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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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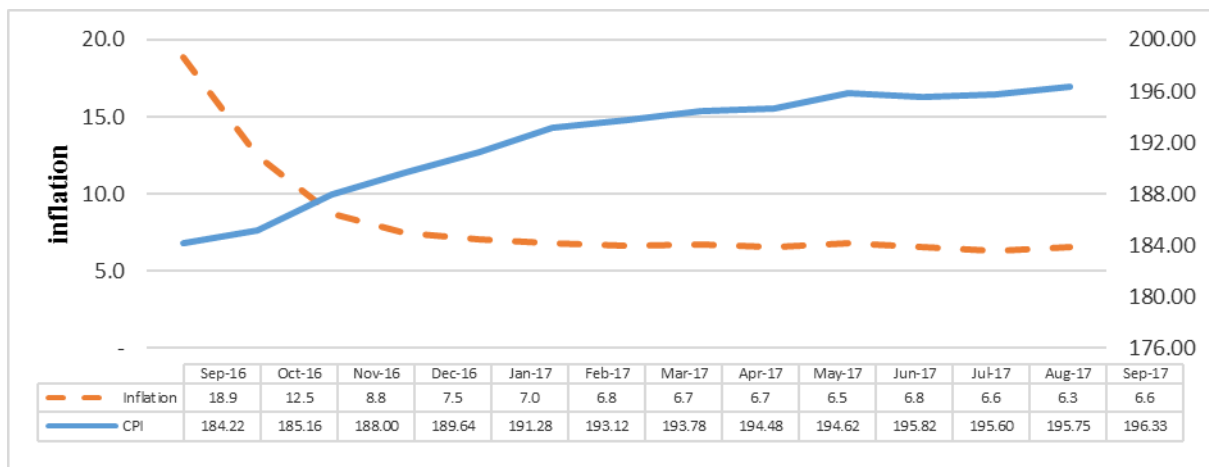
YEAR ON YEAR INFLATION RATE FOR SEPTEMBER 2017 INCREASES TO 6.6 PERCENT

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

by 6.6 percent between September 2016 and September 2017.

The increase in the annual inflation rate was mainly attributed to price increase in electricity tariffs.

Consumer Price Indices (CPI) and Annual Inflation Rates from September 2016-September 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 September 2017 was recorded at 5.0 percent compared to 5.1 percent recorded in August 2017. This represents a decrease of 0.1 percentage points. The decrease in the annual food inflation rate is mainly attributed to price changes for Bread and cereals (Breakfast Mealie meal, Roller Mealie meal and Maize grain) and Vegetables (Spinach, Chinese cabbage, Okra and Cabbage)

The year on year (Annual) non-food inflation rate for September 2017 was recorded at 8.4 percent, from 7.7 percent recorded in August 2017, indicating an increase of 0.7 percentage points. The increase in the annual non-food inflation is mainly attributed to the increase in electricity tariffs.

Year on Year Food and Non Food Inflation Rate														
	Weight:	Sep-2016	Oct-2016	Nov-2016	Dec-2016	Jan-2017	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	June-2017	July-2017	Aug-2017	Sep-2017
Total	1,000.00	18.9	12.5	8.8	7.5	7.0	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.6
Food	534.85	23.4	15.6	9.2	7.8	7.4	7.4	6.7	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.3	5.1	5.0
Non-Food	465.15	14.0	9.0	8.3	7.1	6.7	6.1	6.6	7.5	7.3	8.0	8.1	7.7	8.4

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

CONTRIBUTION OF DIVISIONS TO OVERALL INFLATION

Of the total 6.6 percent annual inflation rate recorded in September 2017, Food and Non-alcoholic beverages accounted for 2.7

percentage points, while non-food items accounted for a total of 3.9 percentage points.

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

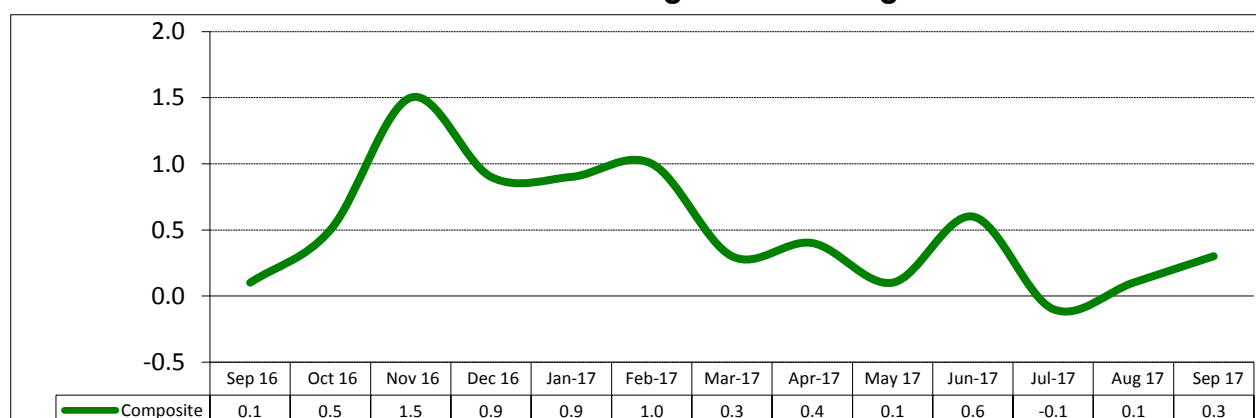
Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

SEPTEMBER 2017 MONTH ON MONTH INFLATION RATE INCREASES TO 0.3 PERCENT

The month on month (monthly) inflation rate for September 2017, was recorded at 0.3 percent compared to

0.1 percent recorded in August 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 September, 2017 decreased by 0.2 percentage points from 0.1 percent recorded in August 2017 to -0.1 percent recorded in September 2017. The decrease in month on month food inflation rate is as a result of price changes of Breakfast Mealie meal, Roller Mealie meal, maize grain and Vegetables

such as Rape, Spinach and Chinese cabbage.

The month on month (Monthly) Non-food inflation rate for September 2017 was recorded at 0.8 percent compared to 0.1 percent recorded in August 2017. This indicates an increase of 0.7 percentage points. The increase in month on month non-food inflation is mainly attributed to price changes in Electricity tariffs.

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

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

MONTH ON MONTH CONTRIBUTIONS: FOOD AND NON-FOOD

Of the total 0.3 percent month on month (Monthly) inflation rate recorded in September 2017, Food and Non-alcoholic beverages

accounted for -0.1 percentage points, while non-food items accounted for a total of 0.4 percentage points.

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

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

PROVINCIAL ANNUAL INFLATION RATES

Provincial changes in annual inflation rate show that between September 2016 and September 2017, Eastern Province had the highest annual rate of inflation at 9.4 percent, followed by

North-western provinces at 9.3 percent. Luapula Province recorded the lowest annual rate of inflation at 3.3 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
Sep-17	7.8	7.6	9.4	3.3	5.7	3.9	9.3	4.9	8.2

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

PROVINCIAL CONTRIBUTION TO OVERALL INFLATION

Lusaka and Copperbelt provinces had the highest provincial contribution of 1.6 percentage points each to the overall annual inflation rate of 6.6 percent recorded in September 2017. This implies that the price movements in Lusaka and Copperbelt provinces

had the greatest influence on the overall annual rate of inflation. Eastern Province had the second highest provincial contribution of 0.9 percentage points. Luapula Province had the lowest contribution of 0.2 percentage point.

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

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 1st to 10th of every month. The table below shows the maximum and minimum prices for selected items and the location in September, 2017.

Product Description	Unit of Measure	Minimum		Maximum	
		Price (K)	Location	Price (K)	Location
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25 kg	57.00	Kapiri Mposhi	115.00	Chavuma
Roller mealie meal	25 kg	37.00	Kafue	95.00	Chavuma
Maize Grain	20 litre tin	20.00	Monz, Gwembe, Petauke & Nampundwe	50.00	Kalabo
Cooking Oil	2.5 litres	35.95	Lusaka	65.00	Ndola & Livingstone
Charcoal	50 kg bag	20.00	Chilubi	90.00	Chililabobwe
Cement	50 kg	52.00	Lusaka	85.00	Mporokoso

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

On a monthly basis, a comparison of retail prices between September 2017 and August 2017 shows that the national average price of a 25 kg bag

of Breakfast Mealie meal decreased by 6.8 percent from K77.27 to K 72.00 while the national average price of a 25kg bag of Roller Mealie meal

decreased by 6.1 percent from K57.73 to K54.21. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain decreased by 7.1 percent from K31.07 to K28.88.

The electricity tariff for 300 units increased by 9.4 percent from K152.63 to K 166.96 and electricity tariffs for 700 units increased by 38.2 percent from K428.62 to K592.31.

On an annual basis, a comparison of retail prices between September 2016 and September 2017 shows that the

national average price of a 25kg bag of Breakfast Mealie meal decreased by 15.5 percent from K85.24 to K72.00. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain decreased by 23.8 percent from K37.91 to K28.88.

The electricity tariff for 300 units increased by 37.6 percent from K121.38 to K 166.96 and electricity tariffs for 700 units increased by 75.0 percent from K338.40 to K592.31.

NATIONAL AVERAGE PRICES FOR SELECTED PRODUCTS

Description	Unit of measure		Sep 16	Oct 16	Nov 16	Dec 16	Feb 17	Mar 17	Jun 17	Jul 17	Aug 17	Sep 17	% change Sept17/ Aug 17	%change Sept17/ Sept16
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25	Kg	85.24	89.18	92.95	98.24	102.73	103.46	96.37	88.58	77.27	72.00	-6.8	-15.5
Roller Mealie Meal	25	Kg	66.21	71.27	75.38	80.64	85.11	85.67	74.73	65.84	57.73	54.21	-6.1	-18.1
Maize grain	20	L	37.91	39.93	41.88	46.03	49.76	53.03	36.41	33.97	31.07	28.88	-7.1	-23.8
Mixed Cut	1	Kg	34.50	34.44	34.38	34.24	34.52	34.60	34.76	34.49	34.19	34.65	1.4	0.4
Dried Kapenta Mpulungu	1	Kg	100.37	102.72	107.06	109.12	114.32	119.40	114.98	108.52	109.99	112.45	2.2	12.0
Cooking oil Local	2.5	L	51.62	52.10	51.83	51.38	51.10	50.52	49.70	49.98	49.16	49.03	-0.3	-5.0
Dried beans	1	Kg	17.68	17.53	18.36	18.58	19.13	18.75	17.19	17.21	15.93	15.72	-1.3	-11.1
Cement	50	Kg	61.69	63.20	65.29	67.53	66.49	66.70	68.75	68.93	68.46	67.80	-1.0	9.9
Electricity Tariff R1	300	units	121.38	121.38	118.56	118.56	121.70	121.70	152.63	152.63	152.63	166.96	9.4	37.6
Electricity Tariff R2	700	units	338.40	338.40	338.40	338.40	338.40	338.40	428.62	428.62	428.62	592.31	38.2	75.0
Charcoal	50	Kg	37.81	37.95	38.29	39.85	40.30	40.93	39.28	40.01	40.28	42.05	4.4	11.2
Air Fare Domestic	1	Ea	1,125.00	1,125.00	1,275.00	1,685.00	1,175.00	1,375.00	1,256.00	1,256.00	1,242.00	1,076.00	-13.4	-4.4
Lusaka/London via Dubai	1	Ea	6,000.00	10,395.00	10,395.00	7,825.00	5,640.00	5,810.00	7,460.00	5,000.00	5,700.00	5,100.00	-10.5	-15.0
DSTV monthly subscription	Monthly	Full banquet	818.00	817.38	818.00	818.00	818.00	818.00	818.00	818.00	818.00	782.60	-4.3	-4.3
Geisha	250	gm	9.49	9.50	9.54	9.66	9.78	9.86	9.63	9.58	9.72	9.67	-0.5	1.9
Lifebouy	150	gm	5.95	6.03	5.95	5.81	5.74	6.15	5.74	5.82	5.77	5.82	0.9	-2.2
Butone	100	gm	6.72	6.75	6.82	6.95	6.85	6.94	6.86	6.90	6.79	6.73	-0.9	0.2
Hammer milling charge	1	Ea	6.33	6.34	6.36	6.32	6.32	6.50	6.56	6.37	6.25	6.63	6.1	4.7

