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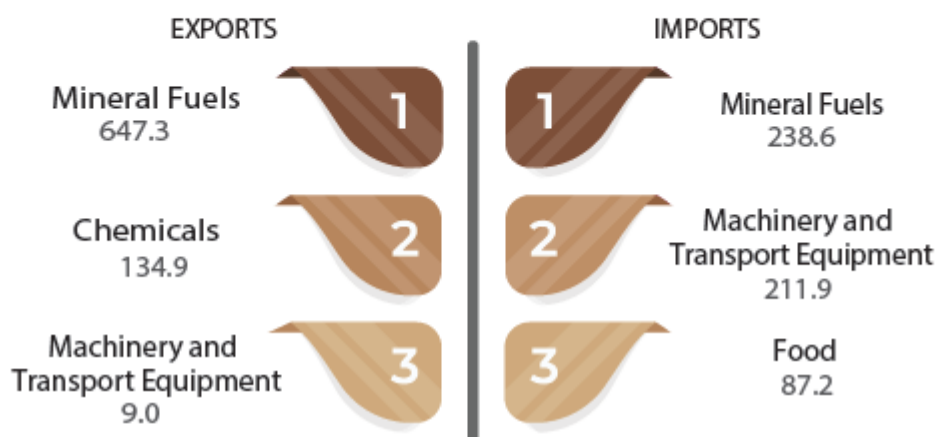
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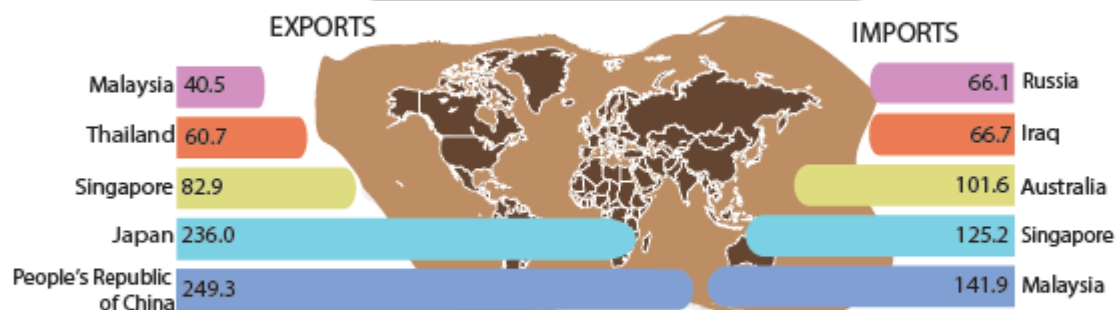
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Top 3 Commodities



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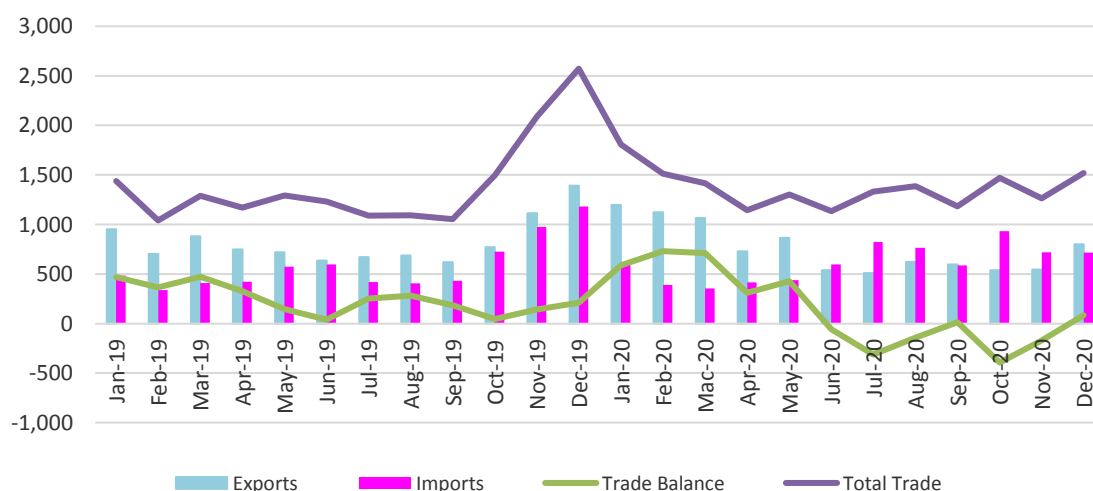
INTERNATIONAL MERCHANDISE TRADE STATISTICS (IMTS) DECEMBER 2020**Highlights**

- Total trade for the month of December 2020 was BND1,516.8 million, comprising exports valued at BND800.6 million and imports amounting to BND716.2 million. This represented a decrease of 41.0 per cent year-on-year (y-o-y) from BND2,571.3 million in December 2019.
- The trade balance recorded a surplus of BND84.4 million (December 2020) compared to a surplus of BND210.3 million in December 2019.
- On a month-on-month (m-o-m) basis, total trade increased by 20.1 per cent compared to November 2020 due to an increase in Exports by 46.7 per cent, while the imports recorded a decrease of 0.2 per cent.
- For the whole year of 2020, both total trade and trade balance decreased by 2.3 per cent and 39.1 per cent respectively.

Table 1: Exports, Imports, Total Trade and Trade Balance

	Value (BND Million)			Change (%)		Value (BND Million)		Change (%)
	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p	y-o-y	m-o-m	Jan-Dec 2019	Jan-Dec 2020	Annual
Total Trade	2,571.3	1,263.4	1,516.8	-41.0	20.1	16,843.1	16,460.4	-2.3
Exports	1,390.8	545.7	800.6	-42.4	46.7	9,886.2	9,121.8	-7.7
Imports	1,180.5	717.7	716.2	-39.3	-0.2	6,956.9	7,338.6	5.5
Trade Balance	210.3	-172.0	84.4	-59.9	149.1	2,929.3	1,783.2	-39.1

Notes: p = Provisional Total Trade = Exports + Imports Total Balance = Exports – Imports
y-o-y = year-on-year m-o-m = month-on-month

Chart 1: Exports, Imports, Total Trade and Trade Balance

DECEMBER 2020**Merchandise Exports**Exports by Commodity Section

On a y-o-y basis, the merchandise exports decreased by 42.4 per cent from BND1,390.8 million in December 2019 to BND800.6 million in December 2020. Mineral Fuels recorded the highest share of total exports with 80.9 per cent (BND647.3 million) followed by Chemicals (BND134.9 million) and Machinery and Transport Equipment (BND9.0 million).

