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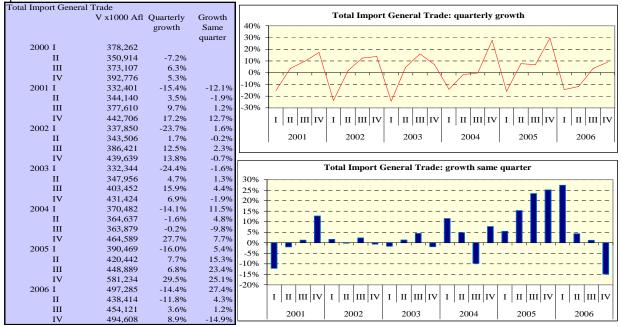
HIGHLIGHTS

INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE FOR ARUBA: FOURTH QUARTER 2006

In the fourth quarter of 2006 the following developments have been registered in the international merchandise flows of Aruba.

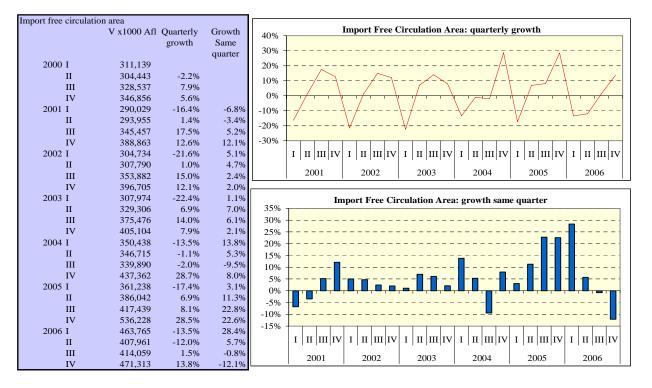
Trends in Total import and export

During the fourth quarter of 2006 Aruba imported a total value of Afl. 494.6 million from the rest of the world. This represent a decrease of 14.9% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. Total exports from Aruba increased with 58.9% during the fourth quarter of 2006 compared to the same quarter of the previous year. The total value of export during this quarter was Afl. 83.4 million.



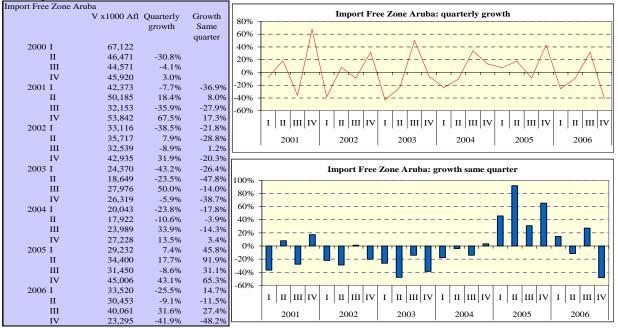
Merchandise trade in the free circulation area of Aruba

In the fourth quarter of 2006 import in the free circulation area of Aruba decreased with 12.1% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. The value of import to this area was Afl. 471.3 million in the fourth quarter of 2006. The value of export from that same area increased by 98.5% compared to the same quarter of 2005, reaching a level of Afl. 16.6 million.



Import and Export in the Free Zone of Aruba

For the fourth quarter of 2006 the value of import to the Free Zone of Aruba was Afl. 23.2 million. This represent a decrease of 48.2% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. The value of export from the Free Zone of Aruba during the fourth quarter of 2006 was Afl.66.7 million.



INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE FOR ARUBA: YEAR 2006

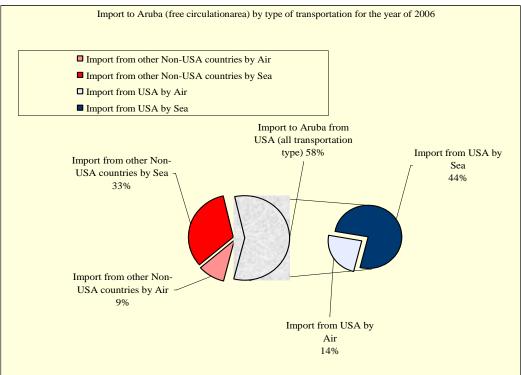
Import in the free circulation area of Aruba from USA and Non-USA countries by type of transportation

An analysis of the transportation type used to import goods in Aruba indicated that for the year of 2006, 77% of imports were by sea and 23% by air^{1} .

The USA had a share of 58% in imports to Aruba. From this share 44% was by sea, while 14% was by air¹. (Graph 1)

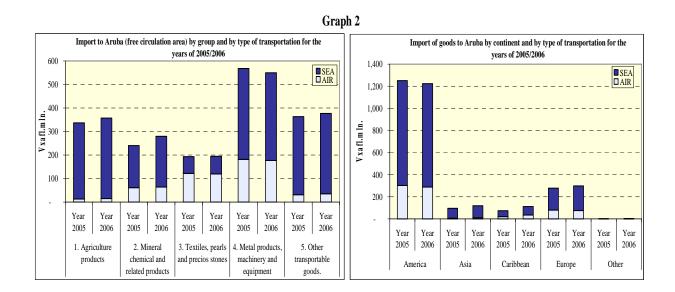
Other customs information for the year of 2006 indicated that the total number of containers²⁾ entering the free circulation area increased with 4%, from 14.683 containers during the year of 2005 to 15.311 containers for the year of 2006.

Graph 1



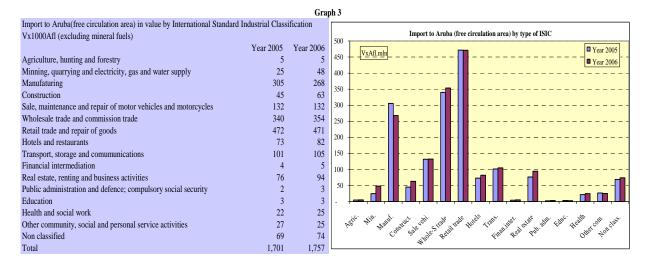
Import in the free circulation area of Aruba by Group, Continent and type of transportation

For the year of 2006 the value of import in the free circulation area of Aruba for air transport¹⁾ was Afl.410.8 million. This represent an increase of 0.2 % compared to the previous year. Import for the year 2006 in the free circulation area for sea transport was Afl.1.346.2 million which represent an increase of 4.3% compare to the year of 2005. The continent of America remains the main import trade partner as well as for air¹⁾ as for sea transport to Aruba. (Graph 2)



Import in the free circulation area of Aruba by type of import according to the International Standard Industrial Classification

Graph 3 present import to the free circulation area of Aruba by codification of companies who are classified according to the Aruban Standard Classification of all Economic Activities (ISIC). For the year of 2006 the value of import in the free circulation area of Aruba was 1.757 million. This represent an increase of 3% compared to the year of 2005. The group of companies belonging to the ISIC "Manufacturing" imported Afl. 38 million less for the year of 2006 compared to the previous year. This decrease is related to the group of "Metal products, machinery and equipment".



¹⁾All transactions taking place at the custom office at the airport are considered as air-transport.

²⁾Total containers reflect all container sizes including empty containers.



Preface

In this report you will find the summerized information on International Trade. This year report contains comparisons between the years 2001 till 2006 and over the quarters of 2005 and 2006, displaying the fast growth in flows of goods to and from Aruba and the Free Zone. The figures pertaining to 2004 to 2006 should still be considered as provisional, while the trade statistics series for 2001 till 2003 are final. The CBS developed a system in which it became possible to process the Foreign Trade data according to General Trade System.

For further inquiry on definitions and methodology we refer to the Aruba Foreign Trade Statistics Procedure and Definitions, which is available upon request at the Central Bureau of Statistics.



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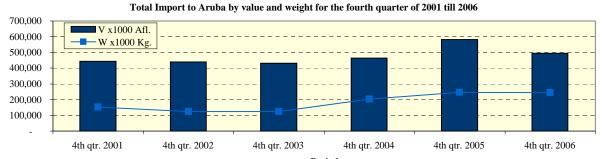
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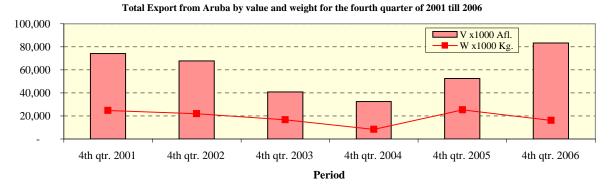
I.a.1 Total Import and Export of goods to Aruba over the years 2001 till 2004 and over the quarters of 2005 and 2006 (in value and weight)

Transactions over	Fransactions over the years 2001 till 2004 and over the quarters of 2005 and 2006									
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.						
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import				
Year 2001	1,318,304	178,553	1,496,857	440,942	72,825	513,766				
Year 2002	1,363,110	144,307	1,507,417	505,488	69,816	575,303				
Year 2003	1,417,860	97,315	1,515,175	571,974	63,965	635,939				
Year 2004	1,474,406	89,181	1,563,587	641,222	53,257	694,480				
1st qtr. 2005	361,238	29,232	390,469	186,199	18,900	205,099				
2nd qtr. 2005	386,042	34,400	420,442	115,953	22,371	138,324				
3rd qtr. 2005	417,439	31,450	448,889	294,400	24,201	318,601				
4th qtr. 2005	536,228	45,006	581,234	222,630	23,343	245,972				
1st qtr. 2006	463,765	33,520	497,285	189,609	30,157	219,766				
2nd qtr. 2006	407,961	30,453	438,414	211,892	18,789	230,681				
3rd qtr. 2006	414,059	40,061	454,121	321,090	11,507	332,596				
4th qtr. 2006	471,313	23,295	494,608	239,792	4,324	244,116				

Transactions over	Fransactions over the years 2001 till 2004 and over the quarters of 2005 and 2006									
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.						
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export				
Year 2001	51,708	214,743	266,452	10,207	74,687	84,894				
Year 2002	62,111	167,472	229,582	12,928	68,159	81,087				
Year 2003	35,943	111,020	146,963	7,694	64,063	71,757				
Year 2004	40,248	102,000	142,248	9,894	52,197	62,091				
1st qtr. 2005	7,909	30,626	38,535	3,389	20,470	23,859				
2nd qtr. 2005	9,252	32,784	42,036	1,848	21,487	23,335				
3rd qtr. 2005	10,513	38,610	49,123	2,879	21,642	24,521				
4th qtr. 2005	8,388	44,118	52,506	2,044	23,250	25,295				
1st qtr. 2006	7,602	40,647	48,249	3,648	30,930	34,578				
2nd qtr. 2006	9,561	32,966	42,527	2,507	16,344	18,852				
3rd qtr. 2006	12,566	34,436	47,002	2,095	13,998	16,092				
4th qtr. 2006	16,648	66,775	83,423	3,115	13,103	16,218				



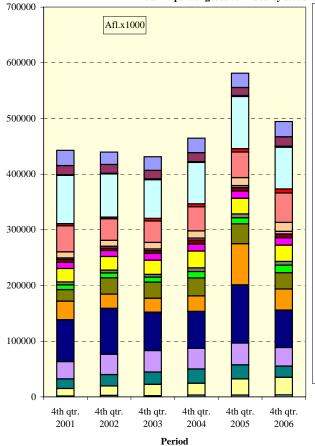
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I.b.1 Import of goods to Aruba by sections over the fourth quarter of 2005 and 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.								
for the fourth quarter of 2005-2006		4th qtr. 2005		4th qtr. 2006					
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import			
01 Live animals and other animal products	25,880		25,880	27,750		27,750			
02 Vegetable products	13,951	307	14,258	15,438	1,523	16,96			
03 Fats and oils	1,776		1,776	1,604		1,604			
04 Food products	49,397	44,142	93,540	53,635	21,479	75,114			
05 Mineral products	6,067		6,067	7,010		7,010			
06 Chemical products	45,777	166	45,943	53,020		53,020			
07 Artificial plastic elements	14,421	16	14,437	15,942	0	15,942			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	3,582	8	3,590	4,604	5	4,608			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	6,302	1	6,303	6,971	13	6,984			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	12,742	9	12,751	13,315		13,315			
11 Textile fibers and articles	28,205	36	28,240	29,156	39	29,195			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	6,765	54	6,819	6,396	207	6,603			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	10,847	139	10,986	13,638	7	13,644			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	35,565		35,565	29,321		29,321			
15 Base metals and derivated works	73,947	53	74,000	37,666		37,666			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	104,589	53	104,642	67,335	2	67,337			
17 Transport equipment	39,027	15	39,042	33,483		33,483			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	25,310		25,310	19,849		19,849			
19 Arms and ammunition	32		32	46	3	49			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	29,016	8	29,024	31,653	16	31,669			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	3,029		3,029	3,482		3,482			

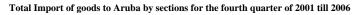


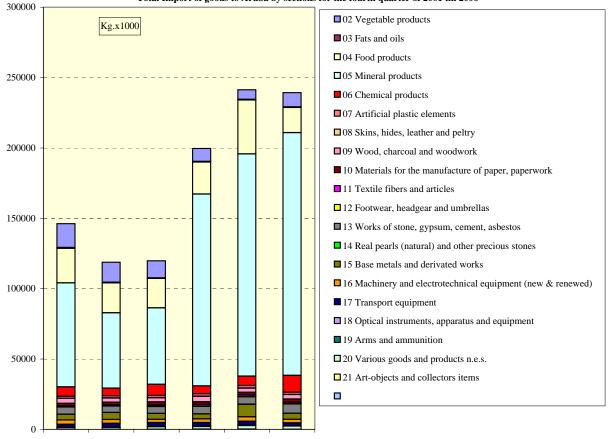
Total Import of goods to Aruba by sections for the fourth quarter of 2001 till 2006

■ 01 Live animals and other animal products ■ 02 Vegetable products □03 Fats and oils □ 04 Food products ■ 05 Mineral products ■ 06 Chemical products ■07 Artificial plastic elements ■08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry ■ 09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork ■ 10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork □ 11 Textile fibers and articles ■ 12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas ■ 13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos ■ 14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones ■ 15 Base metals and derivated works ■ 16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed) ■ 17 Transport equipment ■ 18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment □ 19 Arms and ammunition □ 20 Various goods and products n.e.s. 21 Art-objects and collectors items