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDIZE TRADE

August 2017 records a Trade Deficit

In August 2017, Zambia recorded a trade deficit valued at K484.3 Million from a trade surplus of K410.6 Million recorded in July 2017. This represents a 218.0 percent

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

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

Months	Imports(CIF)	Domestic Exports(FOB)	Total Exports(FOB)	Trade Balance
Jan-17®	4 998.9	5 774.4	5 881.6	882.7
Feb-17®	6 769.2	6 323.4	6 441.3	-328.0
Mar-17®	6 794.1	5 997.2	6 327.0	-467.1
Quarter 1	18 562.2	18 095.1	18 649.9	87.6
Apr-17®	7 094.8	5 742.9	5 882.3	-1 212.5
May-17®	6 253.0	5 775.9	5 869.7	-383.4
June-17®	6 356.5	5 739.8	5 953.2	-403.2
Quarter 1	19 704.3	17 258.6	17 705.2	-1 999.1
July-17®	6 280.0	5 477.9	6 690.6	410.6
Aug-17*	6 884.0	6 026.9	6 399.7	-484.3
Total	51 430.6	46 858.5	49 445.4	-1 985.2

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)), August and July 2017

There has been a decrease of 11.9 percent in the total value of Metal exports (TEs) from K5,314.0 Million in July 2017 to K4,682.7 Million in August 2017. The overall contribution of Metals and their products to the total export earnings in August and July 2017 averaged 76.3 percent.

Non Traditional exports (NTEs) on the other hand have recorded an increase of 24.7 percent from K1,376.6 Million in July 2017 to K1,717.0 Million in August 2017. The share of NTEs recorded an average of 23.7 percent in revenue earnings between August and July 2017.

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

Period	Aug-17*		Jul-17®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share	Value (K'Million)	% Share
Traditional Exports	4 682.7	73.2	5 314.0	79.4
Non-Traditional Exports	1 717.0	26.8	1 376.6	20.6
Total Exports	6 399.7	100.0	6 690.6	100.0

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 August 2017

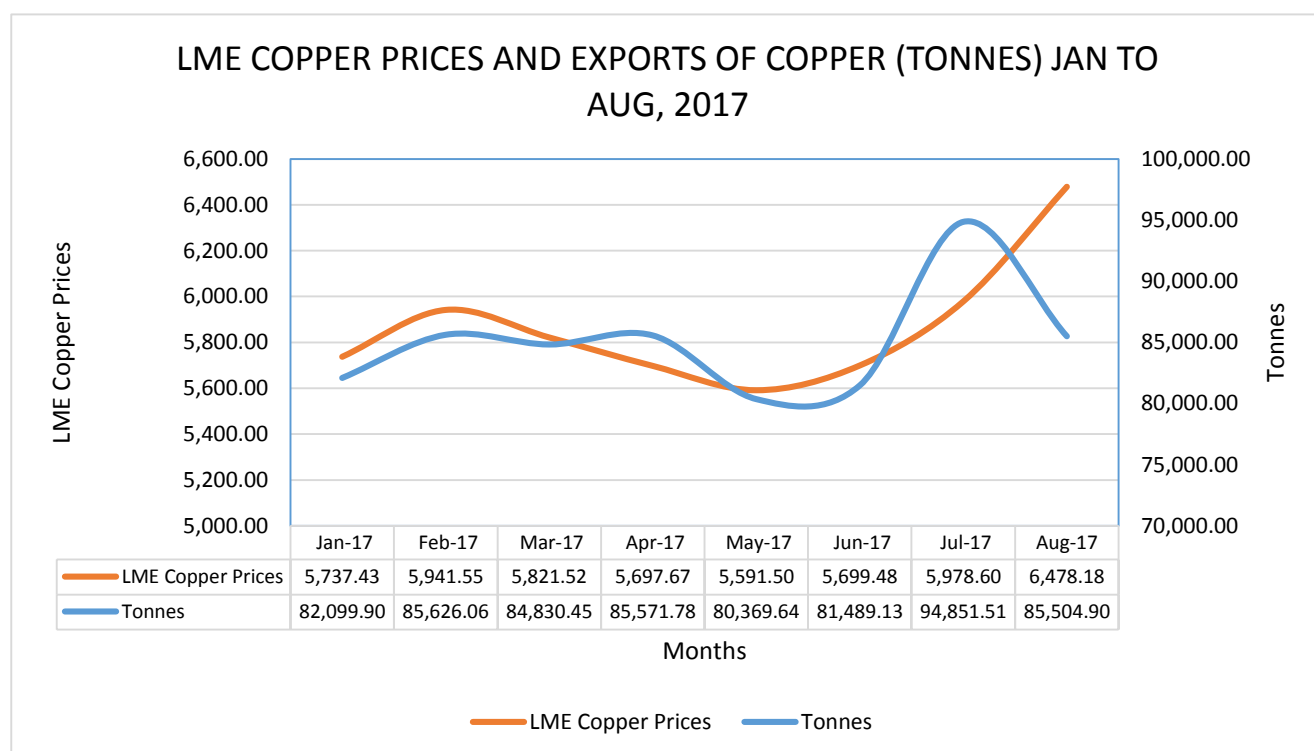
Zambia's Exports of Copper by Volume and corresponding prices at the London Metal Exchange (LME), January to August 2017

Between August and July 2017, the volume of Copper exported declined by 9.9 percent, from 94,851.5 metric tonnes recorded in July 2017 to 85,504.9 metric tonnes in August 2017.

The corresponding price of Copper on LME increased by 8.4 percent from USD5,978.6 per metric tonne in July 2017

to USD6,478.2 per metric tonnes in August 2017.

Since the rate of decline in the volume of copper exports surpassed that of the price increase, the net effect was the reduction in exports earnings.



Performance of Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), August and July 2017

Non-Traditional Exports are divided into Agricultural and Non-Agricultural products, therefore analysis is based on these two categories.

Agricultural Products

Agricultural products accounted for a share of 28.6 percent of Zambia's Non-Traditional Exports (NTE) in August 2017. From the Agricultural products the major Commodities were cotton not carded or combed, which accounted for 15.3

percent, followed by Tobacco partly or wholly stemmed or stripped, which accounted for 10.4 percent and Raw cane sugar which accounted for 10.1 percent.

Non Agricultural Products

Non -Agricultural products accounted for a share of 71.4 percent of Zambia's Non-Traditional Exports (NTE) in August 2017. From the Non Agricultural products for the major commodities were Cobalt

oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk, which accounted for 30.8 percent, followed by Bullion semi-manufactured forms (Gold) which accounted for 11.7 percent.

Zambia's Major Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), August and July 2017

Period		Aug-2017*		Period		Jul-2017®	
Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)	Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
AGRIC PRODUCTS		491.2	100.0	AGRIC PRODUCTS		461.9	100.0
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	75.1	15.3	52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	76.1	16.5
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	51.3	10.4	24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	62.5	13.5
17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	49.5	10.1	17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	61.5	13.3
17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	45.9	9.3	17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	35.4	7.7
10051000	Maize seed	41.2	8.4	23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	28.5	6.2
10059000	Maize (excl. seed)	40.7	8.3	12019000	Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed	25.6	5.5
23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	34.0	6.9	10059000	Maize (excl. seed)	25.2	5.5
12019000	Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed	23.5	4.8	14042000	Cotton linters	23.0	5.0
Other - NTEs Agric Product		130.1	26.5	Other - NTEs Agric Product		124.0	26.9
% Share of August Total NTEs		28.6		% Share of July Total NTEs		33.6	
NON-AGRIC PRODUCTS		1 225.8	100.0	NON AGRIC PRODUCTS		914.7	100.0
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	377.2	30.8	28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	143.6	15.8
71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms (Gold)	143.3	11.7	71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms (Gold)	104.9	11.5
74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	69.3	5.7	74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	56.5	6.2
27160000	Electrical energy	45.3	3.7	28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	53.2	5.8
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	43.0	3.5	22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	35.2	3.8
25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	42.3	3.4	85171200	Telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	28.1	3.1
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	36.9	3.0	25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	26.9	2.9
85171200	Telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks	27.5	2.2	36020090	Other prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	25.6	2.8
72023000	Ferro-silico-manganese	22.7	1.9	34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	24.7	2.7
34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	21.6	1.8	71039900	Precious or semi-precious stones, worked but not set..., nes	22.7	2.5

Period		Aug-2017*		Period		Jul-2017®	
Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)	Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
36020090	Other prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	20.3	1.7	25199000	Magnesia and other magnesium oxide	21.5	2.4
85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	19.0	1.6	38249900	Other nes	16.8	1.8
28321010	Sodium sulphites in bulk	13.6	1.1	85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	15.8	1.7
25222000	Slaked lime	12.5	1.0	41032000	Hides and skins of reptiles, fresh or preserved, not tanned	15.3	1.7
26020000	Manganese ores/concentrates (inc. ferruginous), with manganese cont. of >=20%	12.2	1.0	84314900	Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, nes	14.1	1.5
Other - NTEs Non Agric Product		319.0	26.0	Other - NTEs Non Agric Product		309.7	33.9
% Share of August Total NTEs		71.4		% Share of July Total NTEs		66.4	
NTE's		1 717.0	100.0	NTE's		1 376.6	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (*) Provisional

(R) Revised figures

Exports by Major Product Categories, August and July 2017

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

for 84.3 percent. Exports from the Consumer goods, Raw Materials and Capital goods categories, collectively accounted for 15.8 percent of total exports in August 2017.

Exports by Major Product Categories August and July 2017

CATEGORY	Aug-17*		Jul-17®	
	Value (K' Million)	% Share	Value (K' Million)	% Share
Consumer goods	601.4	9.4	509.5	7.6
Raw materials	246.7	3.9	296.6	4.4
Intermediate goods	5 392.6	84.3	5 752.4	86.0
Capital goods	159.0	2.5	132.2	2.0
TOTAL	6 399.7	100.0	6 690.6	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (*) Provisional

(®) Revised

Zambia's Major Export Destinations by Commodity in August 2017

The major export destination in August 2017 was Switzerland, which accounted for 41.2 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product to Switzerland was Copper anodes for

electrolytic refining, accounting for 55.9 percent.

China was the second main destination of Zambia's exports accounting for 16.5 percent of the total export earnings. The

major export product to China was Copper blister, accounting for 66.9 percent of total export earnings to that country.

South Africa was the third main export destination accounting for 10.8 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product was Cathodes of refined copper accounting for 25.8 percent of total export earnings to that country.

Congo DR was the fourth main export destination accounting for 6.9 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product was Cane or beet sugar,

in solid form accounting for 10.4 percent of total export earnings to that country.

The fifth main export destination was Singapore, which accounted for 4.3 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product was Copper anodes for electrolytic refining, accounting for 48.4 percent.

These five countries collectively accounted for 79.7 percent of Zambia's total export earnings in August 2017.

