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FOREWORD

elcome 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 Economic, Social, Agricultural 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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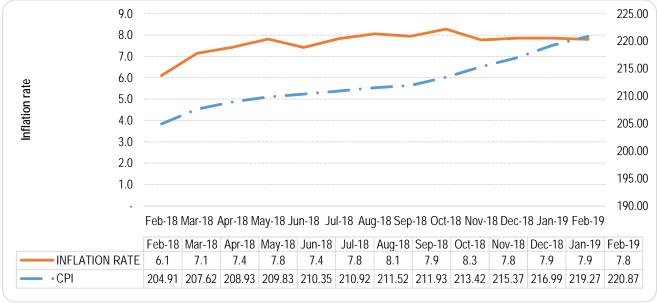
INFLATION

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Year on Year Inflation Rate for February 2019 slows down to 7.8 Percent

The year on year inflation rate as measured by the all items Consumer Price Index (CPI) for February 2019 decreased to 7.8 percent from 7.9 recorded in January 2019. This means that on average, prices of goods and services increased by 7.8 percent between February 2018 and February 2019.

Figure 1: Consumer Price Indices (CPI) and Annual Inflation Rates from February 2018 - February 2019



Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

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Year

Note: 2009=100

Table

Year on Year Food and Non-Food Inflation Rate

and

Food

Year

on

1	Weight:	Feb- 2018	Mar- 2018	April- 2018	May- 2018	June- 2018	July- 2018	Aug- 2018	Sep- 2018	Oct- 2018	Nov- 2018	Dec - 2018	Jan - 2019	Feb 2019
Total	1,000.00	6.1	7.1	7.4	7.8	7.4	7.8	8.1	7.9	8.3	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.8
Food	534.85	4.6	5.8	6.5	6.9	7.5	8.1	8.3	8.6	8.3	8.4	8.1	8.2	7.7
Non- Food	465.15	7.9	8.7	8.4	8.9	7.3	7.6	7.8	7.3	8.3	7.0	7.6	7.7	7.9

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

The year on year (Annual) food inflation rate for February 2019 was recorded at 7.7 percent compared to 8.2 percent recorded in January 2019 indicating a decrease of 0.5 percentage points. The decrease is mainly attributed to price changes in Bread and Cereals (rice local and imported rice), Meat products (such as Brisket, Mixed cut, Mince Meat and T- bone) and Vegetables

(Tomatoes, Chinese cabbage, Pumpkin leaves and Fresh maize cob).

Food

Inflation

Rate

Non

The year on year (Annual) non-food inflation rate for February 2019 was recorded at 7.9

Percent compared to 7.7 percent recorded in January 2019, indicating an increase of 0.2 percentage points. The increase in the nonfood inflation was mainly attributed to price changes of items in the Transport CPI main group (Purchase of Motor Vehicles and Operation of personal transport equipment such as Spark plugs, Car battery, Bicycle tubes and Shock absorbers).

Annual Inflation Rate Movement by CPI Main Group

The annual rate of inflation increased for Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco; Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels; Furnishing, Household Equipment and Household Maintenance; Health; and Transport. Transport had the highest increase in inflation from 19.0 percent in January 2019 to 20.7 percent in February 2019.

The annual rate of inflation reduced for Food and Non-alcoholic beverages; Communication; Recreation and Culture; Education; and Miscellaneous goods and services. Education had the highest reduction from 7.6 percent to 5.9 percent.

The Annual Rate of Inflation for February increased for:-

1. Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco

The inflation rate for the Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco CPI main group increased to 5.8 percent in February 2019 from 5.7 percent in January 2019. The increase is due to the price changes in products such as Spirits.

2. Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels

The annual rate of inflation for Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas and Other Fuels CPI main group increased to 6.5 percent in February, 2019 from 6.0 percent in January 2019. The increase is mainly attributed to price changes in Actual rentals for housing and Firewood.

3. Furnishing, Household Equipment and Household Maintenance

The annual rate of inflation for the Furnishing, Household Equipment and Household Maintenance CPI main group increased to 6.1 percent in February 2019 from 5.5 percent in January 2019. The increase is mainly attributed to price movements of products such as; Blankets, Foam mattress and Pillows.

4. Health

The annual rate of inflation for Health CPI main group increased to 4.3 percent in February, 2019 from 3.9 percent in January 2019. The increase is mainly attributed to price movements of out-patient services such as Private Hospital consultation fees.

5. Transport

The annual rate of inflation for the Transport CPI main group increased to 20.7 percent in February 2019 from 19.0 percent in January 2019. The increase in the Transport CPI main group is mainly attributed to Purchase of vehicles and Operation of personal transport equipment such as Spark plugs, Car battery, Bicycle tubes and Shock absorbers.

The Annual Rate of Inflation for February decreased for:-

1. Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages

The inflation rate for Food and Non-alcoholic beverages CPI main group decreased to 7.7 percent in February 2019 from 8.2 percent in January 2019. The decrease is mainly attributed to price changes in Bread and Cereals (rice local and imported rice) and

Meat products such as Brisket, Mixed cut, Mince Meat and T-bone.

2. Communication

The inflation rate for the Communication CPI main group decreased to 1.7 percent in February 2019 from 1.8 percent in January 2019. The decrease is mainly attributed to

price changes of products such as Cell phone handsets.

3. Recreation and Culture

The annual rate of inflation for Recreation and culture CPI main group decreased to 2.9 percent in February 2019 from 3.6 percent in January 2019. The decrease is mainly attributed to price changes of products such as Video camera and Printer.

4. Education

The annual rate of inflation for the Education CPI main group decreased to 5.9 percent in February 2019 from 7.6 percent in January 2019. The decrease is mainly attributed to Private Primary school fees.

Table 2: Annual Inflation Rate Movement by CPI Main Group

The inflation rate for the miscellaneous goods and services CPI main group decreased to 6.4 percent in February 2019 from 7.2 percent in January 2019. The decrease is attributed to reductions in prices of goods for personal

care such as Electric shavers and Hair dryers.

5. Miscellaneous Goods and Services

CPI Main Groups that remained the same

The annual rate of inflation remained the same for Clothing and Footwear and Restaurant and Hotel at 6.3 and 4.7 percent, respectively.

DIVISION	Division Weight	Feb- 18	Mar- 18	Apr- 18	May- 18	Jun- 18	Jul- 18	Aug- 18	Sep- 18	Oct- 18	Nov- 18	Dec- 18	Jan- 19	Feb- 19
All Items	1 000	6.1	7.1	7.4	7.8	7.4	7.8	8.1	7.9	8.3	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.8
Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages	534.85	4.6	5.8	6.5	6.9	7.5	8.1	8.3	8.6	8.3	8.4	8.1	8.2	7.7
Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco	15.21	3.0	3.4	4.7	4.6	5.5	5.3	5.0	4.5	4.9	4.9	5.8	5.7	5.8
Clothing and Footwear	80.78	7.2	6.7	7.0	6.9	7.5	7.0	6.9	6.6	6.9	6.1	6.5	6.3	6.3
Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels	114.11	16.5	16.9	15.8	15.8	9.3	9.5	9.5	6.4	7.5	6.7	7.3	6.0	6.5
Furnishing, Household Equip., Routine Hse Mtc	82.36	4.8	4.7	5.4	5.6	5.3	5.5	5.6	6.8	6.5	5.2	5.6	5.5	6.1
Health	8.15	5.1	4.2	4.9	5.5	4.2	4.4	4.1	5.0	4.8	4.8	5.1	3.9	4.3
Transport	58.08	1.6	8.9	6.9	10.1	9.4	10.7	12.3	13.5	19.4	14.9	16.5	19.0	20.7
Communication	12.94	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.6	2.0	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.7
Recreation and Culture	13.84	6.9	4.9	6.1	5.4	5.6	6.2	7.0	8.3	7.3	1.1	4.0	3.6	2.9
Education	26.62	3.9	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.5	7.6	5.9
Restaurant and Hotel	3.37	3.0	2.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.2	4.4	4.9	4.4	5.3	4.7	4.7
Miscellaneous Goods & Services	49.69	7.8	7.7	7.4	7.2	7.5	8.3	8.4	7.9	7.8	8.2	7.3	7.2	6.4

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

Contribution of Divisions to Overall Inflation

Of the total 7.8 percent annual inflation rate recorded in February 2019, Food and Non-alcoholic beverages accounted for 4.1 percentage points, while non-food items accounted for a total of 3.7 percentage points. Of the 3.7 percentage points, Transport contributed the highest at 1.2

percentage point followed by Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels that contributed 0.9, Health; Communication and; Restaurant and Hotels accounted for the least at 0.0 percentage points each.

Table 3: Contribution of Divisions to Overall Inflation

Division	Division Weight	Feb 2018	Mar 2018	April 2018	May 2018	Jun 2018	July 2018	August 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov- 2018	Dec- 2018	Jan- 2019	Feb- 2019
Food and non-alcoholic beverages	534.85	2.5	3.1	3.5	3.7	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.1
Alcoholic beverages, and tobacco	15.21	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Clothing and footwear	80.78	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels	114.11	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9
Furnishings, household equipment and routine maintenance of the house	82.36	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	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	0.1	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.2
Communications	12.94	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
Recreation and culture	13.84	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Education	26.62	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	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	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

February 2019 Month on Month Inflation Rate decreases to 0.7 Percent

The month on month (monthly) inflation rate for February 2019, was recorded at 0.7 percent indicating a decrease of 0.4 percentage point compared to 1.1 percent recorded in January 2019. This means that on average, prices of goods and services decreased by 0.7 percent between January 2019 and February 2019.

The decrease in the month on month inflation rate is mainly attributed to price changes in the Transport main CPI group such as Toyota Hilux, Toyota Corolla and Nissan Sentra.

1.4 1.2 1.0 8.0 0.6 0.4 0.2 Feb-18 Mar-18 May-18 Jun-18 Jul-18 Aug-18 Sep-18 Oct-18 Nov-18 Dec-18 Jan-19 Feb-19 Composite 0.9 0.6 0.4 0.3 0.2 0.9 0.8 1.1 0.7

Figure 2: Month on Month Inflation Rate February 2018 to January 2019

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

Month on Month Inflation Rate: Food and Non-Food Items

The month on month (Monthly) food inflation rate for February 2019 decreased by 0.4 percentage points from 1.1 percent to 0.8 percent. The decrease is mainly attributed to price changes of products such Rice imported, Rice local and meat products such as Brisket, Mixed cut and T- bone and vegetables such as Tomatoes, Chinese

cabbage, Pumpkin leaves and Fresh maize cob.

Non Food inflation rate for February 2019 was recorded at 0.7 percent compared to 1.0 percent recorded in January, 2019. This means that on average, prices of non-food decreased at a rate of 0.7 percent between January 2019 and February 2019.

Table 4: Month on Month Inflation Rate: Food and Non-Food Items

	Weight:	Feb- 2018	Mar- 2018	April- 2018	May- 2018	Jun- 2018	July 2018	August 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov- 2018	Dec- 2018	Jan- 2019	Feb- 2019
Total	1,000.00	0.9	1.3	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.7
Food	534.85	1.2	1.4	0.9	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	1.0	0.8	1.1	0.8
Non-Food	465.15	0.5	1.3	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.2	0.8	0.7	1.0	0.7

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

Note: 2009=100

Month on Month Contributions: Food and Non-Food

Of the total 0.7 percent month on month (Monthly) inflation rate recorded in February 2019, Food accounted for 0.4 percentage

points and Non-food accounted for 0.3 percentage points.