Section (021) by weight	W x1000 Kg.								
for the fourth quarter of 2005-2006		4th qtr. 2005		4th qtr. 2006					
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import			
01 Live animals and other animal products	4,686		4,686	4,820		4,820			
02 Vegetable products	6,685	69	6,754	7,392	2,700	10,093			
03 Fats and oils	509		509	463		463			
04 Food products	15,123	23,192	38,315	16,249	1,609	17,858			
05 Mineral products	157,841		157,841	172,485		172,485			
06 Chemical products	6,619	51	6,670	11,885		11,885			
07 Artificial plastic elements	1,727	1	1,728	1,662	0	1,662			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	121	0	121	114	0	114			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	2,991	1	2,992	3,162	7	3,168			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	1,794	1	1,795	2,215		2,215			
11 Textile fibers and articles	1,135	1	1,136	1,025	1	1,026			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	223	2	224	207	6	213			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	5,271	18	5,289	6,630	1	6,631			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	18		18	19		19			
15 Base metals and derivated works	8,900	3	8,902	4,247		4,247			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	3,197	1	3,198	2,593	0	2,593			
17 Transport equipment	2,866	1	2,866	2,123		2,123			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	157		157	165		165			
19 Arms and ammunition	0		0	1	1	2			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	2,577	2	2,579	2,179	0	2,180			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	191		191	155		155			





Period



18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment

19 Arms and ammunition

20 Various goods and products n.e.s.

21 Art-objects and collectors items

I.b.2 Import of Goods to Aruba by sections over the years 2001 till 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.							
for the years 2001-2006		-	Import t	o Aruba				
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006		
01 Live animals and other animal products	100,752	90,689	86,305	94,721	98,483	102,53		
02 Vegetable products	48,455	49,047	50,212	54,879	54,707	56,81		
03 Fats and oils	5,451	5,087	6,074	6,513	7,292	6,42		
04 Food products	144,754	146,409	155,821	168,874	176,269	191,100		
05 Mineral products	12,670	12,420	17,624	17,375	23,989	26,83		
06 Chemical products	158,194	164,573	146,486	158,649	163,123	194,368		
07 Artificial plastic elements	40,891	41,561	45,341	47,673	53,180	58,485		
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	9,386	9,929	9,763	10,765	12,530	14,692		
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	19,608	19,153	21,091	24,009	26,427	30,431		
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	40,621	40,330	42,497	43,704	50,005	49,014		
11 Textile fibers and articles	79,483	74,348	79,309	87,070	86,666	89,959		
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	14,932	14,529	15,066	19,286	20,360	19,724		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	29,177	28,939	32,593	34,169	52,229	48,143		
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	60,294	74,431	69,621	80,071	73,319	70,138		
15 Base metals and derivated works	107,784	103,656	122,033	104,593	169,794	160,832		
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	233,252	250,011	266,611	232,092	313,662	318,926		
17 Transport equipment	102,862	118,688	119,954	134,131	146,143	152,202		
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	53,721	57,380	66,135	72,375	84,507	69,293		
19 Arms and ammunition	149	238	104	233	203	224		
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	46,940	51,882	56,077	69,762	74,759	80,670		
21 Art-objects and collectors items	8,929	9,809	9,142	13,464	13,299	16,293		
Section (021) by weight	W x1000 Kg.							
for the years 2001-2006		1	Import t	o Aruba				
	Year 2000	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005		
01 Live animals and other animal products	23,075	20,906	17,437	16,895	17,696	18,224		
02 Vegetable products	27,743	28,554	27,507	27,549	26,831	28,483		
03 Fats and oils	1,985	1,779	1,833	1,930	2,044	2,001		
04 Food products	49,744	50,283	51,669	54,987	54,904	58,288		
05 Mineral products	229,681	290,809	355,097	425,939	586,990	699,352		
06 Chemical products	25,127	24,016	24,161	22,096	23,689	44,701		
07 Artificial plastic elements	5,470	5,710	6,064	6,380	6,522	6,482		
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	313	326	328	424	429	429		
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	13,450	14,674	13,564	12,833	14,700	15,823		
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	6,271	6,843	7,253	7,238	8,074	7,888		
11 Textile fibers and articles	2,537	2,431	2,904	3,357	3,278	3,148		
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	513	506	542	728	703	624		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	16,742	17,791	17,835	17,022	21,731	25,120		
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	35	40	38	42	36	4		
15 Base metals and derivated works	16,365	18,738	21,723	19,394	22,700	22,64		
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	9,582	8,775	9,377	8,441	11,296	11,583		
17 Transport equipment	6,866	8,305	8,695	9,649	10,177	9,967		
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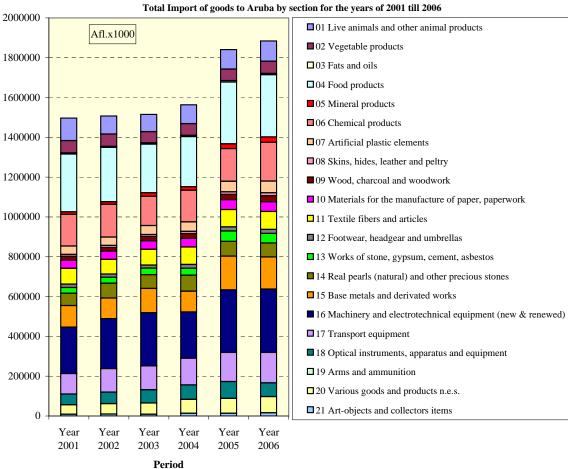
Section (021) in value			V x100						
for the years 2001-2006	Import to Free Zone Aruba								
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
01 Live animals and other animal products	12,904	472	369	148					
02 Vegetable products	13,217	12,508	6,216	3,788	2,657	3,962			
03 Fats and oils		4							
04 Food products	145,672	126,980	88,492	82,644	134,362	121,799			
05 Mineral products		1							
06 Chemical products	1,205	740	798	823	928	345			
07 Artificial plastic elements	543	55	67	93	81	43			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	143	87	50	28	24	20			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	175	1	6	62	3	15			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	279	85	60	166	204	89			
11 Textile fibers and articles	401	285	157	199	169	132			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	1,553	1,574	688	544	479	644			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	141	36	1	104	230	81			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	1,350	802							
15 Base metals and derivated works	281	321	35	62	97	14			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	183	215	74	334	368	25			
17 Transport equipment	65	3	84	106	407	87			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	96	17	74	16	42				
19 Arms and ammunition	56	30	74	10	4	32			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	233	51	71	52	32	42			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	57	42							

Section (021) by weight	W x1000 Kg.							
for the years 2001-2006			Import to Fre	e Zone Aruba				
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006		
01 Live animals and other animal products	3,557	138	168	52				
02 Vegetable products	29,337	28,701	13,122	7,191	3,316	5,749		
03 Fats and oils		2						
04 Food products	38,923	40,676	50,382	45,541	85,025	58,790		
05 Mineral products		0						
06 Chemical products	234	187	229	190	277	171		
07 Artificial plastic elements	226	10	19	15	16	7		
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	4	2	3	1	1	1		
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	101	1	4	39	1	7		
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	61	16	6	8	25	3		
11 Textile fibers and articles	18	6	3	102	3	3		
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	32	29	16	12	11	19		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	254	21	0	59	81	15		
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	0	0						
15 Base metals and derivated works	26	10	2	5	7	2		
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	30	11	1	30	21	1		
17 Transport equipment	6	0	4	11	29	8		
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	0	0	0	0	0			
19 Arms and ammunition	2	2	1	0	0	1		
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	7	2	5	3	3	1		
21 Art-objects and collectors items	6	1						



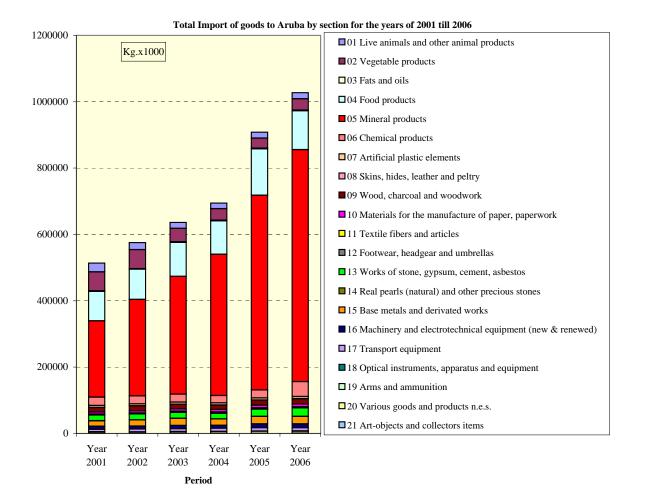
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Section (021) in value			V x100	00 Afl.					
for the years 2001-2006		Total Import							
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
01 Live animals and other animal products	113,656	91,161	86,675	94,869	98,483	102,534			
02 Vegetable products	61,672	61,556	56,429	58,667	57,364	60,779			
03 Fats and oils	5,451	5,091	6,074	6,513	7,292	6,423			
04 Food products	290,426	273,389	244,313	251,518	310,631	312,898			
05 Mineral products	12,670	12,421	17,624	17,375	23,989	26,831			
06 Chemical products	159,399	165,313	147,284	159,471	164,050	194,712			
07 Artificial plastic elements	41,433	41,616	45,408	47,767	53,261	58,528			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	9,529	10,016	9,813	10,793	12,554	14,712			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	19,784	19,154	21,097	24,071	26,430	30,446			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	40,900	40,415	42,557	43,871	50,209	49,103			
11 Textile fibers and articles	79,884	74,632	79,466	87,269	86,835	90,091			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	16,485	16,103	15,754	19,830	20,839	20,368			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	29,317	28,975	32,593	34,273	52,459	48,225			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	61,644	75,233	69,621	80,071	73,319	70,138			
15 Base metals and derivated works	108,065	103,977	122,068	104,655	169,892	160,846			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	233,435	250,227	266,685	232,426	314,030	318,951			
17 Transport equipment	102,928	118,691	120,037	134,237	146,551	152,289			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	53,817	57,397	66,209	72,391	84,548	69,293			
19 Arms and ammunition	205	268	178	244	207	256			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	47,173	51,933	56,148	69,815	74,791	80,711			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	8,986	9,851	9,142	13,464	13,299	16,293			





Section (021) by weight			W x10	00 Kg.					
for the years 2001-2006		Total Import							
	Year 2000	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005			
01 Live animals and other animal products	26,632	21,044	17,605	16,947	17,696	18,224			
02 Vegetable products	57,080	57,255	40,630	34,740	30,148	34,232			
03 Fats and oils	1,985	1,780	1,833	1,930	2,044	2,00			
04 Food products	88,667	90,959	102,051	100,527	139,928	117,078			
05 Mineral products	229,681	290,809	355,097	425,939	586,990	699,352			
06 Chemical products	25,361	24,204	24,390	22,286	23,966	44,872			
07 Artificial plastic elements	5,696	5,720	6,083	6,395	6,538	6,489			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	317	328	330	425	430	43			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	13,551	14,675	13,568	12,872	14,702	15,830			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	6,332	6,860	7,259	7,246	8,099	7,891			
11 Textile fibers and articles	2,554	2,438	2,906	3,460	3,281	3,15			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	545	535	558	739	714	64			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	16,996	17,812	17,835	17,081	21,813	25,13			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	35	40	38	42	36	4			
15 Base metals and derivated works	16,392	18,748	21,726	19,399	22,707	22,64			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	9,612	8,787	9,378	8,471	11,317	11,58			
17 Transport equipment	6,872	8,305	8,699	9,660	10,206	9,974			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	499	395	468	590	649	59			
19 Arms and ammunition	7	9	5	7	7				
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	4,257	4,042	4,983	5,013	6,069	6,24			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	694	559	497	709	657	74:			





I.b.3. Import of goods to Aruba by sections over the years 2001 till 2004 and over the quarters of 2005 and 2006

Section 01 Live and	imals and other animal pro	oducts					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
		Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone		
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	100,752	12,904	113,656	23,075	3,557	26,632	
Year 2002	90,689	472	91,161	20,906	138	21,044	
Year 2003	86,305	369	86,675	17,437	168	17,605	
Year 2004	94,721	148	94,869	16,895	52	16,947	
1st qtr. 2005	24,770		24,770	4,468		4,468	
2nd qtr. 2005	24,960		24,960	4,422		4,422	
3rd qtr. 2005	22,873		22,873	4,120		4,120	
4th qtr. 2005	25,880		25,880	4,686		4,686	
1st qtr. 2006	28,269		28,269	5,544		5,544	
2nd qtr. 2006	21,650		21,650	3,770		3,770	
3rd qtr. 2006	24,865		24,865	4,090		4,090	
4th qtr. 2006	27,750		27,750	4,820		4,820	

		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Import to Free Zone		Ι	mport to Free Zone			
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	48,455	13,217	61,672	27,743	29,337	57,080	
Year 2002	49,047	12,508	61,556	28,554	28,701	57,255	
Year 2003	50,212	6,216	56,429	27,507	13,122	40,630	
Year 2004	54,879	3,788	58,667	27,549	7,191	34,740	
1st qtr. 2005	13,477	170	13,647	6,857	21	6,877	
2nd qtr. 2005	13,702	972	14,675	6,512	1,704	8,217	
3rd qtr. 2005	13,577	1,208	14,785	6,777	1,523	8,300	
4th qtr. 2005	13,951	307	14,258	6,685	69	6,754	
1st qtr. 2006	13,855	523	14,378	7,072	75	7,147	
2nd qtr. 2006	13,444	920	14,364	6,786	1,136	7,923	
3rd qtr. 2006	14,079	997	15,076	7,233	1,837	9,070	
4th qtr. 2006	15,438	1,523	16,961	7,392	2,700	10,093	

Section 03 Fats and	d oils							
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.				
		Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone			
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import		
Year 2001	5,451		5,451	1,985		1,985		
Year 2002	5,087	4	5,091	1,779	2	1,780		
Year 2003	6,074		6,074	1,833		1,833		
Year 2004	6,513		6,513	1,930		1,930		
1st qtr. 2005	2,183		2,183	641		641		
2nd qtr. 2005	1,658		1,658	454		454		
3rd qtr. 2005	1,675		1,675	439		439		
4th qtr. 2005	1,776		1,776	509		509		
1st qtr. 2006	1,630		1,630	526		526		
2nd qtr. 2006	1,696		1,696	528		528		
3rd qtr. 2006	1,493		1,493	483		483		
4th qtr. 2006	1,604		1,604	463		463		



Section 04 Food products

Section 04 Food pr	oducts						
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.		
	In	Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone		
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	144,754	145,672	290,426	49,744	38,923	88,667	
Year 2002	146,409	126,980	273,389	50,283	40,676	90,959	
Year 2003	155,821	88,492	244,313	51,669	50,382	102,051	
Year 2004	168,874	82,644	251,518	54,987	45,541	100,527	
1st qtr. 2005	38,519	28,173	66,692	11,676	18,741	30,416	
2nd qtr. 2005	45,488	32,619	78,107	13,959	20,530	34,489	
3rd qtr. 2005	42,865	29,427	72,292	14,146	22,562	36,709	
4th qtr. 2005	49,397	44,142	93,540	15,123	23,192	38,315	
1st qtr. 2006	43,207	32,148	75,355	13,495	29,877	43,373	
2nd qtr. 2006	47,299	29,352	76,651	14,359	17,647	32,006	
3rd qtr. 2006	46,960	38,819	85,779	14,183	9,657	23,841	
4th qtr. 2006	53,635	21,479	75,114	16,249	1,609	17,858	

