9.77	9.83	9.87	9.94	9.71	9.81	9.74	-0.7	1.0
Contraceptives condoms	1	Ea	2.77	2.75	3.27	3.12	2.62	2.44	2.34	2.30	2.41	2.50	3.7	-9.8
Toyota corolla	1	Ea	436,050.00	434,981.25	388,822.50	414,735.00	383,871.00	389,410.00	362,151.30	399,161.50	399,161.50	386,556.40	-3.2	-11.4
Diesel	1	L	8.60	8.61	11.40	10.72	10.72	10.72	10.72	10.72	10.72	9.87	-7.9	14.8
Petrol	1	L	9.83	9.87	13.70	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	12.50	11.67	-6.6	18.7
Hammer milling charge	1	Ea	6.22	6.33	6.36	6.32	6.32	6.48	6.37	6.56	6.37	6.25	-1.9	0.5

# INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

## July 2017 records a Trade Surplus

In July 2017, Zambia recorded a trade surplus valued at K410.6 Million from a trade deficit of K335.7 Million recorded in June 2017. This represents a 222.3 percent

increase in the trade balance. This means that the country exported more in July 2017 than it imported in nominal terms.

### Total Exports (FOB) and Imports (CIF), January to July 2017\*(K' Million)

Months	Imports(CIF)	Domestic Exports(FOB)	Total Exports(FOB)	Trade Balance
Jan-17	4 960.4	5 774.4	5 881.6	921.2
Feb-17	6 748.7	6 323.4	6 441.3	(307.4)
Mar-17	6 792.4	5 997.2	6 327.0	(465.4)
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>18 501.4</b>	<b>18 095.1</b>	<b>18 649.9</b>	<b>148.4</b>
Apr-17	6 994.6	5 681.7	5 821.1	(1 173.6)
May-17	6 140.1	5 712.2	5 805.9	(334.2)
June-17®	6 243.8	5 694.7	5 908.1	(335.7)
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>19 378.6</b>	<b>17 088.6</b>	<b>17 535.2</b>	<b>-1 843.4</b>
July-17*	6 280.0	5 477.9	6 690.6	410.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>44 160.1</b>	<b>40 661.5</b>	<b>42 875.7</b>	<b>-1 284.4</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

These trade data are compiled based on the General Trade System

Note: (\*) Provisional

(®) Revised

### Performance of Exports (Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports (TEs and NTEs)), July and June 2017\*

There has been an increase of 21.2 percent in the total value of Metal exports (TEs) from K4,386.1 Million in June 2017 to K5,314.0 Million in July 2017. The overall contribution of Metals and their products to the total export earnings in July and June 2017 averaged 76.8 percent.

Non Traditional exports (NTEs) on the other hand have recorded a decrease of 9.6 percent from K1,522.0 Million in June 2017 to K1,376.6 Million in July 2017. The share of NTEs recorded an average of 23.2 percent in revenue earnings between July and June 2017.

### Zambia's Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), July and June 2017

PERIOD	JuL*	% Share	Jun®	% Share
	Value (K'Million)		Value (K'Million)	
Traditional Exports	5 314.0	79.4	4 386.1	74.2
Non-Traditional Exports	1 376.6	20.6	1 522.0	25.8
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>6 690.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5 908.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (\*) Provisional

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## Zambia's Copper Export Volumes and London Metal Exchange (LME) Prices, January to July 2017.

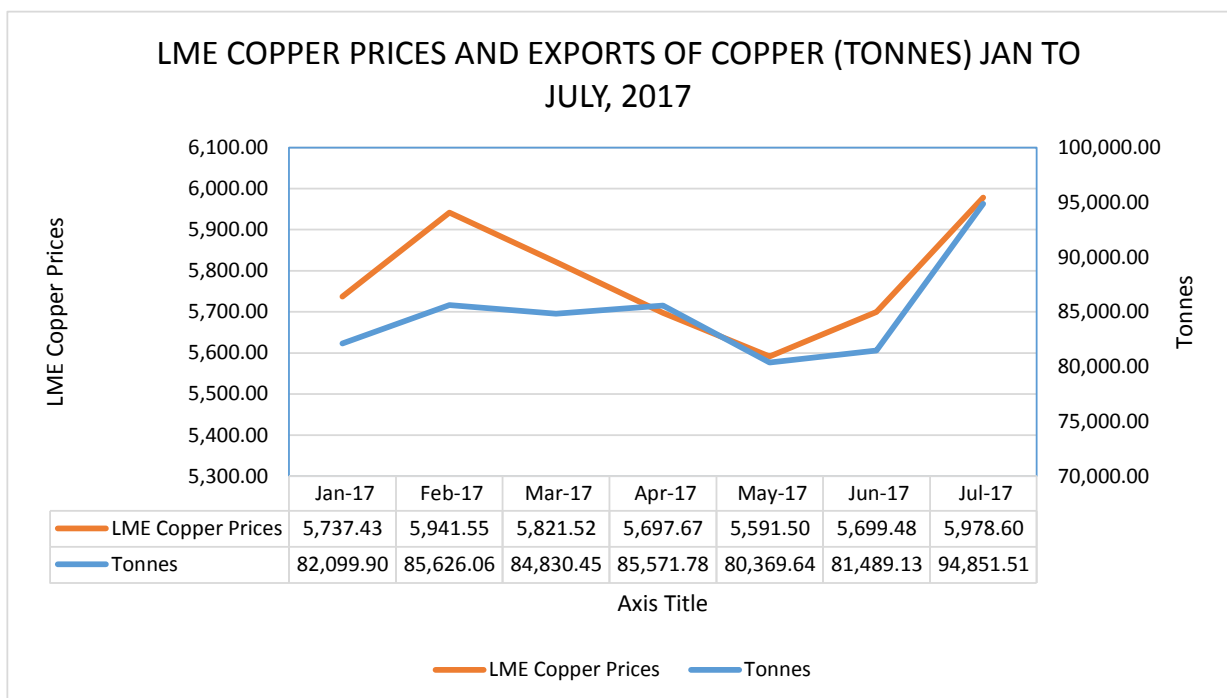
### Zambia's Exports of Copper by Volume and corresponding prices at the London Metal Exchange (LME), January to July 2017

Between July and June 2017, the volume of Copper exported significantly increased by 16.4 percent, from 81,489.1 metric tonnes recorded in June 2017 to 94,851.5 metric tonnes in July 2017.

On the other hand, the corresponding price of Copper on the London Metal Exchange increased by 4.9 percent from USD5,699.48 per metric tonnes in June

2017 to USD5,978.60 per metric tonnes in July 2017.

Since Copper accounts for the largest weight/ proportion of Traditional Exports, any change in the volume and price/value has a direct bearing on the performance of Traditional Exports.



### Zambia's Top 25 Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), July and June 2017

Zambia's major Non-Traditional Exports (NTE) for July 2017 were Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk, which accounted for 7.4 percent, followed by New stamps; stamp-impressed paper; cheque forms;

Bank notes, etc -postage, revenue stamp, which accounted for 6.1 percent.

Other notable NTEs in July 2017 were Cotton, not carded or combed (5.5 percent) and Bullion semi-manufactured forms which accounted for 4.5 percent.

**Zambia's Top 25 Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), July and June 2017**

Period		Jul-2017*		Period		Jun-2017®	
Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	% Share	Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	% Share
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	101.3	7.4	26020000	MANGANESE ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGINOUS), WITH MANGANESE CONT.OF=>20%	134.2	8.8
49070010	New stamps; stamp-impressed paper; cheque forms; banknotes, etc -postage, revenue stamp	84.6	6.1	28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	119.0	7.8
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	76.1	5.5	49070010	New stamps; stamp-impressed paper; cheque forms; banknotes, etc - postage, revenue stamp	114.0	7.5
71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms	62.6	4.5	17011400	Other raw cane sugar	84.0	5.5
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	62.5	4.5	71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms	72.4	4.8
17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	61.5	4.5	24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	61.0	4.0
74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	56.5	4.1	24011000	Tobacco, not stemmed/stripped	50.9	3.3
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	53.2	3.9	28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	42.1	2.8
17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	35.4	2.6	74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	41.6	2.7
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	35.2	2.6	17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	39.4	2.6
23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	28.5	2.1	23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	36.1	2.4
85171200	Telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	28.1	2.0	10059000	Maize (excl. seed)	35.5	2.3
25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	26.9	2.0	25221000	Quicklime	34.9	2.3
36020090	Other prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	25.6	1.9	34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	33.9	2.2
12019000	Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed	25.6	1.9	85171200	Telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	33.3	2.2
10059000	Maize (excl. seed)	25.2	1.8	52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	33.0	2.2
34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	24.7	1.8	25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	26.1	1.7
14042000	Cotton linters	23.0	1.7	22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	25.9	1.7
71039900	Precious or semi-precious stones, worked but not set..., nes	22.7	1.6	85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	19.4	1.3
25199000	Magnesia and other magnesium oxide	21.5	1.6	36020090	Other prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	19.1	1.3
38249900	Other nes	16.8	1.2	17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	18.8	1.2
10051000	Maize seed	16.7	1.2	12019000	Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed	18.4	1.2
85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	15.8	1.1	10051000	Maize seed	17.5	1.1
41032000	Hides and skins of reptiles, fresh or preserved, not tanned	15.3	1.1	25309000	Other mineral substances, nes	17.2	1.1
84314900	Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, nes	14.1	1.0	25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	13.5	0.9
Others		417.1	30.3	Others		381.0	25.0
	<b>NTE"s</b>	<b>1 376.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>NTE"s</b>	<b>1 522.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (\*) Provisional  
(R) Revised figures

## Exports by Major Product Categories, July and June 2017

Zambia's major export products in July 2017 were from the intermediate goods category (mainly comprising Copper anodes for electrolytic refining and Cathodes of refined copper) accounting

for 86.0 percent. Exports from the Consumer goods, Raw Materials and Capital goods categories, collectively accounted for 14.0 percent of total exports in July 2017.