Table 5: Month on Month Contribution: Food and Non Food

Division	Weight	Feb 2018	Mar 2018	April 2018	May 2018	June 2018	July 2018	August 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019
Food	534.85	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.4
Non-Food	465.15	0.2	0.6	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3
All Items	1,000.00	0.9	1.3	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.7

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

Provincial Annual Inflation Rates

The Annual inflation rate increased for Copperbelt; and Luapula provinces while it decreased for; Central; Eastern; Lusaka; Northern; North-western; Southern and Western provinces. Provincial changes in annual inflation rate show that between February 2018 and February 2019,

Copperbelt Province had the highest annual rate of inflation at 8.9 percent followed by Eastern; Lusaka; and Western Province at 8.1 percent each. North Western Province recorded the lowest annual rate of inflation at 5.1 percent.

Table 6: 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-18	6.0	3.8	8.2	3.1	7.2	7.5	9.0	4.7	8.7
Mar-18	7.1	5.0	9.6	3.5	8.8	7.4	8.9	5.4	9.3
Apr-18	8.0	5.5	10.5	4.2	8.3	8.2	9.3	5.7	9.6
May-18	8.3	6.0	10.9	4.7	8.8	8.5	8.1	6.0	9.7
June-18	8.3	5.9	10.6	4.6	7.9	8.6	8.8	5.1	9.9
July-18	8.8	6.1	9.8	5.2	8.5	9.5	9.7	6.5	7.9
Aug-18	8.4	6.3	9.8	6.0	8.9	9.9	8.9	7.3	7.6
Sep-18	7.3	5.9	8.2	6.8	9.2	12.2	7.1	7.5	7.1
Oct-18	8.6	6.8	8.5	6.9	9.3	10.3	8.1	7.4	9.0
Nov-18	6.5	7.1	8.6	5.5	9.1	10.7	6.1	6.3	6.2
Dec-18	7.4	7.6	8.7	6.5	8.3	10.3	5.7	7.0	7.4
Jan-19	7.9	8.2	8.6	6.5	8.4	7.9	5.5	6.8	8.5
Feb-19	7.7	8.9	8.1	7.6	8.1	6.3	5.1	6.6	8.1

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

Provincial Contribution to Overall Inflation

At provincial level, Lusaka Province recorded the highest contribution at 2.3 percentage points to the overall annual inflation rate of 7.8 percent recorded in February 2019. This implies that the price movements in Lusaka Province had the greatest contribution to the overall annual rate of inflation. Copperbelt Province had the second highest contribution of 1.9 percentage points while North Western Province had the lowest contribution of 0.2 percentage points.

Table 7: Provincial Contribution to Overall Inflation

Province	Weight	Feb 2018	Mar 2018	Apr 2018	May 2018	June 2018	July 2018	August 2018	Sep 2018	Oct 2018	Nov 2018	Dec 2018	Jan 2019	Feb 2019
National	1,000.00	6.1	7.1	7.4	7.8	7.4	7.8	8.1	7.9	8.3	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.8
Central	107.19	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8
Copperbelt	219.68	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.9
Eastern	88.98	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Luapula	50.60	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4
Lusaka	283.89	2.0	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.3
Northern	65.72	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.4
North Western	32.33	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Southern	109.19	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7
Western	42.42	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

District Average Prices for Selected Products

The Consumer Price Basket consists of 440 items which are spread across selected outlets in all the districts in Zambia. Over

23,000 price quotations are collected from these outlets between 1st and 10th of every month.

Table 8: District Average Prices for Selected Products

Draduat Decaription	Unit of Measure		Minimum		Maximum
Product Description	Utill Of Measure	Price (K)	Location	Price (K)	Location
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25 kg	78.00	Kapiri Mposhi	120.00	Mufumbwe, Zambezi
Roller mealie meal	25 kg	52.00	Livingstone	100.00	Chiengi,Mongu
Maize Grain	20 litre tin	30.00	Mambwe,Mafinga	70.00	Mfuwe,Chipata
Dried Kapenta (Siavonga)	1 kg	83.33	Livingstone	312.50	Lusaka
Charcoal	50 kg bag	20.00	Chama,Mafinga Kalomo	100.00	Ndola
Cement	50 kg	58.00	Mumbwa	110.00`	Kaputa

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

National Average Prices for Selected Products

Analysis on a monthly basis, of retail prices between January 2019 and February 2019 shows that the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Breakfast Mealie meal increased by 2.31 percent from K91.25 to K93.36 while the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Roller Mealie meal increased by 0.98 percent from K73.43 to K74.15. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain increased by 2.67 percent from K41.87 to K42.99.

On an annual basis, the analysis of retail prices between February 2018 and February 2019 shows that the national average price of a 25kg bag of Breakfast Mealie meal increased by 33.91 percent from K69.72 to K93.36. The national average price of a 20 litre tin of Maize grain increased by 52.12 percent from K28.26 to K42.99

Table 9: National Average Prices for Selected Products

Description		UOM	Feb 18	Mar 18	May 18	Jun 18	Sep 18	Oct 18	Nov 18	Dec 18	Jan 19	Feb 19	% change Feb 2019/ Jan 2019	% change Feb 2019 /Feb 2018
Breakfast Mealie Meal	25	Kilogram	69.72	73.46	79.56	79.22	80.45	82.59	85.80	88.69	91.25	93.36	2.31	33.91
Roller Mealie Meal	25	Kilogram	51.67	53.80	57.23	57.85	58.53	61.34	66.77	71.23	73.43	74.15	0.98	43.51
Maize grain	20	Litre	28.26	29.25	30.74	30.37	31.93	34.17	36.86	38.51	41.87	42.99	2.67	52.12
Samp	1	Kilogram	10.26	9.85	10.46	9.88	9.71	10.36	11.05	11.07	10.37	10.71	3.28	4.39
Rice Imported	1	Kilogram	19.88	21.75	23.06	24.49	22.89	16.39	22.87	21.88	22.34	21.39	-4.25	7.60
Cassava meal	1	Kilogram	6.56	6.70	6.74	6.67	7.00	7.43	7.09	7.12	7.16	6.67	-6.84	1.68
Brisket	1	Kilogram	36.64	36.97	36.73	36.80	36.89	36.62	37.07	37.66	37.31	37.22	-0.24	1.58
Mixed Cut	1	Kilogram	34.95	34.86	35.27	34.84	35.48	35.51	35.51	35.88	35.89	35.74	-0.42	2.26
Chicken Frozen	1	Kilogram	26.66	27.65	26.46	27.17	27.41	27.85	27.41	27.34	29.02	28.71	-1.07	7.69
Apples	1	Each	4.53	5.00	4.49	4.32	4.27	4.30	4.20	4.27	4.54	4.42	-2.64	-2.43
Pumpkin Leaves	1	Kilogram	5.35	5.29	5.80	5.61	6.06	6.57	6.59	5.90	5.28	4.90	-7.20	-8.41
Chinese Cabbage	1	Kilogram	5.16	5.11	4.84	4.64	3.48	3.97	4.48	4.70	4.61	4.54	-1.52	-12.02
Cassava Leaves	1	Kilogram	3.34	3.12	3.06	3.11	3.45	3.43	3.63	3.69	3.62	3.47	-4.14	3.89
Tomatoes	1	Kilogram	6.84	10.50	12.68	9.07	4.88	5.86	7.12	7.52	7.68	7.33	-4.56	7.16
Impwa	1	Kilogram	4.98	5.10	5.19	5.19	5.64	5.88	6.26	6.20	4.99	4.80	-3.81	-3.61
Maize cobs	1	Kilogram	3.37	3.44	3.44	5.50	6.70	7.59	6.62	5.34	4.03	3.77	-6.45	11.87
Onion	1	Kilogram	10.89	12.81	13.99	12.12	9.14	8.66	8.08	8.83	8.88	9.57	7.77	-12.12
Sugar	2	Kilogram	26.44	26.42	27.38	27.23	26.84	26.92	27.31	27.11	27.12	27.14	0.07	2.65
Cement	50	Kilogram	75.09	75.17	75.79	75.14	76.79	75.92	77.13	75.74	77.14	75.68	-1.89	0.79
Charcoal	50	Kilogram	41.98	42.05	42.36	42.30	42.40	41.94	42.55	44.41	45.80	44.96	-1.83	7.10
Toyota corolla	1	Each	420,000.00	445,900.00	457,380.00	480,480.00	475,860.00	566,874.00	540,540.00	550,935.00	577,500.00	537,829.81	-6.87	28.05
Nissan Sentra 1.6 L Sedan BIT AT	1	Each	410,620.00	489,080.00	496,000.00	496,000.00	433,665.00	542,841.00	527,342.00	501,723.53	554,180.00	545,150.00	-1.63	32.76
Spark plugs	1	Each	26.74	24.16	25.66	26.62	26.56	25.05	26.51	27.41	27.85	28.06	0.75	4.94
Car Tyre-Radial	1	Each	487.33	413.86	474.84	487.02	477.82	496.12	500.58	481.57	524.40	442.89	-15.54	-9.12
Car battery	1	Each	724.28	726.98	713.28	712.65	736.16	718.19	722.92	742.46	750.08	745.99	-0.55	3.00
Cv joints	1	Each	201.27	192.32	192.67	195.65	198.11	184.54	186.85	200.57	188.15	193.97	3.09	-3.63
Diesel	1	Litre	11.09	12.01	12.00	12.06	12.00	14.65	14.65	14.65	14.67	14.65	-0.14	32.10
Petrol	1	Litre	12.97	13.75	13.74	13.74	13.74	16.06	16.06	16.06	16.05	16.05	0.00	23.75
Lusaka/London via Dubai	1	Each	5,580.00	5,640.00	5,850.00	5,945.00	6,210.00	8,035.00	7,390.00	7,410.00	7,344.00	7,438.15	1.28	33.30
Butone	100	Gram	6.93	6.86	7.17	7.19	6.97	7.09	7.28	7.25	7.49	7.52	0.40	8.51
Dettol	125	Millilitre	15.01	14.61	15.97	15.69	16.53	16.00	15.99	15.65	15.64	15.97	2.11	6.40
Hammer milling charge	1	Each	6.92	6.95	7.00	6.90	7.05	7.09	7.05	6.76	6.80	6.55	-3.68	-5.35

Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

January 2019 records a Trade Surplus

Zambia records a trade surplus of K938.0 Million in January 2019 from a trade deficit of K543.9 Million recorded in December 2018. This trade surplus means that the country exported more though at a reduced rate than it imported in nominal terms. However, imports decreased notably by 21.4 percent from K9,459.4 Million in December 2018 to K7,435.6 Million in January 2019, this decrease is mainly attributed to the reduction in imports of Raw materials from K1,453.3 million to K327.0 million (78.8 percent) and Capital

goods from K3,918.7 million to K2,969.7 million (24.2 percent). Exports equally decreased though slightly by 6.1 percent from K8,915.6 Million in December 2018 to K8,373.6 Million in January 2019. The decrease in the value of exports is mainly attributed to the decrease in the Intermediate goods exports from K7,563.7 Million to K7,317.0 Million (3.3 percent) and decline in Consumer goods exports from K827.7 Million to K621.1 Million (25.0 percent). Therefore, the net effect of these dynamics in trade was the trade surplus.