Section 05 Mineral	products						
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	12,670		12,670	229,681		229,681	
Year 2002	12,420	1	12,421	290,809	0	290,809	
Year 2003	17,624		17,624	355,097		355,097	
Year 2004	17,375		17,375	425,939		425,939	
1st qtr. 2005	5,128		5,128	134,390		134,390	
2nd qtr. 2005	3,747		3,747	59,793		59,793	
3rd qtr. 2005	9,046		9,046	234,966		234,966	
4th qtr. 2005	6,067		6,067	157,841		157,841	
1st qtr. 2006	5,011		5,011	127,476		127,476	
2nd qtr. 2006	6,473		6,473	143,640		143,640	
3rd qtr. 2006	8,338		8,338	255,751		255,751	
4th qtr. 2006	7,010		7,010	172,485		172,485	

Section 06 Chemic	al products					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	158,194	1,205	159,399	25,127	234	25,361
Year 2002	164,573	740	165,313	24,016	187	24,204
Year 2003	146,486	798	147,284	24,161	229	24,390
Year 2004	158,649	823	159,471	22,096	190	22,286
1st qtr. 2005	36,957	277	37,233	4,916	63	4,979
2nd qtr. 2005	40,580	262	40,842	6,368	75	6,443
3rd qtr. 2005	39,809	223	40,032	5,787	88	5,875
4th qtr. 2005	45,777	166	45,943	6,619	51	6,670
1st qtr. 2006	48,212	312	48,523	8,041	163	8,205
2nd qtr. 2006	50,466	2	50,468	14,033	0	14,033
3rd qtr. 2006	42,670	31	42,701	10,742	7	10,749
4th qtr. 2006	53,020		53,020	11,885		11,885

Section 07 Artificia	al plastic elements						
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.		
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	40,891	543	41,433	5,470	226	5,696	
Year 2002	41,561	55	41,616	5,710	10	5,720	
Year 2003	45,341	67	45,408	6,064	19	6,083	
Year 2004	47,673	93	47,767	6,380	15	6,395	
1st qtr. 2005	11,049	34	11,084	1,447	8	1,455	
2nd qtr. 2005	12,481	13	12,495	1,400	3	1,403	
3rd qtr. 2005	15,228	17	15,246	1,948	4	1,951	
4th qtr. 2005	14,421	16	14,437	1,727	1	1,728	
1st qtr. 2006	14,042	40	14,081	1,688	6	1,694	
2nd qtr. 2006	13,235	2	13,237	1,578	1	1,579	
3rd qtr. 2006	15,266	1	15,267	1,554	0	1,554	
4th qtr. 2006	15,942	0	15,942	1,662	0	1,662	



Section 08 Skins, h	ides, leather and peltry					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.		
		Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone	
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	9,386	143	9,529	313	4	317
Year 2002	9,929	87	10,016	326	2	328
Year 2003	9,763	50	9,813	328	3	330
Year 2004	10,765	28	10,793	424	1	425
1st qtr. 2005	2,931	9	2,940	107	0	107
2nd qtr. 2005	2,903	2	2,904	93	0	93
3rd qtr. 2005	3,113	6	3,119	108	0	108
4th qtr. 2005	3,582	8	3,590	121	0	121
1st qtr. 2006	3,489	7	3,496	106	0	106
2nd qtr. 2006	3,167	6	3,173	90	0	90
3rd qtr. 2006	3,433	2	3,434	120	0	120
4th qtr. 2006	4,604	5	4,608	114	0	114

Section 09 Wood, o	charcoal and woodwork					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	19,608	175	19,784	13,450	101	13,551
Year 2002	19,153	1	19,154	14,674	1	14,675
Year 2003	21,091	6	21,097	13,564	4	13,568
Year 2004	24,009	62	24,071	12,833	39	12,872
1st qtr. 2005	6,656	0	6,656	4,269	0	4,270
2nd qtr. 2005	6,987		6,987	3,791		3,791
3rd qtr. 2005	6,482	2	6,484	3,649	0	3,649
4th qtr. 2005	6,302	1	6,303	2,991	1	2,992
1st qtr. 2006	6,268	1	6,269	2,755	0	2,755
2nd qtr. 2006	8,478		8,478	4,663		4,663
3rd qtr. 2006	8,714		8,714	5,243		5,243
4th qtr. 2006	6,971	13	6,984	3,162	7	3,168

	ls for the manufacture of				NV 1000 V	
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	
		Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone	
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	40,621	279	40,900	6,271	61	6,332
Year 2002	40,330	85	40,415	6,843	16	6,860
Year 2003	42,497	60	42,557	7,253	6	7,259
Year 2004	43,704	166	43,871	7,238	8	7,246
1st qtr. 2005	11,428	20	11,448	2,244	15	2,259
2nd qtr. 2005	12,180	87	12,267	2,050	3	2,052
3rd qtr. 2005	13,656	87	13,743	1,987	6	1,993
4th qtr. 2005	12,742	9	12,751	1,794	1	1,795
1st qtr. 2006	10,363	31	10,395	1,856	1	1,857
2nd qtr. 2006	11,667	56	11,723	1,862	2	1,864
3rd qtr. 2006	13,668	1	13,670	1,955	0	1,955
4th qtr. 2006	13,315		13,315	2,215		2,215

Section 11 Textile	fibers and articles					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.		
		mport to Free Zone	Total Immont	Incoment de Anoche	Import to Free Zone	Total Immont
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	79,483	401	79,884	2,537	18	2,554
Year 2002	74,348	285	74,632	2,431	6	2,438
Year 2003	79,309	157	79,466	2,904	3	2,906
Year 2004	87,070	199	87,269	3,357	102	3,460
1st qtr. 2005	19,250	77	19,328	602	1	603
2nd qtr. 2005	19,676	44	19,719	768	0	768
3rd qtr. 2005	19,535	12	19,548	773	1	773
4th qtr. 2005	28,205	36	28,240	1,135	1	1,136
1st qtr. 2006	21,191	49	21,240	776	1	777
2nd qtr. 2006	19,696	13	19,708	689	0	690
3rd qtr. 2006	19,916	31	19,947	658	1	659
4th qtr. 2006	29,156	39	29,195	1,025	1	1,026



500101121000000	ar, headgear and umbrellas	V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.		
		Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone	
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	14,932	1,553	16,485	513	32	545
Year 2002	14,529	1,574	16,103	506	29	535
Year 2003	15,066	688	15,754	542	16	558
Year 2004	19,286	544	19,830	728	12	739
1st qtr. 2005	4,127	149	4,276	148	3	151
2nd qtr. 2005	4,747	111	4,858	174	3	177
3rd qtr. 2005	4,722	165	4,886	158	3	161
4th qtr. 2005	6,765	54	6,819	223	2	224
1st qtr. 2006	4,628	183	4,811	157	8	165
2nd qtr. 2006	4,362	87	4,448	133	2	134
3rd qtr. 2006	4,338	167	4,505	127	3	131
4th qtr. 2006	6,396	207	6,603	207	6	213

Section 13 Works	of stone, gypsum, cement	, asbestos				
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	29,177	141	29,317	16,742	254	16,996
Year 2002	28,939	36	28,975	17,791	21	17,812
Year 2003	32,593	1	32,593	17,835	0	17,835
Year 2004	34,169	104	34,273	17,022	59	17,081
1st qtr. 2005	9,198	54	9,252	4,846	34	4,880
2nd qtr. 2005	22,021	37	22,058	5,708	29	5,736
3rd qtr. 2005	10,163		10,163	5,907		5,907
4th qtr. 2005	10,847	139	10,986	5,271	18	5,289
1st qtr. 2006	11,174	74	11,248	4,661	14	4,675
2nd qtr. 2006	11,049		11,049	7,082		7,082
3rd qtr. 2006	12,283		12,283	6,747		6,747
4th qtr. 2006	13,638	7	13,644	6,630	1	6,631

Section 14 Real pea	arls (natural) and other pr	ecious stones					
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	60,294	1,350	61,644	35	0	35	
Year 2002	74,431	802	75,233	40	0	40	
Year 2003	69,621		69,621	38		38	
Year 2004	80,071		80,071	42		42	
1st qtr. 2005	19,266		19,266	7		7	
2nd qtr. 2005	10,390		10,390	7		7	
3rd qtr. 2005	8,097		8,097	4		4	
4th qtr. 2005	35,565		35,565	18		18	
1st qtr. 2006	24,140		24,140	12		12	
2nd qtr. 2006	9,848		9,848	8		8	
3rd qtr. 2006	6,829		6,829	7		7	
4th qtr. 2006	29,321		29,321	19		19	

Section 15 Base me	etals and derivated works	=					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	107,784	281	108,065	16,365	26	16,392	
Year 2002	103,656	321	103,977	18,738	10	18,748	
Year 2003	122,033	35	122,068	21,723	2	21,726	
Year 2004	104,593	62	104,655	19,394	5	19,399	
1st qtr. 2005	28,463	28	28,491	4,424	4	4,428	
2nd qtr. 2005	26,782	6	26,788	3,870	0	3,870	
3rd qtr. 2005	40,603	10	40,613	5,506	0	5,507	
4th qtr. 2005	73,947	53	74,000	8,900	3	8,902	
1st qtr. 2006	48,121	8	48,130	7,469	1	7,470	
2nd qtr. 2006	36,546	6	36,552	5,571	0	5,572	
3rd qtr. 2006	38,499		38,499	5,357		5,357	
4th qtr. 2006	37,666		37,666	4,247		4,247	



Section 16 Machin	ery and electrotechnical e	equipment (new & ren	ewed)				
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	233,252	183	233,435	9,582	30	9,612	
Year 2002	250,011	215	250,227	8,775	11	8,787	
Year 2003	266,611	74	266,685	9,377	1	9,378	
Year 2004	232,092	334	232,426	8,441	30	8,471	
1st qtr. 2005	59,768	44	59,812	1,865	1	1,865	
2nd qtr. 2005	66,904	55	66,960	2,813	7	2,820	
3rd qtr. 2005	82,401	216	82,617	3,421	12	3,433	
4th qtr. 2005	104,589	53	104,642	3,197	1	3,198	
1st qtr. 2006	99,408	17	99,424	3,530	1	3,530	
2nd qtr. 2006	78,716	4	78,720	3,112	0	3,112	
3rd qtr. 2006	73,468	3	73,470	2,348	0	2,348	
4th qtr. 2006	67,335	2	67,337	2,593	0	2,593	

Section 17 Transpo	ort equipment					
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	
	In	Import to Free Zone]	Import to Free Zone	
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import
Year 2001	102,862	65	102,928	6,866	6	6,872
Year 2002	118,688	3	118,691	8,305	0	8,305
Year 2003	119,954	84	120,037	8,695	4	8,699
Year 2004	134,131	106	134,237	9,649	11	9,660
1st qtr. 2005	31,117	168	31,285	2,121	9	2,130
2nd qtr. 2005	35,595	180	35,775	2,331	16	2,347
3rd qtr. 2005	40,404	45	40,450	2,860	3	2,863
4th qtr. 2005	39,027	15	39,042	2,866	1	2,866
1st qtr. 2006	40,369	84	40,453	2,898	8	2,906
2nd qtr. 2006	37,624	3	37,627	2,360	0	2,361
3rd qtr. 2006	40,726		40,726	2,585		2,585
4th qtr. 2006	33,483		33,483	2,123		2,123

Section 18 Optical	instruments, apparatus ar	nd equipment					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	53,721	96	53,817	499	0	499	
Year 2002	57,380	17	57,397	395	0	395	
Year 2003	66,135	74	66,209	468	0	468	
Year 2004	72,375	16	72,391	590	0	590	
1st qtr. 2005	23,030	14	23,043	137	0	137	
2nd qtr. 2005	17,364	4	17,368	168	0	168	
3rd qtr. 2005	18,803	24	18,827	187	0	187	
4th qtr. 2005	25,310		25,310	157		157	
1st qtr. 2006	20,872		20,872	162		162	
2nd qtr. 2006	14,825		14,825	129		129	
3rd qtr. 2006	13,747		13,747	134		134	
4th qtr. 2006	19,849		19,849	165		165	

Section 19 Arms ar	nd ammunition						
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	149	56	205	5	2	7	
Year 2002	238	30	268	7	2	9	
Year 2003	104	74	178	4	1	5	
Year 2004	233	10	244	7	0	7	
1st qtr. 2005	13		13	0		0	
2nd qtr. 2005	145	4	149	7	0	7	
3rd qtr. 2005	12		12	0		0	
4th qtr. 2005	32		32	0		0	
1st qtr. 2006	17	28	45	0	1	1	
2nd qtr. 2006	106		106	3		3	
3rd qtr. 2006	55	2	56	0	0	0	
4th qtr. 2006	46	3	49	1	1	2	



Section 20 Various	goods and products n.e.s						
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
		Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone		
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	46,940	233	47,173	4,250	7	4,257	
Year 2002	51,882	51	51,933	4,040	2	4,042	
Year 2003	56,077	71	56,148	4,978	5	4,983	
Year 2004	69,762	52	69,815	5,011	3	5,013	
1st qtr. 2005	12,506	14	12,520	954	0	954	
2nd qtr. 2005	15,109	3	15,112	1,126	0	1,126	
3rd qtr. 2005	18,129	6	18,136	1,410	0	1,410	
4th qtr. 2005	29,016	8	29,024	2,577	2	2,579	
1st qtr. 2006	16,997	14	17,010	1,252	1	1,253	
2nd qtr. 2006	14,627	4	14,631	1,354	0	1,354	
3rd qtr. 2006	17,393	8	17,401	1,455	0	1,456	
4th qtr. 2006	31,653	16	31,669	2,179	0	2,180	

Section 21 Art-obje	ects and collectors items						
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	
Year 2001	8,929	57	8,986	688	6	694	
Year 2002	9,809	42	9,851	558	1	559	
Year 2003	9,142		9,142	497		497	
Year 2004	13,464		13,464	709		709	
1st qtr. 2005	1,402		1,402	80		80	
2nd qtr. 2005	2,624		2,624	140		140	
3rd qtr. 2005	6,245		6,245	247		247	
4th qtr. 2005	3,029		3,029	191		191	
1st qtr. 2006	2,503		2,503	131		131	
2nd qtr. 2006	2,987		2,987	142		142	
3rd qtr. 2006	7,321		7,321	316		316	
4th qtr. 2006	3,482		3,482	155		155	

