

Table 23: **Foreign Trade Indicators**
(percent of GNP)

DMC	Total Trade			Trade Balance			Current Account Balance		
	1990	2002	2003	1990	2002	2003	1990	2002	2003
East Asia									
China, People's Rep. of	29.7	49.4	60.6	2.2	2.4	1.8	3.1	2.8	3.3
Hong Kong, China ^a	218.2	254.9	290.9	-0.5	-4.7	-5.2	...	7.9	10.3
Korea, Rep. of	53.4	57.5	61.5	-1.9	1.9	2.5	-0.8	1.0	2.0
Mongolia	95.5	103.2	113.2	-15.9	-14.2	-14.8	-38.5	-8.9	-7.9
Taipei, China	74.2	84.0	91.7	7.5	6.1	5.6	6.7	8.9	9.7
Southeast Asia									
Cambodia ^a	17.8	101.8	104.7*	-5.5	-13.6	-13.2*	-3.5	-1.0	-3.9*
Indonesia	43.5	52.9	...	3.5	15.5	...	-2.7	4.3	3.7
Lao PDR ^a	30.5	41.8	40.7	-12.2	-9.3	-6.4	-9.6	0.2	-1.2
Malaysia	139.2	213.5*	194.0*	0.5	24.2*	22.0*	-2.2	9.1*	13.8*
Myanmar	5.6	...	...	-1.7	...	...	-1.8	...	...
Philippines	48.2	87.1	85.4	-11.0	-2.4	-1.4	-5.8	5.3	3.9
Singapore	298.4	273.9	301.5	-21.3	9.9	18.0	8.2	21.4	31.2
Thailand	66.5	106.3	110.9*	-11.8	2.8	3.4*	-8.5	5.6	5.7
Viet Nam	79.7	104.0	116.3	-5.4	-8.7	-12.9	-4.0	-1.7	-4.8
South Asia									
Afghanistan ^a	16.8	62.7	48.4*	-9.6	-58.1	-41.7*	...	-0.1	...
Bangladesh	16.9	28.0	28.1	-7.3	-6.3	-7.1	-1.5	0.5	0.6
Bhutan	55.0	51.6	...	-3.8	-10.7	...	-10.5	-1.2	...
India	13.3	22.5	...	-1.9	-1.7	...	-2.2	0.9	...
Maldives ^a	...	74.4	80.0	...	-33.2	-37.1	...	-5.6	-6.9
Nepal	22.3	34.7	36.6	-12.5	-13.6	-15.6	-8.1	-4.7	-5.3
Pakistan	28.7	27.1	27.5	-4.6	-1.6	-1.2	-3.3	3.7	4.7
Sri Lanka	58.5	66.3	65.6	-9.3	-8.6	-8.5	-4.9	-1.5	-0.8
Central Asia									
Azerbaijan ^a	...	61.5	73.1	...	8.1	-0.5	...	-12.3	-28.3
Kazakhstan ^a	5.1	66.0	71.7	-0.2	12.5	15.2	...	-3.5	-0.2*
Kyrgyz Republic ^a	...	66.8	68.0	...	-6.3	-7.1	...	-2.2	-1.7*
Tajikistan ^a	...	120.5*	...	...	1.3*	...	...	-1.4	-0.3*
Turkmenistan ^a	...	60.4*	54.1*	...	8.9*	11.1*	...	...	...
Uzbekistan ^a	...	58.9	...	...	2.9	...	...	...	...
Pacific DMCs									
Cook Islands ^a	88.2	51.0	...	-73.0	-41.1	...	...	...	...
Fiji Islands ^a	91.7	79.3	79.3	-18.9	-19.1	-21.4	-3.3	-3.7	-11.9
Kiribati	61.6	...	...	-49.7	...	...	-18.9	...	...
Marshall Islands ^a	84.0	...	...	-78.4	...	...	38.3	...	...
Micronesia, Fed. States of ^a	60.3	...	...	-55.2	...	...	19.6	5.2	8.0*
Nauru	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Palau	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-4.5	...
Papua New Guinea ^a	72.9	79.1	...	1.9	16.4	...	-2.9	-3.7	...
Samoa ^a	79.8	59.1	50.3	-64.0	-0.9	-2.5	7.7	1.9	6.4
Solomon Islands ^a	89.1	54.1	...	-11.5	-3.0	...	-15.3	-6.4	12.8
Timor-Leste	...	19.5*	...	...	-60.7*	...	...	...	...
Tonga ^a	64.1	76.1	...	-43.3	-55.5	...	10.4	14.9	...
Tuvalu ^a	...	75.0	...	...	-73.2	...	21.8	...	...
Vanuatu	70.6	47.2	...	-47.4	-29.9	...	-3.8	-8.0	...

a GDP at current market prices was used in the computation.

Sources: Country sources.