Meanwhile, on a m-o-m basis the merchandise exports recorded an increase of 46.7 per cent from BND545.7 million in November 2020 to BND800.6 million in December 2020.

Table 2: Exports by Commodity Sections, December 2020

Section	Value (BND Million)			Change (%)		Contribution (%)
	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p	y-o-y	m-o-m	Dec-20
Food	0.5	1.6	0.5	0.0	-68.8	0.1
Beverages and Tobacco	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Crude Materials Inedible	0.5	0.9	1.6	220.0	77.8	0.2
Mineral Fuels	1,308.3	405.8	647.3	-50.5	59.5	80.9
Animal And Vegetable Oils and Fats	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Chemicals	62.8	118.6	134.9	114.8	13.7	16.8
Manufactured Goods	1.5	1.9	3.4	126.7	78.9	0.4
Machinery and Transport Equipment	14.0	7.5	9.0	-35.7	20.0	1.1
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	3.0	7.6	2.7	-10.0	-64.5	0.3
Miscellaneous Transactions	0.2	1.7	1.3	550.0	-23.5	0.2
TOTAL	1,390.8	545.7	800.6	-42.4	46.7	100.0

Notes: p = provisional y-o-y = year-on-year m-o-m = month-on-month '—' = Nil

Major Exports

On a y-o-y basis, major exports decreased by 48.5 per cent in December 2020. This was due to decreases in both exports of Crude Oil and LNG by 63.3 per cent and 34.7 per cent respectively.

The exports of Crude Oil fell due to the decline in exports price by 33.3 per cent to USD49.32/bbl from USD73.95/bbl in December 2019. The exports volume of Crude Oil also recorded a decrease of 40.6 per cent to 73.30kbbl per day from 123.40kbbl per day in December 2019.

Meanwhile, the decrease in exports of LNG was due to lower in exports price by 25.5 per cent to USD6.74/MMBtu from USD9.05/MMBtu in December 2019. The exports volume of LNG also recorded a decrease of 10.7 per cent to 971,899 MMBtu per day from 1,088,473 MMBtu per day (December 2019).

On a m-o-m basis, major exports recorded an increase of 78.8 per cent in December 2020. This was mainly due to increases in both exports of Crude Oil and LNG by 118.1 per cent and 63.5 per cent respectively.

Table 3: Major Exports

	Month & Year			Change (%)	
	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p	y-o-y	m-o-m
Exports	1,390.8	545.7	800.6	-42.4	46.7
<i>Of which</i>					
Major exports	798.2	230.0	411.3	-48.5	78.8
Crude Oil:					
Value (BND million)	383.8	64.5	140.7	-63.3	118.1
Volume (kbbbl/day)	123.40	48.73	73.30	-40.6	50.4
Price (USD/bbl)	73.95	41.32	49.32	-33.3	19.4
LNG					
Value (BND million)	414.4	165.5	270.6	-34.7	63.5
Volume (MMBtu/day)	1,088,473	675,165	971,899	-10.7	43.9
Price (USD/MMBtu)	9.05	6.06	6.74	-25.5	11.3

Source: Royal Customs and Excise Department, Ministry of Finance and Economy and Ministry of Energy

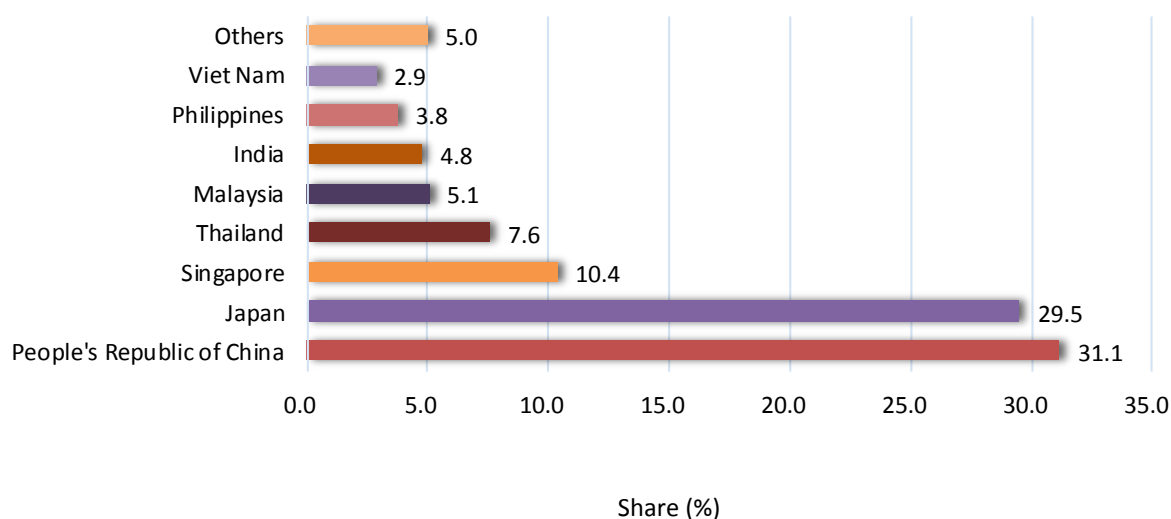
Notes: p = provisional y-o-y = year-on-year m-o-m = month-on-month
 kbbbl = thousand barrels MMBtu = million metric British thermal units

Total exports in December 2020 was also contributed by the domestic exports of Other Petroleum and Gas Products valued at BND182.4 million of which the major commodity was 'Other liquefied petroleum gases & gaseous hydrocarbons' with a total value of BND53.8 million.

Exports by Trading Partners

The highest share of exports in December 2020 went to People's Republic of China (31.1 per cent). This was followed by Japan (29.5 per cent), Singapore (10.4 per cent) and Thailand (7.6 per cent).

Chart 2: Share (%) of Exports by Trading Partners



Merchandise Imports

Imports by Commodity Section

In December 2020, merchandise imports decreased by 39.3 per cent to BND716.2 million (December 2020) from BND1,180.5 million in December 2019. Mineral Fuels recorded the highest share of total imports with 33.3 per cent (BND238.6 million) followed by Machinery and Transport Equipment (BND211.9 million) and Food (BND87.2 million).

On a m-o-m basis total imports decreased by 0.2 per cent, due to the decrease of imports in Manufactured Goods; Mineral Fuels; and Chemicals among others.