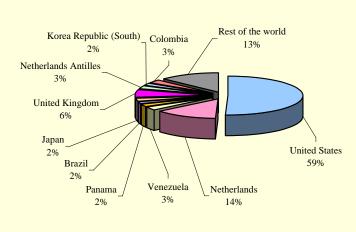


I.c.1 Import of goods by the 12 most important countries over the fourth quarter of 2005 and 2006 (in value and weight)

Import by country in value	V x1000 Afl.								
		4th qtr. 2005		4th qtr. 2006					
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import			
United States	339,819	322	340,141	261,888	77	261,966			
Netherlands	48,940	9,932	58,872	53,179	95	53,274			
Netherlands Antilles	16,101	519	16,621	29,064		29,064			
Panama	13,840	103	13,943	12,326	244	12,570			
Venezuela	12,944	128	13,072	12,186	374	12,560			
Japan	9,412		9,412	11,681		11,681			
Brazil	6,859	66	6,925	8,584	70	8,654			
Colombia	8,611	2,332	10,943	8,301	4,193	12,494			
Korea Republic (South)	7,504		7,504	7,680		7,680			
United Kingdom	4,113	26,008	30,121	5,214	15,835	21,049			
Surinam	177		177	102		102			
Rest of the world	67,907	5,595	73,502	61,107	2,406	63,514			
Total	536,228	45,006	581,234	471,313	23,295	494,608			

Import by country in weight		W x1000 Kg.								
		4th qtr. 2005		4th qtr. 2006						
		Import to Free Zone			Import to Free Zone					
	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Aruba	Total Import				
United States	80,702	59	80,760	29,796	27	29,823				
Netherlands	8,141	13,840	21,982	7,704	13	7,717				
Netherlands Antilles	1,439	58	1,497	1,915		1,915				
Panama	516	3	519	482	6	488				
Venezuela	11,786	12	11,798	16,129	32	16,161				
Japan	597		597	676		676				
Brazil	2,312	11	2,323	2,502	10	2,512				
Colombia	38,309	201	38,510	25,319	328	25,647				
Korea Republic (South)	627		627	600		600				
United Kingdom	578	1,440	2,018	1,219	1,123	2,342				
Surinam	70		70	57		57				
Rest of the world	77,552	7,718	85,270	153,392	2,784	156,177				
Total	222,630	23,343	245,972	239,792	4,324	244,116				

Total Import for Aruba by countries with highest percentage of the total trade value, fourth quarter 2006



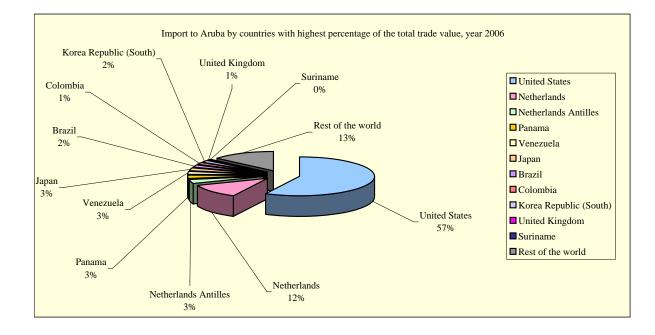




I.c.2 Import of goods by the 12 most important countries over the years 2001 till 2006 (in value and weight)

Import by country in value			V x100	00 Afl.				
	Import to Aruba							
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006		
United States	816,698	824,753	836,506	866,880	1,027,874	1,010,370		
Netherlands	152,987	172,192	180,581	204,689	198,881	207,106		
Netherlands Antilles	48,107	45,004	46,479	44,327	47,274	58,254		
Panama	26,604	26,026	31,452	40,784	41,936	44,877		
Venezuela	40,805	40,848	45,467	50,222	47,475	45,673		
Japan	33,568	35,394	38,264	36,690	35,971	44,485		
Brazil	12,469	14,145	17,884	26,137	33,003	36,064		
Colombia	18,876	18,895	21,433	22,411	28,791	25,942		
Korea Republic (South)	11,852	11,538	14,093	21,664	29,204	30,054		
United Kingdom	9,849	5,624	5,367	6,402	10,575	14,154		
Suriname	910	868	493	896	582	571		
Rest of the world	145,578	167,823	179,841	153,303	199,381	239,548		
Total	1,318,304	1,363,110	1,417,860	1,474,406	1,700,948	1,757,098		

Import by country in weight	W x1000 Kg.							
	Import to Aruba							
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006		
United States	108,842	109,891	113,054	107,241	178,325	131,723		
Netherlands	34,747	34,333	35,305	37,393	31,853	34,377		
Netherlands Antilles	9,619	8,071	8,655	7,430	6,471	6,006		
Panama	1,242	1,576	1,542	1,542	1,597	3,080		
Venezuela	40,675	42,520	58,098	46,215	48,036	57,221		
Japan	1,889	2,187	2,437	2,310	2,236	2,605		
Brazil	5,829	6,400	8,158	8,998	11,067	11,903		
Colombia	51,540	98,353	119,789	110,216	153,640	68,226		
Korea Republic (South)	815	847	1,003	1,898	2,388	2,401		
United Kingdom	2,336	1,836	2,041	2,193	2,301	2,719		
Suriname	183	227	154	258	223	200		
Rest of the world	183,224	199,247	221,739	315,529	381,044	641,923		
Total	440,942	505,488	571,974	641,222	819,181	962,383		

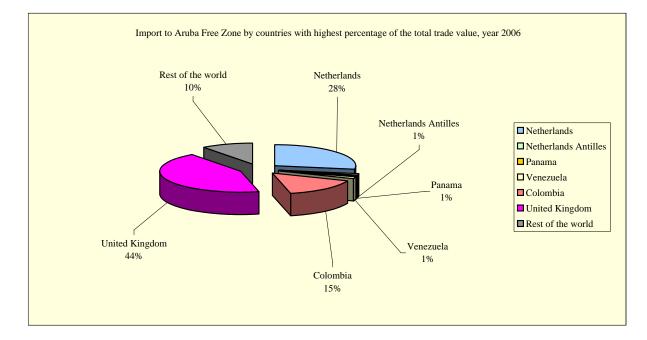




Foreign Trade Statistics Aruba, Year 2006, excluding mineral fuels

Import by country in value		V x1000 Afl.							
		Import to Free Zone Aruba							
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
United States	6,277	1,346	781	517	1,405	399			
Netherlands	21,019	18,329	15,873	16,744	38,479	34,983			
Netherlands Antilles	1,249	1,961	726	318	2,650	1,471			
Panama	2,744	2,892	2,099	875	687	1,074			
Venezuela	1,687	2,725	1,337	1,286	1,124	1,724			
Japan	34			168		31			
Brazil	616	379	33	223	292	149			
Colombia	9,237	10,093	14,523	16,547	15,797	19,409			
Korea Republic (South)	7								
United Kingdom	94,043	80,720	36,995	33,314	60,068	54,666			
Suriname	4,506	4,809	659	318		345			
Rest of the world	37,133	21,054	24,288	18,870	19,585	13,079			
Total	178,553	144,307	97,315	89,181	140,087	127,329			

Import by country in weight			W x100	00 Kg.		
			Import to Free	Zone Aruba		
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006
United States	703	185	114	188	217	93
Netherlands	20,293	29,625	25,211	25,912	54,947	43,160
Netherlands Antilles	185	1,208	516	35	226	758
Panama	152	183	126	35	15	133
Venezuela	250	174	146	144	111	153
Japan	2			21		3
Brazil	45	44	4	51	52	22
Colombia	1,381	975	1,404	1,754	1,527	1,494
Korea Republic (South)	0					
United Kingdom	5,443	5,011	2,307	2,124	3,609	3,383
Suriname	10,714	13,417	1,847	830		1,000
Rest of the world	33,656	18,994	32,291	22,163	28,110	14,576
Total	72,825	69,816	63,965	53,257	88,815	64,776

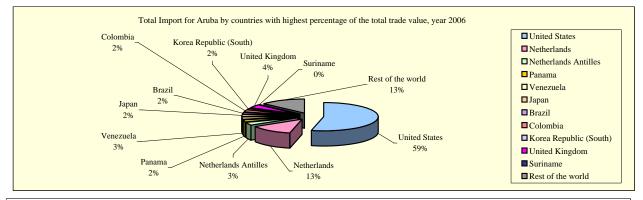


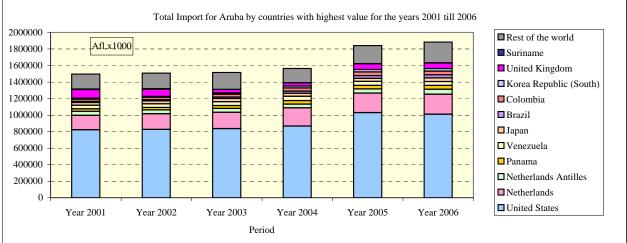


Foreign Trade Statistics Aruba, Year 2006, excluding mineral fuels

Import by country			V x100	00 Afl.		
in value			Total I	mport		
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006
United States	822,975	826,099	837,287	867,398	1,029,279	1,010,769
Netherlands	174,006	190,521	196,454	221,433	237,361	242,089
Netherlands Antilles	49,356	46,964	47,205	44,645	49,924	59,725
Panama	29,348	28,918	33,551	41,660	42,623	45,951
Venezuela	42,493	43,573	46,805	51,509	48,599	47,397
Japan	33,602	35,394	38,264	36,858	35,971	44,516
Brazil	13,084	14,525	17,917	26,360	33,295	36,212
Colombia	28,114	28,988	35,956	38,958	44,588	45,351
Korea Republic (South)	11,859	11,538	14,093	21,664	29,204	30,054
United Kingdom	103,892	86,344	42,363	39,716	70,643	68,820
Suriname	5,416	5,676	1,152	1,214	582	916
Rest of the world	182,711	188,877	204,129	172,173	218,966	252,627
Total	1,496,857	1,507,417	1,515,175	1,563,587	1,841,034	1,884,427

Import by country			W x1000) Kg.		
in weight			Total In	nport		
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006
United States	109,545	110,076	113,168	107,429	178,542	131,816
Netherlands	55,040	63,958	60,516	63,304	86,800	77,537
Netherlands Antilles	9,804	9,279	9,171	7,465	6,697	6,763
Panama	1,395	1,759	1,668	1,577	1,611	3,212
Venezuela	40,926	42,693	58,245	46,359	48,147	57,375
Japan	1,891	2,187	2,437	2,331	2,236	2,608
Brazil	5,874	6,444	8,161	9,049	11,120	11,926
Colombia	52,921	99,327	121,193	111,970	155,167	69,721
Korea Republic (South)	815	847	1,003	1,898	2,388	2,401
United Kingdom	7,779	6,847	4,347	4,317	5,910	6,102
Suriname	10,896	13,643	2,001	1,088	223	1,200
Rest of the world	216,880	218,242	254,030	337,692	409,154	656,499
Total	513,766	575,303	635,939	694,480	907,996	1,027,160







I.c.3. Import of goods to Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the fourth quarter of 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value					V x1000 A	fl.				
for the fourth quarter of 2006					Import to Ar	uba				
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Panama	Venezuela	Japan	Brazil	Colombia	Korea Republic (South)	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products	11,890	6,734	250	13	1,585		3,129	112		4,038
02 Vegetable products	8,867	1,469	226	17	2,110		26	653		2,069
03 Fats and oils	1,335	59	3	0	57			31		119
04 Food products	30,693	8,293	2,448	130	2,325		708	1,358	123	7,556
05 Mineral products	231	104	107	2	1,111		17	1,544		3,892
06 Chemical products	27,447	5,146	4,839	3,480	980	0		238		10,890
07 Artificial plastic elements	9,011	2,074	573	145	421	547	69	491	3	2,609
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	2,729	340	510	267	3	1	1	60		691
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	4,120	372	52	18	195		710	431		1,073
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	8,022	2,089	585	46	385	22	278	456	1	1,431
11 Textile fibers and articles	14,951	1,683	3,439	4,672	250	0	133	1,108	1	2,919
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	3,467	212	539	1,275	62		0	365		477
13 Works of stone,gypsum,cement,asbestos	5,831	1,890	258	274	429	6	344	337	5	4,265
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	23,847	176	4,411	6			3	3		875
15 Base metals and derivated works	25,252	6,652	664	121	1,596	13	150	127	0	3,090
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	46,630	6,625	4,541	860	230	441	188	222	106	7,491
17 Transport equipment	8,409	1,571	773	133	147	10,485	1,137	35	7,438	3,356
18 Optical instruments, apparatus & equipment	12,083	1,959	3,356	462	96	6	12	64	3	1,808
19 Arms and ammunition	46									
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	16,389	3,307	1,198	403	206	140	1,657	664		7,690
21 Art-objects and collectors items	638	2,425	293			20	23			83
Total	261,888	53,179	29,064	12,326	12,186	11,681	8,584	8,301	7,680	66,423

Section (021) in weight					W x1000 K	g.				
for the fourth quarter of 2006					Import to Art	ıba				
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Panama	Venezuela	Japan	Brazil	Colombia	Korea Republic (South)	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products	1,988	1,133	18	3	167		821	32		658
02 Vegetable products	3,406	752	21	2	1,601		20	179		1,411
03 Fats and oils	406	11	0	0	19			9		18
04 Food products	8,198	2,321	536	20	1,799		376	396	49	2,555
05 Mineral products	189	125	255	3	10,749		24	24,076		137,064
06 Chemical products	4,468	523	420	13	752	0		23		5,686
07 Artificial plastic elements	774	219	59	15	57	74	3	71	0	388
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	56	6	16	9	0	0	0	2		25
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	1,755	84	3	2	90		537	139		552
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	1,375	177	73	6	80	0	132	42	0	330
11 Textile fibers and articles	515	46	147	153	9	0	2	20	0	134
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	103	3	17	42	2		0	8		32
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	1,428	581	38	97	345	0	410	227	0	3,503
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	15	0	2	0			0	0		2
15 Base metals and derivated works	2,069	829	61	9	343	0	7	7	0	921
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	1,575	363	142	47	45	25	10	26	7	353
17 Transport equipment	468	164	36	8	43	563	66	1	544	230
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	112	10	14	12	3	0	0	1	0	12
19 Arms and ammunition	1									
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	858	263	41	41	26	13	92	59		787
21 Art-objects and collectors items	38	93	16			1	2			5
Total	29,796	7,704	1,915	482	16,129	676	2,502	25,319	600	154,668



I.c.4. Import of goods to Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the fourth quarter of 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value				V x100	0 Afl.			
for the fourth quarter of 2006			1	Import to Free	Zone Aruba			
	United Kingdom	Colombia	Guyana	Paraguay	Venezuela	Panama	Netherlands	Rest of the world
02 Vegetable products			1,149		374			
04 Food products	15,834	4,193		599			80	774
07 Artificial plastic elements								0
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry						5		
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork								13
11 Textile fibers and articles				10		16	8	5
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas						207		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos							7	
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	2							
19 Arms and ammunition								3
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.						16		
Total	15,835	4,193	1,149	609	374	244	95	795