### Exports by Major Product Categories July and June 2017\*

CATEGORY	JULY - 2017*		Jun-17®	
	Value (K' Million )	% Share	Value (K' Million )	% Share
Consumer goods	509.5	7.6	624.3	10.6
Raw materials	296.6	4.4	339.6	5.7
Intermediate goods	5 752.4	86.0	4 816.8	81.5
Capital goods	132.2	2.0	127.4	2.2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6 690.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5 908.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (\*) Provisional

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## Zambia's Major Export Destinations by Commodity in July 2017

The major export destination in July 2017 was Switzerland, which accounted for 50.2 percent of the total export earnings. The major export products to Switzerland were Copper anodes for electrolytic refining, accounting for 47.3 percent.

China was the second main destination of Zambia's exports accounting for 11.8 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product to China was Copper blister, accounting for 57.8 percent of total export earnings to that country.

South Africa was the third main export destination accounting for 10.1 percent of the total export earnings. The major

export product was Cathodes of refined copper accounting for 39.9 percent

Congo DR was the fourth main export destination accounting for 5.8 percent of the total export earnings. The major export products were Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk accounting for 13.6 percent of total export earnings to that country.

The fifth main export destination was Hong Kong, which accounted for 4.1 percent of the total export earnings. The major export products were Copper-cobalt alloy, accounting for 83.2 percent. These five countries collectively accounted for 82.0 percent of Zambia's total export earnings in July 2017.

## Zambia's Five Major Export Destinations by Product for July 2017

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jul-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
<b>SWITZERLAND</b>		<b>3 356.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	1 585.9	47.3
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	1 301.2	38.8
74020011	Copper blister	124.8	3.7
74031900	Other refined Copper	107.1	3.2
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	98.9	2.9
74031120	Sections of cathodes of refined copper	98.2	2.9
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	9.2	0.3
49070010	New stamps; stamp-impressed paper; cheque forms; banknotes, etc - postage, revenue stamp	9.0	0.3
14042000	Cotton linters	6.4	0.2
79031000	Zinc dust	4.0	0.1
Others		11.5	0.3
<b>Percent of Total Jul Exports</b>		50.2	
<b>CHINA</b>		<b>791.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
74020011	Copper blister	457.8	57.8
74031900	Other refined Copper	173.4	21.9
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	82.4	10.4
74031120	Sections of cathodes of refined copper	55.4	7.0
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	7.8	1.0
26020000	MANGANESE ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGINOUS), WITH MANGANESE CONT.OF=>20%	6.1	0.8
26030019	Other copper ores	2.1	0.3
25309000	Other mineral substances, nes	2.0	0.3
28201010	Manganese dioxide in bulk	1.5	0.2
44079900	Other wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled,...of thickness > 6mm nes	0.8	0.1
Others		2.5	0.3
<b>Percent of Total Jul Exports</b>		11.8	
<b>SOUTH AFRICA</b>		<b>676.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	270.0	39.9
81059000	Other: Articles of cobalt, nes	93.8	13.9
71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms	62.6	9.3
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	55.6	8.2
74031120	Sections of cathodes of refined copper	47.9	7.1
74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	37.0	5.5
12019000	Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed	10.0	1.5
23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	9.4	1.4
72022100	Ferro-silicon, containing by weight >55% silicon	7.9	1.2
85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	7.5	1.1
Others		74.7	11.0
<b>Percent of Total Jul Exports</b>		10.1	
<b>CONGO DR</b>		<b>391.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	53.2	13.6
17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	35.4	9.1
17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	31.2	8.0
25199000	Magnesia and other magnesium oxide	21.5	5.5
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	19.4	5.0
38249900	Other nes	16.8	4.3
36020090	Other prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	13.5	3.4
25221000	Quicklime	12.3	3.2
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	12.1	3.1
34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	10.7	2.7
Others		165.0	42.2
<b>Percent of Total Jul Exports</b>		5.8	

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jul-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
<b>HONG KONG</b>		<b>276.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
74032990	Copper-cobalt alloy	229.9	83.2
74020011	Copper blister	17.9	6.5
74032910	- cobalt alloy	13.5	4.9
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	8.9	3.2
71039900	Precious or semi-precious stones, worked but not set..., nes	4.4	1.6
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	1.3	0.5
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	0.1	0.0
03053200	Fish fillets, of families Bregmacerotidae, etc dried, salted or in brine, but not smoked	0.1	0.0
25309000	Other mineral substances, nes	0.1	0.0
03055900	Dried fish, not smoked nes	0.0	0.0
Others		0.0	0.0
<b>Percent of Total Jul Exports</b>		4.1	
<b>Other Destinations</b>		1 199.1	17.9
<b>Total Value of Jul Exports</b>		<b>6 690.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (\*) Provisional

### Export Market Shares by selected Regional Groupings and Major Trading Partners, July and June 2017

Switzerland was the largest market for Zambia's total exports in the month of July 2017, accounting for 50.2 percent.

Asia was the second largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 21.0 percent in July 2017. Within Asia, China was the dominant export market, accounting for 56.4 percent. Other notable markets in Asia were Hong Kong, Singapore, United Arab Emirates and India.

The SADC exclusive grouping was the third largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 12.5 percent in July 2017. Within this grouping, South Africa was the dominant market with 81.1 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were Tanzania and Botswana.

The DUAL- SADC & COMESA was the fourth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 11.0 percent in July 2017.

Within this group, Congo DR was the dominant market with 53.1 percent. Other notable markets were Swaziland, Zimbabwe and Malawi.

The European Union grouping was the fifth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 2.2 percent in July 2017. Within this grouping, The United Kingdom was the dominant market with 56.4 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were Luxembourg and Belgium.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the sixth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 1.4 percent in July 2017. Within this group, Kenya was the dominant market with 44.3 percent. Other notable markets were Rwanda and Burundi.

The rest of the world accounted for the remaining 1.7 percent in July 2017.

## Export Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, July and June 2017

GROUPING	July-2017*		GROUPING	JUNE-2017®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share		Value (K'Million)	% Share
<b>SADC EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>833.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>SADC EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>268.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
SOUTH AFRICA	676.1	81.1	SOUTH AFRICA	197.6	73.7
TANZANIA	118.7	14.2	TANZANIA	38.1	14.2
BOTSWANA	23.7	2.8	BOTSWANA	20.0	7.5
MOZAMBIQUE	11.1	1.3	MOZAMBIQUE	7.3	2.7
NAMIBIA	4.1	0.5	NAMIBIA	4.4	1.6
Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.2	0.0	Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.8	0.3
<b>% of Total July Exports</b>	<b>12.5</b>		<b>% of Total June Exports</b>	<b>4.5</b>	
<b>COMESA EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>94.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>COMESA EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>152.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>
KENYA	42.1	44.3	KENYA	113.6	74.7
RWANDA	29.3	30.9	RWANDA	24.8	16.3
BURUNDI	19.2	20.2	BURUNDI	9.3	6.1
UGANDA	4.4	4.6	UGANDA	4.3	2.8
ETHIOPIA	0.0	0.0	ETHIOPIA	0.0	0.0
Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0	Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0
<b>% of Total July Exports</b>	<b>1.4</b>		<b>% of Total June Exports</b>	<b>2.6</b>	
<b>DUAL- SADC &amp; COMESA</b>	<b>736.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>DUAL- SADC &amp; COMESA</b>	<b>627.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
CONGO DR	391.3	53.1	CONGO DR	366.2	58.4
SWAZILAND	139.8	19.0	MALAWI	137.2	21.9
ZIMBABWE	112.5	15.3	ZIMBABWE	123.3	19.7
MALAWI	88.7	12.0	MAURITIUS	0.5	0.1
MAURITIUS	4.1	0.6	MADAGASCAR	0.0	0.0
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0
<b>% of Total July Exports</b>	<b>11.0</b>		<b>% of Total June Exports</b>	<b>10.6</b>	
<b>ASIA</b>	<b>1 403.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>ASIA</b>	<b>1 924.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>
CHINA	791.8	56.4	CHINA	1 034.8	53.8
HONG KONG	276.2	19.7	SINGAPORE	414.0	21.5
SINGAPORE	262.1	18.7	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	218.0	11.3
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	35.2	2.5	INDIA	141.6	7.4
INDIA	24.3	1.7	HONG KONG	76.3	4.0
Other Asia	13.8	1.0	Other Asia	39.8	2.1
<b>% of Total July Exports</b>	<b>21.0</b>		<b>% of Total June Exports</b>	<b>32.6</b>	
<b>EUROPEAN UNION</b>	<b>149.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>EUROPEAN UNION</b>	<b>264.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
UNITED KINGDOM	84.0	56.4	LUXEMBOURG	129.7	49.1
LUXEMBOURG	44.2	29.7	UNITED KINGDOM	120.7	45.7
BELGIUM	6.9	4.6	GERMANY	5.4	2.1
FRANCE	3.7	2.5	BELGIUM	2.7	1.0
GERMANY	3.7	2.5	NETHERLANDS	2.2	0.8
Other European Union	6.5	4.4	Other European Union	3.2	1.2
<b>% of Total July Exports</b>	<b>2.2</b>		<b>% of Total June Exports</b>	<b>4.5</b>	
<b>SWITZERLAND</b>	<b>3 356.2</b>	<b>50.2</b>	<b>SWITZERLAND</b>	<b>2 659.5</b>	<b>45.0</b>
Rest of the World	116.9	1.7	Rest of the World	12.6	0.2
<b>World</b>	<b>6 690.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>World</b>	<b>5 908.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2016

Note: 1. SADC = (SADC EXCLUSIVE + Dual SADC & COMESA)  
 2. COMESA = (COMESA Exclusive + Dual SADC & COMESA)  
 \*\* Switzerland Does not belong to any Regional grouping but is our Major Export Destination

## Imports by Major Product Categories, July and June 2017

The major import products by category in July 2017 were Capital goods category, accounting for 31.8 percent. The intermediate goods category was second with 28.3 percent followed by Consumer

goods and Raw materials Categories, accounting for 26.3 percent and 13.6 percent, respectively.