Table 4: Imports by Commodity Sections, December 2020

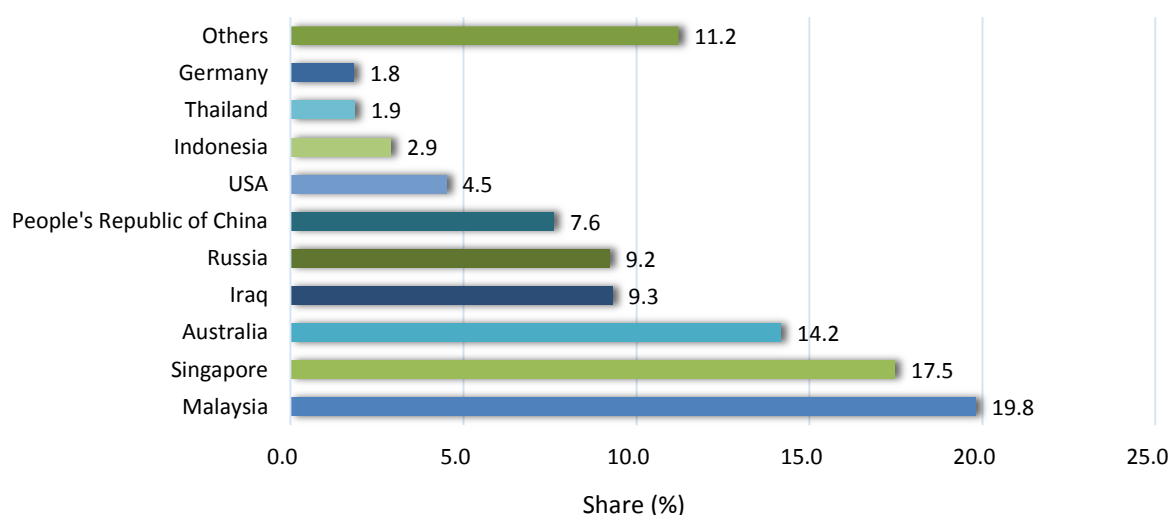
Section	Value (BND Million)			Change (%)		Contribution (%)
	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p	y-o-y	m-o-m	Dec-20
Food	41.6	67.1	87.2	109.6	30.0	12.2
Beverages and Tobacco	4.2	4.6	6.3	50.0	37.0	0.9
Crude Materials Inedible	1.8	1.5	1.8	0.0	20.0	0.3
Mineral Fuels	722.3	307.5	238.6	-67.0	-22.4	33.3
Animal And Vegetable Oils and Fats	1.3	1.7	2.0	53.8	17.6	0.3
Chemicals	52.1	61.4	53.1	1.9	-13.5	7.4
Manufactured Goods	109.5	85.1	59.0	-46.1	-30.7	8.2
Machinery and Transport Equipment	215.4	148.3	211.9	-1.6	42.9	29.6
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	32.4	40.5	56.1	73.1	38.5	7.8
Miscellaneous Transactions	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL	1,180.5	717.7	716.2	-39.3	-0.2	100.0

Notes: p = provisional y-o-y = year-on-year m-o-m = month-on-month

Imports by Trading Partners

The highest share of imports in December 2020 came from Malaysia accounting for 19.8 per cent, followed by Singapore (17.5 per cent), Australia (14.2 per cent), and Iraq (9.3 per cent).

Chart 3: Share (%) of Imports by Trading Partners



Imports by End-Use Categories

In December 2020, imports of Intermediate Goods were valued at BND407.9 million, accounting for 57.0 per cent of the total imports. This was followed by Capital Goods (BND261.9 million or 36.6 per cent of total imports); and Consumption Goods (BND46.4 million or 6.4 per cent of total imports).

Chart 4: Share (%) of Imports by End Use Categories

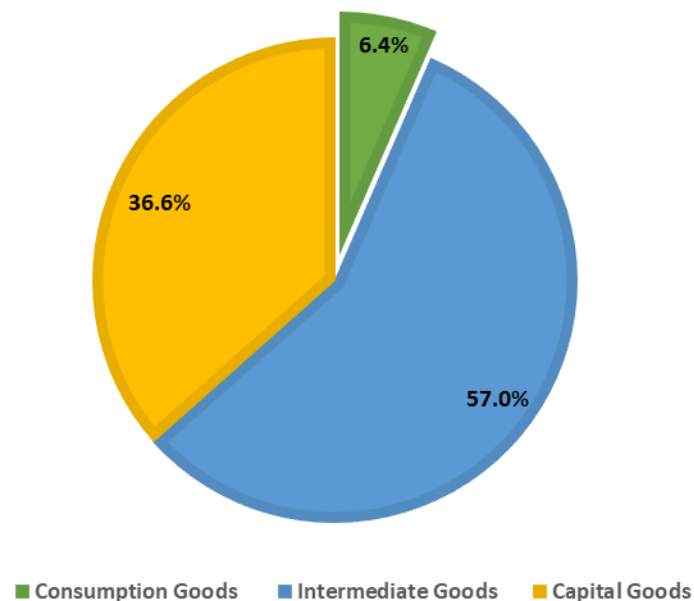


Table 5: Main Contribution to Imports by End Use Categories

Description	Value (BND Million)			Share (%)		
	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p
Capital Goods	459.1	267.8	261.9	38.9	37.3	36.6
Mineral Fuels	279.2	122.3	101.8	23.7	17.0	14.2
Machinery and Transport Equipment	96.9	66.7	95.4	8.2	9.3	13.3
Manufactured Goods	48.4	36.8	24.2	4.1	5.1	3.4
Others	34.6	42.0	40.5	2.9	5.9	5.7
Intermediate Goods	679.6	410.9	407.9	57.6	57.3	57.0
Mineral Fuels	431.5	180.7	134.4	36.6	25.2	18.8
Machinery and Transport Equipment	109.8	75.6	108.1	9.3	10.5	15.1
Food	32.0	51.4	66.4	2.7	7.2	9.3
Others	106.3	103.2	99.0	9.0	14.4	13.8
Consumption Goods	41.8	39.0	46.4	3.5	5.4	6.4
Food	9.6	15.7	20.8	0.8	2.2	2.9
Machinery and Transport Equipment	8.6	5.9	8.5	0.7	0.8	1.2
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	3.3	4.0	6.1	0.3	0.6	0.8
Others	20.3	13.4	11.0	1.7	1.8	1.5
Total	1,180.5	717.7	716.2	100.0	100.0	100.0

Notes: ^p = provisional

Main Mode of Transport

The main mode of transport for Brunei Darussalam's international merchandise trading is sea transport, followed by air transport, land transport and other modes of transport.

