External Merchandise Trade Figures for January 2006 Monday, 27 February 2006

Table 1 title : External Merchandise Trade Figures for January 2006

Merchandise trade values for January 2006 Domestic exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 13131. Re-exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 176889. Total exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 190020. Imports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 185653. Merchandise trade balance January 2006 was HK\$ million +4367.

Current month compared with same month in the preceding year Domestic exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 13131. Domestic exports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 9742. Change in domestic exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was HK\$ million +3389. Percentage change in domestic exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +34.8%. Share of domestic exports to total exports for January 2006 was 6.9%. Share of domestic exports to total exports for January 2005 was 5.3%. Re-exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 176889. Re-exports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 172706. Change in re-exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was HK\$ million +4183. Percentage change in re-exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.4%. Total exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 190020. Total exports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 182448. Change in total exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was HK\$ million +7572. Percentage change in total exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +4.2%. Imports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 185653. Imports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 184492. Change in imports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was HK\$ million +1160. Percentage change in imports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +0.6%. Merchandise trade balance for January 2006 was HK\$ million +4367. Merchandise trade balance for January 2005 was HK\$ million -2044. Change in merchandise trade balance for January 2006 over January 2005 was HK\$ million +6412.

Current month compared with last month

Domestic exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 13131.

Domestic exports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 13992.

Change in domestic exports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was HK\$ million -861.

Percentage change in domestic exports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was -6.2%.

Share of domestic exports to total exports for January 2006 was 6.9%.

Share of domestic exports to total exports for December 2005 was 7.4%.

Re-exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 176889.

Re-exports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 174778.

Change in re-exports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was HK\$ million +2110.

Percentage change in re-exports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was +1.2%.

Total exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 190020.

Total exports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 188771.

Change in total exports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was HK\$ million +1249.

Percentage change in total exports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was +0.7%.

Imports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 185653.

Imports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 205628.

Change in imports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was HK\$ million -19975.

Percentage change in imports value for January 2006 over December 2005 was -9.7%.

Merchandise trade balance for January 2006 was HK\$ million +4367.

Merchandise trade balance for December 2005 was HK\$ million -16857.

Change in merchandise trade balance for January 2006 over December 2005 was HK\$ million +21225.

Latest 3 months compared with same period 12 months earlier

Domestic exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 41099.

Domestic exports value for November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 32319.

Change in domestic exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +8781.

Percentage change in domestic exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +27.2%.

Share of domestic exports to total exports for November 2005 to January 2006 was 7.1%.

Share of domestic exports to total exports for November 2004 to January 2005 was 6.0%.

Re-exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 537662.

Re-exports value for November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 506259.

Change in re-exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +31403.

Percentage change in re-exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +6.2.

Total exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 578762.

Total exports value for November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 538578.

Change in total exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +40183.

Percentage change in total exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +7.5%.

Imports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 595190.

Imports value for November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 549819.

Change in imports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +45371.

Percentage change in imports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +8.3%.

Merchandise trade balance for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million -16429.

Merchandise trade balance for November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million -11241.

Change in merchandise trade balance for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million -5188.

Last 12 months compared with same period 12 months earlier

Domestic exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 139419.

Domestic exports value for February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 127468.

Change in domestic exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +11951.

Percentage change in domestic exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was +9.4%.

Share of domestic exports to total exports for February 2005 to January 2006 was 6.2%.

Share of domestic exports to total exports for February 2004 to January 2005 was 6.2%.

Re-exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 2118326.

Re-exports value for February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 1938782.

Change in re-exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +179544.

Percentage change in re-exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was +9.3%.

Total exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 2257746.

Total exports value for February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 2066250.

Change in total exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +191495.

Percentage change in total exports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was +9.3%.

Imports value for February 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 2330629.

Imports value for February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million 2161143.

Change in imports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +169486.

Percentage change in imports value for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was +7.8%.

Merchandise trade balance for February 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million -72884.

Merchandise trade balance for February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million -94893.

Change in merchandise trade balance for February 2005 to January 2006 over February 2004 to January 2005 was HK\$ million +22009.

Note : Value of domestic exports and value of re-exports may not add up to the value of total exports due to rounding.

External Merchandise Trade Figures for January 2006 Monday, 27 February 2006

Table 2 title : Hong Kong's External Merchandise Trade Figures from January 2003 to January 2006

Domestic exports value for January 2003 was HK\$ million 9,575.5. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for January 2003 was -6.8%. Re-exports value for January 2003 was HK\$ million 125,452.3. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for January 2003 was +30.3%. Total exports value for January 2003 was HK\$ million 135,027.7. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for January 2003 was +26.7%. Imports value for January 2003 was HK\$ million 133,224.9. Year-on-year % change of imports value for January 2003 was +21.4%.