Zambia's Five Major Export Destinations by Product for August 2017

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Aug-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
SWITZERLAND		2 636.5	100.0
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	1 473.5	55.9
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	698.1	26.5
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	271.2	10.3
74020011	Copper blister	108.0	4.1
74031120	Sections of cathodes of refined copper	54.6	2.1
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	26.1	1.0
14042000	Cotton linters	3.1	0.1
74032910	- cobalt alloy	1.3	0.0
72023000	Ferro-silico-manganese	0.3	0.0
99030000	Single consignment non-commercial goods	0.1	0.0
Others		0.0	0.0
% Share of August Total Exports		41.2	
CHINA		1 052.8	100.0
74020011	Copper blister	704.2	66.9
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	318.5	30.2
26020000	Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20%	7.2	0.7
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	5.5	0.5
74031120	Sections of cathodes of refined copper	3.5	0.3
74032990	Copper-cobalt alloy	2.1	0.2
26030019	Other copper ores	2.1	0.2
26030029	Other - copper concentrate	2.1	0.2
74032910	- cobalt alloy	1.1	0.1
07123200	Dried Wood ears(Auricularia spp.).	0.9	0.1
Others		5.5	0.5
% Share of August Total Exports		16.5	
SOUTH AFRICA		693.9	100.0
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	178.9	25.8
81059000	Other: Articles of cobalt, nes	160.9	23.2
71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms	72.3	10.4
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	58.2	8.4
74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	49.4	7.1
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	35.0	5.0
74031120	Sections of cathodes of refined copper	17.0	2.4
23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	16.7	2.4
85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	12.7	1.8
12019000	Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed	7.7	1.1
Others		85.0	12.3
% Share of August Total Exports		10.8	
CONGO DR		442.2	100.0
17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	45.9	10.4
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	43.0	9.7
17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	32.9	7.4
27160000	Electrical energy	27.4	6.2
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	20.5	4.6
34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	15.3	3.5
36020090	Other prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	14.7	3.3
28321010	Sodium sulphites in bulk	13.6	3.1
25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	13.4	3.0
25222000	Slaked lime	12.5	2.8

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Aug-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
Others		202.9	45.9
% Share of August Total Exports		6.9	
SINGAPORE		272.0	100.0
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	131.6	48.4
74031110	Cathodes of refined copper	68.6	25.2
74020011	Copper blister	57.2	21.0
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	8.6	3.2
74031120	Sections of cathodes of refined copper	3.1	1.1
14042000	Cotton linters	2.5	0.9
41039000	Other raw hides and skins...Other	0.3	0.1
26020000	MANGANESE ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGINOUS), WITH MANGANESE CONT.OF=>20%	0.2	0.1
01061900	-Mammals--Other	0.0	0.0
01069000	-Other live animals	0.0	0.0
Others		0.0	0.0
% Share of August Total Exports		4.3	
Other Destinations		1 302.3	20.3
Total Value of August Exports		6 399.7	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (*) Provisional

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

Switzerland was the largest market for Zambia's total exports in August 2017, accounting for 41.2 percent.

Asia was the second largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 26.4 percent in August 2017. Within Asia, China was the dominant export market, accounting for 62.4 percent. Other notable markets in Asia were Singapore, Hong Kong, India and Japan.

The SADC exclusive grouping was the third largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 14.3 percent in August 2017. Within this grouping, South Africa was the dominant market with 75.7 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were Tanzania, Namibia and Botswana.

The DUAL- SADC & COMESA was the fourth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 10.1 percent in August 2017. Within this group,

Congo DR was the dominant market with 68.4 percent. Other notable markets were Zimbabwe, Malawi and Swaziland.

The European Union grouping was the fifth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 3.5 percent in August 2017. Within this grouping, The United Kingdom was the dominant market with 95.5 percent. Another notable market in this grouping was Belgium.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the sixth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 1.5 percent in August 2017. Within this group, Kenya was the dominant market with 48.8 percent. Other notable markets were Burundi and Rwanda.

The rest of the world accounted for the remaining 3.0 percent in August 2017.

Export Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, August and July 2017

GROUPING	August-2017*		GROUPING	July-2017	
	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)		Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
ASIA	1 688.2	100.0	ASIA	1 403.5	100.0
China	1 052.8	62.4	China	791.8	56.4
Singapore	272.0	16.1	Hong Kong	276.2	19.7
Hong Kong	164.1	9.7	Singapore	262.1	18.7
India	107.3	6.4	United Arab Emirates	35.2	2.5
Japan	45.1	2.7	India	24.3	1.7
Other ASIA	46.9	2.8	Other ASIA	13.8	1.0
% Share of August Total Exports	26.4		% Share of July Total Exports	21.0	
SADC EXCLUSIVE	916.5	100.0	SADC EXCLUSIVE	833.8	100.0
South Africa	693.9	75.7	South Africa	676.1	81.1
Tanzania	170.1	18.6	Tanzania	118.7	14.2
Namibia	23.0	2.5	Botswana	23.7	2.8
Botswana	21.6	2.4	Mozambique	11.1	1.3
Mozambique	7.5	0.8	Namibia	4.1	0.5
Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.4	0.0	Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.2	0.0
% Share of August Total Exports	14.3		% Share of July Total Exports	12.5	
DUAL-SADC & COMESA	646.4	100.0	DUAL- SADC & COMESA	736.4	100.0
Congo Dr	442.2	68.4	Congo Dr	391.3	53.1
Zimbabwe	100.3	15.5	Swaziland	139.8	19.0
Malawi	86.9	13.5	Zimbabwe	112.5	15.3
Swaziland	16.7	2.6	Malawi	88.7	12.0
Madagascar	0.3	0.0	Mauritius	4.1	0.6
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0
% Share of August Total Exports	10.1		% Share of July Total Exports	11.0	
EUROPEAN UNION	222.2	100.0	EUROPEAN UNION	149.0	100.0
United Kingdom	212.3	95.5	United Kingdom	84.0	56.4
Belgium	4.1	1.8	Luxembourg	44.2	29.7
Netherlands	2.1	0.9	Belgium	6.9	4.6
Germany	1.6	0.7	France	3.7	2.5
Italy	0.9	0.4	Germany	3.7	2.5
Other European Union	1.2	0.5	Other European Union	6.5	4.4
% Share of August Total Exports	3.5		% Share of July Total Exports	2.2	
COMESA EXCLUSIVE	95.1	100.0	COMESA EXCLUSIVE	94.9	100.0
Kenya	46.4	48.8	Kenya	42.1	44.3
Burundi	24.3	25.6	Rwanda	29.3	30.9
Rwanda	20.3	21.3	Burundi	19.2	20.2
Uganda	4.1	4.4	Uganda	4.4	4.6
Ethiopia	0.0	0.0	Ethiopia	0.0	0.0
Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0	Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0
% Share of August Total Exports	1.5		% Share of July Total Exports	1.4	
Switzerland	2 636.5	41.2	Switzerland	3 356.2	50.2
Rest of the World	194.8	3.0	Rest of the World	116.9	1.7
World	6 399.7	100.0	World	6 690.6	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

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, August and July 2017

The major import products by category in August 2017 were Intermediate goods category, accounting for 29.5 percent. The Capital goods category was second with 28.5 percent followed

by Consumer goods and Raw materials Categories, accounting for 27.7 and 14.2 percent, respectively.

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

CATEGORY	Aug-17*		Jul-17®	
	Value (K' Million)	% Share	Value (K' Million)	% Share
Consumer goods	1 909.8	27.7	1 653.1	26.3
Raw materials	976.3	14.2	855.2	13.6
Intermediate goods	2 033.3	29.5	1 775.3	28.3
Capital goods	1 964.6	28.5	1 996.5	31.8
TOTAL	6 884.0	100.0	6 280.0	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (*) Provisional

(R) Revised

Zambia's Major Import Sources by Product in August 2017

The major source of imports in August 2017 was South Africa, accounting for 27.4 percent. The major import products were Gas oils accounting for 4.5 percent.

The second source of Zambia's imports was Congo DR, accounting for 24.6 percent. The major import products were Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk which accounted for 50.8 percent.

China was the third main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 12.5 percent. The major import products were Not knitted or crocheted of cotton: mosquito nets accounting for 3.1 percent.

Other sources of Zambia's imports were Kuwait and United Arab Emirates, which collectively accounted for 8.9 percent of Zambia's imports.

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

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Aug-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
SOUTH AFRICA		1 887.4	100.0
27101910	Gas oil.	85.5	4.5
87042100	vehicles (diesel engine) for the transport of goods GVW upto 5 tonnes	44.3	2.3
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	41.1	2.2
30021500	Immunological products, put up in measured doses or in packings for retail sale	40.6	2.1
31023000	Ammonium nitrate	39.4	2.1
84314900	Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, nes	33.4	1.8
31029000	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous , nes	33.0	1.7
84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	27.5	1.5
84139100	Parts of pumps for liquids	27.3	1.4
27101950	Cutting oil,grease cutting oils,cleaning oils etc.	24.9	1.3
Others		1 490.3	79.0
Percent of Total August Imports		27.4	
CONGO DR		1 691.7	100.0
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	859.5	50.8
26030029	Other - copper concentrate	449.3	26.6
26030021	Copper concentrate sulphide	243.5	14.4
26050020	Cobalt concentrate	114.2	6.8
79031000	Zinc dust	16.5	1.0
28369910	Other carbonates; peroxocarbonates in bulk	5.9	0.3
78020000	Lead waste and scrap	1.4	0.1
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	1.0	0.1
28321010	Sodium sulphites in bulk	0.2	0.0
28321020	Sodium sulphites not in bulk	0.1	0.0
Others		0.2	0.0

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Aug-2017*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
Percent of Total August Imports		24.6	
CHINA		857.1	100.0
63049210	Not knitted or crocheted of cotton:mosquito nets	26.4	3.1
84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	24.3	2.8
85258010	Television cameras	24.2	2.8
30049000	Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes	23.4	2.7
84295200	Self-propelled bulldozers... with a 360° revolving superstructure	23.2	2.7
84715010	Network File Servers.	23.1	2.7
88039000	Other..nes	22.6	2.6
85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	20.8	2.4
85255000	Transmission apparatus	19.5	2.3
84283300	Continuous-action elevators and conveyors, belt type, nes	16.5	1.9
Others		633.2	73.9
Percent of Total August Imports		12.5	
KUWAIT		344.5	100.0
27090000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	287.9	83.6
27101210	Motor Spirit	41.3	12.0
27101910	Gas oils.	15.3	4.4
84158200	Air conditioning machines, with refrigerating unit, no valve	0.1	0.0
87089900	Parts and accessories, nes, for vehicles of 87.01 to 87.05	0.0	0.0
01019000	--Other	0.0	0.0
01061900	-Mammals--Other	0.0	0.0
01069000	-Other live animals	0.0	0.0
02013000	Boneless	0.0	0.0
02023000	Frozen boneless bovine meat	0.0	0.0
Others		0.0	0.0
Percent of Total August Imports		5.0	
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES		267.5	100.0
27101910	Gas oils.	83.1	31.1
27101210	Motor Spirit	35.7	13.3
29041010	Hydrocarbon derivatives containing only sulpho groups, their salts, etc - IN BULK	33.8	12.6
29309010	Other organo-sulphurcompounds, nes - in bulk	20.4	7.6
90221200	Computed tomography apparatus,based on the use of X-rays	13.9	5.2
28353100	Sodium triphosphate (sodium tripolyphosphates)	9.5	3.5
28311010	Dithionites and sulfoxylates of sodium in bulk	6.6	2.5
63109000	Used or new rags, worn out scrap twine, cordage, rope, etc, not sorted	4.3	1.6
87089900	Parts and accessories, nes, for vehicles of 87.01 to 87.05	3.1	1.1
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	2.9	1.1
Others		54.4	20.3
Percent of Total August Imports		3.9	
Other Sources		1 835.8	26.7
Total Value of August Imports		6 884.0	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2016

Note: (*) Provisional

(R) Revised figures

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

The SADC Exclusive grouping was the major source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 31.9 percent in August 2017. Within this grouping, South Africa was the dominant market with 86.0 percent. Other notable markets were Tanzania, Namibia, Mozambique and Botswana which collectively accounted for 14 percent.