### Imports (cif) by Major Product Categories, July and June 2017

CATEGORY	July - 2017*		Jun-17®	
	Value (K' Million )	% Share	Value (K' Million )	% Share
Consumer goods	1,653.1	26.3	1,613.4	25.8
Raw materials	855.2	13.6	960.1	15.4
Intermediate goods	1,775.3	28.3	1,487.5	23.8
Capital goods	1,996.5	31.8	2,182.8	35.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6,280.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,243.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (\*) Provisional  
(R) Revised

### Zambia's Major Import Sources by Product in July 2017

The major source of imports in July 2017 was South Africa, accounting for 29.6 percent. The major import products were Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, not elsewhere specified and Sulphur of all kinds, each accounting for 2.6 percent.

The second source of Zambia's imports was Congo DR, accounting for 22.6 percent. The major import products were Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk which accounted for 51.8 percent.

China was the third main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 10.5 percent. The major import products were Crushing or grinding machines for earth, stone, ores, etc accounting for 9.1 percent.

Other sources of Zambia's imports were Kuwait and India, which collectively accounted for 10.2 percent of Zambia's imports.

### Zambia's Five Major Import Sources by Product for July, 2017

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jul-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
<b>SOUTH AFRICA</b>		<b>1,856.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
84314900	Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, nes	48.7	2.6
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	48.6	2.6
87041000	Dumpers for off-highway use	40.8	2.2
87042100	vehicles (diesel engine) for the transport of goods GVW upto 5 tonnes	40.0	2.2
31023000	Ammonium nitrate	33.2	1.8
84139100	Parts of pumps for liquids	33.0	1.8
27101910	Gas oils	32.0	1.7
31029000	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous , nes	30.3	1.6
84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	23.7	1.3
84304900	Boring or sinking machinery (excl. self-propelled)	23.2	1.2
Others		1,503.3	81.0
<b>Percent of Total Jul Imports</b>		<b>29.6</b>	
<b>CONGO DR</b>		<b>1,421.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	736.6	51.8
26030029	Other - copper concentrate	286.7	20.2

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jul-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
26030021	Copper concentrate sulphide	156.7	11.0
26030023	Copper concentrate oxide	147.3	10.4
26050020	Cobalt concentrate	82.5	5.8
79031000	Zinc dust	10.7	0.7
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	0.9	0.1
72149900	Iron/steel bars and rods, hot-rolled, hot-drawn or hot extruded, nes	0.1	0.0
71051000	Dust and powder of diamonds	0.1	0.0
82071900	Rock drilling/earth boring tools(excl. with working part of cermets):parts	0.0	0.0
Others		0.1	0.0
<b>Percent of Total Jul Imports</b>		<b>22.6</b>	
<b>CHINA</b>		<b>662.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
84742000	Crushing or grinding machines for earth, stone, ores, etc	60.1	9.1
28332110	Sulphates of magnesium in bulk	24.2	3.7
73089090	Structures and parts of structures, nes, of iron or steel - Other	21.2	3.2
84748000	Other machinery for earth, stone, ores, etc, nes	20.4	3.1
30049000	Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes	19.5	2.9
31054000	Ammonium dihydrogenorthophosphate (monoammonium phosphate)	19.4	2.9
84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	17.0	2.6
85171200	Telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	12.8	1.9
84741000	Sorting, screening, separating or washing machines for earth, stone...	10.9	1.6
31021000	Urea	10.6	1.6
Others		446.1	67.4
<b>Percent of Total Jul Imports</b>		<b>10.5</b>	
<b>KUWAIT</b>		<b>448.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
27090000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	324.1	72.2
27101210	Motor Spirit	85.9	19.1
27101910	Gas oils.	38.6	8.6
31052000	Mineral or chemical fertilizers with nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium	0.3	0.1
Others		0.0	0.0
<b>Percent of Total Jul Imports</b>		<b>7.1</b>	
<b>INDIA</b>		<b>191.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
30043900	Other Medicaments of other hormones, for retail sale, nes	34.7	18.1
84295900	Self-propelled bulldozers, excavators..., nes	21.7	11.3
30049000	Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes	21.5	11.2
30022000	Vaccines for human medicine	8.0	4.1
70109000	Other carboys, bottles, flasks, jars, pots, phials, ampoules etc.	5.3	2.8
39206310	Plates..., of unsaturated polyesters, not reinforced, etc	3.6	1.9
87052000	Mobile drilling derricks	3.4	1.8
84171000	Furnaces and ovens for roasting, melting... of ores/pyrites/metals	3.2	1.7
17024000	Glucose and glucose syrup, containing >=20% but <50% fructose,excluding invert sugar.	2.9	1.5
84182900	Household refrigerators, nes	2.9	1.5
Others		84.5	44.1
<b>Percent of Total Jul Imports</b>		<b>3.1</b>	
<b>Other Sources</b>		<b>1,698.6</b>	<b>27.0</b>
<b>Total Value of Jul Imports</b>		<b>6,280.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2016

Note: (\*) Provisional  
(R) Revised figures



## Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings and major trading partners July and June 2017

The SADC Exclusive grouping was the major source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 34.0 percent in July 2017. Within this grouping, South Africa was the dominant market with 86.9 percent. Other notable markets were Tanzania, Namibia, Mozambique and Botswana.

Asia was the second main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 26.7 percent in July 2017. Within this grouping, China was the major source of Zambia's imports accounting for 39.5 percent. Other notable markets were Kuwaiti, India, United Arab Emirates and Japan.

Dual SADC-COMESA was the third main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 26.6 percent in July 2017. Within this regional grouping, Congo DR was the main source of

Zambia's imports with 85.2 percent. Other notable markets were Mauritius, Zimbabwe, Swaziland and Malawi.

The European Union was the fourth largest source of Zambia's imports accounting for 7.3 percent. Within this grouping, United Kingdom was the main source of Zambia's imports with 28.0 percent. Other notable markets were Sweden, Germany, Belgium and Finland.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the fifth largest source for Zambia's imports accounting for 0.6 percent in July 2017. Within this grouping, Kenya was the dominant market with 77.1 percent. Other notable markets were Egypt, Burundi, Ethiopia and Uganda.

### Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, July and June 2017.

GROUPING	July-2017*		GROUPING	June-2017®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share		Value (K'Million)	% Share
<b>SADC EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>2,136.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>SADC EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>2,451.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
SOUTH AFRICA	1,856.8	86.9	SOUTH AFRICA	1,917.7	78.2
TANZANIA	170.3	8.0	MOZAMBIQUE	257.2	10.5
NAMIBIA	70.3	3.3	TANZANIA	183.2	7.5
MOZAMBIQUE	23.1	1.1	NAMIBIA	68.4	2.8
BOTSWANA	15.4	0.7	BOTSWANA	24.7	1.0
Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.3	0.0	Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0
<b>% of Total July Imports</b>	<b>34.0</b>		<b>% of Total June Imports</b>	<b>39.3</b>	
<b>COMESA EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>34.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>COMESA EXCLUSIVE</b>	<b>40.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
KENYA	26.9	77.1	KENYA	27.9	69.1
EGYPT	7.7	22.1	EGYPT	11.9	29.6
BURUNDI	0.2	0.4	UGANDA	0.4	1.0
ETHIOPIA	0.1	0.2	ETHIOPIA	0.1	0.3
UGANDA	0.0	0.1	RWANDA	0.0	0.1
Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0	Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0
<b>% of Total July Imports</b>	<b>0.6</b>		<b>% of Total June Imports</b>	<b>0.6</b>	
<b>DUAL- SADC &amp; COMESA</b>	<b>1,667.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>DUAL- SADC &amp; COMESA</b>	<b>1,450.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>
CONGO DR	1,421.8	85.2	CONGO DR	1,231.7	84.9
MAURITIUS	119.3	7.2	MAURITIUS	135.9	9.4
ZIMBABWE	82.4	4.9	ZIMBABWE	57.2	3.9
SWAZILAND	26.5	1.6	SWAZILAND	13.3	0.9
MALAWI	17.8	1.1	MALAWI	12.2	0.8
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0

GROUPING	July-2017*		GROUPING	June-2017®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share		Value (K'Million)	% Share
% of Total July Imports	26.6		% of Total June Imports	23.2	
<b>ASIA</b>	<b>1,675.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>ASIA</b>	<b>1,575.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>
CHINA	662.2	39.5	CHINA	656.3	41.7
KUWAIT	448.8	26.8	KUWAIT	330.5	21.0
INDIA	191.8	11.4	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	147.0	9.3
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	114.0	6.8	INDIA	134.6	8.5
JAPAN	112.4	6.7	JAPAN	98.0	6.2
Other Asia	146.4	8.7	Other Asia	208.7	13.2
% of Total July Imports	26.7		% of Total June Imports	25.2	
<b>EUROPEAN UNION</b>	<b>461.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>EUROPEAN UNION</b>	<b>497.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>
UNITED KINGDOM	129.3	28.0	UNITED KINGDOM	109.4	22.0
SWEDEN	74.2	16.1	GERMANY	87.2	17.5
GERMANY	41.4	9.0	IRELAND	61.4	12.3
BELGIUM	37.7	8.2	NETHERLANDS	58.1	11.7
FINLAND	36.6	7.9	FINLAND	40.1	8.1
Other European Union	142.0	30.8	Other European Union	141.0	28.4
% of Total July Imports	7.3		% of Total June Imports	8.0	
Rest of the World	304.2	<b>4.8</b>	Rest of the World	229.5	<b>3.7</b>
<b>World</b>	<b>6,280.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>World</b>	<b>6,243.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (\*) Provisional