Domestic exports value for February 2003 was HK\$ million 7,102.7. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for February 2003 was -17.2%. Re-exports value for February 2003 was HK\$ million 98,044.8. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for February 2003 was +13.1%. Total exports value for February 2003 was HK\$ million 105,147.6. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for February 2003 was +10.4%. Imports value for February 2003 was HK\$ million 115,984.1. Year-on-year % change of imports value for February 2003 was +18.3%.

Domestic exports value for March 2003 was HK\$ million 9,284.1. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for March 2003 was -8.4%. Re-exports value for March 2003 was HK\$ million 133,803.1. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for March 2003 was +17.5%. Total exports value for March 2003 was HK\$ million 143,087.3. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for March 2003 was +15.4%. Imports value for March 2003 was HK\$ million 154,211.6. Year-on-year % change of imports value for March 2003 was +14.6%.

Domestic exports value for April 2003 was HK\$ million 8,414.3. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for April 2003 was -16.9%. Re-exports value for April 2003 was HK\$ million 125,731.7. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for April 2003 was +11.3%. Total exports value for April 2003 was HK\$ million 134,146.0. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for April 2003 was +9.0%. Imports value for April 2003 was HK\$ million 141,302.1. Year-on-year % change of imports value for April 2003 was +8.4%.

Domestic exports value for May 2003 was HK\$ million 9,877.6. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for May 2003 was -7.8%. Re-exports value for May 2003 was HK\$ million 133,144.0. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for May 2003 was +15.6%. Total exports value for May 2003 was HK\$ million 143,021.7. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for May 2003 was +13.6%. Imports value for May 2003 was HK\$ million 145,795.7. Year-on-year % change of imports value for May 2003 was +9.4%.

Domestic exports value for June 2003 was HK\$ million 10,289.0. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for June 2003 was -10.4%. Re-exports value for June 2003 was HK\$ million 132,054.2. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for June 2003 was +16.5%. Total exports value for June 2003 was HK\$ million 142,343.2. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for June 2003 was +14.0%. Imports value for June 2003 was HK\$ million 146,368.6. Year-on-year % change of imports value for June 2003 was +11.5%.

Domestic exports value for July 2003 was HK\$ million 12,249.7. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for July 2003 was -7.1%. Re-exports value for July 2003 was HK\$ million 145,324.6. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for July 2003 was +9.1%. Total exports value for July 2003 was HK\$ million 157,574.4. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for July 2003 was +7.6%. Imports value for July 2003 was HK\$ million 159,883.0. Year-on-year % change of imports value for July 2003 was +5.6%.

Domestic exports value for August 2003 was HK\$ million 11,791.4. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for August 2003 was -2.4%. Re-exports value for August 2003 was HK\$ million 139,379.4. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for August 2003 was +7.9%. Total exports value for August 2003 was HK\$ million 151,170.7. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for August 2003 was +7.0%. Imports value for August 2003 was HK\$ million 152,917.9. Year-on-year % change of imports value for August 2003 was +6.0%.

Domestic exports value for September 2003 was HK\$ million 11,082.9. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for September 2003 was -6.9%. Re-exports value for September 2003 was HK\$ million 146,434.8. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for September 2003 was +7.6%. Total exports value for September 2003 was HK\$ million 157,517.7. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for September 2003 was +6.4%. Imports value for September 2003 was HK\$ million 162,163.8. Year-on-year % change of imports value for September 2003 was +7.3%.

Domestic exports value for October 2003 was HK\$ million 10,791.3. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for October 2003 was -5.8%. Re-exports value for October 2003 was HK\$ million 153,961.3. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for October 2003 was +10.7%. Total exports value for October 2003 was HK\$ million 164,752.6. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for October 2003 was +9.4%. Imports value for October 2003 was HK\$ million 168,970.6. Year-on-year % change of imports value for October 2003 was +10.2%.

Domestic exports value for November 2003 was HK\$ million 9,793.5. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for November 2003 was -3.0%. Re-exports value for November 2003 was HK\$ million 143,980.4. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for November 2003 was +10.0%. Total exports value for November 2003 was HK\$ million 153,773.9. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for November 2003 was +9.0%. Imports value for November 2003 was HK\$ million 161,762.2. Year-on-year % change of imports value for November 2003 was +13.8%. Domestic exports value for December 2003 was HK\$ million 11,536.1. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for December 2003 was +3.6%. Re-exports value for December 2003 was HK\$ million 145,177.1. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for December 2003 was +16.9%. Total exports value for December 2003 was HK\$ million 156,713.2. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for December 2003 was +15.8%. Imports value for December 2003 was HK\$ million 168,167.6. Year-on-year % change of imports value for December 2003 was +17.9%.

Domestic exports value for January 2004 was HK\$ million 8,255.9. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for January 2004 was -13.8%. Re-exports value for January 2004 was HK\$ million 127,055.8. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for January 2004 was +1.3%. Total exports value for January 2004 was HK\$ million 135,311.7. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for January 2004 was +0.2%. Imports value for January 2004 was HK\$ million 134,472.5. Year-on-year % change of imports value for January 2004 was +0.9%.

