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## Fourth Quarter, 2017-2018



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## Preface

The Foreign Trade Statistics (FTS), fourth quarter 2018, publication contains information on Imports to Aruba, Imports to the Free Zone Aruba, Exports from Aruba and Exports from the Free Zone Aruba. Comparisons are made for the quarters of 2017 and 2018. The data included in this publication should still be considered as provisional.

Starting March 1 2014, the Customs Department implemented a new program that reformed the Customs clearance process, "ASYCUDA" (Automated SYstem for CUstoms DAtay. This is a computerized customs management system designed by UNCTAD to assist customs authorities all over the world to automate and control their core processes. This system takes into account the international Harmonized Commodity Description and coding System (generally referred to as "Harmonized System or simply "HS") and standards developed by ISO (International Organization for Standardization), WCO (World Customs Organization) and the United Nations. It also generates trade data that can be used for statistical economic analysis and that can support government projections and planning.

More than 170 countries and economies use the HS system as a basis for their Customs tariffs and for the collection of international trade statistics. Over 98% of the merchandise in international trade is classified in terms of the HS. The Harmonized System comprises of 97 Chapters and is arranged in 21 Sections. Goods are arranged in the HS according the increasing degree of manufacture: raw materials, unworked products, semi-finished products, finished products. The HS is a universal economic language and coding system for goods, and an indispensable tool for international trade statistics.

Since January 2009, the CBS has been processing 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. Since the introduction of the Harmonized system codification, in 2009, it became possible to publish part of the import and export of mineral fuels. Import of Crude oil and butane is excluded from the trade elements of mineral fuels. The export of crude oil, kerosene, gasoline, gas, propane and butane is also excluded from the trade elements of mineral fuels. Before 2009, all mineral fuels were excluded.

Special thanks goes to our data-supplier and supporter, namely the Customs Department.

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.

With this publication, the Central Bureau of Statistics aims to provide all users with relevant information. For comments and further information, feel free to contacts us.

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## A note to the reader

The following report presents the trade statistics for the fourth quarter of 2018.

- Due to new and updated information for the years 2017 and 2018, the weight and value of some components of mineral products were corrected and are no longer derived from extrapolated estimates.
- Import to the free circulation area of Aruba, in terms of value, registered a decrease of 3.8% in the fourth quarter of 2018 (Afl. 583.4 mln) compared to the same period in 2017 (Afl. 606.6 mln). The largest decrease is seen in the section “Live animals and other animal products” (Afl. -10.8 mln), which was mainly caused by increases in the categories “Meat” (Afl. -5.8 mln) and “Dairy products” (Afl. -3.4). The largest increase is observed in the section “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (Afl. 7.1 mln), which was mainly caused by an increase in the category “Furniture, mattresses, articles for lighting and prefabricated buildings” (Afl. 4.8 mln).
- Export from the free circulation area of Aruba, in terms of value, registered a decrease of 6.8% in the fourth quarter of 2018 (Afl. 17.2 mln) compared to the same period in 2017 (Afl. 18.5 mln). The largest decrease is seen for the section “Chemical products” (Afl. -0.9 mln), which was mainly caused by a decrease in the category “Soap, waxes, modelling pastes, and preparations with basis of plaster” (Afl. -0.6 mln). The largest increase is observed in the section “Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones” (Afl. 0.8 mln), which was caused by an increase in the category “Pearls, precious stones, imitation jewellery and coins” (Afl. 0.8 mln).

This report is divided in 7 sections. An overview of the total imports and exports of goods to and from Aruba, by large and other companies, is presented in section A. Sections B and E provide the total imports and exports by “sections”. The imports and exports by type of transportation and by region are indicated in sections C and F. Sections D and G present the total imports and exports by country and by sections.

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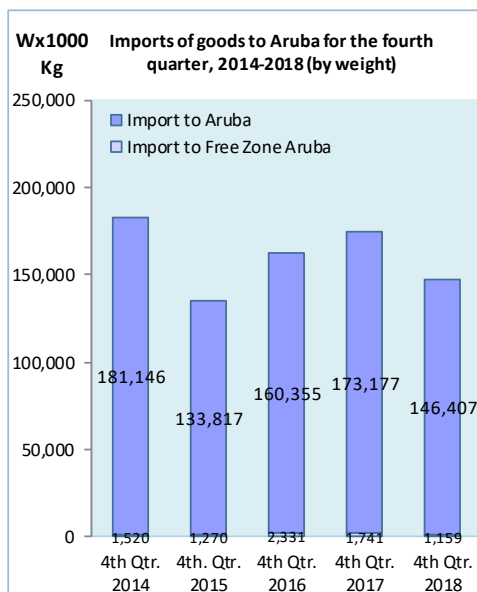
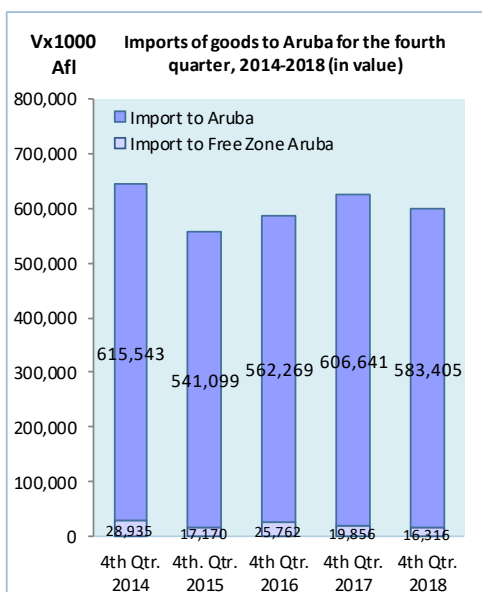
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## 1.a. Import and Export tables

### 1.a.1. Total Imports of goods to Aruba by quarter, 2014-2018 (in value and weight)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)			W x1000 kg (by weight)		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
1st Qtr. 2014	482,261.3	48,378.2	530,639.4	195,550.1	2,381.1	197,931.1
2nd Qtr. 2014	472,825.4	45,150.5	517,975.8	178,359.8	1,911.2	180,271.0
3rd Qtr. 2014	536,528.5	28,562.8	565,091.2	163,202.1	1,094.8	164,296.9
4th Qtr. 2014	615,543.0	28,935.0	644,478.0	181,145.6	1,520.0	182,665.6
<b>Total 2014</b>	<b>2,107,158.1</b>	<b>151,026.4</b>	<b>2,258,184.5</b>	<b>718,257.6</b>	<b>6,907.0</b>	<b>725,164.6</b>
1st Qtr. 2015	466,469.8	47,473.7	513,943.5	124,474.0	1,755.6	126,229.6
2nd Qtr. 2015	466,623.7	18,329.0	484,952.7	134,477.7	1,090.3	135,568.0
3rd Qtr. 2015	493,250.6	35,988.0	529,238.6	167,812.3	1,397.8	169,210.2
4th Qtr. 2015	541,099.4	17,169.8	558,269.2	133,817.0	1,269.8	135,086.8
<b>Total 2015</b>	<b>1,967,443.4</b>	<b>118,960.5</b>	<b>2,086,403.9</b>	<b>560,581.0</b>	<b>5,513.5</b>	<b>566,094.5</b>
1st Qtr. 2016	448,477.8	11,929.5	460,407.3	158,621.8	1,135.5	159,757.3
2nd Qtr. 2016	451,779.3	17,346.5	469,125.8	149,183.1	1,610.5	150,793.6
3rd Qtr. 2016	480,269.3	25,143.2	505,412.5	125,246.4	2,349.3	127,595.7
4th Qtr. 2016	562,269.1	25,762.2	588,031.3	160,354.7	2,330.9	162,685.5
<b>Total 2016</b>	<b>1,942,795.5</b>	<b>80,181.4</b>	<b>2,022,976.9</b>	<b>593,405.9</b>	<b>7,426.2</b>	<b>600,832.1</b>
1st Qtr. 2017	482,957.7	22,938.3	505,896.0	150,217.8	1,748.7	151,966.5
2nd Qtr. 2017	483,151.3	19,761.1	502,912.4	149,821.1	1,646.6	151,467.6
3rd Qtr. 2017	483,902.5	19,224.3	503,126.7	158,352.1	1,791.2	160,143.3
4th Qtr. 2017	606,640.9	19,856.5	626,497.3	173,177.3	1,740.5	174,917.8
<b>Total 2017</b>	<b>2,056,652.3</b>	<b>81,780.1</b>	<b>2,138,432.4</b>	<b>631,568.3</b>	<b>6,927.0</b>	<b>638,495.2</b>
1st Qtr. 2018	532,048.0	9,034.0	541,082.0	144,609.0	460.9	145,069.8
2nd Qtr. 2018	535,209.1	13,738.9	548,948.0	146,202.7	673.1	146,875.7
3rd Qtr. 2018	554,424.9	7,471.3	561,896.2	157,414.9	337.1	157,751.9
4th Qtr. 2018	583,404.6	16,316.2	599,720.8	146,407.4	1,159.4	147,566.8
<b>Total 2018</b>	<b>2,205,086.6</b>	<b>46,560.4</b>	<b>2,251,647.0</b>	<b>594,634.0</b>	<b>2,630.3</b>	<b>597,264.3</b>

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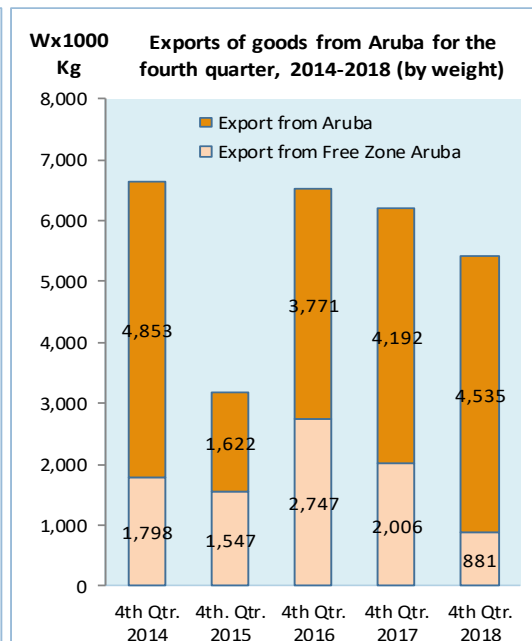
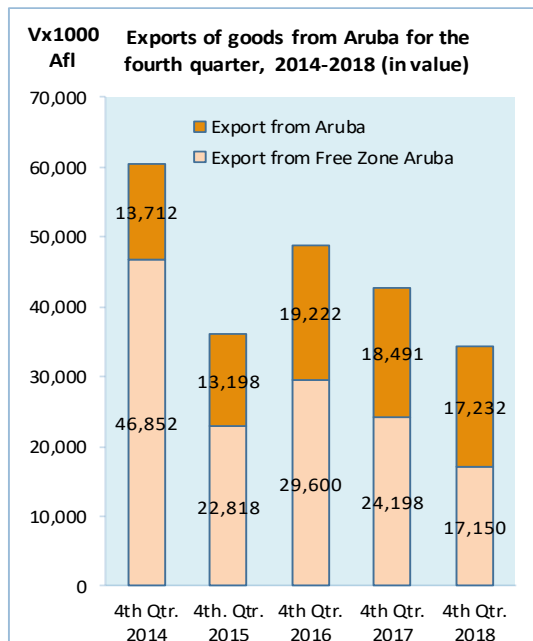




## 1.a.2. Total Exports of goods from Aruba by quarter, 2014-2018 (in value and weight)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)			W x1000 kg (by weight)		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
1st Qtr. 2014	10,879.6	20,382.9	31,262.5	2,661.8	2,336.9	4,998.7
2nd Qtr. 2014	18,424.7	44,993.8	63,418.5	4,973.5	1,620.8	6,594.2
3rd Qtr. 2014	18,418.3	24,731.0	43,149.3	5,587.9	1,375.7	6,963.6
4th Qtr. 2014	13,712.3	46,851.6	60,563.9	4,852.6	1,798.0	6,650.7
<b>Total 2014</b>	<b>61,434.9</b>	<b>136,959.3</b>	<b>198,394.2</b>	<b>18,075.8</b>	<b>7,131.4</b>	<b>25,207.2</b>
1st Qtr. 2015	12,575.1	21,680.7	34,255.8	2,798.8	1,239.3	4,038.1
2nd Qtr. 2015	15,413.5	20,096.6	35,510.1	2,668.6	1,022.6	3,691.2
3rd Qtr. 2015	16,140.0	20,293.3	36,433.3	4,648.1	1,039.9	5,688.0
4th. Qtr. 2015	13,198.1	22,817.8	36,015.9	1,621.9	1,547.4	3,169.3
<b>Total 2015</b>	<b>57,326.7</b>	<b>84,888.4</b>	<b>142,215.1</b>	<b>11,737.4</b>	<b>4,849.2</b>	<b>16,586.6</b>
1st Qtr. 2016	14,826.0	19,188.8	34,014.8	2,243.6	1,452.3	3,695.9
2nd Qtr. 2016	27,959.3	17,432.9	45,392.2	4,175.4	1,449.9	5,625.3
3rd Qtr. 2016	20,379.7	19,881.9	40,261.6	6,936.5	1,846.5	8,783.0
4th Qtr. 2016	19,221.9	29,599.8	48,821.7	3,770.9	2,747.4	6,518.3
<b>Total 2016</b>	<b>82,386.9</b>	<b>86,103.5</b>	<b>168,490.3</b>	<b>17,126.3</b>	<b>7,496.1</b>	<b>24,622.4</b>
1st Qtr. 2017	18,547.3	15,797.8	34,345.2	4,498.0	1,501.3	5,999.3
2nd Qtr. 2017	24,839.8	16,344.4	41,184.2	4,046.2	1,606.0	5,652.2
3rd Qtr. 2017	23,375.9	17,858.1	41,234.0	5,434.8	1,831.0	7,265.8
4th Qtr. 2017	18,491.2	24,197.6	42,688.8	4,191.8	2,006.3	6,198.1
<b>Total 2017</b>	<b>85,254.2</b>	<b>74,197.9</b>	<b>159,452.1</b>	<b>18,170.7</b>	<b>6,944.6</b>	<b>25,115.3</b>
1st Qtr. 2018	21,121.3	9,910.6	31,031.8	3,840.2	646.9	4,487.1
2nd Qtr. 2018	16,624.9	12,782.0	29,406.8	4,077.7	736.9	4,814.6
3rd Qtr. 2018	20,336.4	9,718.2	30,054.5	4,141.6	517.4	4,659.0
4th Qtr. 2018	17,231.9	17,150.3	34,382.2	4,535.1	881.4	5,416.6
<b>Total 2018</b>	<b>75,314.4</b>	<b>49,561.0</b>	<b>124,875.3</b>	<b>16,594.5</b>	<b>2,782.6</b>	<b>19,377.2</b>