Section (021) in weight				W x100	00 Kg.			
for the fourth quarter of 2006			1	Import to Free	Zone Aruba			
	United Kingdom	Colombia	Guyana	Paraguay	Venezuela	Panama	Netherlands	Rest of the world
02 Vegetable products			2,669		32			
04 Food products	1,123	328		44			12	102
07 Artificial plastic elements								0
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry						0		
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork								7
11 Textile fibers and articles				0		0	0	0
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas						6		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos							1	
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	0							
19 Arms and ammunition								1
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.						0		
Total	1,123	328	2,669	44	32	6	13	109



I.c.5. Import of goods to Aruba by the most important countries by sections for the year of 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value					V x1000 A	Afl.				
for the year of 2006					Import to A	ruba				
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Panama	Venezuela	Japan	Brazil	Colombia	Korea Republic (South)	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products	43,422	24,613	751	147	6,534		14,109	701		12,256
02 Vegetable products	33,837	5,635	407	20	8,491	22	86	2,393		5,926
03 Fats and oils	4,997	267	90	1	192			131		746
04 Food products	115,033	30,027	5,569	642	7,324		2,489	3,709	493	25,814
05 Mineral products	2,421	830	363	2	4,360		109	5,367		13,379
06 Chemical products	105,643	19,483	13,410	16,868	3,941	4	103	1,047		33,870
07 Artificial plastic elements	35,851	7,260	1,419	514	1,677	1,444	374	1,727	110	8,109
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	9,229	1,183	1,004	794	66	2	3	93		2,319
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	14,540	1,856	205	87	462		4,609	1,395		7,276
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	29,068	10,356	1,347	157	2,079	39	1,121	1,451	5	3,391
11 Textile fibers and articles	45,566	5,710	9,127	14,177	553	2	306	2,785	1	11,733
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	10,815	1,044	1,256	4,052	142	0	62	639		1,714
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	22,809	5,448	610	834	2,435	42	1,791	1,207	8	12,960
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	62,141	368	4,825	16	3		3	5		2,776
15 Base metals and derivated works	114,530	25,398	1,684	683	4,286	62	390	1,153	1	12,646
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	221,944	28,543	7,390	3,664	1,011	1,569	776	719	435	52,875
17 Transport equipment	43,102	8,161	1,772	315	550	40,772	7,772	47	28,999	20,712
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	45,535	7,435	4,742	1,017	864	166	22	91	4	9,416
19 Arms and ammunition	183	0				0				40
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	47,758	10,072	1,622	887	700	342	1,916	1,275		16,098
21 Art-objects and collectors items	1,945	13,417	661		4	20	23	6		217
Total	1,010,370	207,106	58,254	44,877	45,673	44,485	36,064	25,942	30,054	254,273

Section (021) in weight					W x1000 H	Kg.				
for the year of 2006					Import to A	ruba				
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Panama	Venezuela	Japan	Brazil	Colombia	Korea Republic (South)	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products	6,731	4,047	116	36	746		4,062	257		2,229
02 Vegetable products	13,770	3,314	115	2	5,931	23	71	564		4,693
03 Fats and oils	1,572	52	27	0	64			61		223
04 Food products	30,893	9,500	1,029	145	5,018		824	1,081	191	9,606
05 Mineral products	13,107	1,672	1,159	3	35,776		156	63,875		583,605
06 Chemical products	18,317	1,988	1,654	1,425	3,474	0	39	103		17,700
07 Artificial plastic elements	3,470	819	162	66	306	196	83	246	29	1,106
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	191	36	44	30	1	0	0	3		124
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	7,129	385	36	19	253		3,179	564		4,259
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	5,141	630	232	19	508	1	539	139	0	680
11 Textile fibers and articles	1,604	169	429	440	22	0	4	50	0	430
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	314	22	41	140	7	0	2	15		84
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	5,951	1,544	101	241	3,691	1	2,169	886	0	10,536
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	40	1	2	0	0		0	0		3
15 Base metals and derivated works	10,787	6,247	280	71	1,032	3	36	139	0	4,050
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	7,157	1,643	277	297	163	100	33	106	24	1,783
17 Transport equipment	2,454	773	135	22	133	2,246	533	1	2,157	1,512
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	431	52	29	32	8	1	0	2	0	35
19 Arms and ammunition	4	0				0				0
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	2,556	920	89	92	87	32	171	135		2,158
21 Art-objects and collectors items	104	563	48		1	1	2	0		27
Total	131,723	34,377	6,006	3,080	57,221	2,605	11,903	68,226	2,401	644,842



I.c.6. Import of goods to Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by sections for the year of 2006 (in value and weight)

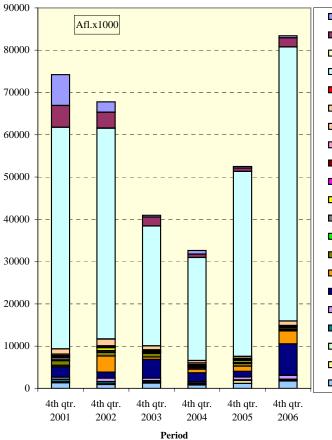
Section (021) in value				V x1000	Afl.				
for the year of 2006			Imj	port to Free 2	Zone Aruba				
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Panama	Venezuela	Japan	Brazil	Colombia	Rest of the world
02 Vegetable products		96	61		1,683				2,123
04 Food products	180	34,473	1,410	287	41		149	19,409	65,850
06 Chemical products	4	324							16
07 Artificial plastic elements	1	11				31			0
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry				20					
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	15								
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	2	7		0					79
11 Textile fibers and articles	5	28		89					10
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas		7		637					
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	74	7							
15 Base metals and derivated works	8	1							6
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	5	14		0					5
17 Transport equipment	74	14							
19 Arms and ammunition	32								
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.		2		40					
Total	399	34,983	1,471	1,074	1,724	31	149	19,409	68,090

Section (021) in weight				W x1000) Kg.				
for the year of 2006			Imp	ort to Free 2	Zone Aruba				
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands	Panama	Venezuela	Japan	Brazil	Colombia	Rest of
02 Vegetable products		27	19		151				5,552
04 Food products	62	42,955	739	111	3		22	1,494	13,404
06 Chemical products	0	171							0
07 Artificial plastic elements	0	4				3			0
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry				1					
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	7								
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	0	0		0					3
11 Textile fibers and articles	0	0		2					0
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas		0		19					
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	14	1							
15 Base metals and derivated works	1	0							0
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	0	0		0					0
17 Transport equipment	8	0							
19 Arms and ammunition	1								
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.		0		1					
Total	93	43,160	758	133	153	3	22	1,494	18,959



I.d.1 Export of goods from Aruba by sections over the fourth quarter of 2005 and 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.								
for the fourth quarter of 2005-2006		4th qtr. 2005		4th qtr. 2006					
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export			
01 Live animals and other animal products	406		406	507		507			
02 Vegetable products	26	754	780	34	2,121	2,155			
03 Fats and oils	0		0	0		0			
04 Food products	545	43,193	43,739	708	64,119	64,827			
05 Mineral products	0		0	0		0			
06 Chemical products	459		459	1,071	7	1,077			
07 Artificial plastic elements	146	3	149	73	0	73			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	135	2	138	19	10	29			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	22		22	57		57			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	243	24	267	266	21	287			
11 Textile fibers and articles	414	24	439	249	68	317			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	17	113	130	5	243	249			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	88		88	74	173	248			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	629		629	5		5			
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,255		1,255	3,080		3,080			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	1,309	0	1,309	7,443	0	7,443			
17 Transport equipment	687		687	904		904			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	145		145	308		308			
19 Arms and ammunition					3	3			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	687	4	691	91	8	99			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	1,173		1,173	1,755		1,755			



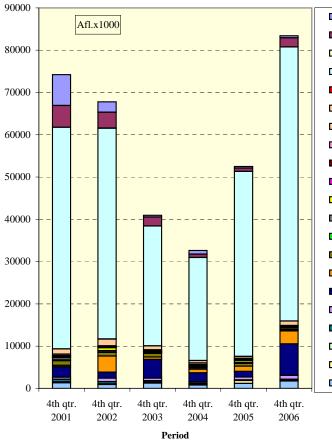
Total Export of goods from Aruba by sections for the fourth quarter of 2001 till 2006





I.d.1 Export of goods from Aruba by sections over the fourth quarter of 2005 and 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.								
for the fourth quarter of 2005-2006		4th qtr. 2005		4th qtr. 2006					
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export			
01 Live animals and other animal products	406		406	507		507			
02 Vegetable products	26	754	780	34	2,121	2,155			
03 Fats and oils	0		0	0		0			
04 Food products	545	43,193	43,739	708	64,119	64,827			
05 Mineral products	0		0	0		0			
06 Chemical products	459		459	1,071	7	1,077			
07 Artificial plastic elements	146	3	149	73	0	73			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	135	2	138	19	10	29			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	22		22	57		57			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	243	24	267	266	21	287			
11 Textile fibers and articles	414	24	439	249	68	317			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	17	113	130	5	243	249			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	88		88	74	173	248			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	629		629	5		5			
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,255		1,255	3,080		3,080			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	1,309	0	1,309	7,443	0	7,443			
17 Transport equipment	687		687	904		904			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	145		145	308		308			
19 Arms and ammunition					3	3			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	687	4	691	91	8	99			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	1,173		1,173	1,755		1,755			



Total Export of goods from Aruba by sections for the fourth quarter of 2001 till 2006





I.d.2 Export of Goods from Aruba by sections over the years 2001 till 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.								
for the years 2001-2006			Export fro	om Aruba					
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
01 Live animals and other animal products	17,800	17,629	2,443	2,596	1,596	1,227			
02 Vegetable products	316	203	125	163	117	46			
03 Fats and oils	229	89	21	1	1	0			
04 Food products	1,909	1,799	2,612	2,612	2,955	2,784			
05 Mineral products	5	25	15	33	0	0			
06 Chemical products	3,080	3,461	2,948	2,475	2,367	2,460			
07 Artificial plastic elements	866	1,176	1,002	946	1,071	453			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	70	219	177	108	207	136			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	248	306	275	251	163	291			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	657	537	548	879	554	527			
11 Textile fibers and articles	459	1,046	404	915	814	703			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	32	61	20	30	86	58			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	567	531	653	798	403	373			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	4,829	2,394	2,511	3,049	3,104	1,781			
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,734	6,561	3,102	6,189	4,499	7,051			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	3,956	11,120	6,668	5,399	4,786	11,076			
17 Transport equipment	3,009	3,174	3,024	3,522	3,169	4,466			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	1,926	2,819	1,007	2,387	1,645	1,559			
19 Arms and ammunition	1	10	2		4				
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	501	524	535	425	1,463	1,199			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	9,515	8,427	7,849	7,470	7,056	10,186			
for the years 2001-2006			Export fro						
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
01 Live animals and other animal products	4,813	4,782	475	288	234	153			
02 Vegetable products	95	66	44	59	136	39			
03 Fats and oils	63	39	10	0	0	0			
04 Food products	941	769	1,406	1,525	1,847	2,116			
05 Mineral products	4	39	23	19	0	0			
06 Chemical products	837	1,830	1,083	712	1,225	663			
07 Artificial plastic elements	260	264	376	246	191	133			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	1	4	2	2	4	4			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	83	84	72	55	19	44			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	716	598	1,226	905	2,040	1,779			
11 Textile fibers and articles	34	50	35	75	72	85			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	2	2	1	1	2	1			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	130	102	294	86	110	61			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	1	2	0	2	1	1			
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,318	3,127	1,808	4,742	2,664	4,701			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	199	459	193	409	613	660			
17 Transport equipment	204	261	219	240	402	389			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	5	6	4	9	13	19			
	0	0	0		0				
19 Arms and ammunition	0								
19 Arms and ammunition 20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	28	47	71	52	179	79			

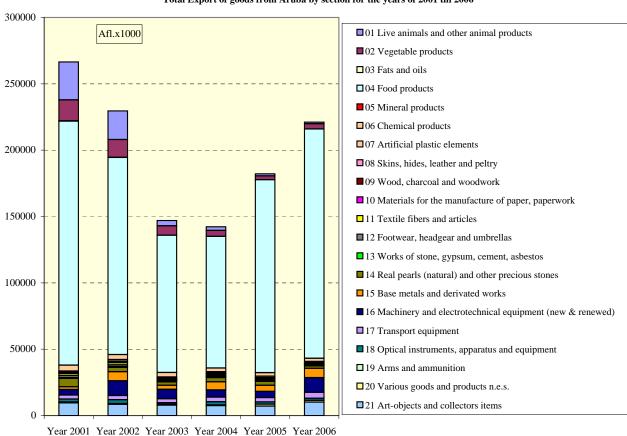


Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.								
for the years 2001-2006			Export from Fr	ee Zone Aruba					
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
01 Live animals and other animal products	10,713	4,009	1,544	148					
02 Vegetable products	15,519	13,167	6,958	4,309	2,720	3,981			
04 Food products	181,986	146,734	100,796	96,619	142,517	169,951			
06 Chemical products	1,325	283	433	266	231	47			
07 Artificial plastic elements	29	15	0	9	62	0			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	115	73	35	27	18	15			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	0	1							
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	52	23	43	94	112	89			
11 Textile fibers and articles	890	604	73	64	75	98			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	1,634	1,226	486	369	292	357			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	22	72		0		213			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	1,356	809							
15 Base metals and derivated works	296	312	3	0		41			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	347	18	371	8	2	0			
17 Transport equipment	7			25	81				
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	204	52	93	28					
19 Arms and ammunition	8	13	0	0	4	5			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	239	61	184	34	26	27			

Section (021) by weight			W x10	0		
for the years 2001-2006			Export from Fr	ee Zone Aruba		
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006
01 Live animals and other animal products	3,191	1,294	973	52		
02 Vegetable products	29,687	25,957	14,478	8,506	3,819	5,102
04 Food products	41,327	40,738	48,364	43,550	82,945	69,101
06 Chemical products	349	72	139	67	39	19
07 Artificial plastic elements	9	6	0	2	14	0
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	3	1	1	1	1	1
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	0	2				
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	4	1	13	3	4	4
11 Textile fibers and articles	18	29	1	1	1	2
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	34	23	10	9	7	7
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	10	23		0		136
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	1	1				
15 Base metals and derivated works	5	6	0	0		1
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	37	1	75	1	0	0
17 Transport equipment	4			1	17	
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	1	0	0	0		
19 Arms and ammunition	0	1	0	0	0	1
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	9	4	8	3	1	1