Domestic exports value for February 2004 was HK\$ million 7,849.7. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for February 2004 was +10.5%. Re-exports value for February 2004 was HK\$ million 126,944.7. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for February 2004 was +29.5%. Total exports value for February 2004 was HK\$ million 134,794.4. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for February 2004 was +28.2%. Imports value for February 2004 was HK\$ million 154,645.8. Year-on-year % change of imports value for February 2004 was +33.3%.

Domestic exports value for March 2004 was HK\$ million 9,703.2. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for March 2004 was +4.5%. Re-exports value for March 2004 was HK\$ million 153,214.9. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for March 2004 was +14.5%. Total exports value for March 2004 was HK\$ million 162,918.2. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for March 2004 was +13.9%. Imports value for March 2004 was HK\$ million 177,986.8. Year-on-year % change of imports value for March 2004 was +15.4%.

Domestic exports value for April 2004 was HK\$ million 8,969.0. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for April 2004 was +6.6%. Re-exports value for April 2004 was HK\$ million 151,010.1. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for April 2004 was +20.1%. Total exports value for April 2004 was HK\$ million 159,979.1. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for April 2004 was +19.3%. Imports value for April 2004 was HK\$ million 175,993.1. Year-on-year % change of imports value for April 2004 was +24.6%.

Domestic exports value for May 2004 was HK\$ million 9,918.6. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for May 2004 was +0.4%. Re-exports value for May 2004 was HK\$ million 155,512.7. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for May 2004 was +16.8%. Total exports value for May 2004 was HK\$ million 165,431.4. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for May 2004 was +15.7%. Imports value for May 2004 was HK\$ million 174,786.6. Year-on-year % change of imports value for May 2004 was +19.9%.

Domestic exports value for June 2004 was HK\$ million 11,082.8. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for June 2004 was +7.7%. Re-exports value for June 2004 was HK\$ million 157,189.2. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for June 2004 was +19.0%. Total exports value for June 2004 was HK\$ million 168,272.0. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for June 2004 was +18.2%. Imports value for June 2004 was HK\$ million 177,809.6. Year-on-year % change of imports value for June 2004 was +21.5%.

Domestic exports value for July 2004 was HK\$ million 11,746.4. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for July 2004 was -4.1%. Re-exports value for July 2004 was HK\$ million 171,879.5. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for July 2004 was +18.3%. Total exports value for July 2004 was HK\$ million 183,625.9. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for July 2004 was +16.5%. Imports value for July 2004 was HK\$ million 189,261.3. Year-on-year % change of imports value for July 2004 was +18.4%.

Domestic exports value for August 2004 was HK\$ million 12,091.6. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for August 2004 was +2.5%. Re-exports value for August 2004 was HK\$ million 170,653.4. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for August 2004 was +22.4%. Total exports value for August 2004 was HK\$ million 182,745.0. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for August 2004 was +20.9%. Imports value for August 2004 was HK\$ million 185,960.1. Year-on-year % change of imports value for August 2004 was +21.6%.

Domestic exports value for September 2004 was HK\$ million 11,550.5. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for September 2004 was +4.2%. Re-exports value for September 2004 was HK\$ million 168,113.4. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for September 2004 was +14.8%. Total exports value for September 2004 was HK\$ million 179,663.9. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for September 2004 was +14.1%. Imports value for September 2004 was HK\$ million 186,158.8. Year-on-year % change of imports value for September 2004 was +14.8%.

Domestic exports value for October 2004 was HK\$ million 12,300.9. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for October 2004 was +14.0%. Re-exports value for October 2004 was HK\$ million 178,930.7. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for October 2004 was +16.2%. Total exports value for October 2004 was HK\$ million 191,231.6. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for October 2004 was +16.1%. Imports value for October 2004 was HK\$ million 191,478.0. Year-on-year % change of imports value for October 2004 was +13.3%.

Domestic exports value for November 2004 was HK\$ million 11,133.7. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for November 2004 was +13.7%. Re-exports value for November 2004 was HK\$ million 168,525.4. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for November 2004 was +17.0%. Total exports value for November 2004 was HK\$ million 179,659.0. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for November 2004 was +16.8%. Imports value for November 2004 was HK\$ million 179,906.2. Year-on-year % change of imports value for November 2004 was +11.2%.

Domestic exports value for December 2004 was HK\$ million 11,449.8. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for December 2004 was -0.7%. Re-exports value for December 2004 was HK\$ million 165,473.6. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for December 2004 was +14.0%. Total exports value for December 2004 was HK\$ million 176,923.4. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for December 2004 was +12.9%. Imports value for December 2004 was HK\$ million 185,843.6. Year-on-year % change of imports value for December 2004 was +10.5%.

Domestic exports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 9,742.3. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for January 2005 was +18.0%. Re-exports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 172,705.7. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for January 2005 was +35.9%. Total exports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 182,448.0. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for January 2005 was +34.8%. Imports value for January 2005 was HK\$ million 184,492.1. Year-on-year % change of imports value for January 2005 was +37.2%.