Dual SADC-COMESA was the second main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 28.3 percent in August 2017. Within this grouping, Congo DR was the major source of Zambia's imports accounting for 87.0 percent. Other notable markets were Mauritius, Zimbabwe, Swaziland and Malawi which collectively accounted for 13 percent.

ASIA was the third main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 27.7 percent in August 2017. Within this regional grouping, China was the

main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 44.9 percent. Other notable markets were Kuwait, United Arab Emirates, India and Japan which collectively accounted for 47.1 percent.

The European Union was the fourth largest source of Zambia's imports accounting for 7.9 percent. Within this grouping, United Kingdom was the main source of Zambia's imports with 19.5 percent. Other notable markets were Germany, Belgium Sweden and Netherlands which collectively accounted for 55.1 percent.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the fifth largest source for Zambia's imports accounting for 0.6 percent in August 2017. Within this grouping, Kenya was the dominant market with 60.3 percent. Other notable markets were Egypt and Uganda accounting for 34.5 percent and 5.2 percent, respectively.

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

GROUPING	August-2017*		GROUPING	July-2017	
	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)		Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
SADC EXCLUSIVE	2 195.2	100.0	SADC EXCLUSIVE	2 136.3	100.0
South Africa	1 887.4	86.0	South Africa	1 856.8	86.9
Tanzania	196.6	9.0	Tanzania	170.3	8.0
Namibia	72.2	3.3	Namibia	70.3	3.3
Mozambique	22.7	1.0	Mozambique	23.1	1.1
Botswana	15.0	0.7	Botswana	15.4	0.7
Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	1.2	0.1	Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.3	0.0
% Share of August Imports	31.9		% Share of July Imports	34.0	
DUAL-SADC & COMESA	1 945.3	100.0	DUAL- SADC & COMESA	1 667.9	100.0
Congo Dr	1 691.7	87.0	Congo Dr	1 421.8	85.2
Mauritius	170.9	8.8	Mauritius	119.3	7.2
Zimbabwe	50.7	2.6	Zimbabwe	82.4	4.9
Swaziland	18.3	0.9	Swaziland	26.5	1.6
Malawi	13.7	0.7	Malawi	17.8	1.1
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0
% Share of August Imports	28.3		% Share of July Imports	26.6	
ASIA	1 908.7	100.0	ASIA	1 675.7	100.0
China	857.1	44.9	China	662.2	39.5
Kuwait	344.5	18.0	Kuwait	448.8	26.8
United Arab Emirates	267.5	14.0	India	191.8	11.4
India	189.6	9.9	United Arab Emirates	114.0	6.8
Japan	98.6	5.2	Japan	112.4	6.7
Other ASIA	151.4	7.9	Other Asia	146.4	8.7

GROUPING	August-2017*		GROUPING	July-2017	
	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)		Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
% Share of August Imports	27.7		% Share of July Imports	26.7	
EUROPEAN UNION	545.6	100.0	EUROPEAN UNION	461.1	100.0
United Kingdom	106.3	19.5	United Kingdom	129.3	28.0
Germany	95.7	17.5	Sweden	74.2	16.1
Belgium	95.6	17.5	Germany	41.4	9.0
Sweden	78.1	14.3	Belgium	37.7	8.2
Netherlands	31.9	5.8	Finland	36.6	7.9
Other European Union	137.8	25.3	Other European Union	142.0	30.8
% Share of August Imports	7.9		% Share of July Imports	7.3	
COMESA EXCLUSIVE	44.5	100.0	COMESA EXCLUSIVE	34.8	100.0
Kenya	26.8	60.3	Kenya	26.9	77.1
Egypt	15.3	34.5	Egypt	7.7	22.1
Uganda	2.3	5.2	Burundi	0.2	0.4
Burundi	0.0	0.0	Ethiopia	0.1	0.2
Ethiopia	0.0	0.0	Uganda	0.0	0.1
Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0	Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0
% Share of August Imports	0.6		% Share of July Imports	0.6	
Rest of the World	244.8	3.6	Rest of the World	304.2	4.8
World	6 884.0	100.0	World	6 280.0	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2017

Note: (*) Provisional

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QUARTERLY GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT

ECONOMY GROWS BY 3.2 PERCENT IN THE SECOND QUARTER OF 2017

The economy grew by 3.2 percent in the second quarter of 2017 indicating a 0.2 percentage points increase from 3.0 percent recorded in the first quarter of 2017. This is according to the year on year comparison of GDP at constant 2010 prices. The Electricity generation industry recorded the highest growth of 27.1 percent in the period under review. This was followed by Human health and social work industry at 15.4 percent. The Agriculture, forestry & fishing industry was third at 15.1 percent while the Information and communication industry recorded the lowest growth of negative 22.3 percent.

The first half of 2017 (Q1+Q2) shows that the economy grew by 3.1 percent. In terms of contribution to the growth, Agriculture, forestry and fishing industry had the highest contribution to the growth accounting for 1.6 percentage points. This was followed by Education industry (0.6 percentage points), Construction industry and Electricity generation industry with 0.4 percentage points each. The Financial & Insurance and Information and communication industries contributed negatively to the GDP growth in the first half of 2017.

Gross Value Added by Industry at constant 2010 prices, Q1 2016 TO Q2 2017

INDUSTRY	2016						2017			Percentage Growth			Contribution to growth in the first half of 2017
	Q1	Q2	Q1+Q2	Q3	Q4	Total 2016	Q1*	Q2*	Q1+Q2	Q1	Q2	Q1+Q2	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	2,956.7	2,299.1	5,255.8	1,433.0	2,801.2	9,490.1	3,476.9	2,646.1	6,123.0	17.6	15.1	16.5	1.6
Mining and quarrying	3,288.2	3,352.5	6,640.6	3,553.0	3,449.1	13,642.8	3,120.2	3,493.7	6,613.9	-5.1	4.2	-0.4	0.0
Manufacturing	2,511.2	2,657.6	5,168.8	2,620.4	2,593.3	10,382.5	2,556.2	2,831.9	5,388.1	1.8	6.6	4.2	0.4
Electricity generation	394.9	443.5	838.4	475.4	465.3	1,779.0	496.0	563.6	1,059.6	25.6	27.1	26.4	0.4
Water supply; sewerage	84.5	85.6	170.1	84.7	83.5	338.2	86.0	82.4	168.5	1.9	-3.7	-0.9	0.0
Construction	3,334.8	3,245.3	6,580.1	3,469.0	3,868.8	13,917.9	3,422.5	3,408.4	6,830.9	2.6	5.0	3.8	0.4
Wholesale and retail trade	6,331.8	6,707.9	13,039.7	7,652.1	7,918.6	28,610.4	6,449.4	6,625.6	13,075.0	1.9	-1.2	0.3	0.1
Transportation and storage	1,145.2	940.7	2,085.9	1,110.0	1,090.8	4,286.8	1,235.5	1,022.8	2,258.3	7.9	8.7	8.3	0.3
Accommodation and food services	499.7	605.7	1,105.4	616.5	672.1	2,393.9	507.7	607.5	1,115.2	1.6	0.3	0.9	0.0
Information and communication	931.2	1,545.9	2,477.1	1,450.6	1,151.8	5,079.6	647.2	1,200.7	1,847.8	-30.5	-22.3	-25.4	-0.7
Financial and insurance	1,157.5	1,152.9	2,310.3	1,149.8	1,279.8	4,739.9	1,122.8	1,124.3	2,247.1	-3.0	-2.5	-2.7	-0.1
Real estate	1,094.7	1,103.5	2,198.2	1,112.4	1,121.3	4,431.8	1,130.4	1,139.6	2,270.1	3.3	3.3	3.3	0.1
Professional, scientific and technical	611.2	579.3	1,190.4	549.0	597.9	2,337.3	635.0	626.5	1,261.5	3.9	8.2	6.0	0.1
Administrative and support service	292.2	297.9	590.0	298.1	300.6	1,188.7	297.6	316.7	614.3	1.9	6.3	4.1	0.0
Public administration and defense	1,680.7	1,685.7	3,366.5	1,701.5	1,711.3	6,779.3	1,752.2	1,770.9	3,523.1	4.2	5.1	4.7	0.3
Education	2,422.2	2,428.0	4,850.2	2,436.6	2,432.3	9,719.2	2,617.8	2,615.3	5,233.0	8.1	7.7	7.9	0.6
Human health and social work	421.2	422.6	843.8	420.8	430.5	1,695.1	469.8	487.7	957.4	11.5	15.4	13.5	0.2
Arts, entertainment and recreation	66.7	127.2	193.9	192.4	133.2	519.5	71.3	125.3	196.6	6.9	-1.4	1.4	0.0
Other services	247.2	249.1	496.3	251.0	253.0	1,000.3	255.1	257.1	512.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	0.0
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	29,471.6	29,929.9	59,401.5	30,576.4	32,354.3	122,332.2	30,349.6	30,945.9	61,295.5	3.0	3.4	3.2	3.0
Taxes less subsidies	1,612.5	1,722.4	3,334.9	1,976.1	2,050.8	7,361.8	1,670.3	1,716.0	3,386.3	3.6	-0.4	1.5	0.1
GDP at market prices	31,084.1	31,652.3	62,736.4	32,552.5	34,405.2	129,694.0	32,019.9	32,661.9	64,681.8	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.1

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Source: CSO, National Accounts

Gross Value percentage growth by Industry at constant 2010 prices

The year on year growth rates of the first two Quarters of 2016 were higher than that of the first two quarters of 2017. The growth rate at constant 2010 prices was 3.2 percent in the second quarter of 2017 compared to 4.6 percent in the second

quarter of 2016. The lower growth in 2017 has been attributed to mainly a slower growth in Mining & Quarrying and Information & communication industries.