(R) Revised figures

## SELECTED SOCIO-ECONOMIC INDICATORS

CONSUMER INDEX NUMBERS OF CONSUMER PRICES - FOOD AND NON-FOOD (NATIONAL) 2009 = 100				
Period	Month	Total	Food CPI	Non-Food CPI
Weight		1000.0	534.9	465.2
2014	January	136.32	131.60	141.74
	February	136.92	132.36	142.24
	March	138.67	134.09	143.95
	April	139.61	134.99	144.92
	May	140.85	136.02	146.41
	June	141.48	136.32	147.41
	July	142.57	136.24	149.85
	August	143.52	137.50	150.44
	September	143.87	137.75	150.91
	October	144.00	137.71	151.22
	November	144.63	138.45	151.73
	December	145.70	140.30	151.92
2015	January	146.76	141.28	153.07
	February	147.13	142.39	152.58
	March	148.63	143.79	154.20
	April	149.66	144.61	155.47
	May	150.62	145.81	156.15
	June	151.46	146.40	157.68
	July	152.64	146.95	159.19
	August	153.94	148.16	160.58
	September	155.00	148.95	161.95
	October	164.65	160.03	169.97
	November	172.86	170.85	175.18
	December	176.46	175.09	178.06
2016	January	178.70	177.88	179.65
	February	180.81	179.94	181.80
	March	181.68	181.52	181.86
	April	182.24	183.01	181.36
	May	182.68	183.39	181.85
	June	183.31	183.03	183.63
	July	183.43	183.36	183.52
	August	184.07	183.87	184.31
	September	184.22	183.85	184.64
	October	185.16	185.01	185.33
	November	188.00	186.58	189.64
	December	189.64	188.68	190.75
2017	January	191.28	190.96	191.64
	February	193.12	193.28	192.94
	March	193.78	193.74	193.83
	April	194.48	194.09	194.93
	May	194.62	194.22	195.09
	June	195.82	193.61	198.37
	July	195.60	193.13	198.43
	August	195.75	193.32	198.53

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2016

**INDEX NUMBERS OF CONSUMER PRICES: COMPOSITE (2009 WEIGHTS)**

Period	All Items	Food and Non-Alcoholic Beverages	Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	Clothing and Footwear	Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	Furnishing, Household Equipment, Routine Hse Mtc	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation and Culture	Education	Restaurant and Hotel	Miscellaneous Goods and Services	
<b>Weight:</b>	1 000.00	534.85	15.21	80.78	114.11	82.36	8.15	58.08	12.94	13.84	26.62	3.37	49.69	
2015	January	146.76	141.28	139.98	151.34	172.88	145.24	141.78	152.77	111.85	138.70	161.52	143.18	140.46
	February	147.13	142.39	139.67	152.49	172.10	146.03	143.49	146.18	111.88	139.52	162.03	143.43	141.51
	March	148.63	143.79	140.03	154.23	173.44	148.20	144.70	149.05	111.85	141054	162.09	145.01	142.80
	April	149.66	144.61	140.94	156.36	174.05	149.87	145.46	151.55	112.44	142.61	162.09	145.75	143.15
	May	150.62	145.81	141.44	157.16	174.65	151.12	147.85	150.65	112.47	143.51	164.26	146.65	143.85
	June	151.46	146.04	141.60	158.51	177.15	152.00	148.47	153.56	112.61	144.32	164.37	147.01	144.91
	July	152.64	146.95	143.16	160.31	179.35	153.01	149.49	156.67	113.13	144.76	164.50	147.64	145.90
	August	153.94	148.16	143.94	161.24	179.73	153.92	150.36	162.11	113.13	145.69	164.54	148.08	146.74
	September	155.00	148.95	144.94	161.79	180.06	154.88	150.39	169.16	113.13	145.85	164.56	149.27	147.65
	October	164.65	160.03	151.53	167.22	180.27	171.02	161.71	189.38	113.14	162.88	164.94	154.41	153.93
	November	172.86	170.85	159.55	176.94	180.36	179.38	167.97	191.82	117.10	173.78	165.62	158.04	161.79
	December	176.46	175.09	160.49	180.36	186.96	184.22	169.08	185.68	118.40	175.73	165.67	159.84	165.38
2016	January	178.70	177.88	162.35	181.50	183.06	185.67	168.89	190.09	117.99	173.83	188.30	163.09	167.86
	February	180.81	179.94	166.29	183.68	186.42	187.03	170.77	190.48	118.49	176.20	189.94	166.37	170.61
	March	181.68	181.52	168.50	185.57	184.83	188.75	171.32	187.23	118.64	176.19	190.59	165.20	171.60
	April	182.24	183.01	170.58	186.76	184.44	188.44	172.73	182.20	124.37	176.99	190.67	166.17	169.59
	May	182.68	183.39	172.39	186.40	186.07	189.88	171.68	180.22	124.65	174.27	191.24	163.43	171.18
	June	183.31	183.03	173.16	187.97	187.98	190.13	172.63	187.33	124.65	173.64	191.74	163.79	171.62
	July	183.43	183.36	173.83	188.88	188.28	190.02	172.81	184.72	124.98	174.73	191.74	164.48	170.98
	August	184.07	183.87	174.52	190.69	187.38	190.63	174.14	187.67	125.19	175.99	191.80	165.42	172.09
	September	184.22	183.85	174.47	191.90	187.74	190.09	173.87	188.32	125.23	175.88	191.80	165.56	172.62
	October	185.16	185.01	174.36	192.48	187.54	191.63	177.12	189.41	125.68	179.76	192.06	166.15	172.95
	November	188.00	186.58	175.23	193.60	191.19	194.11	177.45	209.59	125.86	182.10	192.06	167.31	174.26
	December	189.64	188.68	177.76	196.42	191.14	194.66	178.95	210.51	125.90	182.15	195.16	167.62	175.47
2017	January	191.28	190.96	178.38	198.38	192.51	195.14	179.31	207.35	127.34	183.06	202.15	168.81	175.65
	February	193.12	193.28	180.44	200.12	194.16	195.85	180.21	207.05	127.51	184.27	205.16	170.26	177.53
	March	193.78	193.74	180.27	202.15	195.86	197.30	181.30	204.20	127.56	185.23	205.75	170.92	178.74
	April	194.48	194.09	179.07	202.42	197.72	197.34	180.95	208.54	127.56	184.92	205.75	170.07	179.80
	May	194.62	194.22	180.11	203.17	198.17	197.82	180.86	205.95	127.58	185.41	205.75	171.08	180.76
	June	195.82	193.61	179.39	203.16	210.67	198.71	183.29	206.95	127.03	182.86	205.93	171.55	180.71
	July	195.60	193.13	179.68	204.79	210.88	198.99	183.50	205.05	127.03	182.26	205.70	171.99	180.02
	August	195.75	193.32	180.95	205.55	211.38	199.39	184.53	202.46	127.07	182.34	205.70	172.28	180.34

CONSUMER PRICE INDICES (2009=100)			
Year	Month	Annual CPI	Annual Inflation Rate
2011	January	111.61	6.3
2011	February	112.36	6.5
2011	March	113.56	6.6
2011	April	114.24	6.3
2011	May	114.56	6.3
2011	June	114.52	6.1
2011	July	115.89	6.9
2011	August	116.60	6.5
2011	September	117.01	6.6
2011	October	116.80	6.7
2011	November	116.94	6.4
2011	December	117.47	6.0
2012	January	118.77	6.4
2012	February	119.09	6.0
2012	March	120.84	6.4
2012	April	121.63	6.5
2012	May	122.11	6.6
2012	June	122.16	6.7
2012	July	123.06	6.2
2012	August	124.11	6.4
2012	September	124.72	6.6
2012	October	124.80	6.8
2012	November	125.04	6.9
2012	December	126.08	7.3
2013	January	127.08	7.0
2013	February	127.30	6.9
2013	March	128.81	6.6
2013	April	129.57	6.5
2013	May	130.67	7.0
2013	June	131.13	7.3
2013	July	131.99	7.3
2013	August	132.87	7.1
2013	September	133.41	7.0
2013	October	133.40	6.9
2013	November	133.82	7.0
2013	December	135.08	7.1
2014	January	136.32	7.3
2014	February	136.96	7.6
2014	March	138.67	7.7
2014	April	139.61	7.8
2014	May	140.85	7.8
2014	June	141.48	7.9
2014	July	142.57	8.0
2014	August	143.46	8.0
2014	September	143.87	7.8
2014	October	144.00	7.9
2014	November	144.63	8.1
2014	December	145.70	7.9
2015	January	146.76	7.7
2015	February	147.13	7.4
2015	March	148.63	7.2
2015	April	149.66	7.2
2015	May	150.62	6.9
2015	June	151.46	7.1
2015	July	152.64	7.1
2015	August	153.94	7.3
2015	September	155.00	7.7
2015	October	164.65	14.3
2015	November	172.86	19.5
2015	December	176.46	21.1
2016	January	178.70	21.8
2016	February	180.81	22.9
2016	March	181.68	22.2
2016	April	182.24	21.8

CONSUMER PRICE INDICES (2009=100)			
Year	Month	Annual CPI	Annual Inflation Rate
2016	May	182.68	21.3
2016	June	183.31	21.0
2016	July	183.43	20.2
2016	August	184.07	19.6
2016	September	184.22	18.9
2016	October	185.16	12.5
2016	November	188.00	8.8
2016	December	189.64	7.5
2017	January	191.28	7.0
2017	February	193.12	6.8
2017	March	193.74	6.7
2017	April	194.48	6.7
2017	May	194.62	6.5
2017	June	195.82	6.8
2017	July	195.60	6.6
2017	August	195.75	6.3

