

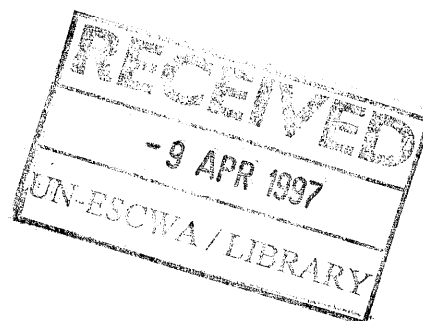
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INTRODUCTION

This statistical summary provides basic trade and payments series for the countries of Western Asia for the nineteen sixties and the early years of the nineteen seventies. The tables were compiled from national and international sources. The series provide a picture of the trend in aggregate trade, in both national currency units and United States dollars, the geographical and commodity distribution of trade, intraregional trade flows, and the payments and reserve position of member countries.

Explanatory Notes

Trade classification

Trade flows are presented according to the Standard International Trade Classification, Revised (SITC, Revised).^{1/} However, the conversion to SITC, from the national commodity classification in the case of Dubai of the United Arab Emirates, and from the Brussels Tariff Nomenclature (BTN), in the case of Lebanon and Saudi Arabia, could not be done precisely and, therefore, some of the SITC classes are not exact in their coverage. Trade in monetary gold whether in the form of bullion, coins, unrefined, partly worked, rolled, waste and sweepings is accordingly excluded from both exports and imports. Unless otherwise mentioned, ammunition, bunkers, stores for ships and aircrafts are also excluded.

Systems of trade

(a) Special trade:

Imports are the combined total of imports directly for domestic consumption (including transformation and repair) and withdrawals from bonded warehouses or free zones for domestic consumption.

Exports comprise exports of national merchandise, namely, goods wholly or partly produced or manufactured in the country, together with exports of nationalized goods. The latter are goods which, having been included in special imports, are then exported without transformation.

(b) General trade:

Imports are the combined total of imports directly for domestic consumption and imports into a bonded warehouse or free zone.

Exports are the combined total of national exports and re-exports. Re-exports, in the general trade system, consist of the outward movement of nationalized goods plus goods which, after importation, move outward from a bonded warehouse or free zone without having been transformed.

^{1/} Statistical Papers, Series M, No. 34 (United Nations publications, sales No. 61.XVII.6).

Valuation

Imports are valued c.i.f. - the value at which the goods were purchased by the importer plus the cost of transportation and insurance to the frontier of the importing country. Exports are valued f.o.b. - the value at which the goods were sold by the exporter including the cost of transportation and insurance to bring the goods onto the carrier at the frontier of the exporting country.

Currency conversion

Conversion from national currencies to United States dollars is done by means of currency conversion factors calculated by the International Monetary fund on the basis of official exchange rates (mainly par values and central rates). Values in currencies subject to fluctuation^{1/} are converted into United States dollars using weighted average exchange rates: the exchange rate, or the simple average rate in effect during each month weighted by the corresponding monthly trade returns.

Abbreviations

ACM	:	Arab Common Market
BTN	:	Brussels Tariff Nomenclature
CAEU	:	Council of Arab Economic Unity
CMEA	:	Council of Mutual Economic Assistance
ECWA	:	Economic Commission for Western Asia
EEC	:	European Economic Community
EFTA	:	European Free Trade Association
IBRD	:	International Bank for Reconstruction and Development
IMF	:	International Monetary Fund
n.i.e.	:	not included elsewhere
SDRs	:	Special Drawing Rights
SITC (R)	:	Standard International Trade Classification, Revised.

Notes on Commodity Groupings

SITC 0	:	Food and live animals
SITC 1	:	Beverages and tobacco
SITC 2	:	Crude materials, inedible except fuels
SITC 3	:	Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials
SITC 4	:	Animal and vegetable oils and fats
SITC 5	:	Chemicals

^{1/} Such currencies increased in number beginning December 1971.

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SITC 6 : Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material
SITC 7 : Machinery and transport equipment
SITC 8 : Miscellaneous manufactured articles
SITC 9 : Commodities and transactions not elsewhere specified

Explanation of Symbols

... Not available
- Nil or negligible
* Provisional

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Table I-A. Trade conversion factors (period averages), 1961-1973
(National currency units per US dollar)

Country	Currency unit	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Bahrain ^{1/}	Dinar	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4386	0.3947
Democratic Yemen	Dinar	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3610	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4115	0.3831	0.3509
Iraq	Dinar	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3289	0.3009
Jordan	Dinar	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3300
Kuwait	Dinar	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3289	0.2976
Lebanon	Pound	3.079	3.009	3.100	3.071	3.072	3.137	3.206	3.162	3.261	3.269	3.232	3.047	2.606
Oman ^{1/}	Rial	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.3837	0.3837	0.3454
Qatar ^{1/}	Riyal	...	...	...	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.386	4.386	3.948
Saudi Arabia	Riyal	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.500	4.145	3.689
Syrian Arab Republic	Pound	3.58	3.70	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	4.32	3.97
United Arab Emirates	Dirham	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Abu Dhabi ^{2/}	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.4263	4.5022	4.3234	4.0637	3.9474
Dubai ^{3/}	...	...	...	...	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.386	4.386	3.948
Yemen ^{4/}	Rial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
imports	...	...	...	...	1.09	1.45	2.09	...	...	4.39	5.58	4.99	4.70	4.51
exports	...	...	...	...	0.98	1.40	2.43	...	...	4.50	5.27	5.40	5.02	4.50

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics (various issues); United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (various issues); and United Nations, Yearbook of International Trade Statistics, 1972-1973.

1/ End of period exchange rates used as trade conversion factors (see Table I-B).

2/ Prior to 1973, the currency unit of Abu Dhabi was the Bahraini dinar.

3/ Prior to 1973, the currency unit of Dubai was the Qatar/Dubai Riyal equivalent to one Dirham.

4/ Trade conversion factors used are the implicit exchange rates computed from the trade values in Yemeni rials and US dollars as published in the United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics.

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Table I-B. Exchange rates,^{1/} 1961-1973
(National currency units per US dollar)

Country	Currency unit	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Bahrain	Dinar	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4762	0.4386	0.4386	0.3948
Democratic Yemen	Dinar	0.3571	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.3831	0.3831	0.3448
Iraq	Dinar	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3289	0.3289	0.2961
Jordan	Dinar	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3289
Kuwait	Dinar	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3571	0.3289	0.3279	0.2967
Lebanon	Pound	3.02	3.06	3.08	3.08	3.07	3.17	3.13	3.18	3.25	3.25	3.16	3.01	2.51
Oman	Rial	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.4167	0.3837	0.3837	0.3454
Qatar	Riyal	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.762	4.386	4.386	3.948
Saudi Arabia	Riyal	4.09	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.14	4.14	3.55
Syrian Arab Republic	Pound	3.58	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.82	3.80
United Arab Emirates	Dirham	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.947
Yemen	Rial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.240	...	5.500	4.690	4.690	4.575

Source: United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (various issues).