Section (021) in value		V x1000 Afl.								
for the years 2001-2006			Total l	Export						
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006				
01 Live animals and other animal products	28,513	21,639	3,987	2,744	1,596	1,227				
02 Vegetable products	15,835	13,370	7,083	4,472	2,837	4,027				
03 Fats and oils	229	89	21	1	1	0				
04 Food products	183,895	148,533	103,409	99,231	145,473	172,735				
05 Mineral products	5	25	15	33	0	0				
06 Chemical products	4,406	3,745	3,381	2,741	2,598	2,507				
07 Artificial plastic elements	895	1,191	1,002	955	1,133	453				
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	185	293	212	134	225	151				
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	248	307	275	251	163	291				
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	709	560	590	972	666	616				
11 Textile fibers and articles	1,349	1,649	477	980	888	802				
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	1,666	1,287	506	399	378	415				
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	589	603	653	798	403	586				
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	6,185	3,203	2,511	3,049	3,104	1,781				
15 Base metals and derivated works	2,030	6,872	3,105	6,189	4,499	7,092				
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	4,303	11,138	7,040	5,407	4,788	11,077				
17 Transport equipment	3,016	3,174	3,024	3,547	3,250	4,466				
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	2,129	2,871	1,101	2,415	1,645	1,559				
19 Arms and ammunition	9	23	2	0	8	5				
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	739	585	719	459	1,489	1,226				
21 Art-objects and collectors items	9,515	8,427	7,849	7,470	7,056	10,186				



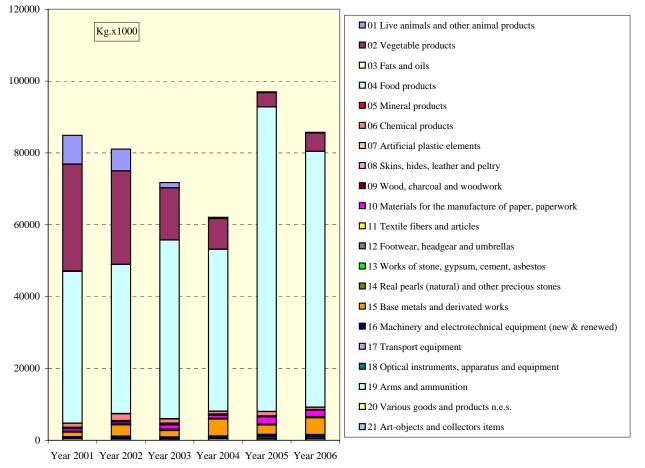
Total Export of goods from Aruba by section for the years of 2001 till 2006

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Section (021) by weight	W x1000 Kg.								
for the years 2001-2006			Total l	Export					
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
01 Live animals and other animal products	8,004	6,076	1,448	340	234	153			
02 Vegetable products	29,781	26,024	14,522	8,564	3,955	5,142			
03 Fats and oils	63	39	10	0	0	0			
04 Food products	42,267	41,507	49,770	45,075	84,793	71,216			
05 Mineral products	4	39	23	19	0	0			
06 Chemical products	1,185	1,902	1,222	779	1,265	682			
07 Artificial plastic elements	269	270	376	248	205	133			
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	4	6	3	3	5	5			
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	83	87	72	55	19	44			
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	720	599	1,239	908	2,044	1,783			
11 Textile fibers and articles	52	79	36	76	73	87			
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	36	25	11	10	9	9			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	140	126	294	86	110	196			
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	2	3	0	2	1	1			
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,323	3,133	1,808	4,742	2,664	4,702			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	236	461	268	410	613	660			
17 Transport equipment	207	261	219	242	419	389			
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	6	7	4	9	13	19			
19 Arms and ammunition	0	1	0	0	0	1			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	38	51	79	55	180	80			
21 Art-objects and collectors items	474	394	352	468	407	438			

Total Export of goods from Aruba by section for the years of 2001 till 2006





I.d.3. Export of goods from Aruba by sections for the years 2001 till 2004 and over the quarters of 2005 and 2006

Section 01 Live a	nimals and other animal j	products					
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	17,800	10,713	28,513	4,813	3,191	8,004	
Year 2002	17,629	4,009	21,639	4,782	1,294	6,076	
Year 2003	2,443	1,544	3,987	475	973	1,448	
Year 2004	2,596	148	2,744	288	52	340	
1st qtr. 2005	441		441	98		98	
2nd qtr. 2005	296		296	40		40	
3rd qtr. 2005	453		453	56		56	
4th qtr. 2005	406		406	39		39	
1st qtr. 2006	225		225	27		27	
2nd qtr. 2006	160		160	18		18	
3rd qtr. 2006	335		335	36		36	
4th qtr. 2006	507		507	72		72	

Section 02 Veget	able products						
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	316	15,519	15,835	95	29,687	29,781	
Year 2002	203	13,167	13,370	66	25,957	26,024	
Year 2003	125	6,958	7,083	44	14,478	14,522	
Year 2004	163	4,309	4,472	59	8,506	8,564	
1st qtr. 2005	66	473	538	90	772	862	
2nd qtr. 2005	16	689	705	4	1,208	1,211	
3rd qtr. 2005	9	804	813	3	904	906	
4th qtr. 2005	26	754	780	40	936	976	
1st qtr. 2006	3	440	442	6	282	288	
2nd qtr. 2006	1	574	575	1	53	54	
3rd qtr. 2006	8	846	854	2	1,372	1,374	
4th qtr. 2006	34	2,121	2,155	31	3,395	3,426	

Section 03 Fats a	nd oils						
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	229		229	63		63	
Year 2002	89		89	39		39	
Year 2003	21		21	10		10	
Year 2004	1		1	0		0	
1st qtr. 2005	0		0	0		0	
2nd qtr. 2005	0		0	0		0	
3rd qtr. 2005	0		0	0		0	
4th qtr. 2005	0		0	0		0	
4th qtr. 2006	0		0	0		0	

Section 04 Food	products						
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	1,909	181,986	183,895	941	41,327	42,267	
Year 2002	1,799	146,734	148,533	769	40,738	41,507	
Year 2003	2,612	100,796	103,409	1,406	48,364	49,770	
Year 2004	2,612	96,619	99,231	1,525	43,550	45,075	
1st qtr. 2005	572	29,916	30,488	480	19,662	20,143	
2nd qtr. 2005	746	31,760	32,505	435	20,240	20,675	
3rd qtr. 2005	1,093	37,648	38,741	542	20,734	21,276	
4th qtr. 2005	545	43,193	43,739	391	22,309	22,699	
1st qtr. 2006	718	40,106	40,825	506	30,644	31,150	
2nd qtr. 2006	761	32,245	33,007	583	16,283	16,866	
3rd qtr. 2006	597	33,480	34,077	398	12,604	13,003	
4th qtr. 2006	708	64,119	64,827	628	9,569	10,198	



Section 05 Minera	al products						
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	5		5	4		4	
Year 2002	25		25	39		39	
Year 2003	15		15	23		23	
Year 2004	33		33	19		19	
1st qtr. 2005	0		0	0		0	
2nd qtr. 2005	0		0	0		0	
4th qtr. 2005	0		0	0		0	
1st qtr. 2006	0		0	0		0	
2nd qtr. 2006	0		0	0		0	
4th qtr. 2006	0		0	0		0	

Section 06 Chem	ical products						
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	5	
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	3,080	1,325	4,406	837	349	1,185	
Year 2002	3,461	283	3,745	1,830	72	1,902	
Year 2003	2,948	433	3,381	1,083	139	1,222	
Year 2004	2,475	266	2,741	712	67	779	
1st qtr. 2005	366	107	473	115	22	137	
2nd qtr. 2005	750	106	857	387	17	405	
3rd qtr. 2005	792	18	809	567	0	567	
4th qtr. 2005	459		459	156		156	
1st qtr. 2006	421	15	436	108	0	108	
2nd qtr. 2006	542	7	549	110	1	111	
3rd qtr. 2006	426	19	445	107	15	122	
4th qtr. 2006	1,071	7	1,077	338	2	340	

Section 07 Artific	cial plastic elements					
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg. Export from Free Zone Aruba Total Export 9 269 6 270 0 376 2 248 112 67 0 72 2 21	
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	^	Total Export
Year 2001	866	29	895	260	9	269
Year 2002	1,176	15	1,191	264	6	270
Year 2003	1,002	0	1,002	376	0	376
Year 2004	946	9	955	246	2	248
1st qtr. 2005	387	51	439	55	12	67
2nd qtr. 2005	466	1	467	72	0	72
3rd qtr. 2005	72	6	78	29	2	31
4th qtr. 2005	146	3	149	35	1	36
1st qtr. 2006	205	0	205	24	0	24
2nd qtr. 2006	115		115	39		39
3rd qtr. 2006	60		60	9		9
4th qtr. 2006	73	0	73	61	0	61

Section 08 Skins,	hides, leather and peltry					
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
Year 2001	70	115	185	1	3	4
Year 2002	219	73	293	4	1	6
Year 2003	177	35	212	2	1	3
Year 2004	108	27	134	2	1	3
1st qtr. 2005	14	4	17	1	0	1
2nd qtr. 2005	37	9	46	0	0	1
3rd qtr. 2005	21	3	24	1	0	2
4th qtr. 2005	135	2	138	1	0	1
1st qtr. 2006	79	0	79	1	0	1
2nd qtr. 2006	22	4	26	1	0	1
3rd qtr. 2006	17	0	17	1	0	1
4th qtr. 2006	19	10	29	1	1	2



Section 09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork

Export from Aruba

V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	
Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
0	248	83	0	83
1	307	84	2	87
	275	70		72

	Export nom Aruba	Zone Aluba	Total Export	Export nom Aruba	Zone Aluba	Total Export
Year 2001	248	0	248	83	0	83
Year 2002	306	1	307	84	2	87
Year 2003	275		275	72		72
Year 2004	251		251	55		55
1st qtr. 2005	70		70	8		8
2nd qtr. 2005	40		40	5		5
3rd qtr. 2005	32		32	4		4
4th qtr. 2005	22		22	1		1
1st qtr. 2006	26		26	3		3
2nd qtr. 2006	71		71	8		8
3rd qtr. 2006	137		137	25		25
4th qtr. 2006	57		57	8		8

Section 10 Materi	ials for the manufacture o	f paper, paperwork				
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
Year 2001	657	52	709	716	4	720
Year 2002	537	23	560	598	1	599
Year 2003	548	43	590	1,226	13	1,239
Year 2004	879	94	972	905	3	908
1st qtr. 2005	113	25	138	1,090	1	1,091
2nd qtr. 2005	118	39	157	11	2	13
3rd qtr. 2005	80	24	104	410	1	410
4th qtr. 2005	243	24	267	529	1	530
1st qtr. 2006	83	11	94	357	0	358
2nd qtr. 2006	91	21	112	655	1	656
3rd qtr. 2006	87	35	122	229	2	231
4th qtr. 2006	266	21	287	537	1	538

Section 11 Textile	ection 11 Textile fibers and articles									
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.					
	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export				
Year 2001	459	890	1,349	34	18	52				
Year 2002	1,046	604	1,649	50	29	79				
Year 2003	404	73	477	35	1	36				
Year 2004	915	64	980	75	1	76				
1st qtr. 2005	119	14	133	11	0	11				
2nd qtr. 2005	98	21	119	12	0	13				
3rd qtr. 2005	182	16	197	14	0	14				
4th qtr. 2005	414	24	439	36	0	36				
1st qtr. 2006	157	2	159	16	0	16				
2nd qtr. 2006	192	11	203	16	0	16				
3rd qtr. 2006	106	17	123	13	0	14				
4th qtr. 2006	249	68	317	40	1	41				



Section 12 Footw	ear, headgear and umbrel	llas				
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
Year 2001	32	1,634	1,666	2	34	36
Year 2002	61	1,226	1,287	2	23	25
Year 2003	20	486	506	1	10	11
Year 2004	30	369	399	1	9	10
1st qtr. 2005	9	29	38	0	1	1
2nd qtr. 2005	5	68	73	0	2	2
3rd qtr. 2005	55	82	137	1	2	2
4th qtr. 2005	17	113	130	1	3	4
1st qtr. 2006	10	16	26	0	0	1
2nd qtr. 2006	3	68	71	0	2	2
3rd qtr. 2006	40	29	69	1	1	1
4th qtr. 2006	5	243	249	0	4	4

Section 13 Works	s of stone, gypsum, cemei	nt, asbestos					
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	Free	
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	567	22	589	130	10	140	
Year 2002	531	72	603	102	23	126	
Year 2003	653		653	294		294	
Year 2004	798	0	798	86	0	86	
1st qtr. 2005	161		161	7		7	
2nd qtr. 2005	119		119	13		13	
3rd qtr. 2005	35		35	66		66	
4th qtr. 2005	88		88	24		24	
1st qtr. 2006	34	6	40	3	2	4	
2nd qtr. 2006	77	26	103	17	4	21	
3rd qtr. 2006	189	7	196	37	2	39	
4th qtr. 2006	74	173	248	4	129	132	

Section 14 Real p	earls (natural) and other p	precious stones					
_		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.	free	
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	4,829	1,356	6,185	1	1	2	
Year 2002	2,394	809	3,203	2	1	3	
Year 2003	2,511		2,511	0		0	
Year 2004	3,049		3,049	2		2	
1st qtr. 2005	675		675	1		1	
2nd qtr. 2005	1,423		1,423	0		0	
3rd qtr. 2005	376		376	0		0	
4th qtr. 2005	629		629	0		0	
1st qtr. 2006	677		677	0		0	
2nd qtr. 2006	758		758	0		0	
3rd qtr. 2006	341		341	0		0	
4th qtr. 2006	5		5	0		0	



Section 15 Base 1	netals and derivated work	<u>18</u>				
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg. Export from Free Zone Aruba Total Export 5 1,323 6 3,133 0 1,808 0 4,742 1,248 494 567 355	
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	•	Total Export
Year 2001	1,734	296	2,030	1,318	5	1,323
Year 2002	6,561	312	6,872	3,127	6	3,133
Year 2003	3,102	3	3,105	1,808	0	1,808
Year 2004	6,189	0	6,189	4,742	0	4,742
1st qtr. 2005	1,357		1,357	1,248		1,248
2nd qtr. 2005	929		929	494		494
3rd qtr. 2005	958		958	567		567
4th qtr. 2005	1,255		1,255	355		355
1st qtr. 2006	1,192	41	1,233	2,269	1	2,270
2nd qtr. 2006	652		652	708		708
3rd qtr. 2006	2,128		2,128	731		731
4th qtr. 2006	3,080		3,080	993		993

