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Foreword



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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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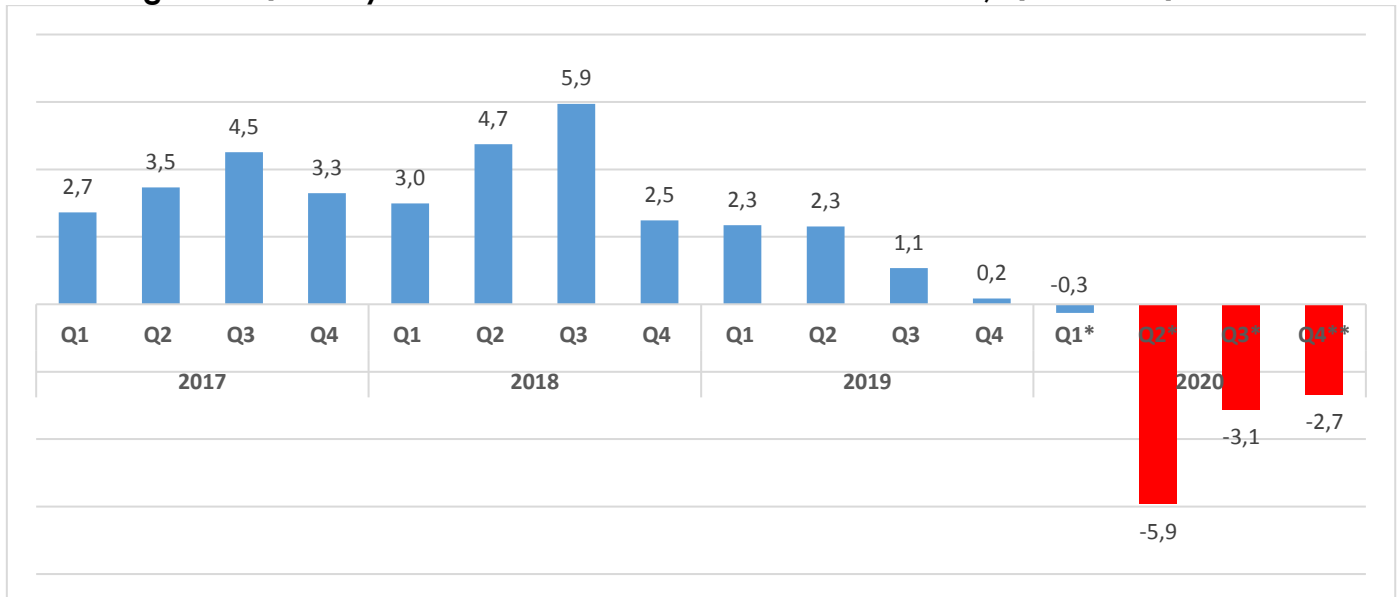
PRELIMINARY ANNUAL AND QUARTERLY GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT ESTIMATES

FOURTH QUARTER 2020 INDUSTRY VALUE ADDED AT CONSTANT 2010 PRICES

Gross Domestic Product (GDP) estimates for the fourth quarter of 2020 show that the economy contracted by 2.7 percent from a 0.2 percent growth in fourth quarter four of 2019. However, this was an improvement

compared to second and third quarter growth rates of minus 5.9 percent and minus 3.1 percent. The estimates are based on the year-on-year comparison of GDP at constant 2010 prices (see Figure 1).

Figure 1: Quarterly GDP Growth Rates at Constant 2010 Prices, Q1 2017 – Q4** 2020



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Source: ZamStats, National Accounts

Industry Contribution to the 2.7 % contraction in Q4 2020

The contraction in growth was mainly attributed to the underperformance of five industries which posted negative contributions to overall growth. These were Wholesale & retail trade (-2.4%), Education (-1.7%), Public administration (-1.1%), Accommodation and food (-0.6%) and Arts, entertainment & recreation (-0.2%).

Despite this negative growth, Information & communication, Mining & quarrying, Financial & insurance and Agriculture, forestry & fishing had positive contributions with 0.9, 0.7, 0.6 and 0.5 percentage points, respectively (see Table 1).

Table 1: Gross Value-Added Percentage Growth Rates and Contribution to Growth, Q4 2020**

| Industry | 2019 Growth rates | | | | 2020 Growth rates | | | | % Contribution to Growth |
|---|-------------------|------|-------|-------|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|--------------------------|
| | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1* | Q2* | Q3* | Q4** | |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 10.1 | -5.1 | -5.6 | 61.9 | 24.6 | 22.9 | 16.7 | 6.9 | 0.5 |
| Mining and quarrying | 3.3 | -8.4 | -9.9 | -4.8 | -2.0 | 14.2 | 13.5 | 7.0 | 0.7 |
| Manufacturing | 1.4 | 4.6 | 2.8 | 0.6 | 0.3 | -4.6 | 0.2 | -1.3 | -0.1 |
| Electricity | 5.7 | -6.1 | -12.7 | -17.5 | -9.0 | -0.1 | 6.9 | 16.2 | 0.2 |
| Water supply | 10.3 | 4.2 | 2.5 | -0.3 | -0.9 | -0.9 | 4.0 | 6.4 | 0.0 |
| Construction | -5.6 | -1.6 | -3.7 | -9.1 | -5.6 | -14.8 | -2.8 | 2.4 | 0.2 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 4.4 | 4.6 | 3.8 | -9.6 | -9.6 | -18.3 | -10.7 | -11.8 | -2.4 |
| Transportation and storage | -1.7 | 2.8 | 5.5 | -16.6 | 6.7 | 18.9 | 12.4 | 18.0 | 0.5 |
| Accommodation and food | -1.5 | 0.9 | -0.9 | 9.7 | 3.1 | -30.3 | -31.9 | -28.3 | -0.6 |
| Information and communication | 30.1 | 25.0 | 7.0 | 20.1 | 4.5 | 17.0 | 17.7 | 13.7 | 0.9 |
| Financial and insurance activities | 12.4 | 1.5 | 8.3 | 11.0 | 8.9 | 17.5 | 11.4 | 14.5 | 0.6 |
| Real estate activities | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 0.1 |
| Professional, scientific and technical | 0.5 | -2.7 | -4.2 | 2.9 | 3.8 | 7.6 | 8.5 | 5.5 | 0.1 |
| Administrative and support service | 2.6 | 0.9 | -1.1 | -1.2 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 4.7 | 2.8 | 0.0 |
| Public administration and defense | 10.6 | 11.0 | 9.9 | 2.3 | 0.2 | -19.7 | -22.5 | -21.4 | -1.1 |
| Education | 1.2 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 1.1 | -33.1 | -23.1 | -22.1 | -1.7 |
| Human health | 10.2 | 8.4 | 6.3 | 8.3 | 7.3 | 8.8 | 8.5 | 5.1 | 0.1 |
| Arts, entertainment and recreation | 5.4 | 15.6 | 7.2 | -14.0 | -24.7 | -84.2 | -83.2 | -60.1 | -0.2 |
| Other service activities | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 0.0 |
| Total Gross Value Added for the economy | 2.2 | 2.2 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.3 | -5.2 | -2.6 | -2.1 | -2.0 |
| Taxes less subsidies | 4.4 | 4.6 | 3.8 | -9.6 | -9.6 | -18.3 | -10.7 | -11.8 | -0.6 |
| Total for the economy, at market prices | 2.3 | 2.3 | 1.1 | 0.2 | -0.3 | -5.9 | -3.1 | -2.7 | -2.7 |

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Industry Growth rates in the fourth quarter of 2020

At industry level, that the highest growth rates in the fourth quarter were recorded in the Transport (18.0 percent), Electricity (16.2 percent), Financial & insurance (14.5 percent), Information & communication (13.7 percent) and Mining (7.0 percent) Industries.

On the other hand, negative growth rates were recorded in the following six industries: The Arts, entertainment & recreation (-60.1 percent), Accommodation & food (-28.3 percent), (Education (-22.1 percent), Public administration (-21.4 percent), Wholesale & retail trade (-11.8 percent), and Manufacturing (-1.3 percent) (see Table 2).

Table 2: Gross Value Added by Industry at Constant 2010 Prices, Q1 2019- Q4 2020 (K' millions)**

| Industry | 2019 | | | | 2020 | | | | Q4 growth rate (%) | % Contribution to Growth |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1* | Q2* | Q3* | Q4* | | |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 2,586.8 | 2,030.1 | 1,323.4 | 2,904.8 | 3,221.9 | 2,495.2 | 1,544.8 | 3,105.1 | 6.9 | 0.5 |
| Mining and quarrying | 3,671.7 | 3,393.3 | 3,460.0 | 3,648.9 | 3,597.6 | 3,874.6 | 3,927.5 | 3,904.0 | 7.0 | 0.7 |
| Manufacturing | 2,645.9 | 3,244.5 | 2,844.0 | 2,817.5 | 2,654.9 | 3,096.3 | 2,849.4 | 2,780.0 | -1.3 | -0.1 |
| Electricity | 584.1 | 580.5 | 574.7 | 518.9 | 531.6 | 579.9 | 614.2 | 602.8 | 16.2 | 0.2 |
| Water supply | 84.0 | 86.8 | 85.2 | 84.2 | 83.2 | 86.0 | 88.6 | 89.6 | 6.4 | 0.0 |
| Construction | 3,334.9 | 3,723.2 | 3,920.3 | 3,441.2 | 3,147.7 | 3,172.0 | 3,809.7 | 3,524.8 | 2.4 | 0.2 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 6,867.7 | 7,102.4 | 8,392.2 | 7,510.6 | 6,211.6 | 5,803.2 | 7,491.7 | 6,621.0 | -11.8 | -2.4 |
| Transportation and storage | 1,229.2 | 1,168.8 | 1,344.9 | 1,096.8 | 1,311.4 | 1,389.9 | 1,512.1 | 1,294.7 | 18.0 | 0.5 |
| Accommodation | 512.0 | 663.8 | 717.3 | 746.6 | 527.8 | 462.4 | 488.7 | 535.4 | -28.3 | -0.6 |
| Information and communication | 1,078.4 | 1,847.5 | 1,991.2 | 2,410.8 | 1,126.5 | 2,162.1 | 2,343.0 | 2,741.8 | 13.7 | 0.9 |
| Financial and insurance activities | 1,474.9 | 1,481.0 | 1,597.9 | 1,409.3 | 1,606.2 | 1,740.4 | 1,780.5 | 1,613.5 | 14.5 | 0.6 |
| Real estate activities | 1,201.9 | 1,212.2 | 1,222.6 | 1,233.2 | 1,244.0 | 1,255.0 | 1,266.1 | 1,277.3 | 3.6 | 0.1 |
| Professional, scientific and technical | 665.0 | 626.2 | 588.3 | 640.9 | 690.1 | 673.6 | 638.1 | 676.2 | 5.5 | 0.1 |

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| Industry | 2019 | | | | 2020 | | | | Q4 growth rate (%) | % Contribution to Growth |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|
| | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1* | Q2* | Q3* | Q4* | | |
| Administrative and support service | 328.2 | 342.5 | 336.6 | 333.4 | 330.3 | 345.9 | 352.3 | 342.6 | 2.8 | 0.0 |
| Public administration and defense | 1,915.2 | 1,924.8 | 1,921.1 | 1,910.4 | 1,918.1 | 1,545.8 | 1,488.9 | 1,501.8 | -21.4 | -1.1 |
| Education | 2,745.7 | 2,763.7 | 2,772.8 | 2,774.6 | 2,776.0 | 1,849.1 | 2,133.4 | 2,162.8 | -22.1 | -1.7 |
| Human health | 582.2 | 585.7 | 599.2 | 623.5 | 624.9 | 637.2 | 650.2 | 655.2 | 5.1 | 0.1 |
| Arts, entertainment and recreation | 71.0 | 159.1 | 231.4 | 119.3 | 53.4 | 25.1 | 38.9 | 47.7 | -60.1 | -0.2 |
| Other service activities | 271.2 | 273.5 | 275.9 | 278.2 | 280.7 | 283.2 | 285.7 | 288.2 | 3.6 | 0.0 |
| Total Gross Value Added for the economy | 31,849.8 | 33,209.5 | 34,199.0 | 34,503.1 | 31,938.1 | 31,476.8 | 33,303.7 | 33,764.3 | -2.1 | -2.0 |
| Taxes less subsidies | 1,825.4 | 1,887.8 | 2,230.6 | 1,996.3 | 1,651.0 | 1,542.5 | 1,991.3 | 1,759.8 | -11.8 | -0.6 |
| Total for the economy, at market prices | 33,675.2 | 35,097.3 | 36,429.6 | 36,499.4 | 33,589.2 | 33,019.3 | 35,295.0 | 35,524.1 | -2.7 | -2.7 |

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FOURTH QUARTER 2020 INDUSTRY VALUE ADDED AT CURRENT PRICES

The Gross Domestic Product at current prices in the fourth quarter of 2020 was estimated at K98,793.3 million compared to K 77,582.2 million recorded in the same period of 2019.

Analysis at industry level shows that out of K98,793.3 million, the Mining & quarrying,

Wholesale & Retail Trade, Construction and Manufacturing industries were the main contributors, collectively accounting for 58.7 percent. The Arts, Entertainment & Recreation had the lowest share of GDP with 0.1 percent (see Table 3).

Table 3: Gross Value Added and Percentage Shares by Industry at Current prices 2019 Q1- 2020 Q4**

| Industry | 2019 (K' million) | | | | 2020 (K' million) | | | | Percentage Shares (2020 Q4**) |
|--|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q1* | Q2* | Q3* | Q4** | |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 2,395.9 | 2,079.0 | 1,604.4 | 2,515.9 | 2,168.2 | 2,172.7 | 2,080.8 | 3,262.3 | 3.3 |
| Mining and quarrying | 10,961.9 | 12,189.8 | 10,026.2 | 9,465.3 | 12,722.0 | 15,341.4 | 22,151.5 | 24,031.5 | 24.3 |
| Manufacturing | 4,505.9 | 5,048.7 | 5,706.6 | 5,136.2 | 5,295.9 | 5,626.6 | 7,338.7 | 7,423.2 | 7.5 |
| Electricity | 2,041.1 | 1,944.6 | 1,890.3 | 1,864.9 | 2,540.9 | 2,507.0 | 3,239.0 | 2,547.8 | 2.6 |
| Water supply | 268.0 | 307.4 | 310.3 | 312.9 | 314.0 | 326.8 | 335.8 | 341.7 | 0.3 |
| Construction | 7,207.3 | 7,656.0 | 8,790.7 | 9,348.8 | 7,440.0 | 9,161.7 | 11,121.2 | 11,654.2 | 11.8 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 14,052.0 | 14,516.3 | 16,292.5 | 15,557.9 | 13,410.0 | 13,331.5 | 16,175.5 | 14,915.5 | 15.1 |
| Transportation and storage | 5,558.3 | 6,031.4 | 6,967.2 | 6,498.6 | 5,828.7 | 5,542.0 | 7,054.8 | 5,087.2 | 5.1 |
| Accommodation and food services | 769.9 | 873.5 | 987.7 | 872.3 | 709.6 | 383.3 | 552.6 | 789.1 | 0.8 |
| Information and communication | 1,584.5 | 1,846.4 | 2,074.9 | 2,147.5 | 2,296.0 | 2,509.3 | 2,612.2 | 2,843.8 | 2.9 |
| Financial and insurance | 4,828.8 | 5,227.5 | 5,383.1 | 5,884.8 | 7,167.9 | 7,598.9 | 6,977.5 | 6,970.5 | 7.1 |
| Real estate activities | 3,032.5 | 2,616.8 | 2,767.6 | 2,691.3 | 3,097.7 | 3,234.9 | 3,413.7 | 3,657.6 | 3.7 |
| Professional, scientific and technical | 465.0 | 547.2 | 509.0 | 655.6 | 483.1 | 409.2 | 414.6 | 500.8 | 0.5 |
| Administrative and support service | 336.5 | 367.8 | 323.3 | 302.3 | 267.2 | 284.1 | 262.0 | 365.3 | 0.4 |
| Public administration and defense | 2,791.5 | 3,007.2 | 3,232.0 | 3,748.8 | 3,286.1 | 3,372.6 | 3,376.2 | 4,065.1 | 4.1 |
| Education | 2,838.3 | 2,800.8 | 2,774.0 | 2,734.7 | 2,687.8 | 2,808.3 | 2,751.9 | 2,764.9 | 2.8 |
| Human health | 1,220.3 | 1,302.4 | 1,365.1 | 1,552.7 | 1,432.0 | 1,531.6 | 1,521.3 | 1,570.1 | 1.6 |
| Arts, entertainment and recreation | 118.2 | 267.1 | 401.4 | 215.5 | 98.0 | 48.5 | 75.1 | 91.5 | 0.1 |
| Other service activities | 347.1 | 462.0 | 152.8 | 154.3 | 73.2 | 196.8 | 121.1 | 234.0 | 0.2 |
| Total Gross Value Added for the economy | 65,322.8 | 69,091.8 | 71,559.2 | 71,660.4 | 71,318.3 | 76,387.2 | 91,575.5 | 93,116.1 | 94.3 |
| Taxes less subsidies | 5,244.3 | 5,468.6 | 6,179.9 | 5,921.7 | 5,104.2 | 5,074.3 | 6,156.8 | 5,677.2 | 5.7 |
| Total for the economy, at market prices | 70,567.1 | 74,560.4 | 77,739.1 | 77,582.2 | 76,422.5 | 81,461.6 | 97,732.3 | 98,793.3 | 100.0 |

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PRELIMINARY ANNUAL GDP ESTIMATES FOR 2020

Preliminary annual Gross Domestic Product at constant 2010 prices for the year 2020 show

that economic activities contracted by 3.0 percent compared to a growth of 1.4 percent

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in 2019. The preliminary annual GDP estimates are derived as an average of the sum of the four quarters. The final GDP estimates for the year 2020 will be presented in the September 2021 monthly bulletin in accordance to the National Statistical Release Calendar.

The Agriculture, forestry & fishing industry had the highest positive contribution to GDP at 1.1 percent while the Wholesale & retail trade industry contributed significantly to the economy's contraction at -2.6 percent.

Three (3) of the nineteen (19) industries made positive contribution despite the decline in the annual GDP, most notably were Mining and quarrying (0.8 percent), Information and communication (0.7 percent) and Financial and insurance (0.5 percent). Further negative contributions came from Education (-1.5 percent), Public administration & defense (-0.9 percent), Construction (-0.5 percent) and Accommodation & food (-0.4 percent), Arts, entertainment and recreation (-0.3 percent) and Manufacturing (-0.1 percent) industries (see Table 4).

Table 4: Gross Value Added by Industry at Constant 2010 Prices, 2015-2020 (K'million)

| Industry | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | Annual growth rate (%) | % Contribution to Growth |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 9,149.8 | 9,490.1 | 10,419.0 | 8,212.5 | 8,845.1 | 10,367.1 | 17.2 | 1.1 |
| Mining and quarrying | 12,716.7 | 13,642.8 | 14,052.1 | 14,932.2 | 14,174.0 | 15,303.7 | 8.0 | 0.8 |
| Manufacturing | 10,187.2 | 10,382.5 | 10,837.1 | 11,278.3 | 11,552.0 | 11,380.5 | -1.5 | -0.1 |
| Electricity | 2,059.2 | 1,779.0 | 2,199.7 | 2,458.0 | 2,258.1 | 2,328.5 | 3.1 | 0.0 |
| Water supply | 352.5 | 340.5 | 327.7 | 344.5 | 340.2 | 347.4 | 2.1 | 0.0 |
| Construction | 12,627.5 | 13,917.9 | 14,812.3 | 15,174.9 | 14,419.5 | 13,654.3 | -5.3 | -0.5 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 28,632.0 | 28,610.4 | 28,806.4 | 29,760.0 | 29,872.8 | 26,127.5 | -12.5 | -2.6 |
| Transportation and storage | 4,382.1 | 4,286.8 | 4,620.6 | 4,977.4 | 4,839.6 | 5,508.1 | 13.8 | 0.5 |
| Accommodation | 2,365.9 | 2,395.9 | 2,539.7 | 2,582.3 | 2,639.7 | 2,014.3 | -23.7 | -0.4 |
| Information and communication | 4,325.2 | 5,079.6 | 4,408.6 | 6,176.1 | 7,327.9 | 8,373.3 | 14.3 | 0.7 |
| Financial and insurance activities | 4,854.2 | 4,764.5 | 4,467.2 | 5,517.2 | 5,963.1 | 6,740.6 | 13.0 | 0.5 |
| Real estate activities | 4,295.3 | 4,431.8 | 4,558.6 | 4,707.3 | 4,869.8 | 5,042.4 | 3.5 | 0.1 |
| Professional, scientific and technical | 2,196.3 | 2,337.3 | 2,480.7 | 2,542.4 | 2,520.3 | 2,678.0 | 6.3 | 0.1 |
| Administrative and support service | 1,129.0 | 1,188.8 | 1,260.1 | 1,337.1 | 1,340.6 | 1,371.1 | 2.3 | 0.0 |
| Public administration and defense | 6,179.0 | 6,779.3 | 6,972.5 | 7,082.1 | 7,671.4 | 6,454.7 | -15.9 | -0.9 |
| Education | 9,281.6 | 9,719.2 | 10,371.9 | 10,866.0 | 11,057.0 | 8,921.3 | -19.3 | -1.5 |
| Human health | 1,667.7 | 1,695.1 | 1,989.5 | 2,208.1 | 2,390.6 | 2,567.5 | 7.4 | 0.1 |
| Arts, entertainment and recreation | 516.8 | 519.5 | 498.9 | 559.5 | 580.8 | 165.1 | -71.6 | -0.3 |
| Other service activities | 969.5 | 1,000.3 | 1,028.6 | 1,062.1 | 1,098.8 | 1,137.7 | 3.5 | 0.0 |
| Total Gross Value Added for the economy | 117,887.3 | 122,361.1 | 126,651.3 | 131,778.0 | 133,761.3 | 130,482.9 | -2.5 | -2.3 |
| Taxes less subsidies | 7,116.2 | 7,363.5 | 7,619.3 | 7,910.2 | 7,940.2 | 6,944.7 | -12.5 | -0.7 |
| Total for the economy, at market prices | 125,003.5 | 129,463.7 | 134,270.6 | 139,688.2 | 141,701.5 | 137,427.6 | -3.0 | -3.0 |

Industries with the highest growth rates were Agriculture, forestry & fishing (17.2 percent), Information & communication (14.3 percent) and Transportation (13.8 percent). Notable

contractions were Arts, entertainment & recreation (-71.6 percent) and Accommodation and food (-23.7).