^{1/} End of period rates representing the average of selling and buying rates (mid-point rates).

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Table II-A-1. Value of exports (f.o.b.) in current prices, 1961-1973
(Millions of national currency units)

Country	Currency Sys- unit	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Bahrain ^{1/}	Dinar	S ...	10.98	10.62	11.45	10.74	12.60	14.69	18.49	19.87	25.16	28.41	32.29	32.01
Democratic Yemen ^{2/}	Dinar	S ^{3/} 41.37	42.37	45.96	49.91	46.28	45.41	40.36	43.09	55.88	56.45	39.66	...	...
Iraq	Dinar	Si 233.59	243.06	275.69	297.05	311.71	330.28	294.20	367.18	368.19	390.63	548.94	450.07	687.20
Jordan	Dinar	Si 4.25	4.93	5.52	7.01	7.75	8.76	9.98	12.17	11.92	9.32	8.82	12.61	14.01
Kuwait ^{4/}	Dinar	G 354.79	372.93	392.34	434.64	444.09	479.28	484.40	517.70	550.10	590.90	893.80	981.30	1,129.80
Lebanon	Pound	S 124.28	166.04	177.55	191.96	265.54	316.21	367.39	449.85	525.10	609.33	788.60	1,079.86	1,289.21
Oman ^{5/}	Rial	S ...	...	...	0.96	0.87	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.39	0.43	0.40	0.61
Qatar	Riyal	S ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saudi Arabia ^{6/}	Riyal	S 4,227.38	4,626.04	5,287.65	5,967.55	6,838.38	7,614.18	7,853.08	9,117.26	8,961.66	10,906.46	17,301.77	22,757.77	...
Syrian Arab Republic	Pound	S 392.95	616.98	719.42	672.43	640.82	661.29	591.23	672.97	789.92	775.34	743.35	1,097.60	1,344.28
United Arab Emirates ^{7/}	Dirham													
Abu Dhabi ^{8/}	G	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36.60	38.50	33.10	35.60	...
Dubai ^{9/}	G	...	...	...	...	...	56.09	59.48	95.72	93.08	120.80	135.83	179.12	222.51
Yemen	Rial	G ...	...	...	4.86	7.02	7.28	...	...	17.96	15.76	21.57	20.07	36.01

Source: Bahrain, Statistical Bureau, Foreign Trade: Bahrain Imports and Exports Classified by SITC (revised); & Statistical Abstract (various issues).
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Iraq, Foreign Trade Statistics Yearbook (various issues); Summary of Foreign Trade (various issues); Statistical Abstract (various issues);
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Oman, Statistical Abstract (various issues).
Qatar, Qatar Imports (various issues).
Saudi Arabia, Foreign Trade Statistics (various issues).

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Table II-A-1. (continued)

Source: Syrian Arab Republic, Statistics of the Foreign Trade of Syria: Classified according to the SITC (revised) (various issues).
 United Arab Emirates, Government of Abu Dhabi, Foreign Trade Statistical Report and Statistical Abstract (various issues).
 United Arab Emirates, Dubai, External Trade Statistics and Annual Trade Review (various issues).

Yemen Arab Republic, Statistical Yearbook (various issues); and Foreign Trade Statistics (various issues).
 United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (various issues).

System: G= General trade; S= Special trade; Si= Semi special or domestic trade (general trade less all re-exports).

- 1/ Excluding exports of refined products; but including stores and bunkers for ships and aircraft.
- 2/ Excluding ships stores and bunker oil amounting to dinars 23.55, 24.28, 23.68, 24.38, 20.47, 22.50, 8.59, 2.69, 3.92, 4.21 and 3.94 millions for 1961-1971, respectively.
- 3/ Prior to 1972, general trade.
- 4/ Due to inavailability of values of oil exports in national sources prior to 1973, these were taken from United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (various issues).
- 5/ Non-oil exports. Government oil revenues, amounted to rials 1.9, 25.5, 38.6, 44.4, 47.7, 49.6 and 61.3 millions for 1967-1973, respectively.
- 6/ Prior to 1968, data refer to Hijri years, which is about 11 days shorter than the Gregorian year (see Table V-A-9).
- 7/ Comprising Abu Dhabi, Ajman, Dubai, Fujairah, Ras al-Khaimah, Sharjah and Umm al Qaiwain.
- 8/ Excluding oil exports and consisting entirely of re-exports.
- 9/ Excluding oil exports with domestic exports amounting to Dirhams 4.38, 5.63, 5.70, 6.17, 3.01, 8.88, 4.05 and 6.51 millions in the period 1966-1973, respectively.

Table II-A-2. Value of exports (f.o.b.) in current prices, 1961-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

Sys-tem	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>Oil economies</u>													
Bahrain	S	...	23.06	22.30	24.04	22.55	26.46	30.85	38.83	41.73	59.64	73.62	81.10
Iraq	Si	654.13	680.65	772.02	831.84	872.89	924.89	823.86	1,028.23	1,031.06	1,537.22	1,368.41	2,283.82
Kuwait	G	993.53	1,044.33	1,098.68	1,217.14	1,243.60	1,342.14	1,356.48	1,449.73	1,540.46	2,502.94	2,983.58	3,796.37
Oman	S	...	...	...	2.30	2.09	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.12	1.04	1.77
Qatar	S	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saudi Arabia	S	939.42	1,028.01	1,175.03	1,326.12	1,519.64	1,692.04	1,745.13	2,026.06	1,991.48	3,844.84	5,057.28	...
United Arab Emirates													
Abu Dhabi	G	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8.27	7.66	8.76	...
Dubai	G	...	...	...	...	11.78	12.49	20.10	19.55	25.37	30.97	40.84	56.37
<u>Non-oil economies</u>													
Democratic Yemen	S	115.85	118.65	128.70	139.76	129.60	127.16	111.80	103.41	134.10	96.38	...	...
Jordan	Si	11.90	13.80	15.46	19.63	21.70	24.53	27.95	34.08	33.38	24.70	35.31	42.45
Lebanon	S	40.37	55.18	57.27	62.51	86.45	100.80	114.59	142.27	161.02	244.00	354.40	494.71
Syrian Arab Republic	S	109.76	166.75	188.33	176.03	167.75	173.11	154.77	176.17	206.78	194.59	254.07	338.61
Yemen	G	...	...	...	5.08	5.01	3.00	...	...	3.99	3.99	3.99	8.00
For reference:													
1/ Total ECWA region													
3,280.00 3,641.00 3,974.00 4,397.00 4,722.00 5,378.00 5,396.00 6,166.00 6,486.00 7,271.00 10,643.00 13,264.00 18,593.00													
Oil economies													
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For sources and notes, see Tables I-A and II-A-1.

