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## HIGHLIGHTS

### Trade value up by about 22% in the first quarter of 2011 for the world

The value of world merchandise trade was 22% higher in the first quarter of 2011 compared to the same period of 2010, according to WTO figures released on 1 June 2011.

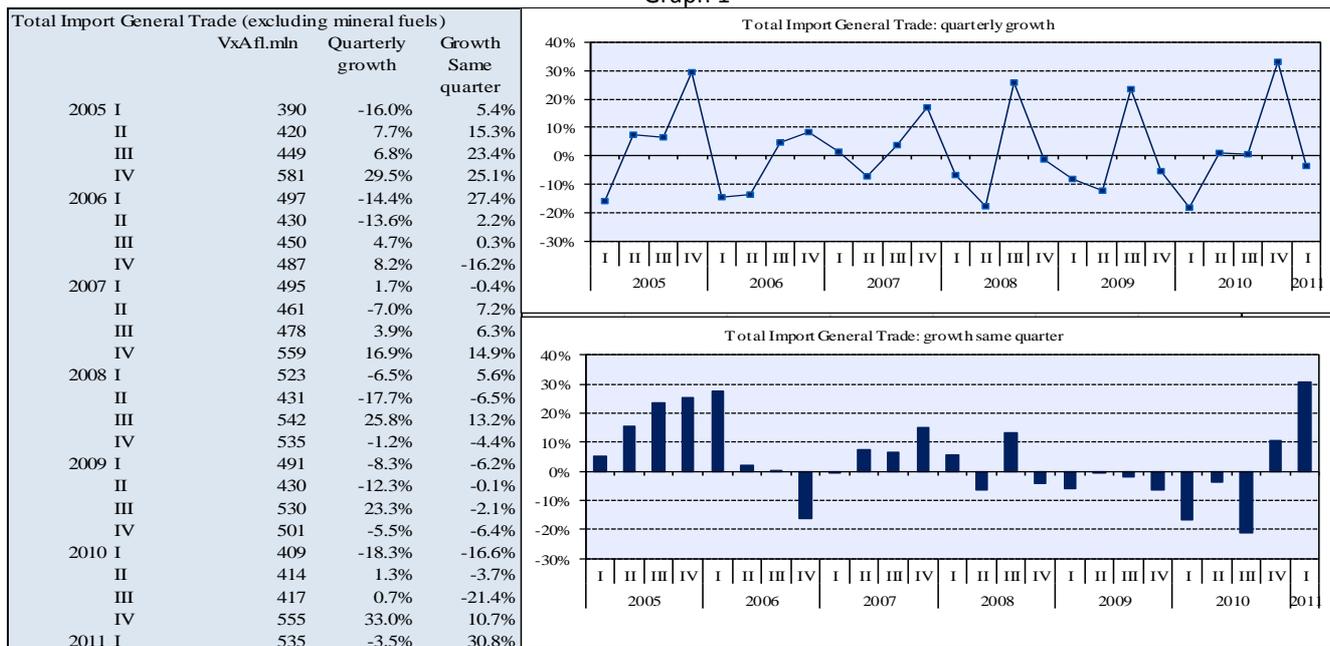
### INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE FOR ARUBA: FIRST QUARTER 2011

In the first quarter of 2011 the following developments have been registered in the international merchandise flows of Aruba.

#### Trends in total Import

During the first quarter of 2011 Aruba imported a total value of Afl. 535 million from the rest of the world. This represent an increase of 30.8% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. (Graph 1)

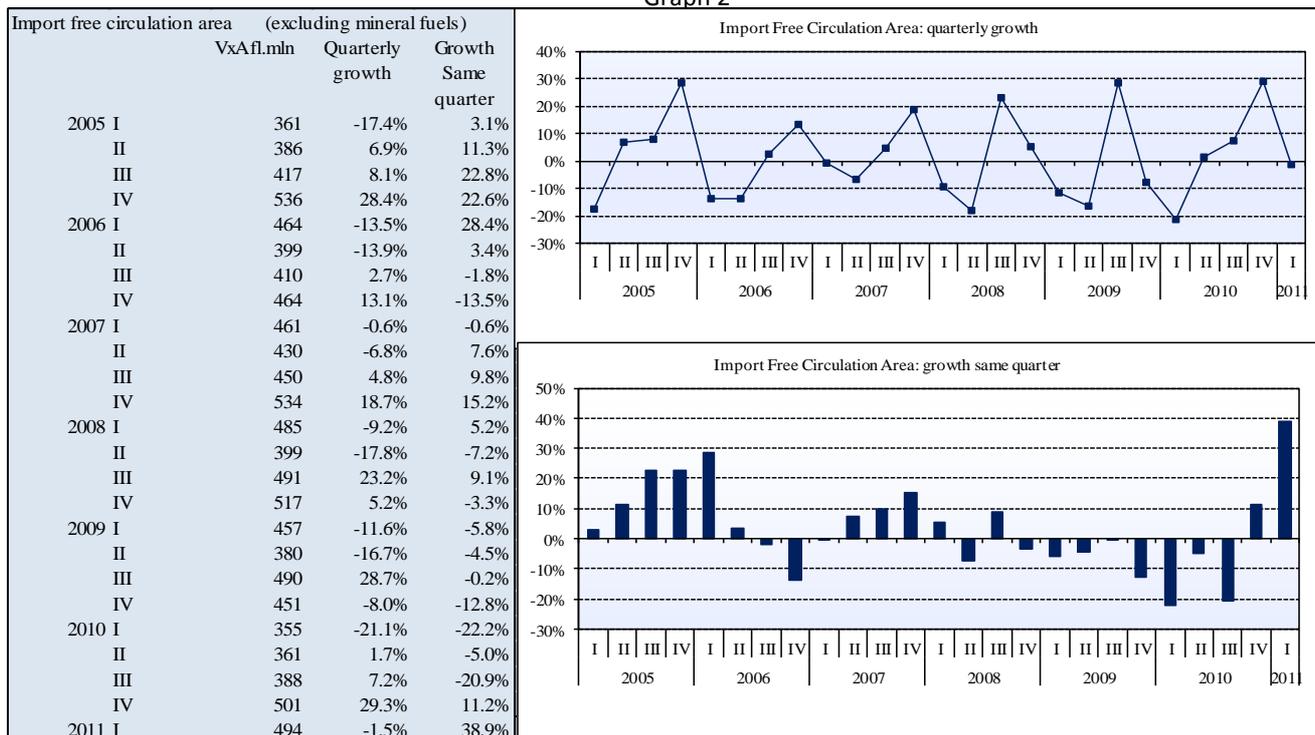
Graph 1



#### Merchandise trade in the free circulation area of Aruba

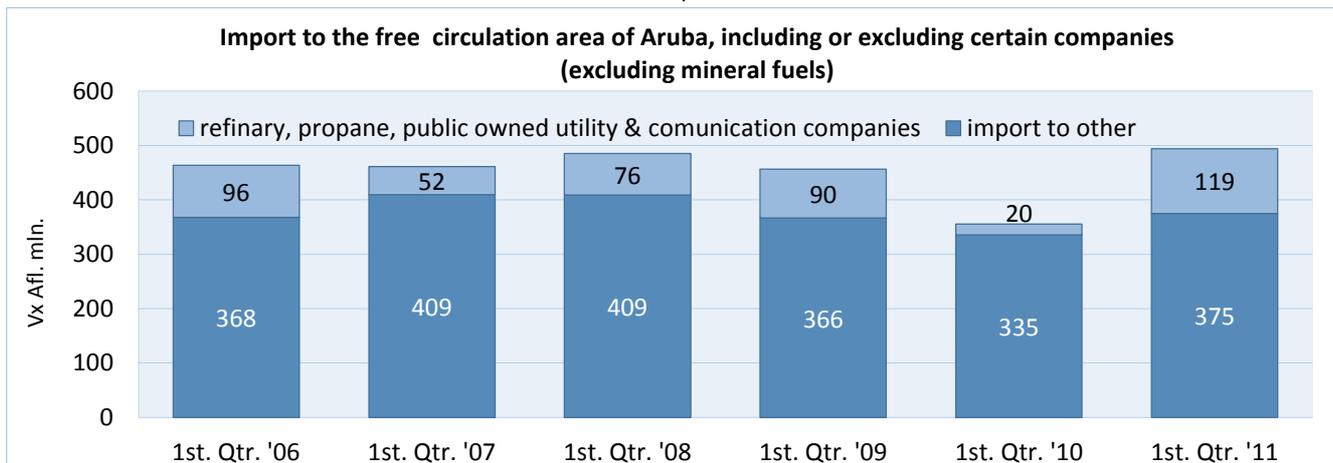
In the first quarter of 2011 import to the free circulation area of Aruba increased with 38.9% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. The value of import to this area was Afl. 494 million in the first quarter of 2011. (Graph2)

Graph 2



In the following graph, the import to the free circulation area of Aruba during the first quarters from 2006 till 2011 is illustrated. The import to some big companies<sup>3)</sup> in Aruba fluctuates a lot. Therefore the import to those companies is combined and separated from the "import to other" to illustrate this fluctuation. (Graph 3)

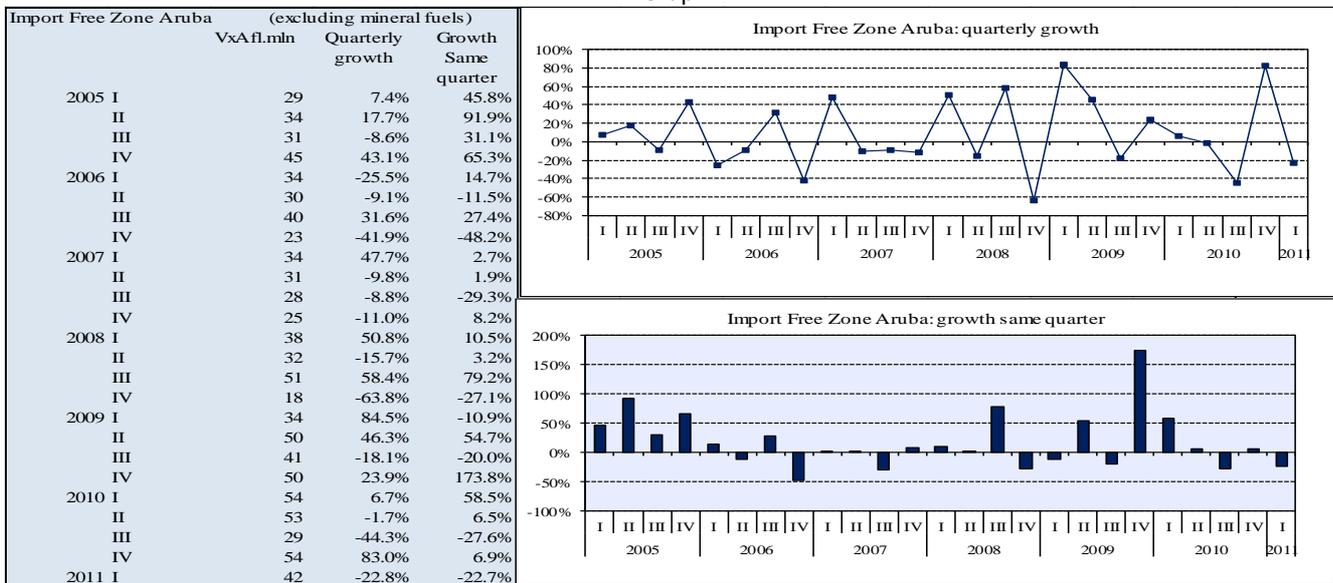
Graph 3



### Import to the Free Zone of Aruba

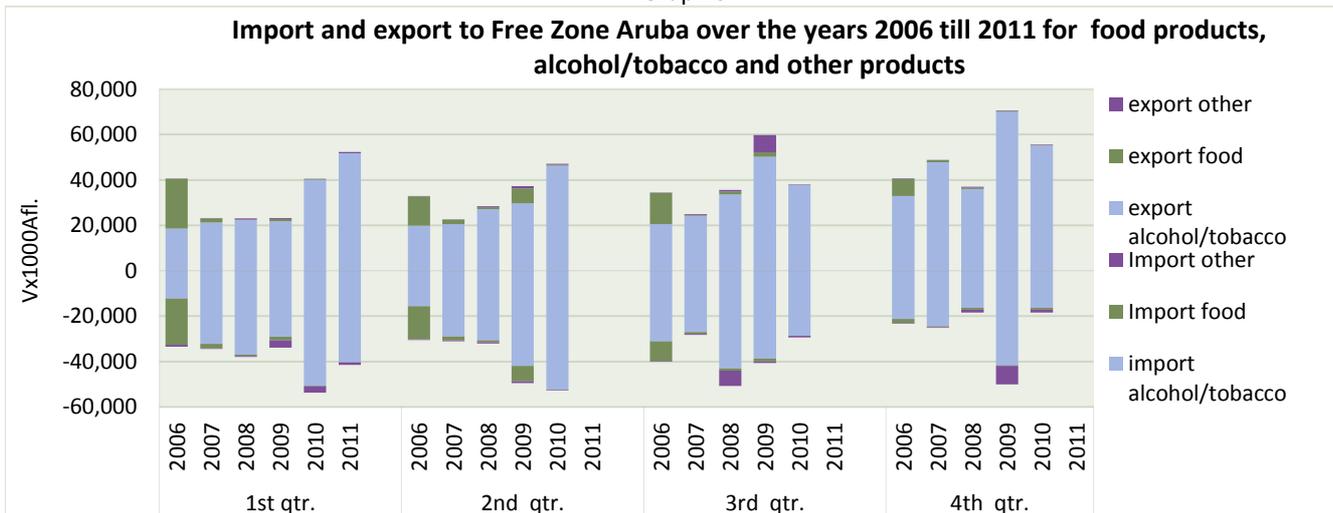
The value of import to the Free Zone of Aruba for the first quarter of 2011 was Afl. 42 million. This represents a decrease of 23% compared to the same quarter of the previous year. (Graph 4)