Gross Domestic Product at Current Prices, 2020

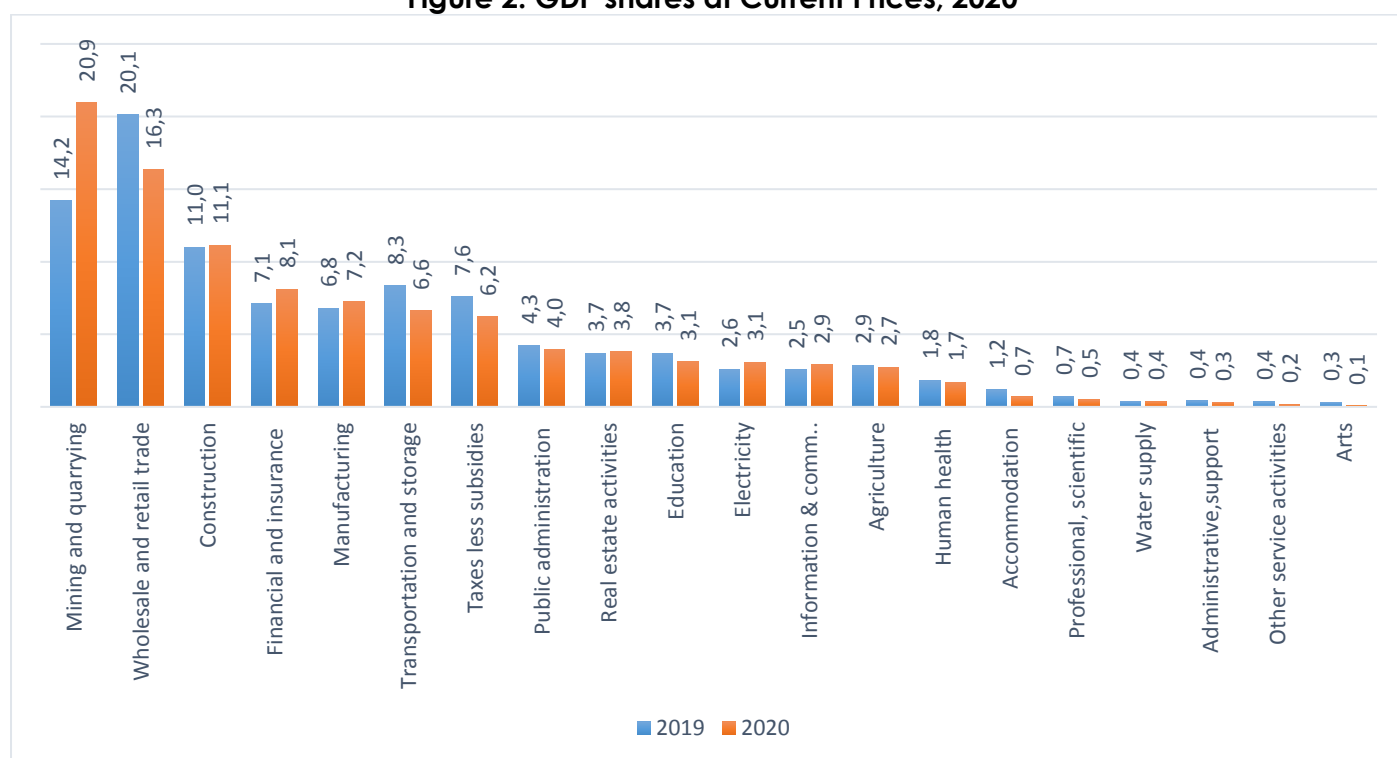
The preliminary GDP at current prices for 2020 was estimated at K354,409.6 million compared to K300,448.7 million in 2019. Of the total K354,409.6 million, the Mining & quarrying, the Wholesale & retail trade, Construction and

Financial & insurance industries were the main contributors collectively accounting for 56.5 percent while the Arts, entertainment & recreation had the lowest share of 0.1 percent (see Table 5 & Figure 2).

Table 5: Gross Domestic Product at Current Prices, 2020 (K'million)

| Industry | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 9,193.9 | 8,595.2 | 9,684.0 | 3.3 | 2.9 | 2.7 |
| Mining and quarrying | 40,942.6 | 42,643.2 | 74,246.4 | 14.9 | 14.2 | 20.9 |
| Manufacturing | 18,843.3 | 20,397.3 | 25,684.5 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 7.2 |
| Electricity | 7,875.9 | 7,740.8 | 10,834.7 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 3.1 |
| Water supply | 911.0 | 1,198.6 | 1,318.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Construction | 26,322.0 | 33,002.8 | 39,377.2 | 9.6 | 11.0 | 11.1 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | 59,298.0 | 60,418.7 | 57,832.5 | 21.5 | 20.1 | 16.3 |
| Transportation and storage | 21,011.6 | 25,055.6 | 23,512.7 | 7.6 | 8.3 | 6.6 |
| Accommodation | 3,353.8 | 3,503.5 | 2,434.6 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 0.7 |
| Information and communication | 5,036.7 | 7,653.2 | 10,261.2 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 2.9 |
| Financial and insurance activities | 5,430.8 | 21,324.1 | 28,714.8 | 5.6 | 7.1 | 8.1 |
| Real estate activities | 9,605.7 | 11,108.2 | 13,403.9 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 3.8 |
| Professional, scientific and technical | 1,933.8 | 2,176.8 | 1,807.8 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.5 |
| Administrative and support service | 1,681.6 | 1,329.9 | 1,178.6 | 0.6 | 0.4 | 0.3 |
| Public administration and defense | 10,133.7 | 12,779.5 | 14,099.9 | 3.7 | 4.3 | 4.0 |
| Education | 13,643.1 | 11,147.8 | 11,012.8 | 5.0 | 3.7 | 3.1 |
| Human health | 4,407.9 | 5,440.5 | 6,055.0 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.7 |
| Arts, entertainment and recreation | 856.7 | 1,002.2 | 313.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| Other service activities | 2,873.8 | 1,116.3 | 625.1 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.2 |
| Total Gross Value Added for the economy | 253,355.9 | 277,634.2 | 332,397.1 | 92.1 | 92.4 | 93.8 |
| Taxes less subsidies | 21,818.6 | 22,814.5 | 22,012.6 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 6.2 |
| Total for the economy, at market prices | 275,174.5 | 300,448.7 | 354,409.6 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Figure 2: GDP shares at Current Prices, 2020



Q2 and Q3 2020 Revisions

GDP Quarter two and three growth rates has been revised downwards from -5.6 percent to -5.9 percent and -2.6 percent to -3.1 percent, respectively. The notable revisions are on the Construction, Transport & storage, Information & communication, Professional and

Administrative industries. Transport and storage has been revised upwards.

Revisions are necessitated by the availability of more comprehensive and complete data (see Table 6).

Table 6: Table GDP Revisions Q2 and Q3 2020

| Industry | First Release | First Release | Revised | Revised |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------|---------|
| | Q2 | Q3 | Q2 | Q3 |
| Agriculture, forestry and fishing | 22.9 | 16.7 | 22.9 | 16.7 |
| Mining and quarrying | 14.2 | 13.5 | 14.2 | 13.5 |
| Manufacturing | -4.6 | 0.2 | -4.6 | 0.2 |
| Electricity | 0.3 | 6.6 | -0.1 | 6.9 |
| Water supply | -0.9 | 4 | -0.9 | 4.0 |
| Construction | -16.8 | -3.2 | -14.8 | -2.8 |
| Wholesale and retail trade | -18.3 | -10.7 | -18.3 | -10.7 |
| Transportation and storage | 16.5 | 8.5 | 18.9 | 12.4 |
| Accommodation and food | -30.4 | -1.1 | -30.3 | -31.9 |
| Information and communication | 29.3 | 19.3 | 17.0 | 17.7 |
| Financial and insurance activities | 17.5 | 11.4 | 17.5 | 11.4 |
| Real estate activities | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.6 |
| Professional activities | 7.4 | 8.4 | 7.6 | 8.5 |
| Administrative activities | 0.8 | 4.6 | 1.0 | 4.7 |
| Public administration | -19.7 | -22.5 | -19.7 | -22.5 |
| Education | -33.1 | -23.1 | -33.1 | -23.1 |
| Human health k activities | 8.8 | 8.5 | 8.8 | 8.5 |
| Arts, entertainment and recreation | -84.2 | -83.2 | -84.2 | -83.2 |
| Other service activities | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.6 |
| Total Gross VA for the economy | -4.8 | -2.1 | -5.2 | -2.6 |
| Taxes less subsidies | -18.3 | -10.7 | -18.3 | -10.7 |
| Total GDP | -5.6 | -2.6 | -5.9 | -3.1 |

Inflation

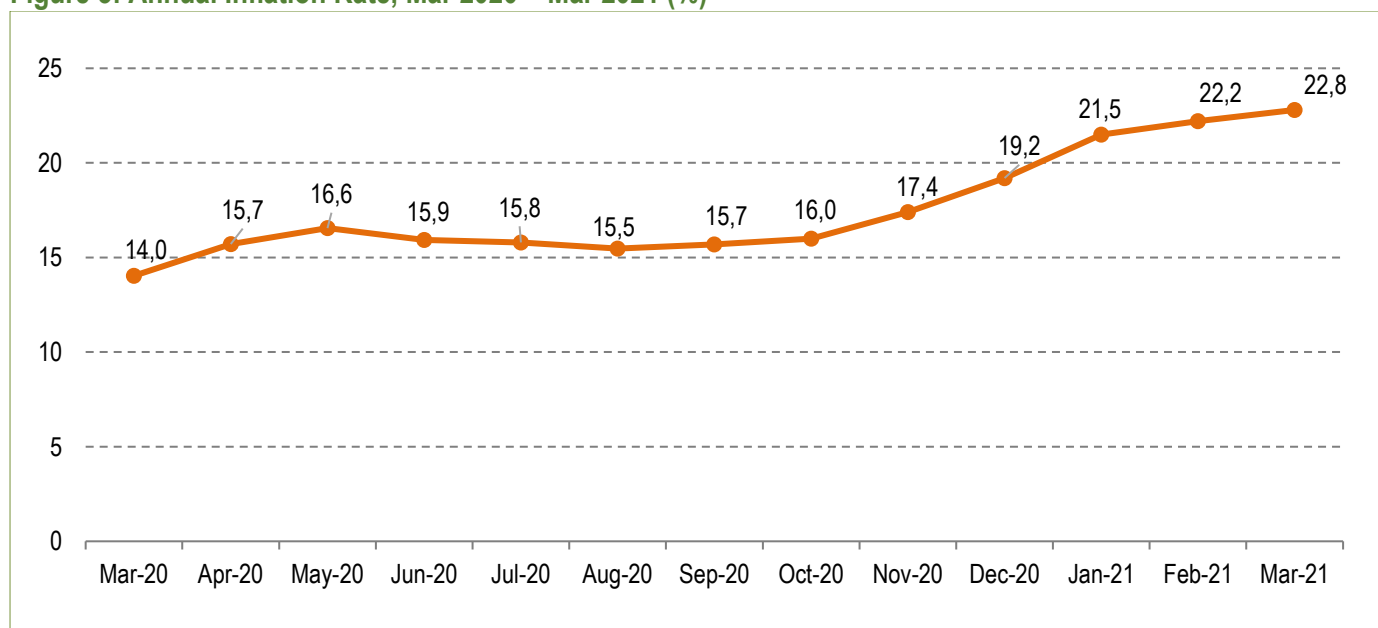
Consumer Price Index

Year on Year Inflation Rate for March 2021 increases to 22.8 Percent

The Annual inflation rate for March, 2021 increased to **22.8 percent** from **22.2 percent** recorded in February 2021. This means that on average, prices of goods and services increased by 22.8 percent between March 2020 and March 2021 (**see Figure 3**).

The increase in the annual rate of inflation was mainly attributed to price increases in both food and non-food items.

Figure 3: Annual Inflation Rate, Mar 2020 – Mar 2021 (%)



Source: ZamStats Prices Statistics, 2021

Note: 2009=100

Annual Food and Non-Food Inflation Rate

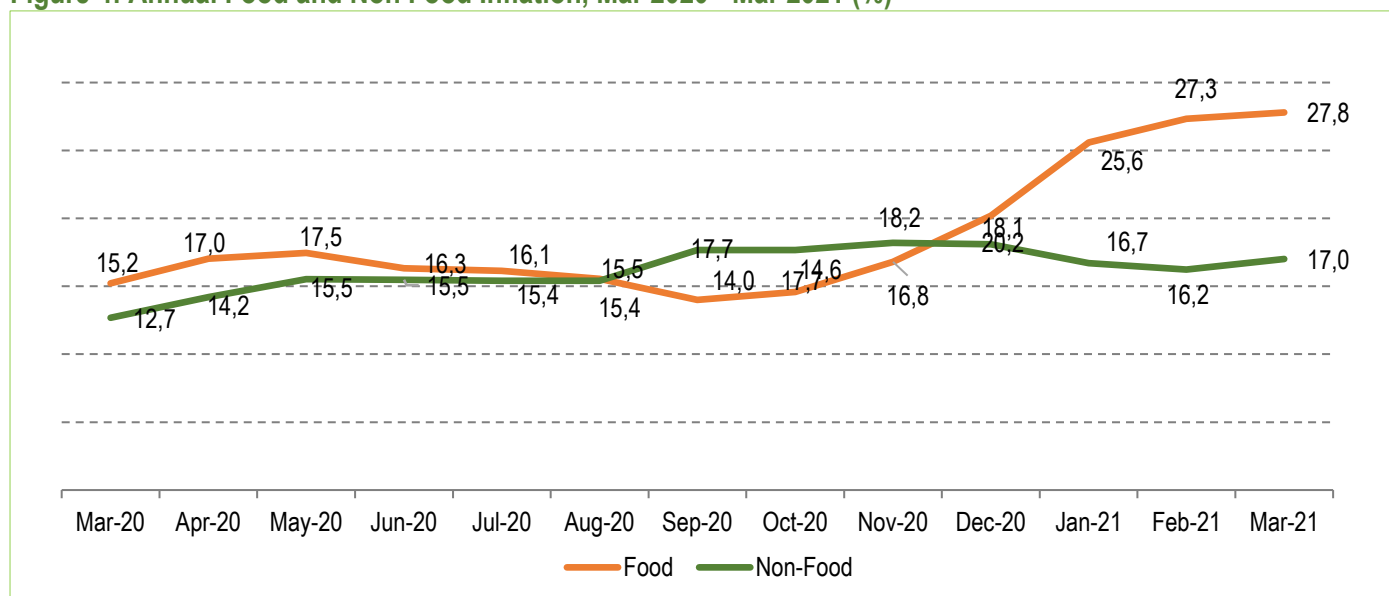
The annual food inflation rate for March, 2021 was recorded at 27.8 percent compared to 27.3 percent recorded in February 2021, an increase of 0.5 percentage points (**see Figure 2**).

This was mainly attributed to increases in prices of food items such as Meats (*Fillet steak, Rump steak, Mixed cut, Offal's, Goat Meat, Chicken*); Fruits (*Oranges, Pawpaw, Mangoes,*

groundnuts); fresh Milk, Eggs Sugar and Cooking oil.

The annual non-food inflation rate for March 2021 was recorded at 17.0 percent from 16.2 percent in February 2021. The Increase in inflation rate was mainly attributed to Price Increases Garments (*Men's trousers Imported, Ladies Skirt*) Rentals, Charcoal, Gas (*Propane*), Washing Soap, Domestic Services.

Figure 4: Annual Food and Non Food Inflation, Mar 2020 - Mar 2021 (%)



Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

Annual Inflation Rate by CPI Main Groups

The Annual Rate of Inflation for March 2021 increased for the following CPI Main Groups as shown in **Table 7**.

1. Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages

The CPI for the Food and Non-alcoholic beverages main group increased by 27.8 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This means that prices of items in this group increased by 27.8 percent during the 12-month period compared to 15.2 percent over the corresponding period in 2020. This was also higher than 27.3 percent in February 2021.

2. Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco

The CPI for the Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco main group increased by 13.4 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was above the 7.0 percent recorded in the same month of 2020 and as well as above the 12.9 percent recorded in February 2021.

3. Clothing and Footwear

The CPI for the Clothing and Footwear main group increased by 13.2 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was above 6.2 percent in the same month of 2020 as well as above 12.9 percent in February 2021.

4. Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, & Other Fuels

The CPI for the Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, & Other Fuels group increased by 15.6 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was above the 17.4 percent recorded in the same month of 2020 and as well as above the 13.2 percent recorded in February 2021.

5. Furnishing, Household Equipment and Household Maintenance

The CPI for the Furnishing, Household Equipment and Household Maintenance main group increased by 20.6 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was higher than the 7.9 percent in the same month of 2020 and as well as below the 19.4 percent recorded in February 2021.

6. Communication

The CPI for the Communication main group increased by 3.9 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was higher than the 1.6 percent in the same month of 2020 and the 3.4 percent recorded in February 2021.

7. Recreation and Culture

The CPI for the Recreation and Culture main group increased by 13.6 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was above

the 6.6 percent in the same month of 2020 and the 13.3 percent in February 2021.

8. Education

The CPI for the Education main group increased by 5.5 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was above the 1.1 percent recorded in the same month of 2020 and above the 5.3 percent recorded in February 2021.

9. Miscellaneous Goods and Services

The CPI for the miscellaneous goods and services main group increased by 14.7 percent between February 2020 and February 2021. This was above 6.5 percent in the same month of 2020 as well as above the 11.6 percent recorded in January 2021.

The Annual Rate of Inflation for March 2021 slowed down for the following CPI Main Groups.

1. Transport

The CPI for the Transport main group increased by 27.3 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was lower than 31.0 Percent in the same month of 2020 and below 29.3 percent in February 2021.

The Inflation rate remained the same for;

1. Health

The CPI for the Health main group increased by 15.5 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was above the 7.5 percent recorded in the same month of 2020 and remained the same as February 2021.

2. Restaurant & Hotel

The CPI for the Restaurant & Hotel main group increased by 11.7 percent between March 2020 and March 2021. This was higher than 7.6 percent in the same month of 2020 and 11.9 percent in February 2021.

Table 7: Annual Inflation Trends by CPI Main Group (%)

| Main Group | Division Weight | Mar-20 | Apr-20 | May-20 | Jun-20 | Jul-20 | Aug-20 | Sep-20 | Oct-20 | Nov-20 | Dec-20 | Jan-21 | Feb-21 | Mar-21 |
|---|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| All Items | 1 000 | 14.0 | 15.7 | 16.6 | 15.9 | 15.8 | 15.5 | 15.7 | 16.0 | 17.4 | 19.2 | 21.5 | 22.2 | 22.8 |
| Food and Non-alcoholic Beverages | 534.85 | 15.2 | 17.0 | 17.5 | 16.3 | 16.1 | 15.5 | 14.0 | 14.6 | 16.8 | 20.2 | 25.6 | 27.3 | 27.8 |
| Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco | 15.21 | 7.0 | 8.2 | 10.5 | 10.8 | 11.5 | 11.1 | 10.4 | 11.5 | 11.6 | 11.4 | 11.9 | 12.9 | 13.4 |
| Clothing and Footwear | 80.78 | 6.2 | 6.5 | 7.4 | 8.2 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 9.0 | 9.4 | 9.8 | 10.0 | 11.0 | 12.9 | 13.2 |
| Housing, Water, Electricity, Gas, and Other Fuels | 114.11 | 17.4 | 17.1 | 17.8 | 18.2 | 18.4 | 18.8 | 23.5 | 22.7 | 22.0 | 21.7 | 14.6 | 13.2 | 15.6 |
| Furnishing, Household Equip., Routine Household Maintenance | 82.36 | 7.9 | 8.8 | 11.9 | 12.3 | 12.3 | 12.4 | 13.1 | 13.7 | 14.7 | 15.8 | 15.9 | 19.4 | 20.6 |
| Health | 8.15 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 11.0 | 11.9 | 12.4 | 12.5 | 12.8 | 13.4 | 12.9 | 12.7 | 13.1 | 15.5 | 15.5 |
| Transport | 58.08 | 31.0 | 40.1 | 39.4 | 35.3 | 34.1 | 33.9 | 40.1 | 39.6 | 41.5 | 38.8 | 38.6 | 29.3 | 27.3 |
| Communication | 12.94 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 3.4 | 3.9 |
| Recreation and Culture | 13.84 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 8.0 | 8.8 | 8.0 | 8.0 | 6.9 | 7.9 | 9.4 | 11.7 | 11.8 | 13.3 | 13.6 |
| Education | 26.62 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.5 | 4.1 | 5.3 | 5.5 |
| Restaurant and Hotel | 3.37 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 8.1 | 8.9 | 8.9 | 9.7 | 8.4 | 9.5 | 10.9 | 10.8 | 10.9 | 11.9 | 11.7 |
| Miscellaneous Goods & Services | 49.69 | 6.8 | 7.2 | 10.5 | 10.6 | 10.2 | 10.1 | 10.0 | 10.6 | 10.5 | 11.0 | 11.6 | 13.0 | 14.7 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

Contribution of CPI Main Groups to Overall Inflation Rate of 22.8 Percent

The Food and Non-alcoholic beverages group contributed 14.9 percentage points, while Non-food items accounted for 7.9 percentage points to the overall inflation rate of 22.8 percent. Of the 7.9 percentage points, the Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels and Transport group contributed the

highest at 2.1 percentage points each followed by Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance at 1.6 percentage points. The rest of the Non-Food groups accounted for the remaining 2.1 percentage points (**see Table 8**).

Table 8: Contribution of Main Groups to Overall Inflation (%)

| Main Group | Division Weight | Mar-2020 | Apr-2020 | May-2020* | Jun-2020* | July-2020* | Aug-2020* | Sep-2020* | Oct-2020* | Nov-2020* | Dec-2020* | Jan-2021* | Feb-2021* | Mar-2021* |
|--|-----------------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Food and non-alcoholic beverages | 534.85 | 8.1 | 9.1 | 9.3 | 8.7 | 8.6 | 8.3 | 7.5 | 7.9 | 9.0 | 11.0 | 13.8 | 14.7 | 14.9 |
| Alcoholic beverages, and tobacco | 15.21 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Clothing and footwear | 80.78 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Housing, water, electricity, gas and other fuels | 114.11 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 2.1 |
| Furnishings, household equipment and routine household maintenance | 82.36 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.6 |
| Health | 8.15 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| Transport | 58.08 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 2.1 |
| 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 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| Education | 26.62 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| 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 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

*Note: Figures may not add up due to rounding off

Provincial Annual Inflation Rates

A disaggregation of the annual inflation rate by province shows that the annual inflation rate for March, 2021 decreased for Northern, North-Western and Western province while it increased for the rest of the provinces.

Provincial changes in annual inflation rate show that between March, 2020 and March 2021, Northern Province had the highest annual inflation rate at 35.8 percent, followed by Central Province at 28.8 percent and Southern Province had the lowest at 17.5 percent (see Table 9).