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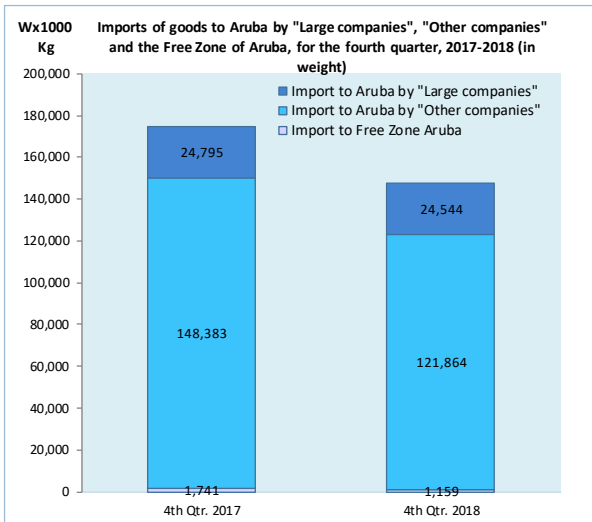
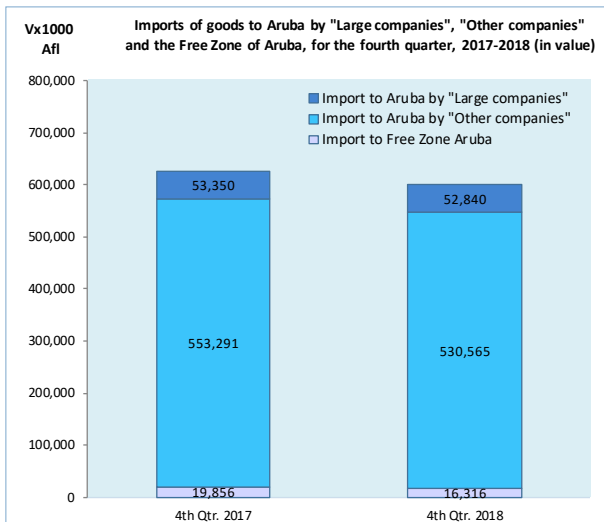




### 1.a.3. Total Imports of goods to Aruba by "Large companies" and by "Other companies" for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value & weight)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)				W x1000 kg (by weight)			
	Import to Aruba by "Large companies"	Import to Aruba by "Other companies"	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba by "Large companies"	Import to Aruba by "Other companies"	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
4th Qtr. 2017	53,349.9	553,290.9	19,856.5	626,497.3	24,794.7	148,382.6	1,740.5	174,917.8
4th Qtr. 2018	52,839.7	530,564.9	16,316.2	599,720.8	24,543.6	121,863.8	1,159.4	147,566.8

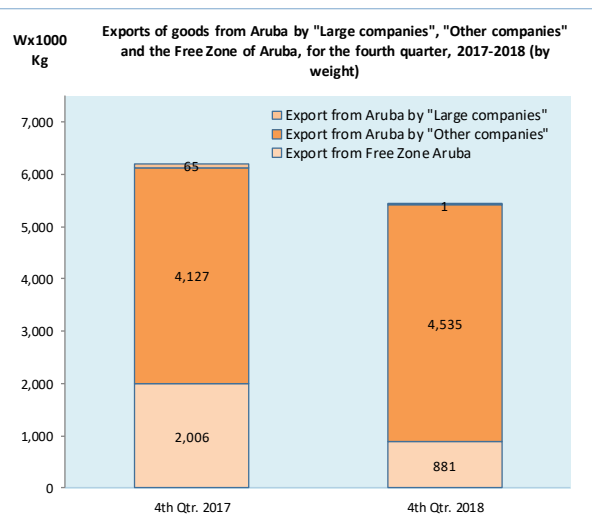
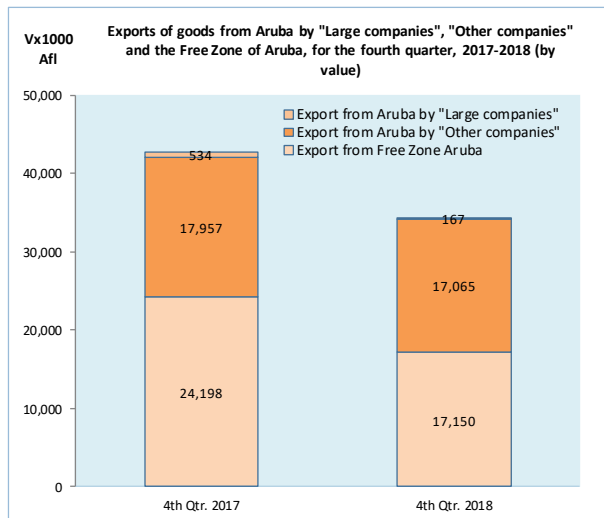
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### 1.a.4. Total exports of goods from Aruba by "Large companies" and by "Other companies" for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value & weight)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)				W x1000 kg (by weight)			
	Export from Aruba by "Large companies"	Export from Aruba by "Other companies"	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba by "Large companies"	Export from Aruba by "Other companies"	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
4th Qtr. 2017	534.1	17,957.1	24,197.6	42,688.8	65.0	4,126.8	2,006.3	6,198.1
4th Qtr. 2018	166.7	17,065.2	17,150.3	34,382.2	0.5	4,534.6	881.4	5,416.6

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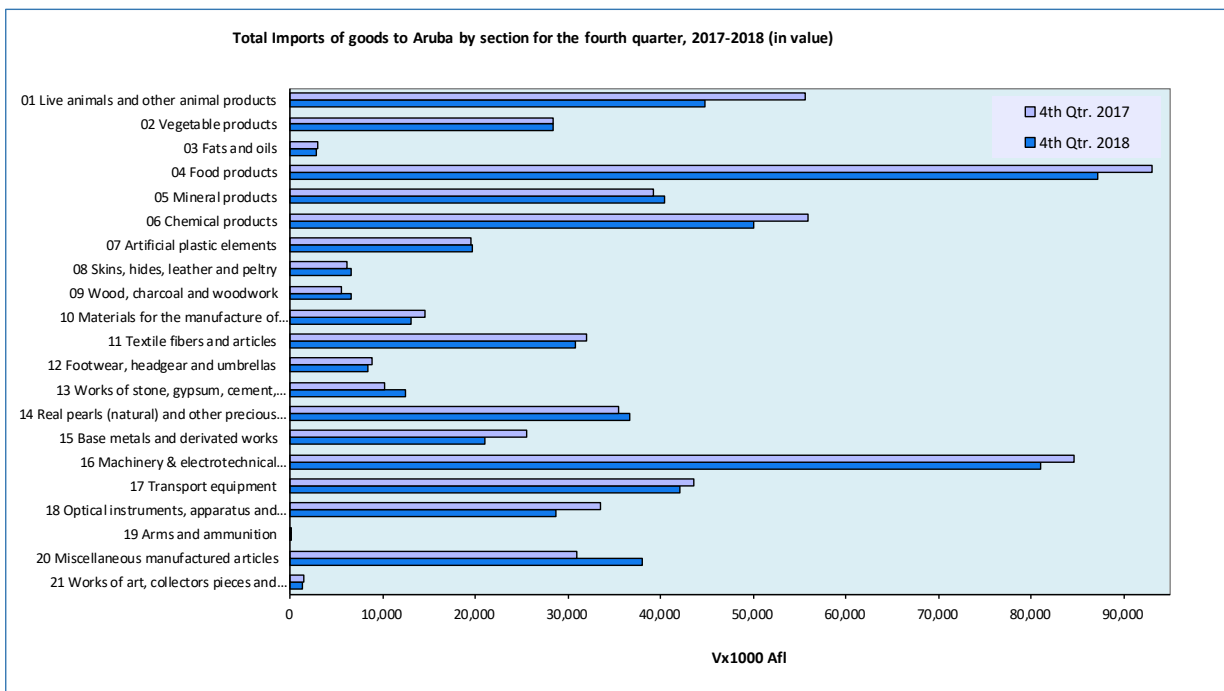


## 1.b. Import tables by section

### 1.b.1. Imports of goods to Aruba by section for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)					
	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	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	55,543.7		55,543.7	44,717.5		44,717.5
02 Vegetable products	28,336.8		28,336.8	28,307.5		28,307.5
03 Fats and oils	2,883.5		2,883.5	2,727.7		2,727.7
04 Food products	76,772.0	16,230.8	93,002.8	72,556.3	14,705.6	87,262.0
05 Mineral products	39,132.4		39,132.4	40,414.6	5.1	40,419.7
06 Chemical products	55,955.4		55,955.4	49,907.0	142.0	50,049.0
07 Artificial plastic elements	19,376.4	126.3	19,502.7	19,451.7	245.5	19,697.1
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	6,147.7	6.2	6,153.9	6,542.0	15.8	6,557.8
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	5,546.2		5,546.2	6,594.9		6,594.9
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	14,538.4	39.4	14,577.8	12,995.7	14.2	13,009.9
11 Textile fibers and articles	31,857.1	128.6	31,985.7	30,562.6	145.5	30,708.1
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	8,456.2	339.8	8,796.0	8,087.3	258.3	8,345.6
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	10,184.4		10,184.4	12,440.3		12,440.3
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	35,369.5		35,369.5	36,692.6		36,692.6
15 Base metals and derivated works	22,675.5	2,788.3	25,463.8	21,012.3	2.7	21,015.0
16 Machinery & electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	84,569.2	58.6	84,627.8	80,222.2	775.1	80,997.4
17 Transport equipment	43,429.7	125.7	43,555.4	42,096.7		42,096.7
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	33,416.5	1.4	33,417.9	28,597.6		28,597.6
19 Arms and ammunition	70.9		70.9	115.4		115.4
20 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	30,942.6	11.3	30,953.9	38,011.4	6.5	38,017.9
21 Works of art, collectors pieces and antiques	1,436.8		1,436.8	1,351.3		1,351.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>606,640.9</b>	<b>19,856.5</b>	<b>626,497.3</b>	<b>583,404.6</b>	<b>16,316.2</b>	<b>599,720.8</b>

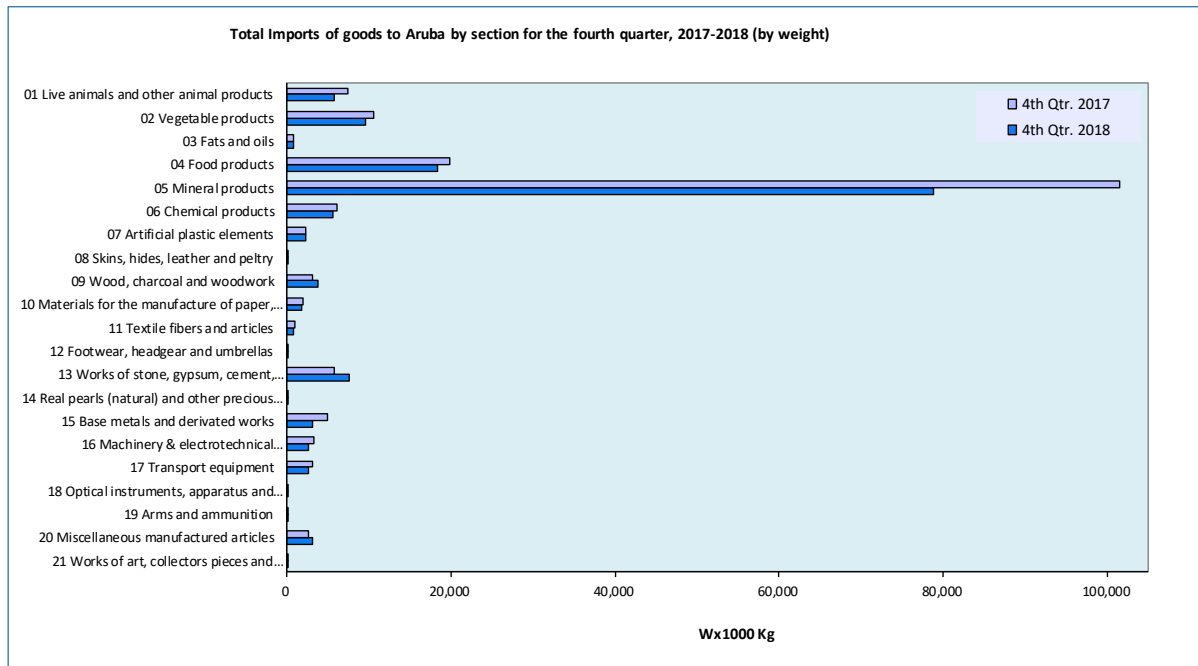
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## 1.b.2. Imports of goods to Aruba by section for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)					
	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	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	7,360.9		7,360.9	5,786.5		5,786.5
02 Vegetable products	10,499.4		10,499.4	9,595.5		9,595.5
03 Fats and oils	791.0		791.0	792.2		792.2
04 Food products	18,912.9	1,010.9	19,923.7	17,287.9	1,046.2	18,334.0
05 Mineral products	101,594.5		101,594.5	78,871.1	8.0	78,879.1
06 Chemical products	6,052.4		6,052.4	5,579.5	23.2	5,602.7
07 Artificial plastic elements	2,303.3	17.3	2,320.6	2,286.3	37.6	2,323.8
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	167.6	0.1	167.7	126.1	0.2	126.3
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	3,200.3		3,200.3	3,750.6		3,750.6
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	1,938.1	2.7	1,940.8	1,847.8	0.4	1,848.2
11 Textile fibers and articles	911.9	2.0	913.9	874.3	1.5	875.8
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	199.2	8.6	207.8	179.0	2.8	181.8
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	5,772.4		5,772.4	7,569.6		7,569.6
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	29.8		29.8	26.1		26.1
15 Base metals and derivated works	4,200.6	683.6	4,884.1	3,189.2	0.1	3,189.3
16 Machinery & electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	3,220.9	9.7	3,230.6	2,584.4	39.5	2,623.9
17 Transport equipment	3,133.3	5.5	3,138.8	2,693.8		2,693.8
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	151.1	0.0	151.1	125.1		125.1
19 Arms and ammunition	1.9		1.9	3.3		3.3
20 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	2,651.0	0.2	2,651.2	3,169.3	0.1	3,169.4
21 Works of art, collectors pieces and antiques	85.1		85.1	69.8		69.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>173,177.3</b>	<b>1,740.5</b>	<b>174,917.8</b>	<b>146,407.4</b>	<b>1,159.4</b>	<b>147,566.8</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