Note: Inflation rates are computed using unrounded consumer price indices

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF SELECTED PRODUCTS FOR 2015 AND 2016								
Year	Product							
	Copper Production(MT)		Cement Production(MT)		Coal Production(MT)		Total Emerald/Beryl Production(KGs)	
	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015
Jan	63,918	57,203	152,322	108,189	2,750	15,255	3,879	6,950
Feb	55,351	52,766	128,153	134,059	1,547	16,454	1,098	7,315
Mar	64,053	56,162	140,800	114,157	3,884	19,753	1,597	6,660
Apr	58,138	50,472	169,683	119,270	3,544	9,572	5,503	725
May	62,024	63,910	154,762	144,487	5,151	4,038	4,411	687
Jun	69,020	60,017	158,375	100,420	4,386	6,746	5,084	2,525
Jul	69,998	57,376	172,564	149,811	7,255	8,384	1,118	7,000
Aug	66,217	69,495	177,453	153,530	2,664	5,726	11,969	1,470
Sep	66,356	63,740	186,814	28,001	8,191	4,988	6,923	581
Oct	62,608	58,758	107,588	195,431	3,715	4,539	10,246	595
Nov	69,369	55,200	145,350	179,096	9,357	4,520	397	712
Dec	63,547	65,762	89,951	137,286	4,849	3,464	19,385	4,293
Total	770,598	710,860	1,783,815	1,563,737	57,293	103,439	71,610	39,513

Source: CSO, Industrial Production Statistics

ANNUAL COPPER PRODUCTION STATISTICS: 1960 - 2017 Q1 (Thousand metric tonnes) '000										
(Note that copper is converted to refined copper equivalent)										
Year	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
Copper Cathodes production('000 tonnes)	442.3	458.9	477.6	483.9	547.7	574.5	548.5	588.8	630.4	708.5
Year	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
Copper Cathodes production('000 tonnes)	580.2	534.6	614.4	638.4	668.6	619.2	694.6	649.0	629.0	564.4
Year	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989
Copper Cathodes production('000 tonnes)	607.2	560.6	584.5	576.1	523.3	479.9	459.7	483.1	422.2	450.8
Year	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Copper Cathodes production('000 tonnes)	426.2	376.9	441.6	403.5	360.2	307.1	314.6	319.1	300.3	265.9
Year	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Copper Cathodes production('000 tonnes)	259.6	325.3	337.1	353.9	422.9	465.0	515.6	550.7	575.0	698.2
Year	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017 Q1		
Copper Cathodes production('000 tonnes)	767.0	739.8	721.4	763.8	708.3	710.6	770.6	171.9		

**Total Exports (FOB) and Imports (CIF), January to July 2017\* (K' Million)**

PERIOD	TE"s	NTE"s	TOTAL EXPORTS (fob)
Jan-17®	4,657.1	1,224.4	5,881.6
Feb-17®	4,902.3	1,538.9	6,441.3
Mar-17®	4,720.5	1,606.5	6,327.0
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>14,280.0</b>	<b>4,369.9</b>	<b>18,649.9</b>
Apr-17®	4,681.0	1,140.1	5,821.1
May-17®	4,468.5	1,337.4	5,805.9
Jun-17®	4,386.1	1,522.0	5,908.1
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>13,535.6</b>	<b>3,999.5</b>	<b>17,535.2</b>
Jul-17*	5,314.0	1,376.6	6,690.6

**Total Exports by Selected Regional Groupings, (K' Million) – January to July 2017**

PERIOD	ASIA	COMESA	EU	SADC
Jan-17®	2,068.8	634.3	172.5	845.5
Feb-17®	2,382.8	605.1	107.4	889.6
Mar-17®	2,319.8	627.1	231.3	1,281.6
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>6,771.5</b>	<b>1,866.6</b>	<b>511.3</b>	<b>3,016.7</b>
Apr-17®	2,082.4	585.2	93.2	941.6
May-17®	1,899.3	749.7	115.1	1,009.9
Jun-17®	1,924.4	779.4	264.0	895.4
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>5,906.2</b>	<b>2,114.2</b>	<b>472.3</b>	<b>2,847.0</b>
Jul-17*	1,403.5	831.3	149.0	1,570.2

**Total Exports by Product Category, (K' Million) –January 2017 to July 2017**

PERIOD	CONSUMER GOODS	RAW MATERIALS	INTERMEDIATE GOODS	CAPITAL GOODS	TOTAL EXPORTS (fob)
Jan-17®	439.7	357.6	4,980.1	104.1	5,881.6
Feb-17®	565.2	459.8	5,262.5	153.8	6,441.3
Mar-17®	502.5	239.6	5,182.9	402.1	6,327.0
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>1,507.4</b>	<b>1,057.0</b>	<b>15,425.5</b>	<b>660.0</b>	<b>18,649.9</b>
Apr-17®	384.8	251.5	5,055.4	129.4	5,821.1
May-17®	563.3	320.6	4,803.4	118.7	5,805.9
Jun-17®	624.3	339.6	4,816.8	127.4	5,908.1
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>1,572.5</b>	<b>911.7</b>	<b>14,675.6</b>	<b>375.4</b>	<b>17,535.2</b>
Jul-17*	509.5	296.6	5,752.4	132.2	6,690.6

**Total Exports by Mode of Transport, K' Million and Tonnes– January 2017 to July 2017**

PERIOD	ROAD TRANSPORT		RAIL TRANSPORT		AIR TRANSPORT		OTHER		TOTAL EXPORTS (fob)	
Jan-17®	4,407.6	261,702.6	10.4	2,496.3	276.3	457.2	1,187.2	95,363.4	5,881.6	360,019.5
Feb-17®	4,520.2	238,344.0	133.4	3,173.1	462.0	436.9	1,325.7	89,176.4	6,441.3	331,130.4
Mar-17®	4,008.9	275,481.2	78.4	1,544.0	474.7	381.3	1,765.1	97,186.6	6,327.0	374,593.2
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>12,936.6</b>	<b>775,527.8</b>	<b>222.2</b>	<b>7,213.4</b>	<b>1,213.0</b>	<b>1,275.5</b>	<b>4,278.1</b>	<b>281,726.4</b>	<b>18,649.9</b>	<b>1,065,743.0</b>
Apr-17®	4,090.5	238,543.0	37.2	774.1	194.8	325.3	1,498.6	41,144.9	5,821.1	280,787.4
May-17®	4,310.1	260,801.6	46.2	1,099.4	281.0	409.6	1,168.6	40,808.5	5,805.9	303,119.0
Jun-17®	4,546.3	301,735.2	53.8	3,006.3	250.2	391.0	1,057.8	38,676.6	5,908.1	343,809.1
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>12,946.9</b>	<b>801,079.8</b>	<b>137.2</b>	<b>4,879.7</b>	<b>726.0</b>	<b>1,125.9</b>	<b>3,725.1</b>	<b>120,630.0</b>	<b>17,535.2</b>	<b>927,715.5</b>
Jul-17*	4,624.9	301,900.1	98.7	2,043.1	220.4	392.8	1,746.6	50,987.2	6,690.6	355,323.2

**Imports by Regional Groupings, (K' Million) – January to July 2017**

PERIOD	ASIA	COMESA	EU	SADC
Jan-17®	1,734.4	905.6	304.0	2,671.6
Feb-17®	2,621.4	1,003.1	388.4	3,472.1
Mar-17®	2,565.2	1,392.8	474.6	3,388.5
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>6,921.0</b>	<b>3,301.5</b>	<b>1,167.0</b>	<b>9,532.1</b>
Apr-17®	2,658.3	1,382.9	440.0	3,668.3
May-17®	1,981.2	1,021.6	598.1	3,345.6
Jun-17®	1,575.1	1,490.8	497.1	3,901.8
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>6,214.6</b>	<b>3,895.3</b>	<b>1,535.2</b>	<b>10,915.7</b>
Jul-17*	1,675.7	1,702.7	461.1	3,804.1

**Import Trade by Product Category, (K Million)–January 2017 to July 2017**

PERIOD	CONSUMER GOODS	RAW MATERIALS	INTERMEDIATE GOODS	CAPITAL GOODS	IMPORTS (cif)
Jan-17®	1,388.0	735.7	1,200.2	1,636.4	4,960.4
Feb-17®	1,457.5	699.3	1,213.2	3,378.8	6,748.7
Mar-17®	1,742.7	953.8	1,399.9	2,696.0	6,792.4
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>4,588.2</b>	<b>2,388.7</b>	<b>3,813.3</b>	<b>7,711.2</b>	<b>18,501.4</b>
Apr-17®	1,578.3	1,094.4	1,142.6	3,179.3	6,994.6
May-17®	1,865.9	903.5	1,245.4	2,125.3	6,140.1
Jun-17®	1,613.4	960.1	1,487.5	2,182.8	6,243.8
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>5,057.7</b>	<b>2,958.0</b>	<b>3,875.6</b>	<b>7,487.4</b>	<b>19,378.6</b>
Jul-17*	1,653.1	855.2	1,775.3	1,996.5	6,280.0

**Imports by Mode of Transport in K' Million and Tonnes – January 2017 to July 2017**

PERIOD	ROAD TRANSPORT		RAIL TRANSPORT		AIR TRANSPORT		OTHER		TOTAL	
Jan-17®	2,783.7	259,051.8	101.6	15,645.3	316.9	593.7	1,758.2	258,022.5	4,960.4	533,313.3
Feb-17®	3,715.4	272,746.7	81.5	9,859.5	1,166.7	757.7	1,785.1	183,222.7	6,748.7	466,586.7
Mar-17®	3,630.1	309,457.1	105.6	20,605.5	1,178.2	1,001.5	1,878.4	295,769.6	6,792.4	626,833.6
<b>Quarter 1</b>	<b>10,129.3</b>	<b>841,255.7</b>	<b>288.6</b>	<b>46,110.3</b>	<b>2,661.8</b>	<b>2,352.9</b>	<b>5,421.8</b>	<b>737,014.8</b>	<b>18,501.4</b>	<b>1,626,733.6</b>
Apr-17®	4,586.7	255,276.5	60.8	5,237.1	414.8	817.9	1,932.5	120,820.3	6,994.6	382,151.8
May-17®	3,477.2	270,129.0	64.8	12,587.0	643.1	1,096.5	1,955.0	141,029.5	6,140.1	424,842.0
Jun-17®	3,946.8	279,691.7	74.7	10,077.9	485.8	1,033.6	1,736.5	151,406.6	6,243.8	442,209.8
<b>Quarter 2</b>	<b>12,010.7</b>	<b>805,097.2</b>	<b>200.2</b>	<b>27,902.0</b>	<b>1,543.7</b>	<b>2,948.0</b>	<b>5,623.9</b>	<b>413,256.4</b>	<b>19,378.6</b>	<b>1,249,203.6</b>
Jul-17*	4,000.1	301,604.5	6.4	2,731.9	390.3	1,003.1	1,883.3	177,945.4	6,280.0	483,285.0