Graph 4



The following graph illustrates clearly the huge fluctuations in import and export for the free zone during the past 6 years. For illustrative purposes import values are noted in negative values. In 2006 food was an important part of free zone. The sectors of food and alcohol/tobacco are in value, the most important to be imported and exported. Now the free zone trade is mainly alcohol/tobacco products. (Graph 5)

Graph 5



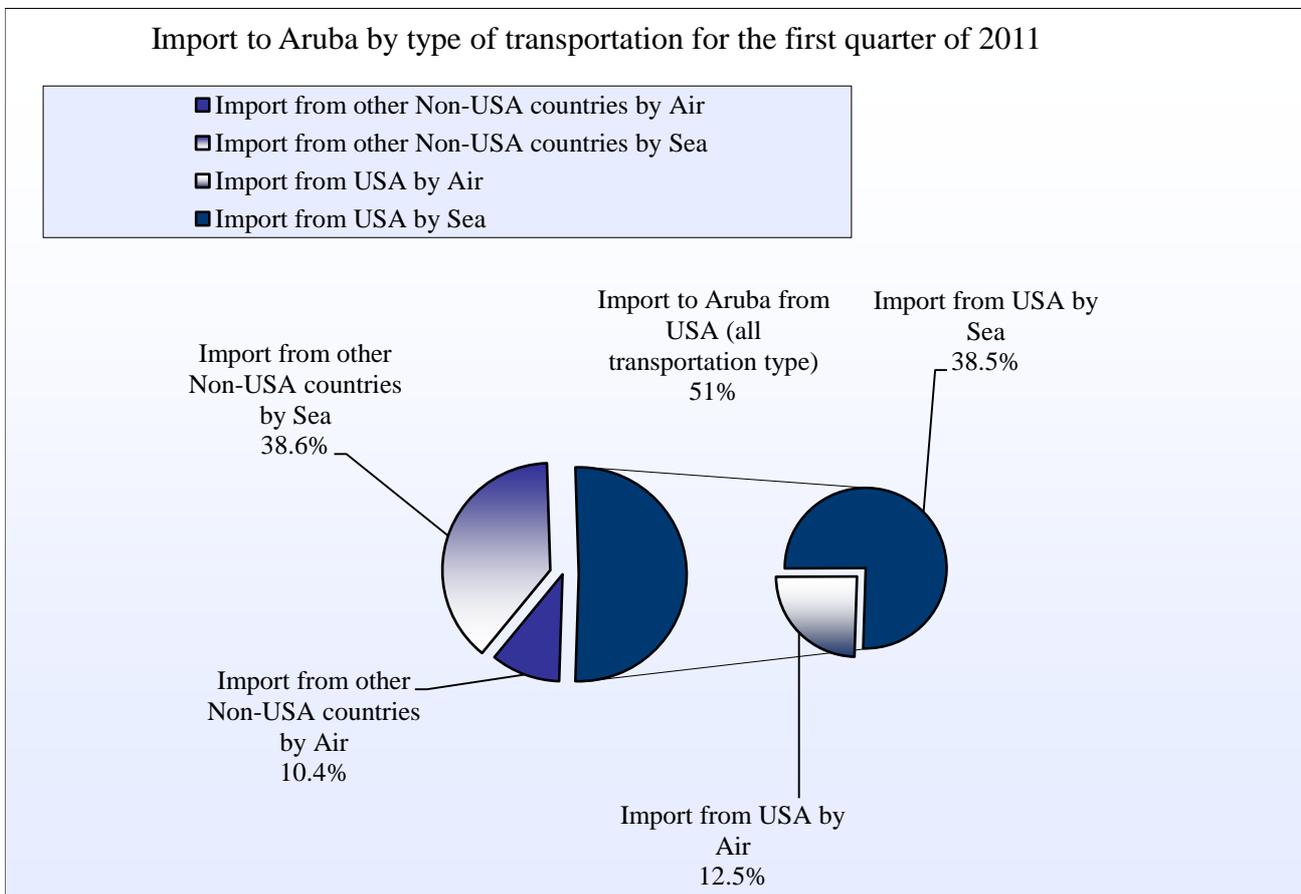
**Import to the free circulation area of Aruba from USA and Non-USA countries by type of transportation**

An analysis of the transportation type used to import goods in Aruba indicated that for the first quarter of 2011, 77.1% of imports were by sea and 22.9% by air<sup>1</sup>.

The USA had a share of 51% in imports to Aruba. From this share 38.5% was by sea, while 12.5% was by air<sup>1</sup>. (Graph 6)

Other customs information for the first quarter of 2011 indicated that the total number of containers<sup>2</sup> entering the free circulation area increased with 23%, 3455 containers during the first quarter of 2011 compare to 2807 containers in the first quarter of 2010.

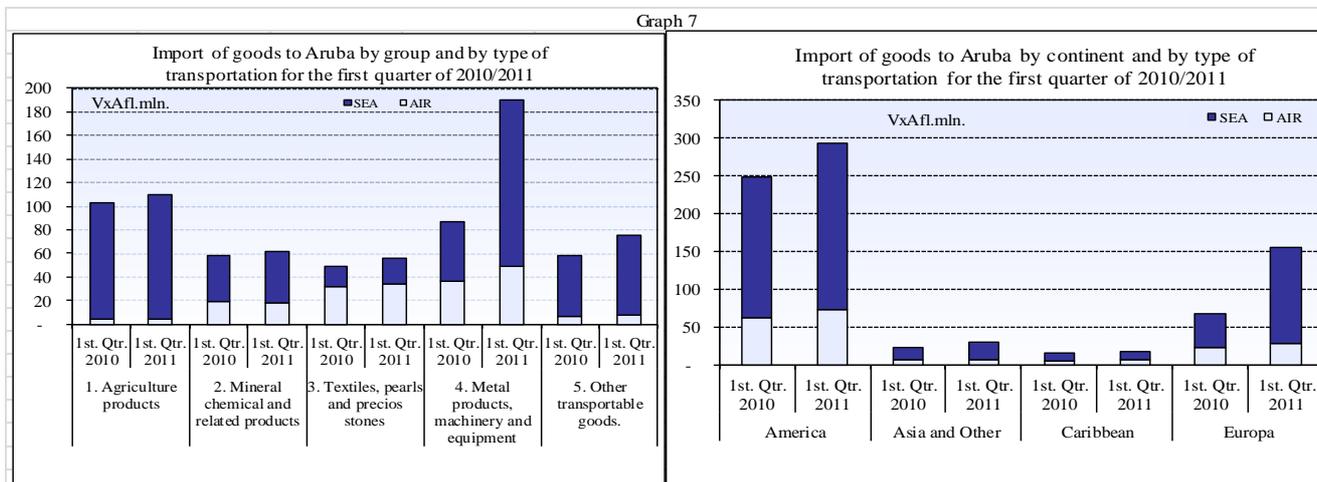
Graph 6



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

In the first quarter of 2011 the value of import to the free circulation area of Aruba for air transport<sup>1</sup> was Afl.113 million which represent an increase of 15.8%. For sea transportation the value of import to the free circulation area of Aruba was Afl.381 and represent an increase of 47.6%. The increase in import, both by air and sea, is directly related to import belonging to the category "Metal products, machinery and equipment". The products are imported from Europe and will be used to expand and upgrade utility companies. The continent of America remains the main import trade partner for transport of goods by air<sup>1</sup> as well as by sea. (Graph 7)

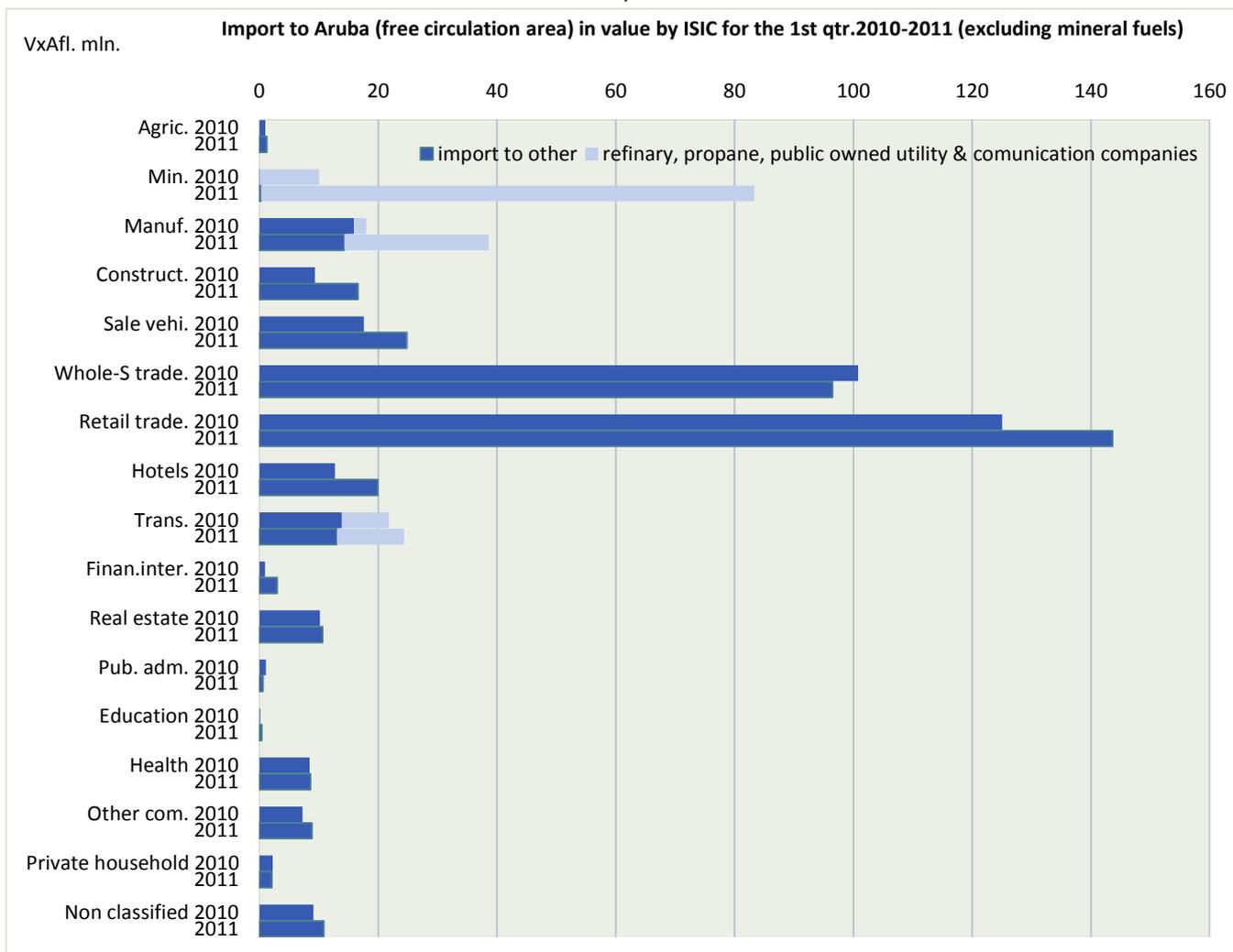
Graph 7



### Import to the free circulation area of Aruba by type of import according to the International Standard Industrial Classification (ISIC)

The following graph represent import to the free circulation area of Aruba by Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities (ISIC). The industrial branch of which the import increased the most for the first quarter of 2011 was "Mining, quarrying and electricity, gas and water supply". Import to the Free circulation Area of Aruba, excluding the "refinery, propane, public owned utility & communication companies"<sup>3)</sup> (excluding mineral fuels), increased by 11.8% during the first quarter of 2011, compared to the same quarter a year previously. The sector "Retail trade and repair of products", the single most important branch in imports, increased with 14.8 percent. This was mainly caused by an increase in import of jewelry and food products. Also import for the sectors "Construction", Hotels and restaurants" and "Sale, maintenance and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles" increased. (Graph 8).