Table 9: Provincial Annual Inflation Rate, March 2020 - March 2021 (%)

| | 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 |
| Mar-20 | 14.0 | 12.0 | 11.6 | 13.6 | 16.8 | 15.8 | 11.9 | 14.7 | 9.4 |
| Apr-20 | 15.8 | 14.9 | 12.1 | 15.1 | 18.1 | 17.2 | 14.1 | 15.5 | 11.5 |
| May-20 | 17.9 | 16.3 | 12.0 | 14.8 | 18.5 | 20.4 | 13.3 | 14.7 | 15.4 |
| Jun-20 | 17.8 | 14.9 | 11.8 | 16.2 | 17.5 | 20.2 | 13.5 | 13.6 | 15.5 |
| Jul-20 | 18.1 | 14.3 | 12.3 | 16.5 | 17.3 | 19.8 | 13.2 | 13.8 | 15.5 |
| Aug-20 | 16.1 | 14.0 | 13.1 | 15.9 | 16.8 | 19.3 | 14.4 | 14.0 | 15.4 |
| Sep-20 | 16.0 | 14.5 | 13.2 | 16.7 | 16.7 | 19.6 | 14.1 | 14.4 | 17.3 |
| Oct-20 | 17.7 | 15.9 | 13.1 | 15.7 | 16.8 | 18.2 | 14.6 | 14.7 | 16.3 |
| Nov-20 | 19.9 | 16.1 | 13.9 | 16.4 | 18.7 | 19.3 | 15.3 | 16.6 | 18.6 |
| Dec-20 | 25.1 | 18.8 | 17.1 | 16.5 | 19.1 | 24.1 | 18.4 | 13.3 | 24.9 |
| Jan-21 | 28.2 | 19.0 | 17.8 | 17.1 | 21.1 | 31.1 | 20.2 | 15.6 | 36.1 |
| Feb-21 | 27.6 | 19.6 | 19.8 | 17.4 | 20.6 | 36.7 | 25.1 | 15.9 | 36.3 |
| Mar-21 | 28.8 | 20.6 | 21.4 | 18.2 | 21.8 | 35.8 | 24.0 | 17.5 | 27.3 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

Provincial Contributions to Overall Inflation Rate of 22.8 Percent

Lusaka province contributed the highest at 6.4 percentage points to the overall annual inflation rate of 22.8 percent recorded in March, 2021. Copperbelt province was

second highest, contributing 4.3 percentage points while North-Western province had the lowest contribution of 0.8 percentage points (see Table 10).

Table 10: Provincial Contribution to Overall Annual Inflation, March 2020 - March 2021 (%)

| Province | Weight | Mar 2020 | Apr 2020 | May* 2020 | Jun* 2020 | Jul* 2020 | Aug* 2020 | Sep* 2020 | Oct 2020 | Nov 2020 | Dec 2020 | Jan 2021 | Feb 2021 | Mar 2021 |
|---------------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| National | 1,000.00 | 14.0 | 15.7 | 16.6 | 15.9 | 15.8 | 15.5 | 15.7 | 16.0 | 17.4 | 19.2 | 21.5 | 22.2 | 22.8 |
| Central | 107.19 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.9 | 3.0 |
| Copperbelt | 219.68 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 3.0 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 4.3 |
| Eastern | 88.98 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 2.0 |
| Luapula | 50.60 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.9 |
| Lusaka | 283.89 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 5.4 | 5.5 | 6.1 | 6.0 | 6.4 |
| Northern | 65.72 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 2.4 |
| North-Western | 32.33 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.8 |
| Southern | 109.19 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.0 |
| Western | 42.42 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 1.5 | 1.1 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

*Note: Figures may not add up national total due to rounding off

March 2021 Monthly Inflation Rate decreases to 1.7 Percent

The monthly inflation rate for March, 2021 was recorded at 1.7 percent, a decrease of 0.8 percentage points from 2.5 percent the previous month (see Figure 5).

The increase in the monthly inflation rate was attributed to general price movements of Food and non-food items.

Figure 5: Monthly Inflation Rate, Mar 2020 - Mar 2021 (%)



Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

Monthly Inflation Rates for Food and Non-Food Items, March 2020 - March 2021

The monthly food inflation rate for March, 2021 was recorded at 1.6 percent, a decrease of 1.1 percentage points from 2.7 percent recorded in February, 2021. This development was mainly attributed to the decrease in the inflation of food items such as Cereals (Breakfast Mealie Meal, Roller Mealie Meal, Maize grain) Fish (Frozen Fish, Dried Bream, Fresh Kapenta, Dried Kapenta), Pineapples, Avocados, Tomatoes.

Non-Food inflation rate for March, 2021 was recorded at 1.9 percent, indicating a decrease of 0.4 percentage points from the 2.3 percent recorded in February, 2021 (see Table 11). This development was mainly attributed to price movements of Non-food items such as Household Textiles (Bed Sheets, Blanket, Foam Mattress).

Table 11: Monthly Inflation Rate for Food and Non-Food Items, March 2020 - March 2021(%)

| | Weight: | Mar 2020 | Apr 2020 | May 2020 | June 2020 | Jul 2020 | Aug 2020 | Sep 2020 | Oct 2020 | Nov 2020 | Dec 2020 | Jan 2021 | Feb 2021 | Mar 2021 |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Total | 1,000.00 | 1.2 | 2.2 | 1.6 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 2.2 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 2.5 | 1.7 |
| Food | 534.85 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 1.5 | -0.6 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.6 | 3.0 | 5.3 | 5.7 | 2.7 | 1.6 |
| Non-Food | 465.15 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 2.3 | 0.9 | 1.2 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 2.3 | 1.9 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

District Prices for Selected Products, March 2021

The Consumer Price Basket consists of 440 items which are spread across selected outlets in all the districts of Zambia. Over 23,000 price quotations are collected from these outlets

between 1st and 10th of every month. The minimum and maximum prices for selected products by district are highlighted in **Table 12**.

Table 12: District Prices for Selected Products, March 2021

| Product Description | Unit of Measure | Minimum | | Maximum | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|
| | | Price (K) | Location | Price (K) | Location |
| Breakfast Mealie Meal | 25 kg | 120.00 | Mkushi | 158.00 | Zambezi |
| Roller Mealie Meal | 25 kg | 85.00 | Kabwe | 160.00 | Chilubi |
| Maize Grain | 20 litre tin | 40.00 | Chingola | 105.00 | Mambwe |
| Cooking Oil | 2.5 Litres | 78.00 | Choma | 143.60 | Choma |
| Charcoal | 50 kg bag | 30.00 | Namwala | 150.00 | Kitwe |
| Cement | 50 kg | 130.00 | Chibombo | 220.00 | Katete |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

National Average Prices for Selected Products, March 2021

An analysis on a monthly basis, of retail prices between March, 2020 and March, 2021 shows that the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Breakfast Mealie Meal decreased by 1.02 percent from K144.84 to K143.36 while the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Roller Mealie Meal decreased by 2.50 percent from K119.80 to K116.80.

The national average price of a 20-litre tin of Maize Grain decreased by 3.57 percent from K69.23 to K66.76.

On an annual basis, the analysis of retail prices between March, 2020 and March, 2021 shows that the national average price of a 25kg bag of Breakfast Mealie Meal decreased by 14.74 percent from K168.15 to K143.36 while the national average price of a 25 kg bag of Roller Mealie Meal decreased by 19.67 percent from K145.40 to K116.80

The national average price of a 20-litre tin of Maize Grain decreased by 25.17 percent from K89.21 to K66.76 (**see Table 13**).

“Doing more with less”

Table 13: National Average Prices for Selected Products

| Description | Unit of Measure | | Mar 20 | Apr 20 | May 20 | Jun 20 | Jul 20 | Aug 20 | Sep 20 | Oct 20 | Nov 20 | Dec 20 | Jan 21 | Feb 21 | Mar 21 | Mth's Infl. | Yr's Infl. |
|------------------------|-----------------|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| Breakfast Mealie Meal | 25 | Kg | 168.15 | 165.92 | 155.91 | 142.39 | 130.79 | 127.81 | 127.54 | 124.57 | 130.36 | 136.78 | 140.69 | 144.84 | 143.36 | (1.02) | (14.74) |
| Roller Mealie Meal | 25 | Kg | 145.40 | 146.57 | 133.28 | 114.39 | 99.14 | 98.74 | 97.86 | 97.60 | 103.20 | 110.29 | 115.56 | 119.80 | 116.80 | (2.50) | (19.67) |
| Maize grain | 20 | Ltr-tin | 89.21 | 82.27 | 58.22 | 53.49 | 50.88 | 51.95 | 52.34 | 56.74 | 59.94 | 64.28 | 67.66 | 69.23 | 66.76 | (3.57) | (25.17) |
| Samp | 1 | Kg | 12.26 | 14.44 | 13.65 | 13.85 | 12.90 | 12.68 | 12.42 | 12.77 | 14.26 | 14.25 | 15.41 | 14.97 | 16.07 | 7.35 | 31.08 |
| Rice Local | 1 | Kg | 17.19 | 17.51 | 18.52 | 19.03 | 19.33 | 19.50 | 19.72 | 20.13 | 20.59 | 21.55 | 23.34 | 23.36 | 24.31 | 4.07 | 41.42 |
| Cassava meal | 1 | Kilogram | 7.65 | 8.32 | 8.73 | 9.25 | 8.84 | 8.70 | 8.98 | 8.50 | 9.15 | 8.12 | 7.90 | 8.13 | 9.83 | 20.91 | 28.50 |
| Millet | 5 | Litre | 25.90 | 26.15 | 27.18 | 28.69 | 32.31 | 32.41 | 29.90 | 32.03 | 38.32 | 38.09 | 38.80 | 40.86 | 43.98 | 7.64 | 69.81 |
| Fillet Steak | 1 | Kg | 50.85 | 51.16 | 51.02 | 50.98 | 51.37 | 51.41 | 52.90 | 53.30 | 55.16 | 62.46 | 70.28 | 70.46 | 70.71 | 0.35 | 39.06 |
| Rump Steak | 1 | Kg | 47.72 | 48.11 | 48.67 | 48.91 | 49.39 | 49.54 | 50.65 | 52.67 | 54.09 | 60.52 | 65.62 | 66.93 | 68.55 | 2.42 | 43.65 |
| Brisket | 1 | Kg | 39.89 | 39.27 | 40.33 | 40.62 | 41.40 | 41.55 | 42.58 | 45.24 | 48.21 | 52.38 | 57.40 | 58.10 | 58.21 | 0.19 | 45.93 |
| Mixed Cut | 1 | Kg | 37.44 | 37.34 | 38.26 | 38.91 | 39.28 | 39.30 | 39.96 | 43.44 | 45.53 | 51.04 | 54.44 | 54.97 | 56.28 | 2.38 | 50.32 |
| T-bone | 1 | Kg | 46.94 | 46.80 | 47.31 | 48.09 | 48.34 | 48.65 | 49.22 | 52.51 | 55.09 | 61.48 | 68.55 | 70.50 | 70.45 | (0.07) | 50.09 |
| Chicken Live | 1 | Kg | 25.51 | 27.91 | 27.12 | 26.93 | 26.53 | 27.37 | 28.15 | 28.09 | 28.18 | 29.70 | 31.17 | 32.55 | 34.98 | 7.47 | 37.12 |
| Dried Kapenta Mpulungu | 1 | Kg | 134.07 | 141.53 | 149.27 | 148.15 | 156.96 | 143.92 | 145.77 | 139.98 | 139.33 | 162.84 | 170.12 | 181.12 | 175.01 | (3.37) | 30.54 |
| Dried Kapenta Siavonga | 1 | Kg | 161.26 | 163.32 | 163.02 | 159.68 | 171.85 | 174.48 | 177.25 | 172.73 | 172.50 | 185.30 | 195.74 | 208.69 | 213.72 | 2.41 | 32.53 |
| Eggs | 1 | Tray | 38.55 | 39.32 | 39.63 | 41.21 | 44.00 | 44.51 | 45.32 | 47.02 | 46.93 | 48.14 | 53.04 | 55.10 | 56.99 | 3.43 | 47.83 |
| Cooking oil Local | 3 | Litre | 64.07 | 71.44 | 81.34 | 81.56 | 81.93 | 82.23 | 82.52 | 83.81 | 85.41 | 87.70 | 92.43 | 98.37 | 103.58 | 5.30 | 61.67 |
| Rape | 1 | Kg | 5.99 | 6.37 | 6.22 | 5.68 | 5.43 | 5.33 | 5.12 | 5.22 | 6.08 | 6.17 | 7.29 | 6.87 | 7.28 | 5.97 | 21.54 |
| Cabbage | 1 | Kg | 3.89 | 3.76 | 3.78 | 3.97 | 3.54 | 3.46 | 3.42 | 3.21 | 3.53 | 3.85 | 4.53 | 4.76 | 4.86 | 2.10 | 24.94 |
| Tomatoes | 1 | Kg | 8.68 | 8.46 | 8.90 | 8.83 | 8.23 | 7.96 | 8.32 | 8.31 | 8.82 | 8.68 | 10.25 | 11.44 | 11.76 | 2.80 | 35.48 |
| Onion | 1 | Kg | 11.27 | 12.82 | 15.05 | 15.37 | 14.17 | 13.04 | 13.45 | 11.58 | 11.09 | 10.79 | 12.51 | 12.51 | 14.12 | 12.87 | 25.29 |
| Sugar | 2 | Kg | 30.26 | 31.34 | 31.93 | 32.24 | 31.97 | 32.25 | 32.72 | 34.90 | 35.47 | 36.04 | 36.65 | 37.24 | 41.01 | 10.12 | 35.53 |
| Cement | 50 | Kg | 103.38 | 103.21 | 107.28 | 108.12 | 109.49 | 118.71 | 120.01 | 129.34 | 130.87 | 131.55 | 130.21 | 143.20 | 147.70 | 3.14 | 42.87 |
| Charcoal | 50 | Kg | 52.03 | 51.12 | 53.24 | 55.46 | 53.07 | 53.38 | 57.55 | 56.92 | 56.74 | 56.39 | 62.01 | 69.87 | 69.90 | 0.04 | 34.35 |
| Toyota hilux | 1 | Ea | 818,576.75 | 984,186.00 | 993,762.50 | 994,800.00 | 969,687.50 | 969,640.00 | 1,065,682.6 | 1,086,050.0 | 1,108,380.0 | 1,119,300.0 | 1,156,428.0 | 1,169,805.0 | 1,195,200.0 | 2.17 | 46.01 |
| Lifebouy | 100 | gm | 7.68 | 7.67 | 8.44 | 8.44 | 8.71 | 8.81 | 9.35 | 9.36 | 9.10 | 9.63 | 9.90 | 10.20 | 10.66 | 4.51 | 38.80 |
| Hammer milling charge | 20 | Ltr-tin | 7.48 | 7.75 | 8.31 | 8.34 | 8.98 | 9.08 | 9.20 | 9.12 | 9.12 | 9.31 | 9.29 | 9.27 | 9.51 | 2.59 | 27.14 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

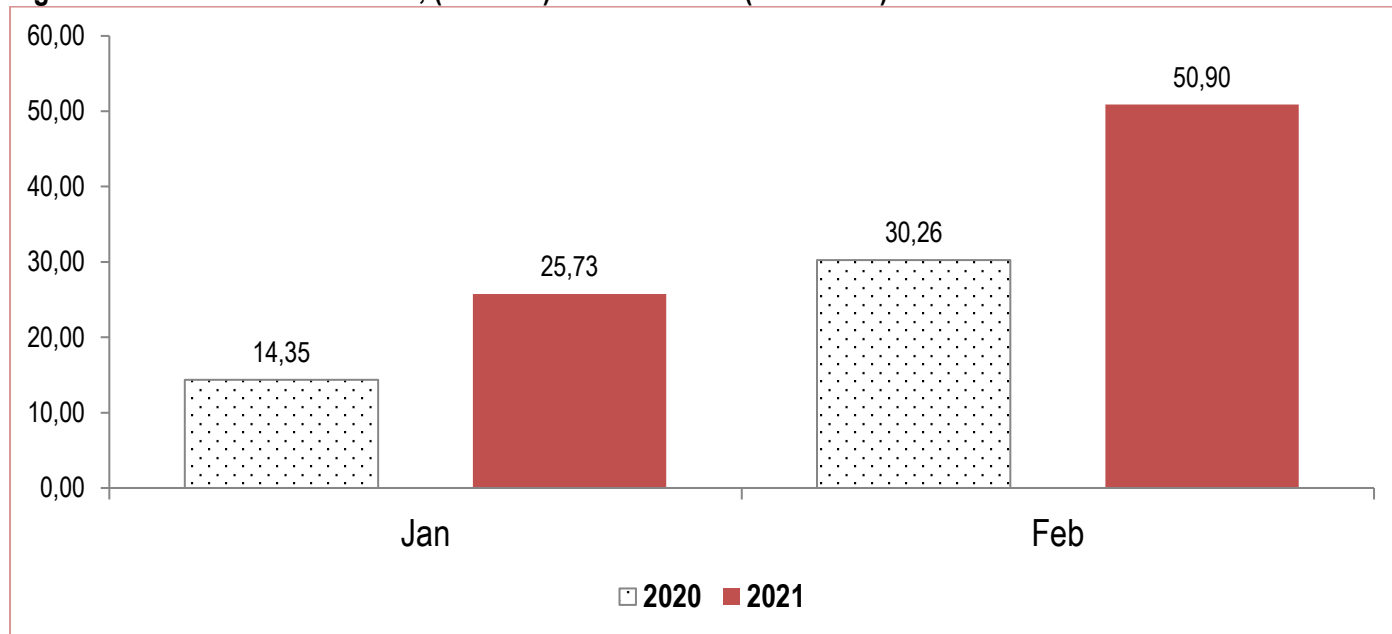
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Total Trade Jan-Feb 2021

Total trade for the period January to February 2021 was K50.90 billion while that of 2020 for the same period was K30.26 billion,

representing a 68.2 percent increase (see Figure 6).

Figure 6: Cumulative Total Trade, (Jan-Feb) 2021 and 2020 (K' Billions)



Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: Total Trade = (Exports + Imports)

Total Exports and Imports by Mode of Transport, Jan-Feb 2021

The total value of **exports** via all modes of transport for the period January to February 2021 was K34.2 billion. Road transport accounted for K21.2 billion representing 62.0 percent, Rail transport was second at K4.3 billion (12.7 percent) and Air transport was third accounting for K1.0 billion (3.1 percent). Other modes of transport accounted for K7.6 billion (22.3 percent).

In terms of volume, the total volume of exports for the period January to February 2021 was 1.07 million Mt, of which Road transport accounted for 814.1 thousand Mt, representing 75.9 percent. Rail transport accounted for 25.8 thousand Mt, representing 2.4 percent, Air transport accounted for 0.9 thousand Mt (0.1 percent), while other modes accounted for K231.4 thousand Mt (21.6 percent) (see Table 14).

Table 14: Total Exports by Mode of Transport, 2021 (Jan-Feb)

| Mode of transport | K'Billion | Value % Share | Mt(000) | Volume % Share |
|----------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| Road Transport | 21.2 | 62.0 | 814.1 | 75.9 |
| Rail Transport | 4.3 | 12.7 | 25.8 | 2.4 |
| Air Transport | 1.0 | 3.1 | 0.9 | 0.1 |
| Other | 7.6 | 22.3 | 231.4 | 21.6 |
| Total Exports (Fob) | 34.2 | 100.0 | 1,072.2 | 100.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

The total value of **Imports** via all modes of transport for the period January to February 2021 was K16.7 billion. Road transport was the highest at K9.0 billion representing 53.6 percent share, followed by Air transport at K1.8 billion (10.9 percent). Rail transport was third at K0.2 billion accounting for 1.0 percent of the total import bill. Other modes of transport accounted for K5.8 billion (34.5 percent).

In terms of volumes, a total 562.3 thousand Mt of imports was recorded for the period January to February 2021, of which Road transport accounted for 320.8 thousand Mt, representing the highest share at 57.1 percent, followed by Rail transport which accounted for 19.3 thousand Mt, representing a share of 3.4 percent. Air Transport was third accounting for 1.4 thousand Mt (0.2 percent), while other modes accounted for 220.8 thousand Mt (39.3 percent) (see Table 15).

Table 15: Imports by Mode of Transport, 2021 (Jan-Feb)

| Mode Of Transport | K'Billion | Value % Share | Mt(000) | Volume % Share |
|-------------------|-----------|---------------|---------|----------------|
| Road Transport | 9.0 | 53.6 | 320.8 | 57.1 |
| Rail Transport | 0.2 | 1.0 | 19.3 | 3.4 |
| Air Transport | 1.8 | 10.9 | 1.4 | 0.2 |
| Other | 5.8 | 34.5 | 220.8 | 39.3 |
| Imports (Cif) | 16.7 | 100.0 | 562.3 | 100.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

February 2021 recorded a Trade Surplus

Zambia recorded a trade surplus of **K8.1 billion** in February 2021 compared to a surplus of **K9.3 billion** in January 2021 representing a 13.1 percent decrease (see Table 16).

Exports mainly comprising domestically produced goods, decreased by 5.1 percent to K16.6 billion in February 2021 from K17.5 billion in January 2021. This was mainly on account of a 4.6 and 31.6 percent decrease

in export earnings from Intermediate goods and Raw materials (see Table 2.2 in Annex).