Table 10: Total Exports (FOB) and Imports (CIF), January 2018 to January 2019 (K' Million)

Months	Imports(CIF)	Domestic Exports(FOB)	Total Exports(FOB)	Trade Balance
Jan-18®	8 282.3	7 895.3	8 007.8	(274.5)
Feb-18®	7 264.3	7 640.8	7 790.5	526.2
Mar-18®	7 190.2	7 004.2	7 170.1	(20.0)
Quarter 1	22 736.7	22 540.2	22 968.4	231.7
Apr-18®	7 665.4	6 401.8	6 559.9	(1 105.5)
May-18®	7 507.8	7 025.7	7 184.9	(323.0)
Jun-18®	8 342.2	8 335.7	8 463.4	121.1
Quarter 2	23 515.5	21 763.3	22 208.2	(1 307.3)
Jul-18®	7 319.2	7 840.0	8 010.3	691.1
Aug-18®	8 689.8	8 278.6	8 458.9	(230.9)
Sep-18®	8 021.8	7 356.5	7 492.6	(529.2)
Quarter 3	24 030.8	23 475.1	23 961.8	(69.0)
Oct-18®	9 746.6	8 176.3	8 323.2	(1 423.4)
Nov-18®	9 762.8	7 814.8	8 107.5	(1 655.3)
Dec-18®	9 459.4	8 767.6	8 915.6	(543.9)
Quarter 4	28 968.9	24 758.7	25 346.4	(3 622.5)
Total:	99 251.9	92 537.3	94 484.7	(4 767.1)
Jan-19*	7 435.6	8 161.0	8 373.6	938.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

These trade data are compiled based on the General Trade System

Note: (*) Provisional (®) Revised

Performance of Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports, January 2018 and January 2019

The Traditional Exports (TE's) earnings decreased by 0.4 percent from K6,635.6 Million in December 2018 to K6,609.9 Million in January 2019. In terms of share in total exports, TEs recorded an average of 76.7 percent in revenue earnings between January 2019 and December 2018.

Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs) earnings decreased by 22.6 percent from K 2,280.0 Million in December 2018 to K1,763.7 Million in January 2019. In terms of share in total exports, NTEs recorded an average of 23.3 percent in revenue earnings between January 2019 and December 2018.

Table 11: Traditional Exports and Non-Traditional Exports January 2019 and December 2018

PERIOD	Jan-19*		Dec-18®	
FERIOD	Value (K' Million)	% Share	Value (\K' Million)	% Share
Traditional Exports	6 609.9	78.9	6 635.6	74.4
Non-Traditional Exports	1 763.7	21.1	2 280.0	25.6
Total Exports	8 373.6	100.0	8 915.6	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

Note: (*) Provisional (®) Revised

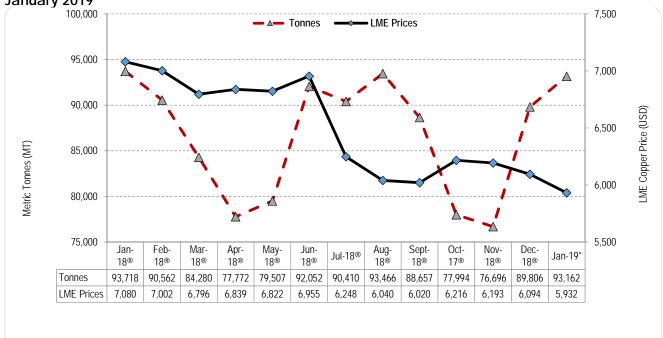
Exports of Copper by Volume and corresponding LME prices, January 2019 and December 2018

The volume of Copper exported in January 2019 increased by 3.7 percent from 89,806 metric tonnes in December 2018 to 93,162 metric tonnes.

The Copper prices on LME market for the corresponding months decreased by 2.7 percent, from \$6,094 per metric tonne in December 2018 to \$5,932 per metric tonne in January 2019.

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. Therefore, the net effect of the changes in volume and LME prices was an increase in export earnings from copper.

Figure 3: Exports of Copper in Metric Tonnes and LME Copper prices per ton, January 2018 to January 2019



Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

LME, 2019

Note: (*) Provisional (®) Revised

Performance of Non-Traditional Exports, January 2019 and December 2018

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 21.1 percent of Zambia's Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs) in January 2019 compared to 15.8 percent recorded in December 2018.

The export earnings from Agricultural products slightly increased by 3.1 percent from K361.3 Million in December 2018 to K372.4 Million in January 2019. The major export commodities were 'Other raw cane sugar '(11.9 percent), 'Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes (11.7 percent) and Cotton, not carded or combed '(9.7 percent).

Non-Agricultural Products

Non-Agricultural products accounted for a share of 78.9 percent of Zambia's Non-Traditional Exports (NTEs) in January 2019 compared to 84.2 percent recorded in December 2018.

The export earnings from Non-Agricultural products recorded a decrease of 27.5 percent from K1,918.7 Million in December 2018 to K1,391.3 Million in January 2019. The major export commodities were ''Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk '(13.5 percent), Electrical energy '(5.6 percent) and Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm'(5.5 percent).

Table 12: Zambia's Major Non-Traditional Exports, January 2019 and December 2018

Period	1	Jan-19)*	Period		Dec-18 ⁰	Ð
Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Share (%)	Hs-Code	Description	Value (K'Million)	Shar e (%)
AGRIC PROD	UCTS	372.4	100.0	AGRIC PROI	DUCTS	361.3	100.0
17011400	Other raw cane sugar	44.4	11.9	10051000	Maize seed	41.9	11.6
17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	43.8	11.7	24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	40.3	11.1
52010000	Cotton, not carded or combed	36.1	9.7	23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soyabean	38.5	10.7
23040000	Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean	27.9	7.5	17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	29.8	8.3
10051000	Maize seed	20.2	5.4	31026000	Double salts and mixtures of calcium nitrate and ammonium nitrate	21.7	6.0
17011300	Raw cane sugar specified in Subheading Note 2 to this Chapter	17.0	4.6	19041000	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals	21.0	5.8
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	13.8	3.7	17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	18.0	5.0
19053100	Sweet biscuits.	11.3	3.0	19053100	Sweet biscuits.	14.1	3.9
Other - Agric I	Product NTE's	158.0	42.4	Other - Agric	Product NTE's	136.0	37.6
% Share of Ja	nuary Agric Products NTE's	21.1		% Share of December Agric Products NTE's		15.8	
NON-AGRIC F	PRODUCTS	1 391.3	1 918.7	100.0			
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	187.3	13.5	68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	226.3	11.8
27160000	Electrical energy	77.7	5.6	28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	166.5	8.7
74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross- sectional dimension >6mm	76.4	5.5	25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	92.0	4.8
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	49.1	3.5	27160000	Electrical energy	88.0	4.6
25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	46.3	3.3	71081310	Bullion semi-manufactured forms	81.4	4.2
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	39.0	2.8	74081100	Wire of refined copper, maximum cross- sectional dimension >6mm	65.6	3.4
72023000	Ferro-silico-manganese	35.3	2.5	26020000	MANGANESE ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGI NOUS), WITH MANGANESE CONT.OF=>20%	59.8	3.1
25221000	Quicklime	26.5	1.9	22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	58.4	3.0
38249900	Other nes	24.9	1.8	25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	51.5	2.7
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	22.7	1.6	34022000	Washing and cleaning preparations, put up for retail sale	40.3	2.1

Period		Jan-19)*	Period		Dec-18®	
Hs-Code	Description	Value Chara		Value (K'Million)	Shar e (%)		
25231000	Cement clinkers	20.7	1.5	72023000	Ferro-silico-manganese	28.9	1.5
26020000	MANGANESE ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGI NOUS), WITH MANGANESE CONT.OF=>20%	ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGI NOUS), WITH MANGANESE 20.3 1.5 15162000 Vegetable fats and oils and their fractions, hydrogenated, etc		26.5	1.4		
71162000	Articles of precious or semi-precious stones (excl. pearls)	18.9	1.4	25221000	Quicklime	26.1	1.4
78019900	Unwrought lead (excl. refined and containing antimony)	18.4	1.3	84262000	Tower cranes	23.2	1.2
85444900	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors	18.2	1.3	25199000	25199000 Magnesia and other magnesium oxide		1.2
Other - Non Aç	gric Product NTE's	709.9	51.0	Other - Non A	gric Product NTE's	862.0	44.9
% Share of January Non-Agric Products NTE's		78.9		% Share of December Non-Agric Products NTE's		84.2	
NTE"s		1 763.	7	NTE"s		2 280.0	

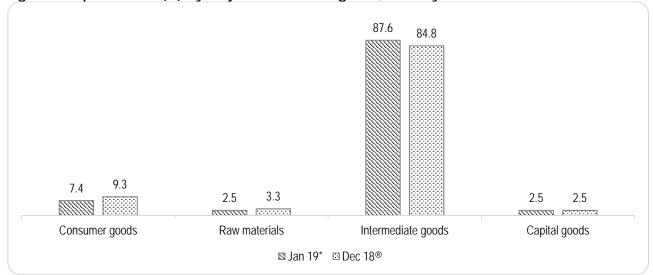
Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019 Note: (*) Provisional (®) Revised figures

Exports by Major Product Categories, January 2019 and December 2018

Zambia's major export products in January 2019 were from the Intermediate goods category (mainly comprising Copper anodes for electrolytic refining and Cathodes of refined copper) accounting for 87.6 percent.

Exports from the Consumer goods, Raw Materials and Capital goods categories, collectively accounted for 12.4 percent of Total exports in January 2019.

Figure 4: Export Shares (%) by Major Product Categories, January 2019 and December 2018



Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019 Note: (*) Provisional (®) Revised figures

Zambia's Major Export Destinations by Commodity in January 2019

The major export destination in January 2019 was Switzerland, which accounted for 41.6 percent of the total export earnings. The main export product to Switzerland was Copper anodes for electrolytic refining, accounting for 65.2 percent of total export earnings from that country.

China was the second main export destination accounting for 21.6 percent of the total export earnings. The main export products were Copper anodes for electrolytic refining, accounting for 64.3 percent of total export earnings from that country.

Singapore was the third main destination of Zambia's exports accounting for 10.5 percent of the total export earnings. The main export product to Singapore was Copper anodes for electrolytic refining, accounting for 51.6 percent of total export earnings from that Country.

Congo DR was the fourth main export destination accounting for 9.2 percent of the total export earnings. The main export product was Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk

accounting for 24.2 percent of total export earnings from that country.

The United Kingdom was the fifth main export destination accounting for 3.7 percent of the total export earnings. The main export products were Electro-won copper cathodes (Low Purity), accounting for 98.5 percent of total export earnings from that country.

These five countries collectively accounted for 86.6 percent of Zambia's total export earnings in January 2019.