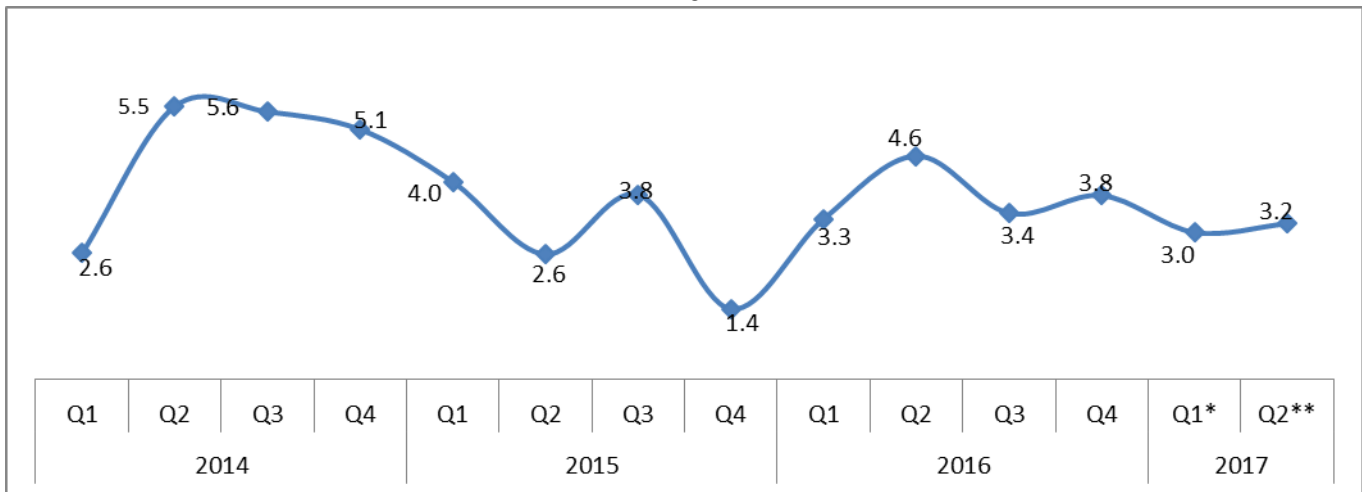
Gross Value percentage growth by Industry at constant 2010 prices, Q1 2016 TO Q2 2017

Industry	2016				2017	
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1*	Q2**
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	3.1	-0.9	0.8	10.3	17.6	15.1
Mining and quarrying	8.2	7.7	5.3	8.1	-5.1	4.2
Manufacturing	1.2	4.4	1.7	0.4	1.8	6.6
Electricity generation	-29.5	-21.1	-7.8	10.4	25.6	27.1
Water supply; sewerage	-3.0	-3.8	-3.6	-5.7	1.9	-3.7
Construction	9.8	12.6	15.9	4.1	2.6	5.0
Wholesale and retail trade	0.8	-2.5	-1.0	2.3	1.9	-1.2
Transportation and storage	-7.6	-1.5	-4.9	7.0	7.9	8.7
Accommodation and food services	-0.6	-1.1	2.3	3.7	1.6	0.3
Information and communication	6.2	54.4	15.3	-3.1	-30.5	-22.3
Financial and insurance	5.2	5.2	-9.0	-8.2	-3.0	-2.5
Real estate	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3
Professional, scientific and technical	5.0	5.7	8.9	6.4	3.9	8.2
Administrative and support service	6.9	6.2	6.4	1.9	1.9	6.3
Public administration and defense	10.1	10.3	11.1	7.4	4.2	5.1
Education	4.1	5.0	5.8	3.9	8.1	7.7
Human health and social work	1.5	2.0	1.4	1.6	11.5	15.4
Arts, entertainment and recreation	8.3	7.2	-6.6	2.2	6.9	-1.4
Other services	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	3.2	4.8	3.5	3.7	3.0	3.4
Taxes less subsidies on products	4.8	1.3	2.5	5.2	3.6	-0.4
GDP at market prices	3.3	4.6	3.4	3.8	3.0	3.2

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Total Gross Domestic Product percentage growth rates at constant 2010 prices, Q1 2014 TO Q2 2017



Source: CSO, National Accounts

FIRST HALF 2017 INDUSTRY VALUE ADDED SHARES TO GDP

The Gross Domestic Product at current prices in the first half of 2017 was estimated at K112, 380.5 million compared to 99,185.5 million recorded in the same period in 2016. The results show that out of K112, 380.5 million, the Wholesale and retail trade industry had the highest share accounting for 19.3 percent. This was followed by Mining and

quarrying industry (14.3 percent) Agriculture, forestry and fishing industry (8.4 percent) and manufacturing was the 4th main contributor with a share of 7.6 percent in the first half of 2017. Arts, entertainment and recreation had the lowest share accounting for 0.2 percent.

Gross Value Added and percentage shares by industry at current prices, Q1 2016 to Q2 2017

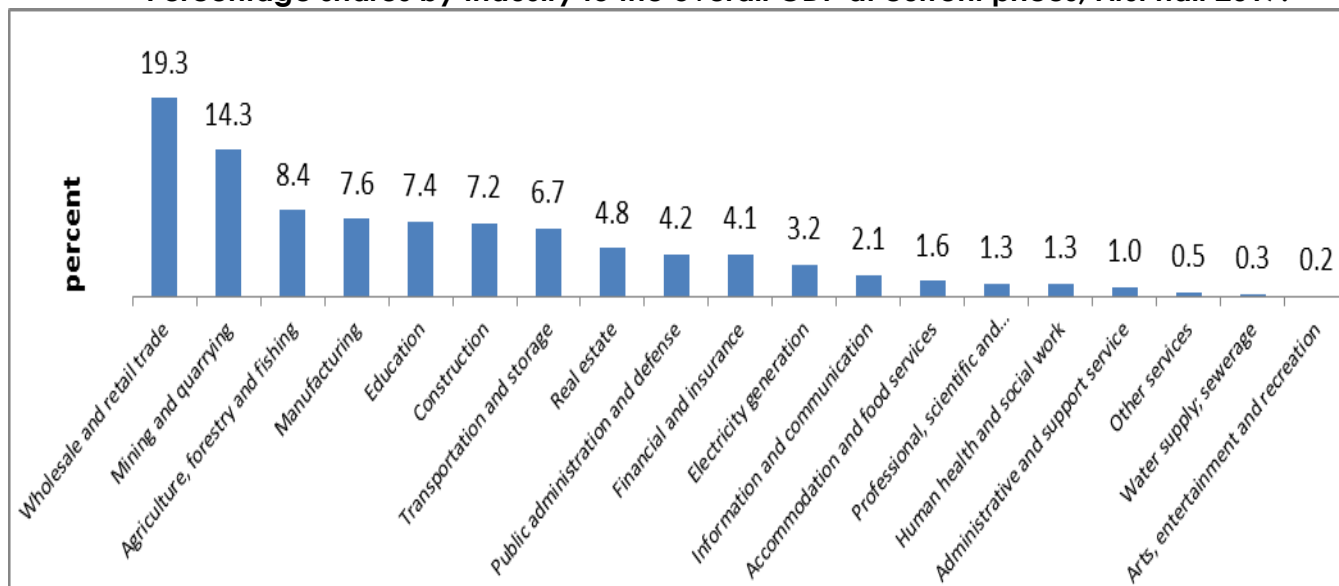
INDUSTRY	2016						2017			Percentage Shares
	Q1	Q2	Q1+Q2	Q3	Q4	Total 2016	Q1*	Q2**	Q1+Q2	
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	3,686.8	3,201.3	6,888.1	2,274.0	4,297.5	13,459.6	5,288.7	4,191.7	9,480.3	8.4
Mining and quarrying	6,230.1	6,771.6	13,001.8	7,828.4	7,664.0	28,494.1	8,274.4	7,806.2	16,080.6	14.3
Manufacturing	3,691.6	4,049.8	7,741.4	4,359.8	4,508.3	16,609.6	4,313.5	4,228.7	8,542.2	7.6
Electricity generation	1,808.2	1,886.3	3,694.6	1,863.3	1,869.5	7,427.3	1,826.0	1,770.0	3,596.1	3.2
Water supply; sewerage	129.1	156.2	285.3	159.3	160.9	605.6	169.1	168.9	338.0	0.3
Construction	3,063.7	3,941.3	7,005.0	7,443.9	7,783.3	22,232.2	3,406.8	4,647.8	8,054.7	7.2
Wholesale and retail trade	10,237.9	10,776.2	21,014.1	11,585.9	12,497.2	45,097.2	10,575.8	11,119.5	21,695.3	19.3
Transportation and storage	2,193.4	2,317.6	4,511.1	2,467.4	2,577.5	9,556.0	2,317.0	5,176.0	7,493.0	6.7
Accommodation and food services	682.7	964.8	1,647.6	996.8	940.8	3,585.2	824.9	959.5	1,784.4	1.6
Information and communication	1,174.6	1,322.2	2,496.8	1,223.7	1,235.1	4,955.6	1,139.0	1,264.1	2,403.1	2.1
Financial and insurance	2,344.8	2,375.4	4,720.2	2,459.8	2,479.5	9,659.4	2,359.5	2,292.6	4,652.0	4.1
Real estate	2,351.1	2,415.1	4,766.2	2,411.0	2,474.2	9,651.4	2,655.9	2,715.5	5,371.4	4.8
Professional, scientific and technical	613.6	814.7	1,428.3	739.5	826.3	2,994.1	753.3	739.2	1,492.5	1.3
Administrative and support service	489.0	554.1	1,043.1	564.7	550.6	2,158.4	589.2	549.5	1,138.7	1.0
Public administration and defense	2,116.8	2,280.3	4,397.1	2,296.0	2,601.7	9,294.8	2,332.7	2,423.1	4,755.8	4.2
Education	3,851.8	3,977.7	7,829.5	3,882.9	4,087.6	15,800.0	4,062.9	4,199.0	8,262.0	7.4
Human health and social work	646.2	655.6	1,301.8	621.9	686.8	2,610.5	710.4	759.2	1,469.6	1.3
Arts, entertainment and recreation	85.3	160.7	245.9	244.5	173.3	663.7	93.8	165.1	258.9	0.2
Other services	217.9	281.4	499.3	299.7	261.8	1,060.9	248.0	277.5	525.5	0.5
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	45,614.5	48,902.5	94,517.0	53,722.7	57,676.0	205,915.8	51,941.0	55,453.1	107,394.1	95.6
Taxes less subsidies on products	2,248.9	2,419.6	4,668.4	2,641.6	2,872.3	10,182.3	2,430.7	2,555.7	4,986.4	4.4
GDP at market prices	47,863.4	51,322.1	99,185.5	56,364.3	60,548.3	216,098.1	54,371.7	58,008.8	112,380.5	100.0

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Source: CSO, National Accounts

Percentage shares by Industry to the overall GDP at current prices, First half 2017.



Source: CSO, National Accounts

FINAL 2016 ANNUAL GDP BY PRODUCTION

The economy grew by 3.8 percent in the year 2016 compared to 2.9 percent recorded in 2015. This is according to the final Annual GDP estimates for 2016 which was based on more complete source data. This means that the preliminary and the revised 2016 Annual GDP at constant 2010 prices were based on the sum of four quarters that were based on quarterly economic performance indicators while the final 2016 annual GDP at constant 2010 prices were based on more complete economic performance indicators. The Quarterly 2016 GDP at current prices were based on quarterly sales data (VAT data) from Zambia Revenue Authority (ZRA) and the 2016 annual GDP at current prices have also been revised using the Annual Income Tax data from ZRA.

The 2016 Annual GDP growth has been revised upwards from 3.6 percent released in June 2017 to

3.8 percent. The main reason for the upward adjustment is due to the upward revision for the Transport and storage industry from a negative growth of 4.0 percent in the revised estimates to a negative growth of 2.2 percent in the final estimates. This also includes Taxes less subsidies on products from an increase of 0.7 percent in the revised estimates to an increase of 3.5 percent in the final estimates.