Graph 8



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

<sup>2)</sup>Total containers reflect all container sizes including empty containers.

<sup>3)</sup>"refinery (VALERO), propane (ARUGAS), public owned utility (WEB & ELMAR) & communication companies (SETAR)" refers to the companies established on Aruba

## Preface

The 2011 first quarter Foreign Trade Publication of Aruba contains information on Import to Aruba, Import to Free Zone Aruba, Export from Aruba and Export from Free Zone Aruba. It includes comparisons between the years 2006 till 2009 and over the quarters of 2010 and 2011. The figures pertaining to 2009 till 2011 should still be considered as provisional, while the trade statistics series for 2006 till 2008 are final. The CBS developed a system in which it became possible to process the Foreign Trade data according to General Trade System.

The 8th of May 2008, the Customs Department switched from the ASYCUDA- system to the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System – commonly known as the Harmonized System or HS. This is an internationally standardized nomenclature for the description, classification and coding of goods. It is developed and maintained by the World Customs Organization (WCO), formerly known as the Customs Co-operation Council.

Currently over 200 countries and customs or economic unions use the Harmonized System as the basis for customs tariffs and for the compilation of international trade statistics. The Harmonized System comprises of 97 Chapters and is arranged in 21 Sections. The pattern of arrangement of goods in the HS is in the increasing degree of manufacture: raw materials, unworked products, semid-finished products, finished products.

From January 2009, the CBS will process trade data according to the Harmonized System. In order to facilitate comparisons in time, a link was established between the ASYCUDA-classification and the Harmonized System.

A special thanks goes to our data-supplier and supporter, namely the department of Duty and Taxes.

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.

The Central Bureau of Statistics hopes that this publication will provide all the users with the necessary information. For comments and further information, feel free to contact us.

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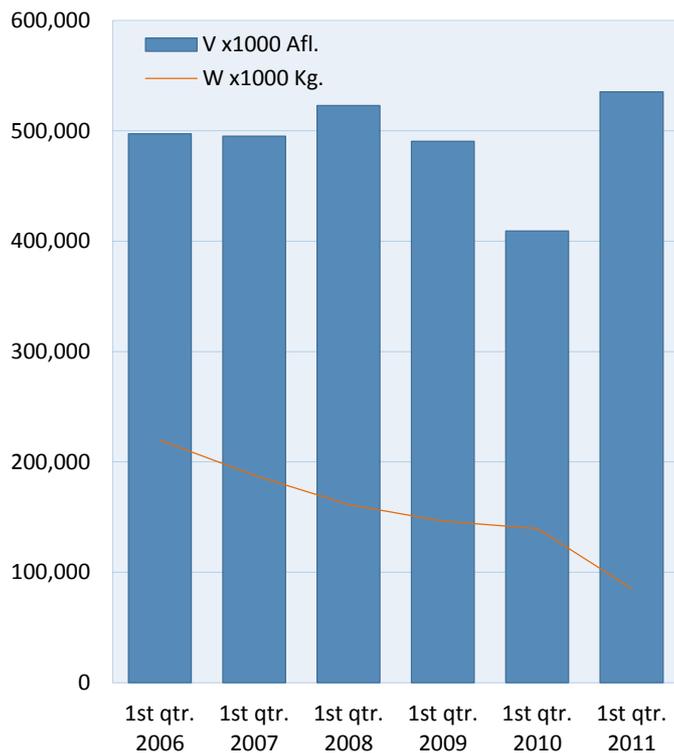
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**I.a.1 Total Import and Export of goods to Aruba over the years**

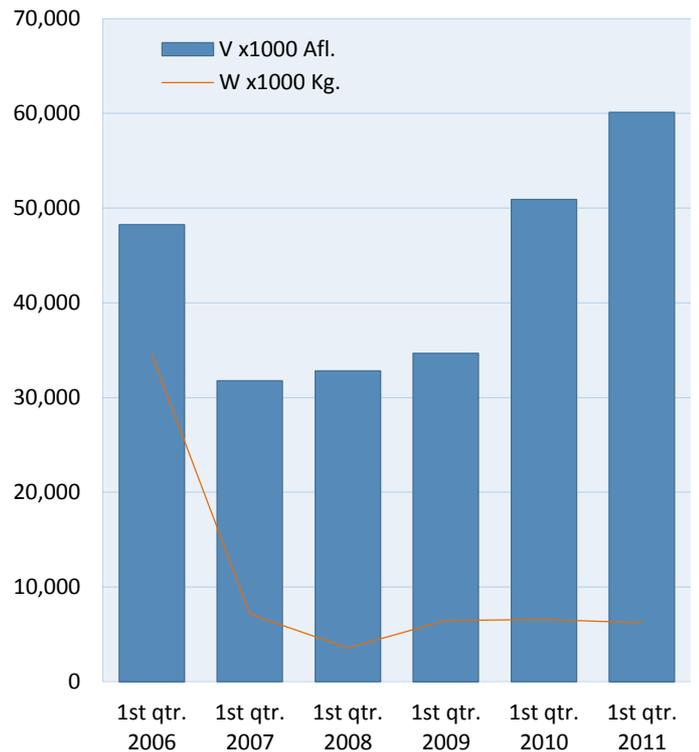
Transactions over the years 2006 till 2009 and over the quarters of 2010 and 2011							
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.		
		Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
Year	2006	1,736,659	127,329	1,863,988	946,930	64,850	1,011,779
	2007	1,874,870	118,970	1,993,840	740,853	14,292	755,146
	2008	1,891,166	139,167	2,030,333	590,122	13,200	603,321
	2009	1,777,569	174,320	1,951,889	661,375	24,746	686,121
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> Qtr. 2010		355,456	53,692	409,147	137,047	2,730	139,776
		361,484	52,787	414,271	107,559	3,102	110,661
		387,634	29,384	417,018	104,348	1,589	105,937
		501,032	53,787	554,819	77,776	3,029	80,805
1 <sup>st</sup> Qtr. 2011		493,756	41,530	535,286	83,402	1,994	85,396

Transactions over the years 2006 till 2009 and over the quarters of 2010 and 2011							
		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	2006	46,373	148,674	195,047	11,336	71,349	82,685
	2007	55,670	119,558	175,228	12,625	16,019	28,644
	2008	54,683	124,091	178,774	14,471	11,716	26,187
	2009	51,969	190,884	242,852	12,385	24,752	37,137
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> Qtr. 2010		10,421	40,501	50,923	3,437	3,110	6,547
		10,639	47,096	57,735	3,233	3,184	6,416
		12,609	38,056	50,666	3,520	2,175	5,695
		7,964	55,548	63,512	3,909	2,489	6,398
1 <sup>st</sup> Qtr. 2011		7,836	52,277	60,114	2,727	3,486	6,213

**Total Import to Aruba by value and weight for the first quarter of 2006 till 2011**



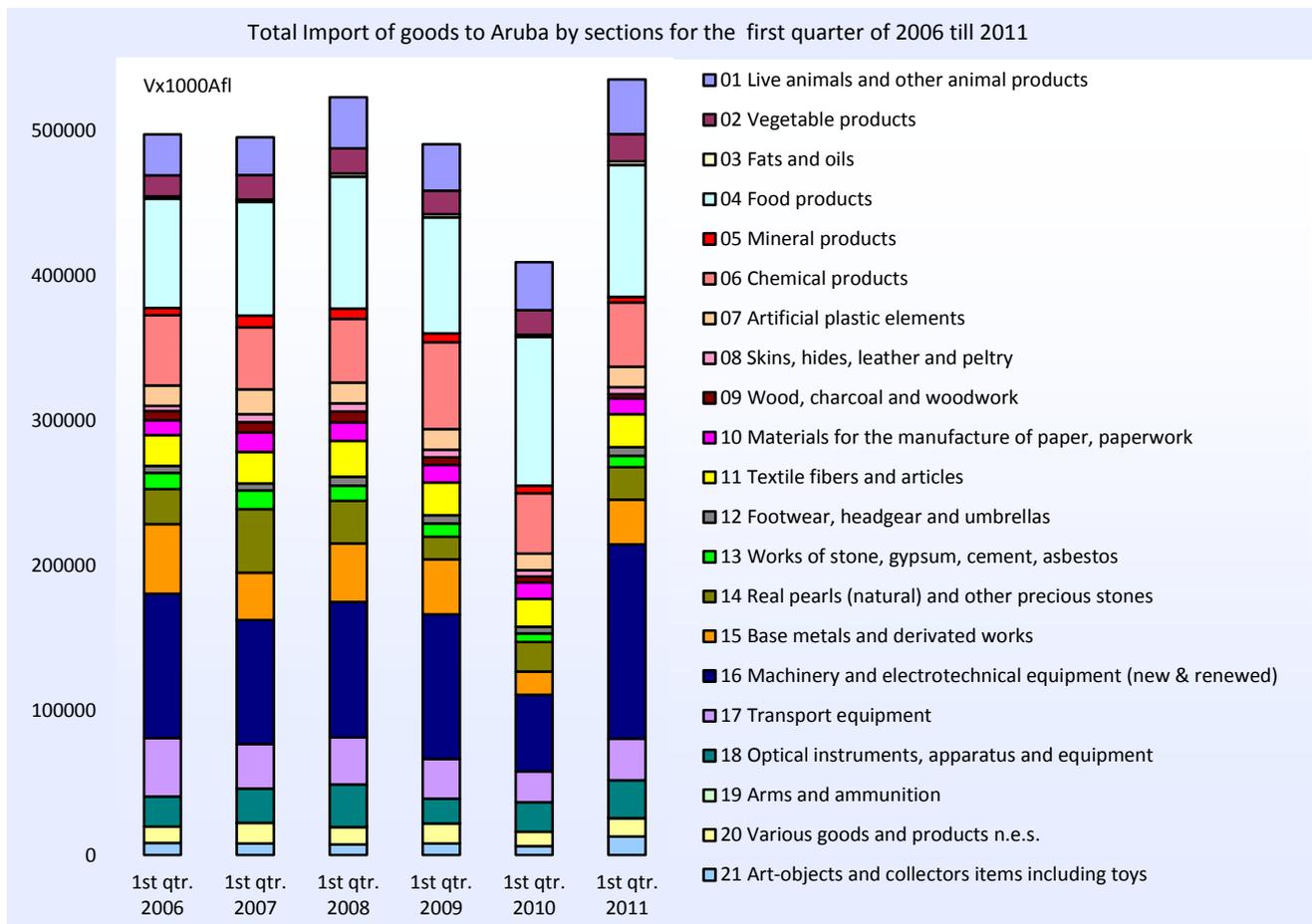
**Total Export from Aruba by value and weight for the first quarter of 2006 till 2011**



