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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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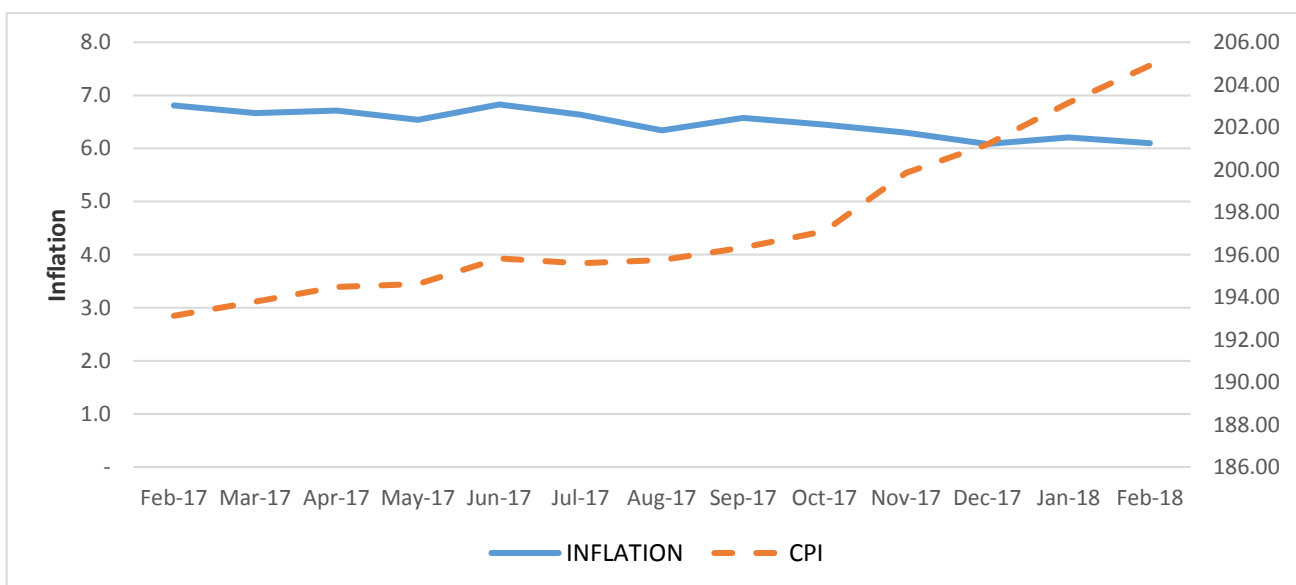
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YEAR ON YEAR INFLATION RATE FOR FEBRUARY 2018 DECREASES TO 6.1 PERCENT

The year on year inflation rate as measured by the all items Consumer Price Index (CPI) for February 2018 decreased to 6.1 percent compared to 6.2 percent recorded in January 2018. This means that on average, prices increased by 6.1 percent between February 2017 and February 2018.

Movement of Consumer Price Indices (CPI) show a steadily increasing trend in the prices of commodities during the period of February 2017 to February 2018. However, Annual Inflation Rates over the same period have shown a decreasing pattern from 6.8 percent in February 2017 to 6.1 percent in February 2018.

Consumer Price Indices (CPI) and Annual Inflation Rates from February 2017- February 2018 (2009=100)



Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

(Note: The recent price increases of fuel were not captured because the increases were done outside the data collection period)

YEAR ON YEAR FOOD AND NON-FOOD INFLATION RATE

The year on year (Annual) food inflation rate for February 2018 was recorded at 4.6 percent same as the one recorded in January 2018.

The year on year (Annual) non-food inflation rate for February 2018 was recorded at 7.9 percent, from 8.1 percent

recorded in January 2018, indicating a decrease of 0.2 percentage points. The decrease in the annual non-food inflation is mainly attributed to the decreases in prices for items such as Cigarette, Purchase of Motor Vehicles and Airfare charges.

Year on Year Food and Non Food Inflation Rate														
	Weight:	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	June-2017	July-2017	Aug-2017	Sep-2017	Oct-2017	Nov-2017	Dec-2017	Jan-2018	Feb-2018
Total	1,000.00	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.1
Food	534.85	7.4	6.7	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.3	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.6
Non-Food	465.15	6.1	6.6	7.5	7.3	8.0	8.1	7.7	8.4	8.2	7.9	7.5	8.1	7.9

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

ANNUAL INFLATION RATE MOVEMENT BY CPI MAIN GROUP

The annual inflation rate for February, 2018 measured by consumer price index main group increased for Recreation & Culture; Education and Miscellaneous Goods & Services while the annual inflation rate for February, 2018 reduced for Alcoholic

Beverages & Tobacco; Clothing & Footwear; Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas & Other Fuels; Furnishing, Household Equipment & Routine Housing Maintenance; Health; Communication; Transport and Restaurant & Hotel.

DIVISION	Division Weight	Feb-17	Mar-17	Apr-17	May-17	Jun-17	Jul-17	Aug-17	Sep-17	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Jan-18	Feb-18
All Items	1 000	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.1
Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages	534.85	7.4	6.7	6.1	5.9	5.8	5.3	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.6
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	15.21	8.5	7.0	5.0	4.5	3.6	3.4	3.7	4.6	4.7	5.2	3.7	3.9	3.0
Clothing and Footwear	80.78	9.0	8.9	8.4	9.0	8.1	8.4	7.8	7.7	7.5	8.2	7.2	7.3	7.2
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	114.11	4.2	6.0	7.2	6.5	12.1	12.0	12.8	16.2	16.3	16.2	15.9	17.1	16.5
Furnishing, Household Equip., Routine Hse Mtc	82.36	4.7	4.5	4.7	4.2	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.1	3.8	4.3	4.4	4.9	4.8
Health	8.15	5.5	5.8	4.8	5.3	6.2	6.2	6.0	5.6	4.4	4.8	4.2	5.5	5.1
Transport	58.08	8.7	9.1	14.5	14.3	10.5	11.0	7.9	7.2	6.9	1.7	1.0	1.8	1.6
Communication	12.94	7.6	7.5	2.6	2.4	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.8	1.8	0.8	0.7
Recreation and Culture	13.84	4.6	5.1	4.5	6.4	5.3	4.3	3.6	2.5	1.8	7.1	5.6	6.5	6.9
Education	26.62	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.6	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.0	7.0	5.4	3.8	3.9
Restaurant and Hotel	3.37	2.3	3.5	2.3	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.1	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.0
Miscellaneous Goods & Services	49.69	4.1	4.2	6.0	5.6	5.3	5.3	4.8	5.1	5.3	5.7	6.8	7.7	7.8

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

CONTRIBUTION OF DIVISIONS TO OVERALL INFLATION

Of the total 6.1 percent annual inflation rate recorded in February 2018, Food and Non-alcoholic beverages accounted for

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

Contribution of Divisions to Overall Inflation														
Division	Division Weight	Feb 2017	Mar 2017	Apr 2017	May 2017	Jun 2017	July 2017	Aug 2017	Sep 2017	Oct 2017	Nov 2017	Dec 2017	Jan 2018	Feb 2018
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	534.85	3.9	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.5
Alcoholic beverages, and tobacco	15.21	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0
Clothing and footwear	80.78	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	114.11	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house	82.36	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5
Health	8.15	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
Transport	58.08	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Communications	12.94	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Recreation and culture	13.84	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Education	26.62	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	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	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.4

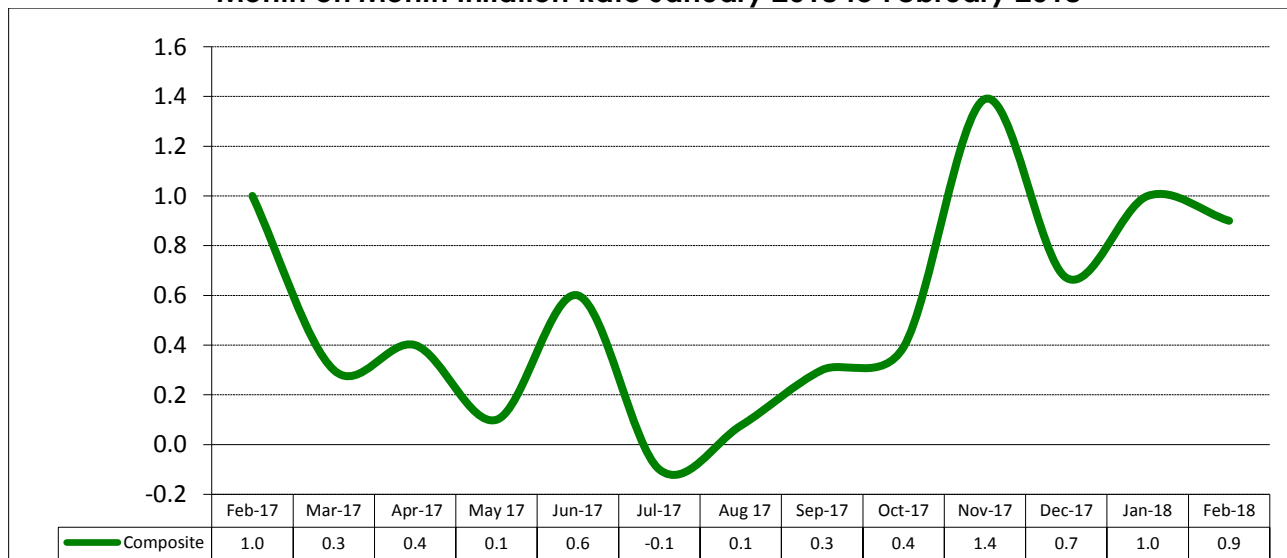
Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

FEBRUARY 2018 MONTH ON MONTH INFLATION RATE DECREASES TO 0.9 PERCENT

The month on month (Monthly) inflation rate for February 2018, was recorded at 0.9 percent compared to 1.0 percent

recorded in January 2018, showing a decrease of 0.1 percentage point.

Month on Month Inflation Rate January 2018 to February 2018



Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

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

Month on Month Inflation Rate: Food and Non-Food Items (2009=100)														
	Weight:	Feb-2017	Mar-2017	Apr-2017	May-2017	June-2017	July-2017	Aug-2017	Sep-2017	Oct-2017	Nov-2017	Dec-2017	Jan-2018	Feb-2018
Total	1,000.00	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.6	(0.1)	0.1	0.3	0.4	1.4	0.7	1.0	0.9
Food	534.85	1.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	(0.3)	(0.2)	0.1	-0.1	0.5	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.2
Non-Food	465.15	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.1	1.7	0.0	0.1	0.8	0.2	2.0	0.2	1.0	0.5

The month on month (Monthly) food inflation rate for February, 2018 increased to 1.2 percent compared to 1.0 percent recorded in January, 2018. This indicates an increase of 0.2 percentage points. The increase in the month on month food inflation rate is as a result of price changes of meat products, fruits and vegetables.

The month on month (Monthly) Non-food inflation rate for February 2018 was recorded at 0.5 percent compared to 1.0 percent recorded in January, 2018. This indicates a decrease of 0.5 percentage points. The decrease in non-food inflation is mainly attributed to price changes of purchase of motor vehicle and airfare charges

MONTH ON MONTH CONTRIBUTIONS: FOOD AND NON-FOOD

Of the total 0.9 percent month on month (Monthly) inflation rate recorded in February 2018, Food and Non-alcoholic

beverages accounted for 0.7 percentage points, while non-food items accounted for a total of 0.2 percentage points.