Domestic exports value for February 2005 was HK\$ million 6,250.2. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for February 2005 was -20.4%. Re-exports value for February 2005 was HK\$ million 121,276.6. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for February 2005 was -4.5%. Total exports value for February 2005 was HK\$ million 127,526.8. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for February 2005 was -5.4%. Imports value for February 2005 was HK\$ million 137,729.0. Year-on-year % change of imports value for February 2005 was -10.9%.

Domestic exports value for March 2005 was HK\$ million 8,034.0. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for March 2005 was -17.2%. Re-exports value for March 2005 was HK\$ million 160,647.1. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for March 2005 was +4.9%. Total exports value for March 2005 was HK\$ million 168,681.1. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for March 2005 was +3.5%. Imports value for March 2005 was HK\$ million 182,490.5. Year-on-year % change of imports value for March 2005 was +2.5%.

Domestic exports value for April 2005 was HK\$ million 8,046.7. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for April 2005 was -10.3%. Re-exports value for April 2005 was HK\$ million 164,441.9. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for April 2005 was +8.9%. Total exports value for April 2005 was HK\$ million 172,488.6. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for April 2005 was +7.8%. Imports value for April 2005 was HK\$ million 182,710.5. Year-on-year % change of imports value for April 2005 was +3.8%.

Domestic exports value for May 2005 was HK\$ million 9,865.3. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for May 2005 was -0.5%. Re-exports value for May 2005 was HK\$ million 183,508.6. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for May 2005 was +18.0%. Total exports value for May 2005 was HK\$ million 193,373.9. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for May 2005 was +16.9%. Imports value for May 2005 was HK\$ million 202,685.5. Year-on-year % change of imports value for May 2005 was +16.0%.

Domestic exports value for June 2005 was HK\$ million 10,126.2. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for June 2005 was -8.6%. Re-exports value for June 2005 was HK\$ million 179,353.0. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for June 2005 was +14.1%. Total exports value for June 2005 was HK\$ million 189,479.2. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for June 2005 was +12.6%. Imports value for June 2005 was HK\$ million 196,538.0. Year-on-year % change of imports value for June 2005 was +10.5%.

Domestic exports value for July 2005 was HK\$ million 11,801.1. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for July 2005 was +0.5%. Re-exports value for July 2005 was HK\$ million 186,635.2. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for July 2005 was +8.6%. Total exports value for July 2005 was HK\$ million 198,436.3. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for July 2005 was +8.1%. Imports value for July 2005 was HK\$ million 201,646.7. Year-on-year % change of imports value for July 2005 was +6.5%.

Domestic exports value for August 2005 was HK\$ million 14,139.1. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for August 2005 was +16.9%. Re-exports value for August 2005 was HK\$ million 191,798.2. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for August 2005 was +12.4%. Total exports value for August 2005 was HK\$ million 205,937.3. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for August 2005 was +12.7%. Imports value for August 2005 was HK\$ million 209,869.9. Year-on-year % change of imports value for August 2005 was +12.9%.

Domestic exports value for September 2005 was HK\$ million 14,350.7. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for September 2005 was +24.2%. Re-exports value for September 2005 was HK\$ million 195,814.3. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for September 2005 was +16.5%. Total exports value for September 2005 was HK\$ million 210,165.1. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for September 2005 was +17.0%. Imports value for September 2005 was HK\$ million 214,350.1. Year-on-year % change of imports value for September 2005 was +15.1%.

Domestic exports value for October 2005 was HK\$ million 15,697.3. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for October 2005 was +27.6%. Re-exports value for October 2005 was HK\$ million 197,806.4. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for October 2005 was +10.5%. Total exports value for October 2005 was HK\$ million 213,503.7. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for October 2005 was +11.6%. Imports value for October 2005 was HK\$ million 210,027.8. Year-on-year % change of imports value for October 2005 was +9.7%.

Domestic exports value for November 2005 was HK\$ million 14,025.2.

Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for November 2005 was +26.0%. Re-exports value for November 2005 was HK\$ million 186,325.4. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for November 2005 was +10.6%. Total exports value for November 2005 was HK\$ million 200,350.6. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for November 2005 was +11.5%. Imports value for November 2005 was HK\$ million 204,372.0. Year-on-year % change of imports value for November 2005 was +13.6%.

Domestic exports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 13,992.1. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for December 2005 was +22.2%. Re-exports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 174,778.5. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for December 2005 was +5.6%. Total exports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 188,770.6. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for December 2005 was +6.7%. Imports value for December 2005 was HK\$ million 205,627.9. Year-on-year % change of imports value for December 2005 was +10.6%.

Domestic exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 13,131.1. Year-on-year % change of domestic exports value for January 2006 was +34.8%. Re-exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 176,888.8. Year-on-year % change of re-exports value for January 2006 was +2.4%. Total exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 190,019.9. Year-on-year % change of total exports value for January 2006 was +4.2%. Imports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 185,652.5. Year-on-year % change of imports value for January 2006 was +0.6%.