**I.a.2 Import of goods to Aruba by sections over the first quarter of 2010 and 2011**

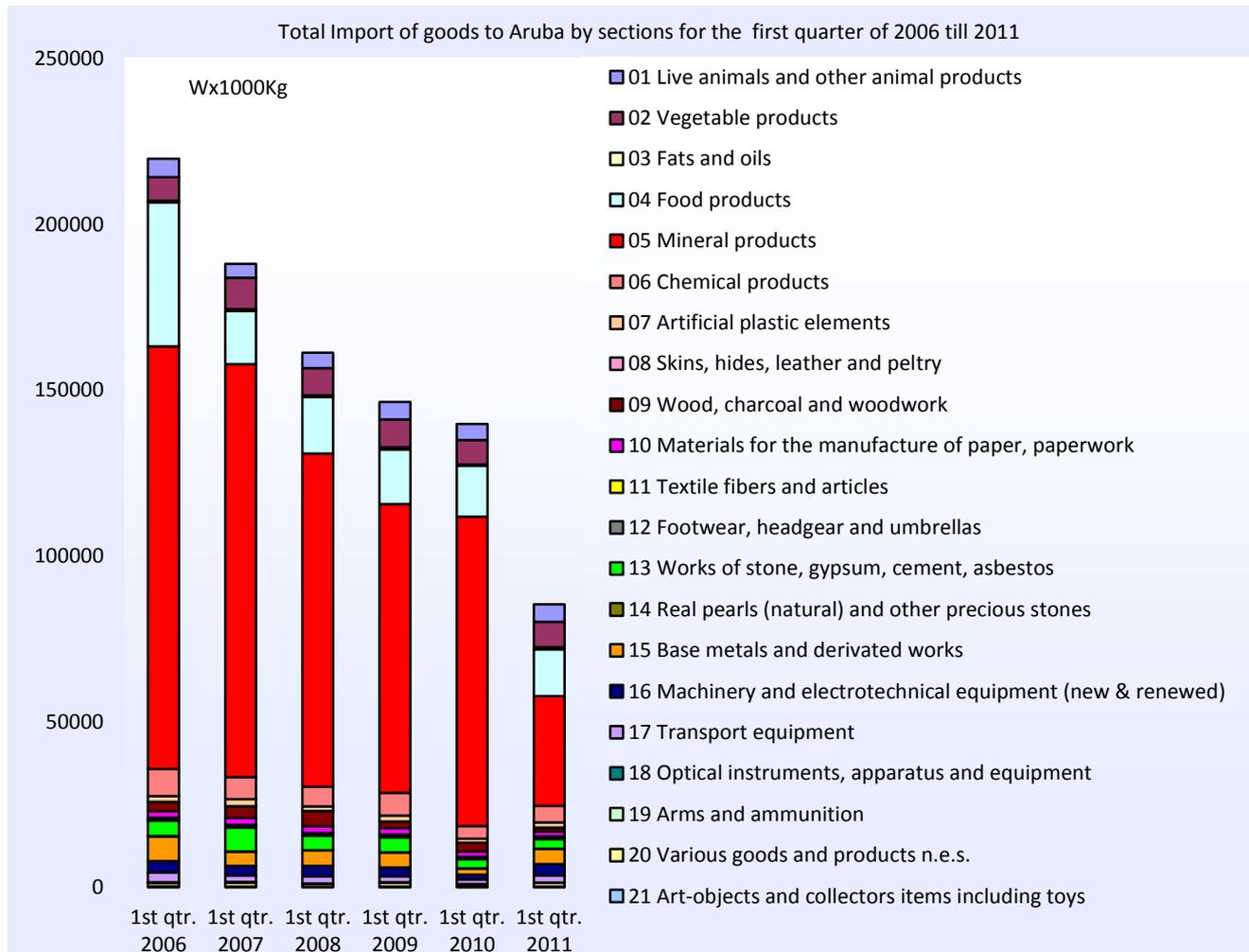
Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2010-2011						
	V x1000 Afl.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
01 Live animals and other animal products	33,023		33,023	37,795		37,795
02 Vegetable products	16,705	377	17,082	18,895		18,895
03 Fats and oils	1,471		1,471	2,409		2,409
04 Food products	52,125	50,583	102,707	50,665	40,392	91,057
05 Mineral products	5,116		5,116	3,785		3,785
06 Chemical products	41,685		41,685	44,338	6	44,344
07 Artificial plastic elements	11,408		11,408	13,981	158	14,139
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	4,385		4,385	4,721	21	4,743
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	4,142		4,142	2,749		2,749
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	11,329		11,329	10,980		10,980
11 Textile fibers and articles	19,167		19,167	22,772	47	22,819
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	4,560		4,560	5,880	24	5,904
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	5,937		5,937	7,947		7,947
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	20,521		20,521	22,469		22,469
15 Base metals and derivated works	15,972	16	15,988	30,782	47	30,829
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	50,237	2,517	52,754	133,303	819	134,122
17 Transport equipment	21,075	198	21,273	28,653		28,653
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	20,493	1	20,495	26,135	0	26,135
19 Arms and ammunition	28		28	80		80
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	9,933		9,933	12,656	14	12,669
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>	6,145		6,145	12,759	2	12,761
<b>Total</b>	<b>355,456</b>	<b>53,692</b>	<b>409,147</b>	<b>493,756</b>	<b>41,530</b>	<b>535,286</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20



Section (0..21) by weight for the first quarter of 2010-2011						
	W x1000 Kg.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	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	4,892		4,892	5,319		5,319
02 Vegetable products	7,187	130	7,317	7,608		7,608
03 Fats and oils	378		378	650		650
04 Food products	12,977	2,420	15,397	12,193	1,941	14,134
05 Mineral products	93,283		93,283	33,088		33,088
06 Chemical products	3,798		3,798	5,022	0	5,022
07 Artificial plastic elements	1,178		1,178	1,519	18	1,538
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	80		80	81	0	81
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	2,554		2,554	1,107		1,107
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	1,706		1,706	1,428		1,428
11 Textile fibers and articles	480		480	667	1	667
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	119		119	127	0	127
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	2,841		2,841	2,923		2,923
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	16		16	17		17
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,863	0	1,863	4,614	20	4,634
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	1,321	166	1,487	3,485	14	3,499
17 Transport equipment	1,368	13	1,382	2,125		2,125
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	73	0	73	88	-	88
19 Arms and ammunition	0		0	1		1
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	732		732	1,025	0	1,025
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys	201		201	315	0	315
<b>Total</b>	<b>137,047</b>	<b>2,730</b>	<b>139,776</b>	<b>83,402</b>	<b>1,994</b>	<b>85,396</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20



**I.b.1. Import of goods to Aruba by sections 2006 till 2009 and over the quarters of 2010 and 2011**

Section 01 Live animals and other animal 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	2006	102,383		102,383	18,208		18,208
	2007	109,697		109,697	17,302		17,302
	2008	136,464		136,464	17,966		17,966
	2009	120,882		120,882	19,940		19,940
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	33,023		33,023	4,892		4,892
2 <sup>nd</sup>		30,452		30,452	4,831		4,831
3 <sup>rd</sup>		34,476		34,476	5,352		5,352
4 <sup>th</sup>		35,785		35,785	5,301		5,301
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	37,795		37,795	5,320		5,320

Section 02 Vegetable 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	2006	56,817	3,962	60,779	28,484	5,749	34,232
	2007	61,474	4,840	66,314	28,926	7,402	36,328
	2008	67,552	3,173	70,725	28,826	5,766	34,592
	2009	65,066	1,672	66,739	30,576	5,281	35,857
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	16,705	377	17,082	7,187	130	7,317
2 <sup>nd</sup>		18,132		18,132	7,948		7,948
3 <sup>rd</sup>		17,024		17,024	7,691		7,691
4 <sup>th</sup>		18,091		18,091	7,874		7,874
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	18,895		18,895	7,598		7,598

Section 03 Fats and oils							
		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	2006	6,423		6,423	2,001		2,001
	2007	7,831		7,831	2,297		2,297
	2008	10,400		10,400	2,274		2,274
	2009	8,913		8,913	2,524		2,524
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	1,471		1,471	378		378
2 <sup>nd</sup>		2,395		2,395	691		691
3 <sup>rd</sup>		2,102		2,102	579		579
4 <sup>th</sup>		1,896		1,896	516		516
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	2,409		2,409	650		650

Section 04 Food 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	2006	190,988	121,799	312,787	58,263	58,864	117,127
	2007	202,033	112,684	314,717	56,932	6,781	63,713
	2008	214,887	127,050	341,937	58,513	7,070	65,583
	2009	213,094	159,655	372,748	55,170	18,705	73,875
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	52,125	50,583	102,707	12,998	2,420	15,418
2 <sup>nd</sup>		53,411	50,424	103,836	13,594	2,944	16,538
3 <sup>rd</sup>		54,649	28,662	83,311	13,695	1,532	15,227
4 <sup>th</sup>		58,974	53,174	112,148	14,459	2,977	17,436
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	50,553	40,392	90,945	12,173	1,941	14,113

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	2006	26,831		26,831	699,375		699,375
	2007	30,059		30,059	504,766		504,766
	2008	29,159		29,159	365,261		365,261
	2009	28,042		28,042	443,435		443,435
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	6,582		6,582	94,203		94,203
		5,295		5,295	58,509		58,509
		5,514		5,514	53,277		53,277
		3,968	0	3,968	22,339	0	22,339
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	7,003		7,003	33,771		33,771

Section 06 Chemical 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	2006	177,055	345	177,399	29,407	171	29,578
	2007	184,275		184,275	26,136		26,136
	2008	196,862	102	196,963	24,637	6	24,642
	2009	200,274		200,274	29,851		29,851
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	41,685		41,685	3,802		3,802
		40,617		40,617	4,893		4,893
		45,046	5	45,051	5,575	0	5,575
		52,391	3	52,394	5,460	0	5,460
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	44,250	6	44,255	5,014	0	5,014

Section 07 Artificial plastic elements							
		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	2006	58,485	43	58,527	6,482	7	6,489
	2007	65,662	67	65,730	7,164	20	7,184
	2008	62,268	845	63,113	6,343	75	6,418
	2009	55,566	156	55,722	6,635	16	6,652
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	11,408		11,408	1,178		1,178
		12,045	2	12,047	1,441	0	1,441
		13,197	128	13,325	1,502	31	1,534
		14,473	56	14,529	1,506	3	1,509
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	13,980	158	14,138	1,519	18	1,538

Section 08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry							
		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	2006	14,692	20	14,711	429	1	430
	2007	21,140	4	21,144	460	0	460
	2008	22,936	17	22,953	465	0	466
	2009	18,830	71	18,900	434	1	435
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	4,385		4,385	80		80
		3,818		3,818	96		96
		4,106	24	4,130	103	0	104
		5,584	3	5,587	120	0	120
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	4,721	3	4,724	81	0	81

Section 09 Wood, 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	2006	30,431	15	30,446	15,823	7	15,830
	2007	29,836		29,836	14,582		14,582
	2008	29,890	8	29,898	14,650	1	14,651
	2009	18,637	21	18,658	8,966	1	8,968
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	4,142		4,142	2,554		2,554
2 <sup>nd</sup>		6,033	0	6,033	2,612	0	2,612
3 <sup>rd</sup>		5,393		5,393	2,478		2,478
4 <sup>th</sup>		6,598		6,598	3,700		3,700
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	2,749		2,749	1,107		1,107

Section 10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork							
		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	2006	49,014	89	49,103	7,888	3	7,891
	2007	55,175	65	55,240	8,390	2	8,392
	2008	56,930	79	57,009	8,491	3	8,494
	2009	49,717	99	49,816	7,124	2	7,126
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	11,329		11,329	1,706		1,706
2 <sup>nd</sup>		12,132		12,132	1,817		1,817
3 <sup>rd</sup>		13,167	31	13,198	1,804	1	1,805
4 <sup>th</sup>		13,703	0	13,703	2,039	0	2,039
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	10,785		10,785	1,411		1,411

Section 11 Textile fibers and articles							
		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	2006	89,759	132	89,891	3,141	3	3,144
	2007	96,090	138	96,228	2,958	3	2,961
	2008	101,911	151	102,061	3,108	2	3,111
	2009	92,383	492	92,875	2,819	7	2,826
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	19,167		19,167	480		480
2 <sup>nd</sup>		19,600	1	19,602	530	0	530
3 <sup>rd</sup>		19,412	95	19,506	594	1	595
4 <sup>th</sup>		30,206	55	30,261	792	1	793
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	22,766	47	22,814	666	1	667

Section 12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas							
		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	2006	19,724	644	20,368	624	19	643
	2007	22,750	426	23,175	636	9	646
	2008	26,967	706	27,673	783	12	795
	2009	24,684	1,062	25,746	596	18	614
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	4,560		4,560	119		119
2 <sup>nd</sup>		5,119		5,119	114		114
3 <sup>rd</sup>		4,983	275	5,258	139	8	147
4 <sup>th</sup>		7,956	42	7,998	188	0	188
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	5,880	24	5,904	127	0	127