In December 2020, the total value of goods transported by sea for both exports and imports were BND1,415.4 million. The relative share of sea transport accounted for 98.9 per cent of goods exported from and 87.0 per cent of goods imported into Brunei Darussalam. Goods transported by air contributed about 1.0 per cent of goods exports and 8.8 per cent of goods imports, meanwhile cross border trading via land recorded 0.1 per cent of exported goods and 4.2 per cent of imported goods.

Table 6: Exports and Imports by Mode of Transport

Mode of Transport	Value (BND Million)			Contribution (%)		
	Dec-19	Nov -20	Dec-20 ^p	Dec-19	Nov -20	Dec-20 ^p
Exports	1,390.8	545.7	800.6	100.0	100.0	100.0
Air	3.3	7.1	7.6	0.2	1.3	1.0
Sea	1,386.6	537.6	792.1	99.7	98.5	98.9
Land	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.1	0.2	0.1
Others	-	-	-	-	-	-
Imports	1,180.5	717.7	716.2	100.0	100.0	100.0
Air	96.4	68.1	62.9	8.2	9.5	8.8
Sea	1,060.7	622.1	623.3	89.8	86.7	87.0
Land	23.4	27.5	30.0	2.0	3.8	4.2
Others	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Notes: p = provisional '-' = Nil

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Merchandise Exports

Exports by Commodity Section

For the whole year 2020, the merchandise exports fell by 7.7 per cent to BND9,121.8 million in 2020 from BND9,886.2 million in 2019. This was mainly contributed by decreases in the exports of Machinery and Transport Equipment by 77.9 per cent followed by Crude Materials Inedible (73.5 per cent) and Manufactured Goods (72.7 per cent). On the other hand, exports in Chemicals and Miscellaneous Transactions increases by 352.4 per cent and 110.7 per cent respectively.

Meanwhile, the highest share of total exports was contributed by exports of Mineral Fuels with 80.0 per cent (BND7,294.8 million) followed by Chemicals (16.7 per cent) and Machinery and Transport Equipment (0.8 per cent).

Table 7: Exports by Commodity Sections, January-December 2020

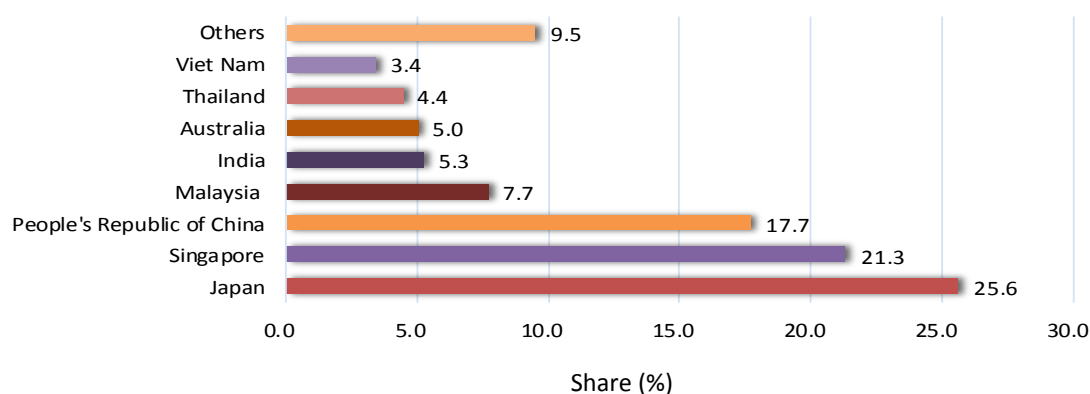
Section	Value (BND Million)		Change (%)	Contribution (%)
	Jan-Dec 2019	Jan-Dec 2020 ^p	Annual	2020
Food	13.9	14.0	0.7	0.2
Beverages and Tobacco	0.1	0.1	-42.4	0.0
Crude Materials Inedible	32.5	8.6	-73.5	0.1
Mineral Fuels	9,031.4	7,294.8	-19.2	80.0
Animal And Vegetable Oils and Fats	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0
Chemicals	337.0	1524.6	352.4	16.7
Manufactured Goods	82.0	22.4	-72.7	0.2
Machinery and Transport Equipment	311.9	68.9	-77.9	0.8
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	68.5	29.9	-56.4	0.3
Miscellaneous Transactions	8.4	17.7	110.7	0.2
TOTAL	9,886.2	9,121.8	-7.7	100.0

Note: p = provisional

Exports by Trading Partners

Brunei Darussalam's exports market was mainly to Japan with 25.6 per cent. This was followed by Singapore (21.3 per cent) and People's Republic of China (17.7 per cent).

Chart 5: Share (%) of Exports by Trading Partners



Merchandise Imports

Imports by Commodity Section

The merchandise imports increased by 5.5 per cent from BND6,956.9 million in 2019 to BND7,338.6 million in 2020. This was mainly due to the increase in imports of Chemicals (36.8 per cent), Animals and Vegetables Oils and Fats (24.9 per cent) and Food (14.7 per cent).

Meanwhile Mineral Fuels recorded the highest share of total imports with 36.5 per cent (BND2,679.6 million) followed by Machinery and Transport Equipment (26.5 per cent) and Manufactured Goods (11.3 per cent).

Table 8: Imports by Commodity Sections, January-December 2020

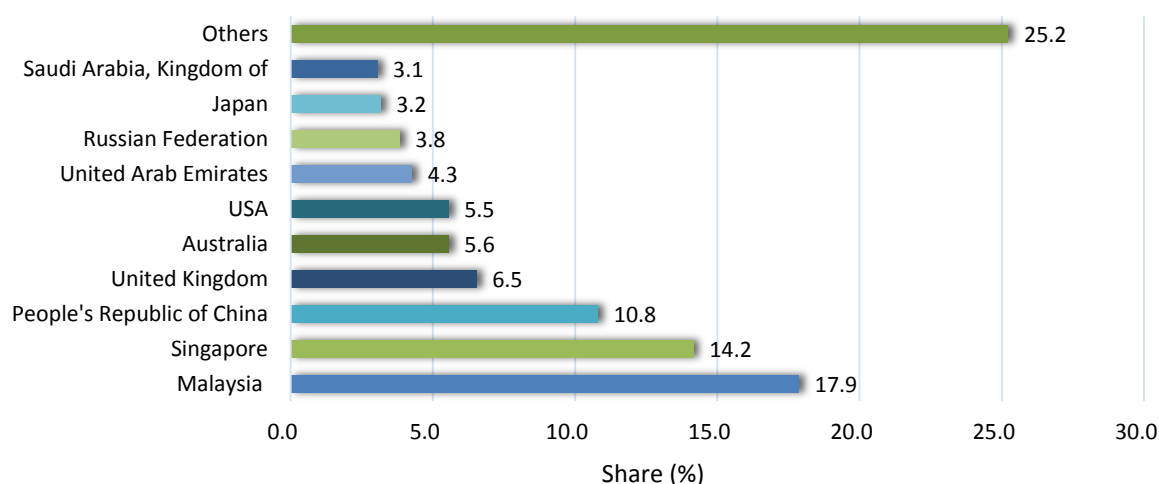
Section	Value (BND Million)		Change (%)	Contribution (%)
	Jan-Dec 2019	Jan-Dec 2020 ^p	Annual	2020
Food	616.9	707.8	14.7	9.6
Beverages and Tobacco	56.9	59.4	4.4	0.8
Crude Materials Inedible	32.0	23.5	-26.6	0.3
Mineral Fuels	2,341.6	2,679.6	14.4	36.5
Animal And Vegetable Oils and Fats	16.9	21.1	24.9	0.3
Chemicals	489.4	669.3	36.8	9.1
Manufactured Goods	965.0	827.1	-14.3	11.3
Machinery and Transport Equipment	2,048.3	1,944.5	-5.1	26.5
Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	379.7	404.8	6.6	5.5
Miscellaneous Transactions	10.1	1.6	-84.2	0.0
TOTAL	6,956.9	7,338.6	5.5	100.0