Note : Value of domestic exports and value of re-exports may not add up to the value of total exports due to rounding.

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Table 3 title : Seasonally Adjusted Series of Hong Kong's External Merchandise Trade Figures from January 2003 to January 2006

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for January 2003 was -4.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for January 2003 was +3.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for January 2003 was +2.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for January 2003 was +0.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for February 2003 was -4.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for February 2003 was +0.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for February 2003 was +0.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for February 2003 was -0.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for March 2003 was -0.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for March 2003 was +3.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for March 2003 was +3.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for March 2003 was +3.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for April 2003 was –2.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for April 2003 was +2.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for April 2003 was +2.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for April 2003 was +2.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for May 2003 was +0.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for May 2003 was +4.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for May 2003 was +3.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for May 2003 was +3.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for

June 2003 was -1.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for June 2003 was +0.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for June 2003 was +0.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for June 2003 was -1.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for July 2003 was +3.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for July 2003 was +1.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for July 2003 was +1.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for July 2003 was +0.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for August 2003 was +1.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for August 2003 was -0.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for August 2003 was –0.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for August 2003 was -0.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for September 2003 was +3.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for September 2003 was +1.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for September 2003 was +1.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for September 2003 was +3.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for October 2003 was -1.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for October 2003 was +2.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for October 2003 was +1.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for October 2003 was +3.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for November 2003 was -3.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for November 2003 was +4.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for November 2003 was +4.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for November 2003 was +6.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for December 2003 was -2.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for December 2003 was +6.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for December 2003 was +5.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for December 2003 was +7.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for January 2004 was –2.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for January 2004 was +5.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for January 2004 was +4.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for January 2004 was +7.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for February 2004 was +0.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for February 2004 was +5.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for February 2004 was +5.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for February 2004 was +5.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for March 2004 was +0.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for March 2004 was +5.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for March 2004 was +4.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for March 2004 was +5.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for April 2004 was +7.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for April 2004 was +8.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for April 2004 was +8.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for April 2004 was +7.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for May 2004 was +4.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for May 2004 was +5.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for May 2004 was +5.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for May 2004 was +5.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for June 2004 was +3.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for June 2004 was +4.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for June 2004 was +4.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for June 2004 was +4.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for July 2004 was -1.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for July 2004 was +2.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for July 2004 was +1.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for July 2004 was +1.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for August 2004 was -0.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for August 2004 was +3.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for August 2004 was +3.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for August 2004 was +1.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for September 2004 was -0.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for September 2004 was +2.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for September 2004 was +2.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for September 2004 was +0.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for October 2004 was +4.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for October 2004 was +1.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for October 2004 was +1.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for October 2004 was +0.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for November 2004 was +4.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for November 2004 was +1.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for November 2004 was +1.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for November 2004 was -0.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for December 2004 was +4.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for December 2004 was +3.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for December 2004 was +3.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for December 2004 was +2.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for January 2005 was -1.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for January 2005 was +5.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for January 2005 was +4.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for January 2005 was +4.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for February 2005 was -8.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for February 2005 was +4.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for February 2005 was +3.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for February 2005 was +3.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for March 2005 was -11.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for March 2005 was +1.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for March 2005 was +0.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for March 2005 was +2.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for April 2005 was –11.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for April 2005 was -2.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for April 2005 was -2.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for April 2005 was -2.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for May 2005 was -3.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for May 2005 was +1.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for May 2005 was +0.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for May 2005 was +2.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for June 2005 was +4.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for June 2005 was +5.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for June 2005 was +5.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for June 2005 was +5.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for July 2005 was +9.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for July 2005 was +6.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for July 2005 was +7.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for July 2005 was +7.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for August 2005 was +11.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for August 2005 was +4.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for August 2005 was +4.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for August 2005 was +3.0%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for September 2005 was +20.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for September 2005 was +1.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for September 2005 was +2.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for September 2005 was +1.6%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for October 2005 was +31.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for October 2005 was +2.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for October 2005 was +3.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for October 2005 was +2.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for November 2005 was +28.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for November 2005 was +2.2%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for November 2005 was +3.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for November 2005 was +2.9%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for December 2005 was +14.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for December 2005 was +0.8%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for December 2005 was +1.7%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for December 2005 was +2.5%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of domestic exports for January 2006 was +2.1%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of re-exports for January 2006 was +0.3%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of total exports for January 2006 was +0.4%.

Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period of imports for January 2006 was +3.0%.

Note : Seasonally adjusted series may be revised as more data become available. For external trade figures, the seasonally adjusted series for the preceding three years are revised each year when the figures for January become available. The figures shown in Table 3 have already been revised.

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Table 4 title : Re-exports of goods to ten main destinations

Total re-exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 176889.

Percentage change in total re-exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.4%. Total re-exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 537662. Percentage change in total re-exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +6.2%.

Value of re-exports to The mainland of China for January 2006 was HK\$ million 77101. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to The mainland of China for January 2006 over January 2005 was +1.5%.