Table 13: Zambia's Five Major Export Destinations by Product for January 2019

Country / He Code	Description	Jan-2019*		
Country / Hs-Code	Description	Value (K' Million)	% Share	
SWITZERLAND		3,481.1	100.0	
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	2,269.5	65.2	
74031110	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	607.2	17.4	
74031130	Electro-won copper cathodes (High Purity)	430.6	12.4	
74020011	Copper blister	74.4	2.1	
74031140	Electro-won copper cathodes (Low Purity)	68.8	2.0	
71129910	Anodic slimes	14.3	0.4	
74031192	Copper bearing products of electro-winning process	9.0	0.3	
24012000	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped	4.9	0.1	
74031100	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	1.3	0.0	
28255010	Copper oxides and hydroxides in bulk	0.7	0.0	
Other		0.3	0.0	
Percent of Total Jan	uary Exports	41.6		
CHINA		1,807.0	100.0	
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	1,162.5	64.3	
74020011	Copper blister	343.8	19.0	
74031130	Electro-won copper cathodes (High Purity)	245.8	13.6	
26020000	Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20%	16.2	0.9	
44079900	Other wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled,of thickness > 6mm nes	8.3	0.5	
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	6.6	0.4	
44092900	Non-coniferous wood continuously shaped along any of its edges,ends of faces, other	4.1	0.2	
74031110	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	4.1	0.2	
12119000	Other plants or parts, of a kind used in perfumery, pharmacyetc, nes	2.9	0.2	
28255010	Copper oxides and hydroxides in bulk	1.8	0.1	
Other		10.9	0.6	
Percent of Total Jan	uary Exports	21.6		
SINGAPORE		876.6	100.0	
74020020	Copper anodes for electrolytic refining	452.6	51.6	
74020011	Copper blister	247.8	28.3	
74031140	Electro-won copper cathodes (Low Purity)	95.0	10.8	
74031110	Cathodes and sections of cathodes of refined copper	69.2	7.9	
74031130	Electro-won copper cathodes (High Purity)	11.6	1.3	
68159900	Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes	0.3	0.0	
26020000	Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20%	0.0	0.0	
09021000	Green tea, whether or not flavoured, in immediate packings	0.0	0.0	

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jan-2019	*
Country / ns-code	Description	Value (K' Million)	% Share
01042010	Live goats for slaughter	0.0	0.0
01051100	Live fowls of species gallus domesticus, weighing =<185g (chicks)	0.0	0.0
Other		0.0	0.0
Percent of Total Jan	uary Exports	10.5	
CONGO DR		772.3	100.0
28070010	Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk	187.3	24.2
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	49.1	6.4
27160000	Electrical energy	39.7	5.1
17019900	Cane or beet sugar, in solid form, nes	36.4	4.7
22029900	Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes	28.5	3.7
25221000	Quicklime	26.2	3.4
38249900	Other nes	24.9	3.2
25232900	Portland cement (excl. white)	24.8	3.2
29309010	Other organo-sulphurcompounds, nes - in bulk	15.8	2.0
84818000	Other appliances such as taps, cocks and other valves, nes	14.5	1.9
Other		325.2	42.1
Percent of Total Jan	uary Exports	9.2	
UNITED KINGDOM		312.3	100.0
74031140	Electro-won copper cathodes (Low Purity)	307.7	98.5
04090000	Natural honey	2.1	0.7
06031100	Fresh cut Roses and buds	1.0	0.3
07099900	Other vegetables, fresh or chilled, nes	0.8	0.3
08109000	Other fruit, fresh, nes	0.5	0.2
38151200	Supported catalysts with precious metal or its compounds	0.1	0.0
93033000	Sporting, hunting or target-shooting rifles (excl. shotguns)	0.0	0.0
99030000	Single consignment non-commercial goods	0.0	0.0
70132800	Stemware drinking glasses, other than of glass-ceramicsOther	0.0	0.0
90318000	Instruments, appliances and machines for measuring or checking, nes	0.0	0.0
Others		0.0	0.0
Percent of Total Jan	uary Exports	3.7	
Other Destinations		1,124.3	13.4
Total Value of Janua	ry Exports	8,373.6	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

Note: (*) Provisional

Export Market Shares by selected Regional Groupings and Major Trading Partners, January 2019 and December 2018

Switzerland was the largest market for Zambia's total exports in January 2019, accounting for 41.6 percent.

Asia was the second largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 35.6 percent in January 2019. Within this grouping, China was the dominant market with 60.6 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were Singapore, United Arab Emirates, India and Japan.

The DUAL- SADC & COMESA grouping was the third largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 11.3 percent in January 2019. Within this grouping, Congo DR was the dominant export market, accounting for 81.9 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were Zimbabwe, Malawi, Mauritius and Madagascar.

The European Union grouping was the fourth largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 6.3 percent in January 2019. Within this grouping, The United Kingdom was the dominant market with 59.2 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were Luxemburg, Germany, Netherlands and Belgium.

The SADC exclusive grouping was the fifth largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 3.6 percent in January 2019.

Within this grouping, South Africa was the dominant market with 61.9 percent. Other notable markets within this grouping were Tanzania, Namibia, Botswana and Mozambique.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the sixth largest market for Zambia's total exports, accounting for 1.4 percent in January 2019. Within this grouping, Kenya was the dominant market with 63.1 percent. Other notable markets were Burundi, Rwanda, Uganda and Ethiopia.

Table 14: Export Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, January 2019 and December 2018

Grouping	Jan-19*		- Grouping	Dec-18®	Dec-18®		
Grouping	Value (K' Million)	% Share	- Grouping	Value (K' Million)	% Share		
ASIA	2,979.9	100.0	ASIA	2,844.6	100.0		
China	1,807.0	60.6	China	1,419.7	49.9		
Singapore	876.6	29.4	Singapore	930.0	32.7		
United Arab Emirates	217.6	7.3	United Arab Emirates	216.9	7.6		
India	42.6	1.4	India	207.9	7.3		
Japan	31.6	1.1	Hong Kong	60.0	2.1		
Other ASIA	4.4	0.1	Other ASIA	10.1	0.4		
% of Total January Exports	35.6		% of Total December Exports	31.9			
DUAL-SADC & COMESA	943.5	100.0	DUAL-SADC & COMESA	978.7	100.0		
Congo DR	772.3	81.9	Congo DR	806.7	82.4		
Zimbabwe	87.1	9.2	Zimbabwe	95.9	9.8		
Malawi	59.6	6.3	Malawi	64.7	6.6		
Mauritius	23.9	2.5	Swaziland	9.5	1.0		
Madagascar	0.6	0.1	Mauritius	1.9	0.2		
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.0	0.0		
% of Total January Exports	11.3		% of Total December Exports	11.0			
EUROPEAN UNION(27)	527.4	100.0	EUROPEAN UNION(27)	636.4	100.0		
United Kingdom	312.3	59.2	United Kingdom	414.0	65.0		
Luxembourg	181.2	34.4	Luxembourg	185.3	29.1		
Germany	18.1	3.4	Germany	12.0	1.9		
Netherlands	5.6	1.1	Italy	7.9	1.2		
Belgium	3.3	0.6	Belgium	5.4	0.8		
Other EU(27)	6.8	1.3	Other EU(27)	11.9	1.9		
% of Total January Exports	6.3		% of Total December Exports	7.1			
SADC EXCLUSIVE	303.0	100.0	SADC EXCLUSIVE	494.7	100.0		
South Africa	187.5	61.9	South Africa	361.3	73.0		
Tanzania	50.6	16.7	Tanzania	67.9	13.7		
Namibia	34.1	11.3	Namibia	30.9	6.2		
Botswana	19.4	6.4	Botswana	21.7	4.4		
Mozambique	7.9	2.6	Angola	7.2	1.5		
Other SADC Exclusive	3.5	1.1	Other SADC Exclusive	5.7	1.2		
% of Total January Exports	3.6		% of Total December Exports	5.5			
COMESA EXCLUSIVE	116.0	100.0	COMESA EXCLUSIVE	78.8	100.0		

Grouping	Jan-19*		Grouping	Dec-18®		
Grouping	Value (K' Million)	% Share	Grouping	Value (K' Million)	% Share	
Kenya	73.2	63.1	Kenya	40.5	51.4	
Burundi	25.3	21.8	Burundi	17.5	22.3	
Rwanda	8.7	7.5	Sudan	9.0	11.4	
Uganda	8.6	7.5	Rwanda	7.9	10.1	
Ethiopia	0.1	0.1	Uganda	3.8	4.9	
Other COMESA Exclusive	0.0	0.0	Other COMESA Exclusive	0.0	0.0	
% of Total January Exports	1.4		% of Total December Exports	0.9		
SWITZERLAND	3,481.1	41.6	SWITZERLAND	3,855.9	43.2	
Rest of the World	22.7	0.3	Rest of the World	26.5	0.3	
World	8,373.6	100.0	World	8,915.6	100.0	

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

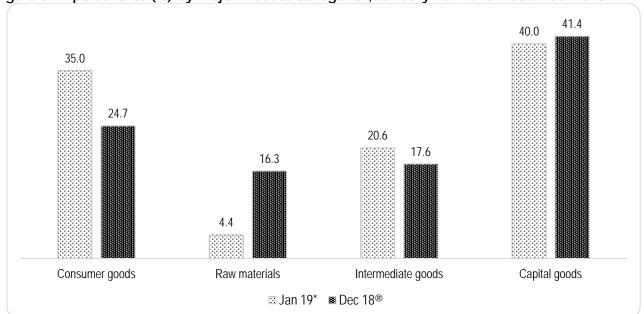
Note: 1. SADC = (SADC EXCLUSIVE + Dual SADC & COMESA)

Imports by Major Product Categories, January 2019 and December 2018

The major import products by major product category in January 2019 were Capital goods category, accounting for 40.0 percent.

The Consumer goods category was second with 35.0 percent, followed by the Intermediate goods and Raw Materials Categories, accounting for 20.6 percent and 4.4 percent, respectively.

Figure 5: Import Shares (%) by Major Product Categories, January 2019 and December 2018



Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

Note: (*) Provisional (®) Revised

^{2.} COMESA = (COMESA Exclusive + Dual SADC & COMESA)

^{**}Switzerland does not belong to any Regional grouping but is our Major Export Destination

Zambia's Major Import Sources by Product in January 2019

The major source of imports in January 2019 was South Africa, accounting for 24.0 percent. The major import product was Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur) accounting for 6.6 percent of the import bill from that country.

The second main source was China, accounting for 16.8 percent. The major import products were Relays for a voltage 60-1000V, which accounted for 13.7 percent of the import bill from that country.

India was the third main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 10.5 percent. The major import product was Self-propelled boring or sinking machinery, accounting for 38.4 percent of the import bill from that country.

Other sources of Zambia's imports were United Arab Emirates and Kuwait, which collectively accounted for 16.9 percent of Zambia's imports.