Month on Month Contribution: Food and Non Food														
Division	Weight	Feb 2017	Mar 2017	Apr 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	Aug 2017	Sep 2017	Oct 2017	Nov 2017	Dec 2017	Jan 2018	Feb 2018
Food	534.85	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.0	(0.2)	(0.1)	0.1	(0.1)	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.7
Non-Food	465.15	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.9	0.2	0.6	0.2
All Items	1,000.00	0.9	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.6	(0.1)	0.1	0.3	1.0	1.4	0.7	1.0	0.9

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

PROVINCIAL ANNUAL INFLATION RATES

Provincial changes in annual inflation rate show that between February 2017 and February 2018, North-western had highest annual rate of inflation at 9.0 percent,

followed by Western Province at 8.7 percent. Luapula Province recorded the lowest annual rate of inflation at 3.1 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
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	6.6	7.8	7.6	9.4	3.3	5.7	3.9	9.3	4.9
Oct-17	6.4	7.1	7.1	9.5	3.5	6.2	5.7	7.3	4.0
Nov-17	7.8	5.8	8.3	3.5	5.9	4.9	9.3	4.9	10.0
Dec-17	7.4	4.8	7.9	2.8	6.7	3.8	9.5	5.1	8.8
Jan-18	6.5	3.9	8.1	3.0	7.5	7.0	9.1	4.9	8.3
Feb-18	6.0	3.8	8.2	3.1	7.2	7.5	9.0	4.7	8.7

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

PROVINCIAL CONTRIBUTION TO OVERALL INFLATION

Lusaka Province had the highest provincial contribution of 2.0 percentage points to the overall annual inflation rate of 6.1 percent recorded in February 2018. This implies that the price movements in Lusaka Province had the greatest

influence on the overall annual rate of inflation. Copperbelt and Eastern had the second highest provincial contribution of 0.8 percentage points each. Luapula Province had the lowest contribution of 0.2 percentage points.

Provincial Contribution to Overall Inflation														
Province	Weight	Feb 2017	Mar 2017	Apr 2017	May 2017	June 2017	July 2017	Aug 2017	Sep 2017	Oct 2017	Nov 2017	Dec 2017	Jan 2018	Feb 2018
Central	107.19	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6
Copperbelt	219.68	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	0.9	1.5	1.2	1.0	0.8	0.8
Eastern	88.98	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	1.3	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8
Luapula	50.60	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Lusaka	283.89	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.0
Northern	65.72	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5
North Western	32.33	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Southern	109.19	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	1.0	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5
Western	42.42	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
National	1,000.00	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.1

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

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 February, 2018.

Product Description	Unit of Measure	Minimum		Maximum	
		Price (K)	Location	Price (K)	Location
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25 kg	56.00	Choma, Kabwe	100.00	Mufumbwe
Roller mealie meal	25 kg	35.00	Kabwe	80.00	Chiengwe
Maize Grain	20 litre tin	15.00	Chama	40.00	Kaoma, Kalabo, Ndola, Mufulira
Dried Kapenta (Mpulungu)	1 kg	60.34	Petauke	265.96	Lusaka
Charcoal	50 kg bag	20.00	Mungwi	80.00	Kitwe
Cement	50 kg	60.00	Ndola, Luanshya	100.00	Chama, Kaoma, Mongu

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2018

On a monthly basis, a comparison of retail prices between January 2018 and February 2018 shows that the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Breakfast Mealie meal increased by 3.8 percent from K67.17 to K69.72 while the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Roller Mealie meal increased by 1.4 percent from K50.95 to K51.67. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain decreased by 3.6 percent from K29.31 to K28.26.

On an annual basis, a comparison of retail prices between February 2017 and February 2018 shows that the national average price of a 25kg bag of Breakfast Mealie meal decreased by 32.1 percent from K102.73 to K69.72. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain decreased by 43.2 percent from K49.76 to K28.26.

NATIONAL AVERAGE PRICES FOR SELECTED PRODUCTS

Description	Unit of Measure													%Change Feb 2018/Jan 2018	%Change Feb 2018/Feb 2017
			Feb 17	Mar 17	Apr 17	Jul 17	Aug 17	Sep 17	Oct 17	Nov 17	Dec 17	Jan 18	Feb 18		
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25	Kilogram	102.73	103.46	100.73	88.58	77.27	72.00	69.36	67.39	66.23	67.17	69.72	3.80	-32.13
Roller Mealie Meal	25	Kilogram	85.11	85.67	83.32	65.84	57.73	54.21	52.57	51.24	49.76	50.95	51.67	1.41	-39.29
Maize grain	20	Litre tin	49.76	53.03	51.12	33.97	31.07	29.10	28.31	29.00	28.18	29.31	28.26	-3.58	-43.21
Bread			7.73	7.78	7.75	7.71	7.63	7.63	7.61	7.57	7.55	7.57	7.51	-0.79	-2.85
Brisket	1	Kilogram	36.76	37.00	36.91	36.77	36.32	37.10	37.11	37.12	37.50	36.52	36.64	0.33	-0.33
Mixed Cut	1	Kilogram	34.52	34.60	34.68	34.49	34.19	34.65	34.63	34.86	34.91	35.11	34.95	-0.46	1.25
Chicken Frozen	1	Kilogram	26.24	26.91	27.81	27.45	26.66	26.84	26.46	25.99	26.22	26.29	26.66	1.41	1.60
Dried Kapenta Mpulungu	1	Kilogram	114.32	119.40	123.82	108.52	109.99	112.45	111.39	119.67	109.19	118.48	125.70	6.09	9.95
Dried Kapenta Siavonga	1	Kilogram	136.34	138.18	137.54	126.78	124.33	128.02	131.76	135.77	128.74	136.67	142.69	4.40	4.66
Cooking oil Local	25	Litre	51.10	50.52	50.54	49.98	49.16	49.03	49.23	48.95	48.91	48.73	48.76	0.06	-4.58
Rape	1	Kilogram	5.41	5.32	5.24	4.45	4.52	4.37	4.42	4.62	5.02	5.31	5.58	5.08	3.14
Cabbage	1	Kilogram	3.60	3.72	3.43	2.74	2.48	2.68	2.71	2.85	2.85	3.04	3.24	6.58	-10.00
Tomatoes	1	Kilogram	8.25	7.36	6.17	7.27	7.02	7.03	6.94	6.93	6.53	6.54	6.84	4.59	-17.09
Sugar	2.5	litre	26.50	26.46	26.43	26.47	26.35	26.33	26.26	26.35	26.34	26.42	26.44	0.08	-0.23
Cement	50	Kilogram	66.49	66.70	66.60	68.93	68.46	67.80	68.18	70.95	72.38	74.19	75.09	1.21	12.93
Paraffin purchases	1	litre	6.81	6.81	6.77	6.78	6.50	6.53	6.48	7.83	7.82	7.82	7.82	0.0	14.83
Charcoal	25	Kilogram	40.30	40.93	39.94	40.01	40.28	42.05	40.12	42.13	41.95	41.65	41.98	0.79	4.17
Toyota Hilux	1	Each	529,608.65	557,844.90	564,290.00	507,300.00	491,280.00	494,217.00	520,600.00	558,960.00	552,300.00	520,682.00	526,000.00	1.02	-0.68
Toyota corolla	1	Each	383,871.00	363,898.40	389,410.00	399,161.50	386,556.40	388,867.34	399,161.10	428,572.97	477,750.00	457,496.00	420,000.00	-8.20	9.41
Purchase of Second hand vehicle	1	Each	29,107.58	29,518.68	51,890.34	51,615.68	51,800.72	51,800.72	51,800.72	52,272.18	51,544.19	52,466.12	51,266.20	-2.29	76.13
Air Fare Regional/Johannesburg	1	One-way Economy	2,710.00	2,620.00	2,650.00	2,905.00	2,800.00	3,535.00	3,070.00	3,535.00	3,085.00	3,480.00	3,380.00	-2.87	24.72
Lusaka/London via Dubai	1	One-way Economy	5,640.00	5,810.00	5,890.00	5,000.00	5,700.00	5,100.00	5,295.00	5,890.00	6,000.00	5,760.00	5,580.00	-3.12	-1.06
DSTV monthly subscription	1	Full banquet	818.00	818.00	818.00	818.00	818.00	782.60	790.00	790.00	790.00	790.00	790.00	0.0	-3.42
Lifebuoy	150	Grams	5.74	6.15	5.96	5.82	5.77	5.82	5.95	5.82	5.94	6.32	6.07	-3.96	5.75
Hammer milling charge	20	Litre tin	6.32	6.50	6.48	6.37	6.25	6.63	6.62	6.73	6.80	6.90	6.92	0.29	9.49

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January 2018 records a Trade Deficit

Zambia records a trade deficit of K651.8 Million in January 2018 from a trade surplus of K 469.1 Million recorded in December 2017. This means that the country imported more in January 2018 than it exported in nominal terms. Imports increased by 12.2 percent from K7, 878.5 Million in December 2017 to K8, 841.2 Million in January 2018, while exports declined

by 1.9 percent from K8,348.5 Million in December to K8, 189.3 Million in 2018. The trade deficit can be mainly explained by a decline in the exports of metals by 1.5 percent and an increase in the imports of Consumer and Capital goods by 26.2 percent and 24.5 percent respectively.

Total Exports (FOB) and Imports (CIF), January 2017 to January 2018*(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®	6 769.3	6 323.4	6 441.3	-328.1
Mar-17®	6 794.0	5 997.2	6 092.6	-701.4
Quarter 1	18 562.3	18 095.1	18 415.5	-146.8
Apr-17®	7 095.1	5 742.9	5 882.3	-1 212.8
May-17®	6 252.7	5 775.6	5 869.4	-383.3
June-17®	6 359.7	5 739.8	5 953.2	-406.5
Quarter 2	19 707.5	17 258.3	17 704.9	-2 002.6
July-17®	6 382.1	5 539.2	5 737.6	-644.4
Aug-17®	6 885.7	6 026.9	6 399.7	-486.0
Sep-17®	7 667.5	5 041.4	5 541.6	-2 125.8
Quarter 3	20 935.2	16 607.5	17 678.9	-3 256.3
Oct-17®	7 807.6	6 543.1	6 925.6	-882.0
Nov-17®	8 269.8	8 517.1	8 692.1	422.3
Dec-17®	7 879.4	8 133.7	8 348.5	469.1
Quarter 4	23 956.8	23 193.9	23 966.2	9.4
Total	83 161.8	75 154.8	77 765.5	-5 396.3
Jan-18*	8 841.2	8 069.0	8 189.3	-651.8

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

These trade data are compiled based on the General Trade System

Note: (*) Provisional

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Performance of Exports (Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports (TEs and NTEs), January 2018 and December 2017

The Metal export earnings marginally decreased by 1.4 percent from K6, 852.3 million in December 2017 to K6, 753.2 million in January 2018. The overall contribution of Metals and their products to the total export earnings between January 2018 and December 2017 averaged 82.3 percent.

Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs) decreased by 4.0 percent from K1, 496.2 million in December 2017 to K1, 437.1 million in January 2018. The share of NTEs recorded an average of 17.7 percent in revenue earnings between January 2018 and December 2017.