The final annual GDP estimates for 2016 at current prices has been estimated at K216,098.1 Million compared to K183,381.1 Million recorded in 2015. Of the K216,098.1 Million, Wholesale and retail trade industry accounted for 20.9 percent followed by Mining and Quarrying Industry at 13.2 percent. The share of Agriculture, forestry and fishing has increased from 5.0 percent recorded in 2015 to 6.2 percent in 2016

Gross Value Added by industry at constant 2010 prices and current prices, 2015 and 2016

Industry	Value Added (K'Million) at constant 2010 prices		Percentage Growth at constant 2010 prices		Value Added (K'Million) at current prices		Value Added Percentage Shares at current prices	
	2015	2016	2016 Final Growth	2016 Published in June	2015	2016	2015	2016
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	9,149.8	9,490.1	3.7	3.6	9,133.9	13,459.6	5.0	6.2
Mining and quarrying	12,716.7	13,642.8	7.3	7.0	23,244.2	28,494.1	12.7	13.2
Manufacturing	10,187.2	10,382.5	1.9	2.6	13,794.5	16,609.6	7.5	7.7
Electricity generation	2,059.2	1,779.0	-13.6	-13.6	5,664.4	7,427.3	3.1	3.4
Water supply; sewerage	352.5	338.2	-4.1	-3.9	373.2	605.6	0.2	0.3
Construction	12,627.5	13,917.9	10.2	9.3	18,645.6	22,232.2	10.2	10.3
Wholesale and retail trade	28,632.0	28,610.4	-0.1	0.1	40,861.1	45,097.2	22.3	20.9
Transportation and storage	4,382.1	4,286.8	-2.2	-4.0	7,266.9	9,556.0	4.0	4.4
Accommodation and food services	2,365.9	2,393.9	1.2	1.0	3,075.0	3,585.2	1.7	1.7
Information and communication	4,325.2	5,079.6	17.4	18.7	5,329.8	4,955.6	2.9	2.3
Financial and insurance	4,854.2	4,739.9	-2.4	-2.6	7,098.7	9,659.4	3.9	4.5
Real estate	4,295.3	4,431.8	3.2	3.1	8,840.7	9,651.4	4.8	4.5
Professional, scientific and technical	2,196.3	2,337.3	6.4	6.0	2,641.9	2,994.1	1.4	1.4
Administrative and support service	1,129.0	1,188.7	5.3	6.8	1,638.1	2,158.4	0.9	1.0
Public administration and defense	6,179.0	6,779.3	9.7	9.9	8,103.1	9,294.8	4.4	4.3
Education	9,281.6	9,719.2	4.7	5.8	14,383.2	15,800.0	7.8	7.3
Human health and social work	1,667.7	1,695.1	1.6	0.8	2,403.7	2,610.5	1.3	1.2
Arts, entertainment and recreation	516.8	519.5	0.5	-0.6	570.4	663.7	0.3	0.3
Other services	969.5	1,000.3	3.2	3.3	885.0	1,060.9	0.5	0.5
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	117,887.3	122,332.2	3.8	3.8	173,953.3	205,915.8	94.9	95.3
Taxes less subsidies on products	7,116.2	7,361.8	3.5	0.7	9,427.7	10,182.3	5.1	4.7
GDP at market prices	125,003.5	129,694.0	3.8	3.6	183,381.1	216,098.1	100.0	100.0

Source: CSO, National Accounts

FINAL 2016 ANNUAL GDP BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORIES

The GDP by expenditure comprise of the following categories; Final Consumption Expenditures, Gross Capital Formation and net exports of goods and services. The GDP by expenditure categories was estimated K221,222.2 Million compared to K216,098.1 Million for GDP by production counterpart. This means that the statistical discrepancy between the production and expenditure GDPs was 2.3 percent. Of the

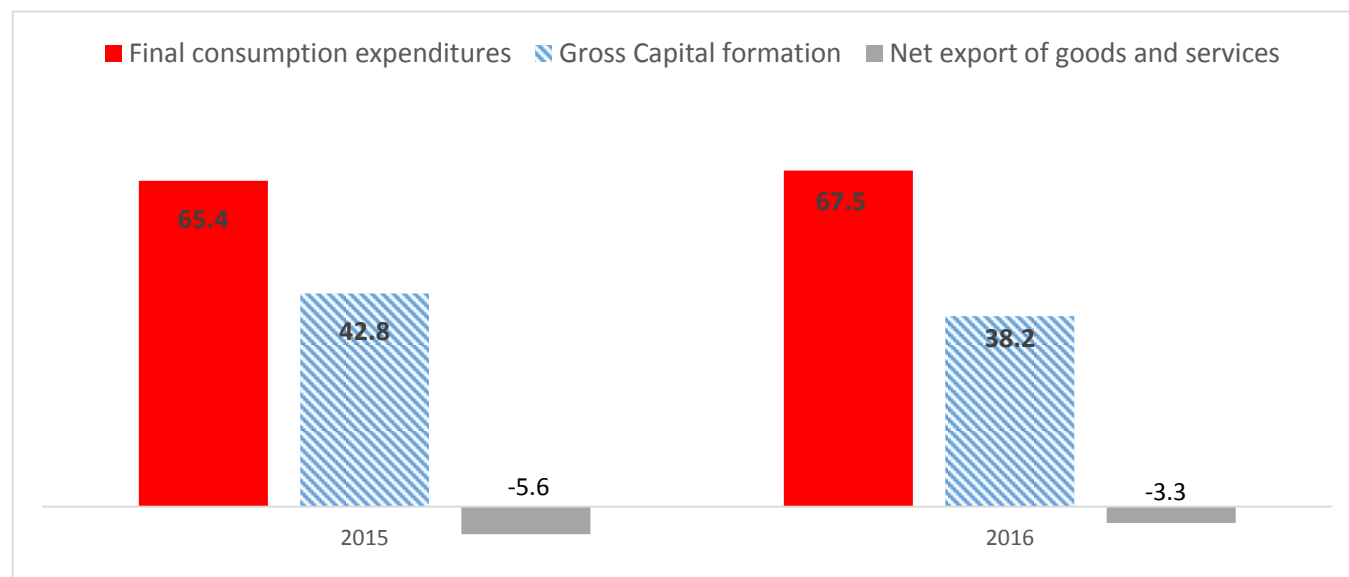
K221,222.2 Million recorded in 2016, Final Consumption Expenditure accounted for 65.9 percent while Gross Capital Formation accounted for 37.3 percent. The balance on the exports and imports of goods and services has reduced from a deficit of K10,247.8 Million in 2015 to a deficit of K7,151.1 Million in 2016.

GDP by Expenditure Categories at current prices, 2016 and 2016

Expenditure Categories	Values (K'Million)		Percentage Shares	
	2015	2016	2015	2016
Final consumption expenditures	119,981.3	145,810.4	63.7	65.9
Households	87,634.1	105,129.0	46.6	47.5
NPISHs	5,242.4	5,950.5	2.8	2.7
Government Final Consumption Expenditures	27,104.8	34,731.0	14.4	15.7
Government Collective	19,509.1	26,011.7	10.4	11.8
Government Individual	7,595.7	8,719.3	4.0	3.9
Gross Capital formation	78,496.4	82,562.9	41.7	37.3
Gross fixed capital formation, incl. valuables	70,515.8	78,704.2	37.5	35.6
Changes in inventories	7,980.7	3,858.7	4.2	1.7
Net export of goods and services	-10,247.8	-7,151.1	-5.4	-3.2
Exports of goods and services	68,104.9	76,335.9	36.2	34.5
Export of goods f.o.b	60,682.8	67,219.9	32.2	30.4
Export of services	7,422.1	9,116.0	3.9	4.1
Import of goods and services	78,352.7	83,487.1	41.6	37.7
Import of goods f.o.b	66,012.3	69,136.4	35.1	31.3
Import of services	12,340.4	14,350.7	6.6	6.5
GDP by Expenditure Categories	188,229.8	221,222.2	100.0	100.0
Statistical Discrepancy (Production less Expenditure GDP)	-4,848.8	-5,124.1	-2.6	-2.3

NB: The valuation of the imports is f.o.b - Free on board

Percentage share of Expenditures to the Total GDP at current prices, 2015 and 2016



QUARTERLY LABOUR FORCE

FIRST QUARTER 2017 LABOUR FORCE SURVEY HIGHLIGHTS

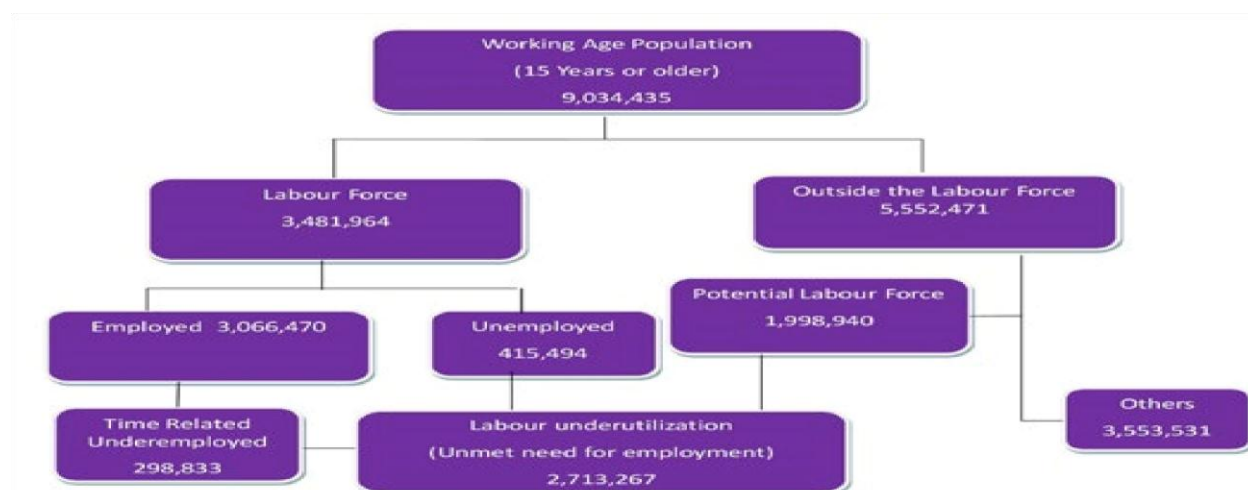
The Central Statistical Office (CSO) in collaboration with the Ministry of Labour and Social Security (MLSS) is conducting the Quarterly Labour Force Surveys 2017 (LFS). So far, two

Quarterly surveys have been conducted. These results relate to the first Quarter 2017 LFS.

Working-age Population

Working – age population refers to all persons aged 15 years or older. The working age population in the first quarter of 2017 was

estimated at 9,034,435 persons, of which 51.7 percent were females and 48.3 percent were males.



Labour Force

Labour force refers to all persons aged 15 years or older who are either employed or unemployed at the time of the survey. Of the total working-age population, 3,481,964 persons were in the labour force while 5,552,471 persons were outside the labour force. Fifty-eight percent of the labour

force were in urban areas and 42.0 percent were in rural areas. It is worth noting that 40.0 percent (about 2.1 million persons) were males and 60 percent were females.