Table 15: Zambia's Five Major Import Sources by Product for January, 2019

Country / He Code	Description	Jan-2019	*
Country / Hs-Code			% Share
SOUTH AFRICA		1,784.7	100.0
25030000	Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur)	117.6	6.6
87042100	vehicles (diesel engine) for the transport of goods GVW upto 5 tonnes	61.8	3.5
31023000	Ammonium nitrate	35.1	2.0
25199000	Magnesia and other magnesium oxide	25.7	1.4
25221000	Quicklime	25.3	1.4
87041000	Dumpers for off-highway use	25.1	1.4
15111000	Crude palm oil	23.9	1.3
84139100	Parts of pumps for liquids	23.7	1.3
27101990	Other oils.	23.1	1.3
39072090	Polyethers - Other primary forms, pigmented	22.3	1.3
Other		1,401.1	78.5
Percent of Total Ja	nuary Imports	24.0	
CHINA		1,250.4	100.0
85364900	Relays for a voltage 60-1000 V	171.0	13.7
73082000	Towers and lattice masts of iron or steel	79.7	6.4
72283000	Bars and rods of alloy steel, nes, hot-rolled, -drawn or extruded	38.9	3.1
84138100	Pumps for liquids, nes	36.8	2.9
87012000	Road tractors for semi-trailers	35.8	2.9
72083900	Flat/hot-rolled iron/steel,in colis, width >=600mm, not pickled,<3mm thick	28.5	2.3
73259100	Grinding balls and similar articles for mills of cast steel	27.9	2.2
84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	23.1	1.8
73030090	Tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, of cast iron - OTHER	20.9	1.7
85446000	Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage >1000 V	19.6	1.6
Other		768.3	61.4
Percent of Total Ja	nuary Imports	16.8	_
INDIA		777.1	100.0
84304100	Self-propelled boring or sinking machinery	298.0	38.4
30049000	Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes	244.7	31.5
70109000	Other carboys, bottles, flasks, jars, pots, phials, ampoules etc.	21.1	2.7
62112000	Ski suits	8.4	1.1
74050000	Master alloys of copper	7.4	0.9

Country / Hs-Code	Description	Jan-2019*	
Country / HS-Code	Description	Value (K' Million)	% Share
39206310	Plates, of unsaturated polyesters, not reinforced, etc	6.5	0.8
39076120	Other primary forms, not pigmented	5.4	0.7
84749000	Parts of machinery of 84.74	5.2	0.7
84794000	Rope or cable-making machines	5.2	0.7
76141000	Cables of aluminium, with steel core, not electrically insulated	4.6	0.6
Other		170.7	22.0
Percent of Total Ja	nuary Imports	10.5	
UNITED ARAB EMIR	IITED ARAB EMIRATES		100.0
27101910	Gas oils.	237.6	36.0
27101210	Motor Spirit	177.5	26.9
30049000	Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes	33.9	5.1
29041010	Hydrocarbon derivatives containing only sulpho groups, their salts, etc - IN BULK	30.3	4.6
31059000	Other fertilizers, nes	16.2	2.5
31021000	Urea	14.3	2.2
84388000	Machinery for the preparation or manufacture of food or drink, nes	12.8	1.9
73259100	Grinding balls and similar articles for mills of cast steel	11.9	1.8
49019900	Printed books, brochures, leaflets and similar printed matter, nes	9.5	1.4
84171000	Furnaces and ovens for roasting, melting of ores/pyrites/metals	8.3	1.3
Other		107.1	16.2
Percent of Total Ja	nuary Imports	8.9	
KUWAIT		595.6	100.0
27090000	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude	595.6	100.0
01012100	Live Horses - Pure bred breeding animals	0.0	0.0
01031000	Live pure-bred breeding swine	0.0	0.0
01041022	Live rams	0.0	0.0
01051100	Live fowls of species gallus domesticus, weighing =<185g (chicks)	0.0	0.0
01061100	-MammalsPrimates	0.0	0.0
01061900	-MammalsOther	0.0	0.0
01069000	-Other live animals	0.0	0.0
02032200	Frozen unboned hams, shoulders and cuts thereof of swine	0.0	0.0
02032900	Frozen swine meat, nes	0.0	0.0
Other		0.0	0.0
Percent of Total Ja	nuary Imports	8.0	
Other Sources		2,368.3	31.9
Total Value of Janu	ary Imports	7,435.6	100.0

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

Note: (*) Provisional

Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings and major trading partners January 2019 and December 2018

Asia was the major source of Zambia's imports accounting for 53.3 percent in January 2019. Within this grouping, China was the major source of Zambia's imports accounting for 31.6 percent. Other notable markets were India, United Arab Emirates, Kuwait and Israel.

The SADC exclusive grouping was the second main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 28.7 percent in January 2019. Within this regional grouping, South Africa was the main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 83.6 percent. Other notable markets were Tanzania, Mozambique, Namibia and Botswana.

The European Union (EU) was the third main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 9.5 percent. Within this grouping, The United Kingdom was the main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 18.3 percent. Other notable markets were Italy, Germany, Sweden and Finland.

The Dual SADC & COMESA grouping was the fourth main source of Zambia's imports, accounting for 3.6 percent in January 2019.

Within this grouping, Mauritius was the dominant market with 43.0 percent. Other notable markets were Congo DR, Zimbabwe, Malawi and Swaziland.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was the fifth main source for Zambia's imports accounting for 0.9 percent in January 2019. Within this grouping, Kenya was the dominant market with 56.9 percent. Other notable markets were Uganda, Egypt, Sudan and Rwanda.

Table 16: Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, January 2019 and December 2018

Grouping	Jan-19*		Grouping	Dec-18®		
Grouping	Value (K' Million)	% Share	Grouping	Value (K' Million)	% Share	
ASIA	3,960.2	100.0	ASIA	3,696.1	100.0	
China	1,250.4	31.6	China	1,910.9	51.7	
India	777.1	19.6	United Arab Emirates	825.0	22.3	
United Arab Emirates	659.4	16.7	India	352.0	9.5	
Kuwait	595.6	15.0	Kuwait	153.1	4.1	
Israel	244.2	6.2	Japan	147.2	4.0	
Other ASIA	433.5	10.9	Other ASIA	307.7	8.3	
% of Total January Imports	53.3		% of Total December Imports	39.1		
SADC EXCLUSIVE	2,135.2	100.0	SADC EXCLUSIVE	3,068.8	100.0	
South Africa	1,784.7	83.6	South Africa	2,676.4	87.2	
Tanzania	165.1	7.7	Tanzania	146.4	4.8	
Mozambique	94.0	4.4	Mozambique	116.0	3.8	
Namibia	78.6	3.7	Namibia	109.1	3.6	
Botswana	12.8	0.6	Botswana	20.8	0.7	
Other SADC Exclusive	0.1	0.0	Other SADC Exclusive	0.1	0.0	
% of Total January Imports	28.7			32.4	•	
EUROPEAN UNION(27)	707.6	100.0	EUROPEAN UNION(27)	786.9	100.0	
United Kingdom	129.6	18.3	United Kingdom	186.1	23.6	
Italy	108.0	15.3	Germany	144.2	18.3	
Germany	104.2	14.7	Sweden	104.9	13.3	
Sweden	65.5	9.3	Finland	70.0	8.9	
Finland	58.7	8.3	Denmark	64.6	8.2	
Other EU(27)	237.2	33.5	Other EU(27)	211.3	26.9	
% of Total January Imports	9.5	•	% of Total December Imports	8.3	•	
DUAL-SADC & COMESA	268.9	100.0	DUAL-SADC & COMESA	1,472.0	100.0	
Mauritius	115.5	43.0	Congo DR	1,224.0	83.2	
Congo DR	94.6	35.2	Mauritius	137.2	9.3	
Zimbabwe	48.9	18.2	Zimbabwe	76.9	5.2	
Malawi	8.5	3.2	Swaziland	23.0	1.6	
Swaziland	1.3	0.5	Malawi	10.8	0.7	
Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.1	0.0	Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA	0.1	0.0	
% of Total January Imports	3.6		% of Total December Imports	15.6	l	
COMESA EXCLUSIVE	67.0	100.0	COMESA EXCLUSIVE	71.7	100.0	
Kenya	38.1	56.9	Kenya	58.4	81.5	
Uganda	14.1	21.0	Egypt	12.5	17.5	
Egypt	12.8	19.1	Ethiopia	0.4	0.6	
Sudan	1.8	2.7	Uganda	0.3	0.4	
Rwanda	0.2	0.3	Rwanda	0.0	0.1	
Other COMESA Exclusive	0.0	0.0	Other COMESA Exclusive	0.0	0.0	
% of Total January Imports	0.9	1	% of Total December Imports	0.8		
Rest of the World	296.7	4.0	Rest of the World	364.0	3.8	

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

Note: (*) Provisional ®) Revised figures

LABOUR MARKET STATISTICS

Labour Force Size in the Fourth Quarter 2018

A total of 3,052,529 persons were in the labour force in fourth quarter of 2018. Of these, 2,669,528 were employed and 383,001 were unemployed. The survey results also show that 67.6 percent of the labour force

were in urban areas and 32.4 percent were in rural areas. Furthermore, the labour force was dominated by males at 62.3 percent compared to 37.7 percent females.

Table 17: Labour Force by Sex and Rural/Urban, Fourth Quarter 2018

Sex/Residence	Labo	ur Force	Employe	d Persons	Unemployed Persons		
Sex/Residefice	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total	3,052,529	100.0	2,669,528	100.0	383,001	100.0	
Male	1,900,201	62.3	1,652,979	61.9	247,222	64.5	
Female	1,152,328	37.7	1,016,549 38.1		135,779	35.5	
Rural/Urban							
Total	3,052,529	100.0	2,669,528	100.0	383,001	100.0	
Rural	988,637	32.4	865,828	32.4	122,809	32.1	
Urban 2,063,8		67.6	1,803,700	67.6	260,192	67.9	

Source: CSO, Labour Force Survey Q4, 2018

Employment by Type (Formal and Informal)

Formal employment represents employment in which job holders are primarily entitled to some form of social security in addition to other forms of employment protection, whereas informal employment represents employment in which job holders are not entitled to any form of social security.

The employed population in the fourth quarter 2018 was estimated at 2,669,528. Out of these. Formal employment accounted for 33.6 percent (or 896,596 persons) while informal employment accounted for 66.4 percent (or 1,772,932 persons). Informal employment in rural areas accounted for 78.7 percent compared to 60.5 percent in urban areas.

78.7 66.4 60.5 39.5 33.6 21.3 Total Urban Rural □ Formal Employment ☑ Informal Employment

Figure 6: Formal and Informal Employment by Rural/Urban, Fourth Quarter 2018

Source: CSO, Labour Force Survey Q4, 2018

Unemployment in the Fourth Quarter 2018

There are two approaches used to determine unemployed population. The first one which is used for international comparison, is exclusively based on the number of persons not in employment but actively seeking and available for work. The second one is the definition which takes into account the potential labour force as part of the unemployed population (Combined rate of Unemployment and Potential Labour Force).

Based on the definition for international comparison, the number of unemployed

persons was 383,001 of which 64.5 percent were male and 35.5 percent were female. However, the number of unemployed persons plus the potential labour force was 2,026,797 of which 50.7 percent were males and 49.3 percent were females. In addition, 61.2 percent of the unemployed and potential labour force was in rural areas while 38.8 percent were in urban areas.

Table 18: Unemployed Population by Sex and Rural/Urban, Fourth Quarter 2018

	Unemployed Population								
Sex/Residence	Unemployed persons and po	Unemployed Population							
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent					
Total	2,026,797	100.0	383,001	100.0					
Male	1,027,888	50.7	247,222	64.5					
Female	998,909	49.3	135,779	35.5					
Rural/Urban									
Total	2,026,797	100.0	383,001	100.0					
Rural	1,241,154	61.2	122,809	32.1					
Urban	785,643	38.8	260,192	67.9					

Source: CSO, Labour Force Survey Q4, 2018

Unemployment Rate in the Fourth Quarter 2018

The unemployment rate was 12.5 percent. In rural areas, the unemployment rate was estimated at 12.4 percent compared to 12.6 percent in urban areas.

The combined rate of unemployment and potential labour force was recorded at 43.2 percent. The rate was higher in rural areas compared to urban areas at 58.9 and 30.3 percent, respectively.