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	2006	48,138	81	48,219	25,118	15	25,133
	2007	50,059		50,059	24,456		24,456
	2008	46,652	257	46,908	19,589	23	19,612
	2009	35,292	752	36,044	20,505	108	20,613
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	5,937		5,937	2,841		2,841
2 <sup>nd</sup>		7,245	242	7,488	4,316	43	4,359
3 <sup>rd</sup>		7,451	17	7,469	4,053	1	4,054
4 <sup>th</sup>		9,675	94	9,769	4,075	18	4,093
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	7,947		7,947	2,923		2,923

Section 14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious 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	2006	70,138		70,138	47		47
	2007	129,311		129,311	47		47
	2008	89,031		89,031	62		62
	2009	71,118		71,118	74		74
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	20,521		20,521	16		16
2 <sup>nd</sup>		11,805		11,805	14		14
3 <sup>rd</sup>		12,088		12,088	21		21
4 <sup>th</sup>		35,871		35,871	32		32
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	22,469		22,469	17		17

Section 15 Base metals 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	2006	160,827	14	160,841	22,645	2	22,647
	2007	156,151	2	156,153	20,860	0	20,860
	2008	134,737	695	135,432	14,563	39	14,602
	2009	103,176	1,402	104,578	13,050	80	13,129
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	15,972	16	15,988	1,863	0	1,863
2 <sup>nd</sup>		15,649	0	15,649	1,948	0	1,948
3 <sup>rd</sup>		21,392	26	21,418	2,377	12	2,389
4 <sup>th</sup>		27,478	5	27,483	3,663	0	3,663
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	30,782	47	30,829	4,625	20	4,645

Section 16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)							
		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	2006	318,869	25	318,894	11,584	1	11,585
	2007	320,716	108	320,824	9,950	3	9,953
	2008	326,021	3,245	329,266	10,152	98	10,250
	2009	407,086	7,457	414,543	11,985	333	12,319
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	50,237	2,517	52,754	1,321	166	1,487
2 <sup>nd</sup>		60,440	116	60,556	2,007	4	2,011
3 <sup>rd</sup>		58,737	35	58,772	1,813	0	1,814
4 <sup>th</sup>		85,129	86	85,215	2,367	3	2,370
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	133,296	819	134,115	3,485	14	3,498

Section 17 Transport 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	2006	150,367	87	150,454	9,867	8	9,875
	2007	125,867	471	126,338	7,583	49	7,633
	2008	126,374	1,091	127,465	7,958	91	8,049
	2009	101,801	66	101,867	6,444	3	6,447
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	21,075	198	21,273	1,368	13	1,382
		22,310		22,310	1,440		1,440
		25,689	81	25,770	1,653	3	1,657
		30,420	213	30,633	1,829	20	1,849
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	28,653		28,653	2,125		2,125

Section 18 Optical instruments, apparatus and 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	2006	69,289		69,289	591		591
	2007	96,079		96,079	515		515
	2008	115,945		115,945	754		754
	2009	74,883	4	74,887	395	0	395
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	20,493	1	20,495	73	0	73
		17,566		17,566	68		68
		16,501		16,501	92		92
		31,059	0	31,059	104	0	104
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	26,135	0	26,135	88	0	88

Section 19 Arms and 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	2006	224	32	256	4	1	6
	2007	196	18	214	7	0	8
	2008	78		78	1		1
	2009	310	1	311	9	0	9
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	28		28	0		0
		42		42	2		2
		7		7	0		0
		4		4	0		0
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	80		80	1		1

Section 20 Various goods and products n.e.s.							
		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	2006	80,374	42	80,416	6,225	1	6,226
	2007	96,553	147	96,700	6,289	22	6,311
	2008	69,747	1,732	71,479	4,727	13	4,740
	2009	53,345	1,329	54,673	4,675	188	4,864
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	9,933		9,933	732		732
		10,838		10,838	1,082		1,082
		14,587	1	14,588	1,425	0	1,425
		15,814		15,814	1,297		1,297
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	12,649	14	12,663	1,024	0	1,024

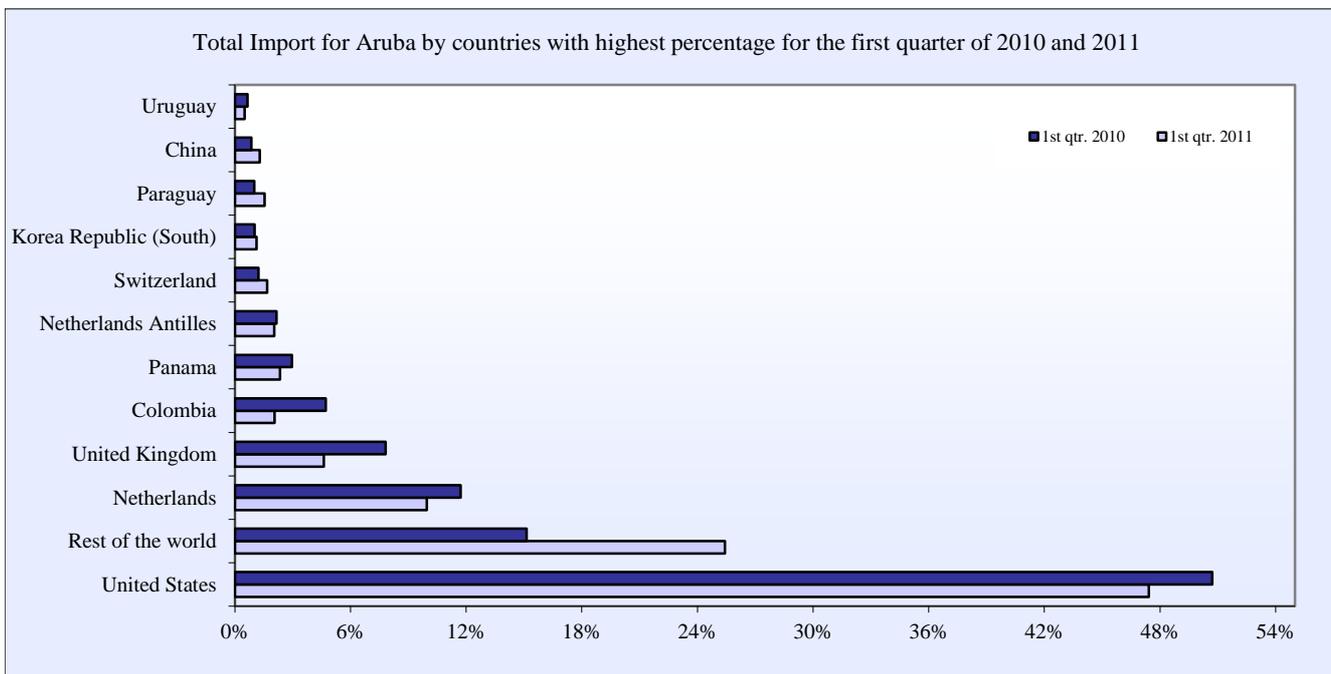
Section 21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>							
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.		
		Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
Year	2006	15,832		15,832	723		723
	2007	13,914		13,914	596		596
	2008	26,357	17	26,374	998	1	999
	2009	40,954	83	41,037	1,250	2	1,252
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	6,145		6,145	201		201
2 <sup>nd</sup>		7,800		7,800	239		239
3 <sup>rd</sup>		12,715	5	12,720	467	0	467
4 <sup>th</sup>		16,789	1	16,790	478	0	478
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	12,759	2	12,761	315	0	315

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

**I.b.2 Import of goods by the 11 most important countries over the**

Import by country in value						
	V x1000 Afl.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
United States	206,152	1,331	207,483	251,840	1,960	253,800
Netherlands	46,638	1,253	47,891	52,903	410	53,313
United Kingdom	1,218	30,811	32,029	1,781	22,951	24,732
Panama	12,039	93	12,132	12,288	255	12,544
Netherlands Antilles	8,861		8,861	10,900	1	10,900
Korea Republic (South)	4,176		4,176	5,983		5,983
Colombia	7,199	12,076	19,275	7,147	3,897	11,044
Switzerland	5,038		5,038	9,003		9,003
Paraguay	0	4,150	4,150		8,217	8,217
China	3,477		3,477	6,834	106	6,940
Uruguay	0	2,691	2,692		2,710	2,710
Rest of the world	60,657	1,285	61,943	135,076	1,023	136,099
<b>Total</b>	<b>355,456</b>	<b>53,692</b>	<b>409,147</b>	<b>493,756</b>	<b>41,530</b>	<b>535,286</b>

Import by country in weight						
	W x1000 Kg.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
United States	22,409	77	22,486	25,291	96	25,386
Netherlands	6,923	96	7,019	7,307	9	7,316
United Kingdom	279	1,166	1,445	294	942	1,237
Panama	505	20	525	498	10	508
Netherlands Antilles	3,676		3,676	847	-	847
Korea Republic (South)	322		322	431		431
Colombia	13,451	702	14,153	19,004	191	19,194
Switzerland	37		37	43		43
Paraguay	0	206	206		432	432
China	572		572	867	15	882
Uruguay	0	193	193		172	172
Rest of the world	88,872	270	89,142	28,819	127	28,947
<b>Total</b>	<b>137,047</b>	<b>2,730</b>	<b>139,776</b>	<b>83,402</b>	<b>1,994</b>	<b>85,396</b>



**I.b.3. Import of goods to Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the first quarter of 2011 (in value and weight)**

Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2011											
	V x1000 Afl.										
	Import to Aruba										
	United States	Netherlands	Japan	Panama	Netherlands Antilles	China	Colombia	Finland	Korea Republic (South)	Switzerland	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products	21,459	8,579		212	87	1	92				7,365
02 Vegetable products	12,981	1,984		1	66	21	1,117			32	2,691
03 Fats and oils	1,801	98			17	0	58	26			409
04 Food products	31,447	9,980		567	1,655	101	1,406		39	98	5,372
05 Mineral products	473	171		1		2	1,263				1,875
06 Chemical products	24,836	5,537	0	4,531	2,787	56	331	193		816	5,250
07 Artificial plastic elements	8,209	1,976	33	227	266	481	569	292	91	16	1,821
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	2,034	228		215	99	162	48	0		11	1,924
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	1,299	468		6	8	95	113	0		1	759
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	6,479	1,726	4	33	399	432	554	64	0	57	1,233
11 Textile fibers and articles	12,459	2,002	3	3,157	1,254	755	233	3		35	2,870
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	3,464	296	0	1,276	92	99	48	0		2	602
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	3,018	927	7	62	53	351	489	934	2	55	2,051
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	17,242	111	10	33	1,946	18	0			239	2,871
15 Base metals and derivated works	14,809	4,850	24	88	391	544	301	6,907	0	38	2,830
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	51,420	7,777	337	1,234	364	1,159	230	63,319	177	116	7,170
17 Transport equipment	7,503	689	6,738	66	589	1,358	6	752	5,611		5,340
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	12,808	1,304	6	193	682	39	11	672	5	7,469	2,946
19 Arms and ammunition	76				4						
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	7,741	2,216	1	226	71	1,110	261	105		19	908
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>	10,282	1,985		160	69	51	15		59		140
<b>Total</b>	<b>251,840</b>	<b>52,903</b>	<b>7,163</b>	<b>12,288</b>	<b>10,900</b>	<b>6,834</b>	<b>7,147</b>	<b>73,268</b>	<b>5,983</b>	<b>9,003</b>	<b>56,427</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

Section (0..21) by weight for the first quarter of 2011											
	W x1000 Kg.										
	Import to Aruba										
	United States	Netherlands	Japan	Panama	Netherlands Antilles	China	Colombia	Finland	Korea Republic (South)	Switzerland	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products	2,941	1,017		12	23	0	16				1,310
02 Vegetable products	4,476	918		1	5	8	322			2	1,876
03 Fats and oils	494	16			1	0	19	10			110
04 Food products	7,248	2,122		225	122	51	358		16	14	2,038
05 Mineral products	260	333		0		0	17,052				15,442
06 Chemical products	2,932	304	0	29	370	26	301	5		10	1,044
07 Artificial plastic elements	743	346	0	12	17	71	77	6	12	2	234
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	44	4		6	7	8	1	-		0	12
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	463	94		1	1	45	66	0		-	438
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	759	109	0	3	85	106	74	3	-	11	279
11 Textile fibers and articles	368	95	0	75	51	34	5	0		0	39
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	83	7	0	23	3	5	1	0		0	5
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	508	162	0	5	12	86	612	53	0	0	1,486
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	13	0	-	0	0	1	-			0	2
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,490	827	0	7	89	97	13	265	0	0	1,826
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	1,259	611	22	69	11	76	21	1,246	16	1	153
17 Transport equipment	447	53	390	4	37	98	0	444	387		265
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	67	8	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	2	4
19 Arms and ammunition	1				0						
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	524	162	-	18	5	150	66	13		0	87
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>	171	119		7	7	5	1		0		5
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,291</b>	<b>7,307</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>19,004</b>	<b>2,046</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>26,655</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