Zambia's Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), January 2018 and December 2017

PERIOD	Jan-18*		Dec-17®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share	Value (K'Million)	% Share
Traditional Exports..	6 752.3	82.5	6 852.3	82.1
Non-Traditional Exports	1 437.1	17.5	1 496.2	17.9
Total Exports	8 189.3	100.0	8 348.5	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: (*) Provisional

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Zambia's Exports of Copper by Volume and corresponding LME prices, January 2017 and January 2018

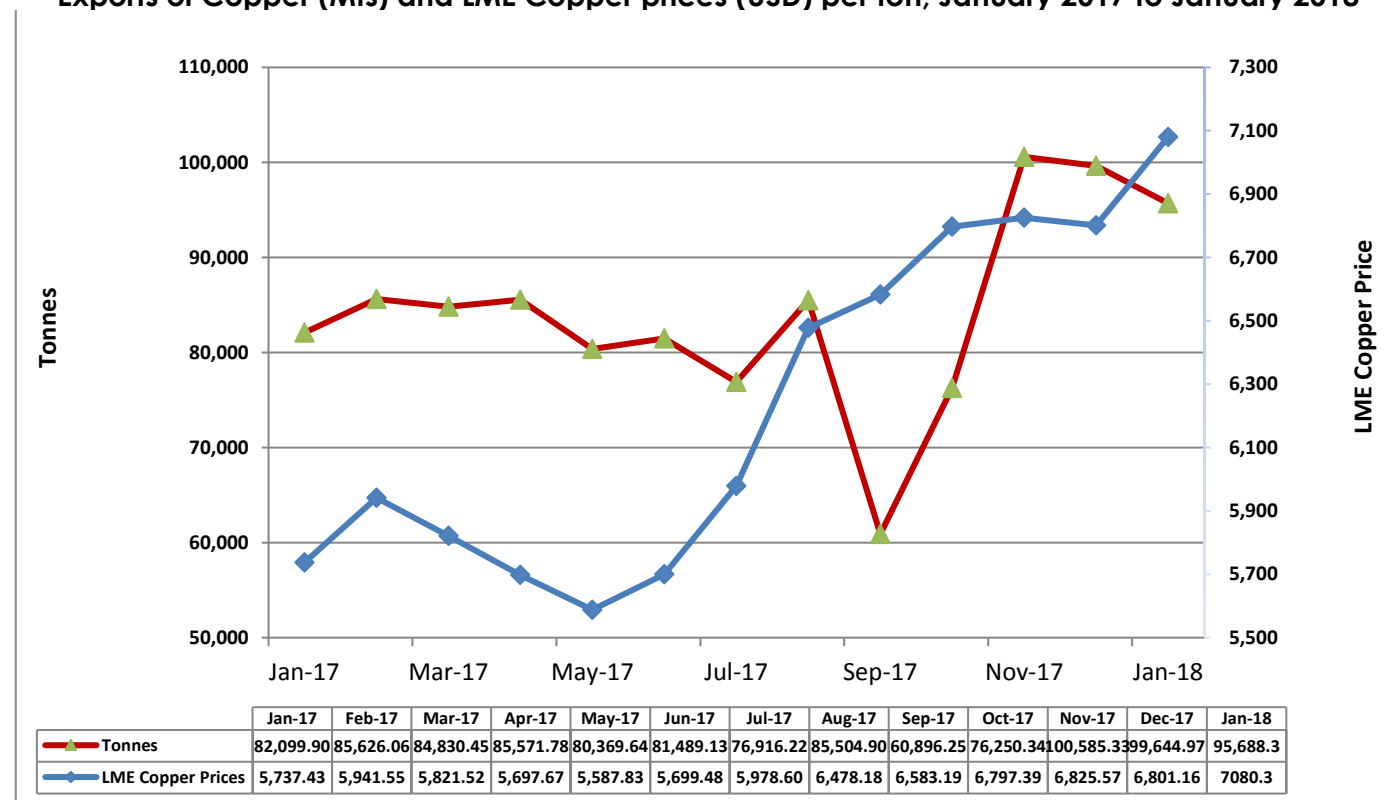
The volume of Copper exported in January 2018 decreased by 4.0 percent from 99 645.0 metric tonnes recorded in December 2017 to 95 688.3 metric tonnes in January 2018.

The corresponding Copper prices on LME increased by 4.1 percent, from USD 6,801.2 per

metric tonne in December 2017 USD 7080.3 per metric tonne in January 2018.

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

Exports of Copper (Mts) and LME Copper prices (USD) per ton, January 2017 to January 2018



Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Performance of Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), January 2018 and December 2017

For the purpose of this analysis, Non-Traditional Exports are divided into Agricultural and Non-Agricultural products.

Agricultural Products

Agricultural products accounted for a share of 28.2 percent of Zambia's Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs) in January 2018 compared to 29.0 percent recorded in December 2017.

The export earnings from Agricultural products recorded a 6.6 percent decline from K 433.8 million in December 2017 to K 405.1 million in January 2018. The major export commodities were Raw cane sugar (14.8 percent), Tobacco partly or wholly stemmed/ stripped (14.6 percent) and Oil-cake and other solid residual of soya beans (12.6 percent).

Non-Agricultural Products

Non-Agricultural products accounted for a share of 71.8 percent of Zambia's Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs) in January 2018 compared to 71.0 percent recorded in December 2017.

The export earnings from Non-Agricultural products recorded a decrease of 2.9 percent from K1, 062.4 Million in December 2017 to K 1, 031.9 Million in January 2018. The major export commodities were Sulphuric Acid (12.9 percent), Bullion semi-manufactured forms (mainly Gold) (8.7percent) and Articles of stone or other mineral substances nes (8.5percent).

Zambia's Major Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs), January 2018 and December 2017

Period		Jan-18*		Period		Dec-17®	
Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)	Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
AGRIC PRODUCTS		405.1	100.0	AGRIC PRODUCTS		433.8	100.0
17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	59.8	14.8	17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	68.5	15.8
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	59.1	14.6	10059000	Maize (excl. seed)	62.0	14.3
23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-beans	51.2	12.6	10051000	Maize seed	56.7	13.1
10051000	Maize seed	34.5	8.5	23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	47.7	11.0
10059000	Maize (excl. seed)	25.9	6.4	17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	25.7	5.9
31026000	Double salts and mixtures of calcium nitrate and ammonium nitrate	14.8	3.7	19041000	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals	18.2	4.2
19053100	Sweet biscuits.	14.1	3.5	12019000	Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed	16.3	3.8
17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	12.7	3.1	24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	15.0	3.5
Other - NTEs Agric Product		133.0	32.8	Other - NTEs Agric Product		123.8	28.5
% Share of January Agric Products NTEs		28.2		% Share of December Agric Products NTEs		29.0	
NON-AGRIC PRODUCTS		1031.9	100.0	NON-AGRIC PRODUCTS		1062.4	100.0
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	132.8	12.9	28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	121.5	11.4
71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms (Mainly Gold)	90.0	8.7	28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	121.4	11.4
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	88.0	8.5	71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms	89.7	8.4
74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	82.0	7.9	22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	42.9	4.0
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	79.5	7.7	74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm	37.0	3.5
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	36.6	3.5	25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	30.4	2.9
34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	35.3	3.4	25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	28.6	2.7
25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	28.7	2.8	36020090	Other prepared explosives, (excl. propellant powders)	21.9	2.1

Period		Jan-18*		Period		Dec-17®	
Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)	Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)
72023000	Ferro-silico-manganese	26.4	2.6	72023000	Ferro-silico-manganese	20.8	2.0
85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	18.5	1.8	34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	20.0	1.9
26020000	MANGANESE ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGINOUS), WITH MANGANESE CONT.OF=>20%	17.4	1.7	29309010	Other organo-sulphurcompounds, nes - in bulk	17.8	1.7
25221000	Quicklime	14.7	1.4	41032000	Hides and skins of reptiles, fresh or preserved, not tanned	16.9	1.6
29309010	Other organo-sulphurcompounds, nes - in bulk	14.6	1.4	85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	14.5	1.4
87041000	Dumpers for off-highway use	13.6	1.3	25222000	Slaked lime	14.4	1.4
84139100	Parts of pumps for liquids	13.2	1.3	26020000	Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20%	13.3	1.3
Other - NTEs Non Agric Product		340.8	33.0	Other - NTEs Non Agric Product		451.2	42.5
% Share of January Agric Products NTEs		71.8		% Share of December Agric Products NTEs		71.0	
NTE"s		1437.1	139.3	NTE"s		1496.2	140.8

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: (*) Provisional

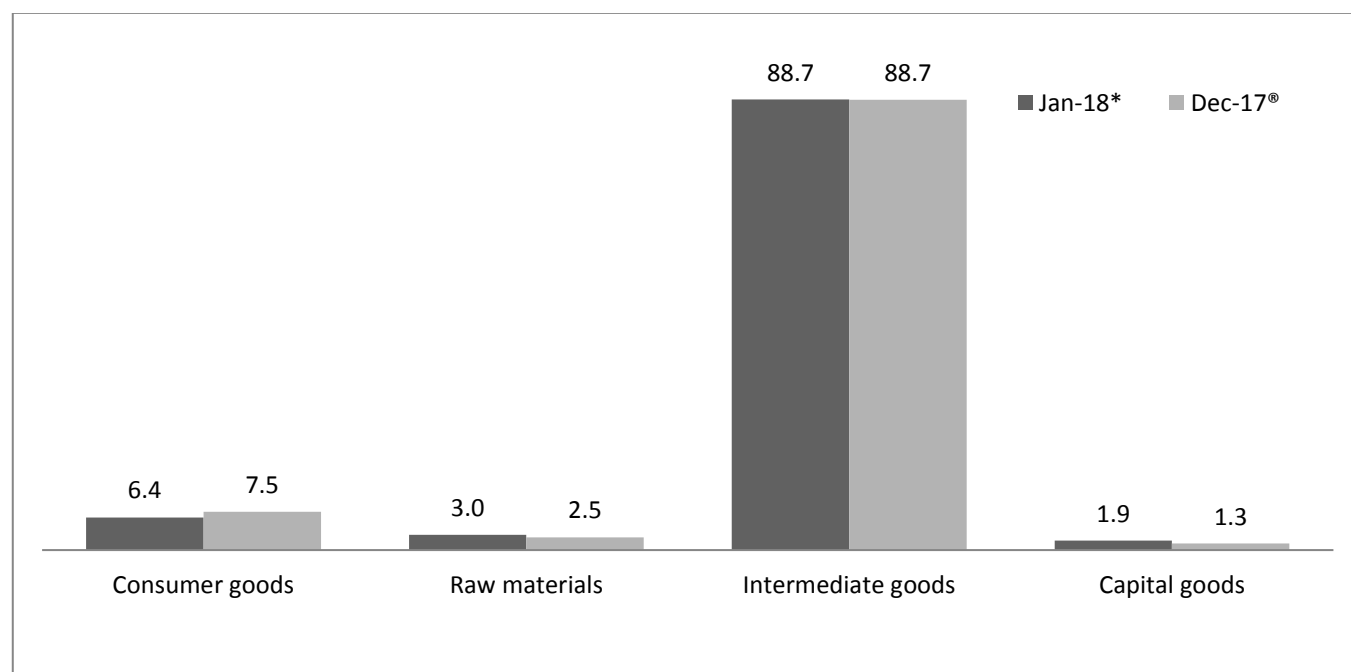
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Exports by Major Product Categories, January 2018 and December 2017

Zambia's major export products in January 2018 were from the intermediate goods category (mainly comprising Copper anodes for electrolytic refining and Cathodes of refined copper) accounting for 88.7 percent

in both months. Exports from the Consumer goods, Raw Materials and Capital goods categories, collectively accounted for 11.3 percent of total exports in January 2018.