1/ The Asian Middle East excluding Cyprus, Iran and Turkey (see: United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics).

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Table II-B-1. Value of imports (c.i.f.) in current prices, 1961-1973
(Millions of national currency units)

Country	Currency Sys- unit	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Bahrain ^{1/}	Dinar S	...	31.18	33.01	37.93	38.75	42.03	45.45	52.02	57.94	80.13	105.00	100.10	127.82
Democratic Yemen	Dinar S ^{2/}	82.89	85.81	97.00	106.09	107.53	101.93	72.07	84.45	90.92	83.76	64.88	...	...
Iraq	Dinar Si	145.47	128.63	113.33	146.40	160.38	175.56	150.17	144.11	156.90	180.80	247.87	234.68	270.32
Jordan	Dinar Si	41.90	45.63	50.93	50.35	56.05	68.21	55.05	57.47	67.75	65.88	76.63	95.31	108.20
Kuwait	Dinar G	89.05	101.86	115.65	115.08	134.70	165.28	211.89	218.32	230.78	223.27	232.31	262.18	310.58
Lebanon ^{3/}	Pound S	977.40	998.12	1,097.80	1,214.94	1,388.62	1,545.65	1,425.46	1,574.47	1,717.19	1,836.97	2,174.37	2,684.70	3,617.86
Oman ^{4/}	Rial S	...	...	...	2.40	3.25	3.39	3.59	4.04	5.62	7.59	13.78	18.71	40.67
Qatar	Riyal S	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	252.18	305.49	515.87	607.26	...
Saudi Arabia ^{5/}	Riyal S	1,089.73	1,163.41	1,270.59	1,573.56	1,987.81	2,192.17	2,141.99	2,526.80	3,304.73	3,116.81	3,625.09	4,664.52	...
Syrian Arab Republic	Pound S	710.50	852.27	897.47	896.39	810.08	1,101.45	1,008.61	1,156.89	1,405.40	1,365.61	1,668.71	2,053.30	2,340.44
United Arab Emirates ^{6/}														
Abu Dhabi	Dirham G	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	551.20	332.80	425.80	702.30	...
Dubai	Dirham G	...	...	...	204.71	239.98	311.39	476.89	761.08	921.95	959.90	1,059.02	1,474.66	2,341.01
Yemen	Rial G	...	...	...	22.94	27.62	56.40	...	...	157.85	178.45	184.84	376.24	564.25

Source: See Table II-A-1.

1/ Excluding crude oil imports.

2/ Prior to 1972, general trade.

3/ Import values are reported by the Lebanese Customs at the official rate of exchange of the United States dollar and the Syrian pound to the Lebanese pound. The value of total imports was adjusted, by the Central Statistical Bureau of Lebanon, to the free market rate by applying the official dollar and pound correction coefficients.

4/ Private sector imports as recorded with the Customs Department.

5/ Prior to 1968, data refer to Hijri years, which is about 11 days shorter than the Gregorian year (see Table V-A-9).

6/ Comprising Abu Dhabi, Ajman, Dubai, Fujairah, Ras al-Khaimah, Sharjah and Umm al Qaiwain.

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Table II-B-2. Value of imports (o.i.f.) in current prices, 1961-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	Sys- tem	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>Oil economies</u>														
Bahrain	S	...	65.48	69.32	79.65	81.37	88.26	95.44	109.24	121.67	168.27	220.50	228.23	323.76
Iraq	Si	407.36	360.21	317.36	409.97	449.12	491.63	420.53	403.56	439.37	506.30	694.12	713.53	898.37
Kuwait	G	249.37	285.24	323.86	322.26	377.20	462.84	593.36	611.37	646.26	625.23	650.55	797.14	1,043.62
Oman	S	...	...	...	5.76	7.80	8.14	8.62	9.70	13.49	18.21	35.91	48.76	117.75
Qatar	S	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52.96	64.15	117.62	153.81	...
Saudi Arabia	S	242.16	258.54	282.35	349.68	441.74	487.15	476.00	561.51	734.38	692.62	805.58	1,125.34	...
<u>United Arab Emirates</u>														
Abu Dhabi	G	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124.53	73.92	98.49	172.82	...
Dubai	G	...	...	...	42.99	50.39	65.39	100.14	159.82	193.60	201.57	241.45	336.22	593.05
<u>Non-oil economies</u>														
Democratic Yemen	S	232.12	240.30	271.63	297.09	301.12	285.44	199.64	202.66	218.19	201.08	157.67	...	...
Jordan	Si	117.33	127.78	142.62	141.00	156.96	191.01	154.16	160.94	189.72	184.49	214.59	266.90	327.88
Lebanon	S	317.48	331.71	354.13	395.64	452.10	492.72	444.62	497.93	526.58	561.94	672.76	881.10	1,388.28
Syrian Arab Republic	S	198.46	230.34	234.94	234.66	212.06	288.34	264.03	302.85	367.90	357.49	436.84	475.30	589.53
Yemen	G	...	...	...	21.04	19.05	26.98	...	...	35.96	31.98	37.04	80.01	125.00
For reference:														
Total ECWA region ^{1/}		2,083	2,185	2,307	2,550	2,735	3,048	2,950	3,103	3,511	3,573	4,263	5,187	7,056
Oil economies		1,198	1,227	1,270	1,418	1,564	1,739	1,863	1,922	2,167	2,231	2,738	3,365	4,645
Non-oil economies		885	958	1,037	1,132	1,171	1,309	1,087	1,181	1,344	1,342	1,525	1,822	2,411

For sources and notes, see Tables I-A-1 and II-B-1.

^{1/} The Asian Middle East excluding Cyprus, Iran and Turkey (see: United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics).