**Zambia's Trade Flows In Absolute US \$ and Zambia Kwacha (ZMW) - 2000 to 2017 (January- July)**

Flow Year	Currency	Total Exports	Domestic Exports	Re-Exports	Imports	Trade Balance
		(fob)	(fob)	(fob)	(cif)	
2000	ZMW	2,716,557,648	2,680,166,733	36,390,915	2,751,563,200	(35,005,551.5)
	US \$	869,485,416	857,837,819	11,647,597	871,386,492	(1,901,076.0)
2001	ZMW	3,537,206,913	3,523,388,831	13,818,083	3,900,496,869	(363,289,956.1)
	US \$	978,788,277	974,964,645	3,823,632	1,079,955,769	(101,167,492.0)
2002	ZMW	4,069,916,925	4,045,881,105	24,035,820	4,732,881,915	(662,964,990.3)
	US \$	944,356,533	938,779,421	5,577,112	1,103,070,912	(158,714,379.0)
2003	ZMW	4,642,039,643	4,614,120,921	27,918,722	7,439,867,257	(2,797,827,613.4)
	US \$	979,298,782	973,408,964	5,889,818	1,573,309,968	(594,011,186.0)
2004	ZMW	7,526,280,116	7,460,407,702	65,872,413	10,279,302,826	(2,753,022,710.8)
	US \$	1,577,240,766	1,563,436,250	13,804,516	2,150,649,040	(573,408,274.0)
2005	ZMW	9,612,909,461	9,564,984,513	47,924,948	11,466,668,653	(1,853,759,192.0)
	US \$	2,176,641,598	2,165,790,000	10,851,599	2,579,688,391	(403,046,793.0)
2006	ZMW	13,410,945,234	13,388,136,276	22,808,958	11,049,770,813	2,361,174,421.1
	US \$	3,681,524,702	3,675,263,268	6,261,434	3,023,996,472	657,528,230.0
2007	ZMW	18,399,133,746	18,301,278,319	97,855,427	15,945,289,848	2,453,843,898.3
	US \$	4,617,454,325	4,592,896,486	24,557,839	4,006,980,387	610,473,937.0
2008	ZMW	18,653,009,287	17,951,197,614	701,811,673	18,476,489,240	176,520,047.0
	US \$	5,098,688,004	4,906,852,001	191,836,004	5,060,482,666	38,205,339.0
2009	ZMW	21,364,760,204	20,312,466,565	1,052,293,640	18,941,137,479	2,423,622,725.8
	US \$	4,312,054,540	4,099,669,869	212,384,671	3,792,642,675	519,411,865.0
2010	ZMW	34,500,051,458	32,876,095,550	1,623,955,908	25,507,487,313	8,992,564,145.1
	US \$	7,200,951,149	6,861,994,346	338,956,803	5,321,002,628	1,879,948,521.0
2011	ZMW	42,915,038,551	37,914,339,432	5,000,699,119	35,440,939,196	7,474,099,355.9
	US \$	8,829,248,544	7,800,415,368	1,028,833,176	7,279,139,877	1,550,108,667.0
2012	ZMW	48,206,165,818	44,580,859,222	3,625,306,596	45,275,938,876	2,930,226,942.1
	US \$	9,639,652,576	8,914,485,088	725,167,489	8,806,150,488	833,502,088.0
2013	ZMW	57,175,978,267	50,496,013,922	6,679,964,345	56,958,704,567	217,273,700
	US \$	10,606,851,708	9,365,214,841	1,241,636,867	10,586,326,204	20,525,504
2014	ZMW	59,613,355,510	49,682,690,583	9,930,664,928	61,024,048,300	(1,410,692,790)
	US \$	9,686,603,571	8,076,868,331	1,609,735,240	9,783,631,100	(97,027,528)
2015	ZMW	60,656,899,668	55,452,022,279	5,204,877,390	73,317,907,181	(12,661,007,513)
	US \$	7,034,627,115	6,466,526,930	568,100,185	8,472,656,994	(1,438,029,879)
2016	ZMW	67,219,915,212	64,083,731,911	3,136,183,301	77,681,318,678	(10,461,403,466)
	US \$	6,512,479,351	6,211,599,310	300,880,040	7,537,336,095	(1,024,856,744)
2017(JAN-JUL)	ZMW	42,875,653,567	40,661,520,166	2,214,133,402	44,160,090,761	(1,284,437,194)
	US \$	4,531,189,070	4,290,694,901	240,494,169	4,668,477,447	(137,288,377)

**MONTHLY COPPER PRICES 2002 TO APRIL 2017**

2017	Month	LME Copper Cash-Settlement	LME Copper 3-month	LME Copper stock	
		April**	5,720.00	5,750.67	267,252
	March	5,821.52	5,840.89	297,658	
	February	5,941.55	5,952.70	236,580	
	January	5,737.43	5,759.21	281,643	
2016	Month	LME Copper Cash-Settlement	LME Copper 3-month	LME Copper stock	
		December	5,666.25	5,676.03	282,748
		November	5,443.25	5,456.48	267,011
		October	4,732.14	4,751.12	347,471
		September	4,707.18	4,726.09	348,949
		August	4,758.20	4,772.45	225,034
		July	4,855.79	4,871.95	219,146
		June	4,630.64	4,638.09	191,155
		May	4,708.35	4,695.00	157,081
		April	4,851.12	4,837.00	146,874
		March	4,947.55	4,930.95	168,779
		February	4,595.48	4,592.90	217,494
	January	4,462.75	4,462.75	237,029	
2015	Month	LME Copper Cash-Settlement	LME Copper 3-month	LME Copper stock	
		December	4,629.00	4,631.45	234,832
		November	4,808.24	4,794.71	256,868
		October	5,222.61	5,212.27	293,816
		September	5,208.09	5,194.50	339,720
		August	5,088.93	5,090.45	354,830
		July	5,456.91	5,473.54	335,511
		June	5,833.61	5,849.18	315,145
		May	6,300.61	6,300.74	335,191
		April	6,028.48	6,019.75	335,831
		March	5,925.84	5,904.45	330,349
		February	5,702.08	5,687.75	287,036
	January	5,815.83	5,768.88	208,265	
2014	Month	LME Copper Cash-Settlement	LME Copper 3-month	LME Copper stock	
		December	6,422.95	6,369.50	168,604
		November	6,701.13	6,638.85	161,246
		October	6,739.20	6,688.04	155,435
		September	6,872.23	6,841.43	154,234
		August	7,000.55	6,984.65	144,454
		July	7,104.50	7,097.74	155,901
		June	6,806.10	6,777.98	162,694
		May	6,877.29	6,820.50	195,329
		April	6,670.83	6,665.35	246,916
		March	6,667.83	6,647.21	265,544
		February	7,152.15	7,103.60	295,554
	January	7,294.89	7,266.41	336,848	
2013	Month	LME Copper Cash-Settlement	LME Copper 3-month	LME Copper stock	
		December	7,202.95	7,196.75	392,634
		November	7,066.40	7,071.64	451,933
		October	7,188.74	7,211.22	502,657
		September	7,161.43	7,191.12	574,190
		August	7,182.26	7,208.98	587,046
		July	6,892.98	6,907.37	640,326
		June	7,004.05	7,038.65	634,166
		May	7,229.17	7,258.43	616,596
		April	7,203.36	7,237.26	601,363
		March	7,662.90	7,692.93	524,481
		February	8,070.48	8,103.08	407,154
	January	8,049.27	8,082.59	339,715	

2012	<b>Month</b>	<b>LME Copper Cash-Settlement</b>	<b>LME Copper 3-month</b>	<b>LME Copper stock</b>
	December	7,962.58	7,988.71	283,825
	November	7,694.20	7,706.48	249,084
	October	8,069.52	8,071.00	223,292
	September	8,068.38	8,076.93	217,505
	August	7,492.45	7,502.07	238,558
	July	7,589.39	7,591.18	252,345
	June	7,420.11	7,420.24	245,505
	May	7,919.93	7,859.86	225,168
	April	8,259.63	8,203.16	260,216
	March	8,457.05	8,442.23	268,577
	February	8,422.69	8,436.86	311,854
	January	8,043.45	8,058.17	353,063
2011	<b>Month</b>	<b>LME Copper Cash-Settlement</b>	<b>LME Copper 3-month</b>	<b>LME Copper stock</b>
	December	7,567.55	7,592.13	380,236
	November	7,551.77	7,574.39	404,738
	October	7,347.50	7,366.33	453,179
	September	8,314.84	8,335.64	466,508
	August	9,041.30	9,061.95	464,335
	July	9,619.24	9,640.26	465,355
	June	9,045.43	9,057.00	473,015
	May	8,927.05	8,946.03	467,594
	April	9,483.25	9,507.92	449,500
	March	9,530.65	9,543.61	430,137
	February	9,867.60	9,855.20	403,125
	January	9,555.70	9,534.98	383,035
2010	<b>Month</b>	<b>LME Copper Cash-Settlement</b>	<b>LME Copper 3-month</b>	<b>LME Copper stock</b>
	December	9,147.26	9,101.14	359,365
	November	8,469.89	8,450.89	361,831
	October	8,292.40	8,304.19	370,995
	September	7,709.30	7,720.16	387,136
	August	7,283.95	7,305.83	406,581
	July	6,735.25	6,760.57	427,791
	June	6,499.30	6,530.00	462,506
	May	6,837.68	6,874.08	484,700
	April	7,745.08	7,780.68	508,243
	March	7,462.83	7,494.85	530,611
	February	6,848.18	6,872.45	547,176
	January	7,386.25	7,412.03	523,468