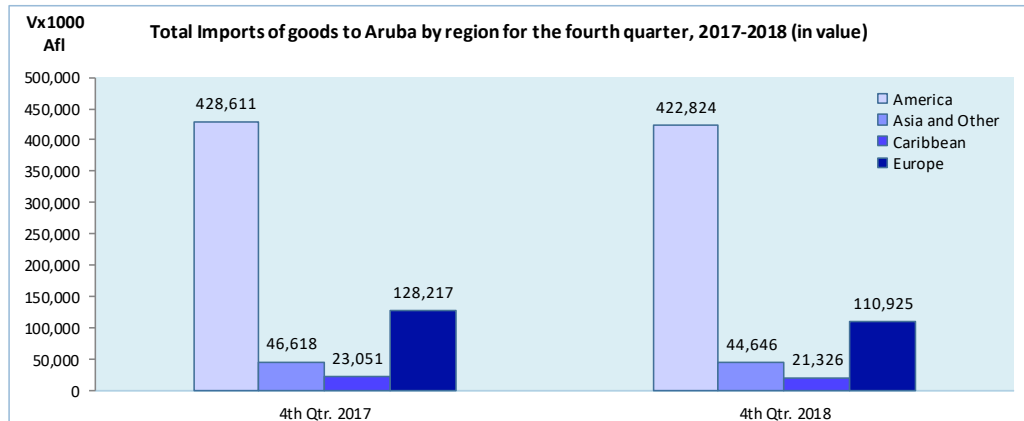
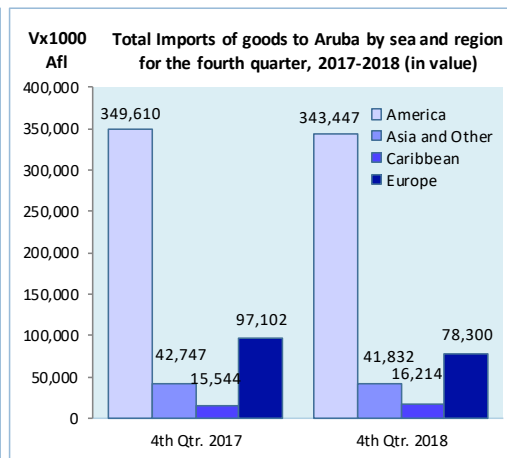
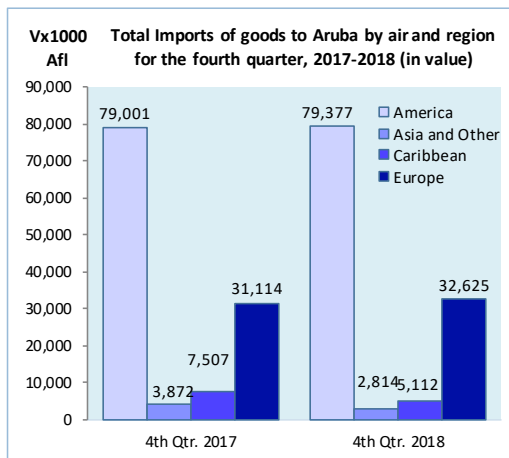
## 1.c. Import tables by type of transportation and region

### 1.c.1. Imports of goods to Aruba by type of transportation and region for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value)

V x1000 Afl. (in value)

	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
<b>Air</b>						
America	79,000.9		79,000.9	79,376.5		79,376.5
Asia and Other	3,871.6		3,871.6	2,813.9		2,813.9
Caribbean	7,506.8		7,506.8	5,112.1		5,112.1
Europe	31,114.3		31,114.3	32,624.6		32,624.6
<b>Total Air</b>	<b>121,493.5</b>		<b>121,493.5</b>	<b>119,927.1</b>		<b>119,927.1</b>
<b>Sea</b>						
America	340,279.8	9,330.6	349,610.4	336,682.6	6,764.7	343,447.3
Asia and Other	42,498.7	247.8	42,746.5	39,889.2	1,943.1	41,832.3
Caribbean	15,544.5		15,544.5	15,734.2	479.6	16,213.9
Europe	86,824.4	10,278.0	97,102.4	71,171.5	7,128.8	78,300.3
<b>Total Sea</b>	<b>485,147.4</b>	<b>19,856.5</b>	<b>505,003.8</b>	<b>463,477.5</b>	<b>16,316.2</b>	<b>479,793.8</b>
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>						
America	419,280.6	9,330.6	428,611.2	416,059.1	6,764.7	422,823.8
Asia and Other	46,370.3	247.8	46,618.1	42,703.1	1,943.1	44,646.2
Caribbean	23,051.2		23,051.2	20,846.3	479.6	21,325.9
Europe	117,938.7	10,278.0	128,216.7	103,796.1	7,128.8	110,924.8
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>	<b>606,640.9</b>	<b>19,856.5</b>	<b>626,497.3</b>	<b>583,404.6</b>	<b>16,316.2</b>	<b>599,720.8</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

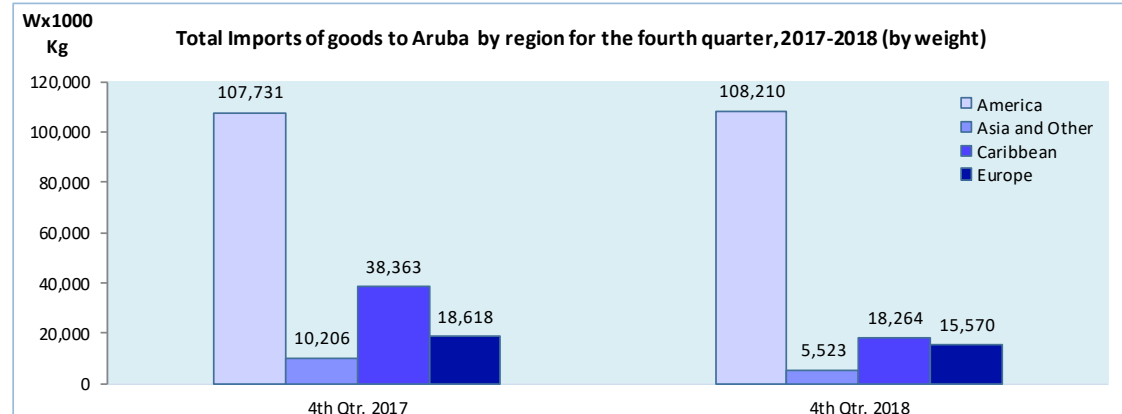
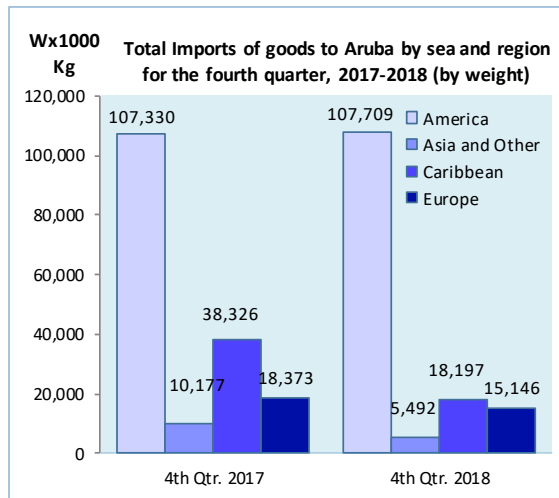
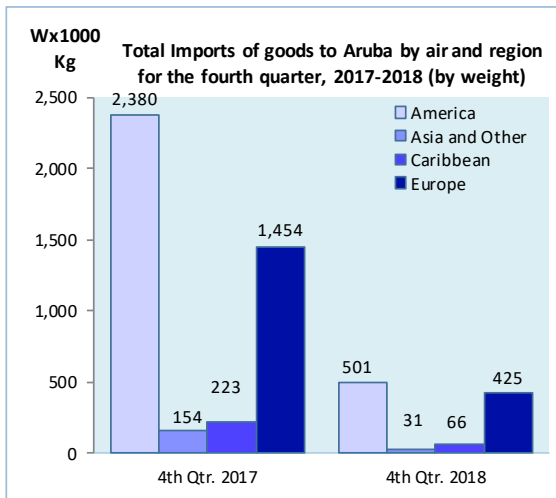


## 1.c.2. Imports of goods to Aruba by type of transportation and region for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (by weight)

W x1000 Kg. (by weight)

	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
<b>Air</b>						
America	2,380.4		2,380.4	500.6		500.6
Asia and Other	154.3		154.3	30.8		30.8
Caribbean	223.5		223.5	66.5		66.5
Europe	1,454.3		1,454.3	424.6		424.6
<b>Total Air</b>	<b>4,212.4</b>		<b>4,212.4</b>	<b>1,022.5</b>		<b>1,022.5</b>
<b>Sea</b>						
America	106,139.7	1,190.2	107,329.9	107,282.5	426.7	107,709.2
Asia and Other	10,145.9	30.6	10,176.5	5,309.2	182.9	5,492.1
Caribbean	38,325.5		38,325.5	18,169.2	28.0	18,197.2
Europe	17,853.4	519.6	18,373.0	14,624.0	521.8	15,145.8
<b>Total Sea</b>	<b>172,464.5</b>	<b>1,740.5</b>	<b>174,205.0</b>	<b>145,384.9</b>	<b>1,159.4</b>	<b>146,544.3</b>
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>						
America	106,540.7	1,190.2	107,730.9	107,783.1	426.7	108,209.7
Asia and Other	10,175.0	30.6	10,205.6	5,340.1	182.9	5,522.9
Caribbean	38,362.9		38,362.9	18,235.6	28.0	18,263.6
Europe	18,098.8	519.6	18,618.4	15,048.6	521.8	15,570.5
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>	<b>173,177.3</b>	<b>1,740.5</b>	<b>174,917.8</b>	<b>146,407.4</b>	<b>1,159.4</b>	<b>147,566.8</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



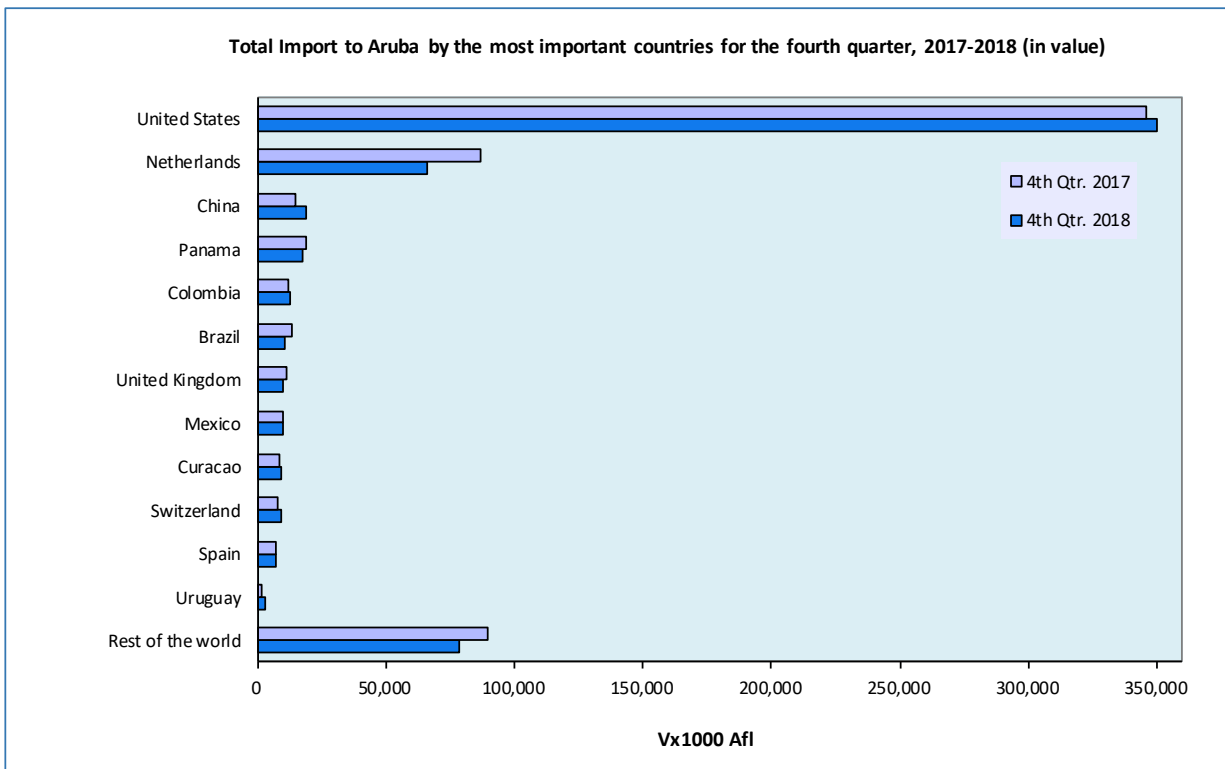
**1.d. Import tables by section and country**

**1.d.1. Imports of goods to Aruba by the most important countries for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value)**

V x1000 Afl. (in value)

	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
United States	346,051.1	83.2	346,134.3	349,482.1	619.2	350,101.4
Netherlands	86,475.0	192.5	86,667.5	65,441.7	198.1	65,639.8
China	14,797.6		14,797.6	17,311.0	1,653.0	18,964.1
Panama	17,471.5	1,557.1	19,028.6	16,714.8	467.2	17,182.0
Colombia	10,495.9	950.0	11,445.9	12,189.1		12,189.1
Brazil	13,123.4		13,123.4	10,038.8	54.8	10,093.6
United Kingdom	1,467.9	9,746.2	11,214.1	3,115.6	6,595.6	9,711.2
Mexico	9,586.1	293.7	9,879.8	9,424.7	87.0	9,511.7
Curacao	8,415.0		8,415.0	8,786.0	479.7	9,265.7
Switzerland	7,712.8		7,712.8	9,075.0		9,075.0
Spain	7,171.9		7,171.9	6,838.3	12.7	6,851.0
Uruguay	100.3	1,199.9	1,300.3	18.7	2,591.2	2,609.8
Rest of the world	83,772.4	5,833.9	89,606.2	74,968.8	3,557.9	78,526.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>606,640.9</b>	<b>19,856.5</b>	<b>626,497.3</b>	<b>583,404.6</b>	<b>16,316.2</b>	<b>599,720.8</b>

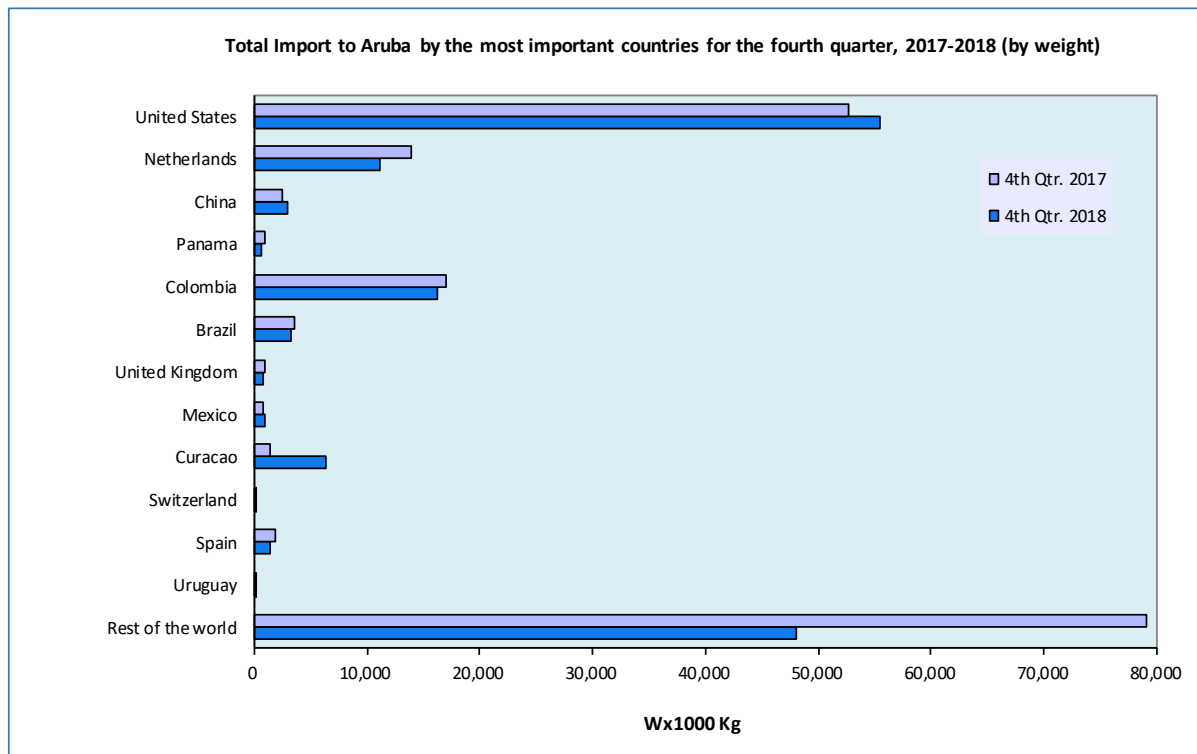
Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