Number and Percentage Distribution of the Labour Force By Rural/Urban and Sex, First Quarter 2017

Region	Both sexes		Male	Female
	Number	Percent	Number	Number
All Zambia	3,481,964	100.0	2,089,881	1,392,083
Rural	1,462,018	42.0	873,803	588,215
Urban	2,019,946	58.0	1,216,078	803,868

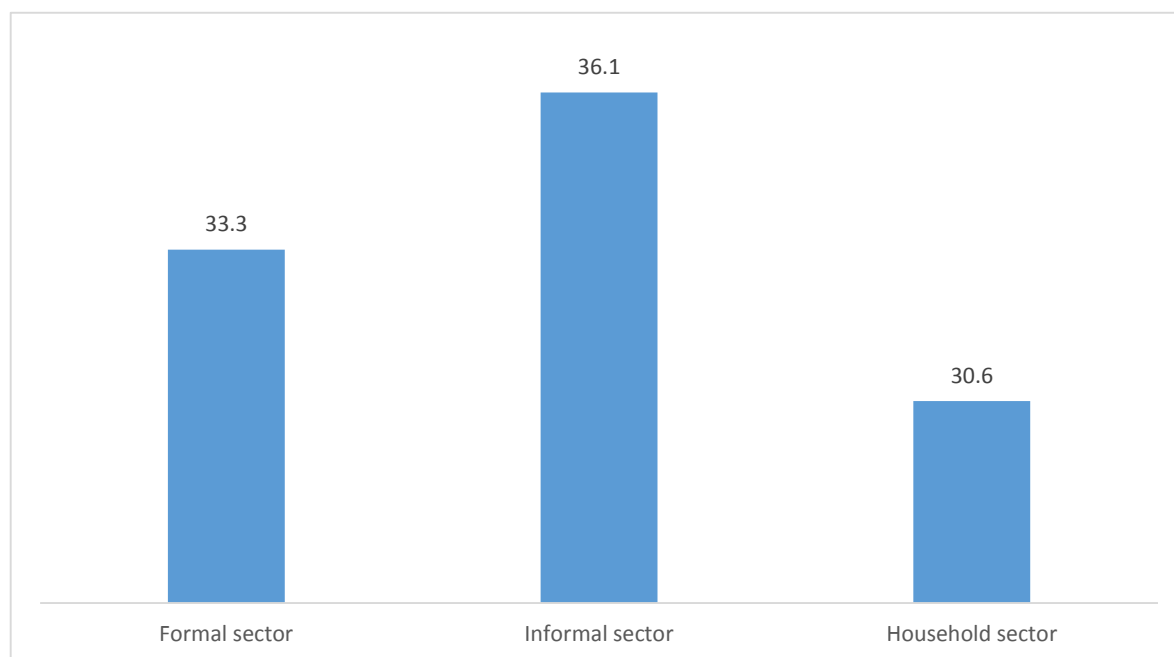
Source: 2017 Quarterly Labour Force

Employment by Sector

The employed population was estimated at 3,066,470 persons of which 33.3 percent (1,021,889) were in the formal sector, 36.1 percent

(1,107,712) were in the informal sector while 30.6 percent (936,869) were in the households sector.

Percentage share of Employed population by sector of employment, First Quarter 2017



Employed Population by Type of Employment

Employment can either be formal or informal. Formal employment is defined as employment in which the job holder is entitled to any type of social security whereas Informal employment relates to employment in which the job holder is

not entitled to any social security. Of the employed population, 24.8 percent (760, 624 persons) were formally employed and 75.2 percent (2,305,846) were informally employed.

Number and Percentage Distribution of Employed Population by Type of Employment and Sex, First Quarter 2017

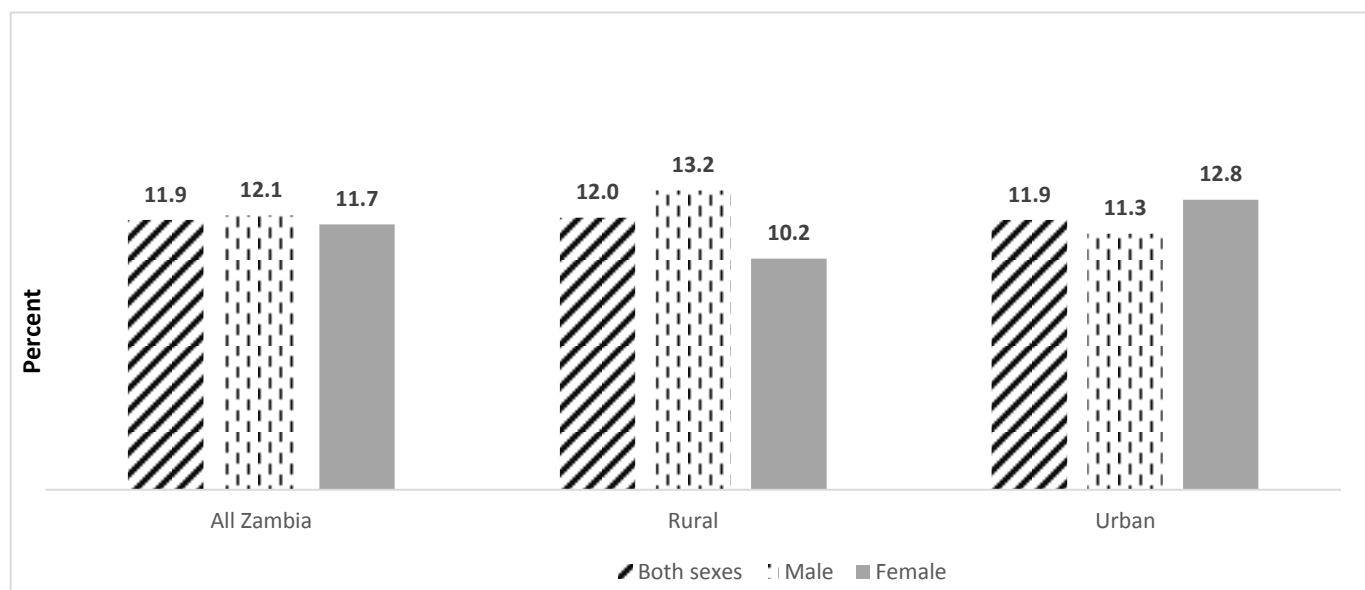
Type of employment	Both sexes		Male	Female
	Number	Percent	Number	Number
All Zambia	3,066,470	100.0	1,837,320	1,229,150
Formal employment	760,624	24.8	560,269	200,355
Informal employment	2,305,846	75.2	1,277,051	1,028,795

Unemployment

According to a strict definition of unemployment, the unemployment rate in Zambia remains relatively low. It is worth noting that most countries often use “strict” definition of unemployment for international comparison purposes as opposed to a “relaxed” or broad definition of unemployment which is used to achieve national targets. Further,

note that consensus among stakeholders is being built to measure the relaxed definition of unemployment. Using strict definition of unemployment, the unemployment rate was estimated at 11.9 percent. In rural areas, the unemployment rate was slightly higher at 12.0 percent than urban areas at 11.9 percent.

Unemployment Rate by Rural/Urban and Sex, First Quarter 2017

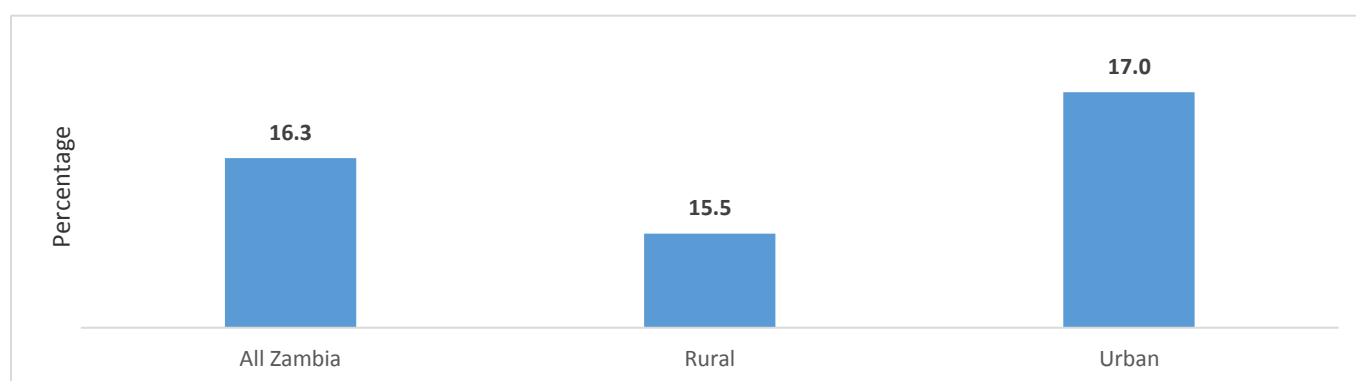


Youth Unemployment Rate

Youth (15-35 years) unemployment rate is the number of unemployed youths expressed as a percentage of the youth labour force. Youth unemployment rate in the first quarter of 2017 was

estimated at 16.3 percent. In urban areas, youth unemployment rate stood at 17.0 percent, while rural areas recorded a rate of 15.5 percent.

Youth (15-35 Years) Unemployment Rate by Rural/Urban, First Quarter 2017



Potential Labour Force

Potential Labour Force refers to jobless persons that are seeking employment but not available for employment or available but seeking employment.

Number and Percentage distribution of the Potential Labour Force by Region and Sex, First Quarter 2017

Region	Both sexes		Male	Female
	Number	Percent	Number	Number
All Zambia	1,998,940	100.0	855,164	1,143,776
Rural	1,314,577	65.8	596,419	718,158
Urban	684,363	34.2	258,745	425,618

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
	September	196.33	193.05	200.10

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
Weight:		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
	September	196.33	193.05	182.42	206.68	218.05	197.94	183.53	201.83	127.07	180.21	205.59	170.56	181.45

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
2016	May	182.68	21.3
2016	June	183.31	21.0
2016	July	183.43	20.2

CONSUMER PRICE INDICES (2009=100)			
Year	Month	Annual CPI	Annual Inflation Rate
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
2017	September	196.33	6.6

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
Quarter 1	14,280.0	4,369.9	18,649.9
Apr-17@	4,681.0	1,201.3	5,882.3
May-17@	4,468.5	1,401.2	5,869.7
Jun-17@	4,386.1	1,567.1	5,953.2
Quarter 2	13,535.6	4,169.5	17,705.2
Jul-17	5,314.0	1,376.6	6,690.6
Aug-17*	4,682.7	1,717.0	6,399.7
Total:	37,812.3	11,633.0	49,445.4

Table 2: Total Exports by Selected Regional Groupings, (K' Million) – January 2017 to August 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
Quarter 1	6,771.5	1,866.6	511.3	3,016.7
Apr-17@	2,082.4	628.7	93.2	1,002.8
May-17@	1,899.3	795.1	115.1	1,073.6
Jun-17@	1,924.4	805.8	264.0	940.5
Quarter 2	5,906.2	2,229.6	472.3	3,017.0
July-17	1,403.5	831.3	149.0	1,570.2
Aug-17*	1,688.2	741.5	222.2	1,562.9
Total:	15,769.3	5,669.0	1,354.7	9,166.8

Table 3: Total Exports by Product Category, (K' Million) –January 2017 to August 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
Quarter 1	1,507.4	1,057.0	15,425.5	660.0	18,649.9
Apr-17@	384.8	251.5	5,116.6	129.4	5,882.3
May-17@	563.3	320.6	4,867.1	118.7	5,869.7
Jun-17@	624.3	339.6	4,861.9	127.4	5,953.2
Quarter 2	1,572.5	911.7	14,845.6	375.4	17,705.2
July-17	509.5	296.6	5,752.4	132.2	6,690.6
Aug-17*	601.4	246.7	5,392.6	159.0	6,399.7
Total:	4,190.8	2,511.9	41,416.0	1,326.7	49,445.4

Table 4: Total Exports by Mode of Transport, K' Million and Tonnes– January 2017 to August 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	103,245.3	5,881.6	367,901.4
Feb-17@	4,520.2	238,344.0	133.4	3,173.1	462.0	436.9	1,325.7	103,019.2	6,441.3	344,973.2
Mar-17@	4,008.9	275,481.2	78.4	1,544.0	474.7	381.3	1,765.1	122,698.2	6,327.0	400,104.7
Quarter 1	12,936.6	775,527.8	222.2	7,213.4	1,213.0	1,275.5	4,278.1	328,962.7	18,649.9	1,112,979.4
Apr-17@	4,090.5	238,543.0	37.2	774.1	194.8	325.3	1,559.8	127,129.4	5,882.3	366,771.8
May-17@	4,310.2	260,804.0	46.2	1,099.4	281.0	409.6	1,232.3	131,618.2	5,869.7	393,931.1
Jun-17@	4,546.3	301,735.2	53.8	3,006.3	250.2	391.0	1,102.9	108,581.0	5,953.2	413,713.5
Quarter 2	12,947.0	801,082.3	137.2	4,879.7	726.0	1,125.9	3,895.1	367,328.6	17,705.2	1,174,416.5
July-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
Aug-17*	4,944.3	346,586.4	0.0	1.1	258.2	308.4	1,197.2	114,526.9	6,399.7	461,422.9
Total:	35,452.8	2,225,096.6	458.1	14,137.3	2,417.5	3,102.6	11,116.9	861,805.4	49,445.4	3,104,141.9