Imports increased by 4.0 percent to K8.5 billion in February 2021 from K8.2 billion in January 2021. This increase in imports was mainly as a result of an 11.9 and 38.3 percent increase in import bills of Capital goods and Raw materials, respectively (see Table 2.5 in Annex).

| Table 16: Total Exports and Imports, Jan. 2020 to Feb. 2021 (K' Million) | | | | |
|--|-----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Months | Imports(CIF) | Domestic Exports(FOB) | Total Exports(FOB) | Trade Balance |
| Jan-20 | 6,024.7 | 8,122.1 | 8,321.6 | 2,296.9 |
| Feb-20 | 7,957.7 | 7,725.2 | 7,954.4 | -3.3 |
| Mar-20 | 8,174.1 | 8,275.4 | 8,530.2 | 356.1 |
| Quarter1 | 22,156.4 | 24,122.8 | 24,806.2 | 2,649.8 |
| Apr-20 | 6,477.4 | 8,727.4 | 8,929.7 | 2,452.2 |
| May-20 | 6,687.8 | 10,460.2 | 10,723.2 | 4,035.4 |
| Jun-20 | 7,749.7 | 9,213.6 | 9,494.2 | 1,744.5 |
| Quarter2 | 20,915.0 | 28,401.3 | 29,147.1 | 8,232.1 |
| Jul-20 | 7,722.9 | 11,948.1 | 12,293.6 | 4,570.7 |
| Aug-20 | 8,656.0 | 13,664.4 | 13,969.5 | 5,313.5 |
| Sep-20 | 9,261.2 | 16,345.1 | 16,658.9 | 7,397.7 |
| Quarter3 | 25,640.0 | 41,957.6 | 42,921.9 | 17,281.9 |
| Oct-20 | 8,856.9 | 15,026.6 | 15,349.8 | 6,492.9 |
| Nov-20 | 9,258.1 | 16,066.6 | 16,412.4 | 7,154.2 |
| Dec-20 | 10,101.8 | 16,323.8 | 16,630.3 | 6,528.5 |
| Quarter4 | 28,216.8 | 47,417.0 | 48,392.4 | 20,175.6 |
| Total 2020: | 96,928.2 | 141,898.6 | 145,267.6 | 48,339.4 |
| Jan-21 | 8,207.1 | 17,188.7 | 17,526.7 | 9,319.7 |
| Feb-21* | 8,534.1 | 16,117.3 | 16,631.0 | 8,096.8 |
| Total 2021(Jan - Feb): | 16,741.2 | 33,306.0 | 34,157.7 | 17,416.5 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: These trade data are compiled based on the **General Trade System**

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Domestic Exports-These are Commodities grown, produced or manufactured locally including commodities imported from foreign countries that have been significantly changed or enhanced in value. Re-Exports=Total Exports-Domestic Exports. () Provisional, (@) Revised*

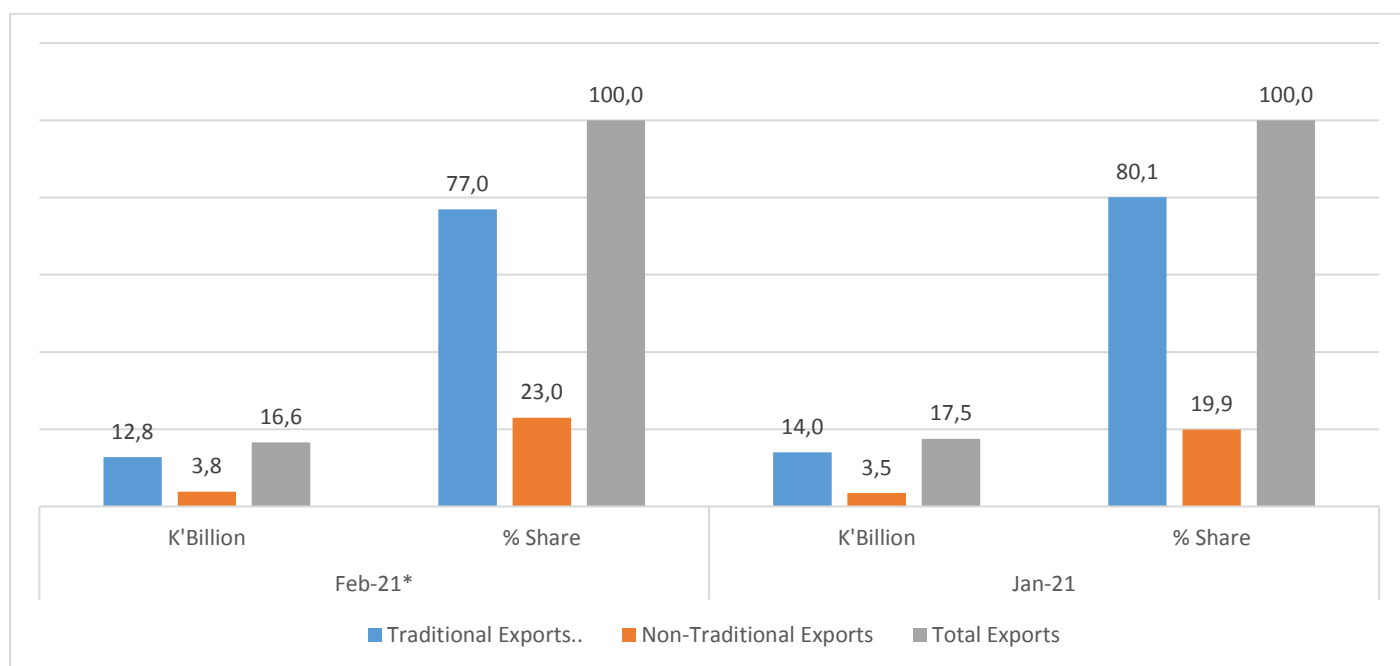
Performance of Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports, February 2021

Traditional Exports (TE's) earnings decreased by 8.6 percent to K12.8 billion in February 2021 from K14.0 billion in January 2021.

In terms of share in total exports, TEs accounted for 77.0 percent export earnings in February 2021.

NTE earnings increased by 9.8 percent to K3.8 billion in February 2021 from K3.5 billion in January 2021. In terms of share in total exports, NTEs accounted for 23 percent share of total export earnings in February 2021 **(see Figure 7)**.

Figure 7: Traditional Exports and Non-Traditional Exports, Feb. 2021 and Jan. 2021



Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

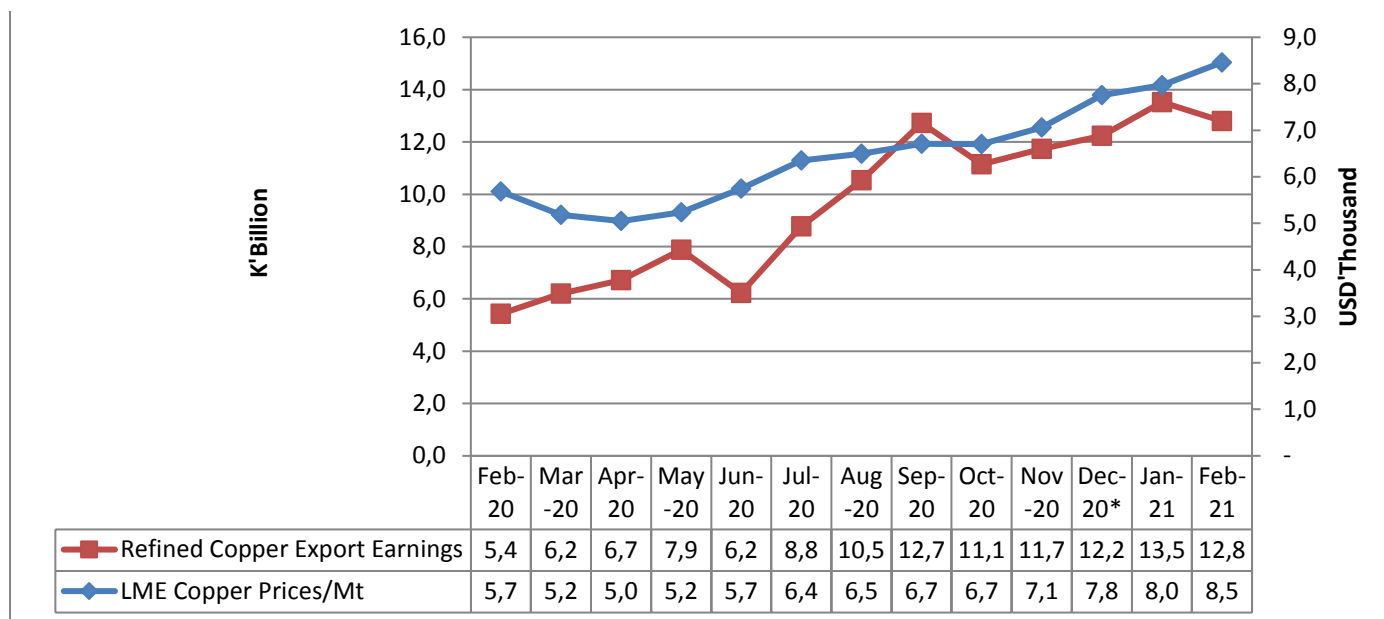
Note: (*) Provisional @ Revised

Export Earnings of Refined Copper and LME Copper Prices, February 2021

Export earnings from refined copper in February 2021 decreased by 5.3 percent to K12.8 billion from K13.5 billion in January 2021 **(see Figure 6)**.

Copper prices on LME market for the corresponding months increased by 6.1 percent to US\$8,460 per metric ton in February 2021 from US\$7,970 per metric ton in January 2021 **(see Figure 8)**.

Figure 8: Export Earnings from Refined Copper and LME Copper Prices per Metric Ton, Feb. 2020 to Feb. 2021



Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

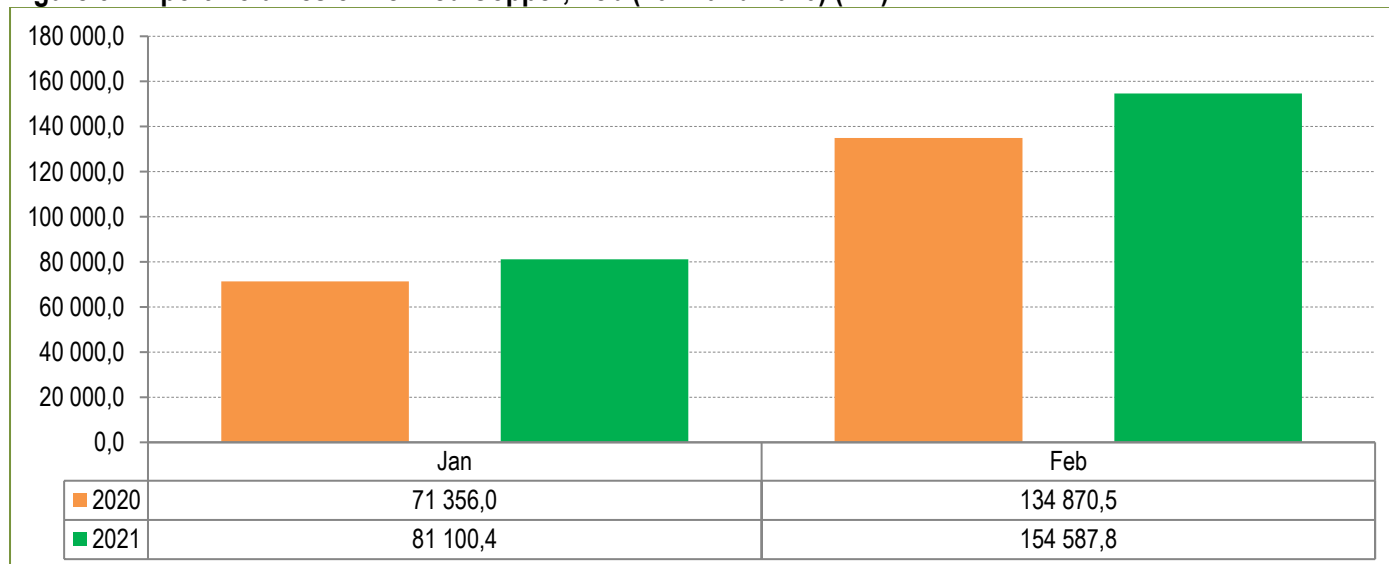
Note: (*) Provisional, ® Revised

Cumulative Export Volumes of Refined Copper, February 2021

The volume of Refined Copper exported for the period January to February 2021 was 154.6 thousand Mt while that of 2020 for the same

period was 134.9 thousand Mt representing a 14.6 percent increase (see Figure 9).

Figure 9: Export Volumes of Refined Copper, Feb (2021 and 2020) (MT)



Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: (*) Provisional, ® Revised

Zambia's Major Non-Traditional Exports, February 2021

For the purpose of this analysis, non-traditional exports are disaggregated into agricultural and non-agricultural products.

Agricultural Products

Agricultural products accounted for a share of 23.6 percent of Zambia's (NTEs) in February 2021 compared to 24.2 percent in January 2021.

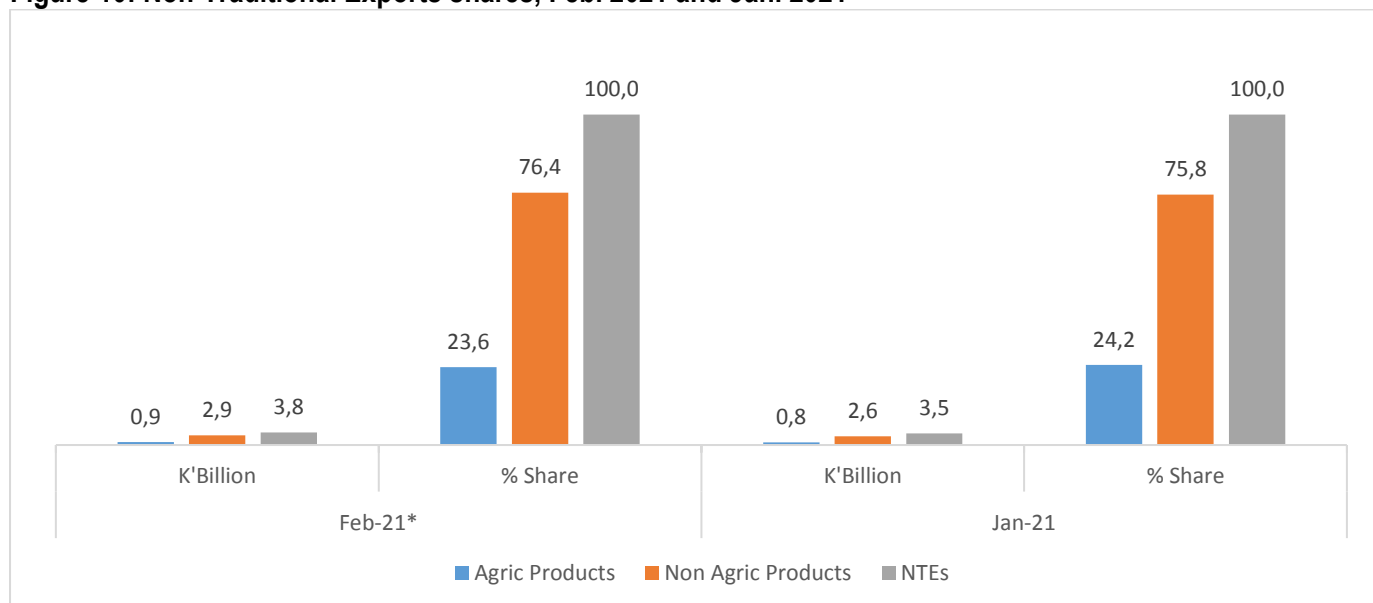
Export earnings from Agricultural products increased by 6.9 percent to K0.9 billion in February 2021 from K0.8 billion in January 2021. The major export commodities were Raw cane sugar accounting for 15.0 percent, Oil-cake (13.2 percent) and Maize (excl. seed) (8.6 percent) (see Figure 8 & Annex 2.14).

Non-Agricultural Products

Non-agricultural products accounted for a share of 76.4 percent of Zambia's NTEs in February 2021 compared to 75.8 percent in January 2021.

Export earnings from Non-Agricultural products recorded an increase of 10.7 percent to K2.9 billion in February 2021 from K2.6 billion in January 2021. The major export commodities were Rubies, sapphires and emeralds accounting for 15.3 percent, Nickel ores and concentrates (6.3 percent) and Other chemical products and preparations (excl. white) (6.3 percent) (see Figure 10 & Annex 2.14).

Figure 10: Non-Traditional Exports shares, Feb. 2021 and Jan. 2021



Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

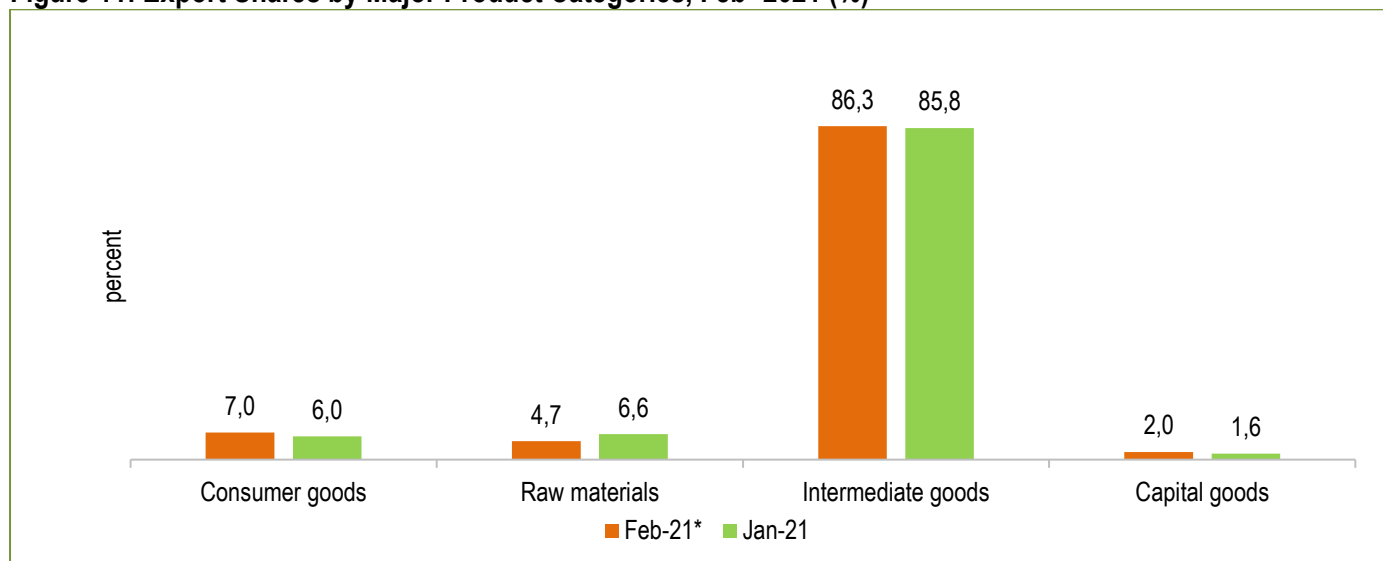
Note: (*) Provisional, (®) Revised

Exports by Major Product Categories, February 2021

Zambia's major export products in February, 2021 were from the intermediate goods category (mainly comprising copper anodes for electrolytic refining and Electro-won copper cathodes (High Purity)) accounting for 86.3 percent.

Exports from the consumer goods, raw materials and capital goods categories, collectively accounted for 13.7 percent of total exports in February, 2021 (see Figure 11).

Figure 11: Export Shares by Major Product Categories, Feb- 2021 (%)



Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: (*) Provisional ® Revised

Zambia's Major Export Destinations by Commodity in February 2021

The major export destination in February 2021 was Switzerland, which accounted for 39.7 percent of the total export earnings. The main export product to Switzerland was Copper anodes, accounting for 74.4 percent of total export earnings from that country.

China was the second main export destination accounting for 21.8 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product was copper blister, accounting for 46.3 percent of total export earnings from that country.

Singapore was the third main destination of Zambia's exports accounting for 13.9 percent of the total export earnings. The major export product to Singapore was copper anodes,

accounting for 70.2 percent of total export earnings from that country.

Congo DR was the fourth main export destination accounting for 9.7 percent of the total export earnings. The major export products were, Other chemical products and preparations accounting for 11.3 percent of total export earnings from that country.

India was the fifth main export destination accounting for 2.9 percent of the total export earnings. The major export products were Rubies, sapphires and emeralds accounting for 91.3 percent of total export earnings from that country.

These five countries collectively accounted for 88.1 percent of Zambia's total export earnings in February, 2021 (see Table 17 & Annex 2.11).

Table 17: Zambia's Five Major Export Destinations, February 2021*

| Destination | K' Billion | % Share |
|--------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Switzerland | 6.6 | 39.7 |
| China | 3.6 | 21.8 |
| Singapore | 2.3 | 13.9 |
| Congo (DR) | 1.6 | 9.7 |
| India | 0.5 | 2.9 |
| Other destinations | 2.0 | 11.9 |
| Total | 16.6 | 100.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

Note: (*) Provisional

Zambia's Top Five Non-Traditional Export Destinations by Product in February 2021

The major NTEs destination in February, 2021 was Congo DR, which accounted for 42.3 percent of the total NTE earnings. The main export product to Congo DR was Other chemical products and preparations, accounting for 11.3 percent of total NTE earnings from that country.

India was the second main destination accounting for 12.7 percent of the total NTE earnings. The major export product was Rubies, sapphires and emeralds, worked but not set accounting for 92.0 percent of total NTE earnings from that country.

South Africa was the third main destination accounting for 9.7 percent of the total NTE earnings. The major export product was Bullion semi-manufactured forms accounting for 27.3

percent of total NTE earnings from that country.

Zimbabwe was the fourth main destination accounting for 9.6 percent of the total NTE earnings. The major export product was Maize (excl. seed) accounting for 21.1 percent of total NTE earnings from that country.

The fifth main destination was Switzerland which accounted for 4.8 percent of the total NTE earnings. The major export products were Nickel ores and concentrates accounting for 100 percent of total NTE earnings from that country.

These five countries collectively accounted for 79.1 percent of Zambia's total NTE earnings in February, 2021 **(see Table 18 & Annex 3.12).**

Table 18: Zambia's Five Major Destinations of Non-Traditional Exports, February. 2021*

| Destination | K' billion | % Share |
|--------------------|------------|--------------|
| Congo (DR) | 1.6 | 42.3 |
| India | 0.5 | 12.7 |
| South Africa | 0.4 | 9.7 |
| Zimbabwe | 0.4 | 9.6 |
| Switzerland | 0.2 | 4.8 |
| Other destinations | 0.8 | 20.9 |
| Total | 3.8 | 100.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: (*) Provisional

Export Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings and Major Trading Partners, February 2021

Asia was the largest market for Zambia's exports in February 2021, accounting for 39.8 percent. Within this grouping, China was the dominant market with 54.8 percent followed by Singapore with 34.9 percent. Other notable markets in this grouping were, India (7.4 percent), Hong Kong (1.8 percent) and Vietnam (0.4 percent).

Switzerland was second accounting for 39.7 percent in February, 2021.

The DUAL-SADC & COMESA grouping was the third accounting for 12.6 percent in February, 2021. Within this grouping, Congo DR was the dominant market with 77.0 percent followed by Zimbabwe with 17.6 percent. Other notable markets within this grouping were

Malawi, Eswatini and Mauritius collectively accounting for 5.4 percent.

The SADC Exclusive grouping was the fourth accounting for 3.5 percent in February, 2021. Within this grouping, South Africa was the dominant market with 67.1 percent followed by Tanzania and Botswana with 10.6 percent each, Mozambique (6.1 percent) and Namibia (5.4 percent).

The European Union (EU²⁷) was the fifth accounting for 3.1 percent in February, 2021. Within this grouping, Luxembourg was the dominant market with 74.5 percent followed by Italy (9.3 percent), Netherlands (6.1 percent), Germany (5.5 percent) and Austria (1.0 percent).