## 1.d.2. Imports of goods to Aruba by the most important countries for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)					
	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
United States	52,709.2	17.5	52,726.7	55,500.0	31.5	55,531.5
Netherlands	13,895.5	9.1	13,904.5	11,183.0	18.2	11,201.2
China	2,548.9		2,548.9	2,836.5	139.7	2,976.2
Panama	961.7	44.8	1,006.5	668.4	6.1	674.5
Colombia	16,907.3	78.3	16,985.7	16,299.1		16,299.1
Brazil	3,588.8		3,588.8	3,214.1	14.3	3,228.4
United Kingdom	432.4	502.4	934.8	249.0	480.5	729.5
Mexico	804.9	35.3	840.2	931.9	12.3	944.2
Curacao	1,373.9		1,373.9	6,285.8	28.0	6,313.8
Switzerland	21.0		21.0	14.4		14.4
Spain	1,833.7		1,833.7	1,343.8	0.2	1,344.0
Uruguay	12.7	92.3	105.0	0.2	182.9	183.1
Rest of the world	78,087.3	960.9	79,048.2	47,881.2	245.8	48,127.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>173,177.3</b>	<b>1,740.5</b>	<b>174,917.8</b>	<b>146,407.4</b>	<b>1,159.4</b>	<b>147,566.8</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba





### 1.d.3. Imports of goods to Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (in value)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)											
	Import to Aruba											
	United States	Netherlands	China	Panama	Colombia	Brazil	Mexico	Switzerland	Curacao	Spain	Rest of the world	Import to Aruba
01	29,149.9	11,093.2	1.3	218.8	146.3	8,846.3	181.3		273.5		5,633.2	55,543.7
02	18,502.6	3,978.8	115.8		650.3				12.2	0.5	5,076.7	28,336.8
03	2,295.1	308.6	2.2		0.1		0.6		3.5		273.5	2,883.5
04	42,750.8	16,828.6	179.1	1,297.6	2,423.0	149.3	774.2	3.0	1,543.8	396.5	10,426.0	76,772.0
05	25,688.8	154.3	1.6	47.8	2,419.3			0.0	99.6	48.8	10,672.3	39,132.4
06	30,052.6	10,056.7	675.9	4,321.6	417.7	5.5	350.3	240.9	2,479.3	507.8	6,847.0	55,955.4
07	11,526.6	2,826.1	1,119.9	537.2	847.4	180.5	350.7	20.8	224.1	22.2	1,720.9	19,376.4
08	1,964.7	824.8	361.2	668.7	127.2	2.1	1.2	637.1	68.9	193.2	1,298.9	6,147.7
09	2,587.4	419.7	314.4	15.3	181.8	1,511.8		3.3	6.8	89.3	416.4	5,546.2
10	7,691.0	3,903.7	354.0	103.7	413.5	334.6	96.7	27.5	336.6	17.3	1,260.0	14,538.4
11	18,585.4	1,124.0	371.0	4,077.5	905.5	44.2	166.5	33.1	1,599.4	3,234.8	1,715.7	31,857.1
12	3,907.5	441.2	302.0	1,623.2	316.0	163.5	12.0	394.3	147.9	515.7	632.8	8,456.2
13	3,912.9	1,404.6	822.7	124.2	715.0	179.2	26.3	11.6	38.0	1,473.9	1,476.1	10,184.4
14	28,688.8	322.1	83.5	62.7	32.2	0.5	7.8	168.9	27.4	76.9	5,898.8	35,369.5
15	10,421.4	6,413.3	1,536.0	509.8	364.8	283.5	255.3	9.3	359.1	164.8	2,358.2	22,675.5
16	60,573.1	10,650.8	4,309.7	2,372.0	192.0	50.1	1,359.5	401.4	560.6	119.3	3,980.7	84,569.2
17	13,546.8	1,362.5	1,242.5	178.1	32.1	594.1	5,886.9		244.7	0.2	20,342.1	43,429.7
18	16,132.7	7,179.4	139.0	335.9	63.4	692.5	16.6	5,653.9	157.9	7.1	3,038.2	33,416.5
19	53.3	0.1			17.5							70.9
20	17,553.0	6,505.8	2,860.7	970.3	212.9	85.7	100.3	107.9	172.3	303.1	2,070.5	30,942.6
21	466.9	677.0	5.2	7.1	17.8				59.6	0.4	202.8	1,436.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>346,051.1</b>	<b>86,475.0</b>	<b>14,797.6</b>	<b>17,471.5</b>	<b>10,495.9</b>	<b>13,123.4</b>	<b>9,586.1</b>	<b>7,712.8</b>	<b>8,415.0</b>	<b>7,171.9</b>	<b>85,340.6</b>	<b>606,640.9</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

### 1.d.4. Imports of goods to Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (in value)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)											
	Import to Aruba											
	United States	Netherlands	China	Panama	Colombia	Brazil	Mexico	Switzerland	Curacao	Spain	Rest of the world	Import to Aruba
01	26,435.1	8,470.3	231.4	346.3	183.7	5,196.7	238.2		81.5	0.6	3,533.7	44,717.5
02	18,344.0	4,369.4	66.5	26.2	1,043.9	34.8			11.4	0.7	4,410.6	28,307.5
03	2,129.4	178.4	1.2	0.0	45.1				2.2		371.4	2,727.7
04	41,511.4	14,794.7	72.7	1,240.7	2,213.4	451.0	706.1	34.6	1,686.0	244.8	9,601.1	72,556.3
05	33,544.8	69.9	0.8	0.3	1,864.3				208.8	111.4	4,614.3	40,414.6
06	23,366.4	9,624.5	1,924.8	4,994.2	418.6	30.6	467.9	514.9	2,188.0	230.1	6,147.1	49,907.0
07	12,016.7	2,516.8	1,170.7	550.1	964.5	50.9	121.6	17.9	127.3	66.8	1,848.4	19,451.7
08	2,015.0	187.8	309.5	584.8	58.3	1.0	5.5	866.6	80.8	219.2	2,213.6	6,542.0
09	3,306.8	334.5	570.7	39.0	560.2	1,257.2	0.7	8.6	7.8	110.4	399.1	6,594.9
10	8,330.9	2,039.2	645.1	118.5	432.1	97.1	30.4	37.4	381.5	36.0	847.6	12,995.7
11	18,147.0	972.5	443.9	2,753.9	1,205.7	97.1	133.3	62.0	1,585.2	3,403.7	1,758.3	30,562.6
12	4,142.9	366.2	151.1	1,387.9	206.9	171.9	20.7	677.7	73.7	419.2	469.1	8,087.3
13	4,588.7	1,800.2	1,195.6	126.8	648.0	511.7	54.0	0.5	34.9	1,139.9	2,340.0	12,440.3
14	32,720.5	342.1	107.6	44.1	42.6		16.0	208.2	9.4	92.6	3,109.6	36,692.6
15	9,874.0	4,331.6	2,399.9	251.3	865.8	0.4	504.2	3.7	151.8	277.9	2,351.8	21,012.3
16	56,402.6	6,274.3	4,201.7	2,442.6	259.6	109.9	2,238.9	16.7	582.5	232.4	7,460.9	80,222.2
17	13,114.5	1,054.8	1,200.1	240.6	145.2	30.6	4,777.6		1,022.0	25.4	20,486.1	42,096.7
18	14,636.2	2,986.2	139.2	717.9	199.8		16.3	6,590.6	188.2	19.1	3,104.2	28,597.6
19	97.6	15.3							2.6			115.4
20	24,485.7	3,987.0	2,478.6	837.5	806.7	1,998.1	93.4	35.7	306.6	202.0	2,780.1	38,011.4
21	271.9	726.1		12.1	24.9				53.8	6.3	256.3	1,351.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>349,482.1</b>	<b>65,441.7</b>	<b>17,311.0</b>	<b>16,714.8</b>	<b>12,189.1</b>	<b>10,038.8</b>	<b>9,424.7</b>	<b>9,075.0</b>	<b>8,786.0</b>	<b>6,838.3</b>	<b>78,103.1</b>	<b>583,404.6</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

## 1.d.5. Imports of goods to Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)											Import to Aruba
	Import to Aruba											
	United States	Netherlands	China	Panama	Colombia	Brazil	Mexico	Switzerland	Curacao	Spain	Rest of the world	
01	2,864.5	1,580.3	0.3	13.1	22.9	2,020.6	19.3		45.7		794.3	7,360.9
02	5,148.0	1,601.2	22.6		160.6				5.6	0.0	3,561.3	10,499.4
03	667.4	62.7	0.5		0.1		0.9		0.3		59.2	791.0
04	9,412.7	4,586.4	68.2	235.1	873.2	33.6	150.7	0.1	191.3	131.2	3,230.4	18,912.9
05	20,630.6	114.6	0.6	110.5	14,614.0			0.0	374.9	36.3	65,712.9	101,594.5
06	3,712.9	745.2	142.5	59.2	176.7	0.0	125.1	1.6	326.3	7.5	755.5	6,052.4
07	1,204.8	353.5	224.2	56.5	118.9	18.4	14.6	0.2	15.4	1.2	295.8	2,303.3
08	62.7	20.5	40.8	18.9	2.7	0.1	0.0	1.4	4.3	2.3	13.8	167.6
09	1,624.2	52.3	179.2	3.2	39.9	1,084.3		0.1	0.6	12.5	204.2	3,200.3
10	1,051.9	268.3	83.3	8.9	52.1	167.2	1.5	0.9	70.5	0.3	233.4	1,938.1
11	501.3	54.8	28.8	92.3	10.7	0.4	11.8	0.2	81.1	40.7	89.8	911.9
12	99.8	11.3	24.6	31.2	6.3	2.7	1.0	1.2	4.6	4.8	11.7	199.2
13	835.9	751.5	463.7	24.2	719.9	208.2	1.4	0.1	9.2	1,561.7	1,196.7	5,772.4
14	20.7	0.7	4.2	1.3	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	1.4	29.8
15	1,062.7	2,082.8	366.8	45.7	59.0	17.3	20.0	0.2	168.9	3.8	373.6	4,200.6
16	2,009.4	407.5	365.7	147.9	10.4	2.5	90.2	1.2	35.0	1.6	149.5	3,220.9
17	746.7	288.0	115.3	14.7	1.4	18.3	359.0		16.5	0.0	1,573.4	3,133.3
18	68.4	51.8	6.3	6.0	0.4	3.5	0.1	0.8	1.9	0.1	11.7	151.1
19	1.8	0.0			0.0							1.9
20	968.2	818.1	410.7	92.6	37.1	12.0	9.4	12.6	14.4	29.3	246.6	2,651.0
21	14.6	43.9	0.6	0.4	0.8				7.3	0.0	17.5	85.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>52,709.2</b>	<b>13,895.5</b>	<b>2,548.9</b>	<b>961.7</b>	<b>16,907.3</b>	<b>3,588.8</b>	<b>804.9</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>1,373.9</b>	<b>1,833.7</b>	<b>78,532.4</b>	<b>173,177.3</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

## 1.d.6. Imports of goods to Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)											Import to Aruba
	Import to Aruba											
	United States	Netherlands	China	Panama	Colombia	Brazil	Mexico	Switzerland	Curacao	Spain	Rest of the world	
01	2,848.3	1,239.1	29.0	14.2	37.5	1,036.9	25.7		7.6	0.0	548.2	5,786.5
02	4,800.4	1,693.7	13.8	10.1	249.0	25.4			1.2	0.0	2,802.0	9,595.5
03	635.6	34.2	0.4	0.0	19.4				0.5		102.2	792.2
04	9,081.3	3,861.6	35.8	187.7	565.9	98.1	247.6	0.6	248.9	117.1	2,843.3	17,287.9
05	23,069.3	121.4	1.4	0.0	13,902.1				5,460.3	47.8	36,268.8	78,871.1
06	3,301.9	752.4	398.6	38.7	54.0	0.3	158.3	2.3	292.9	6.2	574.1	5,579.5
07	1,249.0	333.5	229.8	50.0	125.1	4.5	15.8	1.6	14.0	9.7	253.4	2,286.3
08	57.5	7.4	25.1	14.4	1.5	0.0	0.1	1.9	5.2	2.3	10.7	126.1
09	2,074.6	66.0	304.3	4.6	177.5	799.1	0.1	0.3	8.0	37.7	278.4	3,750.6
10	1,213.8	212.3	116.7	11.7	33.1	33.2	0.6	2.8	72.7	2.9	148.0	1,847.8
11	515.3	61.8	24.6	60.5	41.8	0.2	1.6	0.6	76.4	41.8	49.7	874.3
12	95.9	19.4	13.1	24.7	5.2	3.4	0.5	1.3	2.8	5.5	7.3	179.0
13	1,880.4	1,236.8	504.4	21.8	786.4	684.4	15.0	0.0	4.3	977.4	1,458.7	7,569.6
14	13.9	2.5	3.7	1.3	0.8		0.0	0.2	0.0	0.4	3.3	26.1
15	1,113.8	722.2	402.9	21.9	85.3	0.0	56.1	0.1	24.6	64.1	698.3	3,189.2
16	1,505.4	256.9	303.3	120.6	22.7	6.9	138.2	0.5	10.4	4.7	214.9	2,584.4
17	683.9	230.6	92.9	10.9	5.4	0.8	267.5		38.0	4.1	1,359.7	2,693.8
18	73.4	21.1	12.7	4.5	1.4		0.4	1.1	1.2	0.3	9.0	125.1
19	3.0	0.2							0.0			3.3
20	1,277.9	264.5	323.9	69.4	183.6	521.1	4.6	1.0	14.1	21.9	487.3	3,169.3
21	5.2	45.6		1.5	1.5				2.8	0.1	13.3	69.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>55,500.0</b>	<b>11,183.0</b>	<b>2,836.5</b>	<b>668.4</b>	<b>16,299.1</b>	<b>3,214.1</b>	<b>931.9</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>6,285.8</b>	<b>1,343.8</b>	<b>48,130.4</b>	<b>146,407.4</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

### 1.d.7. Imports of goods to Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (in value)

		V x1000 Afil. (in value)									
		Import to Free Zone Aruba									
	United Kingdom	Paraguay	Uruguay	China	United States	Curacao	Panama	Netherlands	Germany	Rest of the world	Import to Free Zone Aruba
01											
02											
03											
04	9,746.2	2,081.7	1,199.9		44.9		1,070.7			2,087.4	16,230.8
05											
06											
07					11.0		0.7	28.7		85.9	126.3
08							6.2				6.2
09											
10										39.4	39.4
11							128.3			0.4	128.6
12							339.7			0.1	339.8
13											
14											
15					1.6			5.8		2,781.0	2,788.3
16					21.6			35.6		1.4	58.6
17					3.3			122.4			125.7
18					0.7		0.6				1.4
19											
20							11.0			0.3	11.3
21											
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,746.2</b>	<b>2,081.7</b>	<b>1,199.9</b>		<b>83.2</b>		<b>1,557.1</b>	<b>192.5</b>		<b>4,995.9</b>	<b>19,856.5</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