58.9 43.2 30.3 12.5 12.6 12.4 Unemployment rate Combined Rate of Unemployment and Potential Labour Force □ Total ■ Rural □ Urban

Figure 7: Unemployment Rate by Rural/Urban, Fourth Quarter 2018

Source: CSO, Labour Force Survey Q4, 2018

Youth Unemployment Rate

A youth was defined as any person 15 to 35 years of age. Youth unemployment rate was percent. estimated at 17.6 unemployment rate was higher in urban areas at 18.5 percent than it was in rural areas at 16.0 percent.

The combined rate of unemployment and potential labour force for the youth was recorded at 52.2 percent. In rural and urban areas, rate was estimated at 65.2 and 41.1 percent, respectively.

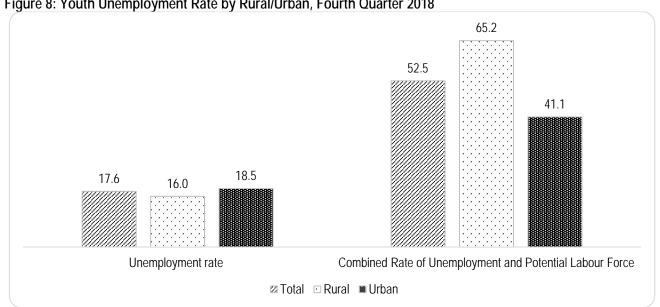


Figure 8: Youth Unemployment Rate by Rural/Urban, Fourth Quarter 2018

Source: CSO, Labour Force Survey Q4, 2018

SELECTED SOCIO-ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Period		MER PRICE INDEX - FOOD AI	Food CPI	Non-Food CPI
Weight	Month	1000.0	534.9	465.2
reignt	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
2014	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	151.73
	January	146.76	141.28	153.07
	February	147.13	142.39	152.58
	March	148.63	143.79	154.20
		149.66	143.79	155.47
	April			
<u> </u>	May	150.62	145.81	156.15
2015	June	151.46	146.40	157.68
<u> </u>	July	152.64	146.95	159.19
	August	153.94	148.16	160.58
<u> </u>	September	155.00	148.95	161.95
<u> </u>	October	164.65	160.03	169.97
	November	172.86	170.85	175.18
	December	176.46	175.09	178.06
	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
2017	June	183.31	183.03	183.63
2016	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
	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	194.40	194.09	195.09
<u> </u>	June	194.62	194.22	198.37
2017	June July	195.60	193.13	198.43
-		195.75	193.32	
	August			198.53
	September	196.33	193.06	200.10
<u> </u>	October	197.10	194.07	200.59
<u> </u>	November	199.84	195.62	204.69
	December	201.18	197.77	205.11
	January	203.15	199.69	207.13
<u> </u>	February	204.91	202.14	208.09
<u> </u>	March	207.62	204.90	210.75
	April	208.93	206.80	211.38
	May	209.83	207.61	212.39
2010	June	210.35	208.21	212.81
2018	July	210.92	208.76	213.41
	August	211.52	209.39	213.97
	September	211.93	209.57	214.64
	October	213.42	210.10	217.25
	November	215.37	212.13	219.09
	December	216.99	213.76	220.70
2019	January	219.27	216.03	222.99
	February	220.88	217.70	224.53

Note: 2009 = 100Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

						CONSUN	IER PRICE INI	DEX BY DIV	ISION					
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
Weigh	t:	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
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	12751	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	193.06	182.42	206.68	218.07	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
	March	207.62	204.90	186.48	215.72	228.94	206.67	188.94	222.32	128.42	194.25	212.75	174.73	192.57
	April	208.93	206.80	187.40	216.52	229.01	208.00	189.87	222.84	128.42	196.20	212.81	175.53	193.16
	May	209.83	207.61	188.47	217.10	229.52	208.80	190.72	226.78	129.57	195.42	212.92	176.16	193.84
	June	210.35	208.21	189.23	218.40	230.16	209.25	191.04	226.33	129.57	193.17	212.92	176.76	194.35
	July	210.92	208.76	189.13	219.08	230.82	209.93	191.50	227.08	130.37	193.55	212.92	177.13	194.97
	August	211.52	209.39	190.01	219.75	231.41	210.54	192.14	227.39	130.45	195.07	212.91	177.82	195.45
	September	211.93	209.57	190.59	220.29	232.02	211.37	192.71	229.06	130.47	195.13	212.98	178.11	195.76
	October	213.42	210.10	191.60	221.15	234.52	211.85	193.70	241.75	130.56	196.42	213.02	179.44	196.42
	November	215.37	212.13	193.50	222.35	236.97	213.10	194.91	244.89	130.63	197.06	213.02	180.15	199.32
	December	216.99	213.76	195.18	224.24	237.74	214.65	196.12	247.74	130.65	200.12	214.94	182.31	200.95
2019	January	219.27	216.03	195.98	226.41	239.06	215.97	196.58	251.30	130.65	202.00	225.69	183.11	202.82
	February	220.87	217.70	196.74	228.10	240.81	217.72	197.46	254.02	130.65	202.62	225.70	183.61	203.72

	CONSUMER PRICE INDICES	S AND ANNUAL INFLATION	
Year	Month	Annual CPI	Annual Inflation Rate
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 2013	August September	132.87 133.41	7.1
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 2015	January February	146.76 147.13	7.7
2015	March	147.13	7.4
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
2016	August	184.07	19.6
2016 2016	September October	184.22 185.16	18.9 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
2018	March	207.62	7.1
2018	April	208.93	7.4
2018	May	209.03	7.8
2018	June	210.35	7.4
2018	July	210.92	7.8
2018	August	211.52	8.1
2018	September	211.93	7.9
2018	October	213.42	8.3
2018	November	215.37	7.8
2018 2019	December	216.99 219.27	7.9
2019	January February	220.87	7.9
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2009=100 Source: CSO, Prices Statistics, 2019

			CON	ISUMER PR	RICE INDEX	BY PROV	INCE			
	Zambia	Central	Copperbelt	Eastern	Luapula	Lusaka	Northern	North- western	Southern	Western
WEIGHT	1,000.00	107.19	219.68	88.98	50.60	283.89	65.72	32.33	109.19	42.42
Feb-16	180.81	175.89	173.93	189.70	184.30	181.74	184.22	192.61	185.65	172.99
Mar-16	181.68	176.29	175.39	190.27	184.86	182.05	185.69	192.91	186.62	176.04
Apr-16	182.24	176.84	177.04	190.42	185.74	181.55	185.76	192.32	187.42	179.64
May-16	182.68	177.72	176.81	191.36	184.77	183.26	183.48	193.86	187.49	178.78
Jun-16	183.31	177.88	177.02	191.24	184.40	184.75	184.94	193.49	188.20	179.07
Jul-16	183.43	177.67	177.15	191.25	184.20	184.60	185.95	193.88	188.99	179.19
Aug-16	184.07	178.38	178.11	191.33	185.78	185.10	185.98	194.85	189.49	180.09
Sep-16	184.22	179.54	178.18	191.48	186.55	184.83	184.03	194.83	190.53	181.07
Oct-16	185.16	180.20	179.10	192.16	186.98	185.34	185.01	198.01	192.81	181.78
Nov-16	188.00	183.22	182.24	196.36	190.45	188.26	187.21	200.15	194.67	182.57
Dec-16	189.64	183.98	184.31	198.57	191.64	189.93	191.37	200.93	194.98	183.63
Jan-17	191.28	185.89	187.29	200.34	193.12	190.21	191.68	203.84	197.29	185.71
Feb-17	193.12	188.28	188.80	202.11	193.71	192.28	194.07	205.78	198.77	188.18
Mar-17	193.78	189.53	189.57	202.58	193.86	192.79	195.08	207.13	199.18	188.34
Apr-17	194.48	189.91	190.34	202.93	194.28	194.18	194.58	207.83	199.66	188.37
May-17	194.62	190.21	190.31	202.87	194.78	194.11	194.91	208.93	200.17	188.41
Jun-17	195.82	190.72	191.30	203.63	195.53	196.04	195.60	208.68	202.45	188.22
Jul-17	195.60	190.37	190.85	204.89	194.47	195.89	195.01	207.09	200.78	192.12
Aug-17	195.75	191.31	190.94	205.90	193.93	195.62	195.07	208.90	199.97	193.70
Sep-17	196.33	193.57	191.75	209.53	192.68	195.42	191.26	213.02	199.90	195.85
Oct-17	197.10	192.94	191.84	210.36	193.53	196.82	195.63	212.50	200.51	195.00
Nov-17	199.84	197.49	192.80	212.66	197.18	199.43	196.45	218.78	204.24	200.81
Dec-17	201.18	197.63	193.15	214.21	197.06	202.61	198.58	220.10	204.92	199.78
Jan-18	203.15	198.03	194.64	216.51	198.88	204.45	205.05	222.44	206.95	201.05
Feb-18	204.91	199.64	196.04	218.74	199.66	206.11	208.58	224.37	208.07	204.63
Mar-18	207.62	202.91	198.99	222.06	200.64	209.67	209.61	225.57	209.97	205.83
Apr-18	208.93	205.07	200.73	224.29	202.35	210.20	210.49	227.14	211.12	206.36
May-18	209.83	206.01	201.77	224.95	204.01	211.23	211.38	225.82	212.08	206.71
Jun-18	210.35	206.51	202.49	225.14	204.45	211.55	212.42	226.94	212.69	206.93
Jul-18	210.92	207.09	202.51	225.02	204.56	212.55	213.56	227.20	213.90	207.25
Aug-18	211.52	207.47	202.98	226.03	205.48	213.00	214.39	227.58	214.54	208.35
Sep - 18	211.93	207.72	203.15	226.70	205.74	213.49	214.66	228.06	214.95	209.70
Oct - 18	213.42	209.44	204.87	228.20	206.79	215.09	215.69	229.79	215.36	212.54
Nov-18	215.37	210.35	206.56	230.85	208.89	217.60	217.64	232.16	217.00	213.35
Dec-18	216.99	212.26	207.84	232.82	209.78	219.35	219.10	232.71	219.29	214.66
Jan-19	219.27	213.60	210.62	235.23	211.81	221.69	221.31	234.61	221.07	218.05
Feb-19	220.87	214.93	213.42	236.47	214.85	222.83	221.63	235.83	221.72	221.11

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TRADITIONAL AND NON-TRADITIONAL EXPORTS (K' MILLION), JANUARY 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

PERIOD	TE's	NTE's	TOTAL EXPORTS (fob)
Jan-18®	6 526.5	1 481.3	8 007.8
Feb-18®	6 219.3	1 571.2	7 790.5
Mar-18®	5 708.5	1 461.6	7 170.1
Quarter 1	18 454.3	4 514.1	22 968.4
Apr-18®	5 091.0	1 469.0	6 559.9
May-18®	5 396.9	1 788.0	7 184.9
Jun-18®	6 633.0	1 830.3	8 463.4
Quarter 2	17 120.9	5 087.3	22 208.2
Jul-18®	6 049.9	1 962.6	8 012.5
Aug-18®	5 936.1	2 522.8	8 458.9
Sep-18®	5 624.6	1 868.0	7 492.6
Quarter 3	17 610.6	6 353.4	23 964.0
Oct-18®	5 799.3	2 523.9	8 323.2
Nov-18®	5 654.8	2 452.7	8 107.5
Dec-18®	6 635.6	2 280.0	8 915.6
Quarter 4	18 089.8	7 256.6	25 346.4
Total:	71 275.5	23 211.4	94 486.9
Jan-19*	6 609.9	1 763.7	8 373.6