Value of re-exports to The mainland of China for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 248847.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports to The mainland of China for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +10.2%.

Value of re-exports to United States of America for January 2006 was HK\$ million 27031. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to United States of America for January 2006 over January 2005 was +3.0%.

Value of re-exports to United States of America for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 77359.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports to United States of America for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +0.4%.

Value of re-exports to Japan for January 2006 was HK\$ million 9565.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Japan for January 2006 over January 2005 was +1.6%.

Value of re-exports to Japan for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 29367. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Japan for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +1.1%.

Value of re-exports to Germany for January 2006 was HK\$ million 6255.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Germany for January 2006 over January 2005 was -5.0%.

Value of re-exports to Germany for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 18166. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Germany for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +6.1%.

Value of re-exports to United Kingdom for January 2006 was HK\$ million 5180. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to United Kingdom for January 2006 over January 2005 was -0.8%.

Value of re-exports to United Kingdom for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 14953.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports to United Kingdom for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -6.3%.

Value of re-exports to Korea for January 2006 was HK\$ million 4104. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Korea for January 2006 over January 2005 was +4.6%.

Value of re-exports to Korea for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 12449. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Korea for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +10.3%.

Value of re-exports to Taiwan for January 2006 was HK\$ million 3894. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Taiwan for January 2006 over January 2005 was +1.3%.

Value of re-exports to Taiwan for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 11772. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Taiwan for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +2.7%.

Value of re-exports to Singapore for January 2006 was HK\$ million 3479.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Singapore for January 2006 over January 2005 was -15.6%.

Value of re-exports to Singapore for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 10736. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Singapore for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -5.7%.

Value of re-exports to Netherlands for January 2006 was HK\$ million 2990. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Netherlands for January 2006 over January 2005 was -15.8%.

Value of re-exports to Netherlands for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 8581. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Netherlands for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -10.9%.

Value of re-exports to Italy for January 2006 was HK\$ million 2947.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Italy for January 2006 over January 2005 was +27.0%.

Value of re-exports to Italy for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 7213. Percentage change in the value of re-exports to Italy for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +18.8%.

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Table 5 title : Domestic exports of goods to ten main destinations

Total domestic exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 13131. Percentage change in total domestic exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +34.8%. Total domestic exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 41099. Percentage change in total domestic exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +27.2%.

Value of domestic exports to United States of America for January 2006 was HK\$ million 3612. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to United States of America for January 2006 over January 2005 was +20.6%.

Value of domestic exports to United States of America for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 10486.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to United States of America for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +9.1%.

Value of domestic exports to The mainland of China for January 2006 was HK\$ million 3084. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to The mainland of China for January 2006 over January 2005 was -2.0%.

Value of domestic exports to The mainland of China for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 11402.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to The mainland of China for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +13.0%.

Value of domestic exports to United Kingdom for January 2006 was HK\$ million 983. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to United Kingdom for January 2006 over January 2005 was +153.2%.

Value of domestic exports to United Kingdom for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 3100.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to United Kingdom for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +55.7%.

Value of domestic exports to Netherlands for January 2006 was HK\$ million 915.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Netherlands for January 2006 over January 2005 was +267.1%.

Value of domestic exports to Netherlands for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 2854.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Netherlands for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +265.9%.

Value of domestic exports to Germany for January 2006 was HK\$ million 661.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Germany for January 2006 over January 2005 was +158.0%.

Value of domestic exports to Germany for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 2011. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Germany for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +66.2%.

Value of domestic exports to Taiwan for January 2006 was HK\$ million 476.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Taiwan for January 2006 over January 2005 was -3.6%.

Value of domestic exports to Taiwan for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 1314. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Taiwan for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -2.7%.

Value of domestic exports to Japan for January 2006 was HK\$ million 372. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Japan for January 2006 over January 2005 was +25.8%.

Value of domestic exports to Japan for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 1238. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Japan for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +55.9%.

Value of domestic exports to Singapore for January 2006 was HK\$ million 354. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Singapore for January 2006 over January 2005 was +7.4%.

Value of domestic exports to Singapore for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 990. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Singapore for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +8.6%.

Value of domestic exports to France for January 2006 was HK\$ million 245. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to France for January 2006 over January 2005 was +211.4%.

Value of domestic exports to France for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 752. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to France for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +86.7%.

Value of domestic exports to Italy for January 2006 was HK\$ million 240.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Italy for January 2006 over January 2005 was +179.7%.

Value of domestic exports to Italy for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 673. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports to Italy for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +84.0%.

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Table 6 title : Imports of goods from ten main suppliers

Total imports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 185653.

Percentage change in total imports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +0.6%. Total imports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 595190. Percentage change in total imports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +8.3%.

Value of imports from The mainland of China for January 2006 was HK\$ million 86861. Percentage change in the value of imports from The mainland of China for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.7%.

Value of imports from The mainland of China for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 273155.