Exports Share (%) by Major Product Categories January 2018 and December 2017



Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: (*) Provisional

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Zambia's Major Export Destinations by Commodity in January 2018

The major export destination in January 2018 was Switzerland, which accounted for 43.9 percent of the total export earnings. The main export product to Switzerland was Copper anodes for electrolytic refining, accounting for 47.2 percent of total export earnings from that country, followed by cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper (43.0 percent).

China was the second main destination of Zambia's exports accounting for 14.5 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product to China was Copper blister, accounting for 65.1 percent of total export earnings from China.

Congo DR was the third main export destination accounting for 7.0 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product was Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk

accounting for 23.2 percent of total export earnings from that country.

Singapore was the fourth major export destination accounting for 5.6 percent of the total export earnings. The major export products were cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper accounting for 41.5 percent of total export earnings from that country.

The fifth main export destination was India, which accounted for 3.2 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product was Copper anodes for electrolytic refining, accounting for 62.3 percent of total export earnings from that country.

These five countries collectively accounted for 74.2 percent of Zambia's total export earnings in January 2018.

Zambia's Five Major Export Destinations by Product for January 2018

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jan-2018*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
SWITZERLAND		3,593.3	100.0
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	1,695.2	47.2
74031110	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	1,546.8	43.0
74020011	Copper blister	234.6	6.5
74031120	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	79.6	2.2
74031900	Other refined Copper	34.8	1.0
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	1.0	0.0
79031000	Zinc dust	0.7	0.0
74032990	Copper-cobalt alloy	0.4	0.0
25309000	Other mineral substances, nes	0.2	0.0
26030029	Other - copper concentrate	0.0	0.0
Others		0.0	0.0
Percent of Total January Exports		43.9	
CHINA		1,189.5	100.0
74020011	Copper blister	774.7	65.1
74031120	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	142.3	12.0
74032990	Copper-cobalt alloy	74.4	6.3
74031110	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	63.2	5.3
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	55.2	4.6
74031900	Other refined Copper	47.6	4.0
26020000	Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20%	13.1	1.1
44032000	Untreated coniferous wood in the rough...	3.2	0.3
07123200	Dried Wood ears(Auricularia spp.).	3.0	0.2
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	2.2	0.2

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jan-2018*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
Others		10.5	0.9
Percent of Total January Exports		14.5	
CONGO DR		571.3	100.0
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	132.8	23.2
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	79.5	13.9
17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	46.6	8.2
34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	25.4	4.4
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	23.3	4.1
31026000	Double salts and mixtures of calcium nitrate and ammonium nitrate	14.8	2.6
25221000	Quicklime	14.6	2.6
29309010	Other organo-sulphurcompounds, nes - in bulk	14.6	2.6
19053100	Sweet biscuits.	13.7	2.4
87041000	Dumpers for off-highway use	13.6	2.4
Others		192.5	33.7
Percent of Total January Exports		7.0	
SINGAPORE		455.6	100.0
74031110	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	188.9	41.5
74020011	Copper blister	164.6	36.1
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	52.9	11.6
74031120	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	49.3	10.8
02013000	Boneless	0.0	0.0
02032900	Frozen swine meat, nes	0.0	0.0
02042300	Fresh or chilled boneless meat of sheep	0.0	0.0
02062200	Frozen bovine livers	0.0	0.0
02071100	Fresh or chilled whole chickens	0.0	0.0
02071200	Frozen whole chickens	0.0	0.0
Others		0.0	0.0
Percent of Total January Exports		5.6	
INDIA		262.9	100.0
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	163.8	62.3
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	65.9	25.1
74032910	- cobalt alloy	25.2	9.6
78011000	Refined lead, unwrought	3.2	1.2
71031000	Precious (excl. diamonds) or semi-precious stones, unworked	2.8	1.1
26020000	Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20%	1.1	0.4
78019900	Unwrought lead (excl. refined and containing antimony)	0.5	0.2
41041100	-In the wet state (including wet blue):--Full grains, unsplit, grain splits	0.3	0.1
28201010	Manganese dioxide in bulk	0.1	0.0
90189000	Instruments and apparatus, nes, for medical, surgical... sciences	0.0	0.0
Others		0.1	0.0
Percent of Total January Exports		3.2	
Other Destinations		2,116.8	25.8
Total Value of January Exports		8,189.3	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: (*) Provisional

Export Market Shares by selected Regional Groupings and Major Trading Partners, January 2018 and December 2017

Switzerland was the largest market for Zambia's total exports in January 2018, accounting for 43.9 percent.

Asia was the second largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 29.2 percent in January 2018. Within Asia, China was the dominant export market, accounting for 49.8 percent. Other notable markets in Asia were Singapore, India, United Arab Emirates and Hong Kong.

The DUAL- SADC & COMESA grouping was the third largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 8.6 percent in January 2018. Within this grouping, Congo DR was the dominant market with 81.5 percent. Other notable markets were Zimbabwe, Malawi, Swaziland and Mauritius.

The European Union grouping was the fourth largest market for Zambia's total exports

accounting for 4.2 percent in January 2018. Within this grouping, Luxembourg was the dominant market with 46.3 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were The United Kingdom, Germany, Italy and Belgium.

The SADC exclusive grouping was the fifth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 4.2 percent in January 2018. Within this grouping, South Africa was the dominant market with 72.9 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were Tanzania, Botswana, Angola and Namibia.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the sixth largest market for Zambia's total exports accounting for 1.1 percent in January 2018. Within this grouping, Kenya was the dominant market with 61.0 percent. Other notable markets were Burundi, Rwanda, Uganda and Ethiopia.

Export Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, January 2018 and December 2017

GROUPING	Jan-18*		GROUPING	Dec-17®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share		Value (K'Million)	% Share
ASIA	2,388.8	100.0	ASIA	2,176.9	100.0
China	1,189.5	49.8	China	1,295.1	59.5
Singapore	455.6	19.1	Singapore	398.9	18.3
India	262.9	11.0	United Arab Emirates	335.5	15.4
United Arab Emirates	254.6	10.7	Hong Kong	89.0	4.1
Hong Kong	191.0	8.0	Japan	27.9	1.3
Other ASIA	35.2	1.5	Other ASIA	30.5	1.4
% of Total January Exports	29.2		% of Total December Exports	26.1	
DUAL-SADC & COMESA	701.3	100.0	DUAL-SADC & COMESA	692.1	100.0
Congo DR	571.3	81.5	Congo DR	520.9	75.3
Zimbabwe	79.6	11.4	Zimbabwe	121.7	17.6
Malawi	48.8	7.0	Malawi	44.8	6.5
Swaziland	1.0	0.1	Swaziland	4.5	0.7
Mauritius	0.5	0.1	Seychelles	0.1	0.0
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0
% of Total January Exports	8.6		% of Total December Exports	8.3	
EUROPEAN UNION	348.0	100.0	EUROPEAN UNION	588.2	100.0
Luxembourg	161.1	46.3	United Kingdom	428.4	72.8
United Kingdom	150.1	43.1	Luxembourg	142.5	24.2
Germany	10.2	2.9	Italy	5.7	1.0
Italy	7.9	2.3	Germany	5.4	0.9
Belgium	6.6	1.9	Netherlands	3.8	0.6
Other EU	12.1	3.5	Other EU	2.5	0.4

GROUPING	Jan-18*		GROUPING	Dec-17®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share		Value (K'Million)	% Share
% of Total January Exports	4.2		% of Total December Exports	7.0	
SADC EXCLUSIVE	341.8	100.0	SADC EXCLUSIVE	337.4	100.0
South Africa	249.3	72.9	South Africa	231.9	68.7
Tanzania	45.2	13.2	Tanzania	62.8	18.6
Botswana	19.9	5.8	Botswana	16.8	5.0
Angola	10.8	3.2	Mozambique	15.1	4.5
Namibia	10.8	3.2	Namibia	7.6	2.2
Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	5.7	1.7	Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	3.3	1.0
% of Total January Exports	4.2		% of Total December Exports	4.0	
COMESA EXCLUSIVE	91.6	100.0	COMESA EXCLUSIVE	111.1	100.0
Kenya	55.9	61.0	Kenya	60.7	54.7
Burundi	22.9	25.0	Rwanda	20.7	18.6
Rwanda	6.6	7.3	Burundi	19.0	17.1
Uganda	6.0	6.6	Sudan	6.2	5.6
Ethiopia	0.2	0.2	Uganda	4.5	4.1
Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0	Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0.0	0.0
% of Total January Exports	1.1		% of Total December Exports	1.3	
SWITZERLAND	3,593.3	43.9	SWITZERLAND	3,664.3	43.9
Rest of the World	724.5	8.8	Rest of the World	778.4	9.3
World	8,189.3	100.0	World	8,348.5	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: 1. SADC = (SADC EXCLUSIVE + Dual SADC & COMESA)
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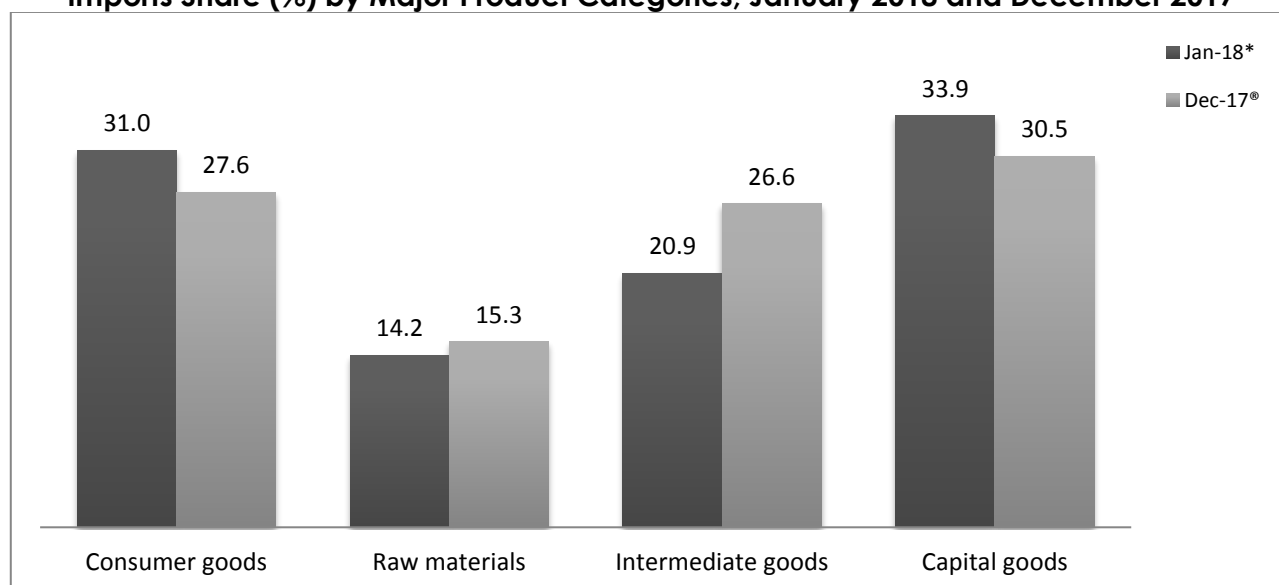
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Imports by Major Product Categories, January 2018 and December 2017

The major import products by category in January 2018 were Capital goods category, accounting for 33.9 percent. The Consumer goods category was second with 31.0

percent, followed by the intermediate goods and Raw materials Categories, accounting for 20.9 and 14.2 percent, respectively.