Section 10 Mach	Section 16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)									
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.					
		Export from Free			Export from Free					
	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export				
Year 2001	3,956	347	4,303	199	37	236				
Year 2002	11,120	18	11,138	459	1	461				
Year 2003	6,668	371	7,040	193	75	268				
Year 2004	5,399	8	5,407	409	1	410				
1st qtr. 2005	1,135		1,135	79		79				
2nd qtr. 2005	1,101	2	1,103	124	0	125				
3rd qtr. 2005	1,241		1,241	229		229				
4th qtr. 2005	1,309	0	1,309	181	0	181				
1st qtr. 2006	1,177		1,177	184		184				
2nd qtr. 2006	1,732	0	1,733	133	0	133				
3rd qtr. 2006	723		723	139		139				
4th qtr. 2006	7,443	0	7,443	203	0	203				

		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.			
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	
Year 2001	3,009	7	3,016	204	4	207	
Year 2002	3,174		3,174	261		261	
Year 2003	3,024		3,024	219		219	
Year 2004	3,522	25	3,547	240	1	242	
1st qtr. 2005	592		592	49		49	
2nd qtr. 2005	735	81	816	100	17	116	
3rd qtr. 2005	1,156		1,156	182		182	
4th qtr. 2005	687		687	72		72	
1st qtr. 2006	517		517	73		73	
2nd qtr. 2006	1,342		1,342	77		77	
3rd qtr. 2006	1,702		1,702	156		156	
4th qtr. 2006	904		904	82		82	



Section 18 Optica	Section 18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment										
_		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.							
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export					
Year 2002	2,819	52	2,871	6	0	7					
Year 2003	1,007	93	1,101	4	0	4					
Year 2004	2,387	28	2,415	9	0	9					
1st qtr. 2005	713		713	4		4					
2nd qtr. 2005	470		470	2		2					
3rd qtr. 2005	317		317	3		3					
4th qtr. 2005	145		145	4		4					
1st qtr. 2006	890		890	3		3					
2nd qtr. 2006	226		226	2		2					
3rd qtr. 2006	135		135	9		9					
4th qtr. 2006	308		308	5		5					
3rd qtr. 2006	135		135	9		9					

Section 19 Arms a	Section 19 Arms and ammunition										
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.						
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export					
Year 2001	1	2011C A1402a 8	9	0	0	0					
Year 2002	10	13	23	0	1	1					
Year 2003	2	0	2	0	0	0					
Year 2004		0	0		0	0					
2nd qtr. 2005	0	4	4	0	0	0					
3rd qtr. 2005	4		4	0		0					
1st qtr. 2006		2	2		0	0					
4th qtr. 2006		3	3		1	1					

Section 20 Various goods and products n.e.s.									
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.					
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export			
Year 2001	501	239	739	28	9	38			
Year 2002	524	61	585	47	4	51			
Year 2003	535	184	719	71	8	79			
Year 2004	425	34	459	52	3	55			
1st qtr. 2005	352	8	361	19	0	19			
2nd qtr. 2005	350	4	354	54	0	55			
3rd qtr. 2005	74	9	84	14	0	14			
4th qtr. 2005	687	4	691	92	0	92			
1st qtr. 2006	46	7	53	11	0	12			
2nd qtr. 2006	802	9	811	33	0	34			
3rd qtr. 2006	260	3	263	23	0	23			
4th qtr. 2006	91	8	99	11	0	12			

Section 21 Art-ob	Section 21 Art-objects and collectors items										
		V x1000 Afl.		W x1000 Kg.							
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export					
Year 2001	9,515		9,515	474		474					
Year 2002	8,427		8,427	394		394					
Year 2003	7,849		7,849	352		352					
Year 2004	7,470		7,470	468		468					
1st qtr. 2005	766		766	34		34					
2nd qtr. 2005	1,553		1,553	94		94					
3rd qtr. 2005	3,564		3,564	190		190					
4th qtr. 2005	1,173		1,173	88		88					
1st qtr. 2006	1,143		1,143	55		55					
2nd qtr. 2006	2,012		2,012	106		106					
3rd qtr. 2006	5,275		5,275	178		178					
4th qtr. 2006	1,755		1,755	98		98					

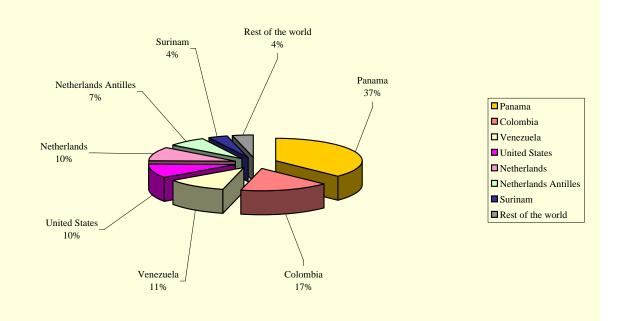


I.e.1 Export of goods by the 8 most important countries over the fourth quarter of 2005 and 2006 (in value and weight)

Export by country in value	V x1000 Afl.							
		4th qtr. 2005			4th qtr. 2006			
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export		
Panama	15	12,837	12,852	2,207	28,910	31,117		
Colombia	370	5,424	5,794	388	13,413	13,800		
Venezuela	407	4,800	5,208	962	8,566	9,528		
United States	3,902	52	3,954	8,364	101	8,465		
Netherlands	1,069	12,968	14,037	1,360	6,915	8,275		
Netherlands Antilles	2,156	3,220	5,376	2,449	3,480	5,929		
Surinam	27	390	417	7	3,041	3,048		
Rest of the world	441	4,427	4,868	911	2,350	3,261		
Total	8,388	44,118	52,506	16,648	66,775	83,423		

Export by country in weight		W x1000 Kg.							
		4th qtr. 2005			4th qtr. 2006				
		Export from Free			Export from Free				
	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Zone Aruba	Total Export			
Panama	2	658	660	101	1,692	1,793			
Colombia	266	546	812	306	1,208	1,514			
Venezuela	128	298	426	281	505	786			
United States	267	13	280	842	40	883			
Netherlands	94	17,844	17,938	215	7,250	7,464			
Netherlands Antilles	625	181	805	1,056	262	1,319			
Surinam	2	33	35	0	202	203			
Rest of the world	660	3,677	4,337	313	1,943	2,256			
Total	2,044	23,250	25,295	3,115	13,103	16,218			

Total Export from Aruba by countries with highest percentage of the total trade value, fourth quarter 2006

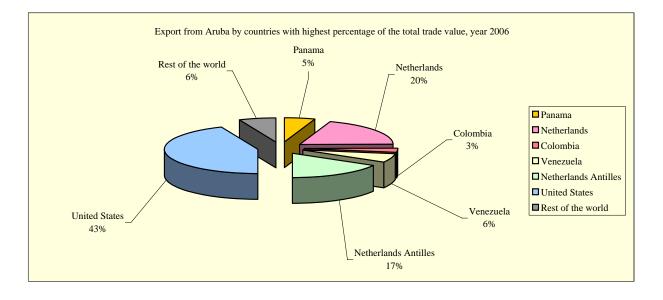




I.e.2 Export of goods by the 10 most important countries over the years 2001 till 2006 (in value and weight)

Export by country in value			V x100	0 Afl.					
	Export from Aruba								
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
Panama	51	265	171	123	212	2,387			
Netherlands	7,491	6,465	6,642	6,869	6,679	9,090			
Colombia	7,008	4,938	949	1,694	1,728	1,216			
Venezuela	11,011	12,609	2,570	3,669	1,786	2,739			
Netherlands Antilles	10,233	9,294	7,050	8,124	9,243	7,733			
Surinam	1	109	81	342	225	87			
Belgium		6	35	5	226				
United Kingdom	144	272	312	163	4				
United States	13,405	25,216	12,983	14,448	13,699	20,224			
Rest of the world	2,364	2,938	5,149	4,812	2,259	2,901			
Total	51,708	62,111	35,943	40,248	36,062	46,377			

Export by country in weight	W x1000 Kg.								
	Export from Aruba								
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
Panama	15	48	26	4	28	116			
Netherlands	667	1,818	968	704	475	733			
Colombia	2,101	1,668	753	1,910	1,503	3,176			
Venezuela	3,393	3,701	868	788	526	957			
Netherlands Antilles	2,216	1,946	1,745	2,237	2,725	2,835			
Surinam	0	15	7	21	13	7			
Belgium		0	4	0	18				
United Kingdom	9	58	578	0	5				
United States	1,050	2,617	1,455	1,385	1,782	1,580			
Rest of the world	754	1,058	1,290	2,846	3,086	1,961			
Total	10,207	12,928	7,694	9,894	10,160	11,365			

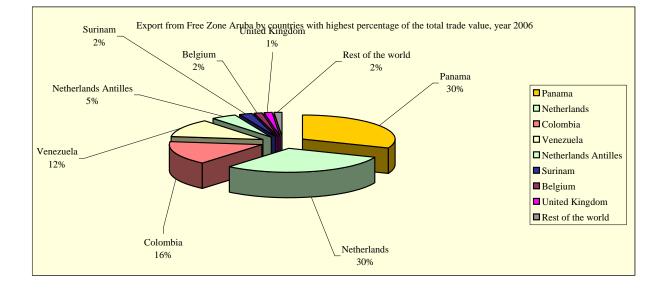




Foreign Trade Statistics Aruba, Year 2006, excluding mineral fuels

Export by country in value		V x1000 Afl.						
	Export from Free Zone Aruba							
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006		
Panama	54,259	38,441	18,564	24,675	31,577	54,172		
Netherlands	59,887	60,596	44,096	34,106	57,053	52,429		
Colombia	69,643	44,992	16,879	13,537	20,555	27,193		
Venezuela	12,267	5,167	13,381	17,197	17,639	21,541		
Netherlands Antilles	11,465	9,781	10,391	7,813	7,780	7,917		
Surinam	48	49		9	1,244	3,441		
Belgium			895	1,121	6,704	2,686		
United Kingdom	1,036	1,063	1,540	1,803	913	2,179		
United States	943	2,803	530	401	303	650		
Rest of the world	5,196	4,578	4,745	1,338	2,370	2,615		
Total	214,743	167,472	111,020	102,000	146,138	174,824		

Export by country in weight	W x1000 Kg.								
	Export from Free Zone Aruba								
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006			
Panama	3,593	2,050	1,168	1,195	1,684	3,093			
Netherlands	61,511	58,746	50,370	42,089	72,192	61,500			
Colombia	5,947	4,043	2,421	1,740	1,929	2,409			
Venezuela	911	258	1,185	1,728	1,458	1,402			
Netherlands Antilles	1,681	1,436	602	440	680	442			
Surinam	1	1		0	105	248			
Belgium			2,830	3,403	7,080	2,898			
United Kingdom	81	80	594	1,450	472	199			
United States	92	185	17	19	37	88			
Rest of the world	868	1,360	4,876	131	1,214	2,096			
Total	74,687	68,159	64,063	52,197	86,849	74,375			

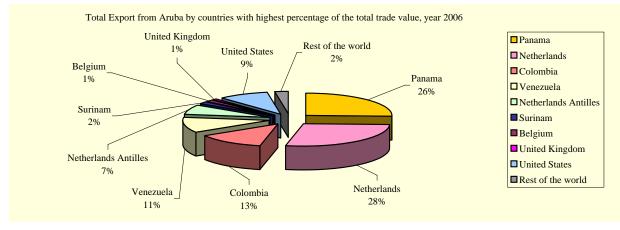


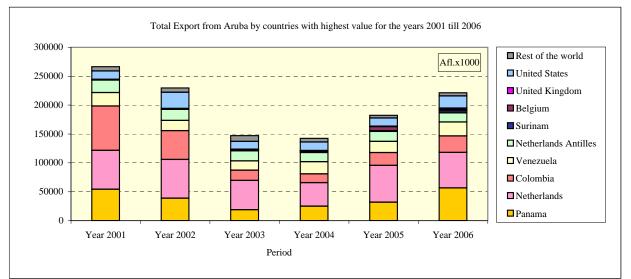


Foreign Trade Statistics Aruba, Year 2006, excluding mineral fuels

Export by country in value	V x1000 Afl.									
		Total Export								
	Year 2001	Year 2002	Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006				
Panama	54,310	38,706	18,735	24,798	31,789	56,559				
Netherlands	67,378	67,061	50,738	40,975	63,733	61,519				
Colombia	76,652	49,930	17,828	15,230	22,283	28,409				
Venezuela	23,278	17,776	15,951	20,865	19,425	24,280				
Netherlands Antilles	21,698	19,076	17,440	15,937	17,023	15,650				
Surinam	49	158	81	351	1,470	3,528				
Belgium		6	930	1,126	6,930	2,686				
United Kingdom	1,180	1,335	1,851	1,966	917	2,179				
United States	14,348	28,019	13,513	14,849	14,002	20,875				
Rest of the world	7,559	7,516	9,895	6,150	4,630	5,516				
Total	266,452	229,582	146,963	142,248	182,201	221,201				

Export by country by weight	W x1000 Kg.										
	Total Export										
	Year 2001 Year 200		Year 2003	Year 2004	Year 2005	Year 2006					
Panama	3,609	2,097	1,193	1,199	1,712	3,208					
Netherlands	62,178	60,564	51,338	42,792	72,667	62,233					
Colombia	8,048	5,710	3,174	3,650	3,432	5,585					
Venezuela	4,304	3,959	2,053	2,516	1,984	2,359					
Netherlands Antilles	3,898	3,382	2,347	2,677	3,405	3,277					
Surinam	1	15	7	21	118	255					
Belgium		0	2,833	3,404	7,098	2,898					
United Kingdom	91	139	1,172	1,451	477	199					
United States	1,143	2,802	1,472	1,404	1,819	1,668					
Rest of the world	1,623	2,418	6,167	2,978	4,299	4,057					
Total	84,894	81,087	71,757	62,091	97,009	85,739					







I.e.3. Export of goods from Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the fourth quarter of 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.									
for the fourth quarter of 2006			Export f	from Aruba						
	United States	Netherlands Antilles	Panama	Netherlands	Venezuela	Rest of the world				
01 Live animals and other animal products	48	120		23	267	49				
02 Vegetable products	13	21			0					
03 Fats and oils		0								
04 Food products	3	623	1		7	74				
05 Mineral products	0	0								
06 Chemical products	435	331	1	251	42	11				
07 Artificial plastic elements	21	35			17	0				
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	5	5			0	8				
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	28	5		9	6	9				
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	8	205		10	35	8				
11 Textile fibers and articles	13	44		14	143	35				
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	1	0		1	2	2				
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	41	27			1	5				
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	1					4				
15 Base metals and derivated works	2,606	59		1	106	309				
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	4,574	58	2,001	43	280	487				
17 Transport equipment	38	439	147	175	40	65				
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	87	38		110	1	71				
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	57	18		0	7	9				
21 Art-objects and collectors items	387	421	58	723	7	160				
Total	8,364	2,449	2,207	1,360	962	1,306				