Note: p = provisional

Imports by Trading Partners

The highest share of imports in 2020 came from Malaysia accounting for 17.9 per cent. This was followed by Singapore and People's Republic of China with 14.2 per cent and 10.8 percent respectively.

Chart 6: Share (%) of Imports by Trading Partners



TECHNICAL NOTES

1. Introduction

The International Merchandise Trade Statistics (IMTS) are compiled on a monthly basis based on the imports and exports data submitted by the Royal Customs and Excise Department, Ministry of Finance and Economy through customs declarations, and the Ministry of Energy. The general system of recording IMTS adopted by Brunei Darussalam covers imports, domestic exports and re-exports that have been cleared through customs.

2. Coverage of Merchandise

All goods imported into or exported from Brunei Darussalam are included in the IMTS.

The following classes of goods are excluded:

- currency notes and coins in circulation;
- personal and household effects which do not incur any Brunei Darussalam customs duty and which are taken by passengers for their own use;
- stores and fuel supplied to Brunei ships and aircraft;
- articles on loan or rent, for example, equipment for oil surveys and experimental drilling, etc.;
- goods in transit;
- fish and other marine products landed from Brunei Darussalam fishing vessels direct from fishing grounds;
- goods imported and exported by or on behalf of diplomatic services; and
- goods imported by the armed forces.

3. Time of Recording

Brunei Darussalam uses the 'release date' as its time of recording, which provides the time/date that stipulated in source documents when goods enter or leave the economic territory.

4. Valuation

Imports are valued at CIF, that is, the value of goods at the frontier of the exporting trading partners plus the cost of insurance and freight and any other charges when sold for export to Brunei Darussalam. Custom duties are not included in the value of imports.

Exports are valued at FOB, that is, the value of goods to be purchased abroad up to the point where the goods are deposited on board the outgoing vessel, aircraft and/or vehicle. Goods on consignment are valued at the current import price for imports and the current export price for exports.

Goods are recorded at their market value. Values are reported in millions of Brunei dollars. Data reported in foreign currencies are converted into local currency at the prevailing market exchange rate on the date of permit clearance.

5. Commodity Classification

Commodity items reported are classified in accordance with the Brunei Darussalam Trade Classification and Customs Duties 2017. This classification incorporates the ASEAN Harmonized Tariff Nomenclature (AHTN), which is based on the 6-digits Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System Nomenclature (H.S) developed by the World Customs Organisation (WCO).

For International comparability in this report, import and export are classified according to the United Nations Standard Trade Classification, Revision 4 (SITC Rev. 4) for the purpose of international comparability of statistics on external trade.

The imports data can also be categorized according to their end-use categories, namely Capital, Intermediate or Consumption based on Brunei Darussalam's Broad Economic Categories (BDBEC), which is adapted from United Nation, the Fifth revision of Broad Economic Categories.

The BDBEC is classified in accordance with Broad Economic Category introduced by the United Nations and as a means for converting data compiled in terms of SITC into end-use categories.

The BDBEC provides categories which can be aligned into 3 large classes of goods in the System of National Accounts (SNA):

- Capital Goods are used as a means of producing other goods or services.
- Intermediate Goods are semi-processed, semi-manufactured and industrial-supplies; and transformed or used up in the production of goods and services.
- Consumption Goods are final product mainly used by households for final consumption.

6. Mode of transport

Merchandise trade in goods by mode of transport are compiled according to the means of transport used when goods enter or leave the economic territory of the economy. The following classifications are the main categories of the mode of transport:

1. Air;
2. Sea;
3. Land; and
4. Others include postal consignments, mail or courier shipments and goods crossing the border not to attribute a transaction to any specific mode of transport categories.

The method of transport used for the carriage of goods is recorded as the mode of transport such as aircraft, vehicle, vessel and other type of transport of goods. The mode of transport for imports refers to the last mode of transport by which the cargo was transported to the port of clearance into the economy whereas, for exports the mode of transport information records the last mode of transport with which cargo crossed the customs border on its exit from the economy.