Imports Share (%) by Major Product Categories, January 2018 and December 2017



Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: (*) Provisional

Zambia's Major Import Sources by Product in January 2018

The major source of imports in January 2018 was South Africa, accounting for 21.5 percent. The major import product was gas oils, accounting for 5.8 percent of the import bill from that country.

The second main source was Congo DR, accounting for 20.4 percent. The major import products were Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk which accounted for 39.1 percent of the import bill from that country.

China was the third main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 13.9 percent. The major import products were Parts and accessories, nes, for vehicles of 87.01 to 87.05 accounting for 8.0 percent of the import bill from that country.

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

Zambia's Five Major Import Sources by Product for January 2018

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jan-2018*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
SOUTH AFRICA		1 900.2	100.0
27101910	Gas oils.	111.0	5.8
31021000	Urea	75.1	4.0
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	75.0	3.9
87042100	vehicles (diesel engine) for the transport of goods GVW upto 5 tonnes	62.3	3.3
31029000	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous , nes	58.7	3.1
31042000	Potassium chloride	43.2	2.3
31023000	Ammonium nitrate	36.5	1.9
84314900	Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, nes	35.3	1.9
28341090	Nitrites - NOT IN BULK	26.9	1.4
15111000	Crude palm oil	25.4	1.3
Others		1 350.9	71.1
Percent of Total January Imports		21.5	
CONGO DR		1 803.4	100.0
28220010	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides; commercial cobalt oxides in bulk	705.8	39.1
26030029	Other - copper concentrate	441.0	24.5
26030021	Copper concentrate sulphide	304.2	16.9
26050020	Cobalt concentrate	200.8	11.1
26030022	Copper concentrate mixed	66.7	3.7
28369910	Other carbonates; peroxocarbonates in bulk	58.5	3.2
74010010	Copper matte	19.1	1.1
84304100	Self-propelled boring or sinking machinery	2.9	0.2
74010020	Cement copper (precipitated copper)	1.9	0.1
79031000	Zinc dust	0.7	0.0
Others		1.9	0.1
Percent of Total January Imports		20.4	
CHINA		1 230.0	100.0
87089900	Parts and accessories, nes, for vehicles of 87.01 to 87.05	98.1	8.0
85176900	Other	83.6	6.8
84715010	Network File Servers.	65.5	5.3
85234900	Optical media, excl. unrecorded	40.3	3.3
87012000	Road tractors for semi-trailers	36.7	3.0
84714100	Nonportable adp machines,comprisng at least cpu & i/o unit in same housing	36.1	2.9
85291000	Aerials and aerial reflectors of all kinds and parts thereof	33.6	2.7

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jan-2018*	
		Value (K'Million)	% Share
31052000	Mineral or chemical fertilizers with nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium	22.8	1.9
84295200	Self-propelled bulldozers... with a 360° revolving superstructure	22.4	1.8
73089090	Structures and parts of structures, nes, of iron or steel - Other	19.5	1.6
Others		771.4	62.7
Percent of Total January Imports		13.9	
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES		495.0	100.0
27101910	Gas oils.	200.2	40.5
31021000	Urea	69.4	14.0
27101210	Motor Spirit	51.8	10.5
29309010	Other organo-sulphur compounds, nes - in bulk	19.9	4.0
84741000	Sorting, screening, separating or washing machines for earth, stone...	16.7	3.4
29041010	Hydrocarbon derivatives containing only sulpho groups, their salts, etc - IN BULK	14.9	3.0
31052000	Mineral or chemical fertilizers with nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium	12.0	2.4
85451100	Carbon electrodes for furnaces	7.0	1.4
29054500	Glycerol	6.8	1.4
29291010	Isocyanates in bulk	5.9	1.2
Others		90.4	18.3
Percent of Total January Imports		5.6	
INDIA		410.7	100.0
30039000	Other medicaments with >=2 constituents, not for retail sale, nes	118.6	28.9
30049000	Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes	77.7	18.9
31052000	Mineral or chemical fertilizers with nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium	12.1	3.0
30043900	Other	11.4	2.8
84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	10.7	2.6
70109000	Other carboys, bottles, flasks, jars, pots, phials, ampoules etc.	9.8	2.4
30042000	Other, containing antibiotics	9.5	2.3
39206310	Plates..., of unsaturated polyesters, not reinforced, etc	8.1	2.0
84792000	Machinery for the extraction/preparation of animal/vegetable fats or oil	7.5	1.8
84383000	Machinery for sugar manufacture	7.3	1.8
Others		138.1	33.6
Percent of Total January Imports		4.6	
Other Sources		3 001.8	34.0
Total Value of January Imports		8 841.2	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: (*) Provisional

(R) Revised figures

Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings and major trading partners January 2018 and December 2017

Asia was the major source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 37.9 percent in January 2018. Within this regional grouping, China was the main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 36.7 percent. Other notable markets were, Israel, United Arab Emirates, India and Kuwait.

The SADC Exclusive grouping was the second main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 25.0 percent in January 2018. Within this

grouping, South Africa was the major source of Zambia's imports accounting for 85.9 percent. Other notable markets were Tanzania, Namibia, Mozambique and Botswana.

The Dual SADC & COMESA was the third main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 24.6 percent in January 2018. Within this grouping, Congo DR was the dominant

market with 82.9 percent. Other notable markets were Mauritius, Zimbabwe, Swaziland, and Malawi.

The European Union (EU) was the fourth main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 6.1 percent. Within this grouping, The United Kingdom was the main source of Zambia's imports with 26.7 percent. Other notable

markets were Denmark, Finland, France, and Sweden.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the fifth main source for Zambia's imports accounting for 0.7 percent in January 2018. Within this grouping, Kenya was the dominant market with 58.5 percent. Other notable markets were Uganda, Egypt, Ethiopia and Burundi.

Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, January 2018 and December 2017

GROUPING	Jan-18*		GROUPING	Dec-17®	
	Value (K'Million)	% Share		Value (K'Million)	% Share
ASIA	3 349.00	100	ASIA	2 219.30	100
China	1 230.00	36.7	China	744	33.5
Israel	508.7	15.2	United Arab Emirates	546.2	24.6
United Arab Emirates	495	14.8	Kuwait	353.9	15.9
India	410.7	12.3	India	217.6	9.8
Kuwait	265.9	7.9	Japan	102.3	4.6
Other ASIA	438.7	13.1	Other ASIA	255.3	11.5
% of Total January Exports	37.9		% of Total December Exports	28.2	
SADC EXCLUSIVE	2 211.90	100	SADC EXCLUSIVE	2 463.40	100
South Africa	1 900.20	85.9	South Africa	2 062.30	83.7
Tanzania	141.8	6.4	Tanzania	167.7	6.8
Namibia	90.8	4.1	Namibia	112.3	4.6
Mozambique	55	2.5	Mozambique	100	4.1
Botswana	23.4	1.1	Botswana	19.9	0.8
Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	0.6	0	Other SADC EXCLUSIVE	1.2	0
% of Total January Exports	25		% of Total December Exports	31.3	
DUAL-SADC & COMESA	2 176.60	100	DUAL-SADC & COMESA	2 308.40	100
Congo DR	1 803.40	82.9	Congo DR	1 900.50	82.3
Mauritius	316.5	14.5	Mauritius	305.5	13.2
Zimbabwe	43.3	2	Zimbabwe	80.1	3.5
Swaziland	6.3	0.3	Malawi	13.7	0.6
Malawi	6	0.3	Swaziland	8.4	0.4
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	1.1	0.1	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.2	0
% of Total January Exports	24.6		% of Total December Exports	29.3	
EUROPEAN UNION	536.3	100	EUROPEAN UNION	426.7	100
United Kingdom	143.3	26.7	United Kingdom	107.3	25.2
Denmark	63.9	11.9	Belgium	53.7	12.6
Finland	61.2	11.4	Germany	49.8	11.7
France	55.2	10.3	Sweden	46	10.8
Sweden	45.1	8.4	Finland	42	9.8
Other EU	167.6	31.3	Other EU	127.7	29.9
% of Total January Exports	6.1		% of Total December Exports	5.4	
COMESA EXCLUSIVE	59.7	100	COMESA EXCLUSIVE	83	100
Kenya	34.9	58.5	Kenya	43	51.8
Uganda	13.1	21.9	Uganda	25.1	30.2
Egypt	11.5	19.2	Egypt	15	18
Ethiopia	0.1	0.2	Ethiopia	0	0
Burundi	0.1	0.1	Rwanda	0	0
Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0	0	Other COMESA EXCLUSIVE	0	0
% of Total January Exports	0.7		% of Total December Exports	1.1	
Rest of the World	507.6	5.7	Rest of the World	378.6	4.8
World	8 841.20	100	World	7 879.40	100

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2018

Note: (*) Provisional

(R) Revised figures

SELECTED SOCIO-ECONOMIC INDICATORS

CONSUMER INDEX NUMBERS OF CONSUMER PRICES - FOOD AND NON-FOOD (NATIONAL) 2009 = 100				
Period	Month	Total	Food CPI	Non-Food CPI
Weight		1000.0	534.9	465.2
2014	January	136.32	131.60	141.74
	February	136.92	132.36	142.24
	March	138.67	134.09	143.95
	April	139.61	134.99	144.92
	May	140.85	136.02	146.41
	June	141.48	136.32	147.41
	July	142.57	136.24	149.85
	August	143.52	137.50	150.44
	September	143.87	137.75	150.91
	October	144.00	137.71	151.22
	November	144.63	138.45	151.73
	December	145.70	140.30	151.92
2015	January	146.76	141.28	153.07
	February	147.13	142.39	152.58
	March	148.63	143.79	154.20
	April	149.66	144.61	155.47
	May	150.62	145.81	156.15
	June	151.46	146.40	157.68
	July	152.64	146.95	159.19
	August	153.94	148.16	160.58
	September	155.00	148.95	161.95
	October	164.65	160.03	169.97
	November	172.86	170.85	175.18
	December	176.46	175.09	178.06
2016	January	178.70	177.88	179.65
	February	180.81	179.94	181.80
	March	181.68	181.52	181.86
	April	182.24	183.01	181.36
	May	182.68	183.39	181.85
	June	183.31	183.03	183.63
	July	183.43	183.36	183.52
	August	184.07	183.87	184.31
	September	184.22	183.85	184.64
	October	185.16	185.01	185.33
	November	188.00	186.58	189.64
	December	189.64	188.68	190.75
2017	January	191.28	190.96	191.64
	February	193.12	193.28	192.94
	March	193.78	193.74	193.83
	April	194.48	194.09	194.93
	May	194.62	194.22	195.09
	June	195.82	193.61	198.37
	July	195.60	193.13	198.43
	August	195.75	193.32	198.53
	September	196.33	193.05	200.10
	October	197.10	194.07	200.59
	November	199.84	195.62	204.69
	December	201.18	197.77	205.11
2018	January	203.15	199.69	207.13
	February	204.91	202.14	208.09