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Table II-C. Quantum, unit value and terms of trade^{1/} indices, 1960-1973

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>Iraq (1969 = 100)</u>														
Quantum index														
exports	63.2	64.9	67.2	76.5	82.7	87.1	92.6	82.1	99.5	100	...	...	...	...
imports	87.5	93.6	87.1	77.9	92.0	102.4	115.5	99.2	98.6	100	...	...	...	...
Unit value index														
exports	100.6	97.6	98.2	97.9	97.5	97.2	96.9	97.7	99.8	100	...	...	...	...
imports	101.0	99.0	94.0	93.1	102.0	101.1	97.0	97.0	93.0	100	...	...	...	...
Terms of trade	99.6	98.6	104.4	105.1	95.6	96.2	99.8	100.7	107.2	100	...	...	...	...
<u>Jordan (1962 = 100)</u>														
Quantum index														
exports	87	103	100	103	166	160	198	222	270	231	172	168	237	269
imports	69	102	100	141	132	140	172	133	125	145	137	165	176	203
Unit value index														
exports	97	96	100	97	99	105	103	116	125	129	112	101	113	113
imports	101	103	100	101	101	101	104	109	110	113	122	130	130	144
Terms of trade	96	93	100	96	98	104	99	106	114	114	92	78	87	78
<u>Lebanon (1970 = 100)</u>														
Quantum index														
exports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	100	130	161	...
imports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	100	120	147	...
Unit value index														
exports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	91	100	99	110	...
imports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	100	99	98	...
Terms of trade	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	101	100	100	112	...

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Table II-C. (continued)

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>Saudi Arabia (1968 = 100)</u>														
Quantum index														
exports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	105	124	155	...	...
imports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	114	120	129	...	...
Unit value index														
exports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	99	97	123	...	...
imports	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	107	108	112	...	...
Terms of trade									100	93	89	110	...	...
<u>Syrian Arab Republic (1970 = 100)</u>														
Quantum index														
exports	76	67	99	119	111	102	90	75	81	102	100	82	100	93
imports	105	80	95	79	78	70	87	74	82	112	100	105	105	125
Unit value index														
exports	88	105	113	97	97	99	80	97	103	103	100	120	140	174
imports	75	83	79	92	96	94	103	104	100	97	100	116	139	168
Terms of trade	117	126	143	105	101	105	78	93	103	106	100	103	101	104

Source: For Iraq, United Nations, Studies on Development Problems in Selected countries of the Middle East, 1972 (Sales No. E.72.II.C.1); Jordan, Statistical Abstract, 1973; Lebanon, Bank of Lebanon, Annual Report, 1973; Saudi Arabia, Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency, Annual Report, 1973/1974; and Syrian Arab Republic, Statistical Abstract, 1974.

1/ Unit value index of exports divided by unit value index of imports.

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Table II-D. Annual average growth rates of exports and imports, 1961-1970 and 1970-1973
(In per cent)

	EXPORTS (f.o.b.)					IMPORTS (c.i.f.)				
	1961-1970 ^{1/}	1970-1973	1970-1971	1971-1972	1972-1973	1961-1970 ^{1/}	1970-1973	1970-1971	1971-1972	1972-1973
<u>Oil economies</u>										
Bahrain ^{2/ 3/}	11.4	15.4	12.9	23.4	10.2	11.0	24.0	31.0	3.5	41.8
Iraq	5.6	28.0	40.5	-11.0	66.9	2.9	21.0	37.1	2.8	25.9
Kuwait	5.7	32.0	51.3	19.2	27.2	12.3	18.6	4.0	22.5	30.9
Oman ^{2/}	-11.0	23.0	19.1	-7.1	70.2	18.4	90.0	97.2	35.8	141.5
Qatar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	83.4	30.8	...
Saudi Arabia	10.7	...	58.6	31.5	...	13.7	...	16.3	39.7	...
United Arab Emirates:										
Abu Dhabi ^{2/}	...	...	-10.0	14.4	...	...	...	33.2	75.5	...
Dubai ^{2/}	21.9	31.0	22.1	31.9	38.0	34.1	43.0	19.8	39.2	76.4
<u>Non-oil economies</u>										
Democratic Yemen	0.3	...	-28.9	...	...	-2.8	...	-21.6	...	...
Jordan	4.2	17.6	-5.4	43.0	20.2	4.9	21.0	16.3	24.4	22.8
Lebanon	18.3	38.0	30.9	45.2	39.6	6.6	35.0	19.7	31.0	57.6
Syrian Arab Republic	3.9	18.6	-4.1	30.6	33.3	6.6	18.1	22.2	8.8	24.0
Yemen	...	39.0	33.4	0.0	100.5	...	50.0	15.8	116.0	56.2
For reference:										
Total ECWA region ^{4/}	9.0	37.0	46.4	24.6	40.2	6.4	25.0	19.3	21.7	36.0
Oil economies	9.5	38.0	50.1	24.5	40.6	7.8	28.0	22.7	22.9	38.0
Non-oil economies	3.9	20.0	3.6	26.3	33.9	4.2	21.0	13.6	19.5	32.2

Source: Computed from data given in Tables II-A-2 and II-B-2.

^{1/} Except for Bahrain (1962-1970), Oman (1964-1970) and Dubai (1966-1970 for exports and 1964-1970 for imports).

^{2/} Excluding trade in oil and products.

^{3/} Including ships stores and bunkers.

^{4/} The Asia Middle East excluding Cyprus, Iran and Turkey (see: United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics).

Table III-A. Geographical distribution of exports, 1962-1964, 1968-1970, 1971, 1972 and 1973
(Millions of US dollars; percentages)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference	
		Total	9								Original 6	AGM
Oil economies												
Value												
1962-1964	234.77	1,903.88	1,264.84	82.96	5.60	4.50	203.66	524.96	481.22	3,441.51	47.57	51.30
1968-1970	257.51	3,054.46	2,255.97	173.76	11.24	5.48	151.64	918.35	1,317.47	5,889.91	42.80	54.99
1971	296.91	5,154.18	3,863.19	265.22	18.09	3.00	307.63	1,365.82	2,042.03	9,452.88	58.92	72.11
1972	280.38	5,953.20	4,658.55	309.40	9.15	3.09	415.06	1,661.63	2,527.04	11,158.95	47.53	71.78
1973	255.91	8,112.34	6,214.39	414.79	15.67	20.48	843.43	2,689.38	3,365.34	15,717.34	58.76	101.22
Share												
1962-1964	6.8	55.3	36.8	2.4	0.2	0.1	5.9	15.2	14.0	100.0	1.4	1.5
1968-1970	4.4	51.8	38.3	3.0	0.2	0.1	2.6	15.6	22.4	100.0	0.7	0.9
1971	3.1	54.5	40.9	2.8	0.2	-	3.2	14.4	21.6	100.0	0.6	0.8
1972	2.5	53.3	41.7	2.8	0.1	-	3.7	14.9	22.6	100.0	0.4	0.6
1973	1.6	51.6	39.5	2.6	0.1	0.1	5.4	17.1	21.4	100.0	0.4	0.6
Bahrain												
Value												
1962-1964 ^{a/}	10.54	48.47	9.70	28.53	-	-	2.10	12.43	23.37	125.40	-	-
1968-1970	8.50	20.70	10.70	25.20	-	-	9.03	12.83	46.14	122.40	-	0.13
1971	10.20	21.00	10.40	17.70	-	-	16.60	21.20	96.70	183.40	-	0.10
1972 ^{a/}	10.90	25.00	4.50	17.60	-	-	25.40	23.50	80.00	182.40	-	0.20
1973 ^{a/}	0.30 ^{b/}	40.00	3.10	9.50	-	-	17.00	67.60	97.40	231.80	-	0.30
Share												
1962-1964 ^{a/}	8.4	38.7	7.7	22.8	-	-	1.7	9.9	18.6	100.0	-	-
1968-1970	6.9	16.9	8.7	20.6	-	-	7.4	10.5	37.7	100.0	-	0.1
1971	5.6	11.4	5.7	9.6	-	-	9.0	11.6	52.7	100.0	-	-
1972 ^{a/}	6.0	13.7	2.5	9.6	-	-	13.9	12.9	43.8	100.0	-	0.1
1973 ^{a/}	0.1 ^{b/}	17.2	1.3	4.1	-	-	7.3	29.2	42.0	100.0	-	0.1