Appendix 1: Exports, Imports, Total Trade and Trade Balance

Period	Value (BND Million)					
	Exports			Imports	Total Trade	Trade Balance
	Total	Domestic Exports	Re-Exports			
2019	9,886.2	9,275.4	610.9	6,956.9	16,843.1	2,929.3
Q1	2,534.7	2,378.7	155.9	1,231.1	3,765.8	1,303.6
Q2	2,101.0	1,963.3	137.8	1,589.4	3,690.5	511.6
Q3	1,976.2	1,842.6	133.6	1,257.3	3,233.5	719.0
Q4	3,274.3	3,090.7	183.6	2,879.1	6,153.4	395.2
Jan	952.6	877.7	74.9	484.1	1,436.7	468.5
Feb	701.9	682.1	19.8	337.0	1,038.9	364.9
Mar	880.2	819.0	61.2	410.0	1,290.2	470.2
Apr	748.5	707.9	40.6	421.5	1,170.0	327.0
May	718.1	661.1	57.1	572.6	1,290.7	145.5
Jun	634.4	594.1	40.1	595.4	1,229.8	39.0
Jul	670.8	605.6	65.2	419.0	1,089.8	251.8
Aug	686.7	649.2	37.5	405.3	1,092.0	281.4
Sep	618.8	587.8	30.9	433.0	1,051.8	185.8
Oct	769.6	725.4	44.2	725.4	1,495.0	44.2
Nov	1,113.9	1,050.3	63.6	973.2	2,087.1	140.7
Dec	1,390.8	1,315.0	75.8	1,180.5	2,571.3	210.3
2020	9,121.8	9,010.9	110.9	7,338.6	16,460.4	1,783.2
Q1	3,381.0	3,351.0	30.0	1,351.6	4,732.7	2,029.4
Q2	2,129.8	2,112.5	17.4	1,449.2	3,579.1	680.6
Q3	1,726.7	1,704.3	22.4	2,171.8	3,898.5	-445.0
Q4	1,884.2	1,843.1	41.1	2,366.0	4,250.3	-481.8
Jan	1,196.8	1,192.3	4.4	608.8	1,805.6	588.0
Feb	1,121.2	1,111.1	10.1	389.5	1,510.7	731.7
Mar	1,063.1	1,047.6	15.5	353.3	1,416.4	709.8
Apr	727.3	719.6	7.7	416.4	1,143.7	310.9
May	865.2	862.6	2.6	437.6	1,302.8	427.6
Jun	537.4	530.3	7.1	595.2	1,132.6	-57.8
Jul	508.5	507.5	1.0	822.2	1,330.7	-313.7
Aug	620.8	610.5	10.3	763.8	1,384.6	-143.0
Sep	597.4	586.3	11.1	585.7	1,183.1	11.7
Oct	537.9	531.6	6.3	932.1	1,470.0	-394.2
Nov	545.7	527.2	18.4	717.7	1,263.4	-172.0
Dec ^p	800.6	784.3	16.4	716.2	1,516.8	84.4

Notes: p = provisional

Appendix 2: Merchandise Exports by Commodity Section

Period	Value (BND Million)										
	Total	Food	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude Materials Inedible	Mineral Fuels	Animal & Vegetable Oils & Fats	Chemicals	Manufactured Goods	Machinery and Transport Equipment	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	Miscellaneous Transactions
2019	9,886.2	13.9	0.1	32.5	9,031.4	0.4	337.0	82.0	311.9	68.5	8.4
Jan	952.6	1.2	0.0	1.0	850.5	0.0	55.9	11.6	26.2	5.6	0.6
Feb	701.9	0.4	0.0	2.6	659.0	0.1	22.5	1.9	12.0	2.8	0.6
Mar	880.2	1.2	0.0	3.6	813.9	0.1	3.9	5.7	44.0	7.0	0.7
Apr	748.5	1.8	0.0	2.0	688.9	0.1	9.5	12.4	24.2	9.2	0.5
May	718.1	1.8	0.0	4.8	638.5	0.0	20.7	4.5	41.3	5.6	0.9
Jun	634.4	0.9	0.0	1.9	555.9	0.0	28.2	15.5	25.9	4.8	1.2
Jul	670.8	1.5	0.0	3.2	591.7	0.1	13.8	5.5	46.3	7.7	1.1
Aug	686.7	1.2	0.0	3.7	631.3	0.0	17.4	4.1	25.1	3.1	0.7
Sep	618.8	1.2	0.0	4.2	567.1	0.1	19.3	3.1	19.2	4.0	0.5
Oct	769.6	1.1	0.0	2.5	701.1	0.0	23.7	5.8	22.8	10.6	0.8
Nov	1,113.9	1.2	0.0	2.5	1,024.1	0.0	59.4	10.4	10.8	5.0	0.6
Dec	1,390.8	0.5	0.0	0.5	1,308.3	0.0	62.8	1.5	14.0	3.0	0.2
2020	9,121.8	14.0	0.1	8.6	7,435.5	0.1	1,524.6	22.4	68.9	29.9	17.7
Jan	1,196.8	0.2	0.0	0.4	1,047.4	-	138.3	5.4	2.8	2.1	0.2
Feb	1,121.2	0.8	0.0	0.8	970.7	0.0	138.6	1.8	6.7	1.6	0.2
Mar	1,063.1	0.8	0.0	0.5	908.5	0.0	137.7	1.4	11.8	2.3	0.2
Apr	727.3	1.3	0.0	0.6	624.6	-	90.6	3.1	6.7	0.4	0.0
May	865.2	4.8	0.0	0.4	613.2	-	235.2	0.1	1.6	4.1	5.8
Jun	537.4	1.8	0.0	0.2	417.6	0.0	109.1	0.8	5.9	0.6	1.3
Jul	508.5	1.2	-	0.2	414.6	0.0	88.6	0.2	0.5	1.7	1.4
Aug	620.8	0.3	0.0	0.3	505.0	-	102.1	0.6	7.7	2.7	2.0
Sep	597.4	0.5	0.0	1.1	438.7	0.0	142.6	2.5	5.7	3.1	3.4
Oct	537.9	0.2	0.0	1.8	442.3	-	88.3	1.2	3.1	1.0	0.1
Nov	545.7	1.6	0.0	0.9	405.8	0.0	118.6	1.9	7.5	7.6	1.7
Dec ^p	800.6	0.5	0.0	1.6	647.3	0.0	134.9	3.4	9.0	2.7	1.3

Notes: ^p = provisional '-' = Nil

Figures may not tally due to rounding.

