

Table 20: Growth Rates of Merchandise Imports, c.i.f.

DMC	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Central Asia											
Azerbaijan	...	-50.0	-33.1	23.7	-14.2	43.9	-17.3	35.5	-3.8	13.1	22.1
Kazakhstan ^a	-60.8	-3.1	-16.6	...	30.4	3.4	-39.6	1.1	-15.2	37.0	26.0
Kyrgyz Republic	...	...	6.4	-29.2	64.8	60.4	-15.3	18.6	-28.7	-7.6	-15.7
Mongolia	-60.9	15.9	-9.4	-31.8	60.7	8.6	3.9	7.5	1.9	19.8	-9.7
Tajikistan	...	...	175.0	7.1	24.5	-24.1	12.3	-5.2	-6.8	1.8	1.9
Turkmenistan	...	...	...	6.1	-34.1	-9.2	17.0	-14.9	46.7	20.8	17.5
Uzbekistan	...	...	...	...	10.9	63.2	-4.2	-27.3	-5.4	-5.2	...
East Asia											
China, People's Rep. of	19.6	26.3	29.0	11.2	14.2	5.1	2.5	-1.5	18.2	35.8	8.2
Hong Kong, China	21.2	22.6	12.3	16.6	19.2	3.0	5.2	-11.5	-2.5	19.0	-5.4
Korea, Rep. of	16.7	0.3	2.5	22.1	32.0	11.3	-3.8	-35.5	28.4	34.0	-12.1
Taipei, China	14.9	7.5	12.0	11.2	21.3	2.6	16.4	6.9	2.1	22.2	-17.2
Mekong											
Cambodia ^b	74.4	55.5	6.2	58.0	59.5	-9.7	1.9	-1.8	9.0	31.3	4.2
Lao PDR	-10.9	61.1	62.6	30.6	4.4	17.1	-6.0	-14.7	0.3	-3.4	-1.4
Myanmar ^a	-3.4	0.5	47.7	5.2	23.6	14.3	22.0	17.4	-3.6	-8.4	...
Thailand	13.5	7.8	12.9	17.4	28.8	3.9	5.0	-7.8	7.5	30.8	10.5
Viet Nam	-15.0	8.7	54.4	48.5	40.0	36.7	4.0	-0.8	1.1	30.8	5.3
Pacific											
Cook Islands	-19.2	44.4	3.9	-21.7	-9.9	-14.8	14.9	-2.2	11.2	42.0	-0.2
Fiji Islands	-13.6	-1.5	17.2	9.0	3.6	10.4	0.6	3.0	24.0	-1.3	2.9
Kiribati ^b	-3.5	52.1	-19.1	-11.6	31.7	2.2	8.1	-1.2	22.7	...	...
Marshall Islands ^a	1.5	9.6	-1.2	15.3	6.6	-3.3	-15.9	10.4	2.4	-1.1	...
Micronesia, Fed. States of ^b	5.7	11.5	10.8	17.9	-22.9	-15.5	-10.6	-34.3	-75.1	...	...
Nauru	-18.1	229.1	-42.4	-32.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Papua New Guinea	22.3	-4.6	-12.9	20.4	21.3	23.2	6.7	4.8	23.7	0.7	13.9
Samoa	21.1	20.4	-2.8	-23.0	12.4	6.9	5.1	11.5	22.0	0.1	28.7
Solomon Islands ^c	32.3	6.8	33.6	7.3	12.4	-20.0	30.3	12.3	-13.6	-11.7	-8.1
Tonga	-2.7	9.7	1.1	7.0	7.5	-6.4	0.3	11.2	13.8	5.7	...
Tuvalu	...	...	...	11.7	-39.9	-8.6	35.8	40.1	...	...	...
Vanuatu	-17.8	0.7	3.3	8.6	2.5	2.1	0.0	3.4	10.6	-1.1	9.9
South Asia											
Afghanistan	-32.8	73.7	-80.8	-64.8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bangladesh ^a	0.0	6.7	20.6	5.2	39.9	19.8	8.7	11.9	12.6	9.9	19.5
Bhutan	60.6	51.0	-17.2	4.8	26.6	24.3	10.0	10.8	42.0	...	...
India ^a	10.8	32.4	15.3	23.1	36.4	13.2	11.0	15.7	20.7	7.3	-4.1
Maldives ^b	17.0	17.4	1.1	15.9	20.9	12.6	15.6	1.5	13.6	-3.4	...
Nepal ^a	26.7	37.5	22.7	31.5	23.5	16.9	25.7	-4.9	-1.7	24.0	6.6
Pakistan ^a	15.0	34.3	12.5	-0.1	24.2	23.9	17.1	-6.3	6.9	14.6	17.4
Sri Lanka	21.1	17.2	21.1	22.1	10.3	13.7	19.0	14.9	11.0	31.4	-3.8
Southeast Asia											
Indonesia	18.5	5.5	3.7	12.9	27.0	5.7	-2.9	-34.4	-12.2	39.6	-7.6
Malaysia	27.4	0.6	15.7	32.8	24.6	1.5	12.0	3.3	8.9	25.3	-9.9
Philippines	-1.4	20.3	21.4	20.6	25.8	21.8	11.2	-18.3	3.3	3.8	-7.2
Singapore	4.0	2.9	17.1	13.7	12.7	5.0	6.2	-13.6	10.8	23.4	-10.5

a Refers to fiscal year.

b Refers to f.o.b. for entire series for Cambodia, Kiribati, Maldives and Fed. States of Micronesia.

c Refers to imports in f.o.b. from 1996 onwards.

Sources: Country sources.

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