**I.b.4. Import of goods to Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the first quarter of 2011 (in value and weight)**

Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2011										
	V x1000 Afl.									
	Import to Free Zone Aruba									
	United Kingdom	Colombia	Paraguay	Uruguay	Netherlands Antilles	Brazil	United States	Netherlands	Panama	Rest of the world
04 Food products	22,951	3,897	8,217	2,710		357	1,083	350	161	666
06 Chemical products							6			
07 Artificial plastic elements							5	46	0	106
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry									21	
11 Textile fibers and articles									47	
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas									24	
15 Base metals and derivated works							47			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)					1		819		0	
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment									0	
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.								14		
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>									2	
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,951</b>	<b>3,897</b>	<b>8,217</b>	<b>2,710</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>1,960</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>773</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

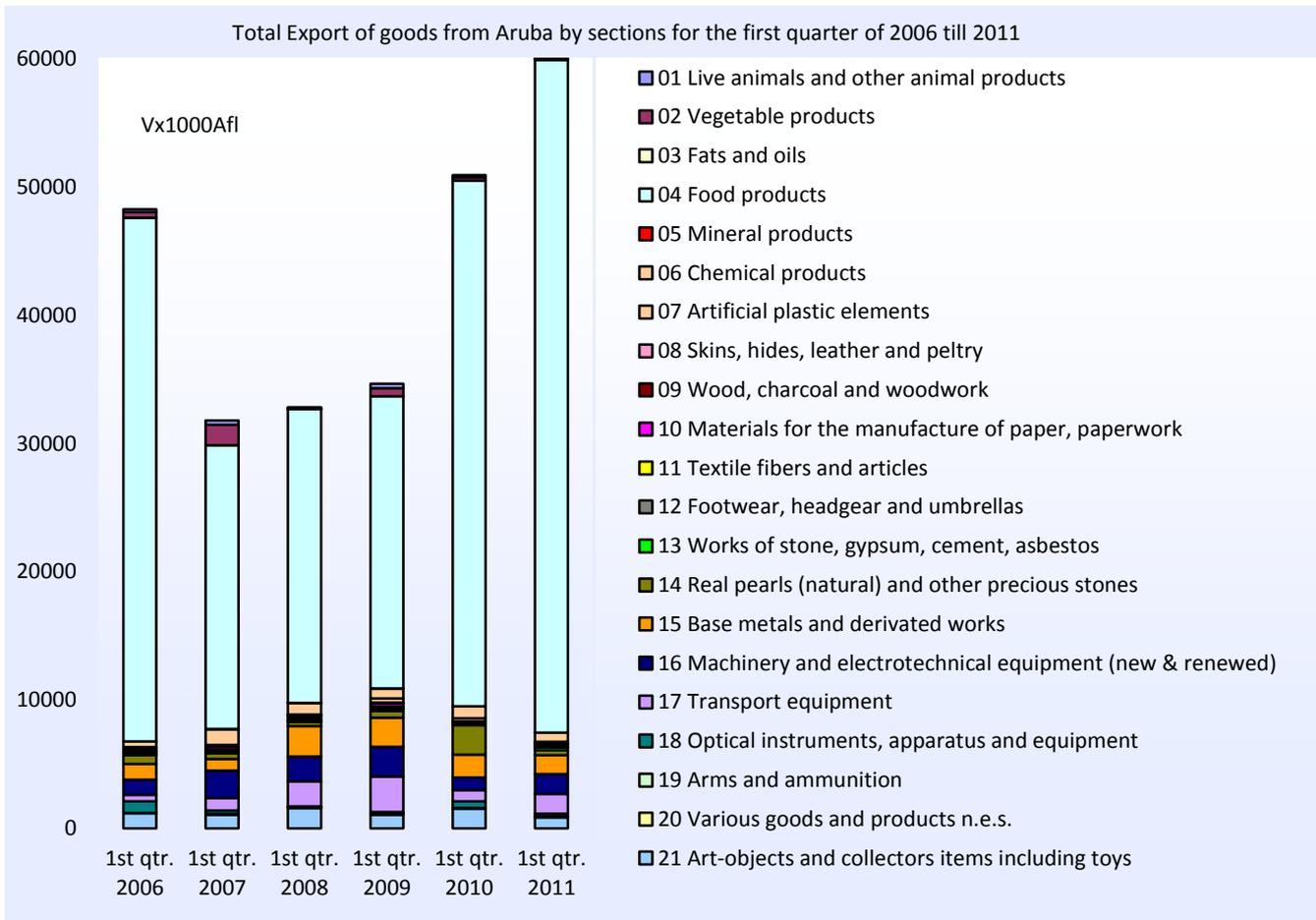
Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2011										
	W x1000 Kg.									
	Import to Free Zone Aruba									
	United Kingdom	Colombia	Paraguay	Uruguay	Netherlands Antilles	Brazil	United States	Netherlands	Panama	Rest of the world
04 Food products	942	191	432	172		104	62	5	9	23
06 Chemical products							0			
07 Artificial plastic elements							0	4	-	15
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry									0	
11 Textile fibers and articles									1	
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas									0	
15 Base metals and derivated works							20			
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)					-		14		-	
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment									-	
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.								0		
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>									0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>38</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

**I.c.1 Export of goods from Aruba by sections over the first quarter of 2010 and 2011**

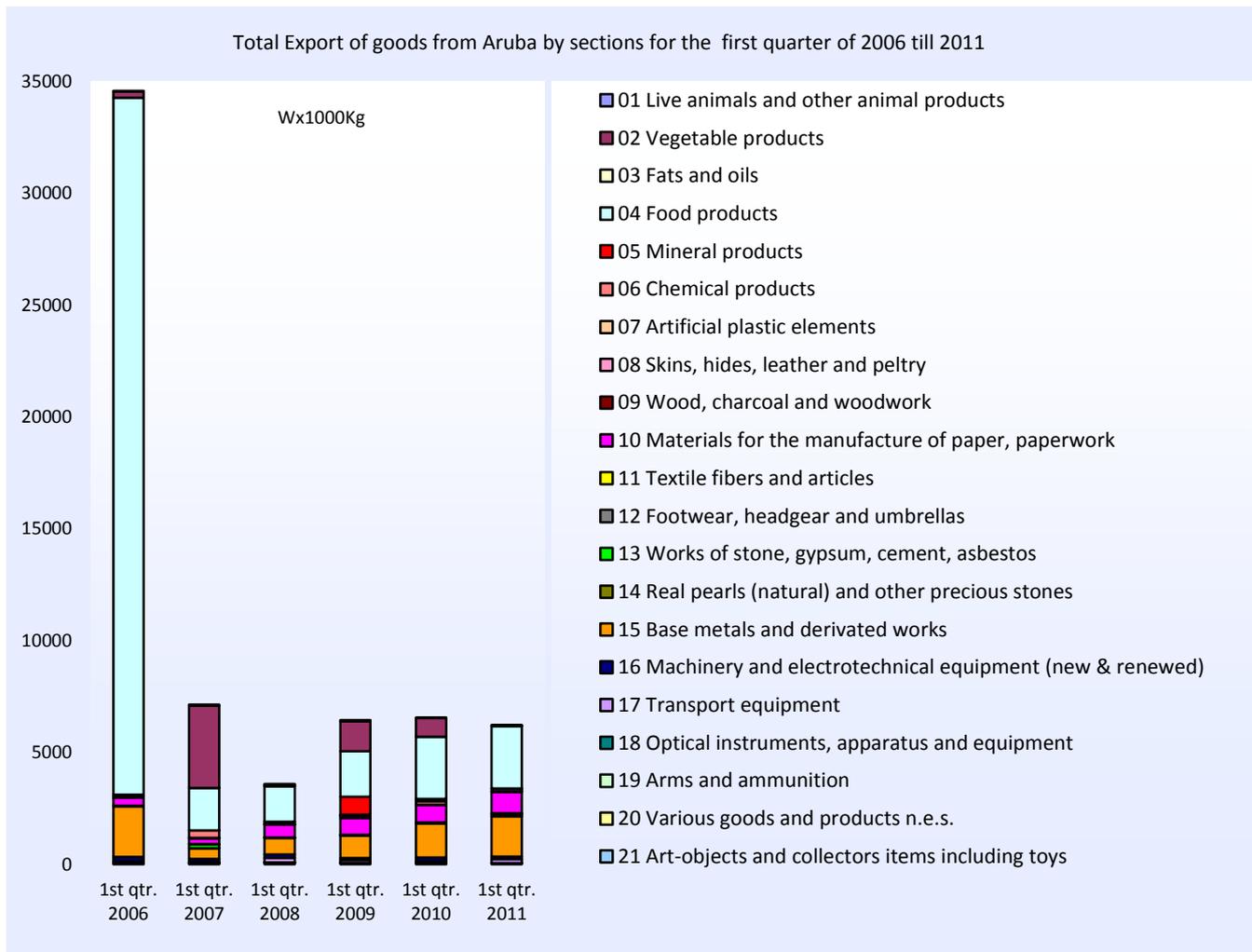
Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2010-2011						
	V x1000 Afl.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone	Total Export
01 Live animals and other animal products	179		179	138		138
02 Vegetable products	41	239	280	45		45
03 Fats and oils	2		2	42		42
04 Food products	883	40,071	40,954	735	51,701	52,436
05 Mineral products	14		14	-		-
06 Chemical products	925	1	926	722		722
07 Artificial plastic elements	132	101	234	132	13	146
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	0	0	1	43		43
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	6		6	3		3
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	83	4	87	66	59	125
11 Textile fibers and articles	104	2	105	116		116
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	3	2	4	2	5	7
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	38	56	94	48	156	204
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	2,311		2,311	403		403
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,772	12	1,784	1,438	16	1,454
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	970	5	976	1,545		1,545
17 Transport equipment	875		875	1,232	326	1,558
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	502		502	217		217
19 Arms and ammunition	1		1	5		5
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	44	2	46	72		72
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>	1,534	7	1,541	834	1	834
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,421</b>	<b>40,501</b>	<b>50,923</b>	<b>7,836</b>	<b>52,277</b>	<b>60,114</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20



Section (0..21) by weight for the first quarter of 2010-2011						
	W x1000 Kg.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone	Total Export
01 Live animals and other animal products	12		12	10		10
02 Vegetable products	4	833	837	8		8
03 Fats and oils	1		1	30		30
04 Food products	530	2,248	2,778	300	2,473	2,773
05 Mineral products	96		96	0		0
06 Chemical products	154	0	154	24		24
07 Artificial plastic elements	14	10	24	32	91	122
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	0	-	0	1		1
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	1		1	0		0
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	765	3	768	204	755	959
11 Textile fibers and articles	13	0	14	34		34
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	0	0	0	0	0	0
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	12	13	25	107	2	109
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	0		0	0		0
15 Base metals and derivated works	1,534	1	1,535	1,645	157	1,802
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	156	1	157	113		113
17 Transport equipment	78		78	161	8	169
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	1		1	1		1
19 Arms and ammunition	0		0	5		5
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.	3	0	4	7		7
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>	63	1	65	47	0	47
	<b>3,437</b>	<b>3,110</b>	<b>6,547</b>	<b>2,727</b>	<b>3,486</b>	<b>6,213</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20



**I.c.2. Export of goods from Aruba by sections for the years 2006 till 2009 and over the quarters of 2010 and 2011**

Section 01 Live animals and other animal 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	2006	1,227		1,227	153		153
	2007	1,104		1,104	133		133
	2008	716		716	84		84
	2009	751		751	104		104
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	179		179	12		12
		61		61	12		12
		144		144	14		14
		77		77	7		7
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	138		138	10		10

Section 02 Vegetable 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	2006	46	3,190	3,236	28	4,082	4,110
	2007	281	4,394	4,675	51	8,906	8,957
	2008	152	2,632	2,784	56	4,187	4,243
	2009	133	1,976	2,109	52	5,472	5,523
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	41	239	280	4	833	837
		12	450	462	1	607	607
		48		48	12		12
		52	16	69	23	1	24
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	45		45	8		8