### 1.d.8. Imports of goods to Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (in value)

		V x1000 Afil. (in value)									
		Import to Free Zone Aruba									
	United Kingdom	Paraguay	Uruguay	China	United States	Curacao	Panama	Netherlands	Germany	Rest of the world	Import to Free Zone Aruba
01											
02											
03											
04	6,595.6	2,788.6	2,591.2	1,513.4		479.7	41.1	0.7	171.1	524.4	14,705.6
05								5.1			5.1
06				139.6	2.4						142.0
07					5.5		0.4	23.9		215.7	245.5
08							15.8				15.8
09											
10							1.5			12.7	14.2
11							145.5				145.5
12							258.3				258.3
13											
14											
15					2.7						2.7
16					602.8		4.0	168.4			775.1
17											
18											
19											
20					5.9		0.6				6.5
21											
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,595.6</b>	<b>2,788.6</b>	<b>2,591.2</b>	<b>1,653.0</b>	<b>619.2</b>	<b>479.7</b>	<b>467.2</b>	<b>198.1</b>	<b>171.1</b>	<b>752.7</b>	<b>16,316.2</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

### 1.d.9. Imports of goods to Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)										Import to Free Zone Aruba
	Import to Free Zone Aruba										
	United Kingdom	Paraguay	Uruguay	China	United States	Curacao	Panama	Netherlands	Germany	Rest of the world	
01											
02											
03											
04	502.4	134.2	92.3		14.7		34.0			233.2	1,010.9
05											
06											
07					1.1		0.0	1.9		14.3	17.3
08							0.1				0.1
09											
10										2.7	2.7
11							1.9			0.1	2.0
12							8.6			0.0	8.6
13											
14											
15					1.1			0.1		682.4	683.6
16					0.6			1.6		7.5	9.7
17					0.0			5.4			5.5
18					0.0		0.0				0.0
19											
20							0.1			0.0	0.2
21											
<b>Total</b>	<b>502.4</b>	<b>134.2</b>	<b>92.3</b>		<b>17.5</b>		<b>44.8</b>	<b>9.1</b>		<b>940.3</b>	<b>1,740.5</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

### 1.d.10. Imports of goods to Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)										Import to Free Zone Aruba
	Import to Free Zone Aruba										
	United Kingdom	Paraguay	Uruguay	China	United States	Curacao	Panama	Netherlands	Germany	Rest of the world	
01											
02											
03											
04	480.5	170.2	182.9	116.6		28.0	1.4	0.0	13.5	53.1	1,046.2
05								8.0			8.0
06				23.1	0.1						23.2
07					0.1		0.0	1.9		35.6	37.6
08							0.2				0.2
09											
10							0.2			0.2	0.4
11							1.5				1.5
12							2.8				2.8
13											
14											
15					0.1						0.1
16					31.2		0.0	8.3			39.5
17											
18											
19											
20					0.1		0.0				0.1
21											
<b>Total</b>	<b>480.5</b>	<b>170.2</b>	<b>182.9</b>	<b>139.7</b>	<b>31.5</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>18.2</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>88.8</b>	<b>1,159.4</b>

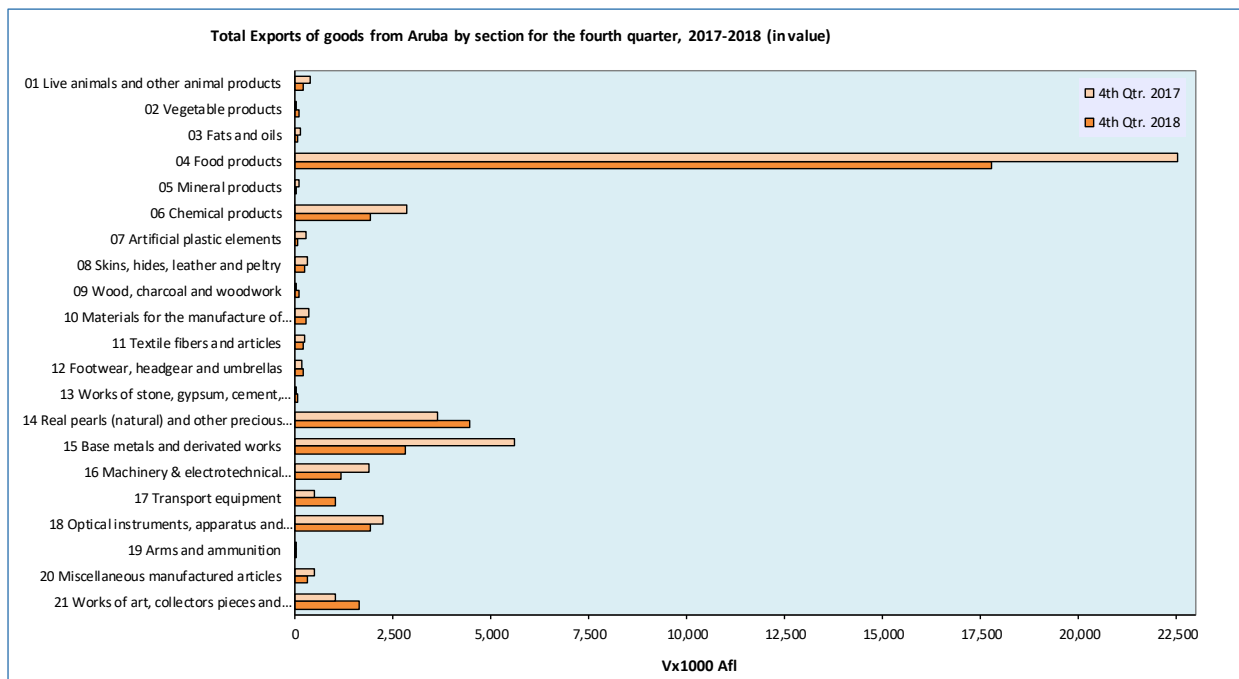
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## 1.e Export tables by section

### 1.e.1. Exports of goods from Aruba by section for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)					
	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	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	386.2	2.2	388.3	194.3	7.0	201.3
02 Vegetable products	29.0		29.0	96.3		96.3
03 Fats and oils	105.1	13.9	119.0	54.5		54.5
04 Food products	837.2	21,679.0	22,516.3	637.0	17,127.9	17,764.9
05 Mineral products	104.9		104.9	27.4		27.4
06 Chemical products	2,822.6	13.2	2,835.7	1,926.1		1,926.1
07 Artificial plastic elements	266.0	1.6	267.5	54.9		54.9
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	298.1	20.4	318.5	240.5		240.5
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	31.5		31.5	80.6		80.6
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	321.8	3.1	324.9	253.9	11.1	265.0
11 Textile fibers and articles	223.2	1.6	224.8	194.5		194.5
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	112.0	57.7	169.7	187.2		187.2
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	35.3		35.3	57.9		57.9
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	3,611.0	3.1	3,614.1	4,432.0		4,432.0
15 Base metals and derivated works	3,181.3	2,399.4	5,580.7	2,816.7		2,816.7
16 Machinery & electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	1,885.7	0.5	1,886.2	1,145.7	0.9	1,146.6
17 Transport equipment	480.9		480.9	1,009.5		1,009.5
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	2,234.4		2,234.4	1,906.6		1,906.6
19 Arms and ammunition	20.8		20.8	4.2		4.2
20 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	492.3	2.1	494.4	301.5	3.4	304.9
21 Works of art, collectors pieces and antiques	1,011.9		1,011.9	1,610.6		1,610.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,491.2</b>	<b>24,197.6</b>	<b>42,688.8</b>	<b>17,231.9</b>	<b>17,150.3</b>	<b>34,382.2</b>

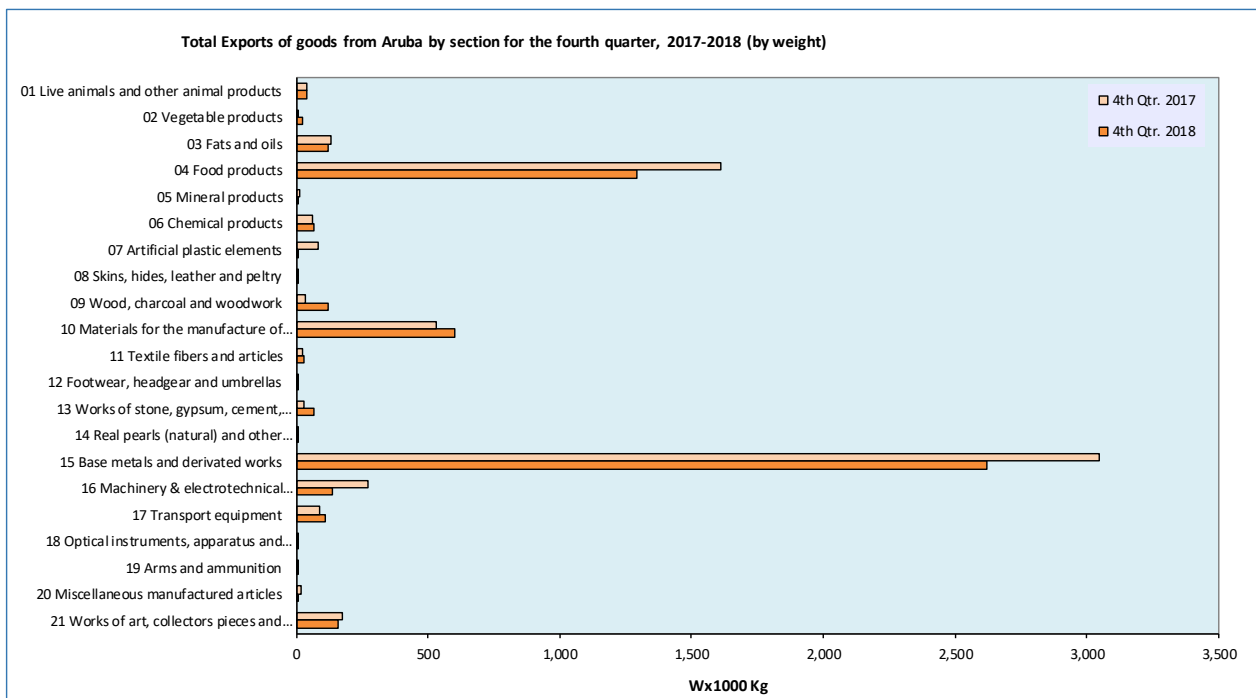
Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



## 1.e.2. Exports of goods from Aruba by section for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)					
	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	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	42.8	0.2	43.0	39.4	0.5	39.9
02 Vegetable products	6.6		6.6	25.7		25.7
03 Fats and oils	132.4	2.2	134.5	119.6		119.6
04 Food products	444.4	1,165.9	1,610.3	410.2	880.2	1,290.5
05 Mineral products	15.9		15.9	5.2		5.2
06 Chemical products	57.3	4.5	61.8	64.8		64.8
07 Artificial plastic elements	80.4	0.8	81.2	5.3		5.3
08 Skins, hides, leather and peltry	1.6	2.5	4.1	1.1		1.1
09 Wood, charcoal and woodwork	37.1		37.1	123.2		123.2
10 Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork	528.5	1.9	530.4	602.7	0.2	602.8
11 Textile fibers and articles	22.8	0.0	22.9	31.7		31.7
12 Footwear, headgear and umbrellas	6.2	1.7	8.0	1.0		1.0
13 Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos	27.3		27.3	64.9		64.9
14 Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones	0.6	1.3	1.8	0.6		0.6
15 Base metals and derived works	2,220.6	825.1	3,045.6	2,621.7		2,621.7
16 Machinery & electrotechnical equipment (new & renewed)	274.4	0.0	274.4	137.4	0.0	137.4
17 Transport equipment	90.3		90.3	110.5		110.5
18 Optical instruments, apparatus and equipment	4.8		4.8	2.0		2.0
19 Arms and ammunition	4.2		4.2	0.0		0.0
20 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	16.6	0.3	16.9	9.4	0.5	10.0
21 Works of art, collectors pieces and antiques	177.2		177.2	158.8		158.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,191.8</b>	<b>2,006.3</b>	<b>6,198.1</b>	<b>4,535.1</b>	<b>881.4</b>	<b>5,416.6</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



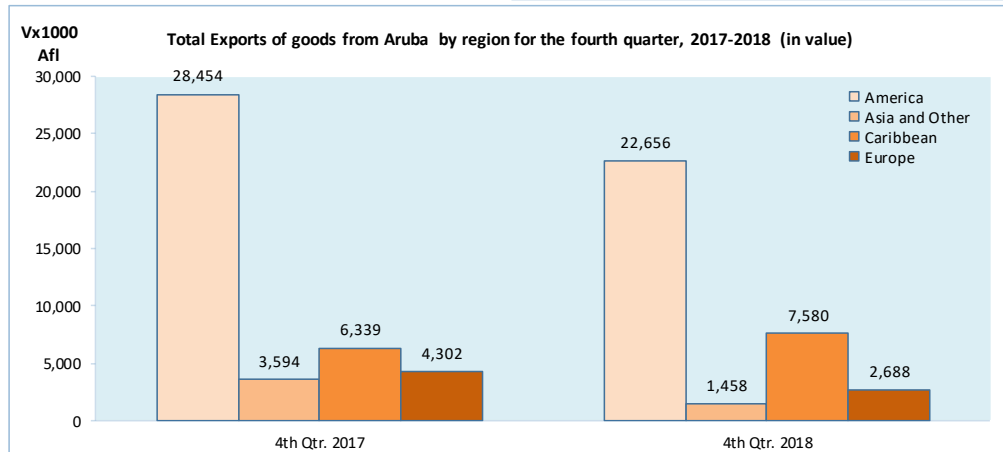
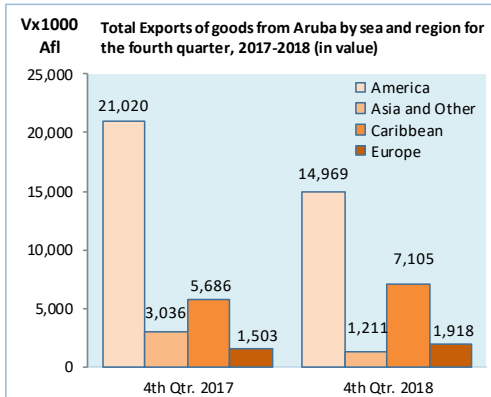
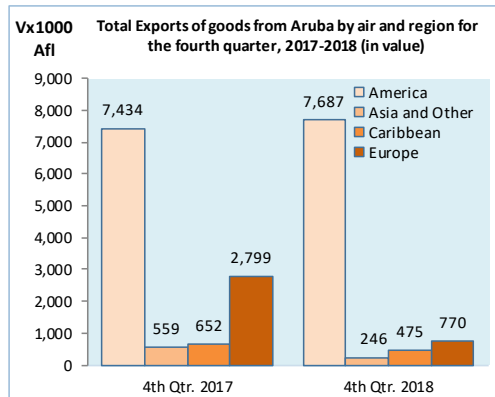
## 1.f. Export tables by type of transportation and region