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Table III-A. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference		
		Total									ACM	CLES	
		9	Original 6										
Iraq													
Value													
1962-1964	34.43	537.77	396.30	24.27	5.60	4.50	7.70	31.93	121.97	768.17	5.37	8.97	
1968-1970	71.04	660.64	609.88	30.57	11.24	5.48	13.27	7.64	264.22	1,064.10	32.22	41.36	
1971	90.50	894.42	828.84	66.29	18.09	3.00	37.53	3.19	418.72	1,531.74	37.59	48.67	
1972	59.63	662.44	595.42	72.44	9.15	3.09	26.13	4.70	371.53	1,209.11	24.54	33.55	
1973 ^a	46.81	1,062.45	994.69	118.30	10.51	3.18	36.39	3.00	445.95	1,726.59	25.99	44.18	
Share													
1962-1964	4.5	70.0	51.6	3.2	0.7	0.6	1.0	4.2	15.9	100.0	0.7	1.2	
1968-1970	6.7	62.1	57.3	2.9	1.0	0.5	1.2	0.7	24.8	100.0	3.0	3.9	
1971	5.9	58.4	54.1	4.3	1.2	0.2	2.4	0.2	27.3	100.0	2.4	3.2	
1972	4.9	54.8	49.2	6.0	0.8	0.2	2.2	0.4	30.7	100.0	2.0	3.2	
1973 ^a	2.7	61.5	57.6	6.8	0.6	0.2	2.1	0.2	25.8	100.0	1.5	2.6	
Kuwait													
Value													
1962-1964	34.63	893.27	517.00	3.53	-	-	77.40	239.03	109.41	1,357.27	17.30	17.30	
1968-1970	38.04	1,068.23	672.00	24.30	-	-	36.31	267.17	325.36	1,759.41	3.24	4.00	
1971	23.60	1,512.30	980.44	29.37	-	-	36.04	378.76	479.26	2,459.33	8.63	8.67	
1972	7.42	1,647.00	1,180.98	27.49	-	-	51.53	500.19	584.35	2,817.98	8.72	10.55	
1973	162.09	1,724.90	1,115.93	15.76	5.16	17.30	79.15	717.60	1,073.75	3,795.71	21.25	32.57	
Share													
1962-1964	2.6	65.8	38.1	0.3	-	-	5.7	17.6	8.1	100.0	1.3	1.3	
1968-1970	2.2	60.7	38.2	1.4	-	-	2.1	15.2	18.5	100.0	0.2	0.2	
1971	1.0	61.5	39.9	1.2	-	-	1.5	15.4	19.5	100.0	0.4	0.4	
1972	0.3	58.4	41.9	1.0	-	-	1.8	17.7	20.7	100.0	0.3	0.4	
1973	4.3	45.4	29.4	0.4	0.1	0.4	2.1	18.9	28.3	100.0	0.6	0.8	/...

Table III-A. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference		
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU	
Oman													
Value													
1962-1964	2.93	10.53	10.43	-	-	-	-	0.03	2.43	15.97	-	-	
1968-1970	0.72	294.74	257.71	41.96	-	-	-	54.57	6.89	398.88	0.44	0.59	
1971	0.92	414.48	383.25	45.19	-	-	-	73.54	7.20	541.33	0.80	0.91	
1972	0.64	144.53	100.27	58.66	-	-	2.80	115.68	34.63	356.94	0.39	0.64	
1973	0.39	177.02	65.27	41.67	-	-	12.92	137.65	20.88	390.53	-	0.39	
Share													
1962-1964	18.3	65.9	65.3	-	-	-	-	0.2	15.5	100.0	-	-	
1968-1970	0.2	73.9	64.6	10.5	-	-	-	13.7	1.7	100.0	0.1	0.1	
1971	0.2	76.6	70.8	8.3	-	-	-	13.6	1.3	100.0	0.1	0.2	
1972	0.2	40.5	28.1	16.4	-	-	0.8	32.4	9.7	100.0	0.1	0.2	
1973	0.1	45.3	16.7	10.7	-	-	3.3	35.2	5.3	100.0	-	0.1	
Qatar													
Value													
1962-1964	7.67	71.87	55.87	-	-	-	5.33	-	14.93	99.80	-	-	
1968-1970	2.01	172.19	113.97	9.58	-	-	0.03	-	28.33	212.14	0.07	0.08	
1971	4.32	237.88	145.44	25.72	-	-	-	-	18.67	286.59	0.03	0.06	
1972	6.56	292.62	203.35	17.35	-	-	5.94	4.18	14.54	341.19	0.06	0.11	
1973	7.61	378.46	269.82	32.64	-	-	13.36	6.66	8.59	447.32	0.09	0.19	
Share													
1962-1964	7.7	72.0	56.0	-	-	-	5.3	-	15.0	100.0	-	-	
1968-1970	0.9	81.2	53.7	4.5	-	-	-	-	13.4	100.0	-	-	
1971	1.5	83.0	50.7	9.0	-	-	-	-	6.5	100.0	-	-	
1972	1.9	85.8	59.6	5.1	-	-	1.7	1.2	4.3	100.0	-	-	
1973	1.7	84.6	60.3	7.3	-	-	3.0	1.5	1.9	100.0	-	-	

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Table III-A. (continued)