Percentage change in the value of imports from The mainland of China for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +9.8%.

Value of imports from Japan for January 2006 was HK\$ million 17198.

Percentage change in the value of imports from Japan for January 2006 over January 2005 was -14.3%.

Value of imports from Japan for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 60205. Percentage change in the value of imports from Japan for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -3.9%.

Value of imports from Taiwan for January 2006 was HK\$ million 13519. Percentage change in the value of imports from Taiwan for January 2006 over January 2005 was +0.7%.

Value of imports from Taiwan for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 45457. Percentage change in the value of imports from Taiwan for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +15.6%.

Value of imports from Singapore for January 2006 was HK\$ million 12542.

Percentage change in the value of imports from Singapore for January 2006 over January 2005 was +27.3%.

Value of imports from Singapore for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 37945. Percentage change in the value of imports from Singapore for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +36.6%.

Value of imports from United States of America for January 2006 was HK\$ million 8978. Percentage change in the value of imports from United States of America for January 2006 over January 2005 was -7.6%.

Value of imports from United States of America for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 27993.

Percentage change in the value of imports from United States of America for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -4.3%.

Value of imports from Korea for January 2006 was HK\$ million 8936. Percentage change in the value of imports from Korea for January 2006 over January 2005 was +15.5%. Value of imports from Korea for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 28036. Percentage change in the value of imports from Korea for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +16.1%.

Value of imports from Malaysia for January 2006 was HK\$ million 4535.

Percentage change in the value of imports from Malaysia for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.8%.

Value of imports from Malaysia for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 14343. Percentage change in the value of imports from Malaysia for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +7.7%.

Value of imports from Germany for January 2006 was HK\$ million 3495.

Percentage change in the value of imports from Germany for January 2006 over January 2005 was +15.8%.

Value of imports from Germany for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 10785. Percentage change in the value of imports from Germany for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +18.5%.

Value of imports from Thailand for January 2006 was HK\$ million 3460. Percentage change in the value of imports from Thailand for January 2006 over January 2005 was +5.2%.

Value of imports from Thailand for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 11936. Percentage change in the value of imports from Thailand for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +19.8%.

Value of imports from Philippines for January 2006 was HK\$ million 2598.

Percentage change in the value of imports from Philippines for January 2006 over January 2005 was -13.7%.

Value of imports from Philippines for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 9729. Percentage change in the value of imports from Philippines for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +3.6%.

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Table 7 title : Re-exports of ten principal commodity divisions

Total re-exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 176889. Percentage change in total re-exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.4%. Total re-exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 537662. Percentage change in total re-exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +6.2%.

Value of re-exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for January 2006 was HK\$ million 39096.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for January 2006 over January 2005 was +22.2%.

Value of re-exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 122221.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +23.6%.

Value of re-exports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for January 2006 was HK\$ million 25986.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.7%.

Value of re-exports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 86236.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +8.0%.

Value of re-exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for January 2006 was HK\$ million 22374.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for January 2006 over January 2005 was -13.1%.

Value of re-exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 67868.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +2.4%.

Value of re-exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for January 2006 was HK\$ million 14621.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.3%.

Value of re-exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 43228.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -2.4%.

Value of re-exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for January 2006 was HK\$

million 14374.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for January 2006 over January 2005 was -2.2%.

Value of re-exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 35207.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -4.6%.

Value of re-exports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for January 2006 was HK\$ million 7030.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for January 2006 over January 2005 was -4.2%.

Value of re-exports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 20755.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -1.9%.

Value of re-exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for January 2006 was HK\$ million 6999.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for January 2006 over January 2005 was -2.4%.

Value of re-exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 23755.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -6.0%.

Value of re-exports for footwear for January 2006 was HK\$ million 5255.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for footwear for January 2006 over January 2005 was +15.4%.

Value of re-exports for footwear for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 12961. Percentage change in the value of re-exports for footwear for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +12.0%.

Value of re-exports for plastics in primary forms for January 2006 was HK\$ million 4118. Percentage change in the value of re-exports for plastics in primary forms for January 2006 over January 2005 was -6.5%.

Value of re-exports for plastics in primary forms for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 13008.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for plastics in primary forms for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -0.9%.

Value of re-exports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for January 2006 was HK\$ million 3979. Percentage change in the value of re-exports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for January 2006 over January 2005 was -9.3%.

Value of re-exports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 11776.

Percentage change in the value of re-exports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +10.9%.

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Table 8 title : Domestic exports of ten principal commodity divisions

Total domestic exports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 13131. Percentage change in total domestic exports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +34.8%. Total domestic exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 41099. Percentage change in total domestic exports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +27.2%.

Value of domestic exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for January 2006 was HK\$ million 6179.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for January 2006 over January 2005 was +74.2%.

Value of domestic exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 18931.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +27.2%.

Value of domestic exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for January 2006 was HK\$ million 1824.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for January 2006 over January 2005 was +69.3%.