TOTAL EXPORTS BY SELECTED REGIONAL GROUPINGS (K' MILLION), JANUARY 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

PERIOD	ASIA	COMESA	EU	SADC
Jan-18®	2,352.0	822.2	348.0	1,087.3
Feb-18®	2,183.8	789.0	160.4	1,508.9
Mar-18®	1,655.7	881.8	166.2	1,726.1
Quarter 1	6,191.5	2,493.0	674.7	4,322.2
Apr-18®	1,394.2	889.6	272.2	1,109.2
May-18®	2,153.3	1,055.6	265.6	1,440.8
Jun-18®	2,485.8	1,067.2	186.4	1,413.1
Quarter 2	6,033.2	3,012.4	724.2	3,963.1
Jul-18®	2,774.2	1,153.0	656.9	1,487.2
Aug-18®	2,471.0	1,250.4	861.5	1,585.4
Sep-18®	2,184.2	1,061.2	609.1	1,346.0
Quarter 3	7,429.4	3,464.5	2,127.5	4,418.6
Oct-18®	2,548.4	1,262.1	510.7	1,715.0
Nov-18®	2,238.8	1,321.6	339.9	1,932.2
Dec-18®	2,844.6	1,057.5	636.4	1,473.4
Quarter 4	7,631.8	3,641.2	1,487.0	5,120.6
Total:	27,285.9	12,611.2	5,013.3	17,824.5
Jan-19*	2,979.9	1,059.5	527.4	1,246.6

TOTAL EXPORTS BY PRODUCT CATEGORY (K' MILLION), JANUARY 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

PERIOD	Consumer Goods	Raw Materials	Intermediate Goods	Capital Goods	Total Exports (fob)
Jan-18®	529.5	247.2	7,078.8	152.2	8,007.8
Feb-18®	586.9	291.7	6,729.3	182.7	7,790.5
Mar-18®	531.3	225.4	6,194.1	219.4	7,170.1
Quarter 1	1,647.7	764.3	20,002.2	554.3	22,968.4
Apr-18®	516.0	194.8	5,668.4	180.7	6,559.9
May-18®	659.2	257.9	6,094.7	173.1	7,184.9
Jun-18®	616.7	286.2	7,348.8	211.7	8,463.4
Quarter 2	1,791.8	738.9	19,111.9	565.6	22,208.2
Jul-18®	729.0	353.2	6,737.4	192.9	8,012.5
Aug-18®	1,026.3	349.7	6,841.9	241.0	8,458.9
Sep-18®	658.3	236.7	6,443.1	154.5	7,492.6
Quarter 3	2,413.6	939.6	20,022.4	588.4	23,964.0
Oct-18®	1,002.0	384.8	6,717.1	219.3	8,323.2
Nov-18®	794.5	361.0	6,683.7	268.3	8,107.5
Dec-18®	827.7	297.8	7,563.7	226.4	8,915.6
Quarter 4	2,624.2	1,043.6	20,964.5	714.0	25,346.4
Total:	8,477.3	3,486.3	80,101.0	2,422.3	94,486.9
Jan-19*	621.1	208.5	7,317.0	209.2	8,355.9

TOTAL EXPORTS BY MODE OF TRANSPORT (K' MILLION AND TONNES), JANUARY 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

	Road Tra	ansport	Rail Trar	sport	Air Tra	nsport	0	ther	Total Exp	Total Exports (fob)	
Period	Value (K' Million)	Tonnes	Value (K' Million)	Tonnes	Value (K' Million)	Tonnes	Value (K' Million)	Tonnes	Value (K 'Million)	Tonnes	
Jan-18®	6,089.7	312,147.3	6.7	3,714.5	277.2	419.5	1,634.3	108,733.9	8,007.8	425,015.2	
Feb-18®	4,955.3	275,623.4	145.6	3,942.8	332.9	303.2	2,356.7	115,237.0	7,790.5	395,106.5	
Mar-18®	4,888.4	283,916.6	9.7	2,816.1	234.4	595.2	2,037.5	126,120.1	7,170.1	413,448.0	
Quarter 1	15,933.4	871,687.4	162.0	10,473.4	844.5	1,317.8	6,028.5	350,091.0	22,968.4	1,233,569.6	
Apr-18®	4,757.6	287,204.4	11.9	3,110.3	290.6	405.5	1,499.8	113,611.8	6,559.9	404,332.0	
May-18®	5,431.4	320,625.1	237.8	4,224.5	441.9	541.1	1,073.8	121,633.9	7,184.9	447,024.6	
Jun-18®	6,585.4	353,551.9	67.3	2,357.2	287.1	693.0	1,523.5	123,726.8	8,463.4	480,328.9	
Quarter 2	16,774.4	961,381.4	316.9	9,692.0	1,019.7	1,639.6	4,097.2	358,972.6	22,208.2	1,331,685.6	
Jul-18®	6,188.1	371,547.1	396.8	7,074.3	260.1	376.1	1,167.6	151,948.7	8,012.5	530,946.2	
Aug-18®	6,258.1	378,784.1	206.6	4,294.4	566.8	403.5	1,427.4	169,285.6	8,458.9	552,767.6	
Sep-18®	5,889.4	351,310.6	133.0	4,960.0	140.8	381.1	1,329.5	161,799.1	7,492.6	518,450.9	
Quarter 3	18,335.6	1,101,641.8	736.3	16,328.7	967.7	1,160.7	3,924.5	483,033.4	23,964.0	1,602,164.6	
Oct-18®	6,089.2	378,985.9	483.5	8,950.3	613.4	344.7	1,137.2	141,819.7	8,323.2	530,100.5	
Nov-18®	5,829.4	377,503.4	716.9	13,412.0	514.3	335.9	1,047.0	114,309.8	8,107.5	505,561.3	
Dec-18®	6,282.7	333,535.0	470.7	9,365.5	725.3	341.1	1,436.9	127,561.8	8,915.6	470,803.3	
Quarter 4	18,201.2	1,090,024.3	1,671.0	31,727.8	1,853.0	1,021.7	3,621.1	383,691.3	25,346.4	1,506,465.1	
Total:	69,244.6	4,024,735.0	2,886.2	68,221.9	4,684.9	5,139.8	17,671.2	1,575,788.2	94,486.9	5,673,885.0	
Jan-19*	6,172.5	326,695.2	528.7	9,267.2	273.8	493.0	1,398.5	114,872.9	8,373.6	451,328.4	

IMPORTS BY REGIONAL GROUPINGS (K' MILLION), JANUARY 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

Period	ASIA	COMESA	EU	SADC
Jan-18®	3,488.8	1,531.8	536.3	3,689.1
Feb-18®	2,487.5	1,508.8	539.9	3,921.8
Mar-18®	2,473.0	1,262.8	591.8	3,709.6
Quarter 1	8,449.3	4,303.4	1,668.1	11,320.5
Apr-18®	2,566.9	1,696.2	588.6	4,094.1
May-18®	2,296.9	1,596.4	617.4	4,178.8
Jun-18®	2,966.5	1,615.4	599.5	4,276.6
Quarter 2	7,830.2	4,907.9	1,805.5	12,549.4
Jul-18®	2,617.5	1,269.6	624.6	3,710.7
Aug-18®	3,039.1	1,584.2	632.5	4,579.5
Sep-18®	2,868.1	1,500.6	529.3	4,061.3
Quarter 3	8,524.8	4,354.5	1,786.4	12,351.5
Oct-18®	3,400.8	1,874.5	729.6	5,110.5
Nov-18®	3,251.5	1,607.1	741.3	5,232.0
Dec-18®	3,696.1	1,543.7	786.9	4,540.8
Quarter 4	10,348.3	5,025.3	2,257.8	14,883.2
Total:	35,152.7	18,591.2	7,517.8	51,104.6
Jan-19*	3,960.2	335.9	707.6	2,404.1

IMPORT TRADE BY PRODUCT CATEGORY (K MILLION), JANUARY 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

Period	Consumer Goods	Raw Materials	Intermediate Goods	Capital Goods	Imports (cif)
Jan-18®	2,749.7	1,252.6	1,285.8	2,994.2	8,282.3
Feb-18®	2,122.6	1,397.8	1,415.1	2,328.8	7,264.3
Mar-18®	1,876.1	1,158.8	1,462.6	2,692.7	7,190.2
Quarter 1	6,748.5	3,809.2	4,163.5	8,015.6	22,736.7
Apr-18®	1,920.5	1,336.8	1,558.1	2,850.1	7,665.4
May-18®	1,904.1	1,513.9	1,404.2	2,685.5	7,507.8
Jun-18®	2,320.9	1,298.4	1,375.3	3,347.7	8,342.2
Quarter 2	6,145.5	4,149.1	4,337.6	8,883.3	23,515.5
Jul-18®	2,194.5	1,158.6	1,292.7	2,673.7	7,319.5
Aug-18®	2,117.2	1,393.1	1,446.6	3,733.2	8,690.0
Sep-18®	2,162.5	1,390.0	1,486.4	2,983.0	8,021.8
Quarter 3	6,474.2	3,941.7	4,225.7	9,389.8	24,031.4
Oct-18®	2,802.2	1,820.8	1,845.4	3,278.2	9,746.6
Nov-18®	2,834.7	1,535.5	1,785.2	3,607.5	9,762.8
Dec-18®	2,336.2	1,543.3	1,661.3	3,918.7	9,459.4
Quarter 4	7,973.2	4,899.5	5,291.8	10,804.4	28,968.9
Total:	27,341.3	16,799.4	18,018.6	37,093.1	99,252.4
Jan-19*	2,598.9	327.0	1,526.5	2,969.7	7,422.1

IMPORTS BY MODE OF TRANSPORT (K' MILLION AND TONNES), JANUARY 2018 TO JANUARY 2019

5	Road T	ransport	Rail Tra	ınsport	Air Tr	ansport	C	Other	Imports (cif)	
Period	Value (K' Million)	Tonnes	Value (K' Million)	Tonnes	Value (K 'Million)	Tonnes	Value (K' Million)	Tonnes	Value (K 'Million)	Tonnes
Jan-18®	4,333.2	318,828.9	107.9	14,074.9	1,493.4	1,137.6	2,347.8	254,614.6	8,282.3	588,656.0
Feb-18®	4,560.2	305,576.4	109.3	20,181.5	392.2	833.4	2,202.5	230,247.3	7,264.3	556,838.5
Mar-18®	4,223.9	279,646.2	103.7	15,576.3	523.4	924.0	2,339.1	178,556.3	7,190.2	474,702.8
Quarter 1	13,117.3	904,051.4	320.8	49,832.7	2,409.1	2,895.0	6,889.5	663,418.2	22,736.7	1,620,197.3
Apr-18®	4,518.1	284,362.3	90.3	20,644.3	1,012.6	1,029.6	2,044.4	168,672.8	7,665.4	474,708.9
May-18®	4,560.6	327,847.7	173.1	19,282.5	643.2	1,190.4	2,130.8	155,176.1	7,507.8	503,496.6
Jun-18®	4,822.2	286,452.0	64.8	20,460.2	569.9	906.4	2,885.3	183,041.2	8,342.2	490,859.8
Quarter 2	13,900.9	898,662.0	328.2	60,387.0	2,225.7	3,126.3	7,060.6	506,890.0	23,515.5	1,469,065.3
Jul-18®	4,148.5	277,428.7	99.8	29,765.6	566.0	1,094.4	2,505.2	180,120.9	7,319.5	488,409.7
Aug-18®	5,144.6	292,248.2	79.1	21,983.0	729.4	1,093.6	2,736.9	200,073.8	8,690.0	515,398.7
Sep-18®	4,657.8	305,190.2	50.4	17,239.0	481.8	803.9	2,831.8	191,668.9	8,021.8	514,902.0
Quarter 3	13,951.0	874,867.1	229.3	68,987.7	1,777.1	2,992.0	8,073.9	571,863.6	24,031.4	1,518,710.4
Oct-18®	5,773.5	330,586.5	126.6	26,653.3	738.6	1,230.3	3,107.9	181,348.1	9,746.6	539,818.2
Nov-18®	5,953.2	344,468.9	199.3	39,980.9	747.2	1,132.4	2,863.2	139,771.8	9,762.8	525,354.0
Dec-18®	5,693.8	301,973.3	120.9	19,108.4	1,103.1	1,127.9	2,541.7	141,098.3	9,459.4	463,308.0
Quarter 4	17,420.4	977,028.7	446.8	85,742.6	2,588.8	3,490.7	8,512.8	462,218.3	28,968.9	1,528,480.2
Total:	58,389.7	3,654,609.2	1,325.2	264,950.0	9,000.7	12,504.0	30,536.8	2,204,390.1	99,252.4	6,136,453.3
Jan-19*	3,386.9	224,214.0	144.3	26,505.3	836.3	2,568.1	3,068.1	198,169.5	7,435.6	451,456.9