Saudi Arabia	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference	
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU
Value												
1962-1964	138.94	308.67	263.97	26.63	-	-	111.13	232.37	207.49	1,025.23	24.90	25.03
1968-1970	128.76	755.13	591.71	17.78	-	-	53.35	495.91	623.81	2,074.74	6.83	8.72
1971	163.55	1,969.29	1,514.82	43.69	-	-	125.64	681.13	1,000.95	3,984.25	11.83	13.50
1972	193.01	2,710.90	2,226.26	62.43	-	-	248.82	808.11	1,430.61	5,453.88	13.74	21.29
1973 ^{a/}	38.29 ^{b/}	3,917.90	3,108.32	127.07	-	-	567.44	1,257.09	1,707.87	7,615.66	11.31	23.05
Share												
1962-1964	13.6	30.1	25.7	2.6	-	-	10.8	22.7	20.2	100.0	2.4	2.4
1968-1970	6.2	36.4	28.5	0.8	-	-	2.6	23.9	30.1	100.0	0.3	0.4
1971	4.1	49.4	38.0	1.1	-	-	3.2	17.1	25.1	100.0	0.3	0.3
1972	3.5	49.7	40.8	1.1	-	-	4.6	14.8	26.2	100.0	0.2	0.4
1973 ^{a/}	0.5 ^{b/}	51.4	40.8	1.7	-	-	7.4	16.5	22.4	100.0	0.1	0.3
United Arab Emirates ^{a/}												
Value												
1962-1964	5.63	33.30	11.57	-	-	-	-	9.17	1.57	49.67	-	-
1968-1970	8.44	82.83	-	24.37	-	-	39.65	80.23	22.72	258.24	-	0.11
1971	3.82	104.81	-	37.26	-	-	91.82	208.00	20.53	466.24	0.04	0.20
1972	2.22	470.71	347.77	53.43	-	-	54.44	205.27	11.38	797.45	0.08	0.44
1973	0.42	811.61	657.26	69.85	-	-	117.17	499.78	10.90	1,509.73	0.12	0.54
Share												
1962-1964	11.3	67.0	23.3	-	-	-	-	18.5	3.2	100.0	-	-
1968-1970	3.3	32.1	-	9.4	-	-	15.4	31.1	8.8	100.0	-	-
1971	0.8	22.5	-	8.0	-	-	19.7	44.6	4.4	100.0	-	-
1972	0.3	59.0	43.6	6.7	-	-	6.8	25.7	1.4	100.0	-	-
1973	-	53.8	43.5	4.6	-	-	7.8	33.1	0.7	100.0	-	-
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Table III-A. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference		
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU	
													Original
<u>Non-oil economies</u>													
<u>Value</u>													
1962-1964	122.22	104.94	59.00	5.69	46.03	17.63	7.57	11.14	144.61	459.83	39.04	63.83	
1968-1970	177.69	94.50	58.06	4.30	54.18	12.26	8.19	27.67	153.82	532.61	69.29	108.00	
1971	195.61	114.06	91.60	6.54	66.04	9.33	14.74	16.00	157.18	579.80	86.27	132.47	
1972	268.00	97.08	67.70	6.81	102.35	20.64	29.37	13.35	181.22	718.82	94.89	149.54	
1973	339.09	252.01	215.06	19.83	104.92	33.42	64.45	14.46	319.29	1,147.52	123.89	189.88	
<u>Share</u>													
1962-1964	26.6	22.8	12.8	1.2	10.0	3.8	1.6	2.4	31.4	100.0	8.5	13.9	
1968-1970	33.4	17.7	10.9	0.8	10.2	2.3	1.5	5.2	28.9	100.0	13.0	20.3	
1971	33.7	19.7	15.8	1.2	11.4	1.6	2.5	2.8	27.1	100.0	14.9	22.8	
1972	37.3	13.5	9.4	0.9	14.2	2.9	4.1	1.8	25.2	100.0	13.2	20.8	
1973	29.5	22.0	18.7	1.7	9.1	2.9	5.6	1.3	27.8	100.0	10.8	16.5	
<u>Democratic Yemen</u>													
<u>Value</u>													
1962-1964	24.63	41.43	7.33	0.13	0.10	-	1.07	8.73	120.24	196.33	2.37	17.27	
1968-1970	9.77	32.24	5.14	0.06	0.04	0.02	0.91	16.54	73.42	133.00	2.54	10.34	
1971	13.38	15.85	3.43	0.01	-	1.35	5.24	9.14	59.72	104.69	0.18	11.40	
1972 ^{a/}	12.43	6.94	1.84	-	0.01	2.66	3.24	6.37	26.05	57.70	0.34	8.46	
1973 ^{a/}	14.76	14.31	4.35	0.45	0.01	3.96	27.51	4.99	31.88	97.87	0.50	8.77	
<u>Share</u>													
1962-1964	12.5	21.1	3.7	0.1	-	-	0.5	4.4	61.2	100.0	1.2	8.8	
1968-1970	7.3	24.2	3.9	-	-	-	0.7	12.4	55.2	100.0	1.9	7.8	
1971	12.8	15.1	3.3	-	-	1.3	5.0	8.7	57.0	100.0	0.2	10.9	
1972	21.5	12.0	3.2	-	-	4.6	5.6	11.0	45.1	100.0	0.6	14.7	
1973	15.1	14.6	4.4	0.4	-	4.0	28.1	5.1	32.6	100.0	0.5	9.0	
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Table III-A. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CWBA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference	
		Total	9 Original 6								ACM	CEU
<u>Jordan</u>												
Value												
1962-1964	11.23	0.20	0.20	-	1.13	-	-	0.17	3.67	16.40	4.17	6.50
1968-1970	21.76	0.04	0.03	-	0.52	0.59	-	0.22	15.09	38.22	8.17	13.62
1971	17.92	0.01	-	-	0.46	-	0.01	0.48	13.16	32.04	7.65	11.40
1972	24.36	0.14	0.13	-	0.59	-	-	1.75	20.78	47.62	9.86	14.72
1973	28.76	0.06	0.03	-	0.52	-	-	2.13	25.88	57.35	12.23	17.88
<u>Share</u>												
1962-1964	68.5	1.2	1.2	-	6.9	-	-	1.0	22.4	100.0	25.4	39.6
1968-1970	56.9	0.1	0.1	-	1.4	1.5	-	1.6	39.5	100.0	21.4	35.6
1971	55.9	-	-	-	1.4	-	-	1.5	41.1	100.0	23.9	35.6
1972	51.2	0.3	0.3	-	1.2	-	-	3.7	43.6	100.0	20.7	30.9
1973	50.1	0.1	-	-	0.9	-	-	3.7	45.1	100.0	21.3	31.2
<u>Lebanon</u>												
Value												
1962-1964	30.93	11.17	8.00	1.13	5.13	0.10	3.23	0.07	10.11	61.87	17.67	23.23
1968-1970	87.85	18.06	11.44	2.18	8.62	0.01	6.24	0.34	39.03	162.33	37.41	56.14
1971	131.89	25.37	16.40	2.39	11.84	0.02	7.57	0.41	64.51	244.00	63.08	91.02
1972	176.26	37.83	19.75	3.31	18.96	0.05	24.33	1.34	92.29	354.37	67.59	105.90
1973 ^a	234.37	153.11	130.92	11.36	26.15	0.08	34.39	3.68	182.12	645.26	86.83	135.25
<u>Share</u>												
1962-1964	50.0	18.0	12.9	1.8	8.3	0.2	5.2	0.1	16.3	100.0	28.6	37.5
1968-1970	54.1	11.1	7.0	1.3	5.3	-	3.8	0.2	24.0	100.0	23.0	34.6
1971	54.0	10.4	6.7	1.0	4.8	-	3.1	0.2	26.4	100.0	25.8	37.3
1972	49.7	10.7	5.6	0.9	5.4	-	6.9	0.4	26.0	100.0	19.1	29.9
1973 ^a	36.3	23.7	20.3	1.8	4.0	-	5.3	0.6	28.2	100.0	13.4	21.0
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Table III-A. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference		
		Total	Original 6								ACM	CAEU	
													Total 9
Syrian Arab Republic													
Value													
1962-1964	51.83	50.07	41.70	4.43	39.67	17.53	3.27	0.87	9.73	177.40	14.83	16.83	
1968-1970	54.68	43.74	41.10	2.00	44.70	11.64	1.04	9.56	25.02	192.38	21.17	27.86	
1971	30.91	72.75	71.65	4.41	53.36	6.35	1.92	5.47	19.56	194.73	15.36	18.65	
1972	53.42	51.92	45.74	3.41	82.40	16.28	1.80	3.77	41.76	254.76	17.10	20.46	
1973	59.06	83.95	79.20	7.97	77.78	28.06	2.51	1.89	77.82	339.04	24.33	27.98	
Share													
1962-1964	29.2	28.2	23.5	2.5	22.4	9.9	1.8	0.5	5.5	100.0	8.4	9.5	
1968-1970	28.4	22.7	21.4	1.0	23.2	6.0	0.5	5.0	13.0	100.0	11.0	14.5	
1971	15.9	37.4	36.8	2.3	27.4	3.3	1.0	2.8	10.0	100.0	7.9	9.6	
1972	21.0	20.4	18.0	1.3	32.3	6.4	0.7	1.5	16.4	100.0	6.7	8.0	
1973	17.4	24.8	23.4	2.4	22.9	8.3	0.7	0.6	23.0	100.0	7.2	8.2	
Yemen													
Value													
1962-1964 ^{a/}	3.60	2.07	1.77	-	-	-	-	1.30	0.86	7.83	-	-	
1968-1970 ^{a/}	3.63	0.42	0.35	0.06	0.30	-	-	1.01	1.26	6.68	-	0.04	
1971	1.51	0.08	0.07	0.03	0.38	1.61	-	0.50	0.23	4.34	-	-	
1972	1.53	0.25	0.24	0.09	0.39	1.65	-	0.12	0.34	4.37	-	-	
1973	2.14	0.58	0.56	0.10	0.46	1.32	0.04	1.77	1.59	8.00	-	-	
Share													
1962-1964 ^{a/}	46.0	26.4	22.6	-	-	-	-	16.6	11.0	100.0	-	-	
1968-1970 ^{a/}	54.3	6.3	5.2	0.9	4.5	-	-	15.1	18.9	100.0	-	0.6	
1971	34.8	1.8	1.6	0.7	8.8	37.1	-	11.5	5.3	100.0	-	-	
1972	35.0	5.7	5.5	2.0	8.9	37.8	-	2.7	7.8	100.0	-	-	
1973	26.8	7.2	7.0	1.2	5.8	16.5	0.5	22.1	19.9	100.0	-	-	