### 1.f.1. Exports of goods from Aruba by type of transportation and region for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value)

V x1000 Afl. (in value)

	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
<b>Air</b>						
America	7,433.9		7,433.9	7,687.4		7,687.4
Asia and Other	558.7		558.7	246.0		246.0
Caribbean	652.4		652.4	475.1		475.1
Europe	2,799.1		2,799.1	770.0		770.0
<b>Total Air</b>	<b>11,444.2</b>		<b>11,444.2</b>	<b>9,178.6</b>		<b>9,178.6</b>
<b>Sea</b>						
America	2,691.9	18,328.1	21,020.0	2,713.3	12,255.7	14,969.1
Asia and Other	1,595.7	1,440.0	3,035.7	1,211.5		1,211.5
Caribbean	2,224.6	3,461.8	5,686.3	2,221.1	4,883.5	7,104.6
Europe	534.8	967.8	1,502.6	1,907.4	11.0	1,918.4
<b>Total Sea</b>	<b>7,047.0</b>	<b>24,197.6</b>	<b>31,244.6</b>	<b>8,053.3</b>	<b>17,150.3</b>	<b>25,203.6</b>
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>						
America	10,125.9	18,328.1	28,453.9	10,400.7	12,255.7	22,656.5
Asia and Other	2,154.4	1,440.0	3,594.4	1,457.5		1,457.5
Caribbean	2,877.0	3,461.8	6,338.8	2,696.2	4,883.5	7,579.7
Europe	3,333.9	967.8	4,301.7	2,677.4	11.0	2,688.4
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>	<b>18,491.2</b>	<b>24,197.6</b>	<b>42,688.8</b>	<b>17,231.9</b>	<b>17,150.3</b>	<b>34,382.2</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



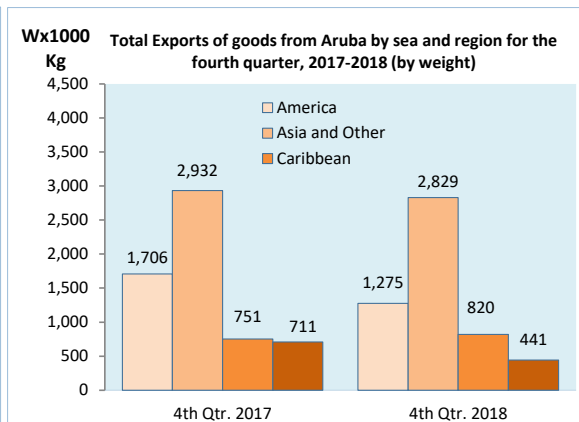
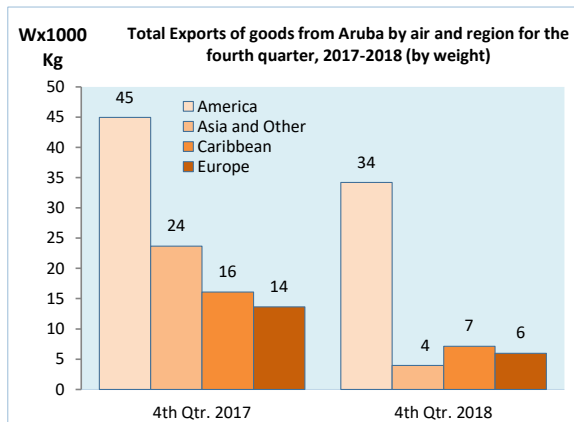


## 1.f.2. Exports of goods from Aruba by type of transportation and region for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (by weight)

W x1000 Kg. (by weight)

	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
<b>Air</b>						
America	45.0		45.0	34.2		34.2
Asia and Other	23.7		23.7	3.9		3.9
Caribbean	16.1		16.1	7.1		7.1
Europe	13.6		13.6	6.0		6.0
<b>Total Air</b>	<b>98.4</b>		<b>98.4</b>	<b>51.2</b>		<b>51.2</b>
<b>Sea</b>						
America	620.3	1,085.9	1,706.2	620.3	655.0	1,275.3
Asia and Other	2,452.0	480.0	2,932.0	2,829.0		2,829.0
Caribbean	612.6	138.0	750.7	593.6	226.3	819.8
Europe	408.4	302.3	710.8	441.1	0.2	441.3
<b>Total Sea</b>	<b>4,093.4</b>	<b>2,006.3</b>	<b>6,099.7</b>	<b>4,483.9</b>	<b>881.4</b>	<b>5,365.3</b>
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>						
America	665.3	1,085.9	1,751.2	654.5	655.0	1,309.5
Asia and Other	2,475.7	480.0	2,955.7	2,832.9		2,832.9
Caribbean	628.7	138.0	766.8	600.7	226.3	826.9
Europe	422.1	302.3	724.4	447.1	0.2	447.3
<b>Total Air and Sea</b>	<b>4,191.8</b>	<b>2,006.3</b>	<b>6,198.1</b>	<b>4,535.1</b>	<b>881.4</b>	<b>5,416.6</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



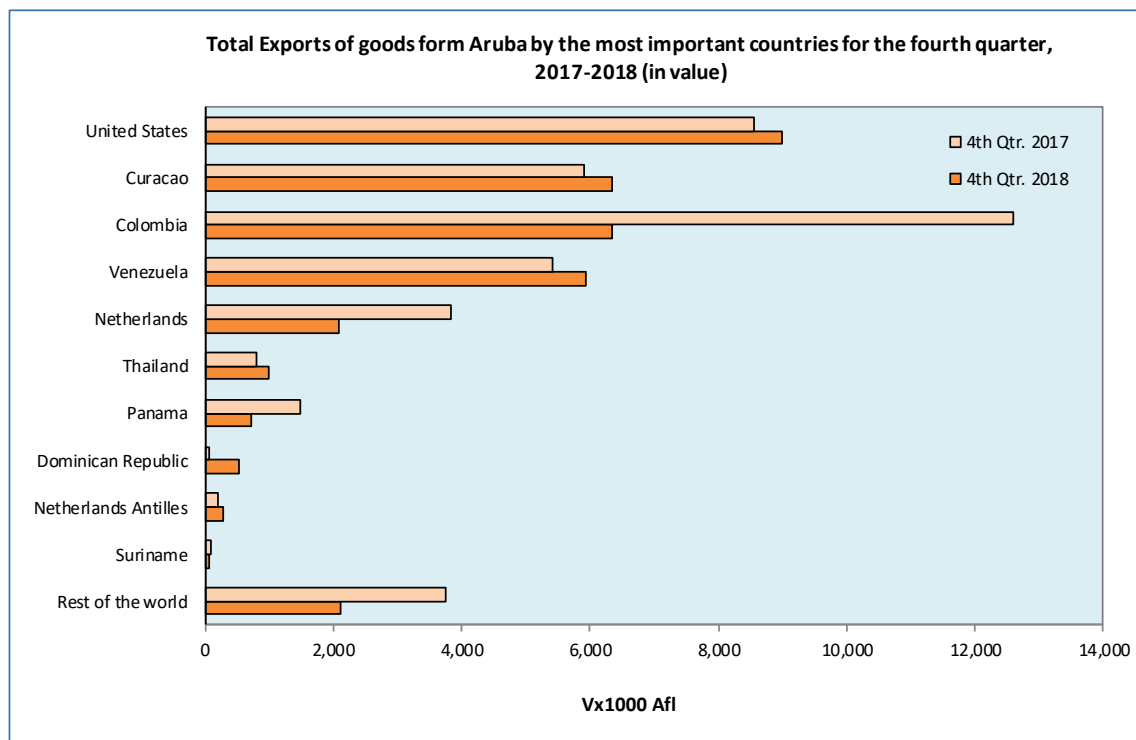
## 1.g. Export tables by section and country

1.g.1. Exports of goods from Aruba by the most important countries for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (in value)

V x1000 Afl. (in value)

	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
United States	8,213.5	354.2	8,567.7	8,967.5	33.5	9,001.0
Curacao	2,440.4	3,461.8	5,902.2	1,462.9	4,883.5	6,346.4
Colombia	105.2	12,485.6	12,590.8	118.0	6,227.4	6,345.5
Venezuela	490.2	4,933.0	5,423.2	413.7	5,521.1	5,934.7
Netherlands	2,855.2	967.8	3,822.9	2,073.0		2,073.0
Thailand	788.7		788.7	981.3		981.3
Panama	1,107.3	378.5	1,485.8	716.0	2.2	718.2
Dominican Republic	68.2		68.2	534.4		534.4
Netherlands Antille	205.3		205.3	271.5		271.5
Suriname	15.3	73.1	88.3	65.4		65.4
Rest of the world	2,202.0	1,543.8	3,745.7	1,628.2	482.5	2,110.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,491.2</b>	<b>24,197.6</b>	<b>42,688.8</b>	<b>17,231.9</b>	<b>17,150.3</b>	<b>34,382.2</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

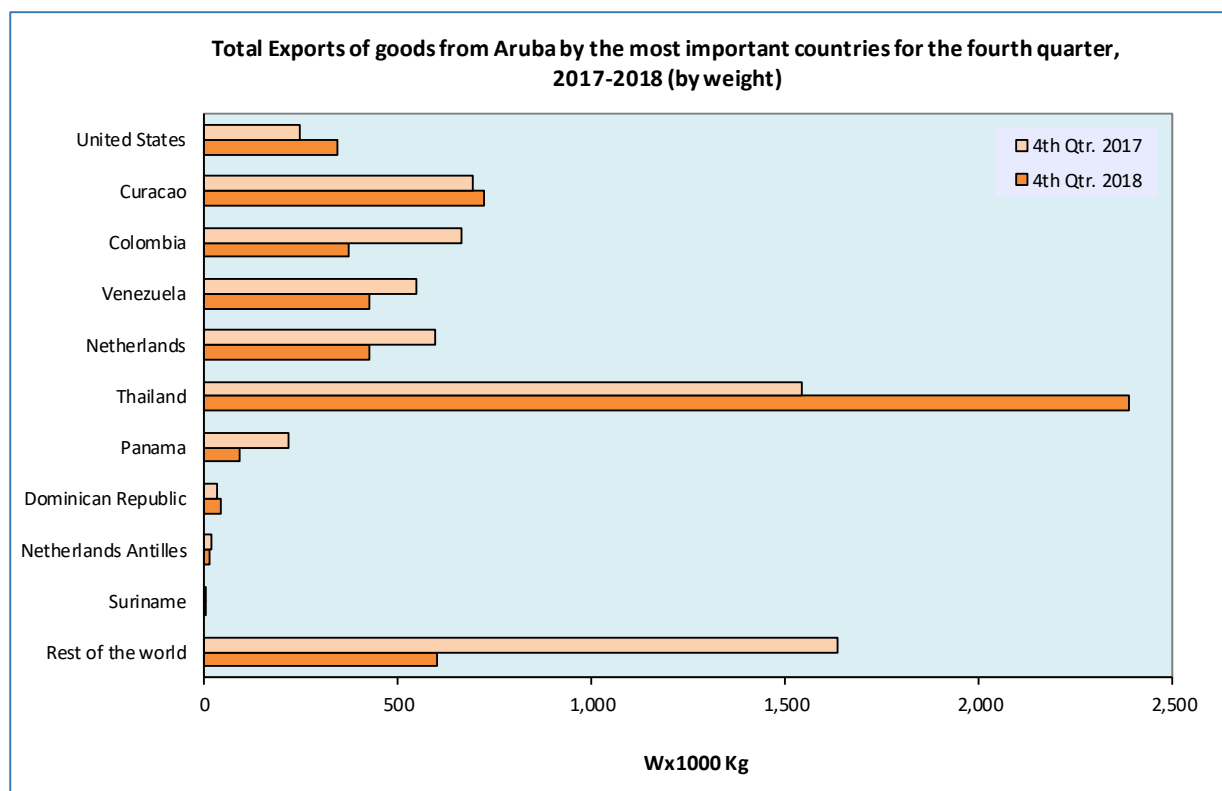


**1.g.2. Exports of goods from Aruba by the most important countries for the fourth quarter, 2017-2018 (by weight)**

W x1000 kg (by weight)

	4th Qtr. 2017			4th Qtr. 2018		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
United States	227.1	19.5	246.6	341.6	0.5	342.1
Curacao	553.8	138.0	691.8	494.2	226.3	720.5
Colombia	42.5	622.5	665.0	43.2	329.6	372.7
Venezuela	183.2	364.7	547.9	130.9	293.6	424.5
Netherlands	292.0	302.3	594.3	426.7		426.7
Thailand	1,543.1		1,543.1	2,385.0		2,385.0
Panama	191.2	24.1	215.3	88.6	0.0	88.6
Dominican Republic	33.2		33.2	43.4		43.4
Netherlands Antille	19.2		19.2	12.2		12.2
Suriname	0.1	5.1	5.2	1.7		1.7
Rest of the world	1,106.5	530.0	1,636.5	567.7	31.5	599.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,191.8</b>	<b>2,006.3</b>	<b>6,198.1</b>	<b>4,535.1</b>	<b>881.4</b>	<b>5,416.6</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



1.g.3. Exports of goods from Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (in value)

V x1000 Afl. (in value)										
Export from Aruba										
	United States	Netherlands	Curacao	Thailand	Panama	Dominican Republic	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Rest of the world	Export from Aruba
01	1.7		5.0			47.0	18.5		314.0	386.2
02	17.9		4.3				5.4	0.4	1.1	29.0
03		97.2					2.6		5.4	105.1
04	48.5	0.0	473.8		62.0	0.3	18.9	0.5	233.4	837.2
05	0.9	0.1			0.0	0.0	16.7		87.1	104.9
06	1,308.2	1,365.4	91.4		0.0	0.1	21.3	21.9	14.2	2,822.6
07	20.3	6.9	96.3	9.0			42.2	0.6	90.8	266.0
08	15.9		273.5			1.0	3.2		4.6	298.1
09	31.4					0.1			0.1	31.5
10	144.3		21.7	44.8		0.0	1.7	0.1	109.2	321.8
11	127.9		3.3		1.9	4.9	19.9	0.8	64.5	223.2
12	3.1		0.1			0.0	4.0	0.1	104.8	112.0
13	2.5		24.2			0.1	0.1	4.2	4.1	35.3
14	3,611.0									3,611.0
15	531.9	108.8	960.1	735.0		7.3	17.3	55.8	765.2	3,181.3
16	714.5	79.6	75.5		401.5	5.0	255.6	90.1	264.0	1,885.7
17	91.2	29.2	280.3			0.1	41.0	23.2	16.0	480.9
18	977.3	1,019.5	38.6		1.4		0.4	0.8	196.3	2,234.4
19		14.8							6.0	20.8
20	459.6	1.0	3.4			2.3	12.9	5.6	7.4	492.3
21	105.4	132.6	89.1		640.6		8.6	1.1	34.5	1,011.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,213.5</b>	<b>2,855.2</b>	<b>2,440.4</b>	<b>788.7</b>	<b>1,107.3</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>490.2</b>	<b>205.3</b>	<b>2,322.5</b>	<b>18,491.2</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

1.g.4. Exports of goods from Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (in value)