Section 03 Fats and 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	2006	0		0	0		0
	2007	5		5	1		1
	2008	43		43	4		4
	2009	-		-	-		-
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	2		2	1		1
		-		-	-		-
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	42		42	30		30

Section 04 Food 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	2006	2,781	144,880	147,661	2,097	67,210	69,307
	2007	2,482	114,208	116,691	1,612	7,028	8,640
	2008	2,544	119,326	121,870	1,128	7,287	8,416
	2009	2,299	179,624	181,923	1,091	19,052	20,144
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	883	40,071	40,954	530	2,248	2,778
		635	46,272	46,907	306	2,546	2,852
		912	37,917	38,829	290	2,170	2,460
		557	55,234	55,791	297	2,477	2,773
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	735	51,701	52,436	300	2,473	2,773

Section 05 Mineral 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	2006	0		0	0		0
	2007	6		6	7		7
	2008	153		153	2,456		2,456
	2009	62		62	897		897
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	14		14	96		96
		-		-	-		-
		2		2	-		-
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	-		-	-		-

Section 06 Chemical 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	2006	2,460	43	2,503	666	18	683
	2007	8,252	3	8,254	2,438	1	2,439
	2008	3,298	18	3,316	519	1	519
	2009	5,283	87	5,370	293	2	295
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	925	1	926	154	-	154
		1,983		1,983	26		26
		749	1	750	19	-	19
		1,422		1,422	59		59
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	722		722	24		24

Section 07 Artificial plastic elements							
		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	2006	2,460	43	2,503	666	18	683
	2007	567	12	580	60	1	61
	2008	483	124	606	123	6	129
	2009	1,462	697	2,159	124	59	183
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	132	101	234	14	10	24
		40	36	77	68	4	72
		91	-	91	4	-	4
		42	47	88	95	3	98
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	132	13	146	32	91	122

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	2006	136	9	146	4	0	4
	2007	349	1	350	7	-	7
	2008	117	9	126	4	-	4
	2009	1,209	3	1,211	9	-	9
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	-	-	-	-	-	-
		45	1	46	-	-	-
		6	1	7	-	-	-
		25	-	25	-	-	-
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	43		43	1		1

Section 09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork							
		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	2006	291		291	41		41
	2007	585		585	151		151
	2008	132	-	133	34	-	34
	2009	137		137	109		109
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	6		6	1		1
		6		6	17		17
		6		6	7		7
		1		1	-		-
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	3		3	-		-

Section 10 Materials for the manufacture of 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	2006	527	87	614	1,779	4	1,783
	2007	694	59	754	1,283	1	1,284
	2008	509	73	581	2,839	2	2,841
	2009	928	90	1,018	3,209	2	3,211
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	83	4	87	765	3	768
		190	2	192	1,027	-	1,027
		133	17	150	1,267	-	1,267
		111	10	121	1,075	-	1,075
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	66	59	125	204	755	959

Section 11 Textile fibers and articles							
		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	2006	703	65	768	85	1	87
	2007	791	16	807	93	-	93
	2008	491	55	546	59	1	60
	2009	816	69	885	67	1	68
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	104	2	105	13	-	14
		212	1	213	16	-	16
		569	1	570	13	-	13
		391	2	393	22	-	22
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	116		116	34		34

Section 12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas							
		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	2006	58	227	285	1	5	6
	2007	47	303	350	1	6	7
	2008	33	377	410	1	7	8
	2009	129	491	620	1	8	9
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	3	2	4	-	-	-
		15	8	23	-	-	-
		13	5	18	-	-	-
		7	5	12	1	-	1
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	2	5	7	-	-	-

Section 13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos							
		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	2006	373	102	476	58	26	84
	2007	355	48	403	345	3	348
	2008	513	409	922	574	79	653
	2009	326	692	1,018	63	82	146
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	38	56	94	12	13	25
		42	68	109	4	14	17
		43	-	43	56	-	56
		38	-	38	79	-	79
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	48	156	204	107	2	109

Section 14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones							
		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	2006	1,781		1,781	1		1
	2007	2,362		2,362	3		3
	2008	4,940		4,940	1		1
	2009	2,397		2,397	1		1
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	2,311		2,311	-		-
		2,393		2,393	-		-
		2,037		2,037	-		-
		619		619	-		-
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	403		403	-		-

Section 15 Base metals and derivated works							
		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	2006	7,051	41	7,092	4,700	1	4,701
	2007	11,627		11,627	4,769		4,769
	2008	10,701	10	10,712	4,424	1	4,425
	2009	8,132	17	8,149	4,845	1	4,846
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	1,772	12	1,784	1,533	1	1,535
		1,088		1,088	1,439		1,439
		1,014	1	1,015	1,360	-	1,360
		1,088	1	1,088	1,998	-	1,998
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	1,438	16	1,454	1,645	157	1,802

Section 16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)							
		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	2006	11,076	0	11,077	663	0	663
	2007	7,924	29	7,953	758	20	778
	2008	11,489	293	11,783	991	41	1,032
	2009	8,965	3,338	12,304	615	32	647
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	970	5	976	156	1	157
		746	250	997	151	14	165
		1,219	-	1,220	206	-	206
		865	-	865	116	-	116
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	1,545		1,545	113		113

Section 17 Transport 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	2006	4,466		4,466	391		391
	2007	5,149	401	5,550	367	39	406
	2008	5,437	728	6,165	490	102	593
	2009	7,451	29	7,480	441	1	442
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	875		875	78		78
		716		716	57		57
		1,871	110	1,981	121	4	125
		717	215	932	53	6	60
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	1,232	326	1,558	161	8	169

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	2006	1,559		1,559	19		19
	2007	2,939		2,939	17		17
	2008	821		821	14		14
	2009	998		998	9		9
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	502		502	-		-
		217		217	1		1
		364		364	14		14
		179		179	1		1
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	217		217	1		1

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	2006		5	5		1	1
	2007	3	2	6	-	-	-
	2008	11		11	-		-
	2009	19		19	-		-
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	1		1	-		-
		3		3	-		-
		3		3	-		-
		8		8	-		-
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	5		5	5		5

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	2006	208		208	39		39
	2007	345	-	345	62	-	62
	2008	865	2	867	95	-	95
	2009	389	3,735	4,124	43	39	82
1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup>	Qtr. 2010	44	2	46	3	-	4
		51		51	4		4
		66		66	4		4
		274	17	292	14	1	15
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	72		72	7		7

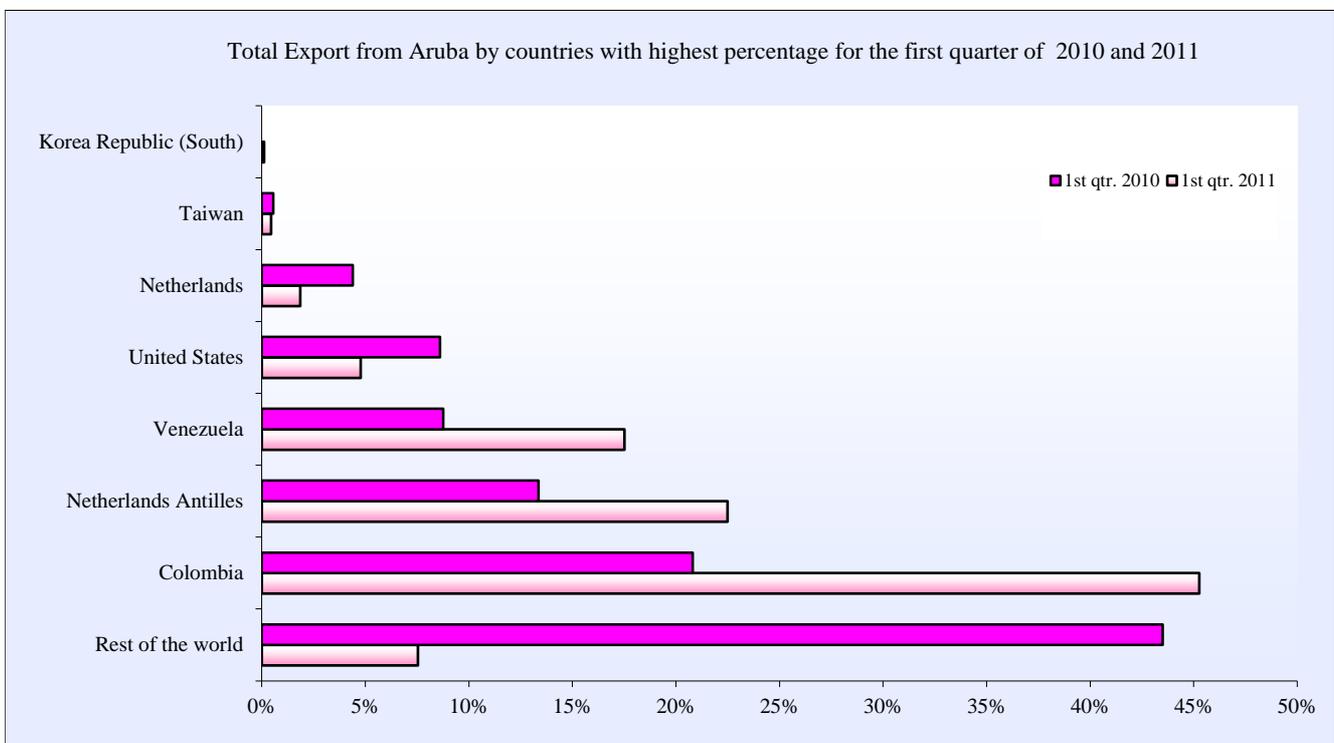
<b>Section 21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys<sup>2)</sup></b>							
		V x1000 Afl.			W x1000 Kg.		
		Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	<b>Total Export</b>	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	<b>Total Export</b>
Year	2006	11,177	23	11,200	479	1	480
	2007	9,802	81	9,883	466	14	481
	2008	11,235	35	11,270	574	2	576
	2009	10,082	36	10,118	412	1	413
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2010	1,534	7	1,541	63	1	65
2 <sup>nd</sup>		2,184	7	2,191	105	-	105
3 <sup>rd</sup>		3,319	3	3,322	132	-	132
4 <sup>th</sup>		1,491	1	1,492	71	-	71
1 <sup>st</sup>	Qtr. 2011	834	1	834	47	-	47

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

I.c.3 Export of goods by the 8 most important countries over the

Export by country in value						
	V x1000 Afl.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
Colombia	69	10,530	10,598	86	27,128	27,214
Korea Republic (South)				65	2	66
United States	4,384		4,384	2,865	5	2,870
Venezuela	165	4,298	4,464	339	10,188	10,527
Netherlands Antilles	2,550	4,258	6,808	1,479	12,040	13,519
Taiwan	280		280	199	70	269
Netherlands	1,782	452	2,234	1,116		1,116
Rest of the world	1,192	20,964	22,155	1,687	2,845	4,531
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,421</b>	<b>40,501</b>	<b>50,923</b>	<b>7,836</b>	<b>52,277</b>	<b>60,114</b>

Export by country in weight						
	W x1000 Kg.					
	1st qtr. 2010			1st qtr. 2011		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
Colombia	54	693	747	62	1,334	1,395
Korea Republic (South)				124	30	154
United States	413		413	345	90	435
Venezuela	51	247	298	43	456	499
Netherlands Antilles	738	339	1,077	449	582	1,030
Taiwan	1,520		1,520	940	850	1,790
Netherlands	192	180	371	265		265
Rest of the world	471	1,650	2,121	500	145	645
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,437</b>	<b>3,110</b>	<b>6,547</b>	<b>2,727</b>	<b>3,486</b>	<b>6,213</b>



I.c.4. Export of goods from Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the first quarter of 2011 (in value and weight)

Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2011								
	V x1000 Afl.							
	Export from Aruba							
	Belgium	United States	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Colombia	Netherlands	Taiwan	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products		-	82	12		8		36
02 Vegetable products			0	6				39
03 Fats and oils		18		0				24
04 Food products		4	113	571		0		47
05 Mineral products				-				
06 Chemical products		424	13	88	8	168		21
07 Artificial plastic elements		34	0	31		65		3
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry		9	0	6				28
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork		1			0			2
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork		4		46	5	0	11	0
11 Textile fibers and articles		10	6	77	11	8		4
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas			1	0		0		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos		18		24	0			5
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	174	142	0	16		69		3
15 Base metals and derivated works		168	18	73	17	561	189	412
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)		1,005	31	53	21	37		398
17 Transport equipment		501	62	199	11	77		384
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment		49	0	121		43		3
19 Arms and ammunition		2			3			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.		5	8	56	1			2
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>		473	4	99	10	81		168
<b>Total</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>2,865</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>1,479</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>1,116</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>1,578</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

