

**VALUE AND PROPORTION OF TRADE  
INVOLVING OUTWARD PROCESSING IN THE MAINLAND OF CHINA**

	3 <sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2008 (HKD Mn.)	Percentage change over 3 <sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2007 (%)	Jan-Sep 2008 (HKD Mn.)	Percentage change over Jan-Sep 2007 (%)
<u>Total value of trade with the mainland of China</u> * :				
Total exports to the mainland of China	364,793	+3.8	1,022,688	+7.3
Domestic exports	9,625	-10.8	27,287	-8.8
Re-exports	355,168	+4.3	995,401	+7.8
Imports from the mainland of China	387,687	+10.2	1,047,519	+8.5
Re-exports of the mainland of China origin to other places	310,962	+7.9	839,207	+7.3

\* The value excludes commodities and transactions not classified according to kind.

Value of trade involving outward processing in the mainland of China :

Total exports to the mainland of China	128,606	+19.1	360,954	+8.6
Domestic exports	3,670	-25.1	10,765	-23.2
Re-exports	124,936	+21.2	350,188	+10.0
Imports from the mainland of China	208,013	+8.5	596,258	+3.0
Re-exports of the mainland of China origin to other places	207,204	-8.2	595,256	-2.5

3 <sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2008 (%)	3 <sup>rd</sup> qtr. 2007 (%)	Jan-Sep 2008 (%)	Jan-Sep 2007 (%)
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Proportion of trade involving outward processing in the mainland of China :

Total exports to the mainland of China	35.3	30.7	35.3	34.9
Domestic exports	38.1	45.4	39.5	46.9
Re-exports	35.2	30.3	35.2	34.5
Imports from the mainland of China	53.7	54.5	56.9	60.0
Re-exports of the mainland of China origin to other places	66.6	78.3	70.9	78.0