Value of domestic exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 5473.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +128.9%.

Value of domestic exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for January 2006 was HK\$ million 1309.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for January 2006 over January 2005 was +8.0%. Value of domestic exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 4521.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +29.7%.

Value of domestic exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares) for January 2006 was HK\$ million 1197.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares) for January 2006 over January 2005 was -7.6%. Value of domestic exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares) for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 3769. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares) for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 3769. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares) for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -3.5%.

Value of domestic exports for plastics in primary forms for January 2006 was HK\$ million 361.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for plastics in primary forms for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.3%.

Value of domestic exports for plastics in primary forms for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 1156.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for plastics in primary forms for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +18.9%.

Value of domestic exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for January 2006 was HK\$ million 318.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for January 2006 over January 2005 was -15.6%.

Value of domestic exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 1024.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -18.0%.

Value of domestic exports for metalliferous ores and metal scrap for January 2006 was HK\$ million 224.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for metalliferous ores and metal scrap for January 2006 over January 2005 was -11.4%.

Value of domestic exports for metalliferous ores and metal scrap for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 702.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for metalliferous ores and metal scrap for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -0.2%.

Value of domestic exports for electric current for January 2006 was HK\$ million 173. Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for electric current for January 2006 over January 2005 was -33.7%.

Value of domestic exports for electric current for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 578.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for electric current for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -12.1%.

Value of domestic exports for tobacco and tobacco manufactures for January 2006 was HK\$ million 154.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for tobacco and tobacco manufactures for January 2006 over January 2005 was +17.2%.

Value of domestic exports for tobacco and tobacco manufactures for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 412.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for tobacco and tobacco manufactures for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +4.9%.

Value of domestic exports for medicinal and pharmaceutical products for January 2006 was HK\$ million 128.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for medicinal and pharmaceutical products for January 2006 over January 2005 was +4.9%.

Value of domestic exports for medicinal and pharmaceutical products for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 426.

Percentage change in the value of domestic exports for medicinal and pharmaceutical products for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +11.3%.

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Table 9 title : Imports of ten principal commodity divisions

Total imports value for January 2006 was HK\$ million 185653. Percentage change in total imports value for January 2006 over January 2005 was +0.6%. Total imports value for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 595190. Percentage change in total imports value for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +8.3%.

Value of imports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for January 2006 was HK\$ million 44094.

Percentage change in the value of imports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for January 2006 over January 2005 was +18.2%.

Value of imports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 146167.

Percentage change in the value of imports for electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +26.0%.

Value of imports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for January 2006 was HK\$ million 23196.

Percentage change in the value of imports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for January 2006 over January 2005 was +2.8%.

Value of imports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 77768.

Percentage change in the value of imports for telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +9.0%.

Value of imports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for January 2006 was HK\$ million 20035.

Percentage change in the value of imports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for January 2006 over January 2005 was -12.1%.

Value of imports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 63529.

Percentage change in the value of imports for office machines and automatic data processing machines for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +6.1%.

Value of imports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for January 2006 was HK\$ million 12676.

Percentage change in the value of imports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for January 2006 over January 2005 was -2.4%.

Value of imports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 35543.

Percentage change in the value of imports for articles of apparel and clothing accessories for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +0.4%.

Value of imports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for January 2006 was HK\$ million 10190.

Percentage change in the value of imports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for January 2006 over January 2005 was -11.8%. Value of imports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 33397.

Percentage change in the value of imports for miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly baby carriages, toys, games and sporting goods) for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -4.3%.

Value of imports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for January 2006 was HK\$ million 6677.

Percentage change in the value of imports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for January 2006 over January 2005 was -7.6%.

Value of imports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 24123.

Percentage change in the value of imports for textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -6.1%.

Value of imports for petroleum, petroleum products and related materials for January 2006 was HK\$ million 5723.

Percentage change in the value of imports for petroleum, petroleum products and related materials for January 2006 over January 2005 was +57.2%.

Value of imports for petroleum, petroleum products and related materials for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 15720.

Percentage change in the value of imports for petroleum, petroleum products and related materials for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +46.8%.

Value of imports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for January 2006 was HK\$ million 5671. Percentage change in the value of imports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for January 2006 over January 2005 was -24.6%.

Value of imports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 19395.

Percentage change in the value of imports for non-metallic mineral manufactures for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +4.5%.

Value of imports for plastics in primary forms for January 2006 was HK\$ million 4951. Percentage change in the value of imports for plastics in primary forms for January 2006 over January 2005 was -5.3%.

Value of imports for plastics in primary forms for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 16993.

Percentage change in the value of imports for plastics in primary forms for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was +7.0%.

Value of imports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for January 2006 was HK\$ million 4376.

Percentage change in the value of imports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for January 2006 over January 2005 was -14.5%.

Value of imports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for November 2005 to January 2006 was HK\$ million 15641.

Percentage change in the value of imports for photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks for November 2005 to January 2006 over November 2004 to January 2005 was -3.7%.