Table 6: Imports by Regional Groupings, (K' Million) – January 2017 to August 2017

PERIOD	ASIA	COMESA	EU	SADC
Jan-17®	1,733.8	906.3	304.1	2,709.9
Feb-17®	2,621.5	1,003.1	388.4	3,492.5
Mar-17®	2,565.3	1,392.1	474.6	3,390.1
Quarter 1	6,920.5	3,301.5	1,167.1	9,592.5
Apr-17®	2,756.8	1,382.9	440.0	3,670.0
May-17®	2,092.3	1,021.6	598.1	3,347.4
Jun-17®	1,686.1	1,490.8	497.1	3,903.4
Quarter 2	6,535.2	3,895.3	1,535.2	10,920.8
July-17	1,675.7	1,702.7	461.1	3,804.1
Aug-17*	1,908.7	1,989.8	545.6	4,140.5
Total:	17,040.1	10,889.4	3,709.0	28,457.9

Table 7: Import Trade by Product Category, (K Million)–January 2017 to August 2017

PERIOD	CONSUMER GOODS	RAW MATERIALS	INTERMEDIATE GOODS	CAPITAL GOODS	IMPORTS (cif)
Jan-17®	1,388.0	735.8	1,238.7	1,636.5	4,998.9
Feb-17®	1,457.5	699.3	1,233.6	3,378.9	6,769.2
Mar-17®	1,742.7	953.8	1,401.5	2,696.1	6,794.1
Quarter 1	4,588.2	2,388.8	3,873.8	7,711.4	18,562.2
Apr-17®	1,572.2	1,094.4	1,242.3	3,185.8	7,094.8
May-17®	1,865.9	903.8	1,355.1	2,128.2	6,253.0
Jun-17®	1,613.4	960.1	1,600.1	2,182.9	6,356.5
Quarter 2	5,051.5	2,958.4	4,197.5	7,496.9	19,704.3
July-17	1,653.1	855.2	1,775.3	1,996.5	6,280.0
Aug-17*	1,909.8	976.3	2,033.3	1,964.6	6,884.0
Total:	13,202.6	7,178.7	11,879.9	19,169.4	51,430.6

Table 8: Imports by Mode of Transport in K' Million and Tonnes – January 2017 to August 2017

PERIOD	ROAD TRANSPORT		RAIL TRANSPORT		AIR TRANSPORT		OTHER		TOTAL	
Jan-17®	2,783.8	259,051.8	101.6	15,645.3	316.9	593.7	1,796.7	288,269.9	4,998.9	563,560.7
Feb-17®	3,715.4	272,747.0	81.5	9,859.5	1,166.7	757.7	1,805.7	226,286.1	6,769.2	509,650.2
Mar-17®	3,630.1	309,457.1	105.6	20,605.5	1,178.2	1,001.5	1,880.1	245,972.3	6,794.1	577,036.4
Quarter 1	10,129.3	841,255.9	288.6	46,110.3	2,661.8	2,352.9	5,482.5	760,528.3	18,562.2	1,650,247.3
Apr-17®	4,586.7	255,279.1	60.8	5,237.1	414.8	817.9	2,032.6	158,922.6	7,094.8	420,256.8
May-17®	3,477.3	270,129.2	64.8	12,587.0	643.1	1,096.5	2,067.8	201,520.1	6,253.0	485,332.8
Jun-17®	3,946.9	279,695.4	74.7	10,077.9	485.8	1,033.6	1,849.1	212,549.4	6,356.5	503,356.2
Quarter 2	12,010.9	805,103.8	200.2	27,902.0	1,543.7	2,948.0	5,949.4	572,992.2	19,704.3	1,408,945.9
July-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
Aug-17*	4,418.2	313,374.6	23.9	8,150.3	526.9	1,276.7	1,915.1	213,740.8	6,884.0	536,542.5
Total:	30,558.5	2,261,338.8	519.1	84,894.5	5,122.7	7,580.7	15,230.3	1,725,206.7	51,430.6	4,079,020.7

Table 9: Zambia's Trade Flows In Absolute US \$ and Zambia Kwacha (ZMW) - 2000 to 2017(January-August)

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

Flow Year	Currency	Total Exports	Domestic Exports	Re-Exports	Imports	Trade Balance
		(fob)	(fob)	(fob)	(cif)	
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	49,682,504,458	9,930,851,052	61,024,054,558	-1,410,699,048
	US \$	9,686,603,579	8,076,838,096	1,609,765,483	9,783,632,089	-97,028,510
2015	ZMW	60,656,905,553	55,452,015,598	5,204,889,955	73,317,920,680	-12,661,015,127
	US \$	7,034,627,881	6,466,526,013	568,101,868	8,472,659,078	-1,438,031,197
2016	ZMW	67,223,106,880	64,083,731,911	3,139,374,969	77,681,056,195	-10,457,949,315
	US \$	6,512,804,843	6,211,599,310	301,205,532	7,537,311,578	-1,024,506,735
2017(JAN-AUG)	ZMW	49,275,360,367	46,688,469,271	2,586,891,096	51,044,126,287	-1,768,765,920
	US \$	5,240,938,769	4,959,104,465	281,834,304	5,431,941,008	-191,002,240

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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	863,294	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)**

Maize		Paddy rice	Wheat (Preliminary)	Sorghum & Millet	Sweet and Irish potatoes	Cassava flour	Total (maize equivalent)
A. Availability:							
(i) Opening stocks (1st May 2017)1/	569,317	353	54,522	944	0	13	624,321
(ii) Total production (2016/17)2/	3,606,549	38,423	193,713	49,903	238,426	923,796	4,816,094
Total availability	4,175,866	38,776	248,235	50,847	238,426	923,808	5,440,415
B. Requirements:							
(i) Staple food requirements:							
Human consumption 3/	1,632,348	73,855	385,314	45,852	226,505	763,313	2,908,535
Strategic Reserve Stocks (net)4/	500,000	0	0	0	0	0	500,000
(ii) Industrial requirements:							
Stockfeed 5/	270,807	0	0	0	0	0	270,807
Breweries 6/	121,275	0	0	0	0	0	121,275
Grain retained for other uses 7/	92,592	3,000	0	2,500	0	0	97,933
(iii) Losses 8/	180,327	1,921	9,686	2,495	11,921	46,190	240,805
(iv) Structural cross-border trade 9/	200,000						200,000
Total requirements	2,997,350	78,776	395,000	50,847	238,426	809,503	4,339,354
C. Surplus/deficit (A-B) 10/	1,178,516	-40,000	-146,765	0	0	114,305	1,101,060
D. Potential Commercial exports 11/	-1,178,516	40,000	146,765	0	0	0	0
E. Food aid import requirements 12/	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Notes:							
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.							

Gross Value Added growth rates by Industry at constant 2010 prices, Q1 2015 to Q2 2016

INDUSTRY	2015				2016				2017	
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1*	Q2**
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	-8.5	-7.8	-6.1	-7.7	3.1	-0.9	0.8	10.3	17.6	15.1
Mining and quarrying	-4.8	17.1	-2.0	-6.0	8.2	7.7	5.3	8.1	-5.1	4.2
Manufacturing	5.0	1.8	8.8	6.3	1.2	4.4	1.7	0.4	1.8	6.6
Electricity generation	8.8	7.2	-2.9	-18.9	-29.5	-21.1	-7.8	10.4	25.6	27.1
Water supply; sewerage	-6.4	-3.9	-8.0	-8.2	-3.0	-3.8	-3.6	-5.7	1.9	-3.7
Construction	37.2	20.3	3.8	15.7	9.8	12.6	15.9	4.1	2.6	5.0
Wholesale and retail trade	1.7	-1.3	3.7	1.6	0.8	-2.5	-1.0	2.3	1.9	-1.2
Transportation and storage	25.3	-11.8	14.6	-19.5	-7.6	-1.5	-4.9	7.0	7.9	8.7
Accommodation and food services	2.0	1.3	-2.5	-0.5	-0.6	-1.1	2.3	3.7	1.6	0.3
Information and communication	-4.8	-8.3	19.2	3.2	6.2	54.4	15.3	-3.1	-30.5	-22.3
Financial and insurance	3.7	7.6	21.6	14.9	5.2	5.2	-9.0	-8.2	-3.0	-2.5
Real estate	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3
Professional, scientific and technical	2.1	7.0	-1.8	-2.4	5.0	5.7	8.9	6.4	3.9	8.2
Administrative and support service	-3.1	6.4	5.1	8.1	6.9	6.2	6.4	1.9	1.9	6.3
Public administration and defense	1.8	1.2	0.4	4.6	10.1	10.3	11.1	7.4	4.2	5.1
Education	2.4	0.2	-1.0	0.5	4.1	5.0	5.8	3.9	8.1	7.7
Human health and social work	8.0	2.9	0.1	1.1	1.5	2.0	1.4	1.6	11.5	15.4
Arts, entertainment and recreation	1.5	-9.9	5.6	18.3	8.3	7.2	-6.6	2.2	6.9	-1.4
Other services	2.4	3.0	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	3.9	2.6	3.5	1.2	3.2	4.8	3.5	3.7	3.0	3.4
Taxes less subsidies on products	6.2	2.6	7.5	5.4	4.8	1.3	2.5	5.2	3.6	-0.4
GDP at market prices	4.0	2.6	3.8	1.4	3.3	4.6	3.4	3.8	3.0	3.2

Gross Value Added percentage contribution to the growth by Industry at constant prices, Q1 2016 to Q2 2017

INDUSTRY	2016				2017	
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1*	Q2**
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.3	-0.1	0.0	0.8	1.7	1.1
Mining and quarrying	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.8	-0.5	0.4
Manufacturing	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.6
Electricity generation	-0.5	-0.4	-0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4
Water supply; sewerage	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Construction	1.0	1.2	1.5	0.5	0.3	0.5
Wholesale and retail trade	0.2	-0.6	-0.2	0.5	0.4	-0.3
Transportation and storage	-0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3
Accommodation and food services	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0
Information and communication	0.2	1.8	0.6	-0.1	-0.9	-1.1
Financial and insurance	0.2	0.2	-0.4	-0.3	-0.1	-0.1
Real estate	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Professional, scientific and technical	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Administrative and support service	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1
Public administration and defence	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3
Education	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.6
Human health and social work	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other services	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	3.0	4.5	3.2	3.5	2.8	3.2
Taxes less subsidies on products	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.0
GDP at market prices	3.3	4.6	3.4	3.8	3.0	3.2

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- ☞ 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

SELECTED AVAILABLE REPORTS

- ☞ 2016/2017 Crop Forecast Survey (Electronic copy)
- ☞ 2015 Selected Social Economic Indicators Print Copy
- ☞ 2014-2015 National Accounts Gross Domestic Product (GDP) Report
- ☞ 2015 Living Conditions Monitoring Survey Main Report (Electronic and Print copy)
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