V x1000 Afl. (in value)										
Export from Aruba										
	United States	Netherlands	Curacao	Thailand	Panama	Dominican Republic	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Rest of the world	Export from Aruba
01	2.5	0.0	26.5			0.1	110.4		54.7	194.3
02	26.0	11.6					53.3	3.1	2.3	96.3
03	2.0	52.2	0.0				0.2			54.5
04	50.3		471.1		8.0	0.2	106.4		1.0	637.0
05	3.5	0.0	0.3				0.3		23.3	27.4
06	1,307.5	186.3	282.2		0.8	0.1	0.5	22.2	126.5	1,926.1
07	8.7	0.0	23.5		6.8	0.0	8.1	4.7	3.1	54.9
08	41.1	0.4	0.5				0.5	0.5	197.6	240.5
09	68.2		11.3		0.1	0.1			0.8	80.6
10	190.6		4.1	43.8			0.8	1.6	13.1	253.9
11	100.7		6.6		4.3	3.7	14.5	2.7	62.0	194.5
12	27.9		4.5				0.3		154.6	187.2
13	2.2		9.5		0.2	0.1	0.0	2.2	43.8	57.9
14	4,389.2		24.6					0.4	17.8	4,432.0
15	120.4	837.4	354.7	937.5	194.5	7.8	0.4	61.1	302.9	2,816.7
16	693.8	12.1	72.0		96.9	1.2	20.2	30.1	219.4	1,145.7
17	281.8	183.6	94.1			134.3	3.7	0.2	311.8	1,009.5
18	1,421.2	221.5	50.7		0.8	1.2		0.7	210.6	1,906.6
19									4.2	4.2
20	48.8	76.0	2.4		1.3	28.5	1.7	137.8	4.9	301.5
21	181.0	491.8	24.2		402.4	357.1	92.2	4.4	57.4	1,610.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,967.5</b>	<b>2,073.0</b>	<b>1,462.9</b>	<b>981.3</b>	<b>716.0</b>	<b>534.4</b>	<b>413.7</b>	<b>271.5</b>	<b>1,811.6</b>	<b>17,231.9</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

1.g.5. Exports of goods from Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)									Export from Aruba
	Export from Aruba									
	United States	Netherlands	Curacao	Thailand	Panama	Dominican Republic	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Rest of the world	
01	0.1		0.1			16.1	1.8		24.7	42.8
02	5.2		0.5				0.3	0.0	0.5	6.6
03		86.2					0.7		45.4	132.4
04	5.0	0.0	417.5		1.5	0.4	17.4	0.5	2.2	444.4
05	0.1	0.1			0.0	0.0	2.7		13.0	15.9
06	29.7	11.0	2.1		0.0	0.2	11.6	2.4	0.2	57.3
07	0.2	0.5	9.3	0.1			23.7	0.2	46.3	80.4
08	0.1		1.1			0.3	0.0		0.1	1.6
09	36.9					0.2			0.0	37.1
10	2.5		0.7	343.0		0.1	0.4	0.0	181.8	528.5
11	0.9		0.0		0.2	4.6	9.6	0.1	7.4	22.8
12	0.0		0.0			0.0	5.9	0.0	0.3	6.2
13	0.1		25.5			0.1	0.1	0.9	0.7	27.3
14	0.6									0.6
15	92.4	176.0	33.7	1,200.0		6.4	12.6	7.2	692.3	2,220.6
16	36.2	0.2	6.3		40.6	3.1	62.7	3.6	121.6	274.4
17	11.2	1.9	48.6			0.1	21.1	3.4	4.1	90.3
18	0.7	3.6	0.2		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.2	4.8
19		0.0							4.2	4.2
20	1.0	0.0	0.8			1.8	11.6	0.3	1.1	16.6
21	4.4	12.4	7.3		148.8		1.2	0.6	2.6	177.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>227.1</b>	<b>292.0</b>	<b>553.8</b>	<b>1,543.1</b>	<b>191.2</b>	<b>33.2</b>	<b>183.2</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>1,149.1</b>	<b>4,191.8</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

1.g.6. Exports of goods from Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)									Export from Aruba
	Export from Aruba									
	United States	Netherlands	Curacao	Thailand	Panama	Dominican Republic	Venezuela	Netherlands Antilles	Rest of the world	
01	0.9	0.0	7.6			0.2	25.3		5.3	39.4
02	3.8	0.5					20.8	0.2	0.4	25.7
03	21.0	98.6	0.0				0.0			119.6
04	5.5		360.2		1.9	0.2	42.2		0.3	410.2
05	0.8	0.0	0.1				0.1		4.2	5.2
06	57.3	3.8	2.3		0.1	0.1	0.0	0.7	0.5	64.8
07	0.4	0.0	1.5		0.7	0.1	2.1	0.1	0.4	5.3
08	0.9	0.0	0.0				0.0	0.0	0.2	1.1
09	118.2		4.4		0.4	0.1			0.0	123.2
10	2.2		0.2	510.0			0.1	0.0	90.2	602.7
11	1.2		1.8		1.7	3.4	13.7	0.1	10.0	31.7
12	0.6		0.1				0.1		0.3	1.0
13	0.0		39.7		0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	25.0	64.9
14	0.6		0.0					0.1	0.0	0.6
15	18.1	276.3	50.7	1,875.0	22.9	3.4	0.2	8.5	366.7	2,621.7
16	52.4	0.8	4.1		0.6	1.2	10.1	0.7	67.6	137.4
17	38.4	8.5	18.2			12.7	1.4	0.0	31.2	110.5
18	1.7	0.2	0.0		0.0	0.0		0.0	0.1	2.0
19									0.0	0.0
20	0.9	3.0	0.3		0.2	2.1	0.5	1.5	0.9	9.4
21	16.8	34.9	3.2		60.0	19.9	14.4	0.4	9.2	158.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>341.6</b>	<b>426.7</b>	<b>494.2</b>	<b>2,385.0</b>	<b>88.6</b>	<b>43.4</b>	<b>130.9</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>612.6</b>	<b>4,535.1</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

1.g.7. Exports of goods from Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (in value)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)							Export from Free Zone Aruba
	Export from Free Zone Aruba							
	Colombia	Venezuela	Curacao	Uruguay	United States	Panama	Rest of the world	
01	1.6		0.6					2.2
02								
03	13.1	0.9						13.9
04	12,469.7	4,891.1	3,407.4		354.2	378.5	178.2	21,679.0
05								
06		13.2						13.2
07		1.6						1.6
08		18.6	1.6				0.2	20.4
09								
10		3.1						3.1
11			0.3				1.2	1.6
12			51.5				6.2	57.7
13								
14		3.1						3.1
15		0.6					2,398.8	2,399.4
16		0.5						0.5
17								
18								
19								
20	1.3	0.4	0.4					2.1
21								
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,485.6</b>	<b>4,933.0</b>	<b>3,461.8</b>		<b>354.2</b>	<b>378.5</b>	<b>2,584.6</b>	<b>24,197.6</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

1.g.8. Exports of goods from Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (in value)

	V x1000 Afl. (in value)							Export from Free Zone Aruba
	Export from Free Zone Aruba							
	Colombia	Venezuela	Curacao	Uruguay	United States	Panama	Rest of the world	
01	7.0							7.0
02								
03								
04	6,218.5	5,520.6	4,881.6	471.5	33.5	2.2		17,127.9
05								
06								
07								
08								
09								
10							11.1	11.1
11								
12								
13								
14								
15								
16			0.9					0.9
17								
18								
19								
20	1.9	0.5	1.0					3.4
21								
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,227.4</b>	<b>5,521.1</b>	<b>4,883.5</b>	<b>471.5</b>	<b>33.5</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>17,150.3</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

1.g.9. Exports of goods from Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2017 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)							Export from Free Zone Aruba
	Colombia	Venezuela	Curacao	Uruguay	United States	Panama	Rest of the world	
01	0.1		0.0					0.2
02								
03	2.0	0.1						2.2
04	620.1	353.6	136.4		19.5	24.1	12.2	1,165.9
05								
06		4.5						4.5
07		0.8						0.8
08		2.5	0.0				0.0	2.5
09								
10		1.9						1.9
11			0.0				0.0	0.0
12			1.5				0.2	1.7
13								
14		1.3						1.3
15		0.1					825.0	825.1
16		0.0						0.0
17								
18								
19								
20	0.2	0.0	0.1					0.3
21								
<b>Total</b>	<b>622.5</b>	<b>364.7</b>	<b>138.0</b>		<b>19.5</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>837.5</b>	<b>2,006.3</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

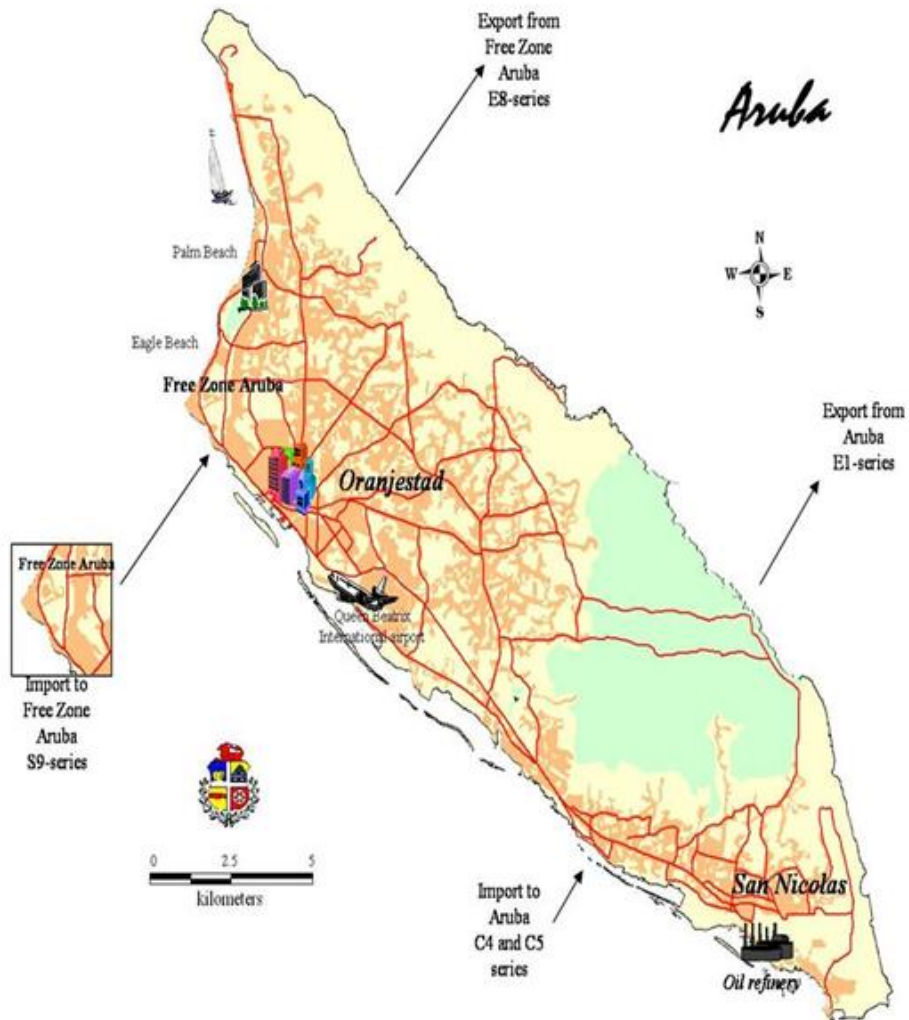
1.g.10. Exports of goods from Free Zone Aruba by the most important countries by section for the fourth quarter, 2018 (by weight)

	W x1000 kg (by weight)							Export from Free Zone Aruba
	Colombia	Venezuela	Curacao	Uruguay	United States	Panama	Rest of the world	
01	0.5							0.5
02								
03								
04	328.8	293.5	226.1	31.3	0.5	0.0		880.2
05								
06								
07								
08								
09								
10							0.2	0.2
11								
12								
13								
14								
15								
16			0.0					0.0
17								
18								
19								
20	0.3	0.1	0.2					0.5
21								
<b>Total</b>	<b>329.6</b>	<b>293.6</b>	<b>226.3</b>	<b>31.3</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>881.4</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba



# Imports to Aruba and Free Zone Aruba & Exports from Aruba and Free Zone Aruba



## II. Explanatory Notes

### 1. Trade Data

The collection of data through Customs administration conform ASYCUDA is a computerized customs management system which covers most foreign trade procedures. The system handles manifests and customs declarations, accounting procedures, and warehousing manifest and suspense procedures. The program registers approximately 10.000 documents per month. In order to report findings on a timely basis, the CBS publishes preliminary quarterly data. The revised data will be published 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.<sup>1</sup>

There are two types of movements at the free zone: S9 for goods that arrive from abroad and are stored and E4 for goods exported from Aruba into the free zone. These goods leave the free zone 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 Governor 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. Since the introduction of the Harmonized system codification, in 2009, it has become possible to publish part of the mineral fuels (category 27) import and export. Import of Crude oil and butane is excluded from the trade elements of mineral fuels. The export of crude oil, kerosene, gasoline, gas, propane and butane is also excluded from the trade elements of mineral fuels. Before 2009, all mineral fuels were excluded.

### 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 final destination known at the time of dispatching the goods. The tables by country show the most important countries of the trade value by section for each transaction type for the current quarter. These top countries represent the total transactions by Section.

### 4. Commodity and Country classification

The Harmonized System for Aruba covers 5914 eight-digit commodity codes. The first two digits of the code are universally recognized 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) and quantities are expressed as net weight in thousands of kilos (Wx1000 kg). Blanks on values or quantities indicate that there was no transaction for that commodity code.

### 6. Tables

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

### 7. Large companies

Large companies refers to the following companies: Valero, Arugas, Web, Elmar and Setar

### 8. Air-transport

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

<sup>1</sup> Total Imports and Total Exports include all goods entering or leaving the economic territory of Aruba, respectively. The economic territory of Aruba comprises Aruba (the free circulation area) and the Free Zone Aruba. This is consistent with the General Trade System.