**PRELIMINARY INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION FROM 2013 TO THIRD QUARTER OF 2016**

PERIOD	TOTAL INDEX	MINING				MANUFACTURING									TOTAL ELECTRICITY
		TOTAL MINING	Coal	Non-ferrous Ore	Stone Quarrying	TOTAL MANUFACTURING	Food, Beverages & Tobacco	Textile, Clothing & Leather	Wood & Wood Products	Paper & Paper Products	Chemicals, Rubbers & Plastics	Non-metallic Mineral Products	Basic Metal Industries	Fabricated Metal Products	
WEIGHT	1.000	0.350	0.005	0.242	0.103	0.511	0.235	0.060	0.006	0.017	0.059	0.025	0.009	0.100	0.139
2013 Q1	206.8	292.9	50.7	263.5	372.7	153.8	191.9	15.8	261.9	233.5	188.4	241.5	88.6	90.4	185.2
2013 Q2	200.8	266.4	57.8	234.2	351.4	162.4	229.7	4.6	279.8	220.4	121.9	251.1	104.2	88.7	176.4
2013 Q3	215.0	280.2	118.9	247.4	364.5	180.3	252.3	3.9	207.7	180.1	117.1	270.6	93.5	137.4	178.6
2013 Q4	222.0	279.6	230.6	245.8	361.0	196.1	289.9	5.8	199.4	247.3	107.4	269.5	72.3	125.9	172.4
2013	211.1	279.8	114.5	247.7	362.4	173.2	240.9	7.5	237.2	220.3	133.7	258.2	89.6	110.6	178.1
2014 Q1	214.1	300.3	158.6	264.5	390.8	159.1	196.1	11.0	267.8	230.7	193.5	282.5	111.4	94.9	199.2
2014 Q2	204.5	243.0	109.5	198.3	354.0	179.0	258.5	4.1	284.1	224.6	127.3	270.4	120.2	95.9	201.1
2014 Q3	215.5	271.6	215.0	231.6	368.0	185.1	259.8	2.7	208.0	196.3	135.7	273.3	89.8	130.8	186.1
2014 (Q1-Q3)	211.33	271.6	161.0	231.4	370.9	174.4	238.1	5.9	253.3	217.2	152.2	275.4	107.2	107.2	195.5
2014 Q4	220.6	268.8	223.7	227.8	367.1	197.1	290.9	2.1	201.0	243.3	104.8	281.2	90.0	128.7	185.8
2014	213.7	270.9	176.7	230.5	370.0	180.1	251.3	5.0	240.2	223.7	140.3	276.9	102.9	112.6	193.0
2015 Q1	215.3	288.7	109.5	248.1	392.0	168.3	205.8	5.4	287.3	243.4	198.6	296.4	117.5	112.4	203.4
2015 Q2	215.1	269.8	49.3	235.9	359.1	184.5	268.9	2.9	287.8	189.5	148.1	297.6	120.2	87.0	190.0
2015 Q3	210.4	269.6	52.0	228.3	376.4	185.7	247.6	2.1	214.2	179.9	153.2	286.0	113.9	149.8	152.2
2015 (Q1-Q3)	213.59	276.0	70.3	237.4	375.8	179.5	240.8	3.5	263.1	204.2	166.6	293.3	117.2	116.4	181.9
2015 Q4*	215.7	257.7	34.1	214.9	368.2	204.7	295.3	2.7	202.3	241.3	148.4	346.2	98.4	114.1	150.4
2015	214.1	271.4	61.2	231.8	373.9	185.8	254.4	3.3	247.9	213.5	162.1	306.5	112.5	115.8	174.0
2016 Q1	216.5	304.0	24.5	270.2	395.8	168.8	202.1	4.8	280.7	242.8	194.7	347.2	118.0	113.9	172.0
2016 Q2	221.9	287.5	31.7	255.9	373.1	194.4	270.0	2.9	274.7	217.1	165.4	369.5	116.7	102.8	157.8
2016 Q3	219.2	288.0	40.5	258.6	367.9	191.8	255.3	2.1	220.3	190.2	162.9	399.2	115.9	126.6	147.3
2016 (Q1-Q3)	219.2	293.2	32.3	261.5	378.9	185.0	242.4	3.3	258.6	216.7	174.3	372.0	116.9	114.4	159.0

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**YEAR-ON-YEAR PERCENTAGE CHANGES e.g. (Q2 2005/Q2 2004-1)\*100**

PERIOD	TOTAL INDEX	TOTAL MINING	Coal	Non-ferrous Ore	Stone Quarrying	TOTAL MANUFACTURING	Food, Beverages & Tobacco	Textile, Clothing & Leather	Wood & Wood Products	Paper & Paper Products	Chemicals, Rubbers & Plastics	Non-metallic Mineral Products	Basic Metal Industries	Fabricated Metal Products	TOTAL ELECTRICITY
2012	1.5	(1.9)	-	(5.7)	4.4	4.8	7.1	3.5	4.2	14.1	10.1	8.1	13.9	(11.8)	4.0
2013 Q1	5.7	5.6	-	6.2	4.2	3.7	3.2	21.8	(5.3)	18.0	8.0	2.6	7.2	(3.3)	12.2
2013 Q2	2.8	4.3	72.9	5.0	3.0	1.1	3.3	18.6	(0.3)	3.6	9.2	2.1	4.7	(16.6)	3.2
2013 Q3	5.2	(0.2)	439.7	(1.9)	1.3	9.8	6.6	6.2	0.3	1.2	19.3	5.0	5.2	27.8	11.6
2013 Q4	6.6	4.0	204.9	5.0	0.5	9.7	11.0	0.4	0.0	20.0	2.9	-2.3	8.7	11.6	5.4
2013	5.1	3.4	249.4	3.5	2.2	6.2	6.4	14.4	(1.5)	10.9	9.5	1.7	6.2	5.3	8.0
2014 Q1	3.5	2.5	212.6	0.4	4.8	3.4	2.2	(30.3)	2.3	(1.2)	2.7	17.0	25.8	5.1	7.6
2014 Q2	1.9	(8.8)	89.4	(15.3)	0.7	10.2	12.5	(12.2)	1.6	1.9	4.5	7.7	15.4	8.0	14.0
2014 Q3	0.2	(3.1)	80.8	(6.4)	1.0	2.7	3.0	(29.7)	0.2	9.0	15.9	1.0	(3.9)	(4.8)	4.2
2014 Q4	(0.6)	(3.9)	(3.0)	(7.4)	1.7	0.5	0.3	(63.8)	0.8	(1.6)	(2.4)	4.3	24.6	2.2	7.8
2014	1.2	-3.2	54.3	-6.9	2.1	4.0	4.3	(33.9)	1.3	1.5	5.0	7.2	14.8	1.8	8.4
2015 Q1	0.6	(3.9)	(31.0)	(6.2)	0.3	5.8	5.0	(51.4)	7.3	5.5	2.6	4.9	5.5	18.3	2.1
2015 Q2	5.2	11.0	(54.9)	19.0	1.4	3.1	4.0	(28.0)	1.3	(15.6)	16.3	10.1	-	(9.2)	(5.5)
2015 Q3	(2.4)	(0.7)	(75.8)	(1.5)	2.3	0.3	(4.7)	(21.7)	3.0	(8.4)	12.9	4.6	26.7	14.5	(18.2)
2015 (Q1-Q3)	1.1	1.6	(56.4)	2.6	1.3	2.9	1.1	(41.5)	3.9	(6.0)	9.5	6.5	9.4	8.5	(6.9)
2015 Q4	(2.2)	(4.1)	(84.8)	(5.7)	0.3	3.8	1.5	29.1	0.7	(0.8)	41.6	23.1	9.3	(11.4)	(19.1)
2015	0.21	0.2	(65.3)	0.5	1.1	3.2	1.2	(34.0)	3.2	(4.6)	15.5	10.7	9.3	2.9	(9.9)
2016 Q1	0.6	5.3	(77.6)	8.9	1.0	0.3	(1.8)	(10.6)	(2.3)	(0.3)	(2.0)	17.1	0.4	1.4	(15.4)
2016 Q2	3.1	6.6	(35.7)	8.5	3.9	5.3	0.4	(2.1)	(4.5)	14.6	11.7	24.1	(2.9)	18.2	(17.0)
2016 Q3	4.2	6.8	(22.1)	13.3	(2.2)	3.3	3.1	0.4	2.8	5.8	6.3	39.6	1.8	(15.5)	(3.3)
2016 (Q1-Q3)	2.6	6.2	(54.1)	10.2	0.8	3.1	0.7	(5.9)	(1.7)	6.1	4.6	26.8	(0.3)	(1.7)	(12.6)