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
	October	197.10	194.07	182.58	206.84	218.09	198.92	184.86	202.53	127.10	183.04	205.59	170.99	182.18
	November	199.84	195.62	184.42	209.53	222.09	202.48	185.98	213.18	128.11	194.97	205.59	172.49	184.27
	December	201.18	197.77	184.41	210.63	221.57	203.30	186.52	212.66	128.12	192.40	205.75	173.14	187.32
2018	January	203.15	199.69	185.35	212.94	225.43	204.73	189.23	211.09	128.35	194.98	209.84	174.96	189.19
	February	204.91	202.14	185.91	214.51	226.20	205.23	189.35	210.37	128.42	197.00	213.06	175.37	191.41

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

CONSUMER PRICE INDICES (2009=100)			
Year	Month	Annual CPI	Annual Inflation Rate
2016	June	183.31	21.0
2016	July	183.43	20.2
2016	August	184.07	19.6
2016	September	184.22	18.9
2016	October	185.16	12.5
2016	November	188.00	8.8
2016	December	189.64	7.5
2017	January	191.28	7.0
2017	February	193.12	6.8
2017	March	193.74	6.7
2017	April	194.48	6.7
2017	May	194.62	6.5
2017	June	195.82	6.8
2017	July	195.60	6.6
2017	August	195.75	6.3
2017	September	196.33	6.6
2017	October	197.10	6.4
2017	November	199.84	6.3
2017	December	201.18	6.1
2018	January	203.15	6.2
2018	February	204.91	6.1

Note: Inflation rates are computed using unrounded consumer price indices

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2017

Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports (K' Million) – January 2017 to January 2018

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	1 372.1	6 092.6
Quarter 1	14 280.0	4 135.5	18 415.5
Apr-17@	4 681.0	1 201.3	5 882.3
May-17@	4 468.5	1 400.9	5 869.4
June-17@	4 386.1	1 567.1	5 953.2
Quarter 2	13 535.6	4 169.3	17 704.9
July-17@	4 299.5	1 438.2	5 737.6
Aug-17@	4 682.7	1 716.9	6 399.7
Sep-17@	3 675.2	1 866.4	5 541.6
Quarter 3	12 657.4	5 021.5	17 678.9
Sep-17@	5 168.3	1 757.3	6 925.6
Oct-17@	6 829.2	1 862.9	8 692.1
Dec-17@	6 852.3	1 496.2	8 348.5
Quarter 4	18 849.9	5 116.4	23 966.2
Total	59 322.9	18 442.6	77 765.5
Jan-18*	6 752.3	1 437.1	8 189.3

Total Exports by Selected Regional Groupings (K' Million) – January 2017 to January 2018

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	1 047.3
Quarter 1	6 771.5	1 866.6	511.3	2 782.4
Apr-17@	2 082.4	628.7	93.2	1 002.8
May-17@	1 899.3	794.8	115.1	1 073.3
June-17@	1 924.4	805.8	264.0	940.5
Quarter 2	5 906.2	2 229.3	472.3	3 016.7
July-17@	1 515.8	733.9	147.6	1 073.4
Aug-17@	1 688.2	741.5	222.2	1 562.9
Sep-17@	1 839.3	723.7	261.1	1 177.0
Quarter 3	5 043.3	2 199.0	630.9	3 813.3
Sep-17@	1 535.0	696.7	111.6	1 115.4
Oct-17@	2 256.7	851.9	255.6	1 403.2
Dec-17@	2 176.9	803.2	588.2	1 029.5
Quarter 4	5 968.7	2 351.8	955.4	3 548.1
Total	23 689.6	8 646.7	2 569.9	13 160.5
Jan-18*	2 282.6	792.9	348.0	1 149.3

Total Exports Trade by Product Category, (Million) – January 2017 to January 2018

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	167.7	6 092.6
Quarter 1	1 507.4	1 057.0	15 425.5	425.6	18 415.5
Apr-17®	384.8	251.5	5 116.6	129.4	5 882.3
May-17®	563.3	320.6	4 867.1	118.4	5 869.4
June-17®	624.3	339.6	4 861.9	127.4	5 953.2
Quarter 2	1 572.5	911.7	14 845.6	375.2	17 704.9
July-17®	509.6	296.6	4 799.2	132.2	5 737.6
Aug-17®	601.4	246.7	5 392.6	159.0	6 399.7
Sep-17®	595.7	217.7	4 591.2	137.1	5 541.6
Quarter 3	1 706.8	760.9	14 783.0	428.3	17 678.9
Sep-17®	607.2	119.7	6 096.6	102.0	6 925.6
Oct-17®	648.2	381.3	7 429.3	233.2	8 692.1
Dec-17®	628.9	209.6	7 402.5	107.4	8 348.5
Quarter 4	1 884.4	710.7	20 928.5	442.6	23 966.2
Total	6 671.1	3 440.3	65 982.5	1 671.7	77 765.5
Jan-18*	525.7	247.2	7 264.2	152.2	8 189.3

Total Exports by Mode of Transport, K' Million and Tonnes– January 2017 to January 2018

PERIOD	ROAD TRANSPORT		RAIL TRANSPORT		AIR TRANSPORT		OTHER		TOTAL EXPORTS (fob)	
	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES
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	240.3	381.3	1 765.1	122 698.2	6 092.6	400 104.7
Quarter 1	12 936.6	775 527.8	222.2	7 213.4	978.6	1 275.5	4 278.1	328 962.7	18 415.5	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®	4 309.9	260 793.1	46.2	1 099.4	281.0	409.6	1 232.3	131 618.2	5 869.4	393 920.2
June-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	12 946.7	801 071.4	137.2	4 879.7	726.0	1 125.9	3 895.1	367 328.6	17 704.9	1 174 405.6
July-17®	4 389.4	297 620.6	96.2	2 000.1	220.4	392.8	1 031.6	123 361.8	5 737.6	423 375.4
Aug-17®	4 944.3	347 215.8	0.0	1.1	258.2	308.4	1 197.2	114 526.9	6 399.7	462 052.2
Sep-17®	3 872.9	304 164.1	126.7	5 846.9	281.4	306.9	1 260.7	117 238.5	5 541.6	427 556.5
Quarter 3	13 206.6	949 000.5	222.9	7 848.1	760.0	1 008.2	3 489.4	355 127.3	17 678.9	1 312 984.1
Sep-17®	5 137.3	326 206.0	7.2	688.0	360.8	371.6	1 420.3	49 543.0	6 925.6	376 808.6
Oct-17®	6 938.4	391 266.8	109.9	2 689.5	335.2	891.0	1 308.7	46 981.2	8 692.1	441 828.5
Dec-17®	6 260.6	330 348.0	8.1	4 468.7	281.8	332.2	1 798.0	49 014.1	8 348.5	384 163.0
Quarter 4	18 336.3	1 047 820.8	125.2	7 846.1	977.8	1 594.8	4 527.0	145 538.4	23 966.2	1 202 800.0
Total	57 426.2	3 573 420.5	707.5	27 787.3	3 442.3	5 004.3	16 189.5	1 196 957.0	77 765.5	4 803 169.1
Jan-18*	6 299.2	313 070.6	6.7	3 714.5	277.2	419.5	1 606.2	50 466.8	8 189.3	367 671.3

Imports by Regional Groupings, (K' Million) – January 2017 to January 2018

PERIOD	ASIA	COMESA	EU	SADC
Jan-17®	1 733.8	906.3	304.1	2 709.9
Feb-17®	2 621.6	1 003.1	388.4	3 492.5
Mar-17®	2 565.2	1 392.1	474.6	3 390.1
Quarter 1	6 920.6	3 301.5	1 167.1	9 592.5
Apr-17®	2 756.8	1 382.9	440.2	3 670.0
May-17®	2 092.1	1 021.6	598.0	3 347.4
June-17®	1 689.4	1 490.8	497.1	3 903.4
Quarter 2	6 538.3	3 895.3	1 535.3	10 920.8
July-17®	1 774.7	1 698.9	460.3	3 808.0
Aug-17®	1 909.8	1 989.8	546.3	4 140.3
Sep-17®	2 023.6	2 545.7	488.2	4 814.5
Quarter 3	5 708.1	6 234.4	1 494.8	12 762.8
Sep-17®	2 047.0	2 284.5	513.5	4 803.3
Oct-17®	1 896.9	2 686.9	498.0	5 490.3
Dec-17®	2 219.3	2 391.4	426.7	4 771.7
Quarter 4	6 163.3	7 362.9	1 438.1	15 065.3
Total	25 330.2	20 794.2	5 635.3	48 341.5
Jan-18*	3 349.0	2 236.3	536.3	4 388.5

Import Trade by Product Category, (K Million)– January 2017 to January 2018

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®	1 457.6	699.3	1 233.6	3 378.8	6 769.3
Mar-17®	1 742.5	953.8	1 401.7	2 696.1	6 794.0
Quarter 1	4 588.1	2 388.8	3 874.0	7 711.4	18 562.3
Apr-17®	1 572.3	1 094.4	1 242.3	3 186.0	7 095.1
May-17®	1 865.9	903.8	1 354.9	2 128.1	6 252.7
June-17®	1 613.3	960.1	1 600.1	2 186.2	6 359.7
Quarter 2	5 051.5	2 958.4	4 197.3	7 500.4	19 707.5
July-17®	1 652.8	855.1	1 875.8	1 998.3	6 382.1
Aug-17®	1 910.7	976.3	2 035.1	1 963.5	6 885.7
Sep-17®	1 971.6	1 205.1	2 427.0	2 063.7	7 667.5
Quarter 3	5 535.1	3 036.5	6 338.0	6 025.6	20 935.2
Sep-17®	2 096.6	1 137.9	2 221.8	2 351.3	7 807.6
Oct-17®	2 017.4	1 442.5	2 348.1	2 461.8	8 269.8
Dec-17®	2 173.6	1 202.1	2 098.8	2 404.8	7 879.4
Quarter 4	6 287.6	3 782.6	6 668.7	7 218.0	23 956.8
Total	21 462.3	12 166.3	21 077.9	28 455.3	83 161.8
Jan-18*	2 744.0	1 252.4	1 849.8	2 995.0	8 841.2

Imports by Mode of Transport in K' Million and Tonnes – January 2017 to January 2018