Appendix 3: Merchandise Imports by Commodity Section

Period	Value (BND Million)										
	Total	Food	Beverages and Tobacco	Crude Materials Inedible	Mineral Fuels	Animal & Vegetable Oils & Fats	Chemicals	Manufactured Goods	Machinery and Transport Equipment	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	Miscellaneous Transactions
2019	6,956.9	616.9	56.9	32.0	2,341.6	16.9	489.4	965.0	2,048.3	379.7	10.1
Jan	484.1	52.2	4.4	2.6	35.8	1.8	73.2	110.4	168.5	34.1	0.9
Feb	337.0	40.7	3.8	1.2	30.5	0.9	30.7	64.6	137.1	26.8	0.7
Mar	410.0	59.0	5.0	2.3	30.9	1.6	34.3	83.2	168.5	24.3	0.8
Apr	421.5	69.2	5.8	3.2	24.1	1.7	26.9	80.9	172.1	36.8	0.8
May	572.6	58.3	7.2	4.2	201.8	1.5	56.0	72.6	132.6	37.7	0.6
Jun	595.4	46.3	4.8	2.2	257.9	1.1	50.4	57.5	150.5	23.9	0.7
Jul	419.0	54.6	4.3	2.7	56.8	1.4	40.1	70.3	153.8	32.5	2.4
Aug	405.3	52.6	4.7	3.1	37.8	1.7	29.3	51.5	196.0	27.1	1.4
Sep	433.0	44.5	4.2	2.8	41.9	1.2	29.5	78.7	195.0	34.6	0.6
Oct	725.4	48.6	4.5	3.6	296.8	1.2	36.5	107.6	192.7	33.3	0.7
Nov	973.2	49.3	4.0	2.2	604.9	1.4	30.5	78.1	166.2	36.3	0.4
Dec	1,180.5	41.6	4.2	1.8	722.3	1.3	52.1	109.5	215.4	32.4	0.1
2020	7,338.6	707.8	59.3	23.5	2,679.6	21.1	669.3	827.1	1,944.5	404.8	1.6
Jan	608.8	47.3	4.2	2.8	223.7	1.2	45.9	113.8	134.0	35.7	0.2
Feb	389.5	37.2	3.8	1.5	152.4	1.7	25.2	33.7	113.6	20.3	0.1
Mar	353.3	45.2	4.3	1.4	125.9	1.2	25.1	40.4	86.4	23.4	0.0
Apr	416.4	45.3	5.5	1.2	116.4	1.0	46.8	48.2	126.4	25.6	0.0
May	437.6	55.0	6.2	3.1	63.8	2.7	60.0	55.3	163.3	28.2	0.1
Jun	595.2	50.8	4.2	2.4	97.8	1.6	74.6	92.1	242.6	28.9	0.1
Jul	822.2	70.4	4.7	2.7	329.8	2.4	74.9	104.2	200.9	32.1	0.1
Aug	763.8	68.4	4.8	2.6	334.8	1.9	69.3	56.1	186.2	39.6	0.1
Sep	585.7	63.7	5.1	1.1	181.3	2.2	70.4	75.4	147.9	38.2	0.5
Oct	932.1	70.2	5.6	1.5	507.5	1.5	62.5	64.0	183.0	36.2	0.1
Nov	717.7	67.1	4.6	1.5	307.5	1.7	61.4	85.1	148.3	40.5	0.1
Dec ^p	716.2	87.2	6.3	1.8	238.6	2.0	53.1	59.0	211.9	56.1	0.1

Notes: *p* = provisional

Figures may not tally due to rounding.

Appendix 4 : Exports of Oil and Gas and Non-Oil and Gas Sector

Period	Exports	Value (BND Million)		Contribution (%)	
		Oil and Gas ⁽¹⁾ Sector ^r	Non-Oil and ⁽²⁾ Gas Sector	Oil and Gas Sector	Non-Oil and Gas Sector
2019	9,886.2	8,215.5	1,670.7	83.1	16.9
Q1	2,534.7	2,323.2	211.4	91.7	8.3
Q2	2,101.0	1,883.2	217.8	89.6	10.4
Q3	1,976.2	1,789.9	186.3	90.6	9.4
Q4	3,274.3	2,219.1	1,055.2	67.8	32.2
Jan	952.6	850.4	102.2	89.3	10.7
Feb	701.9	659.0	42.9	93.9	6.1
Mar	880.2	813.9	66.3	92.5	7.5
Apr	748.5	688.9	59.7	92.0	8.0
May	718.1	638.5	79.7	88.9	11.1
Jun	634.4	555.9	78.5	87.6	12.4
Jul	670.8	591.6	79.2	88.2	11.8
Aug	686.7	631.2	55.5	91.9	8.1
Sept	618.8	567.1	51.7	91.6	8.4
Oct	769.6	700.9	68.7	91.1	8.9
Nov	1,113.9	720.1	393.8	64.6	35.4
Dec	1,390.8	798.2	592.6	57.4	42.6
2020	9,121.8	4,684.2	4,437.6	51.4	48.6
Q1	3,381.0	1,902.0	1,479.0	56.3	43.7
Q2	2,129.8	945.6	1,184.3	44.4	55.6
Q3	1,726.7	880.7	846.0	51.0	49.0
Q4	1,884.2	955.9	928.3	50.7	49.3
Jan	1,196.8	704.5	492.2	58.9	41.1
Feb	1,121.2	654.2	467.0	58.3	41.7
Mar	1,063.1	543.2	519.9	51.1	48.9
Apr	727.3	325.0	402.4	44.7	55.3
May	865.2	309.2	556.0	35.7	64.3
Jun	537.4	311.5	225.9	58.0	42.0
Jul	508.5	299.1	209.4	58.8	41.2
Aug	620.8	298.4	322.4	48.1	51.9
Sep	597.4	283.3	314.2	47.4	52.6
Oct	537.9	314.7	223.3	58.5	41.5
Nov	545.7	230.0	315.7	42.1	57.9
Dec ^p	800.6	411.3	389.3	51.4	48.6

Note: (1) – Includes Crude Oil and LNG

(2) – Includes Methanol and Other Petroleum and Gas Products

p = provisional

Figures may not tally due to rounding.

Appendix 5: Exports of Crude Oil and LNG by Trading Partners

Trading Partners	Value (BND Million)			Change (%)	
	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p	y-o-y	m-o-m
Total	798.2	230.0	411.3	-48.5	78.8
Crude Oil	383.8	64.5	140.7	-63.3	118.1
Australia	58.2	-	19.0	-67.4	0.0
People's Republic of China	-	-	54.2	100.0	100.0
India	117.4	32.2	38.1	-67.5	18.3
Japan	29.1	-	-	-100.0	-
Philippines	30.6	-	-	-100.0	-
Singapore	117.1	16.1	-	-100.0	-100.0
Thailand	31.5	16.1	29.3	-7.0	82.0
LNG	414.4	165.5	270.6	-34.7	63.5
Japan	321.6	93.3	217.0	-32.5	132.6
People's Republic of China	92.8	53.5	23.7	-74.5	-55.7
Taiwan	-	18.7	-	-	-100.0
Thailand	-	-	29.9	100.0	100.0

Notes: *p* = provisional y-o-y = year-on-year m-o-m = month-on-month '—' = Nil
 Figures may not tally due to rounding.