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Table III-A (continued)

TOTAL ECWA REGION	ECWA		EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference	
	Value	Share	Total 9	Original 6								ACM	CAEU
1962-1964	356.99	2,008.84	1,323.84	88.65	51.63	22.13	211.23	536.10	625.83	3,901.34	86.61	115.13	
1968-1970	435.20	3,148.96	2,314.03	178.06	65.42	17.74	159.83	946.02	1,471.29	6,422.52	112.09	162.99	
1971	492.52	5,268.24	3,954.79	272.06	84.13	12.33	322.37	1,381.82	2,199.21	10,032.68	145.19	204.58	
1972	548.38	6,050.28	4,726.25	316.21	111.50	23.73	444.43	1,674.98	2,708.26	11,877.77	142.42	221.32	
1973	595.00	8,364.35	6,429.45	434.67	120.59	53.90	907.88	2,703.84	3,684.63	16,864.86	182.65	291.10	
Share													
1962-1964	9.2	51.5	33.9	2.3	1.3	0.6	5.4	13.7	16.0	100.0	2.2	3.0	
1968-1970	6.8	49.0	36.0	2.8	1.0	0.3	2.5	14.7	22.9	100.0	1.7	2.5	
1971	4.9	52.5	39.4	2.7	0.8	0.1	3.2	13.8	21.9	100.0	1.4	2.0	
1972	4.6	50.9	39.8	2.7	0.9	0.2	3.7	14.1	22.8	100.0	1.2	1.9	
1973	3.5	49.6	38.1	2.6	0.7	0.3	5.4	16.0	21.8	100.0	1.1	1.7	

Source: International Monetary Fund, Direction of Trade (various issues); and United Nations, Yearbook of International Trade Statistics (1966 and 1967) for values of trade between Bahrain and Saudi Arabia during the period 1962-1964..

a/ Data derived from partner countries.

b/ Trade between Saudi Arabia and Bahrain is excluded.

Definition of markets

ACM: Egypt, Iraq, Jordan and Syrian Arab Republic.

CAEU: Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Sudan, Syrian Arab Republic and Yemen.

CMEA: Albania, Bulgaria, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, Eastern Germany, Hungary, North Korea, Poland, Roumania and the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics (USSR).

ECWA: Bahrain, Democratic Yemen, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates and Yemen.

EEC 9: Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands and the United Kingdom.

Original 6: Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, Luxembourg and Netherlands; (prior to 1973).

EFTA: Austria, Faeroe Islands, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Portugal, Sweden and Switzerland.

North America: Canada and the United States of America (USA).