PERIOD	ROAD TRANSPORT		RAIL TRANSPORT		AIR TRANSPORT		OTHER		TOTAL	
	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES	ZMW	TONNES
Jan-17@	2 783.8	278 695.2	101.6	15 645.3	316.9	593.7	1 796.7	288 269.9	4 998.9	583 204.1
Feb-17@	3 715.4	303 198.5	81.5	9 859.5	1 166.7	757.7	1 805.8	226 309.5	6 769.3	540 125.2
Mar-17@	3 630.2	317 353.9	105.6	20 605.5	1 178.2	1 001.5	1 880.1	245 972.3	6 794.0	584 933.2
Quarter 1	10 129.3	899 247.7	288.6	46 110.3	2 661.8	2 352.9	5 482.6	760 551.7	18 562.3	1 708 262.5
Apr-17@	4 586.8	260 399.9	60.8	5 237.1	415.0	817.9	2 032.6	158 922.6	7 095.1	425 377.5
May-17@	3 477.1	291 176.6	64.8	12 587.0	643.1	1 096.5	2 067.7	201 518.7	6 252.7	506 378.8
June-17@	3 946.9	284 802.2	74.7	10 077.9	485.7	1 033.6	1 852.4	212 549.4	6 359.7	508 463.0
Quarter 2	12 010.7	836 378.6	200.2	27 902.0	1 543.8	2 948.0	5 952.7	572 990.8	19 707.5	1 440 219.4
July-17@	4 002.5	306 711.3	6.4	2 731.9	389.8	1 002.9	1 983.5	227 926.3	6 382.1	538 372.4
Aug-17@	4 419.5	345 204.5	23.9	8 150.3	526.3	1 276.5	1 915.9	213 764.7	6 885.7	568 396.0
Sep-17@	5 047.8	322 227.6	101.1	20 690.3	485.1	1 089.2	2 033.4	255 433.4	7 667.5	599 440.5
Quarter 3	13 469.8	974 143.3	131.3	31 572.6	1 401.3	3 368.6	5 932.8	697 124.4	20 935.2	1 706 208.9
Sep-17@	5 010.8	337 183.4	24.7	8 800.1	466.4	933.9	2 305.8	191 195.6	7 807.6	538 113.1
Oct-17@	5 812.2	354 975.2	75.8	22 466.3	493.3	1 000.2	1 888.5	197 520.8	8 269.8	575 962.5
Dec-17@	5 209.6	317 653.2	135.9	18 524.0	536.9	885.9	1 997.0	216 112.7	7 879.4	553 175.9
Quarter 4	16 032.6	1 009 811.9	236.4	49 790.3	1 496.6	2 820.1	6 191.3	604 829.2	23 956.8	1 667 251.4
Total	51 642.5	3 719 581.5	856.6	155 375.1	7 103.5	11 489.5	23 559.3	2 635 496.0	83 161.8	6 521 942.2
Jan-18*	5 035.2	321 666.2	107.9	14 074.9	1 493.2	1 136.4	2 204.9	185 286.6	8 841.2	522 164.1

Zambia's Trade Flows In Absolute US \$ and Zambia Kwacha (ZMW) - 2000 to January 2018

Flow Year	Currency	Total Exports	Domestic Exports	Re-Exports	Imports	Trade Balance
		(fob)	(fob)	(fob)	(cif)	
2000	ZMW	2 716 557 648	2 680 166 733	36 390 915	2 751 563 200	(35 005 551.5)
	US \$	869 485 416	857 837 819	11 647 597	871 386 492	(1 901 076.0)
2001	ZMW	3 537 206 913	3 523 388 831	13 818 083	3 900 496 869	(363 289 956.1)
	US \$	978 788 277	974 964 645	3 823 632	1 079 955 769	(101 167 492.0)
2002	ZMW	4 069 916 925	4 045 881 105	24 035 820	4 732 881 915	(662 964 990.3)
	US \$	944 356 533	938 779 421	5 577 112	1 103 070 912	(158 714 379.0)
2003	ZMW	4 642 039 643	4 614 120 921	27 918 722	7 439 867 257	(2 797 827 613.4)
	US \$	979 298 782	973 408 964	5 889 818	1 573 309 968	(594 011 186.0)
2004	ZMW	7 526 280 116	7 460 407 702	65 872 413	10 279 302 826	(2 753 022 710.8)
	US \$	1 577 240 766	1 563 436 250	13 804 516	2 150 649 040	(573 408 274.0)
2005	ZMW	9 612 909 461	9 564 984 513	47 924 948	11 466 668 653	(1 853 759 192.0)
	US \$	2 176 641 598	2 165 790 000	10 851 599	2 579 688 391	(403 046 793.0)
2006	ZMW	13 410 945 234	13 388 136 276	22 808 958	11 049 770 813	2 361 174 421.1
	US \$	3 681 524 702	3 675 263 268	6 261 434	3 023 996 472	657 528 230.0
2007	ZMW	18 399 133 746	18 301 278 319	97 855 427	15 945 289 848	2 453 843 898.3
	US \$	4 617 454 325	4 592 896 486	24 557 839	4 006 980 387	610 473 937.0
2008	ZMW	18 653 009 287	17 951 197 614	701 811 673	18 476 489 240	176 520 047.0
	US \$	5 098 688 004	4 906 852 001	191 836 004	5 060 482 666	38 205 339.0
2009	ZMW	21 364 760 204	20 312 466 565	1 052 293 640	18 941 137 479	2 423 622 725.8
	US \$	4 312 054 540	4 099 669 869	212 384 671	3 792 642 675	519 411 865.0
2010	ZMW	34 500 051 458	32 876 095 550	1 623 955 908	25 507 487 313	8 992 564 145.1
	US \$	7 200 951 149	6 861 994 346	338 956 803	5 321 002 628	1 879 948 521.0
2011	ZMW	42 915 038 551	37 914 339 432	5 000 699 119	35 440 939 196	7 474 099 355.9
	US \$	8 829 248 544	7 800 415 368	1 028 833 176	7 279 139 877	1 550 108 667.0
2012	ZMW	48 206 165 818	44 580 859 222	3 625 306 596	45 275 938 876	2 930 226 942.1
	US \$	9 639 652 576	8 914 485 088	725 167 489	8 806 150 488	833 502 088.0
2013	ZMW	57 175 978 267	50 496 013 922	6 679 964 345	56 958 704 567	217 273 700
	US \$	10 606 851 708	9 365 214 841	1 241 636 867	10 586 326 204	20 525 504
2014	ZMW	59 613 355 510	49 682 504 458	9 930 851 052	61 086 433 941	-1 473 078 430
	US \$	9 686 603 579	8 076 838 096	1 609 765 483	9 793 839 667	-107 236 088
2015	ZMW	60 782 547 898	55 411 307 822	5 371 240 076	73 318 492 674	-12 535 944 776
	US \$	7 045 654 292	6 462 773 495	582 880 798	8 472 737 411	-1 427 083 119
2016	ZMW	67 223 106 880	64 083 731 911	3 139 374 969	77 681 185 385	-10 458 078 505
	US \$	6 512 804 843	6 211 599 310	301 205 532	7 537 335 477	-1 024 530 634
2017	ZMW	77 765 530 429	75 154 831 230	2 610 699 199	83 161 836 515	-5 396 306 085
	US \$	8 142 877 668	7 867 115 526	275 762 142	8 723 923 974	-581 046 305
2018-JAN	ZMW	8 189 329 618	8 068 989 166	120 340 452	8 841 179 273	-651 849 655
	US \$	829 984 947	817 788 494	12 196 453	896 049 470	-66 064 523

PRELIMINARY INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION FOR THE FOURTH QUARTERS OF 2017															
PERIOD	TOTAL INDEX	MINING				MANUFACTURING									TOTAL ELECTRICITY
		TOTAL MINING	Coal	Non-ferrous Ore	Stone Quarrying	TOTAL MANUFACTURING	Food, Beverages & Tobacco	Textile, Clothing & Leather	Wood & Wood Products	Paper & Paper Products	Chemicals, Rubbers & Plastics	Non-metallic Mineral Products	Basic Metal Industries	Fabricated Metal Products	
WEIGHT	1.000	0.350	0.005	0.242	0.103	0.511	0.235	0.060	0.006	0.017	0.059	0.025	0.009	0.100	0.139
2010 Q1	180.1	287.0	0.0	272.7	333.4	117.2	146.0	26.3	248.2	136.4	136.9	150.8	80.3	75.8	142.4
2010 Q2	186.9	273.4	0.0	261.7	312.9	138.5	193.6	22.8	261.2	171.5	98.6	189.8	84.8	80.6	147.2
2010 Q3	190.1	272.4	0.0	261.9	308.9	146.7	204.6	3.5	177.9	120.2	87.5	199.6	78.4	126.7	142.5
2010 Q4	193.1	260.6	0.0	248.3	301.0	160.2	230.3	3.6	183.4	159.9	90.8	211.1	55.4	125.4	144.2
2010	187.5	273.3	0.0	261.1	314.1	140.6	193.6	14.0	217.7	147.0	103.5	187.8	74.7	102.1	144.1
2011 Q1	193.9	307.0	0.0	297.0	343.9	125.1	153.0	14.1	261.7	169.3	154.5	178.8	79.0	83.5	162.4
2011 Q2	197.8	279.8	0.0	264.5	328.1	152.0	212.4	4.5	275.3	184.1	99.0	233.1	83.6	101.9	159.9
2011 Q3	198.3	260.7	0.0	226.1	353.6	166.3	227.5	3.4	194.8	149.5	91.5	253.0	77.3	151.2	159.0
2011 Q4	202.0	255.4	0.0	227.3	332.6	178.8	253.2	3.4	192.3	193.5	98.7	274.1	56.2	139.9	152.9
2011	198.0	275.7	0.0	253.7	339.5	155.6	211.5	6.4	231.0	174.1	110.9	234.7	74.0	119.1	158.6
2012 Q1	195.8	277.3	0.0	248.2	357.8	148.4	186.0	13.0	276.4	197.9	174.4	235.4	82.6	93.4	165.0
2012 Q2	195.2	255.4	33.4	223.0	341.2	160.7	222.4	3.9	280.6	212.7	111.6	246.1	99.5	106.4	170.9
2012 Q3	204.4	280.8	22.0	252.1	359.6	164.2	236.6	3.6	207.0	178.0	98.2	257.7	88.8	107.5	160.0
2012 Q4	208.2	269.0	75.6	234.2	359.1	178.8	261.1	5.8	199.3	206.1	104.4	275.9	66.5	112.9	163.6
2012	200.9	270.6	32.8	239.4	354.4	163.0	226.5	6.6	240.8	198.7	122.1	253.8	84.4	105.0	164.9
2013 Q1	206.8	292.9	50.7	263.5	372.7	153.8	191.9	15.8	261.9	233.5	188.4	241.5	88.6	90.4	185.2
2013 Q2	200.8	266.4	57.8	234.2	351.4	162.4	229.7	4.6	279.8	220.4	121.9	251.1	104.2	88.7	176.4
2013 Q3	215.0	280.2	118.9	247.4	364.5	180.3	252.3	3.9	207.7	180.1	117.1	270.6	93.5	137.4	178.6
2013 Q4	222.0	279.6	230.6	245.8	361.0	196.1	289.9	5.8	199.4	247.3	107.4	269.5	72.3	125.9	172.4
2013	211.1	279.8	114.5	247.7	362.4	173.2	240.9	7.5	237.2	220.3	133.7	258.2	89.6	110.6	178.1
2014 Q1	214.1	300.3	158.6	264.5	390.8	159.1	196.1	11.0	267.8	230.7	193.5	282.5	111.4	94.9	199.2
2014 Q2	204.5	243.0	109.5	198.3	354.0	179.0	258.5	4.1	284.1	224.6	127.3	270.4	120.2	95.9	201.1
2014 Q3	215.5	271.6	215.0	231.6	368.0	185.1	259.8	2.7	208.0	196.3	135.7	273.3	89.8	130.8	186.1
2014 Q4	220.6	268.8	223.7	227.8	367.1	197.1	290.9	2.1	201.0	243.3	104.8	281.2	90.0	128.7	185.8
2014	213.7	270.9	176.7	230.5	370.0	180.1	251.3	5.0	240.2	223.7	140.3	276.9	102.9	112.6	193.0
2015 Q1	215.3	288.7	109.5	248.1	392.0	168.3	205.8	5.4	287.3	243.4	198.6	296.4	117.5	112.4	203.4
2015 Q2	215.1	269.8	49.3	235.9	359.1	184.5	268.9	2.9	287.8	189.5	148.1	297.6	120.2	87.0	190.0
2015 Q3	210.4	269.6	52.0	228.3	376.4	185.7	247.6	2.1	214.2	179.9	153.2	286.0	113.9	149.8	152.2
2015 Q4	215.7	257.7	34.1	214.9	368.2	204.7	295.3	2.7	202.3	241.3	148.4	346.2	98.4	114.1	150.4
2015	214.1	271.4	61.2	231.8	373.9	185.8	254.4	3.3	247.9	213.5	162.1	306.5	112.5	115.8	174.0
2016 Q1	212.5	304.0	24.5	270.2	395.8	168.8	202.1	4.8	280.7	242.8	194.7	347.2	118.0	113.9	143.2
2016 Q2	221.0	287.5	31.7	255.9	373.1	194.4	270.0	2.9	274.7	217.1	165.4	369.5	116.7	102.8	151.4
2016 Q3	219.2	288.0	40.5	258.6	367.9	191.7	255.3	2.1	220.3	190.2	162.9	399.2	108.6	126.6	147.3
2016 Q1+Q2+Q3	217.6	293.2	32.3	261.5	378.9	185.0	242.4	3.3	258.6	216.7	174.3	372.0	114.4	114.4	147.3
2016 Q4	220.8	271.8	48.8	234.1	370.0	204.7	295.1	2.6	206.7	254.6	161.9	359.7	100.2	100.6	151.9
2016	221.3	287.8	36.4	254.7	376.7	189.9	255.6	3.1	245.6	226.2	171.2	368.9	110.9	111.0	169.6
2017 Q1	214.4	292.9	26.8	253.5	397.2	170.1	207.4	5.0	288.2	219.7	209.4	361.1	122.1	98.8	179.8
2017 Q2	233.4	298.2	45.3	267.0	382.6	200.1	271.0	3.6	250.3	223.2	178.0	412.4	130.0	110.4	192.4