Appendix 6: Exports and Imports by Trading Partners

Trading Partners	Value (BND Million)			Change (%)	
	Dec-19	Nov-20	Dec-20 ^p	y-o-y	m-o-m
Exports by Trading Partners					
People's Republic of China	162.0	122.2	249.3	53.9	104.0
Japan	352.7	100.5	236.0	-33.1	134.8
Singapore	427.7	139.7	82.9	-80.6	-40.7
Thailand	32.4	20.3	60.7	87.3	199.0
Malaysia	57.2	41.2	40.5	-29.2	-1.7
India	117.5	32.9	38.3	-67.4	16.4
Philippines	36.7	37.6	30.1	-18.0	-19.9
Viet Nam	9.8	10.8	22.9	133.7	112.0
Others	113.6	77.6	50.9	-55.2	-34.4
Total	1,390.8	545.7	800.6	-42.4	46.7
Imports by Trading Partners					
Malaysia	104.3	211.4	141.9	36.0	-32.9
Singapore	89.1	69.8	125.2	40.5	79.4
Australia	4.6	4.6	101.6	2,108.7	1,973.5
Iraq	-	-	66.7	100.0	100.0
Russia	0.1	57.4	66.1	66,000.0	15.2
People's Republic of China	109.6	57.8	54.6	-50.2	-5.5
USA	30.7	34.5	32.3	5.2	-6.4
Indonesia	14.9	15.0	20.9	40.3	39.3
Thailand	10.5	16.4	13.4	27.6	-18.3
Germany	70.0	8.9	13.2	-81.1	48.3
Others	716.7	199.5	80.3	-88.8	-59.7
Total	1,180.5	717.7	716.2	-39.3	-0.2

Notes: *p* = provisional *y-o-y* = year-on-year *m-o-m* = month-on-month

Figures may not tally due to rounding.

Appendix 7: Imports by End Use Categories

Period	Value (BND Million)			
	Imports	Capital	Intermediate	Consumption
2019	6,956.9	2,450.5	4,085.5	421.0
Q1	1,231.1	423.0	713.8	94.3
Q2	1,589.4	517.4	961.4	110.7
Q3	1,257.3	416.3	742.3	98.7
Q4	2,879.1	1,093.8	1,668.0	117.3
Jan	484.1	170.7	278.3	35.1
Feb	337.0	114.4	196.6	26.0
Mar	410.0	137.9	238.9	33.2
Apr	421.5	138.0	246.3	37.2
May	572.6	179.7	353.4	39.5
Jun	595.4	199.7	361.7	34.0
Jul	419.0	131.6	252.7	34.7
Aug	405.3	135.6	237.1	32.6
Sep	433.0	149.1	252.5	31.4
Oct	725.4	269.8	418.8	36.8
Nov	973.2	364.9	569.6	38.7
Dec	1,180.5	459.1	679.6	41.8
2020	7,338.6	2,579.9	4,311.0	447.6
Q1	1,351.6	375.6	879.7	96.3
Q2	1,449.2	510.8	836.9	101.5
Q3	2,171.7	809.5	1,240.8	121.4
Q4	2,366.0	884.0	1,353.6	128.4
Jan	608.8	169.9	396.8	42.1
Feb	389.5	126.6	238.9	24.0
Mar	353.3	79.1	244.0	30.2
Apr	416.4	140.7	246.2	29.5
May	437.6	146.1	255.9	35.6
Jun	595.2	224.0	334.8	36.4
Jul	822.2	314.8	464.9	42.5
Aug	763.8	283.1	439.3	41.4
Sep	585.7	211.6	336.6	37.5
Oct	932.1	354.3	534.8	43.0
Nov	717.7	267.8	410.9	39.0
Dec ^p	716.2	261.9	407.9	46.4

Notes: p = provisional

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Appendix 8: Merchandise Goods by Mode of Transport

Period	Value (BND Million)							
	Exports				Imports			
	Air	Sea	Land	Others	Air	Sea	Land	Others
2019	151.8	9,707.6	26.8	0.0	815.4	5,907.9	233.1	0.5
Q1	50.8	2,477.6	6.3	0.0	198.5	979.6	52.9	0.1
Q2	28.6	2,063.8	8.5	0.0	160.0	1,373.6	55.8	0.1
Q3	37.6	1,931.2	7.4	-	205.9	989.9	61.3	0.2
Q4	34.7	3,235.0	4.6	-	251.1	2,564.8	63.1	0.1
Jan	25.0	924.8	2.8	-	59.8	404.8	19.5	0.0
Feb	10.7	690.0	1.1	0.0	49.1	273.3	14.6	0.0
Mar	15.0	862.8	2.3	-	89.6	301.4	18.9	0.1
Apr	12.7	733.5	2.3	0.0	54.5	347.7	19.2	0.0
May	7.0	708.3	2.8	0.0	55.9	496.3	20.4	0.0
Jun	8.9	622.1	3.4	0.0	49.6	529.6	16.2	0.0
Jul	12.9	655.5	2.4	-	67.0	331.1	21.0	0.0
Aug	11.4	672.9	2.3	-	61.7	322.0	21.4	0.2
Sept	13.3	602.8	2.7	-	77.1	336.9	18.9	0.0
Oct	22.4	745.3	1.9	-	63.5	642.2	19.6	0.0
Nov	9.0	1,103.0	1.9	-	91.2	861.9	20.0	0.1
Dec	3.3	1,386.6	0.9	-	96.4	1,060.7	23.4	0.0
2020	55.0	9,060.9	6.0	-	762.9	6,345.6	229.8	0.3
Q1	10.0	3,369.8	1.2	-	186.7	1,130.4	34.4	0.1
Q2	14.1	2,114.9	0.8	-	200.8	1,207.9	40.3	0.2
Q3	13.7	1,711.3	1.7	-	187.7	1,906.9	77.1	0.0
Q4	17.1	1,864.8	2.3	-	187.7	2,100.4	78.0	0.0
Jan	1.7	1,194.8	0.3	-	73.8	518.8	16.2	0.0
Feb	4.5	1,116.2	0.4	-	67.9	311.7	10.0	0.0
Mar	3.9	1,058.8	0.4	-	45.0	300.0	8.3	0.0
Apr	2.2	724.7	0.4	-	38.3	368.2	9.9	0.0
May	7.3	857.7	0.2	-	59.4	361.7	16.5	0.0
Jun	4.6	532.5	0.2	-	103.1	478.1	13.9	0.1
Jul	2.0	506.3	0.2	-	89.6	706.6	25.9	0.0
Aug	4.0	616.5	0.3	-	55.8	682.7	25.4	0.0
Sep	7.7	588.5	1.2	-	42.3	517.7	25.8	0.0
Oct	2.4	535.1	0.3	-	56.6	855.0	20.5	0.0
Nov	7.1	537.6	1.0	-	68.1	622.1	27.5	0.0
Dec ^p	7.6	792.1	0.9	-	62.9	623.3	30.0	0.0

Notes: ^p = provisional '—' = Nil

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