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POPULATION 2000 TO 2010											
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Total Population	9,885,591	10,089,492	10,409,441	10,744,380	11,089,691	11,441,461	11,798,678	12,160,516	12,525,791	12,896,830	13,092,666
Population Growth Rate	2.5	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3	3	2.9	2.9	2.8
Life Expectancy at Birth	50	51.8	51.9	52.4	52.4	52.6	51.9	51.4	51.3	51.2	-
POPULATION BY PROVINCE											
Central	1,012,257	1,032,574	1,066,992	1,103,387	1,141,256	1,180,124	1,219,980	1,260,491	1,301,776	1,343,835	1,307,111
Copperbelt	1,581,221	1,611,569	1,662,155	1,714,225	1,767,165	1,820,443	1,874,081	1,927,576	1,980,824	2034012	1,972,317
Eastern**	1,231,283	1,348,070	1,391,690	1,436,120	1,482,290	1,530,118	1,579,960	1,631,890	1,684,910	1,740,180	1,592,661
Luapula	775,353	791,067	817,326	845,076	873,969	903,746	934,317	965,605	997,579	1,030,572	991,927
Lusaka	1,391,329	1,413,010	1,453,690	1,495,730	1,538,000	1,579,769	1,620,730	1,660,070	1,697,730	1,733,830	2,191,225
Muchinga*	524,186	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	711,657
Northern**	809,400	1,277,250	1,315,650	1,357,540	1,401,340	1,445,730	1,490,330	1,534,170	1,577,310	1,619,980	1,105,824
North-western	583,350	596,010	616,496	638,004	660,322	683,367	707,074	731,351	756,261	781,800	727,044
Southern	1,212,124	1,235,134	1,275,470	1,318,161	1,362,382	1,407,433	1,453,324	1,499,462	1,545,880	1,592,864	1,589,926
Western	765,088	774,929	795,247	816,983	839,757	863294	887,540	912,226	937,419	963,107	902,974

Source: CSO, Population Projections Report

Note: 2000 figures are from the 2000 Census of Population and Housing while the 2001 to 2009 figures are Population Projections from the Projections Report. The 2010 figures are final 2010 Census of Population and Housing figures.

\*Muchinga was created in 2011

\*\*2000 Census figures were adjusted following the new provincial demarcations

TOTAL POPULATION BY RURAL/URBAN RESIDENCE, PROVINCE OF RESIDENCE AND YEAR OF PROJECTION, 2010-2025, ZAMBIA (MEDIUM VARIANT PROJECTION)																
Province and Rural/Urban	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total	13,092,666	13,718,722	14,145,327	14,580,290	15,023,315	15,473,905	15,933,883	16,405,229	16,887,720	17,381,168	17,885,422	18,400,556	18,926,743	19,464,164	20,013,159	20,574,138
Rural	7,919,216	8,155,510	8,364,391	8,575,072	8,787,529	9,001,647	9,218,734	9,440,264	9,666,402	9,897,231	10,132,811	10,373,392	10,619,411	10,871,336	11,129,714	11,395,104
Urban	5,173,450	5,563,212	5,780,936	6,005,218	6,235,786	6,472,258	6,715,149	6,964,965	7,221,318	7,483,937	7,752,611	8,027,164	8,307,332	8,592,828	8,883,445	9,179,034
Central	1,307,111	1,355,775	1,394,423	1,433,860	1,474,093	1,515,086	1,556,974	1,599,884	1,643,810	1,688,726	1,734,601	1,781,446	1,829,283	1,878,145	1,928,094	1,979,202
Copperbelt	1,972,317	2,143,413	2,195,878	2,249,824	2,305,258	2,362,207	2,420,678	2,480,657	2,542,132	2,605,116	2,669,635	2,735,763	2,803,519	2,872,875	2,943,829	3,016,344
Eastern	1,592,661	1,628,880	1,673,989	1,719,803	1,766,300	1,813,445	1,861,491	1,910,782	1,961,269	2,012,895	2,065,590	2,119,331	2,174,115	2,229,946	2,286,873	2,344,980
Luapula	991,927	1,015,629	1,043,241	1,071,074	1,099,151	1,127,453	1,156,160	1,185,446	1,215,294	1,245,682	1,276,608	1,308,050	1,340,032	1,372,622	1,405,871	1,439,877
Lusaka	2,191,225	2,362,967	2,461,932	2,564,058	2,669,249	2,777,439	2,888,575	3,002,530	3,119,190	3,238,430	3,360,183	3,484,394	3,610,977	3,739,872	3,870,981	4,004,276
Muchinga	711,657	749,449	785,300	821,564	858,179	895,058	932,668	971,547	1,011,655	1,052,996	1,095,535	1,139,277	1,184,232	1,230,373	1,277,711	1,326,222
Northern	1,105,824	1,146,392	1,185,159	1,224,443	1,264,212	1,304,435	1,345,412	1,387,443	1,430,543	1,474,730	1,520,004	1,566,369	1,613,869	1,662,536	1,712,448	1,763,638
North Western	727,044	746,982	768,262	789,836	811,706	833,818	856,286	879,229	902,631	926,485	950,789	975,559	1,000,815	1,026,614	1,053,004	1,080,072
Southern	1,589,926	1,642,757	1,694,370	1,746,791	1,799,885	1,853,464	1,907,784	1,963,206	2,019,696	2,077,229	2,135,794	2,195,416	2,256,160	2,318,098	2,381,333	2,445,929
Western	902,974	926,478	942,773	959,037	975,282	991,500	1,007,855	1,024,505	1,041,500	1,058,879	1,076,683	1,094,951	1,113,741	1,133,083	1,153,015	1,173,598

**NATIONAL FOOD BALANCE FOR ZAMBIA FOR THE 2017/2018 AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SEASON  
BASED ON THE 2016/2017 MOA/CSO CROP FORECASTING SURVEY AND MOA/CSO/PRIVATE SECTOR UTILIZATION  
ESTIMATES (METRIC TONNES)**

<b>Maize</b>	<b>Paddy rice</b>	<b>Wheat (Preliminary)</b>	<b>Sorghum &amp; Millet</b>	<b>Sweet and Irish potatoes</b>	<b>Cassava flour</b>	<b>Total (maize equivalent)</b>	
<b>A. Availability:</b>							
(i) Opening stocks (1st May 2017) <sup>1/</sup>	569,317	353	54,522	944	0	13	624,321
(ii) Total production (2016/17) <sup>2/</sup>	3,606,549	38,423	193,713	49,903	238,426	923,796	4,816,094
<b>Total availability</b>	<b>4,175,866</b>	<b>38,776</b>	<b>248,235</b>	<b>50,847</b>	<b>238,426</b>	<b>923,808</b>	<b>5,440,415</b>
<b>B. Requirements:</b>							
<b>(i) Staple food requirements:</b>							
Human consumption <sup>3/</sup>	1,632,348	73,855	385,314	45,852	226,505	763,313	2,908,535
Strategic Reserve Stocks (net) <sup>4/</sup>	500,000	0	0	0	0	0	500,000
<b>(ii) Industrial requirements:</b>							
Stockfeed <sup>5/</sup>	270,807	0	0	0	0	0	270,807
Breweries <sup>6/</sup>	121,275	0	0	0	0	0	121,275
Grain retained for other uses <sup>7/</sup>	92,592	3,000	0	2,500	0	0	97,933
(iii) Losses <sup>8/</sup>	180,327	1,921	9,686	2,495	11,921	46,190	240,805
(iv) Structural cross-border trade <sup>9/</sup>	200,000						200,000
<b>Total requirements</b>	<b>2,997,350</b>	<b>78,776</b>	<b>395,000</b>	<b>50,847</b>	<b>238,426</b>	<b>809,503</b>	<b>4,339,354</b>
<b>C. Surplus/deficit (A-B)<sup>10/</sup></b>	<b>1,178,516</b>	<b>-40,000</b>	<b>-146,765</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>114,305</b>	<b>1,101,060</b>
<b>D. Potential Commercial exports<sup>11/</sup></b>	<b>-1,178,516</b>	<b>40,000</b>	<b>146,765</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>E. Food aid import requirements<sup>12/</sup></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Notes:</b>							
1/ Stocks held by commodity traders, millers, brewers, FRA, DMMU and commercial and small scale farmers as at 1st May 2017							
2/ Production estimates by MoA/CSO. Cassava production is based on the total area under cassava, using an annual yield figure of 11.7 tonnes per hectare (MAFF Root and Tuber Improvement Programme, 1996). A flour extraction rate of 25% is used.							
3/ Human staple food consumption represents 70% (1,470 kCal/person/day, CSO) of total diet (2,100 kCal/person/day, National Food and Nutrition Commission), for the national population of 16.1 million people (based on CSO Census projections with 2017 and 2018 average population used). The food balance shows an overall surplus of staple foods. Food prices may affect the level of food consumption.							
4/ National strategic requirements expected to be carried over into the next season by FRA. (this amount of 500,000 Mt includes equivalent to 3 months cover)							
5/ Estimated requirements by major stockfeed producers.							
6/ Estimated requirements by industrial breweries							
7/ Estimated retention of grain for other uses by smallholders.							
8/ Post-harvest losses are estimated at 5% for grains, sweet potatoes and cassava, in line with estimates from other SADC countries.							
9/ Structural exports represents cross-border trade, mostly to the DRC, that occurs on a continuing basis and that is likely to occur during the 2017/18 marketing season. It does not include Formal trade.							
10/ Expected surpluses or deficits that arise after meeting minimum overall staple human consumption requirements as well as industrial requirements. The total surplus/deficit is expressed as maize equivalent using energy values.							
The rice deficit is based on a 3 year rolling average of what is known to be imported each year, as indicated under D.							
11/ Commercial imports/exports represent expected regional and international trade by the private sector. For cassava, the surplus represents cassava that is still in the ground and may not necessarily be harvested							
12/ Total estimated requirement for food relief among vulnerable groups, to be imported. This could be met with maize or other grains.							

## SURVEYS/ACTIVITIES BEING UNDERTAKEN

- ☞ 2017 Quarterly Labour force Survey - Data Analysis
- ☞ 2015 National Disability Survey - Analysis and Report Editing
- ☞ Zambia Population Based HIV Impact Assessment (ZAMPHIA) - Analysis for Final Report
- ☞ Sample Vital Registration with Verbal Autopsy (SAVVY) - Data Collection
- ☞ 2016 Zambia in Figures - Editing

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