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COMESA exclusive grouping was the sixth accounting for 0.6 percent in February, 2021. Within this grouping, Burundi was the dominant market with 51.6 percent followed

by Kenya with 25.7 percent. Other notable markets were Uganda, Rwanda and Ethiopia collectively accounting for 22.6 percent (**see Table 19**).

| Table 19: Export Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, Feb 2021 and Jan 2021 | | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|----------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| GROUPING | Feb-21* | | GROUPING | Jan-21 | |
| | Value (K'Million) | % Share | | Value (K'Million) | % Share |
| ASIA | 6,616.6 | 100.0 | ASIA | 6,291.0 | 100.0 |
| China | 3,625.3 | 54.8 | China | 3,595.2 | 57.1 |
| Singapore | 2,311.6 | 34.9 | Singapore | 2,230.7 | 35.5 |
| India | 488.4 | 7.4 | United Arab Emirates | 221.8 | 3.5 |
| Hong Kong | 116.9 | 1.8 | Hong Kong | 163.6 | 2.6 |
| Vietnam | 27.6 | 0.4 | India | 45.7 | 0.7 |
| Other ASIA | 46.8 | 0.7 | Other ASIA | 33.9 | 0.5 |
| % of Total Exports | 39.8 | | % of Total Exports | 35.9 | |
| DUAL-SADC & COMESA | 2,102.7 | 100.0 | DUAL-SAD & COMESA | 1,942.7 | 100.0 |
| Congo DR | 1,620.0 | 77.0 | Congo DR | 1,439.8 | 74.1 |
| Zimbabwe | 369.0 | 17.6 | Zimbabwe | 292.3 | 15.0 |
| Malawi | 106.6 | 5.1 | Malawi | 202.9 | 10.4 |
| Eswatini(Swaziland) | 5.5 | 0.3 | Mauritius | 7.7 | 0.4 |
| Mauritius | 1.1 | 0.1 | Madagascar | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA | 0.6 | 0.0 | Other DUAL-SAD & COMESA | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| % of Total Exports | 12.6 | | % of Total Exports | 11.1 | |
| SADC Exclusive | 589.0 | 100.0 | SADC Exclusive | 716.0 | 100.0 |
| South Africa | 395.1 | 67.1 | South Africa | 376.4 | 52.6 |
| Tanzania | 62.7 | 10.6 | Namibia | 167.4 | 23.4 |
| Botswana | 62.6 | 10.6 | Tanzania | 82.3 | 11.5 |
| Mozambique | 35.7 | 6.1 | Botswana | 61.2 | 8.5 |
| Namibia | 31.5 | 5.4 | Mozambique | 24.3 | 3.4 |
| Other SADC Exclusive | 1.4 | 0.2 | Other SADC Exclusive | 4.3 | 0.6 |
| % of Total Exports | 3.5 | | % of Total Exports | 4.1 | |
| EUROPEAN UNION | 511.9 | 100.0 | EUROPEAN UNION | 968.9 | 100.0 |
| Luxembourg | 381.2 | 74.5 | Luxembourg | 851.3 | 87.9 |
| Italy | 47.9 | 9.3 | Italy | 56.0 | 5.8 |
| Netherlands | 31.3 | 6.1 | Netherlands | 17.3 | 1.8 |
| Germany | 27.9 | 5.5 | Germany | 17.1 | 1.8 |
| Austria | 4.9 | 1.0 | Spain | 14.2 | 1.5 |
| Other EU | 18.7 | 3.7 | Other EU | 13.1 | 1.4 |
| % of Total Exports | 3.1 | | % of Total Exports | 5.5 | |
| COMESA Exclusive | 97.2 | 100.0 | COMESA Exclusive | 124.3 | 100.0 |
| Burundi | 50.2 | 51.6 | Burundi | 59.2 | 47.6 |
| Kenya | 25.0 | 25.7 | Kenya | 39.2 | 31.5 |
| Uganda | 15.6 | 16.1 | Uganda | 19.4 | 15.6 |
| Rwanda | 6.2 | 6.4 | Rwanda | 5.7 | 4.6 |
| Ethiopia | 0.1 | 0.2 | Egypt | 0.9 | 0.7 |
| Other COMESA Exclusive | 0.0 | 0.0 | Other COMESA Exclusive | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| % of Total Exports | 0.6 | | % of Total Exports | 0.7 | |
| SWITZERLAND | 6,602.7 | 39.7 | SWITZERLAND | 7,447.0 | 42.5 |
| Rest of the World | 110.8 | 0.7 | Rest of the World | 36.9 | 0.2 |
| World | 16,631.0 | 100.0 | World | 17,526.7 | 100.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

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

2. COMESA = (COMESA Exclusive + Dual SADC & COMESA)

** Switzerland does not belong to any regional grouping but is our major export destination. (*) Provisional

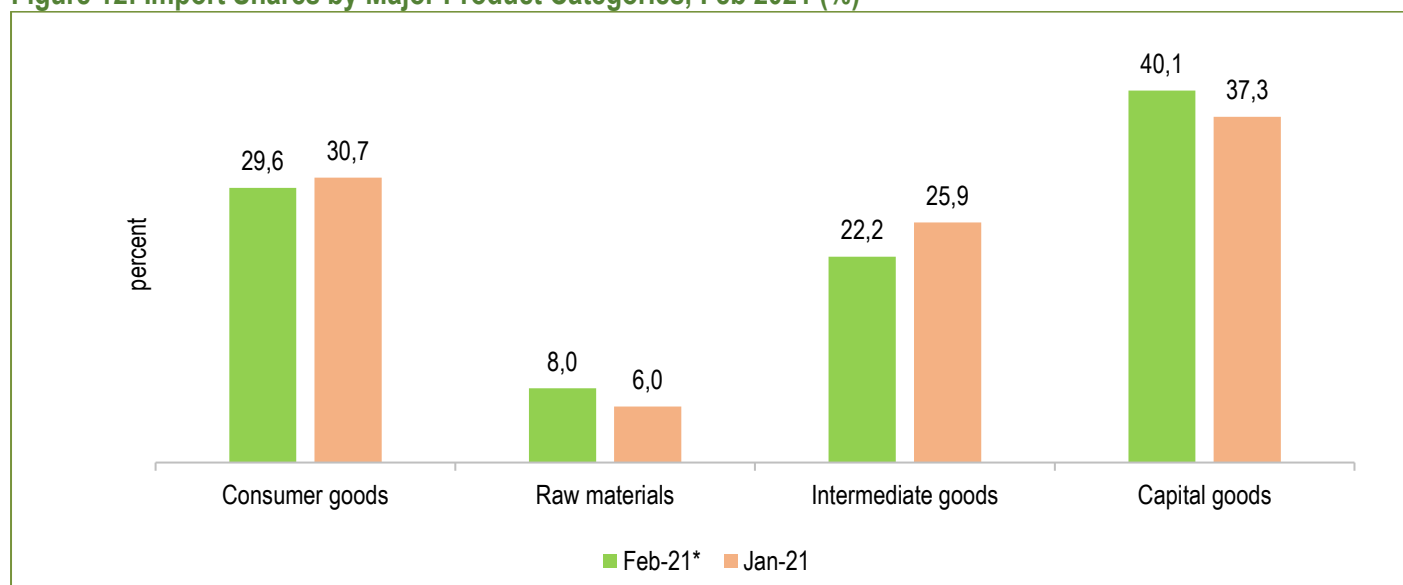
Imports by Major Product Categories, February 2021

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The major import product category in February 2021 were capital goods category, accounting for 40.1 percent. The consumer goods category was second at 29.6 percent,

followed by the Intermediate goods and Raw materials categories, accounting for 22.2 percent and 8.0 percent, respectively (see **Figure 12**).

Figure 12: Import Shares by Major Product Categories, Feb 2021 (%)



Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: (*) Provisional ® Revised

Zambia's Major Import Sources by Product in February 2021

The major source of imports in February 2021 was South Africa, accounting for 35.9 percent. The main import product was Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous, accounting for 4.3 percent of the total import bill from that country.

China was second accounting for 14.0 percent. The major import products were new pneumatic tyres of rubber accounting for 6.6 percent of the import bill from that country.

India was third, accounting for 7.6 percent. The major import products were Vaccines for human medicine, accounting for 23.1 percent of the import bill from that country.

Other sources of Zambia's imports were Ireland and The United Kingdom, which collectively accounted for 7.5 percent of Zambia's imports (see **Table 20 & Annex 2.13**).

| Partner | K' Billion | % Share |
|----------------|------------|--------------|
| South Africa | 3.1 | 35.9 |
| China | 1.2 | 14.0 |
| India | 0.6 | 7.6 |
| Ireland | 0.3 | 4.1 |
| United Kingdom | 0.3 | 3.5 |
| Other sources | 3.0 | 34.9 |
| Total | 8.5 | 100.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: (*) Provisional

Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings and Major Trading Partners February 2021

The SADC exclusive grouping was the main source of Zambia's imports accounting for 40.6 percent in February 2021. Within this grouping South Africa was the main source of imports accounting for 88.5 percent. Other notable markets were Namibia, Tanzania, Botswana and Mozambique collectively accounting for 11.5 percent.

Asia was the second source of Zambia's imports accounting for 34.0 percent in February, 2021. Within this grouping, China was the main source accounting for 41.2 percent followed by India with 22.4 percent. Other notable markets were Japan, United Arab Emirates, and Malaysia collectively accounting for 20.4 percent.

The EU was third accounting for 11.4 percent. Within this grouping, Ireland was the dominant source accounting for 35.6 percent followed by Germany with 19.0 percent. Other notable

markets were Netherlands, Finland and France collectively accounting for 24.6 percent.

The Dual SADC & COMESA grouping was the fourth accounting for 5.2 percent in February, 2021. Within this grouping, Seychelles was the dominant source accounting for 44.5 percent followed by Mauritius with 22.9 and Zimbabwe with 20.7 percent. Other notable markets were Malawi and Eswatini collectively accounting for 11.2 percent.

The COMESA exclusive grouping was fifth accounting for 1.0 percent in February, 2021. Within this grouping, Kenya was the dominant market with 82.2 percent followed by Egypt with 13.5 percent. Other notable markets were Uganda and Ethiopia collectively accounting for 4.2 percent **(see Table 21)**.

Table 21: Import Market Shares by Selected Regional Groupings, Feb. 2021 and Jan. 2021

| GROUPING | Feb-21* | | GROUPING | Jan-21 | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| | Value (K'Million) | % Share | | Value (K'Million) | % Share |
| SADC Exclusive | 3,464.7 | 100.0 | Asia | 3,244.1 | 100.0 |
| South Africa | 3,067.2 | 88.5 | China | 1,221.0 | 37.6 |
| Namibia | 248.2 | 7.2 | India | 704.9 | 21.7 |
| Tanzania | 103.0 | 3.0 | United Arab Emirates | 567.1 | 17.5 |
| Botswana | 24.8 | 0.7 | Japan | 236.6 | 7.3 |
| Mozambique | 21.5 | 0.6 | Saudi Arabia | 110.5 | 3.4 |
| Other SADC Exclusive | 0.0 | 0.0 | Other ASIA | 403.9 | 12.5 |
| % of Total Imports | 40.6 | | % of Total Imports | 39.5 | |
| Asia | 2,897.5 | 100.0 | SADC Exclusive | 2,617.2 | 100.0 |
| China | 1,195.0 | 41.2 | South Africa | 2,308.0 | 88.2 |
| India | 648.2 | 22.4 | Namibia | 192.1 | 7.3 |
| Japan | 254.9 | 8.8 | Tanzania | 61.2 | 2.3 |
| United Arab Emirates | 202.8 | 7.0 | Mozambique | 31.4 | 1.2 |
| Malaysia | 132.7 | 4.6 | Botswana | 22.3 | 0.9 |
| Other ASIA | 463.9 | 16.0 | Other SADC Exclusive | 2.1 | 0.1 |
| % Of Total Imports | 34.0 | | % of Total Imports | 31.9 | |
| European Union | 971.3 | 100.0 | European Union | 998.2 | 100.0 |
| Ireland | 346.2 | 35.6 | Netherlands | 263.9 | 26.4 |
| Germany | 184.6 | 19.0 | Ireland | 235.2 | 23.6 |
| Netherlands | 87.6 | 9.0 | Germany | 95.4 | 9.6 |
| Finland | 81.2 | 8.4 | Finland | 80.7 | 8.1 |
| France | 70.6 | 7.3 | Sweden | 69.2 | 6.9 |
| Other EU | 200.2 | 20.6 | Other EU | 253.6 | 25.4 |
| % of Total Imports | 11.4 | | % of Total Imports | 12.2 | |
| DUAL-SADC & COMESA | 445.6 | 100.0 | DUAL-SAD & COMESA | 663.0 | 100.0 |
| Seychelles | 198.2 | 44.5 | Congo DR | 243.9 | 36.8 |
| Mauritius | 102.2 | 22.9 | Seychelles | 232.5 | 35.1 |
| Zimbabwe | 92.0 | 20.7 | Zimbabwe | 82.1 | 12.4 |

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|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Malawi | 26.2 | 5.9 | Mauritius | 44.2 | 6.7 |
| Eswatini(Swaziland) | 23.8 | 5.3 | Eswatini(Swaziland) | 44.1 | 6.7 |
| Other DUAL-SADC & COMESA | 3.2 | 0.7 | Other DUAL-SAD & COMESA | 16.2 | 2.4 |
| % of Total Imports | 5.2 | | % of Total Imports | 8.1 | |
| COMESA Exclusive | 85.4 | 100.0 | COMESA Exclusive | 128.0 | 100.0 |
| Kenya | 70.2 | 82.2 | Kenya | 101.5 | 79.3 |
| Egypt | 11.5 | 13.5 | Egypt | 24.8 | 19.4 |
| Uganda | 3.3 | 3.9 | Uganda | 1.3 | 1.0 |
| Ethiopia | 0.3 | 0.4 | Burundi | 0.4 | 0.4 |
| Sudan | 0.0 | 0.0 | Tunisia | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other COMESA Exclusive | 0.0 | 0.0 | Other COMESA Exclusive | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| % of Total Imports | 1.0 | | % of Total Imports | 1.6 | |
| Rest of the World | 669.6 | 7.8 | Rest of the World | 556.6 | 6.8 |
| World | 8,534.1 | 100.0 | World | 8,207.1 | 100.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Note: (*) Provisional ® Revised

Series 11: GET TO KNOW YOUR NEW STATISTICS ACT of 2018: DEVELOPMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE NATIONAL STATISTICAL MIS

Welcome to the Statistics Act Corner, dedicated to help our readers, including all data producers and users to gain some insight on the law governing statistics production and dissemination in Zambia. The Agency is hopeful that readers have found the articles useful in learning about the contents of the Act.

Last month's article pointed out the first function of the National Statistical System (NSS) provided in Part III, Section 15. (1) stating that the “The National Statistical System is responsible for planning, collecting, compiling, producing, analysing and disseminating official and unofficial statistics”. This month we move on to the second function of the NSS, i.e.:

15. (2) The National Statistical System, shall, develop a comprehensive national statistical management information system, along with a sector management information system, to ensure reliable, comprehensive and harmonised statistical information.

Information and Communication Technology (ICT) is an important and integral part of an effective and secure production of statistics system. ICT is also cross-cutting and have an impact on all statistics produced, and subsequently on almost all work environments and service provisions. According to the Act, ZamStats are now mandated to be a custodian of all data, through the housing of a comprehensive national statistical management information system (MIS). Further, all sectors are expected to have MISs which are interlinked the ZamStats, more or less like sub MISs. However, there are some ICT related challenges that the NSS has been identified with, which include:

- Lack of ICT policies and strategy;
- Unstructured data storage; and
- Low knowledge about networking and database management.

It is possible for Government, working with partners, to resolve these challenges in order to put in place an ICT environment that supports efficient statistics production. Currently, ZamStats has partnered with Statistics Sweden to resolve the specific challenges listed above as they pertain to the Agency. It is expected that the benefits of this joint cooperation will go beyond ZamStats to the sectors. Readers are reminded that the NSS by definition is an ensemble of data producers, users, providers, research and training institutions, media and cooperating partners. Therefore, the need for working together as demonstrated in the Table below cannot be overemphasised:

| Process | Who is involved? | How? |
|----------------------|---|---|
| Planning | Users, Cooperating partners, Producers | Identification, indication of data needs and indicators; development of survey methodology; resource mobilisation and input. |
| Collecting | Producers, Research and Training Institutions | Data collectors' training; data collection in selected households or enterprises. |
| Compiling | Producers | Collating of data from various sources, including Administrative records, secondary data, etc. |
| Producing | Producers | Work with groups of experts to develop standards, guidelines, methods and tools to modernize and improve the efficiency of statistical production. |
| Analysing | Producers, Users | Analysing and interpreting results collected from surveys and research Involves data cleaning (coding, editing and in some cases imputing) and transforming the data in order to draw plausible conclusions from it. |
| Dissemination | Producers, Users, Media | Release of survey results and routine statistics using various means, jointly or by institutions. Includes dissemination meetings/workshops, press releases, publications, print and electronic media platforms, websites, etc. Electronic platforms require good storage of data for easy and secure retrieval and use. |

Don't miss out on subsequent articles, in which we will continue to discuss the NSS functions,

Until, then remember to:

1. Get your own copy of the New Statistics Act, from our website: www.zamstats.gov.zm.
2. Check provisions that speak to your area of interest.
3. Pass on any queries to ZamStats for interpretation.
4. Tell others around you about the Statistics Act, and that it is an Act for all with interest in Statistics including the young people.

Layman and Statistics

Demographic Statistics

Census: The count of a given population (or other phenomena of interest) and record its characteristics, done at a specific point in time and usually at regular intervals by a government entity (or any other entity) for the geographic area or subareas under its domain. Examples include Population Census, Housing Census, Census of Business establishments, Agriculture Census etc.

Census Coverage: An estimate of how complete a census was of a given population.

Census Night: The night preceding the Population Census.

Geographical and Mapping

Boundary: A line which defines the extent of an aerial unit or the locations where two areas meet. A boundary is represented in a GIS as a line feature which may define a side of a polygon. The boundary may or may not be visible on the ground, i.e., it can follow real world features, such as roads and rivers or it can be defined solely by geographic coordinates.

Geographical Information System (GIS): A computer system capable of capturing, storing, editing, integrating, manipulating, analysing and displaying data related to positions on Earth's surface.

Global Positioning System (GPS): The Global Positioning System (GPS) is a space-based navigation system that provides location and time information in all weather conditions, anywhere on or near the Earth where there is an unobstructed line of sight to four or more GPS satellites.

Constituency: An electoral boundary segmented for the purpose of electing a member of the National Assembly.

Constituency Boundary: A Constituency Boundary is a representation of a constituency on an election thematic map and is symbolized as a polygon feature. A collection of wards forms a Constituency.

Province: An area with defined boundaries either by counties, districts, countries or any other specificity, which can clearly differentiate boundaries and is normally named according to the compass direction with respect to the surrounding areas. It can be administrative or statistical.

Ward: A Ward is an electoral boundary segmented for the purpose of electing a councillor.

Rural Area: An area that lacks most if not all the facilities/amenities found in the urban areas. The population tends to be scattered.

Urban: is a place-based characteristic that incorporate elements of population density, social and economic organization, and the transformation of the natural environment into a built environment.

Urbanization: The process by which there is an increase in the proportion of people living in urban areas. The common indices used to describe urbanization are: population size, population density and level of administration.

Urbanization: refers to a broad-based rural to urban transition involving population, land use, economic activity and culture, or any of these.

Consumer Price Index (CPI):

Consumer Price Index (CPI): measures changes over time in the general level of prices of goods and services that households acquire for the purpose of consumption. The basket relates to a selection of goods and services that is representative of the consumption habits of most households in the country.

Inflation: Inflation is defined as a sustained increase in the general level of prices for goods and services over a period of time.

Annual Inflation: The annual Inflation Rate is the change in the CPI for all items of the relevant month of the current year compared with the CPI for all items of the same month in the previous year expressed as a percentage.

Consumption: any activity in which households use goods and/or services to satisfy their needs and wants but not for business purposes nor for the acquisition of wealth. Thus investment in all forms of assets is excluded.

International Merchandise Trade and Balance of Payment Statistics

Balance of Payments (BOP): These are the summaries of all transactions that a country's individuals, companies and government bodies complete with individuals, companies and government bodies outside the country.

Bill of Entry: This is a document against which goods are entered to obtain customs clearance and with which any duties thereon are paid.

Certificate of Origin: This is an important international document that certifies that goods in a particular export shipment are wholly obtained, produced, manufactured or processed in a particular country. They also serve as a declaration by the exporters.

Cost Insurance and Freight (CIF): The type of values including the transaction value of the goods, the value of services performed to deliver goods to the border of the exporting country and the value of the services performed to deliver the goods from the border of the exporting country to the border of the importing country.

Free On Board (FOB): The type of values including the transaction value of the goods and the value of services performed to deliver goods to the border of the exporting country.

Goods in Transit: This refers to goods simply being transported through a country.

Industrial Production

Manufacturing: The physical or chemical transformation of materials or components into new products, whether the work is performed by power-driven machines or by hand, whether it is done in a factory or in the workers home, and whether the products are sold at wholesale or retail.

Index of Industrial Production: The Index of Industrial Production (IIP) is an economic indicator measuring change in real output of the manufacturing, mining, electricity and water utility industries, relative to a base year.

Production Value: The value of the quantities produced by an establishment in a given period of time.

Maximum Production Capacity: The maximum output that a plant can produce with existing machinery and in the availability of sufficient inputs in a given period.

Unit of Measurement: is a definite magnitude of a quantity/volume, defined and adopted by convention or by law that is used as a standard for measurement of the same kind of quantity.

Labour Statistics

An Unemployed Person: is one who is not in employment, and is actively seeking and is available for paid work during a specified reference period.

Combined Rate of Unemployment and Potential Labour Force: is among the measures used to calculate labour underutilisation. It combines the unemployed population with the potential labour force to measure the level of unemployment in a less strict context than the standard unemployment rate alone.

Potential Labour Force: refers to people without employment that are seeking work but not available for employment (*typically, these would include students who are about to leave the school system to join the labour market*) and/or those who are available but not seeking employment (*typically, these would include persons who have given up seeking employment, because they believe there are no jobs on the market*).

Statistics Act, No.13 of 2018

National Statistical System: The National Statistical System (NSS) comprises data producers, data users, data suppliers and research and training institutions. The National Statistical Office (NSO), which in this case the Zambia Statistics Agency (ZamStats) is the hub of the system, reflecting its coordination and harmonisation role.

Agency: The Zambia Statistics Agency established under section 5;

Metadata: The range of information, generally textual, that fosters understanding of the context in which statistical data has been collected, processed and analysed with the objective of creating statistical information;

Official Statistics: Statistics describing, on a representative basis, the economic, demographic, social or environmental phenomena of the Republic in the statistical work programmes of statistical agencies. The Agency may designate, as official statistics, any statistics or class of statistics produced from collections of statistics by the National Statistical System.

Spatial Data: Information that identifies the geographic location and characteristics of natural or constructed features and boundaries on the earth, derived from remote sensing, global positioning systems, geographic information systems, cartographic;

Statistics: Any official or unofficial aggregated numerical information relating to demographic, economic, financial, environmental, social or other matters, available in digital or other applicable format, collected at national, regional or local level, which is compiled and analysed according to relevant scientific and statistical methodologies, and which is connected with, or incidental to, any census or survey of all or any of the matters specified in the Third Schedule, and includes information derived from records of administration kept by statistical agencies;

Statistical Agency: A public body that has the power to collect, compile or disseminate statistics under a written law;

User: In relation to statistics includes a public body, private body, researcher, research institution, higher education institution, international or regional organisation or any other user;

Dissemination: The direct or indirect publication, sale or provision of official or other statistics, spatial data or related documentation in any form.