2017 Q3**	224.8	284.0	59.3	250.2	373.2	192.4	265.7	3.8	225.5	224.7	159.3	425.4	104.0	94.5	194.9
2017 Q1+Q2+Q3**	224.2	291.7	43.8	256.9	384.3	187.6	248.1	4.1	254.7	222.5	182.2	399.6	118.7	101.3	189.0
YEAR-ON-YEAR PERCENTAGE CHANGES e.g. (Q2 2005/Q2 2004-1)*100															
2012	1.5	-1.9	0.0	-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 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	0.2	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	(1.3)	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	(29.6)
2016 Q2	2.7	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	(20.3)
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	(4.6)	(15.5)	(3.3)
2016 Q4	2.4	5.5	43.1	9.0	0.5	0.0	(0.1)	(6.0)	2.2	5.5	9.1	3.9	1.8	(11.8)	1.0
2016	3.4	6.0	(40.6)	9.9	0.7	2.2	0.5	(6.0)	(0.9)	5.9	5.6	20.3	(1.4)	(4.2)	(2.5)
2017 Q1	0.9	(3.7)	9.4	(6.2)	0.3	0.8	2.7	4.2	2.6	(9.5)	7.6	4.0	3.5	(13.2)	25.6
2017 Q2	5.6	3.7	42.9	4.4	2.6	2.9	0.4	25.9	(8.9)	2.8	7.6	11.6	11.4	7.4	27.1
2017 Q3**	2.6	(1.4)	46.4	(3.2)	1.4	0.4	4.1	78.8	2.4	18.1	(2.2)	6.6	(4.2)	(25.4)	32.3
2017 Q1+Q2+Q3**	3.0	(0.5)	35.9	(1.8)	1.4	1.4	2.3	26.9	(1.5)	2.7	4.5	7.4	3.7	(11.5)	28.4
** Preliminary															

QUARTERLY SELECTED OUTPUTS : 2000 - 2017 3rd Quarter

		Copper	Coal	cement	Electricity Generation
		(Metric tonnes)	(Metric tonnes)	(Metric tonnes)	Mega Watts/Hour
2000	TOTAL	259,573	169,686	335,386	7,798,532
2001	TOTAL	325,266	112,641	309,268	8,981,392
2002	TOTAL	337,743	84,047	343,273	8,299,900
2003	TOTAL	353,594	75,516	423,791	8,310,241
2004	TOTAL	422,181	102,340	512,281	8,061,213
2005	TOTAL	465,002	148,912	581,292	8,569,317
2006	TOTAL	515,618	64,849	549,818	9,681,319
2007	TOTAL	560,731	14,058	530,611	9,740,907
2008	TOTAL	575,037	3,493	577,560	9,534,001
2009	TOTAL	698,646	55,983	830,472	10,316,899
2010	TOTAL	767,008		792,294	11,235,226
2011	TOTAL	739,759		1,126,772	12,359,000
2012	TOTAL	721,446	51,422	1,179,025	12,850,308
2013	TOTAL	763,805	176,088	1,272,467	13,696,000
2014	Quarter 1	179,449	74,545	359,870	3,458,244
	Quarter 2	145,205	42,174	351,961	3,523,606
	Quarter 3	193,416	78,973	387,157	3,572,523
	Quarter 4	190,189	82,181	416,022	3,496,023
	TOTAL	708,259	277,873	1,515,010	14,050,395
2015	Quarter 1	166,131	51,462	356,405	3,678,961
	Quarter 2	174,398	20,356	364,177	3,690,117
	Quarter 3	190,611	19,098	398,730	3,378,465
	Quarter 4	179,720	12,523	511,813	2,745,125
	TOTAL	710,860	103,439	1,631,125	13,492,668
2016	Quarter 1	183,321	8,181	421,274	2,601,386
	Quarter 2	189,182	13,081	482,820	2,917,776
	Quarter 3	202,571	18,110	536,831	3,080,196
	Quarter 4	195,524	17,921	512,573	3,019,173
	TOTAL	770,598	57,293	1,953,498	11,618,531
2017	Quarter 1	172,676	12,615	445,863	3,244,604
	Quarter 2	198,608	18,691	522,009	3,684,039
	Quarter 3	210,049	21,798	605,029	3,691,030
	Quarter 4	215,932	17,704	662,649	3,701,856
	TOTAL	797,266	70,808	2,235,550	14,321,529

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

Source: CSO, Population Projections Report

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

*Muchinga was created in 2011

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

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

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

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 Q3 2017

INDUSTRY	2015				2016				2017		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1*	Q2*	Q3**
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	-8.5	-7.8	-6.1	-7.7	3.1	-0.9	0.8	10.3	17.6	15.1	15.5
Mining and quarrying	-4.8	17.1	-2.0	-6.0	8.2	7.7	5.3	8.1	-5.1	4.2	3.0
Manufacturing	5.0	1.8	8.8	6.3	1.2	4.4	1.7	0.4	1.8	6.6	2.6
Electricity generation	8.8	7.2	-2.9	-18.9	-29.5	-21.1	-7.8	10.4	25.6	27.1	19.8
Water supply; sewerage	-6.4	-3.9	-8.0	-8.2	-3.0	-3.8	-3.6	-5.7	1.9	-3.7	-6.9
Construction	37.2	20.3	3.8	15.7	9.8	12.6	15.9	4.1	2.6	5.0	4.9
Wholesale and retail trade	1.7	-1.3	3.7	1.6	0.8	-2.5	-1.0	2.3	1.9	-1.2	-0.6
Transportation and storage	25.3	-11.8	14.6	-19.5	-7.6	-1.5	-4.9	7.0	7.9	8.7	5.9
Accommodation and food services	2.0	1.3	-2.5	-0.5	-0.6	-1.1	2.3	3.7	1.6	0.3	2.0
Information and communication	-4.8	-8.3	19.2	3.2	6.2	54.4	15.3	-3.1	-30.5	-22.3	-2.5
Financial and insurance	3.7	7.6	21.6	14.9	5.2	5.2	-9.0	-8.2	-5.5	-2.5	4.8
Real estate	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	2.5
Professional, scientific and technical	2.1	7.0	-1.8	-2.4	5.0	5.7	8.9	6.4	3.9	8.2	5.0
Administrative and support service	-3.1	6.4	5.1	8.1	6.9	6.2	6.4	1.9	1.8	6.3	5.8
Public administration and defense	1.8	1.2	0.4	4.6	10.1	10.3	11.1	7.4	4.2	5.1	1.2
Education	2.4	0.2	-1.0	0.5	4.1	5.0	5.8	3.9	8.1	7.7	8.1
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	21.9
Arts, entertainment and recreation	1.5	-9.9	5.6	18.3	8.3	7.2	-6.6	2.2	6.9	-1.4	-7.3
Other services	2.4	3.0	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	2.4
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	3.9	2.6	3.5	1.2	3.2	4.8	3.5	3.7	2.9	3.4	3.5
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	-0.3
GDP at market prices	4.0	2.6	3.8	1.4	3.3	4.6	3.4	3.8	2.9	3.2	3.3

Gross Value Added percentage contribution to the growth by Industry at constant 2010 prices, Q1 2016 to Q3 2017

INDUSTRY	2016				2017		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1*	Q2*	Q3**
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	0.3	-0.1	0.0	0.8	1.7	1.1	0.7
Mining and quarrying	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.8	-0.5	0.4	0.3
Manufacturing	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.6	0.2
Electricity generation	-0.5	-0.4	-0.1	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.3
Water supply; sewerage	0.0	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	0.5
Wholesale and retail trade	0.2	-0.6	-0.2	0.5	0.4	-0.3	-0.1
Transportation and storage	-0.3	0.0	-0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2
Accommodation and food services	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Information and communication	0.2	1.8	0.6	-0.1	-0.9	-1.1	-0.1
Financial and insurance	0.2	0.2	-0.4	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.2
Real estate	0.1	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	0.1
Administrative and support service	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1
Public administration and defence	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1
Education	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.6
Human health and social work	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.0	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	0.0
Total Gross Value Added for the economy	3.0	4.5	3.2	3.5	2.7	3.2	3.3
Taxes less subsidies on products	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.0
GDP at market prices	3.3	4.6	3.4	3.8	2.9	3.2	3.3

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SURVEYS/ACTIVITIES BEING UNDERTAKEN

- ☞ Fourth Quarter Labour Force Survey - analysis stage
- ☞ 2017 Livestock and Aquaculture Census Data Collection Completed

SELECTED AVAILABLE REPORTS

- ☞ 2010 Supply, Use and Input Output Tables (*Electronic and Hard copy*)
- ☞ 2017 First Quarter Labour force Survey Report (*Soft copy*)
- ☞ 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*)
- ☞ 2015 Living Conditions Monitoring Survey Key Findings (*Electronic and Print copy*)
- ☞ 2014 Labour Force Survey Report (*Electronic and Print copy*)
- ☞ Post-Harvest Survey 2011-2012 (*Electronic copy*)
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- ☞ Population and Demographic Projections Report, 2011 – 2035 (*Electronic and Print copy*)
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