Section (021) in value	W x1000 Kg.									
for the fourth quarter of 2006			Export f	rom Aruba						
	United States	Netherlands Antilles	Panama	Netherlands	Venezuela	Rest of the world				
01 Live animals and other animal products	12	13		1	42	5				
02 Vegetable products	2	29			0					
03 Fats and oils		0								
04 Food products	17	524	0		3	84				
05 Mineral products	0	0								
06 Chemical products	46	102	1	172	18	0				
07 Artificial plastic elements	37	21			2	0				
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	0	0			0	1				
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	7	0		0	0	0				
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	1	302		0	5	230				
11 Textile fibers and articles	0	4		1	30	5				
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	0	0		0	0	0				
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	0	2			0	1				
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	0					0				
15 Base metals and derivated works	619	9		0	109	255				
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	71	2	59	0	51	20				
17 Transport equipment	2	16	38	8	15	3				
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	4	0		1	0	0				
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	1	6		0	3	2				
21 Art-objects and collectors items	23	26	3	32	3	11				
Total	842	1,056	101	215	281	619				



I.e.4. Export of goods from Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the fourth quarter of 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl. Export from Free Zone Aruba									
for the fourth quarter of 2006										
	Panama	Colombia	Venezuela	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Suriname				
02 Vegetable products				493						
04 Food products	28,903	13,383	8,329	6,421	3,285	3,041				
06 Chemical products	7									
07 Artificial plastic elements		0								
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry		7	2							
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork		21								
11 Textile fibers and articles		0	55		3					
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas		0	175		15					
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos					173					
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)		0								
19 Arms and ammunition					3					
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	0	0	5		1					
Total	28,910	13,413	8,566	6,915	3,480	3,041				

Section (021) in value	W x1000 Kg.										
for the fourth quarter of 2006	Export from Free Zone Aruba										
	Panama	Colombia	Venezuela	Netherlands	Antilles	Suriname					
02 Vegetable products				1,486							
04 Food products	1,690	1,207	501	5,763	133	202					
06 Chemical products	2										
07 Artificial plastic elements		0									
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry		0	0								
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork		1									
11 Textile fibers and articles		0	1		0						
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas		0	3		0						
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos					129						
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)		0									
19 Arms and ammunition					1						
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	0	0	0		0						
Total	1,692	1,208	505	7,250	262	202					



I.e.5. Export of goods from Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the Year of 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.											
for the year of 2006	Export from Aruba											
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Venezuela	Panama	Colombia	Rest of the world					
01 Live animals and other animal products	54	159	241	632		47	95					
02 Vegetable products	13		22	10		0						
03 Fats and oils			0									
04 Food products	23	10	2,166	30	9	19	526					
05 Mineral products	0		0									
06 Chemical products	887	311	931	85	72	5	168					
07 Artificial plastic elements	147	24	151	77		3	51					
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	66		53	8		5	4					
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	190	34	34	12		10	11					
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	106	14	286	95		2	24					
11 Textile fibers and articles	96	22	208	190	15	62	109					
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	7	3	42	4		1	2					
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	80	6	268	5		1	12					
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	1,570	196	11				4					
15 Base metals and derivated works	4,793	296	376	588		861	138					
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	7,388	82	389	562	2,001	98	556					
17 Transport equipment	953	1,598	1,280	306	147	45	137					
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	757	432	272	4		6	87					
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	1,017	4	89	21		8	59					
21 Art-objects and collectors items	2,077	5,899	914	109	143	41	1,003					
Total	20,224	9,090	7,733	2,739	2,387	1,216	2,988					

Section (021) in weight	W x1000 Kg. Export from Aruba										
for the year of 2006											
	United States	Netherlands	Netherlands Antilles	Venezuela	Panama	Colombia	Rest of the world				
01 Live animals and other animal products	12	10	25	92		6	8				
02 Vegetable products	2		29	8		0					
03 Fats and oils			0								
04 Food products	29	1	1,631	6	4	7	438				
05 Mineral products	0		0								
06 Chemical products	57	172	349	29	4	4	47				
07 Artificial plastic elements	45	8	53	15		1	9				
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	2		1	0		1	0				
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	37	2	1	2		1	1				
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	8	1	472	23		70	1,205				
11 Textile fibers and articles	3	1	12	41	1	18	10				
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	0	0	1	0		0	0				
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	2	0	55	2		0	2				
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	1	0	0				0				
15 Base metals and derivated works	976	257	46	290		2,993	138				
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	206	1	17	293	59	54	31				
17 Transport equipment	58	56	67	140	38	16	13				
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	6	1	9	1		0	1				
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	35	0	15	7		2	20				
21 Art-objects and collectors items	102	222	51	7	10	2	44				
Total	1,580	733	2,835	957	116	3,176	1,968				



I.e.6. Export of goods from Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the year of 2006 (in value and weight)

Section (021) in value	V x1000 Afl.											
for the year of 2006	Export from Free Zone Aruba											
	Panama	Netherlands	Colombia	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Suriname	Belgium	United Kingdom	United States	Rest of the world		
02 Vegetable products		996						1,983		1,002		
04 Food products	54,157	51,412	27,047	21,270	7,640	3,441	2,686	196	648	1,453		
06 Chemical products	7	21	4		15							
07 Artificial plastic elements			0	0								
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry			11	3						1		
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork			87						2			
11 Textile fibers and articles			1	55	12					30		
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas			3	206	32					117		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	6				207							
15 Base metals and derivated works			41									
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)			0						0			
19 Arms and ammunition					5							
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	2		0	7	6					12		
Total	54,172	52,429	27,193	21,541	7,917	3,441	2,686	2,179	650	2,615		

Section (021) in weight					W x1000 Kg	<i>.</i>				
for the year of 2006		Export from Free Zone Aruba								
	Panama	Netherlands	Colombia	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Suriname	Belgium	United Kingdom	United States	Rest of the world
02 Vegetable products		3,070						177		1,855
04 Food products	3,089	58,413	2,403	1,397	305	248	2,898	22	88	237
06 Chemical products	2	17	0		0					
07 Artificial plastic elements			0	0						
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry			1	0						0
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork			4						0	
11 Textile fibers and articles			0	1	0					1
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas			0	4	1					3
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	1				135					
15 Base metals and derivated works			1							
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)			0						0	
19 Arms and ammunition					1					
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	0		0	0	0					0
Total	3,093	61,500	2,409	1,402	442	248	2,898	199	88	2,096



Import to Aruba, Free Zone Aruba

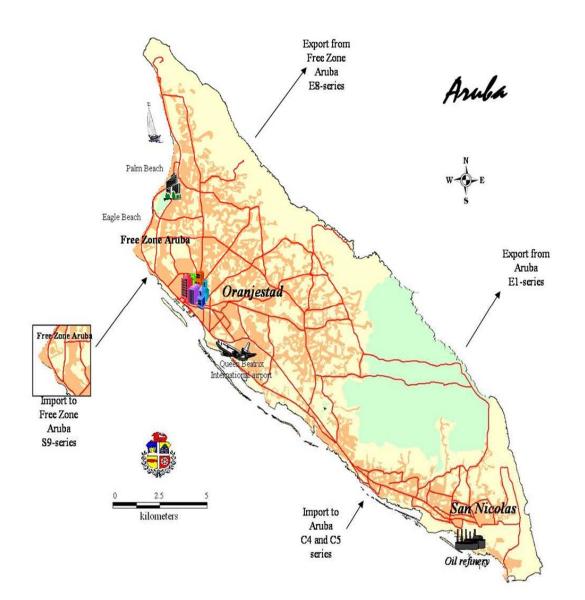
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Export from Aruba, Free Zone Aruba

Tables and Graphs

By Section and Country

Excluding mineral fuels





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II. Explanatory Notes

1. Trade Data

The collection of data through Customs administration conform the automated Asycuda system of Aruba register all the documents "Enig Document". The customs department registers approximately 8000 documents per month. While we assumed that all existing documents are incorporated in the Asycuda system, CBS analysis shows that there are a good number of documents, which are lost only a part of which are recovered and with much delay. In order to report findings on a timely basis, it was decided to publish preliminary quarterly data. Possible corrections will be made in the annual FTS publication.

2. Trade Flows

CBS is utilizing the International General Trade System for the processing and publication of all import and export data by commodities and by country for the island of Aruba.*

Definitions:

The Customs Department also registers trade in and out of the bonded warehouses and freezones. Because of the importance of this type of trade for Aruba, we include these trade flow separately in the table wich we called them Import to Aruba, Import to Free Zone Aruba added two additional tables, which we called Storage and Transit. All freezone transactions consisting of storage (Import to Free Zone Aruba) and transit (Export from Free Zone Aruba) are recorded using an S9 for storage of the goods into the warehouses and an E8 for the release of the goods out of the warehouses.

There are two types of movement at the free zone: S9 for goods that arrive from abroad and are stored and E4 for goods exported from Aruba into the freezone. These goods leave the freezone either as a transit good (E8) or an import into Aruba (C48.). By definition, these transactions belong to the Special Trade as well as the General Trade. For many reasons, certain goods are excluded, such as monetary gold, securities, bank notes, coins in circulation and postal items; and goods consigned by a government to its armed forces and diplomatic representatives abroad including Embassies, Consulates, Kabinet van Nederlandse-Antilliaanse en Arubaans Zaken (KABNA), Kabinet of the Governer and Marinierskazerne. These goods are excluded from the foreign trade statistics according to United Nations recommendations. Certain commodities are also excluded from this publication because of specific statistical thresholds or lack of data, for example in the case of mineral fuels. Mineral products (section 5) consist of three categories of wich mineral fuels (categorie 27) is excluded. However, this product will be included in the near future.

3. Partner Countries

In the case of import, the partner country is the country of consignment or provenance from which goods are dispatched to Aruba without any commercial transaction in intermediate countries.

In case of export, the partner country is the country of destination known at the time of dispatchment as the final country to which goods are delivered.

The tables by country show the 10 most important countries of the trade value by section for each transaction type. These top countries represent the total transactions by Section

* Total Imports respectively Total Export include all goods entering respectively leaving the economic territory of Aruba. The economic territory of Aruba comprises Aruba (the free circulation area) and the Freezone Aruba. This is consistent with the General Trade System.



4. Commodity and Country classification

Asycuda covers 591 eight digit commodity codes. The first two digits of the code are universally recognize product codes. The remaining six digits further divide the categories into the specific commodities. For publication purposes, Aruba uses 21 sections to clearly organize these product groups. In the near future, the customs department of Aruba will adopt the Harmonized Trade system consisting of 6420 different commodity codes, leading to a much more detailed publication.

5. Values and Quantities

The value of the goods equals the value of the commodity at the place and time it crosses the border. The basis for valuation is cost, insurance & freight (c.i.f.) for import and free on board (f.o.b.) for export. All values are in thousands of Aruban Florins (1=Afl. 1.79) (V in Afl). Quantities are expressed as net weight in thousand of kilos W in kg). Blanks on values or quantities indicate that there was no transaction for that commodity code.

6. Publications

The quarterly Foreign Trade report contains global information on imports and exports of Aruba. This publication consists of:

Quarterly imports and exports by Asycuda Sections Quarterly imports and exports by country and by Asycuda Sections

7. Tables and graphs

Definitions of tables are shown in the upper left-hand corner of each table. Definitions of graphs are shown above each graph.



Annex III:

Asycuda Commodity Group Codes Classification by Sections and Categories

01. Live animals and other animal products

01.01 Live animals 01.02 Meat 01.03 Fish 01.04 Dairy 01.05 Animals other

02. Vegetable products

02.06 Live plants 02.07 Vegetables 02.08 Fruit 02.09 Coffee, Tea 02.10 Grains 02.11 Flour 02.12 Seeds and fruits 02.13 Vegetable raw material 02.14 Other vegetable

03. Fats and oils

03.15 Fats and oils

04. Food products

04.16 Meat and fish preparations 04.17 Sugar 04.18 Cocoa 04.19 Cereal preparations 04.20 Vegetable preparations 04.21 Other food products 04.22 Beverages 04.23 Feeding stuff for animals 04.24 Tobacco

05. Mineral products

05.25 Salt, sand stone and cement 05.26 Metal-ore 05.27 Mineral fuels

06. Chemical products

06.28 Inorganic chemical products
06.29 Organic chemical products
06.30 Pharmaceutical products
06.31 Fertilizers
06.32 Paint, Varnish and Ink
06.33 Perfumery and cosmetic preparations
06.34 Soap
06.35 Albumen and glue
06.36 Gunpowder and explosives
06.37 Photographic equipment and supplies
06.38 Various chemistry

07. Artificial plastic elements

07.39 Plastic materials and (synthetic) resin 07.40 Rubber

08. Skins, hides, leather and peltry

08.41 Hides, skins and leather 08.42 Leather goods and traveling articles 08.43 Fur and imitation-fur

09. Wood, charcoal and woodware

09.44 Wood 09.45 Cork 09.46 Wattlework

10. Materials for the manufacture of paper

10.47 Raw material for paper10.48 Paper and cardboard10.49 Bookstore and graphic art

11. Textile fibres and artiles

11.50 Silk
11.51 Synthetic yarn
11.52 Metal fibres
11.53 Wool
11.54 Flax
11.55 Cotton
11.56 Synthetic textile
11.57 Other vegetable textile fibres
11.58 Carpets
11.59 Wadding and felt
11.60 Knitted and crocheted fabrics
11.61 Clothing
11.62 Other clothing
11.63 Rags

12. Footwear, headgear and umbrellas

12.64 Footwear12.65 Headgear12.66 Umbrellas's and walking-stick12.67 Feather, fluff and artificial flowers

13. Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos

13.68 Works of stone, gypsum, cement13.69 Ceramic products13.70 Glass and glassware

14. Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones

14.71 Pearls and precious stones14.72 Coins

15. Base metals and derivated works

15.73 Cast iron, iron and steel
15.74 Copper
15.75 Nickel
15.76 Aluminum
15.77 Magnesium, beryllium
15.78 Lead
15.79 Zinc
15.80 Tin
15.81 Other base metals
15.82 Tools
15.83 Works of base metals



Asycuda Commodity Group Codes Classificaton by Sections and Categories

16. Machinery and (electrotechnical) equipment (new & renewed)

16.84 Machinery, mechanical appliances 16.85 Machines, electrical appliances

17. Transport equipment

17.86 Traffic-lights17.87 Cars, motorcycles and cycles17.88 Aviation17.89 Navigation (shipping)

18. Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment

18.90 Instruments 18.91 Clockwork

18.92 Musical instruments, sound and television

19. Arms and ammunition

19.93 Arms and ammunition

20. Various goods and products n.e.s. 20.94 Furniture 20.95 Elements of ivory, wax or coral 20.96 Brushware

20.97 Toys 20.98 Various works

21. Art-objects and collectors items

21.99 Art-objects