ANNEXES

ANNEX 1: CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

Table 1.1: Consumer Price Index - Food and Non-Food (National), 2017-2021

| Period | Month | Total | Food CPI | Non-Food CPI |
|--------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Weight | | 1000.0 | 534.9 | 465.2 |
| 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 | 193.06 | 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 |
| | March | 207.62 | 204.90 | 210.75 |
| | April | 208.93 | 206.80 | 211.38 |
| | May | 209.83 | 207.61 | 212.39 |
| | June | 210.35 | 208.21 | 212.81 |
| | 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 |
| | March | 223.29 | 221.74 | 225.06 |
| | April | 224.92 | 224.03 | 225.94 |
| | May | 226.84 | 226.47 | 227.25 |
| | June | 228.54 | 227.34 | 229.87 |
| | July | 229.56 | 228.26 | 231.07 |
| | August | 231.27 | 230.95 | 231.63 |
| | September | 234.08 | 235.59 | 232.35 |
| | October | 236.28 | 238.09 | 234.20 |
| | November | 238.64 | 240.77 | 236.20 |
| | December | 242.42 | 246.35 | 237.91 |
| 2020 | January | 246.72 | 249.20 | 243.87 |
| | February | 251.51 | 252.41 | 250.48 |
| | March | 254.62 | 255.51 | 253.60 |
| | April | 260.25 | 262.20 | 258.01 |
| | May | 264.38 | 266.01 | 262.51 |
| | June | 264.94 | 264.47 | 265.47 |
| | July | 265.83 | 265.11 | 266.67 |
| | August | 267.07 | 266.84 | 267.33 |
| | September | 270.81 | 268.57 | 273.39 |
| | October | 274.20 | 272.84 | 275.76 |
| | November | 280.21 | 281.13 | 279.14 |
| | December | 289.04 | 296.10 | 280.92 |
| 2021 | January | 299.73 | 312.96 | 284.52 |
| | February | 307.32 | 321.37 | 291.16 |
| | March | 312.68 | 326.51 | 296.78 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2020,

Note: 2009=100

Table 1.2: Consumer Price Index by Division, 2018 - 2021

| 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 HseMtc | 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 |
| 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 |
| | March | 223.29 | 221.74 | 197.49 | 229.01 | 241.16 | 218.20 | 200.98 | 253.65 | 130.66 | 202.79 | 225.87 | 184.68 | 205.09 |
| | April | 224.92 | 224.03 | 198.28 | 229.94 | 242.30 | 218.64 | 202.51 | 255.16 | 130.66 | 203.41 | 225.87 | 187.03 | 205.87 |
| | May | 226.84 | 226.47 | 199.08 | 230.98 | 243.34 | 219.90 | 203.07 | 259.73 | 130.66 | 204.32 | 224.50 | 187.72 | 206.75 |
| | June | 228.54 | 227.37 | 200.78 | 231.42 | 243.63 | 221.68 | 204.18 | 274.82 | 130.68 | 205.67 | 224.65 | 188.26 | 208.11 |
| | July | 229.56 | 228.26 | 201.88 | 233.07 | 244.55 | 222.95 | 205.09 | 275.91 | 131.49 | 208.18 | 224.67 | 190.56 | 209.60 |
| | August | 231.27 | 230.95 | 202.95 | 234.00 | 244.20 | 223.56 | 206.42 | 276.77 | 132.24 | 208.81 | 225.79 | 191.22 | 210.58 |
| | September | 234.08 | 235.59 | 204.35 | 234.72 | 244.57 | 224.69 | 207.74 | 277.60 | 132.36 | 210.25 | 225.79 | 192.39 | 211.25 |
| | October | 236.28 | 238.09 | 205.27 | 235.81 | 246.99 | 226.83 | 208.69 | 281.74 | 132.37 | 210.79 | 225.79 | 193.95 | 212.20 |
| | November | 238.64 | 240.77 | 207.31 | 237.25 | 249.51 | 228.91 | 210.19 | 285.07 | 132.76 | 212.03 | 225.79 | 194.46 | 214.10 |
| | December | 242.42 | 246.35 | 208.19 | 238.43 | 250.41 | 230.33 | 211.40 | 291.29 | 132.76 | 213.07 | 225.79 | 195.37 | 215.69 |
| 2020 | January | 246.72 | 249.20 | 208.60 | 239.26 | 267.80 | 232.52 | 212.42 | 298.08 | 132.76 | 214.61 | 228.44 | 195.74 | 216.45 |
| | February | 251.51 | 252.41 | 209.87 | 242.06 | 279.18 | 233.58 | 213.98 | 322.53 | 132.76 | 213.19 | 228.40 | 196.52 | 217.02 |
| | March | 254.62 | 255.51 | 211.36 | 243.22 | 283.20 | 235.38 | 216.10 | 332.20 | 132.76 | 216.13 | 228.40 | 198.80 | 219.06 |
| | April | 260.25 | 262.20 | 214.62 | 245.00 | 283.68 | 237.90 | 218.06 | 357.60 | 132.78 | 217.26 | 228.41 | 201.03 | 220.63 |
| | May | 264.38 | 266.01 | 220.01 | 248.04 | 286.57 | 246.00 | 225.44 | 361.98 | 133.63 | 220.74 | 228.41 | 202.95 | 228.43 |
| | June | 264.94 | 264.47 | 222.56 | 250.46 | 287.99 | 248.98 | 228.46 | 371.95 | 133.63 | 223.67 | 228.53 | 205.06 | 230.11 |
| | July | 265.83 | 265.11 | 224.99 | 253.60 | 289.52 | 250.47 | 230.44 | 369.88 | 133.63 | 224.83 | 228.53 | 207.46 | 231.08 |
| | August | 267.07 | 266.84 | 225.44 | 254.49 | 290.00 | 251.17 | 232.28 | 370.64 | 133.63 | 225.46 | 228.53 | 209.67 | 231.91 |
| | September | 270.81 | 268.57 | 225.56 | 255.85 | 301.98 | 254.23 | 234.28 | 388.84 | 133.95 | 224.73 | 228.53 | 208.54 | 232.41 |
| | October | 274.20 | 272.84 | 228.93 | 257.97 | 303.07 | 257.82 | 236.57 | 393.26 | 134.50 | 227.48 | 228.91 | 212.28 | 234.75 |
| | November | 280.21 | 281.13 | 231.43 | 260.60 | 304.36 | 262.60 | 237.41 | 403.51 | 135.88 | 231.93 | 228.92 | 215.69 | 236.55 |
| | December | 289.04 | 296.10 | 231.95 | 262.33 | 304.73 | 266.75 | 238.19 | 404.30 | 136.26 | 237.96 | 229.26 | 216.43 | 239.39 |
| 2021 | January | 299.73 | 312.96 | 233.52 | 265.54 | 307.00 | 269.50 | 240.29 | 413.27 | 136.46 | 239.94 | 237.81 | 217.03 | 241.59 |
| | February | 307.32 | 321.37 | 236.96 | 273.39 | 316.16 | 278.91 | 247.17 | 417.18 | 137.27 | 241.46 | 240.54 | 219.96 | 245.30 |
| | March | 312.68 | 326.51 | 239.79 | 275.39 | 327.27 | 283.87 | 249.58 | 423.05 | 137.87 | 245.62 | 240.88 | 222.05 | 251.18 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2020

Note: 2009 = 100

Table 1.3: Consumer Price Indices and Annual Inflation, 2017-2021

| Year | Month | Annual CPI | Annual Inflation Rate |
|-------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| 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 | December | 216.99 | 7.9 |
| 2019 | January | 219.27 | 7.9 |
| 2019 | February | 220.87 | 7.8 |
| 2019 | March | 223.29 | 7.5 |
| 2019 | April | 224.92 | 7.7 |
| 2019 | May | 226.84 | 8.1 |
| 2019 | June | 228.54 | 8.6 |
| 2019 | July | 229.56 | 8.8 |
| 2019 | August | 231.27 | 9.3 |
| 2019 | September | 234.08 | 10.5 |
| 2019 | October | 236.28 | 10.7 |
| 2019 | November | 238.64 | 10.8 |
| 2019 | December | 242.42 | 11.7 |
| 2020 | January | 246.72 | 12.5 |
| 2020 | February | 251.51 | 13.9 |
| 2020 | March | 254.62 | 14.0 |
| 2020 | April | 260.25 | 15.7 |
| 2020 | May | 264.38 | 16.6 |
| 2020 | June | 264.94 | 15.9 |
| 2020 | July | 265.83 | 15.8 |
| 2020 | August | 267.07 | 15.5 |
| 2020 | September | 270.81 | 15.7 |
| 2020 | October | 274.20 | 16.0 |
| 2020 | November | 280.21 | 17.4 |
| 2020 | December | 289.04 | 19.2 |
| 2021 | January | 299.73 | 21.5 |
| 2021 | February | 307.32 | 22.2 |
| 2021 | March | 312.68 | 22.8 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021

Note: 2009 = 100

Table 1.4: Consumer Price Index by Province, Jan 2017- Mar 2021

| | 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 |
| 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 |
| Mar-19 | 223.29 | 215.91 | 214.99 | 241.52 | 216.52 | 224.77 | 222.67 | 238.95 | 227.34 | 223.39 |
| Apr-19 | 224.92 | 217.55 | 216.08 | 243.06 | 217.66 | 227.00 | 224.20 | 239.86 | 229.49 | 223.91 |
| May-19 | 226.84 | 220.11 | 217.80 | 243.35 | 218.81 | 229.09 | 226.44 | 242.51 | 231.87 | 226.15 |
| Jun-19 | 228.54 | 222.37 | 219.37 | 244.16 | 219.32 | 231.30 | 228.38 | 243.80 | 233.44 | 227.26 |
| Jul-19 | 229.56 | 223.48 | 220.83 | 244.67 | 220.43 | 232.36 | 228.76 | 245.20 | 233.96 | 228.72 |
| Aug-19 | 231.27 | 227.84 | 221.62 | 248.30 | 222.40 | 233.34 | 231.12 | 245.63 | 235.08 | 230.33 |
| Sep-19 | 234.08 | 228.77 | 223.42 | 251.14 | 224.73 | 237.90 | 233.86 | 248.09 | 237.54 | 233.27 |
| Oct-19 | 236.28 | 230.16 | 225.22 | 253.90 | 227.75 | 240.10 | 236.43 | 249.18 | 240.27 | 236.42 |
| Nov-19 | 238.64 | 232.00 | 227.87 | 255.90 | 230.95 | 242.45 | 238.54 | 251.97 | 242.94 | 237.73 |
| Dec-19 | 242.42 | 234.70 | 229.75 | 257.59 | 234.82 | 246.79 | 245.39 | 254.57 | 251.55 | 238.27 |
| Jan - 20 | 246.72 | 236.79 | 236.24 | 263.14 | 238.21 | 251.28 | 248.06 | 257.49 | 255.37 | 238.78 |
| Feb-20 | 251.51 | 242.84 | 239.74 | 264.48 | 243.42 | 258.57 | 253.02 | 262.95 | 258.58 | 240.34 |
| Mar-20 | 254.62 | 246.03 | 240.80 | 269.44 | 245.96 | 262.45 | 257.92 | 267.31 | 260.68 | 244.41 |
| Apr-20 | 260.25 | 252.03 | 248.34 | 272.38 | 250.44 | 268.15 | 262.86 | 273.61 | 265.06 | 249.56 |
| May-20 | 264.38 | 259.46 | 253.28 | 272.51 | 251.12 | 271.42 | 272.66 | 274.82 | 265.99 | 260.99 |
| June-20 | 264.94 | 262.00 | 252.13 | 273.05 | 254.85 | 271.86 | 274.62 | 276.70 | 265.26 | 262.54 |
| July-20 | 265.83 | 263.98 | 252.48 | 274.79 | 256.88 | 272.52 | 273.97 | 277.48 | 266.27 | 264.14 |
| Aug-20 | 267.07 | 264.62 | 252.66 | 280.92 | 257.86 | 272.62 | 275.74 | 281.02 | 268.09 | 265.89 |
| Sep-20 | 270.81 | 265.41 | 255.74 | 284.38 | 262.31 | 277.54 | 279.58 | 283.04 | 271.83 | 273.57 |
| Oct-20 | 274.20 | 270.92 | 261.05 | 287.21 | 263.41 | 280.32 | 279.45 | 285.55 | 275.52 | 274.91 |
| Nov-20 | 280.21 | 278.20 | 264.62 | 291.45 | 268.73 | 287.89 | 284.67 | 290.56 | 283.28 | 281.99 |
| Dec-20 | 289.04 | 293.69 | 272.96 | 301.52 | 273.65 | 293.83 | 304.43 | 301.46 | 285.02 | 297.69 |
| Jan-21 | 299.73 | 303.54 | 281.14 | 310.02 | 278.89 | 304.18 | 325.12 | 309.49 | 295.09 | 325.00 |
| Feb-21 | 307.32 | 309.82 | 286.70 | 316.84 | 285.72 | 311.75 | 345.85 | 328.92 | 299.65 | 327.52 |
| Mar-21 | 312.68 | 316.79 | 290.48 | 327.00 | 290.69 | 319.59 | 350.37 | 331.46 | 306.25 | 311.14 |

Source: ZamStats, Prices Statistics, 2021,

Note: 2009 = 100

ANNEX 2: INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE

Table 2.1: Traditional and Non-Traditional Exports, Jan 2020-Feb 2021 (K' Million)

| PERIOD | TE's | NTE's | TOTAL EXPORTS (fob) |
|-----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Jan-20 | 6,209.9 | 2,111.7 | 8,321.6 |
| Feb-20 | 5,625.8 | 2,328.6 | 7,954.4 |
| Mar-20 | 6,400.4 | 2,129.8 | 8,530.2 |
| Quarter1 | 18,236.1 | 6,570.1 | 24,806.2 |
| Apr-20 | 7,045.2 | 1,884.5 | 8,929.7 |
| May-20 | 8,261.1 | 2,462.1 | 10,723.2 |
| Jun-20 | 6,797.2 | 2,697.0 | 9,494.2 |
| Quarter2 | 22,103.5 | 7,043.6 | 29,147.1 |
| Jul-20 | 8,801.3 | 3,492.3 | 12,293.6 |
| Aug-20 | 10,534.8 | 3,434.7 | 13,969.5 |
| Sep-20 | 12,738.6 | 3,920.3 | 16,658.9 |
| Quarter3 | 32,074.6 | 10,847.3 | 42,921.9 |
| Oct-20 | 11,372.4 | 3,977.3 | 15,349.8 |
| Nov-20 | 12,681.3 | 3,731.1 | 16,412.4 |
| Dec-20 | 12,997.7 | 3,632.5 | 16,630.3 |
| Quarter4 | 37,051.5 | 11,340.9 | 48,392.4 |
| Total 2020: | 109,465.6 | 35,801.9 | 145,267.6 |
| Jan-21 | 14,039.2 | 3,487.6 | 17,526.7 |
| Feb-21* | 12,802.9 | 3,828.1 | 16,631.0 |
| Total 2021 (Jan-Feb) | 26,842.0 | 7,315.6 | 34,157.7 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Table 2.2: Total Exports by Product Category, Jan. 2020 - Feb. 2021 (K' Million)

| PERIOD | CONSUMER GOODS | RAW MATERIALS | INTERMEDIATE GOODS | CAPITAL GOODS | TOTAL EXPORTS (fob) |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Jan-20 | 632.3 | 380.0 | 7,140.4 | 168.9 | 8,321.6 |
| Feb-20 | 828.8 | 497.3 | 6,434.6 | 193.8 | 7,954.4 |
| Mar-20 | 587.0 | 541.8 | 7,175.1 | 226.3 | 8,530.2 |
| Quarter1 | 2,048.1 | 1,419.1 | 20,750.0 | 589.0 | 24,806.2 |
| Apr-20 | 477.1 | 497.2 | 7,718.1 | 237.3 | 8,929.7 |
| May-20 | 682.3 | 973.9 | 8,844.6 | 222.4 | 10,723.2 |
| Jun-20 | 1,020.1 | 974.6 | 7,223.9 | 275.7 | 9,494.2 |
| Quarter2 | 2,179.5 | 2,445.6 | 23,786.5 | 735.4 | 29,147.1 |
| Jul-20 | 1,307.3 | 728.2 | 9,963.5 | 294.6 | 12,293.6 |
| Aug-20 | 1,409.7 | 641.3 | 11,684.3 | 234.1 | 13,969.5 |
| Sep-20 | 1,303.9 | 680.5 | 14,237.0 | 437.4 | 16,658.9 |
| Quarter3 | 4,020.9 | 2,050.1 | 35,884.8 | 966.1 | 42,921.9 |
| Oct-20 | 1,269.3 | 841.4 | 12,879.0 | 360.0 | 15,349.8 |
| Nov-20 | 1,391.3 | 1,509.0 | 13,107.5 | 404.6 | 16,412.4 |
| Dec-20 | 1,278.5 | 1,369.7 | 13,663.5 | 318.5 | 16,630.3 |
| Quarter4 | 3,939.1 | 3,720.1 | 39,650.0 | 1,083.2 | 48,392.4 |
| Total 2020: | 12,187.6 | 9,634.9 | 120,071.4 | 3,373.7 | 145,267.6 |
| Jan-21 | 1,057.2 | 1,152.3 | 15,041.1 | 276.1 | 17,526.7 |
| Feb-21* | 1,164.7 | 787.8 | 14,350.8 | 327.6 | 16,631.0 |
| Total 2021 (Jan-Feb) | 2,221.9 | 1,940.1 | 29,392.0 | 603.7 | 34,157.7 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2021

Table 2.3: Total Exports by Selected Regional Groupings, Jan. 2020 - Feb. 2021(K' Million)

| PERIOD | ASIA | COMESA | EU | SADC |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Jan-20 | 3,067.8 | 1,131.8 | 143.8 | 1,366.1 |
| Feb-20 | 2,860.3 | 1,440.5 | 122.5 | 1,749.9 |
| Mar-20 | 2,979.1 | 1,608.5 | 116.9 | 1,960.9 |
| Quarter1 | 8,907.2 | 4,180.7 | 383.2 | 5,076.8 |
| Apr-20 | 3,509.8 | 1,731.2 | 254.1 | 1,913.1 |
| May-20 | 3,639.8 | 1,895.4 | 218.6 | 2,356.4 |
| Jun-20 | 1,968.3 | 2,269.7 | 148.3 | 2,706.3 |
| Quarter2 | 9,117.9 | 5,896.2 | 621.0 | 6,975.8 |
| Jul-20 | 2,804.6 | 2,342.9 | 304.4 | 2,730.5 |
| Aug-20 | 4,683.4 | 1,980.7 | 334.3 | 2,564.0 |
| Sep-20 | 5,618.7 | 2,174.2 | 315.8 | 2,950.1 |
| Quarter3 | 13,106.7 | 6,497.8 | 954.6 | 8,244.7 |
| Oct-20 | 5,314.7 | 2,300.6 | 349.3 | 2,866.8 |
| Nov-20 | 4,985.1 | 2,343.3 | 510.9 | 2,884.0 |
| Dec-20 | 4,641.9 | 2,216.5 | 642.1 | 2,707.1 |
| Quarter4 | 14,941.8 | 6,860.4 | 1,502.4 | 8,457.9 |
| Total 2020: | 46,073.6 | 23,435.2 | 3,461.1 | 28,755.2 |
| Jan-21 | 6,291.0 | 2,067.0 | 968.9 | 2,658.7 |
| Feb-21* | 6,616.6 | 2,199.9 | 511.9 | 2,691.6 |
| Total 2021 (Jan-Feb): | 12,907.6 | 4,266.9 | 1,480.8 | 5,350.3 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

Table 2.4: Total Exports by Mode of Transport, Jan. 2020 - Feb. 2021

| PERIOD | ROAD TRANSPORT | | RAIL TRANSPORT | | AIR TRANSPORT | | OTHER | | TOTAL EXPORTS (fob) | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes |
| Jan-20 | 6,120.9 | 329,182.1 | 450.8 | 5,096.7 | 417.2 | 445.7 | 1,332.7 | 124,642.2 | 8,321.6 | 459,366.7 |
| Feb-20 | 5,459.8 | 316,966.1 | 444.1 | 5,164.7 | 339.6 | 508.2 | 1,711.0 | 131,173.0 | 7,954.4 | 453,812.0 |
| Mar-20 | 5,914.1 | 341,928.2 | 700.2 | 8,399.8 | 114.7 | 361.0 | 1,801.2 | 159,831.6 | 8,530.2 | 510,520.6 |
| Quarter1 | 17,494.8 | 988,076.3 | 1,595.1 | 18,661.2 | 871.4 | 1,314.9 | 4,844.9 | 415,646.9 | 24,806.2 | 1,423,699.3 |
| Apr-20 | 5,869.8 | 316,917.7 | 794.3 | 9,187.1 | 35.2 | 268.8 | 2,230.4 | 155,963.3 | 8,929.7 | 482,336.9 |
| May-20 | 7,573.3 | 340,652.8 | 573.9 | 6,308.9 | 240.0 | 241.9 | 2,336.0 | 172,516.5 | 10,723.2 | 519,720.1 |
| Jun-20 | 6,844.0 | 348,054.7 | 822.4 | 8,514.1 | 162.2 | 326.0 | 1,665.6 | 159,427.4 | 9,494.2 | 516,322.1 |
| Quarter2 | 20,287.1 | 1,005,625.2 | 2,190.6 | 24,010.1 | 437.4 | 836.7 | 6,232.0 | 487,907.2 | 29,147.1 | 1,518,379.2 |
| Jul-20 | 8,428.0 | 427,671.0 | 1,040.2 | 10,233.9 | 201.4 | 231.0 | 2,623.9 | 175,868.3 | 12,293.6 | 614,004.3 |
| Aug-20 | 10,120.0 | 434,616.2 | 929.0 | 9,206.7 | 171.8 | 291.5 | 2,748.7 | 171,727.7 | 13,969.5 | 615,842.1 |
| Sep-20 | 11,688.8 | 496,011.3 | 1,698.0 | 13,172.4 | 354.6 | 402.2 | 2,917.5 | 165,098.8 | 16,658.9 | 674,684.7 |
| Quarter3 | 30,236.8 | 1,358,298.5 | 3,667.2 | 32,613.1 | 727.8 | 924.8 | 8,290.1 | 512,694.8 | 42,921.9 | 1,904,531.1 |
| Oct-20 | 11,642.7 | 481,527.8 | 860.2 | 6,329.0 | 564.0 | 464.3 | 2,282.9 | 154,860.4 | 15,349.8 | 643,181.4 |
| Nov-20 | 12,124.1 | 471,059.2 | 1,342.4 | 13,348.6 | 188.2 | 352.2 | 2,757.6 | 167,052.7 | 16,412.4 | 651,812.7 |
| Dec-20 | 12,002.0 | 443,527.2 | 1,447.8 | 11,283.6 | 349.7 | 369.9 | 2,830.8 | 169,099.0 | 16,630.3 | 624,279.7 |
| Quarter4 | 35,768.8 | 1,396,114.2 | 3,650.4 | 30,961.2 | 1,101.9 | 1,186.3 | 7,871.3 | 491,012.2 | 48,392.4 | 1,919,273.8 |
| Total 2020: | 103,787.5 | 4,748,114.2 | 11,103.3 | 106,245.6 | 3,138.6 | 4,262.6 | 27,238.3 | 1,907,261.0 | 145,267.6 | 6,765,883.4 |
| Jan-21 | 10,973.2 | 397,845.7 | 2,249.2 | 14,279.4 | 433.5 | 472.5 | 3,870.8 | 182,666.7 | 17,526.7 | 595,264.3 |
| Feb-21* | 10,191.8 | 416,284.8 | 2,085.1 | 11,510.0 | 611.6 | 381.2 | 3,742.5 | 48,713.2 | 16,631.0 | 476,889.3 |
| Total 2021 (Jan-Feb) | 21,165.0 | 814,130.6 | 4,334.3 | 25,789.4 | 1,045.1 | 853.7 | 7,613.3 | 231,379.9 | 34,157.7 | 1,072,153.6 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