ZAMBIA'S TRADE FLOWS IN ABSOLUTE US \$ AND ZAMBIA KWACHA (ZMW), 2000 TO JANUARY 2019

Flow Year	Currency	Total Exports	Domestic Exports	Re-Exports	Imports	- Trade Balance
FIOW feat	Currency	(fob)	(fob)	(fob)	(cif)	Trade Balance
2000	ZMW	2,716,557,648	2,680,166,733	36,390,915	2,751,563,200	-35,005,551
2000	US\$	869,485,416	857,837,819	11,647,597	871,386,492	-1,901,076
2001	ZMW	3,537,206,913	3,523,388,831	13,818,083	3,900,496,869	-363,289,956
2001	US\$	978,788,277	974,964,645	3,823,632	1,079,955,769	-101,167,492
2002	ZMW	4,069,916,925	4,045,881,105	24,035,820	4,732,881,915	-662,964,990
2002	US\$	944,356,533	938,779,421	5,577,112	1,103,070,912	-158,714,379
2003	ZMW	4,642,039,643	4,614,120,921	27,918,722	7,439,867,257	-2,797,827,613
2003	US\$	979,298,782	973,408,964	5,889,818	1,573,309,968	-594,011,186
2004	ZMW	7,526,280,116	7,460,407,702	65,872,413	10,279,302,826	-2,753,022,711
2004	US\$	1,577,240,766	1,563,436,250	13,804,516	2,150,649,040	-573,408,274
2005	ZMW	9,612,909,461	9,564,984,513	47,924,948	11,466,668,653	-1,853,759,192
2003	US\$	2,176,641,598	2,165,790,000	10,851,599	2,579,688,391	-403,046,793
2006	ZMW	13,410,945,234	13,388,136,276	22,808,958	11,049,770,813	2,361,174,421
2000	US\$	3,681,524,702	3,675,263,268	6,261,434	3,023,996,472	657,528,230
2007	ZMW	18,399,133,746	18,301,278,319	97,855,427	15,945,289,848	2,453,843,898
2007	US\$	4,617,454,325	4,592,896,486	24,557,839	4,006,980,387	610,473,937
2008	ZMW	18,653,009,287	17,951,197,614	701,811,673	18,476,489,240	176,520,047
2000	US\$	5,098,688,004	4,906,852,001	191,836,004	5,060,482,666	38,205,339
2009	ZMW	21,364,760,204	20,312,466,565	1,052,293,640	18,941,137,479	2,423,622,726
2007	US\$	4,312,054,540	4,099,669,869	212,384,671	3,792,642,675	519,411,865
2010	ZMW	34,500,051,458	32,876,095,550	1,623,955,908	25,507,487,313	8,992,564,145
2010	US\$	7,200,951,149	6,861,994,346	338,956,803	5,321,002,628	1,879,948,521
2011	ZMW	42,915,038,551	37,914,339,432	5,000,699,119	35,440,939,196	7,474,099,356
2011	US\$	8,829,248,544	7,800,415,368	1,028,833,176	7,279,139,877	1,550,108,667
2012	ZMW	48,206,165,818	44,580,859,222	3,625,306,596	45,275,938,876	2,930,226,942
2012	US\$	9,639,652,576	8,914,485,088	725,167,489	8,806,150,488	833,502,088
2013	ZMW	57,175,978,211	50,496,013,867	6,679,964,344	56,882,888,672	293,089,539
2013	US\$	10,606,851,477	9,365,214,643	1,241,636,834	10,572,221,325	34,630,152
2014	ZMW	59,613,355,205	49,682,504,161	9,930,851,044	61,088,395,226	-1,475,040,020
2014	US\$	9,686,603,319	8,076,837,880	1,609,765,438	9,794,148,052	-107,544,734
2015	ZMW	56,672,891,785	55,394,919,541	1,277,972,244	68,482,498,162	-11,809,606,377
2013	US\$	6,606,512,647	6,460,532,542	145,980,105	7,935,273,691	-1,328,761,044
2016	ZMW	65,751,570,990	64,083,696,137	1,667,874,852	75,120,173,783	-9,368,602,793
2010	US\$	6,372,386,799	6,211,948,872	160,437,927	7,287,623,723	-915,236,924
2017	ZMW	76,491,831,686	75,297,357,396	1,194,474,289	76,136,130,710	355,700,976
2017	US\$	8,006,789,533	7,881,617,737	125,171,796	7,983,284,378	23,505,155
2018	ZMW	94,486,929,861	92,539,503,828	1,947,426,033	99,252,416,673	-4,765,486,812
2010	US\$	9,052,164,783	8,866,553,139	185,611,645	9,461,739,100	-409,574,317
2019-JAN	ZMW	8,373,569,929	8,161,027,535	212,542,394	7,435,588,676	937,981,253
	US\$	701,891,990	684,076,176	17,815,814	623,268,122	78,623,868

ZAMBIA'S ANNUAL EXPORTS BY TOP 25 TRADING PARTNERS IN MILLION ZMW/USD, 2014 TO 2018

Year	20	14	20	15	20	16	20	17	20	18
Country	ZMW(FOB)	USD(FOB)								
SWITZERLAND	26,636	4,320	24,262	2,783	25,587	2,486	33,912	3,543	39,717	3,809
CHINA	11,012	1,794	8,217	993	12,466	1,209	12,687	1,330	13,642	1,308
CONGO DR	4,923	803	4,467	526	4,348	429	5,149	544	9,081	864
SINGAPORE	2,288	371	4,522	550	3,782	370	4,730	495	7,496	700
SOUTH AFRICA	4,148	677	4,183	500	3,909	365	3,715	393	4,549	439
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	1,421	235	539	58	3,569	351	2,824	294	2,422	237
UNITED KINGDOM	602	99	662	66	2,550	240	1,770	185	3,709	353
ZIMBABWE	1,203	195	2,373	268	2,349	227	1,277	134	1,434	137
HONG KONG	219	35	864	104	1,028	101	1,375	146	1,446	142
MALAWI	909	146	927	108	1,252	123	942	100	885	85
INDIA	219	36	243	23	714	71	1,698	176	1,962	186
AUSTRALIA	2,147	348	1,793	210	7	1	9	1	74	7
TANZANIA	328	53	427	46	926	86	855	90	918	85
KENYA	349	57	351	40	402	39	688	73	625	60
JAPAN	489	80	677	82	526	51	315	33	262	26
LUXEMBOURG	294	50	50	6	147	15	499	52	838	77
NAMIBIA	319	51	292	35	244	25	241	26	360	35
BOTSWANA	269	43	264	30	230	22	292	30	329	31
GERMANY	203	33	193	24	349	32	92	10	188	18
MOZAMBIQUE	299	47	167	20	207	20	169	18	130	12
RWANDA	35	6	35	4	274	27	321	34	206	19
BURUNDI	37	6	37	4	119	12	232	24	214	20
NETHERLANDS	57	9	76	9	138	13	100	10	62	6
MAURITIUS	222	35	72	9	79	8	10	1	24	2
BELGIUM	212	34	19	2	66	6	49	5	58	6
Rest of the World	774	124	961	105	483	46	2,541	261	3,856	389
Total Exports	59,613	9,687	56,673	6,607	65,752	6,372	76,492	8,007	94,487	9,052

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

ZAMBIA'S ANNUAL IMPORTS BY TOP 25 TRADING PARTNERS IN MILLION ZMW/USD, 2014 TO 2018

Year	20	14	20	15	20	16	20	17	20	18
Country	ZMW(CIF)	USD(CIF)								
SOUTH AFRICA	19,036	3,094	22,385	2,613	24,832	2,419	23,427	2,457	28,648	2,727
CONGO DR	11,415	1,720	3,872	416	7,524	738	9,666	1,012	14,557	1,394
CHINA	5,277	860	5,672	694	6,188	600	10,694	1,121	13,607	1,291
KUWAIT	1,382	221	3,660	396	5,688	551	4,420	467	4,560	440
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	1,666	271	1,477	176	3,276	317	4,532	468	6,333	596
INDIA	2,499	407	3,200	366	3,252	317	2,348	246	4,631	443
MAURITIUS	797	128	4,963	479	3,666	344	2,087	217	2,141	206
KENYA	4,762	778	3,095	414	540	51	340	36	528	50
UNITED KINGDOM	1,504	245	2,043	229	1,276	124	1,348	142	1,945	185
JAPAN	1,329	217	1,115	136	1,270	122	1,228	129	1,772	169
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	1,058	172	1,272	139	1,170	113	1,031	108	2,043	195
MOZAMBIQUE	254	41	916	99	1,914	177	1,692	181	1,436	136
TANZANIA	564	92	469	56	1,657	163	1,559	165	1,913	181
NAMIBIA	405	65	926	103	967	94	1,213	126	1,085	104
GERMANY	744	121	593	71	622	60	662	70	1,143	107
ZIMBABWE	631	102	781	90	780	76	709	74	782	74
SINGAPORE	901	146	1,249	149	514	49	273	29	355	33
SWEDEN	421	69	531	63	653	63	503	54	933	90
AUSTRALIA	817	132	471	53	468	45	497	52	524	51
HONG KONG	372	60	739	84	405	39	471	49	766	73
NETHERLANDS	490	80	577	63	498	48	557	59	527	50
BELGIUM	500	80	301	36	639	63	549	58	460	44
SWITZERLAND	250	41	744	87	403	40	436	45	531	51
FINLAND	189	31	379	44	749	74	379	40	578	56
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF (SOUTH)	342	56	420	49	354	34	374	39	479	46
Rest of the World	3,483	567	6,635	830	5,815	566	5,142	538	6,976	672
Total Imports	61,088	9,794	68,482	7,935	75,120	7,288	76,136	7,983	99,252	9,462

Source: CSO, International Trade Statistics, 2019

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