Section (0..21) by weight for the first quarter of 2011								
	W x1000 Kg.							
	Export from Aruba							
	Belgium	United States	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Colombia	Netherlands	Taiwan	Rest of the world
01 Live animals and other animal products		-	7	1		0		2
02 Vegetable products			0	0				7
03 Fats and oils		24		0				6
04 Food products		1	8	285		-		6
05 Mineral products				0				
06 Chemical products		4	7	9	1	3		1
07 Artificial plastic elements		27	0	2		1		1
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry		0	-	0				0
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork		0			0			0
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork		1		4	20	0	180	0
11 Textile fibers and articles		0	1	27	5	0		1
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas			0	-		-		
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos		0		87	0			20
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	0	0	-	-		-		-
15 Base metals and derivated works		121	2	10	2	231	760	519
16 Machinery and electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)		40	9	2	19	14		30
17 Transport equipment		99	9	12	8	9		24
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment		0	-	0		0		0
19 Arms and ammunition		-			5			
20 Various goods and products n.e.s.		0	1	5	0			1
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>		27	1	5	1	7		6
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>940</b>	<b>624</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

I.c.5. Export of goods from Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by sections over the first quarter of 2011 (in value and weight)

Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2011							
V x1000 Afl.							
Export from Free Zone Aruba							
	Korea Republic (South)	Colombia	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Taiwan	United States	Rest of the world
04 Food products		27,125	9,697	12,035			2,843
07 Artificial plastic elements			8		5		
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	2	2			54		1
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas				5			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos			156				
15 Base metals and derivated works			0		10	5	
17 Transport equipment			326				
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>		0		0			
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27,128</b>	<b>10,188</b>	<b>12,040</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2,845</b>

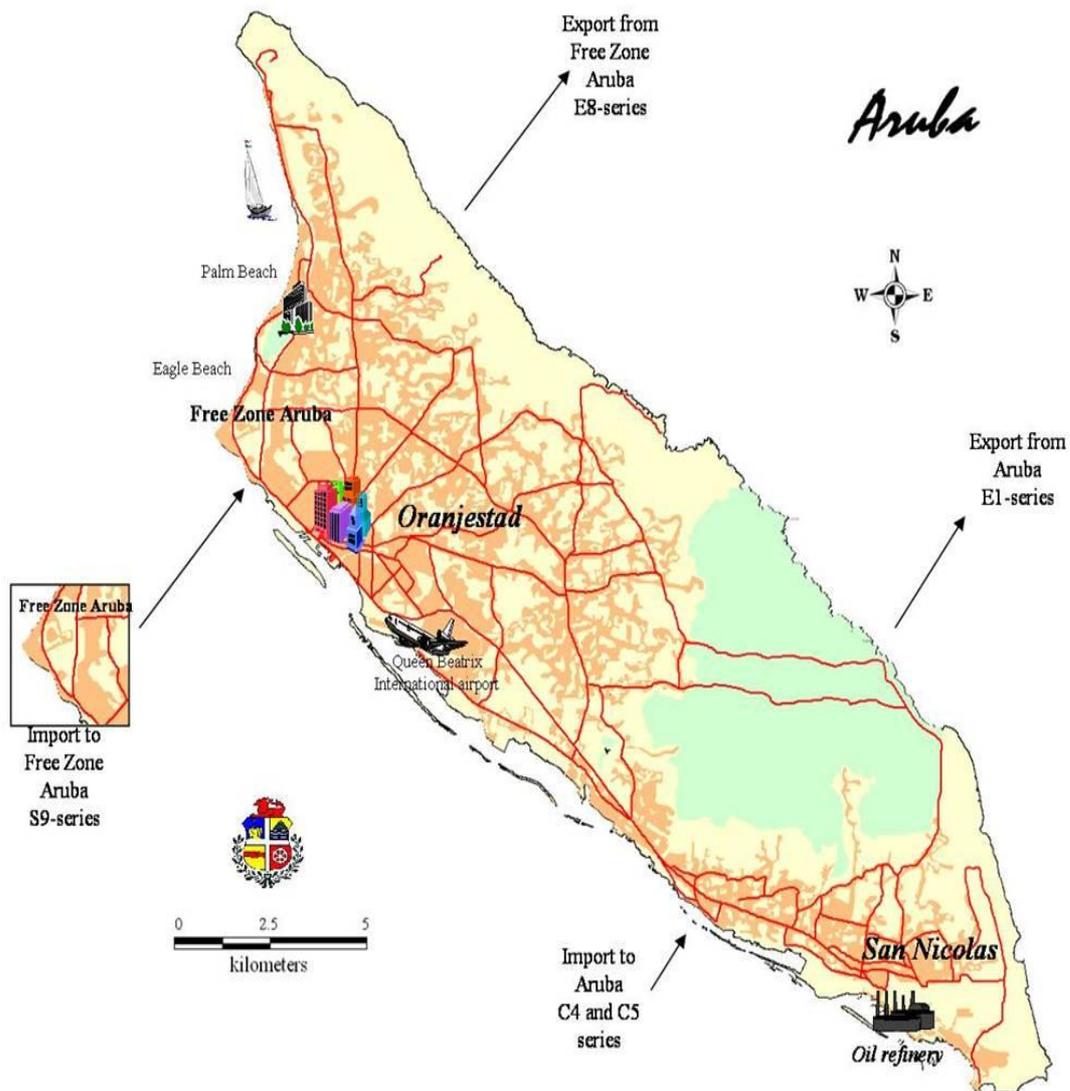
<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

Section (0..21) in value for the first quarter of 2011							
W x1000 Kg.							
Export from Free Zone Aruba							
	Korea Republic (South)	Colombia	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Taiwan	United States	Rest of the world
04 Food products		1,304	445	581			143
07 Artificial plastic elements			1		90		
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	30	30			693		3
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas				0			
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos			2				
15 Base metals and derivated works			0		67	90	
17 Transport equipment			8				
21 Art-objects and collectors items including toys <sup>2)</sup>		0		-			
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1,334</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>145</b>

<sup>2)</sup> Previously toys were classified in Section 20

# Import to Aruba, Free Zone Aruba and Export from Aruba, Free Zone Aruba Tables and Graphs By Section and Country

*Excluding mineral fuels*



## II. Explanatory Notes

### 1. Trade Data

The collection of data through Customs administration conform the automated Harmonized System of Aruba register all the documents "Enig Document". The customs department registers approximately 8500 documents per month. While we assumed that all existing documents are incorporated in the Harmonized 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 wick 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 Govenor 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 wick 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**

Harmonized System for Aruba covers 5507 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. Until december 2008, the Asycuda coding system was used by the Customs department of Aruba.

#### **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) (Vx1000 Afl) quantities are expressed as net weight in thousand of kilos (Wx1000 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 Harmonized Sections
- Quarterly imports and exports by country and by Harmonized 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 1: Harmonized Commodity Group Codes  
Classification by Sections and Categories**

<p><b>01. Live animals and other animal products</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>01.01 Live animals</li> <li>01.02 Meat</li> <li>01.03 Fish and seafood</li> <li>01.04 Dairy products</li> <li>01.05 Animals other</li> </ul> <p><b>02. Vegetable products</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>02.06 Live plants</li> <li>02.07 Vegetables</li> <li>02.08 Fruit</li> <li>02.09 Coffee and tea, mate and spices product</li> <li>02.10 Grains</li> <li>02.11 Flour</li> <li>02.12 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits</li> <li>02.13 Vegetable substances</li> <li>02.14 Other food product</li> </ul> <p><b>03. Fats and oils</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>03.15 Fats and oils</li> </ul> <p><b>04. Food products</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>04.16 Meat and fish preparations</li> <li>04.17 Sugar</li> <li>04.18 Cocoa</li> <li>04.19 Cereal preparations</li> <li>04.20 Vegetable preparations</li> <li>04.21 Other food products</li> <li>04.22 Beverages</li> <li>04.23 Feeding stuff for animals</li> <li>04.24 Tobacco</li> </ul> <p><b>05. Mineral products</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>05.25 Salt, sand stone and cement</li> <li>05.26 Metal-ore</li> <li>05.27 Petrochemical products</li> </ul> <p><b>06. Chemical products</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>06.28 Inorganic chemical products</li> <li>06.29 Organic chemical products</li> <li>06.30 Pharmaceutical products</li> <li>06.31 Fertilizers</li> <li>06.32 Paint, Varnish and Ink</li> <li>06.33 Perfumery and cosmetic preparations</li> <li>06.34 Soap</li> <li>06.35 Albumen and glue</li> <li>06.36 Gunpowder and explosives</li> <li>06.37 Photographic equipment and supplies</li> <li>06.38 Various chemistry</li> </ul> <p><b>07. Artificial plastic elements</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>07.39 Plastic materials and (synthetic) resin</li> <li>07.40 Rubber</li> </ul> <p><b>08. Skins, hides, leather and peltry</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>08.41 Hides, skins and leather</li> <li>08.42 Leather goods and traveling articles</li> </ul>	<p>08.43 Fur and imitation-fur</p> <p><b>09. Wood, charcoal and woodwork</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>09.44 Wood</li> <li>09.45 Cork</li> <li>09.46 Wattlework and basketwork</li> </ul> <p><b>10. Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10.47 Materials for the manufacture of paper</li> <li>10.48 Paper and cardboard</li> <li>10.49 Bookstore articles and graphic art</li> </ul> <p><b>11. Textile fibres and articles</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>11.50 Silk</li> <li>11.51 Wool, yarn, textile and crin</li> <li>11.52 Cotton</li> <li>11.53 Other vegetable textile fibres</li> <li>11.54 Synthetic fibre</li> <li>11.55 Synthetic staple fibre</li> <li>11.56 Wadding and felt, rope as well as work thereof</li> <li>11.57 Carpet</li> <li>11.58 Special textile tufted and embroidery</li> <li>11.59 Textile, technical articles of textile</li> <li>11.60 Knitted and crocheted fabrics</li> <li>11.61 Clothing of knitted and crocheted fabrics</li> <li>11.62 Other clothing</li> <li>11.63 Rags</li> </ul> <p><b>12. Footwear, headgear and umbrellas</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>12.64 Footwear</li> <li>12.65 Headgear</li> <li>12.66 Umbrellas and walking-stick</li> <li>12.67 Feather, fluff and artificial flowers</li> </ul> <p><b>13. Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>13.68 Works of stone, gypsum, cement</li> <li>13.69 Ceramic products</li> <li>13.70 Glass and glassware</li> </ul> <p><b>14. Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>14.71 Pearls, precious stones and coins</li> </ul> <p><b>15. Base metals and derived works</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>15.72 Cast iron, iron and steel</li> <li>15.73 Works of cast iron, iron and steel</li> <li>15.74 Copper</li> <li>15.75 Nickel</li> <li>15.76 Aluminum</li> <li>15.77 Magnesium, beryllium</li> <li>15.78 Lead</li> <li>15.79 Zinc</li> <li>15.80 Tin</li> <li>15.81 Other base metals</li> <li>15.82 Tools, utensils, cutlery and crochery</li> <li>15.83 Works of base metals</li> </ul>
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**Harmonized Commodity Group Codes  
Classification by Sections and Categories**

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

- 16.84 Reactoren, machinery and mechanical appliances
- 16.85 Machines, electrical appliances

**17. Transport equipment**

- 17.86 Rolling stock
- 17.87 Cars, motorcycles and cycles
- 17.88 Aviation and space travel
- 17.89 Navigation

**18. Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment**

- 18.90 Instruments
- 18.91 Clockwork
- 18.92 Musical instruments

**19. Arms and ammunition**

- 19.93 Arms and ammunition

**20. Various goods and products n.e.s.**

- 20.94 Furniture, articles for lighting and construction work
- 20.96 Various works, brushware
- 20.98 Various works

**21. Art-objects and collectors items including toys<sup>2)</sup>**

- 21.95 Toys and games
- 21.96 Various works
- 21.97 Art-objects
- 21.99 Furniture to be removed

2) Previously toys were classified in Section 20