Note: 'Other' comprises of Sea & Rail, Sea & Road and Electric power line

Table 2.5: Imports Trade by Product Category, Jan. 2020 - Feb. 2021 (K Million)

| PERIOD | CONSUMER GOODS | RAW MATERIALS | INTERMEDIATE GOODS | CAPITAL GOODS | IMPORTS (cif) |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Jan-20 | 2,072.8 | 333.1 | 1,278.2 | 2,340.6 | 6,024.7 |
| Feb-20 | 3,271.8 | 297.1 | 1,456.9 | 2,931.9 | 7,957.7 |
| Mar-20 | 3,500.2 | 416.5 | 1,726.6 | 2,530.8 | 8,174.1 |
| Quarter1 | 8,844.8 | 1,046.6 | 4,461.8 | 7,803.3 | 22,156.4 |
| Apr-20 | 1,918.2 | 430.2 | 1,153.4 | 2,975.7 | 6,477.4 |
| May-20 | 1,817.9 | 641.2 | 1,648.1 | 2,580.6 | 6,687.8 |
| Jun-20 | 1,797.7 | 984.8 | 1,634.4 | 3,332.8 | 7,749.7 |
| Quarter2 | 5,533.8 | 2,056.2 | 4,435.9 | 8,889.1 | 20,915.0 |
| Jul-20 | 1,753.9 | 521.3 | 1,892.1 | 3,555.6 | 7,722.9 |
| Aug-20 | 2,694.3 | 558.7 | 1,910.3 | 3,492.7 | 8,656.0 |
| Sep-20 | 2,910.3 | 558.1 | 2,241.5 | 3,551.3 | 9,261.2 |
| Quarter3 | 7,358.4 | 1,638.1 | 6,043.8 | 10,599.6 | 25,640.0 |
| Oct-20 | 2,063.1 | 445.2 | 2,527.1 | 3,821.5 | 8,856.9 |
| Nov-20 | 2,941.1 | 493.2 | 2,094.7 | 3,729.2 | 9,258.1 |
| Dec-20 | 3,173.8 | 545.1 | 1,874.8 | 4,508.0 | 10,101.8 |
| Quarter4 | 8,178.0 | 1,483.5 | 6,496.5 | 12,058.7 | 28,216.8 |
| Total 2020: | 29,915.0 | 6,224.4 | 21,438.1 | 39,350.7 | 96,928.2 |
| Jan-21 | 2,523.3 | 494.8 | 2,126.5 | 3,062.4 | 8,207.1 |
| Feb-21* | 2,527.7 | 684.4 | 1,896.0 | 3,426.0 | 8,534.1 |
| Total 2021 (Jan-Feb): | 5,051.0 | 1,179.2 | 4,022.5 | 6,488.4 | 16,741.2 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

Table 2.6: Imports by Regional Groupings, Jan. 2020 - Feb. 2021 (K' Million)

| PERIOD | ASIA | COMESA | EU | SADC |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Jan-20 | 2,513.3 | 579.5 | 581.4 | 2,693.0 |
| Feb-20 | 4,274.2 | 500.5 | 499.6 | 2,861.0 |
| Mar-20 | 3,514.0 | 699.7 | 628.0 | 3,269.4 |
| Quarter1 | 10,301.5 | 1,779.7 | 1,709.0 | 8,823.3 |
| Apr-20 | 2,514.0 | 459.8 | 654.0 | 3,021.1 |
| May-20 | 2,698.1 | 570.4 | 796.4 | 2,737.3 |
| Jun-20 | 2,574.3 | 1,021.7 | 855.2 | 3,851.6 |
| Quarter2 | 7,786.3 | 2,051.8 | 2,305.7 | 9,610.0 |
| Jul-20 | 2,611.4 | 669.8 | 744.7 | 3,668.4 |
| Aug-20 | 3,441.0 | 684.1 | 900.0 | 3,709.7 |
| Sep-20 | 3,317.5 | 609.1 | 1,049.6 | 4,309.0 |
| Quarter3 | 9,369.9 | 1,963.0 | 2,694.2 | 11,687.2 |
| Oct-20 | 3,481.7 | 494.5 | 983.1 | 3,897.9 |
| Nov-20 | 3,303.6 | 636.6 | 1,265.0 | 4,168.1 |
| Dec-20 | 3,684.3 | 706.1 | 1,369.9 | 4,576.2 |
| Quarter4 | 10,469.6 | 1,837.3 | 3,617.9 | 12,642.2 |
| Total 2020: | 37,927.3 | 7,631.8 | 10,326.8 | 42,762.7 |
| Jan-21 | 3,244.1 | 791.0 | 998.2 | 3,280.2 |
| Feb-21* | 2,897.5 | 531.0 | 971.3 | 3,910.3 |
| Total 2021 (Jan-Feb): | 6,141.6 | 1,322.0 | 1,969.6 | 7,190.5 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

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Table 2.7: Imports by Mode of Transport, Jan. 2020-Feb. 2021

| PERIOD | ROAD TRANSPORT | | RAIL TRANSPORT | | AIR TRANSPORT | | OTHER | | IMPORTS (cif) | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes | Value (K'Million) | Tonnes |
| Jan-20 | 3,041.5 | 273,062.6 | 49.4 | 13,292.2 | 423.0 | 725.2 | 2,510.7 | 153,175.4 | 6,024.7 | 440,255.3 |
| Feb-20 | 3,496.3 | 259,561.3 | 48.7 | 13,400.8 | 481.1 | 609.4 | 3,931.6 | 177,857.9 | 7,957.7 | 451,429.3 |
| Mar-20 | 3,995.7 | 238,518.1 | 322.0 | 12,674.7 | 613.9 | 527.3 | 3,242.5 | 182,130.3 | 8,174.1 | 433,850.4 |
| Quarter1 | 10,533.5 | 771,141.9 | 420.2 | 39,367.7 | 1,517.9 | 1,861.9 | 9,684.8 | 513,163.5 | 22,156.4 | 1,325,535.0 |
| Apr-20 | 3,396.2 | 188,306.3 | 91.0 | 18,357.3 | 597.1 | 611.7 | 2,393.2 | 137,848.0 | 6,477.4 | 345,123.2 |
| May-20 | 3,431.1 | 196,316.2 | 108.2 | 20,433.8 | 840.4 | 1,583.0 | 2,308.1 | 137,053.1 | 6,687.8 | 355,386.0 |
| Jun-20 | 4,283.2 | 1,890,380.6 | 125.6 | 21,241.5 | 955.0 | 921.2 | 2,385.9 | 101,221.8 | 7,749.7 | 2,013,765.1 |
| Quarter2 | 11,110.5 | 2,275,003.1 | 324.9 | 60,032.5 | 2,392.4 | 3,115.8 | 7,087.2 | 376,122.8 | 20,915.0 | 2,714,274.3 |
| Jul-20 | 4,097.2 | 413,676.7 | 108.3 | 26,829.9 | 814.8 | 841.7 | 2,702.6 | 140,213.5 | 7,722.9 | 581,561.8 |
| Aug-20 | 4,098.0 | 208,387.8 | 123.1 | 28,421.5 | 929.9 | 788.2 | 3,505.0 | 181,266.5 | 8,656.0 | 418,864.0 |
| Sep-20 | 4,855.7 | 206,540.4 | 78.4 | 20,035.4 | 1,025.4 | 945.0 | 3,301.8 | 157,203.3 | 9,261.2 | 384,724.1 |
| Quarter3 | 13,050.9 | 828,605.0 | 309.8 | 75,286.8 | 2,770.0 | 2,574.8 | 9,509.3 | 478,683.3 | 25,640.0 | 1,385,149.9 |
| Oct-20 | 4,681.4 | 204,829.0 | 61.2 | 15,443.9 | 1,196.6 | 817.0 | 2,917.7 | 122,564.0 | 8,856.9 | 343,653.9 |
| Nov-20 | 4,908.5 | 181,604.8 | 63.1 | 10,022.1 | 1,283.0 | 812.8 | 3,003.5 | 114,762.3 | 9,258.1 | 307,202.0 |
| Dec-20 | 5,213.7 | 196,629.3 | 102.1 | 11,862.9 | 1,255.0 | 905.7 | 3,531.0 | 159,380.8 | 10,101.8 | 368,778.7 |
| Quarter4 | 14,803.6 | 583,063.1 | 226.4 | 37,329.0 | 3,734.6 | 2,535.4 | 9,452.1 | 396,707.1 | 28,216.8 | 1,019,634.6 |
| Total 2020: | 49,498.5 | 4,457,813.1 | 1,281.2 | 212,016.0 | 10,415.0 | 10,088.0 | 35,733.4 | 1,764,676.7 | 96,928.2 | 6,444,593.8 |
| Jan-21 | 4,277.0 | 152,014.5 | 58.7 | 6,595.1 | 920.4 | 764.0 | 2,950.9 | 128,514.7 | 8,207.1 | 287,888.3 |
| Feb-21* | 4,690.9 | 168,829.9 | 112.8 | 12,694.9 | 912.1 | 619.2 | 2,818.4 | 92,307.7 | 8,534.1 | 274,451.6 |
| Total 2021 (Jan-Feb): | 8,967.8 | 320,844.4 | 171.5 | 19,290.0 | 1,832.5 | 1,383.2 | 5,769.4 | 220,822.4 | 16,741.2 | 562,340.0 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

Note: 'Other' comprises of Sea & Rail and Sea & Road

Table 2.8: Zambia's Trade Flows in Absolute US \$ and Zambia Kwacha (ZMW), 2015 - Feb. 2021

| Flow Year | Currency | Total Exports | Domestic Exports | Re-Exports | Imports | Trade Balance |
|--------------|----------|-----------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| | | (fob) | (fob) | (fob) | (cif) | |
| 2015 | US \$ | 9,686,603,341 | 8,076,837,903 | 1,609,765,438 | 9,794,687,418 | -108,084,077 |
| | ZMW | 56,672,891,785 | 55,394,919,541 | 1,277,972,244 | 68,482,544,062 | -11,809,652,277 |
| 2016 | US \$ | 6,606,512,648 | 6,460,532,542 | 145,980,105 | 7,935,280,081 | -1,328,767,434 |
| | ZMW | 65,752,390,360 | 64,084,515,508 | 1,667,874,852 | 75,140,959,994 | -9,388,569,634 |
| 2017 | US \$ | 6,372,458,993 | 6,212,021,066 | 160,437,927 | 7,289,697,592 | -917,238,599 |
| | ZMW | 76,424,827,536 | 75,230,353,247 | 1,194,474,289 | 76,181,149,722 | 243,677,814 |
| 2018 | US \$ | 7,999,988,108 | 7,874,816,312 | 125,171,796 | 7,987,928,672 | 12,059,435 |
| | ZMW | 94,395,133,555 | 92,447,606,226 | 1,947,527,329 | 99,299,279,513 | -4,904,145,958 |
| 2019 | US \$ | 9,034,306,818 | 8,848,685,060 | 185,621,758 | 9,466,361,214 | -432,054,396 |
| | ZMW | 90,739,419,265 | 88,012,936,303 | 2,726,482,962 | 92,457,024,296 | -1,717,605,032 |
| 2020 | US \$ | 7,047,152,722 | 6,835,868,993 | 211,283,730 | 7,180,437,072 | -133,284,349 |
| | ZMW | 145,267,588,218 | 141,898,614,586 | 3,368,973,632 | 96,928,169,945 | 48,339,418,273 |
| Jan-Feb 2021 | US \$ | 7,816,569,195 | 7,632,954,186 | 183,615,009 | 5,318,717,331 | 2,497,851,864 |
| | ZMW | 34,157,716,682 | 33,306,016,862 | 851,699,821 | 16,741,219,433 | 17,416,497,250 |
| | US \$ | 1,594,678,428 | 1,554,983,068 | 39,695,361 | 781,317,395 | 813,361,033 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

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Table 2.9: Zambia's Annual Exports by Top 25 Trading Partners in Million ZMW/USD, 2017- Feb. 2021

| Year | 2017 | | 2018 | | 2019 | | 2020 | | JAN-FEB 2021 | | Total |
|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|
| Country | ZMW(FOB) | USD(FOB) | ZMW(FOB) | USD(FOB) | ZMW(FOB) | USD(FOB) | ZMW(FOB) | USD(FOB) | ZMW(FOB) | USD(FOB) | |
| Switzerland | 33,911.7 | 3,543.3 | 39,717.5 | 3,800.1 | 37,324.7 | 2,905.4 | 64,691.6 | 3,461.7 | 14,049.8 | 656.1 | 266,179.5 |
| China | 12,686.6 | 1,329.6 | 13,641.8 | 1,307.8 | 19,386.4 | 1,502.7 | 26,897.8 | 1,458.6 | 7,220.5 | 337.0 | 111,528.6 |
| Congo DR | 5,149.3 | 544.1 | 9,080.9 | 863.7 | 11,770.0 | 911.5 | 17,932.4 | 976.8 | 3,059.7 | 142.8 | 60,730.2 |
| Singapore | 4,730.2 | 495.1 | 7,496.0 | 699.7 | 7,590.6 | 587.8 | 16,860.3 | 905.5 | 4,542.3 | 212.0 | 51,810.7 |
| South Africa | 3,699.3 | 391.7 | 4,516.9 | 435.8 | 3,845.8 | 295.9 | 3,668.3 | 198.8 | 771.5 | 36.0 | 28,743.6 |
| United Arab Emirates | 2,824.0 | 293.6 | 2,422.1 | 236.5 | 590.3 | 47.4 | 432.2 | 22.5 | 230.4 | 10.8 | 12,028.1 |
| Zimbabwe | 1,276.9 | 134.0 | 1,423.2 | 136.2 | 1,270.5 | 99.7 | 1,905.7 | 101.1 | 661.3 | 30.8 | 12,462.5 |
| United Kingdom | 1,770.0 | 184.5 | 3,708.6 | 352.9 | 402.2 | 32.6 | 171.1 | 9.0 | 8.8 | 0.4 | 9,873.9 |
| Malawi | 938.5 | 99.4 | 884.6 | 84.8 | 1,343.9 | 103.9 | 1,953.1 | 104.7 | 309.5 | 14.5 | 8,517.7 |
| Hong Kong | 1,374.5 | 145.5 | 1,446.1 | 142.3 | 985.3 | 75.8 | 930.2 | 51.5 | 280.5 | 13.1 | 7,127.5 |
| India | 1,698.2 | 175.9 | 1,962.4 | 185.9 | 715.4 | 54.6 | 703.6 | 40.0 | 534.0 | 24.8 | 6,789.4 |
| Unknown Final Destination | 2,143.5 | 219.9 | 3,171.8 | 324.7 | 47.3 | 3.9 | 6.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5,369.0 |
| Luxembourg | 498.6 | 52.2 | 838.2 | 76.6 | 835.8 | 66.7 | 1,990.1 | 103.5 | 1,232.5 | 57.7 | 5,886.8 |
| Tanzania | 855.2 | 89.9 | 867.5 | 79.8 | 799.6 | 61.1 | 1,096.6 | 58.8 | 144.9 | 6.8 | 5,445.2 |
| Australia | 8.9 | 0.9 | 73.8 | 7.3 | 13.8 | 1.0 | 21.8 | 1.2 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 4,065.9 |
| Kenya | 688.2 | 72.5 | 625.2 | 60.1 | 813.7 | 63.3 | 736.3 | 39.2 | 64.2 | 3.0 | 4,029.7 |
| Namibia | 240.7 | 25.8 | 359.8 | 34.5 | 547.6 | 42.2 | 1,211.4 | 65.1 | 199.0 | 9.3 | 3,413.4 |
| Japan | 315.2 | 33.2 | 261.7 | 25.5 | 183.8 | 14.9 | 12.6 | 0.8 | 10.1 | 0.5 | 2,475.2 |
| Botswana | 243.4 | 25.5 | 328.9 | 31.4 | 399.8 | 31.1 | 438.2 | 23.6 | 123.7 | 5.8 | 2,297.0 |
| Mozambique | 169.4 | 17.7 | 131.7 | 12.6 | 229.1 | 17.9 | 342.1 | 17.9 | 60.1 | 2.8 | 1,605.6 |
| Germany | 92.3 | 9.5 | 187.6 | 17.6 | 153.4 | 11.9 | 240.0 | 13.0 | 45.0 | 2.1 | 1,463.5 |
| Burundi | 231.7 | 24.3 | 214.4 | 20.4 | 291.9 | 22.7 | 446.8 | 24.5 | 109.4 | 5.1 | 1,487.9 |
| Rwanda | 321.0 | 33.7 | 206.0 | 19.4 | 170.4 | 13.3 | 178.8 | 9.9 | 11.9 | 0.6 | 1,231.7 |
| United States of America | 38.5 | 4.0 | 128.8 | 12.5 | 65.0 | 5.0 | 427.4 | 22.9 | 70.1 | 3.3 | 853.7 |
| Netherlands | 100.2 | 10.4 | 61.8 | 5.9 | 102.4 | 8.0 | 207.1 | 11.0 | 48.6 | 2.3 | 791.2 |
| Others | 418.9 | 43.9 | 637.9 | 60.2 | 860.6 | 66.9 | 1,765.9 | 94.7 | 369.2 | 17.2 | 6,816.0 |
| Total: | 76,424.8 | 8,000.0 | 94,395.1 | 9,034.3 | 90,739.4 | 7,047.2 | 145,267.6 | 7,816.6 | 34,157.7 | 1,594.7 | 623,023.3 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

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Table 2.10: Zambia's Annual Imports by Top 25 Trading Partners in Million ZMW/USD, 2014 - Feb. 2021

| Year | 2017 | | 2018 | | 2019 | | 2020 | | JAN-FEB 2021 | | Total |
|--------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------|
| Country | ZMW(CIF) | USD(CIF) | ZMW(CIF) | USD(CIF) | ZMW(CIF) | USD(CIF) | ZMW(CIF) | USD(CIF) | ZMW(FOB) | USD(FOB) | |
| South Africa | 23,460.7 | 2,461.0 | 28,664.4 | 2,728.4 | 28,662.5 | 2,223.3 | 32,491.1 | 1,763.3 | 5,375.2 | 250.6 | 184,925.2 |
| China | 10,694.2 | 1,121.3 | 13,617.4 | 1,291.6 | 13,132.6 | 1,021.1 | 15,965.6 | 896.3 | 2,416.1 | 112.8 | 72,963.2 |
| Congo DR | 9,666.3 | 1,012.5 | 14,557.0 | 1,393.7 | 2,980.7 | 232.1 | 1,288.1 | 71.0 | 247.0 | 11.6 | 51,550.2 |
| United Arab Emirates | 4,534.3 | 468.3 | 6,337.7 | 596.2 | 9,598.4 | 740.3 | 8,378.3 | 469.2 | 769.9 | 36.1 | 36,038.0 |
| India | 2,348.1 | 246.3 | 4,634.4 | 442.9 | 4,482.6 | 352.1 | 5,233.0 | 285.8 | 1,353.1 | 63.2 | 27,003.2 |
| Kuwait | 4,419.9 | 466.7 | 4,559.7 | 440.4 | 1,804.0 | 151.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 21,514.7 |
| Mauritius | 2,087.2 | 217.5 | 2,141.0 | 206.0 | 2,595.0 | 200.2 | 1,967.6 | 109.7 | 146.5 | 6.8 | 18,363.0 |
| United Kingdom | 1,348.2 | 141.8 | 1,946.3 | 185.6 | 1,685.6 | 130.7 | 1,783.0 | 97.8 | 448.5 | 20.9 | 12,033.9 |
| United States of America | 1,030.7 | 108.5 | 2,043.4 | 194.7 | 2,392.1 | 186.5 | 2,186.3 | 119.1 | 481.8 | 22.5 | 11,634.0 |
| Japan | 1,228.0 | 129.1 | 1,772.0 | 168.6 | 2,245.4 | 173.9 | 2,086.9 | 112.8 | 491.5 | 22.9 | 11,537.5 |
| Kenya | 339.8 | 35.6 | 528.1 | 50.2 | 542.3 | 42.2 | 866.9 | 46.6 | 171.7 | 8.0 | 10,845.7 |
| Tanzania | 1,558.6 | 165.2 | 1,913.0 | 180.8 | 2,651.0 | 204.4 | 1,259.5 | 73.7 | 164.2 | 7.6 | 10,236.8 |
| Mozambique | 1,692.0 | 180.5 | 1,436.3 | 135.6 | 1,063.9 | 82.3 | 890.0 | 48.6 | 52.9 | 2.5 | 8,218.8 |
| Namibia | 1,212.8 | 126.0 | 1,083.1 | 104.1 | 1,365.4 | 105.6 | 1,568.4 | 85.8 | 440.4 | 20.5 | 7,968.8 |
| Germany | 657.3 | 69.5 | 1,142.5 | 107.5 | 1,448.1 | 113.2 | 1,328.3 | 70.4 | 280.0 | 13.0 | 6,814.3 |
| Zimbabwe | 709.1 | 74.5 | 781.7 | 74.2 | 798.5 | 61.8 | 1,142.1 | 62.4 | 174.1 | 8.1 | 5,797.5 |
| Netherlands | 557.1 | 58.6 | 526.8 | 50.2 | 727.3 | 56.7 | 1,241.7 | 64.4 | 351.5 | 16.5 | 4,969.7 |
| Sweden | 502.8 | 53.6 | 933.6 | 89.5 | 863.2 | 67.5 | 669.6 | 36.8 | 138.6 | 6.5 | 4,713.5 |
| Hong Kong | 477.2 | 50.0 | 778.5 | 74.6 | 716.1 | 55.1 | 952.2 | 52.4 | 120.2 | 5.6 | 4,560.9 |
| Singapore | 273.1 | 28.6 | 354.6 | 33.0 | 730.5 | 55.4 | 325.6 | 18.6 | 37.8 | 1.8 | 4,386.0 |
| Australia | 497.1 | 52.5 | 524.3 | 50.5 | 568.5 | 44.2 | 563.6 | 30.4 | 94.0 | 4.4 | 4,006.7 |
| Finland | 378.9 | 39.7 | 577.6 | 56.0 | 659.0 | 51.2 | 892.1 | 48.1 | 161.9 | 7.6 | 3,986.1 |
| Belgium | 549.0 | 58.0 | 459.9 | 44.0 | 524.6 | 40.8 | 545.0 | 29.5 | 70.2 | 3.3 | 3,587.7 |
| Ireland | 458.9 | 48.3 | 462.5 | 43.8 | 674.1 | 52.0 | 856.8 | 45.2 | 581.4 | 27.1 | 3,977.8 |
| Switzerland | 435.8 | 45.4 | 530.5 | 50.6 | 312.0 | 24.0 | 444.4 | 23.7 | 12.6 | 0.6 | 3,132.3 |
| Others | 5,064.0 | 529.1 | 6,993.1 | 673.5 | 9,233.4 | 712.9 | 12,002.0 | 657.1 | 2,160.2 | 100.8 | 51,556.9 |
| Total: | 76,181.1 | 7,987.9 | 99,299.3 | 9,466.4 | 92,457.0 | 7,180.4 | 96,928.2 | 5,318.7 | 16,741.2 | 781.3 | 586,322.1 |