**Annex III: Harmonized Commodity Group Codes  
Classification by Sections and Categories**

<b>01. Live animals and other animal products</b>	08.43 Fur and imitation-fur
01.01 Live animals	
01.02 Meat	<b>09. Wood, charcoal and woodwork</b>
01.03 Fish and seafood	09.44 Wood
01.04 Dairy products	09.45 Cork
01.05 Animals other	09.46 Wattle work and basketwork
<b>02. Vegetable products</b>	<b>10. Materials for the manufacture of paper, paperwork</b>
02.06 Live plants	10.47 Materials for the manufacture of paper
02.07 Vegetables	10.48 Paper and cardboard
02.08 Fruit	10.49 Bookstore articles and graphic art
02.09 Coffee and tea, mate and spices product	<b>11. Textile fibers and articles</b>
02.10 Grains	11.50 Silk
02.11 Flour	11.51 Wool, yarn, textile and crin
02.12 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	11.52 Cotton
02.13 Vegetable substances	11.53 Other vegetable textile fibers
02.14 Other food product	11.54 Synthetic fiber
<b>03. Fats and oils</b>	11.55 Synthetic staple fiber
03.15 Fats and oils	11.56 Wadding and felt, rope as well as work thereof
<b>04. Food products</b>	11.57 Carpet
04.16 Meat and fish preparations	11.58 Special textile tufted and embroidery
04.17 Sugar	11.59 Textile, technical articles of textile
04.18 Cocoa	11.60 Knitted and crocheted fabrics
04.19 Cereal preparations	11.61 Clothing of knitted and crocheted fabric
04.20 Vegetable preparations	11.62 Other clothing
04.21 Other food products	11.63 Rags
04.22 Beverages	<b>12. Footwear, headgear and umbrellas</b>
04.23 Feeding stuff for animals	12.64 Footwear
04.24 Tobacco	12.65 Headgear
<b>05. Mineral products</b>	12.66 Umbrella's and walking-stick
05.25 Salt, sand stone and cement	12.67 Feather, fluff and artificial flowers
05.26 Metal-ore	<b>13. Works of stone, gypsum, cement, asbestos</b>
05.27 Petrochemical products	13.68 Works of stone, gypsum and cement
<b>06. Chemical products</b>	13.69 Ceramic products
06.28 Inorganic chemical products	13.70 Glass and glassware
06.29 Organic chemical products	<b>14. Real pearls (natural) and other precious stones</b>
06.30 Pharmaceutical products	14.71 Pearls, precious stones and coins
06.31 Fertilizers	<b>15. Base metals and derivate works</b>
06.32 Paint, varnish and ink	15.72 Cast iron, iron and steel
06.33 Perfumery and cosmetic preparations	15.73 Works of cast iron, iron and steel
06.34 Soap	15.74 Copper
06.35 Albumen and glue	15.75 Nickel
06.36 Gunpowder and explosives	15.76 Aluminum
06.37 Photographic equipment and supplies	15.77 Magnesium and beryllium
06.38 Various chemistry	15.78 Lead
<b>07. Artificial plastic elements</b>	15.79 Zinc
07.39 Plastic materials and (synthetic) resin	15.80 Tin
07.40 Rubber	15.81 Other base metals
<b>08. Skins, hides, leather and peltry</b>	15.82 Tools, utensils, cutlery and crockery
08.41 Hides, skins and leather	15.83 Works of base metals
08.42 Leather goods and traveling articles	

**Harmonized Commodity Group Codes  
Classification by Sections and Categories**

**16. Machinery and (electro technical) equipment  
(new & renewed)**

- 16.84 Reactors, 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. Miscellaneous manufactured articles**

- 20.94 Furniture, articles for lighting and construction work
- 20.95 Toys, games and sports requisites; parts and accessories thereof
- 20.96 Miscellaneous manufactured articles

**21. Works of art, collectors pieces and antiques**

- 21.97 Works of art, collectors' pieces & antiques
- 21.99 Furniture to be removed

## Annex IV: Total Import<sup>1)</sup> of goods to Aruba, 2008-2018<sup>2)</sup>, in value and by weight

		V x1000 Afl. (in value)			W x1000 kg (by weight)		
Year		Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import	Import to Aruba	Import to Free Zone Aruba	Total Import
1st Qtr.	2008	484,993	38,009	523,002	158,419	2,878	161,297
2nd Qtr.	2008	398,539	32,041	430,580	141,548	3,186	144,735
3rd Qtr.	2008	490,990	50,750	541,740	147,954	4,371	152,325
4th Qtr.	2008	516,644	18,367	535,012	142,200	2,765	144,965
	<b>Year 2008</b>	<b>1,891,166</b>	<b>139,167</b>	<b>2,030,333</b>	<b>590,122</b>	<b>13,200</b>	<b>603,321</b>
1st Qtr.	2009	480,366	33,881	514,247	164,139	4,288	168,427
2nd Qtr.	2009	402,377	49,552	451,929	253,741	11,030	264,770
3rd Qtr.	2009	517,875	40,590	558,465	141,260	5,429	146,689
4th Qtr.	2009	478,512	50,297	528,809	167,267	4,019	171,286
	<b>Year 2009</b>	<b>1,879,130</b>	<b>174,320</b>	<b>2,053,450</b>	<b>726,408</b>	<b>24,765</b>	<b>751,173</b>
1st Qtr.	2010	384,966	53,692	438,658	148,906	3,872	152,778
2nd Qtr.	2010	392,163	51,001	443,164	122,510	2,946	125,455
3rd Qtr.	2010	415,999	29,384	445,383	149,881	1,588	151,469
4th Qtr.	2010	532,494	53,733	586,227	96,181	3,028	99,209
	<b>Year 2010</b>	<b>1,725,622</b>	<b>187,809</b>	<b>1,913,432</b>	<b>517,477</b>	<b>11,434</b>	<b>528,911</b>
1st Qtr.	2011	527,509	41,512	569,020	92,042	2,007	94,049
2nd Qtr.	2011	470,693	58,887	529,580	87,607	2,894	90,500
3rd Qtr.	2011	505,717	48,927	554,644	96,446	2,486	98,932
4th Qtr.	2011	601,084	41,684	642,769	449,365	2,488	451,853
	<b>Year 2011</b>	<b>2,105,003</b>	<b>191,010</b>	<b>2,296,013</b>	<b>725,459</b>	<b>9,875</b>	<b>735,335</b>
1st Qtr.	2012	483,488	50,184	533,672	125,888	2,655	128,544
2nd Qtr.	2012	463,292	58,063	521,355	189,102	2,681	191,783
3rd Qtr.	2012	483,627	69,502	553,129	146,237	3,442	149,679
4th Qtr.	2012	586,021	56,681	642,702	276,727	2,827	279,554
	<b>Year 2012</b>	<b>2,016,428</b>	<b>234,430</b>	<b>2,250,858</b>	<b>737,954</b>	<b>11,605</b>	<b>749,560</b>
1st Qtr.	2013	487,526	64,848	552,374	184,252	3,486	187,738
2nd Qtr.	2013	480,580	87,019	567,599	120,818	4,187	125,005
3rd Qtr.	2013	511,326	34,075	545,401	232,833	2,230	235,062
4th Qtr.	2013	603,171	63,770	666,941	185,959	3,157	189,116
	<b>Year 2013</b>	<b>2,082,604</b>	<b>249,711</b>	<b>2,332,314</b>	<b>723,861</b>	<b>13,059</b>	<b>736,921</b>
1st Qtr.	2014	482,261	48,378	530,639	195,550	2,381	197,931
2nd Qtr.	2014	472,825	45,150	517,976	178,360	1,911	180,271
3rd Qtr.	2014	536,528	28,563	565,091	163,202	1,095	164,297
4th Qtr.	2014	615,543	28,935	644,478	181,146	1,520	182,666
	<b>Year 2014</b>	<b>2,107,158</b>	<b>151,026</b>	<b>2,258,184</b>	<b>718,258</b>	<b>6,907</b>	<b>725,165</b>
1st Qtr.	2015	466,470	47,474	513,943	124,474	1,756	126,230
2nd Qtr.	2015	466,624	18,329	484,953	134,478	1,090	135,568
3rd Qtr.	2015	493,251	35,988	529,239	167,812	1,398	169,210
4th Qtr.	2015	541,099	17,170	558,269	133,817	1,270	135,087
	<b>Year 2015</b>	<b>1,967,443</b>	<b>118,960</b>	<b>2,086,404</b>	<b>560,581</b>	<b>5,513</b>	<b>566,094</b>
1st Qtr.	2016	448,478	11,929	460,407	158,622	1,136	159,757
2nd Qtr.	2016	451,779	17,346	469,126	149,183	1,611	150,794
3rd Qtr.	2016	480,269	25,143	505,412	125,246	2,349	127,596
4th Qtr.	2016	562,269	25,762	588,031	160,355	2,331	162,686
	<b>Year 2016</b>	<b>1,942,796</b>	<b>80,181</b>	<b>2,022,977</b>	<b>593,406</b>	<b>7,426</b>	<b>600,832</b>
1st Qtr.	2017	480,772	22,938	503,710	150,221	1,749	151,970
2nd Qtr.	2017	480,778	19,761	500,539	149,832	1,647	151,479
3rd Qtr.	2017	481,762	19,224	500,986	158,373	1,791	160,164
4th Qtr.	2017	602,668	19,856	622,525	173,191	1,741	174,931
	<b>Year 2017</b>	<b>2,045,980</b>	<b>81,780</b>	<b>2,127,760</b>	<b>631,617</b>	<b>6,927</b>	<b>638,544</b>
1st Qtr.	2018	525,680	9,034	534,714	144,606	461	145,067
2nd Qtr.	2018	527,521	13,739	541,260	146,199	673	146,872
3rd Qtr.	2018	544,458	7,471	551,929	157,424	337	157,761
4th Qtr.	2018	580,614	16,316	596,931	146,737	1,159	147,896
	<b>Year 2018</b>	<b>2,178,273</b>	<b>46,560</b>	<b>2,224,834</b>	<b>594,966</b>	<b>2,630</b>	<b>597,596</b>

Source: Central Bureau of Statistics Aruba

Afl. 1.00=\$0.558

<sup>1)</sup> Import according to General Trade System, <sup>2)</sup> years 2000-2008 excluding mineral fuels.

<sup>1)</sup> Import according to General Trade System, <sup>2)</sup> years 2009-2018 excluding crude oil & butane.

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Due to lack of information, the weight and value of some components of mineral products are derived from the actual amount of excises and import duties paid and an extrapolated average estimate based on past actual outcomes (since 4th Qtr. 2016)

## Annex V: Total Export<sup>1)</sup> of goods from Aruba, 2008-2018<sup>2)</sup>, in value and by weight

Year	V x1000 Afl. (in value)			W x1000 kg (by weight)		
	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export	Export from Aruba	Export from Free Zone Aruba	Total Export
1st Qtr. 2008	9,756	23,057	32,814	2,196	1,381	3,578
2nd Qtr. 2008	21,311	28,366	49,677	6,163	3,223	9,386
3rd Qtr. 2008	16,467	35,637	52,103	4,275	4,389	8,664
4th Qtr. 2008	7,148	37,031	44,180	1,837	2,723	4,560
<b>Year 2008</b>	<b>54,683</b>	<b>124,091</b>	<b>178,774</b>	<b>14,471</b>	<b>11,716</b>	<b>26,187</b>
1st Qtr. 2009	10,875	23,182	34,056	3,350	3,104	6,454
2nd Qtr. 2009	14,086	37,332	51,418	2,808	10,459	13,266
3rd Qtr. 2009	14,856	59,575	74,430	2,750	6,368	9,118
4th Qtr. 2009	11,826	70,418	82,245	3,189	4,940	8,129
<b>Year 2009</b>	<b>51,643</b>	<b>190,506</b>	<b>242,150</b>	<b>12,096</b>	<b>24,871</b>	<b>36,967</b>
1st Qtr. 2010	10,423	40,420	50,842	3,260	3,105	6,364
2nd Qtr. 2010	10,873	47,080	57,953	3,235	3,186	6,421
3rd Qtr. 2010	12,673	38,055	50,728	3,531	2,180	5,710
4th Qtr. 2010	8,068	55,467	63,535	3,898	2,496	6,394
<b>Year 2010</b>	<b>42,037</b>	<b>181,021</b>	<b>223,058</b>	<b>13,924</b>	<b>10,966</b>	<b>24,890</b>
1st Qtr. 2011	7,813	51,636	59,449	2,729	3,812	6,541
2nd Qtr. 2011	22,666	62,846	85,512	4,324	4,685	9,009
3rd Qtr. 2011	15,291	48,630	63,921	3,835	3,605	7,440
4th Qtr. 2011	15,593	46,300	61,892	4,011	3,648	7,659
<b>Year 2011</b>	<b>61,361</b>	<b>209,412</b>	<b>270,774</b>	<b>14,899</b>	<b>15,751</b>	<b>30,650</b>
1st Qtr. 2012	15,684	52,028	67,712	4,465	4,061	8,526
2nd Qtr. 2012	19,038	46,165	65,203	3,798	3,213	7,011
3rd Qtr. 2012	18,223	63,471	81,694	4,267	4,633	8,900
4th Qtr. 2012	26,622	68,292	94,913	7,411	4,890	12,301
<b>Year 2012</b>	<b>79,567</b>	<b>229,956</b>	<b>309,522</b>	<b>19,941</b>	<b>16,796</b>	<b>36,738</b>
1st Qtr. 2013	24,602	47,739	72,341	5,950	4,403	10,352
2nd Qtr. 2013	19,924	55,797	75,721	4,098	4,201	8,299
3rd Qtr. 2013	16,108	59,731	75,839	3,913	4,464	8,376
4th Qtr. 2013	15,580	60,812	76,392	3,484	3,983	7,467
<b>Year 2013</b>	<b>76,213</b>	<b>224,080</b>	<b>300,293</b>	<b>17,445</b>	<b>17,051</b>	<b>34,495</b>
1st Qtr. 2014	10,880	20,383	31,262	2,662	2,337	4,999
2nd Qtr. 2014	18,425	44,994	63,418	4,973	1,621	6,594
3rd Qtr. 2014	18,418	24,731	43,149	5,588	1,376	6,964
4th Qtr. 2014	13,712	46,852	60,564	4,853	1,798	6,651
<b>Year 2014</b>	<b>61,435</b>	<b>136,959</b>	<b>198,394</b>	<b>18,076</b>	<b>7,131</b>	<b>25,207</b>
1st Qtr. 2015	12,575	21,681	34,256	2,799	1,239	4,038
2nd Qtr. 2015	15,414	20,097	35,510	2,669	1,023	3,691
3rd Qtr. 2015	16,140	20,293	36,433	4,648	1,040	5,688
4th Qtr. 2015	13,198	22,818	36,016	1,622	1,547	3,169
<b>Year 2015</b>	<b>57,327</b>	<b>84,888</b>	<b>142,215</b>	<b>11,737</b>	<b>4,849</b>	<b>16,587</b>
1st Qtr. 2016	14,826	19,189	34,015	2,244	1,452	3,696
2nd Qtr. 2016	27,959	17,433	45,392	4,175	1,450	5,625
3rd Qtr. 2016	20,380	19,882	40,262	6,936	1,847	8,783
4th Qtr. 2016	19,222	29,600	48,822	3,771	2,747	6,518
<b>Year 2016</b>	<b>82,387</b>	<b>86,103</b>	<b>168,490</b>	<b>17,126</b>	<b>7,496</b>	<b>24,622</b>
1st Qtr. 2017	18,547	15,798	34,345	4,498	1,501	5,999
2nd Qtr. 2017	24,840	16,344	41,184	4,046	1,606	5,652
3rd Qtr. 2017	23,376	17,858	41,234	5,435	1,831	7,266
4th Qtr. 2017	18,491	24,198	42,689	4,192	2,006	6,198
<b>Year 2017</b>	<b>85,254</b>	<b>74,198</b>	<b>159,452</b>	<b>18,171</b>	<b>6,945</b>	<b>25,115</b>
1st Qtr. 2018	21,121	9,911	31,032	3,840	647	4,487
2nd Qtr. 2018	16,625	12,782	29,407	4,078	737	4,815
3rd Qtr. 2018	20,336	9,718	30,055	4,142	517	4,659
4th Qtr. 2018	17,232	17,150	34,382	4,535	881	5,417
<b>Year 2018</b>	<b>75,314</b>	<b>49,561</b>	<b>124,875</b>	<b>16,595</b>	<b>2,783</b>	<b>19,377</b>

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Afl. 100=€0.558

<sup>1)</sup> Export according to General Trade System, <sup>2)</sup> years 2006-2008 excluding mineral fuels.

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