Source: ZamStats, International Trade Statistics, 2020

Table 2.11: Zambia's Five Major Export Destinations by Product in Feb. 2021

| Country / Hs-Code | Description | Feb-21* | |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------|---------|
| | | Value (K'Million) | % Share |
| SWITZERLAND | | 6,602.7 | 100.0 |
| 74020020 | Copper anodes for electrolytic refining | 4,914.5 | 74.4 |
| 74031130 | Electro-won copper cathodes (High Purity) | 734.0 | 11.1 |
| 74031110 | Electro-refined copper cathodes (High Purity) | 389.2 | 5.9 |
| 26040000 | Nickel ores and concentrates | 184.0 | 2.8 |
| 74020011 | Copper blister | 169.4 | 2.6 |
| 74031140 | Electro-won copper cathodes (Low Purity) | 112.8 | 1.7 |
| 74032910 | - cobalt alloy | 59.3 | 0.9 |
| 74031200 | Wire-bars of refined copper | 39.4 | 0.6 |
| 08109000 | Other fruit, fresh, nes | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 02011000 | Carcasses and half-carcasses | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Others | | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Percent of Total Exports | | 39.7 | |
| CHINA | | 3,625.3 | 100.0 |
| 74020011 | Copper blister | 1,679.1 | 46.3 |
| 74020020 | Copper anodes for electrolytic refining | 1,317.5 | 36.3 |
| 74031130 | Electro-won copper cathodes (High Purity) | 529.1 | 14.6 |
| 68159900 | Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes | 45.0 | 1.2 |
| 44079900 | Other wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled,...of thickness > 6mm nes | 16.4 | 0.5 |
| 78019900 | Unwrought lead (excl. refined and containing antimony) | 7.9 | 0.2 |
| 26020000 | Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20% | 5.8 | 0.2 |
| 44039900 | Wood, nes in the rough..., (excl. treated) | 4.9 | 0.1 |
| 44092900 | Non-coniferous wood continuously shaped along any of its edges,ends of faces..., other | 4.7 | 0.1 |
| 28170010 | Zinc oxide; zinc peroxide in bulk | 4.7 | 0.1 |
| Others | | 10.2 | 0.3 |
| Percent of Total Exports | | 21.8 | |
| SINGAPORE | | 2,311.6 | 100.0 |
| 74020020 | Copper anodes for electrolytic refining | 1,622.5 | 70.2 |
| 74020011 | Copper blister | 197.8 | 8.6 |
| 74031140 | Electro-won copper cathodes (Low Purity) | 164.2 | 7.1 |
| 74031110 | Electro-refined copper cathodes (High Purity) | 155.6 | 6.7 |
| 74031130 | Electro-won copper cathodes (High Purity) | 144.5 | 6.2 |
| 74031120 | Electro-refined copper cathodes (Low Purity) | 20.1 | 0.9 |
| 41032000 | Hides and skins of reptiles, fresh or preserved, not tanned | 5.1 | 0.2 |
| 09011100 | Coffee, not roasted or decaffeinated | 1.7 | 0.1 |
| 26030022 | Copper concentrate mixed | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| 84714100 | Non-portable adp machines,comprisng at least cpu & i/o unit in same housing | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Others | | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Percent of Total Exports | | 13.9 | |
| CONGO DR | | 1,620.0 | 100.0 |
| 38249900 | Other nes | 183.5 | 11.3 |
| 25030000 | Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur) | 147.5 | 9.1 |
| 22029900 | Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes | 136.2 | 8.4 |
| 25232900 | Portland cement (excl. white) | 114.4 | 7.1 |
| 17011400 | Other raw cane sugar | 106.1 | 6.5 |
| 34022020 | Detergents used for washing clothes, dishes and kitchen utensils | 104.8 | 6.5 |
| 25221000 | Quicklime | 88.4 | 5.5 |
| 19053100 | Sweet biscuits. | 81.7 | 5.0 |

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| Country / Hs-Code | Description | Feb-21* | |
|---------------------------------|---|-------------------|--------------|
| | | Value (K'Million) | % Share |
| 28070010 | Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk | 62.3 | 3.8 |
| 84482000 | Parts and accessories of machines of 84.44 or their auxiliary machinery | 32.3 | 2.0 |
| Others | | 562.9 | 34.7 |
| Percent of Total Exports | | 9.7 | |
| INDIA | | 488.4 | 100.0 |
| 71039100 | Rubies, sapphires and emeralds, worked but not set... | 445.8 | 91.3 |
| 78019900 | Unwrought lead (excl. refined and containing antimony) | 27.3 | 5.6 |
| 74031900 | Other refined Copper | 3.8 | 0.8 |
| 71031000 | Precious (excl. diamonds) or semi-precious stones, unworked | 3.4 | 0.7 |
| 78011000 | Refined lead, unwrought | 2.3 | 0.5 |
| 76011000 | Unwrought aluminium, not alloyed | 1.6 | 0.3 |
| 26020000 | Manganese ores/concentrates(inc.ferruginous), with manganese cont.of=>20% | 1.4 | 0.3 |
| 76041000 | Bars, rods and profiles of aluminium, not alloyed | 1.1 | 0.2 |
| 68029100 | Marble, travertine and alabaster, worked | 0.9 | 0.2 |
| 90279000 | Parts and accessories of instruments for analysis of 90.27 | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| Others | | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| Percent of Total Exports | | 2.9 | |
| Other Destination | | 1,983.0 | 11.9 |
| Total Value Of Exports | | 16,631.0 | 100.0 |

Table 2.12: Zambia's Top Five Non-Traditional Exports Destinations by Product, Feb. 2021

| Country / Hs-Code | Description | Feb-21* | |
|--|--|-------------------|---------|
| | | Value (K'Million) | % Share |
| CONGO DR | | 1,619.9 | 100.0 |
| 38249900 | Other chemical products and preparations of the chemical, nes | 183.5 | 11.3 |
| 25030000 | Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur) | 147.5 | 9.1 |
| 22029900 | Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes | 136.2 | 8.4 |
| 25232900 | Portland cement (excl. white) | 114.4 | 7.1 |
| 17011400 | Other raw cane sugar | 106.1 | 6.5 |
| 34022020 | Detergents used for washing clothes, dishes and kitchen utensils | 104.8 | 6.5 |
| 25221000 | Quicklime | 88.4 | 5.5 |
| 19053100 | Sweet biscuits. | 81.7 | 5.0 |
| 28070010 | Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk | 62.3 | 3.8 |
| 84482000 | Parts and accessories of machines of 84.44 or their auxiliary machinery | 32.3 | 2.0 |
| Others | | 562.9 | 34.7 |
| Percent of Total Non-Traditional Exports | | 42.3 | |
| INDIA | | 484.6 | 100.0 |
| 71039100 | Rubies, sapphires and emeralds, worked but not set... | 445.8 | 92.0 |
| 78019900 | Unwrought lead (excl. refined and containing antimony) | 27.3 | 5.6 |
| 71031000 | Precious (excl. diamonds) or semi-precious stones, unworked | 3.4 | 0.7 |
| 78011000 | Refined lead, unwrought | 2.3 | 0.5 |
| 76011000 | Unwrought aluminium, not alloyed | 1.6 | 0.3 |
| 26020000 | MANGANESE ORES/CONCENTRATES(INC.FERRUGINOUS), WITH MANGANESE CONT.OF=>20% | 1.4 | 0.3 |
| 76041000 | Bars, rods and profiles of aluminium, not alloyed | 1.1 | 0.2 |
| 68029100 | Marble, travertine and alabaster, worked | 0.9 | 0.2 |
| 90279000 | Parts and accessories of instruments for analysis of 90.27 | 0.4 | 0.1 |
| 68159900 | Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes | 0.2 | 0.0 |
| Others | | 0.2 | 0.0 |
| Percent of Total Non-Traditional Exports | | 12.7 | |
| SOUTH AFRICA | | 371.9 | 100.0 |
| 71081310 | Bullion semi-manufactured forms | 101.6 | 27.3 |
| 23040000 | Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean | 38.4 | 10.3 |
| 72023000 | Ferro-silico-manganese | 34.6 | 9.3 |
| 74081100 | Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm | 28.6 | 7.7 |
| 52010000 | Cotton, not carded or combed | 20.3 | 5.4 |
| 85444900 | Electric conductors, nes, for a voltage <=80 V, not fitted with connectors | 16.9 | 4.6 |
| 17011400 | Other raw cane sugar | 12.9 | 3.5 |
| 20019000 | Other vegetables, fruits, etc, preserved by vinegar or acetic acid, nes | 10.3 | 2.8 |
| 17049000 | Sugar confectionery (incl. white chocolate), not containing cocoa, nes | 9.4 | 2.5 |
| 84089000 | Compression-ignition internal combustion piston engines, nes | 7.9 | 2.1 |
| Others | | 91.0 | 24.5 |
| Percent of Total Non-Traditional Exports | | 9.7 | |
| ZIMBABWE | | 369.0 | 100.0 |
| 10059000 | Maize (excl. seed) | 77.7 | 21.1 |
| 23040000 | Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean | 57.9 | 15.7 |
| 72141000 | Iron or non-alloy steel bars and rods, forged, | 42.5 | 11.5 |
| 25232900 | Portland cement (excl. white) | 25.4 | 6.9 |
| 22021020 | Aerated Waters | 23.0 | 6.2 |
| 38089110 | Other insecticides, for use in agriculture or horticulture, nes | 13.1 | 3.5 |
| 12019000 | Soya beans, whether or not broken, excl. seed | 10.8 | 2.9 |
| 25231000 | Cement clinkers | 8.4 | 2.3 |

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| Country / Hs-Code | Description | Feb-21* | |
|---|---|-------------------|--------------|
| | | Value (K'Million) | % Share |
| 15071000 | Crude soya-bean oil | 8.3 | 2.2 |
| 73066100 | Other welded, or non-circular cross-section..Of square or rectangular cross-section | 6.1 | 1.7 |
| Others | | 96.0 | 26.0 |
| Percent of Total Non-Traditional Exports | | 9.6 | |
| SWITZERLAND | | 184.0 | 100.0 |
| 26040000 | Nickel ores and concentrates | 184.0 | 100.0 |
| 08109000 | Other fruit, fresh, nes | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 01012900 | Live Horses - Other | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 01051100 | Live fowls of species gallus domesticus, weighing =<185g (chicks) | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 01069000 | -Other live animals | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 02011000 | Carcasses and half-carcasses | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 02013000 | Boneless | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 02023000 | Frozen boneless bovine meat | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 02031100 | Fresh or chilled swine carcasses and half carcasses | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| 02032900 | Frozen swine meat, nes | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Others | | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Percent of Total Non-Traditional Exports | | 4.8 | |
| Other Destinations | | 798.6 | 20.9 |
| Total Value of Non-Traditional Exports | | 3,828.1 | 100.0 |

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Table 2.13: Zambia's Five Major Import Sources by Product, Feb. 2021

| Country / Hs-Code | Description | Feb-21* | |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------|---------|
| | | Value (K'Million) | % Share |
| SOUTH AFRICA | | 3,067.2 | 100.0 |
| 31029000 | Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous , nes | 130.9 | 4.3 |
| 31023000 | Ammonium nitrate | 90.8 | 3.0 |
| 25030000 | Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur) | 90.5 | 3.0 |
| 22030090 | Other beers,including ale,lager and stoutmade from malt | 82.2 | 2.7 |
| 84314900 | Parts of machinery of 84.26, 84.29 and 84.30, nes | 72.9 | 2.4 |
| 87163900 | Trailers and semi-trailers for the transport of goods, nes | 64.4 | 2.1 |
| 87042100 | vehicles (diesel engine) for the transport of goods GVW upto 5 tonnes | 62.0 | 2.0 |
| 84314300 | Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49 | 60.1 | 2.0 |
| 27101990 | Other oils. | 46.9 | 1.5 |
| 84139100 | Parts of pumps for liquids | 36.0 | 1.2 |
| Others | | 2,330.3 | 76.0 |
| Percent of Total Imports | | 35.9 | |
| CHINA | | 1,195.0 | 100.0 |
| 40112010 | New pneumatic tyres of rubber, of a kind used on buses or lorries- rim size 50cm to 57cm | 78.9 | 6.6 |
| 84171000 | Furnaces and ovens for roasting, melting... of ores/pyrites/metals | 64.1 | 5.4 |
| 87012000 | Road tractors for semi-trailers | 51.0 | 4.3 |
| 73090000 | Reservoirs, tanks... (excl. for gas) of iron or steel, >=300 l | 43.2 | 3.6 |
| 38220000 | Diagnostic/lab.reagents on backing;prep'd diagnostic/lab.reagents exc.ch30 | 40.9 | 3.4 |
| 28321010 | Sodium sulphites in bulk | 39.0 | 3.3 |
| 72283000 | Bars and rods of alloy steel, nes, hot-rolled, -drawn or extruded | 31.9 | 2.7 |
| 72083900 | Flat/hot-rolled iron/steel,in colis, width >=600mm, not pickled,<3mm thick | 28.5 | 2.4 |
| 87041000 | Dumpers for off-highway use | 28.0 | 2.3 |
| 84749000 | Parts of machinery of 84.74 | 22.6 | 1.9 |
| Others | | 766.8 | 64.2 |
| Percent of Total Imports | | 14.0 | |
| INDIA | | 648.2 | 100.0 |
| 30022000 | Vaccines for human medicine | 149.5 | 23.1 |
| 30049000 | Other medicaments of mixed or unmixed products, for retail sale, nes | 103.8 | 16.0 |
| 87041000 | Dumpers for off-highway use | 45.3 | 7.0 |
| 39206310 | Plates..., of unsaturated polyesters, not reinforced, etc | 36.7 | 5.7 |
| 30042000 | Other, containing antibiotics | 23.6 | 3.6 |
| 70109000 | Other carboys, bottles, flasks, jars, pots, phials, ampoules etc. | 10.8 | 1.7 |
| 38220000 | Diagnostic/lab.reagents on backing;prep'd diagnostic/lab.reagents exc.ch30 | 8.5 | 1.3 |
| 82071300 | Rock drilling or earth boring tools, with working part of cermets | 6.7 | 1.0 |
| 85043400 | Transformers, nes, power handling capacity >500kva | 6.6 | 1.0 |
| 48119000 | Paper, paperboard, coated... surface-decorated or printed, nes | 6.6 | 1.0 |
| Others | | 250.1 | 38.6 |
| Percent of Total Imports | | 7.6 | |
| IRELAND | | 346.2 | 100.0 |
| 38249900 | Other nes | 309.9 | 89.5 |
| 84314300 | Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49 | 4.8 | 1.4 |
| 87085000 | Drive-axes with differential...and non-driving axles; parts thereof; | 3.8 | 1.1 |
| 87012000 | Road tractors for semi-trailers | 3.4 | 1.0 |
| 82071300 | Rock drilling or earth boring tools, with working part of cermets | 2.9 | 0.8 |
| 39069090 | Acrylic polymers prepared,in other primary forms, nes, Pigmented | 2.7 | 0.8 |
| 87089900 | Parts and accessories, nes, for vehicles of 87.01 to 87.05 | 2.5 | 0.7 |
| 87042200 | vehicles (diesel engine) for the transport of goods GVW 5 - 20 tonnes | 2.1 | 0.6 |
| 84834000 | Gears and gearing; ball/roller screws; gear boxes and other speed changers | 1.7 | 0.5 |
| 87042300 | Goods vehicles, with diesel or semi-diesel engines, qvw >20tonnes | 1.2 | 0.4 |

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| Others | | 11.2 | 3.2 |
| Percent of Total Imports | | 4.1 | |
| UNITED KINGDOM | | 297.0 | 100.0 |
| 27101910 | Gas oils. | 115.8 | 39.0 |
| 27101210 | Motor Spirit | 83.4 | 28.1 |
| 87012000 | Road tractors for semi-trailers | 19.9 | 6.7 |
| 90189000 | Instruments and apparatus, nes, for medical, surgical... sciences | 7.5 | 2.5 |
| 94029000 | Medical, surgical or veterinary furniture, and parts thereof | 4.8 | 1.6 |
| 84272000 | Self-propelled works trucks (excl. electric) | 4.2 | 1.4 |
| 39069090 | Acrylic polymers prepared, in other primary forms, nes, Pigmented | 3.0 | 1.0 |
| 87089900 | Parts and accessories, nes, for vehicles of 87.01 to 87.05 | 2.8 | 1.0 |
| 87042200 | vehicles (diesel engine) for the transport of goods GVW 5 - 20 tonnes | 2.8 | 0.9 |
| 23012010 | Fish meal unfit for human consumption | 2.8 | 0.9 |
| Others | | 50.2 | 16.9 |
| Percent of Total Imports | | 3.5 | |
| Other Sources | | 2,980.5 | 34.9 |
| Total Value of Imports | | 8,534.1 | 100.0 |

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Table 2.14: Major Non-Traditional Exports Shares, Feb. 2021 and Jan. 2021

| Period | | Feb-21* | | Period | | Jan-21 | |
|--|--|-------------------|--------------|--|---|-------------------|--------------|
| Hs-Code | Description | Value (K'Million) | Share (%) | Hs-Code | Description | Value (K'Million) | Share (%) |
| AGRIC PRODUCTS | | 903.0 | 100.0 | AGRIC PRODUCTS | | 844.8 | 100.0 |
| 17011400 | Other raw cane sugar | 135.6 | 15.0 | 17011400 | Other raw cane sugar | 107.9 | 12.8 |
| 23040000 | Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean | 118.9 | 13.2 | 23040000 | Oil-cake and other solid residues, of soya-bean | 79.5 | 9.4 |
| 10059000 | Maize (excl. seed) | 77.7 | 8.6 | 10059000 | Maize (excl. seed) | 58.3 | 6.9 |
| 09011100 | Coffee, not roasted or decaffeinated | 43.9 | 4.9 | 11031300 | Groats and meal of maize (corn) | 39.4 | 4.7 |
| 15122900 | Cotton-seed oil(excl. Crude)&its fractns,refined/not,not chemically modified | 27.8 | 3.1 | 52010000 | Cotton, not carded or combed | 23.6 | 2.8 |
| 02071400 | Frozen cuts and offal of chicken | 23.7 | 2.6 | 23021000 | Brans, sharps and other residues of maize | 22.7 | 2.7 |
| 11031300 | Groats and meal of maize (corn) | 22.0 | 2.4 | 10051000 | Maize seed | 18.9 | 2.2 |
| 52010000 | Cotton, not carded or combed | 20.3 | 2.2 | 12081000 | Soya bean flour and meal | 18.2 | 2.2 |
| Other - Agric Product NTE's | | 433.1 | 48.0 | Other - Agric Product NTE's | | 476.3 | 56.4 |
| % Share of Agric Products NTE's | | 23.6 | | % Share of Agric Products NTE's | | 24.2 | |
| NON-AGRIC PRODUCTS | | 2,925.2 | 100.0 | NON-AGRIC PRODUCTS | | 2,642.7 | 100.0 |
| 71039100 | Rubies, sapphires and emeralds, worked but not set... | 446.2 | 15.3 | 27160000 | Electrical energy | 259.8 | 9.8 |
| 26040000 | Nickel ores and concentrates | 184.0 | 6.3 | 25232900 | Portland cement (excl. white) | 234.8 | 8.9 |
| 38249900 | Other chemical products and preparations of the chemical, nes | 183.5 | 6.3 | 71039100 | Rubies, sapphires and emeralds, worked but not set... | 209.0 | 7.9 |
| 25232900 | Portland cement (excl. white) | 173.1 | 5.9 | 22029900 | Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes | 178.3 | 6.7 |
| 22029900 | Other non-alcoholic beverages, nes | 149.0 | 5.1 | 74081100 | Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm | 132.2 | 5.0 |
| 25030000 | Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur) | 147.5 | 5.0 | 71081310 | Bullion semi-manufactured forms | 126.6 | 4.8 |
| 72023000 | Ferro-silico-manganese | 110.8 | 3.8 | 26040000 | Nickel ores and concentrates | 122.1 | 4.6 |
| 34022020 | Detergents used for washing clothes, dishes and kitchen utensils | 105.0 | 3.6 | 25030000 | Sulphur of all kinds (excl. sublimed, precipitated and colloidal sulphur) | 118.2 | 4.5 |
| 71081310 | Bullion semi-manufactured forms | 101.6 | 3.5 | 34022020 | Detergents used for washing clothes, dishes and kitchen utensils | 86.3 | 3.3 |
| 74081100 | Wire of refined copper, maximum cross-sectional dimension >6mm | 93.0 | 3.2 | 25221000 | Quicklime | 71.1 | 2.7 |
| 25221000 | Quicklime | 88.7 | 3.0 | 72023000 | Ferro-silico-manganese | 70.8 | 2.7 |
| 28070010 | Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk | 62.3 | 2.1 | 28070010 | Sulphuric acid; oleum in bulk | 65.5 | 2.5 |
| 68159900 | Articles of stone or other mineral substances, nes | 50.7 | 1.7 | 25231000 | Cement clinkers | 52.5 | 2.0 |
| 72141000 | Iron or non-alloy steel bars and rods, forged, | 42.5 | 1.5 | 38249900 | Other nes | 49.5 | 1.9 |
| 72021100 | Ferro-manganese, containing by weight >2% carbon | 42.3 | 1.4 | 71129910 | Anodic slimes | 48.2 | 1.8 |
| Other - Non Agric Product NTE's | | 945.1 | 32.3 | Other - Non Agric Product NTE's | | 817.8 | 30.9 |
| % Share of Non-Agric Products NTE's | | 76.4 | | % Share of Non-Agric Products NTE's | | 72.1 | |
| NTE's | | 3,828.1 | | NTE's | | 3,487.6 | |

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- Second Generation National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (NSDS2) preparations (On-going)
- 2020 Census of Population and Housing Preparations (On-going)
- 2020 Emergent and Large Scale Farmers Survey (On-going)
- 2020 Financial Scoping Survey (FINSCOPE) (Report Writing)
- 2020 National Pilot Census (Data cleaning and analysis)
- 3rd Quarter Labour Force Survey 2020 (On-going)

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