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Table III-B. Geographical distribution of imports, 1962-1964, 1968-1970, 1971, 1972 and 1973
(Million of US dollars; percentages)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference			
		Total	9								Original	6	ACM	CAEU
Oil economies														
Value														
1962-1964	190.81	443.26	233.63	45.09	55.33	15.80	210.17	87.50	204.25	1,252.21	31.54	38.11		
1968-1970	311.29	834.48	500.03	93.99	124.98	42.83	290.72	236.12	386.08	2,320.49	77.26	96.25		
1971	327.44	1,122.29	636.66	133.74	210.92	40.99	427.71	358.98	477.70	3,099.77	53.62	95.41		
1972	410.65	1,327.45	797.93	168.11	228.45	45.55	625.05	585.24	588.46	3,978.96	67.26	106.52		
1973	243.32	1,804.25	1,110.35	207.23	242.03	70.12	929.80	922.80	820.99	5,239.77	83.40	106.07		
Share														
1962-1964	15.2	35.4	18.7	3.6	4.4	1.3	16.8	7.0	16.3	100.0	2.5	3.9		
1968-1970	13.4	36.0	21.5	4.0	5.4	1.8	12.5	10.2	16.6	100.0	3.3	4.1		
1971	10.6	36.2	20.5	4.3	6.8	1.3	13.8	11.6	15.4	100.0	1.7	3.1		
1972	10.3	33.4	20.0	4.2	5.7	1.1	15.7	14.7	14.8	100.0	1.7	2.7		
1973	4.6	34.4	31.3	4.0	4.6	1.3	17.7	17.6	15.7	100.0	1.6	2.0		
Bahrain														
Value														
1962-1964 ^{a/}	126.90	33.83	8.90	0.53	-	-	9.70	6.47	11.01	188.44	0.97	0.97		
1968-1970	122.17	63.70	15.47	3.60	-	-	12.80	13.87	23.83	239.97	2.03	2.10		
1971	151.30	93.00	23.50	1.80	-	-	26.20	22.60	34.90	329.80	2.20	2.20		
1972 ^{a/}	168.40	83.00	26.50	1.40	-	-	29.60	28.80	43.50	354.70	1.90	1.90		
1973 ^{a/}	1.40	103.00	34.00	7.80	-	-	46.30	31.20	58.40	248.10	1.40	1.40		
Share														
1962-1964 ^{a/}	67.3	18.0	4.7	0.3	-	-	5.1	3.4	5.8	100.0	0.5	0.5		
1968-1970	50.9	26.5	6.4	1.5	-	-	5.3	5.8	9.9	100.0	0.8	0.9		
1971	45.9	28.2	7.1	0.5	-	-	7.9	6.8	10.6	100.0	0.7	0.7		
1972 ^{a/}	47.5	23.4	7.5	0.4	-	-	8.3	8.1	12.3	100.0	0.5	0.5		
1973 ^{a/}	0.6 ^{b/}	41.5	13.7	3.1	-	-	18.7	12.6	23.5	100.0	0.6	0.6		
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Table III-B. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference		
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU	
													Original
<u>Iraq</u>													
Value													
1962-1964	14.50	131.87	74.67	23.60	54.10	12.13	46.57	13.30	68.50	364.57	9.33	10.90	
1968-1970	23.80	149.91	94.24	33.88	86.94	19.99	19.83	29.09	86.96	450.40	17.91	20.16	
1971	26.92	183.61	115.18	42.53	162.03	19.63	45.26	20.94	126.53	627.45	13.99	28.02	
1972	31.43	229.70	155.47	48.73	177.10	19.85	31.91	32.18	146.02	716.92	15.52	20.92	
1973 ^a	32.90	291.82	211.85	47.13	198.08	33.84	64.81	64.21	220.71	953.50	20.41	24.46	
<u>Share</u>													
1962-1964	4.0	36.2	20.5	6.5	14.8	3.3	12.8	3.6	18.8	100.0	2.6	3.0	
1968-1970	5.3	33.3	20.9	7.5	19.3	4.4	4.4	6.4	19.3	100.0	4.0	4.5	
1971	4.3	29.3	18.4	6.8	25.8	3.1	7.2	3.3	20.2	100.0	2.2	4.5	1
1972	4.4	32.0	21.7	6.8	24.7	2.8	4.4	4.5	20.4	100.0	2.2	2.9	2
1973 ^a	3.4	30.6	22.2	4.9	20.8	3.5	6.8	6.7	23.1	100.0	2.1	2.6	1
<u>Kuwait</u>													
Value													
1962-1964	16.37	127.93	68.13	5.73	1.23	3.67	61.70	28.83	65.11	310.57	4.87	4.87	
1968-1970	47.11	220.06	138.39	19.04	28.60	22.84	96.29	89.31	103.49	626.74	26.49	26.65	
1971	49.55	225.83	141.80	19.06	31.48	21.36	95.66	91.81	115.60	650.35	19.78	20.04	
1972	69.80	258.36	167.04	28.27	29.85	25.70	111.09	127.58	146.29	796.94	27.38	27.62	
1973	78.49	313.07	195.42	29.61	43.95	36.28	150.40	186.62	205.16	1,043.58	32.12	33.35	
<u>Share</u>													
1962-1964	5.3	41.2	21.9	1.8	0.4	1.2	19.9	9.3	21.0	100.0	1.6	1.6	
1968-1970	7.5	35.1	22.1	3.0	4.6	3.6	15.4	14.2	16.5	100.0	4.2	4.2	
1971	7.6	34.7	21.8	2.9	4.8	3.3	14.7	14.1	17.8	100.0	3.0	3.1	
1972	8.8	32.4	21.0	3.5	3.7	3.2	13.9	16.0	18.4	100.0	3.4	3.5	
1973	7.5	30.0	18.7	2.8	4.2	3.5	14.4	17.9	19.6	100.0	3.1	3.2	

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Table III-B. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference	
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU
<u>Oman</u>												
Value												
1962-1964	0.57	9.90	5.83	-	-	-	-	0.27	2.89	13.63	-	-
1968-1970	1.56	98.53	82.44	0.56	-	-	-	2.10	9.85	112.60	0.09	0.09
1971	0.08	175.75	139.70	1.48	-	-	-	4.18	10.85	192.34	0.07	0.07
1972	0.11	153.35	105.02	1.82	-	-	7.28	7.67	13.19	183.42	0.11	0.11
1973	0.15	101.24	40.46	2.81	-	-	10.23	13.84	18.97	147.24	0.15	0.81
Share												
1962-1964	4.2	72.6	42.8	-	-	-	-	2.0	21.2	100.0	-	-
1968-1970	1.4	87.5	73.2	0.5	-	-	-	1.9	8.7	100.0	0.1	0.1
1971	-	91.4	72.6	0.8	-	-	-	2.2	5.6	100.0	-	-
1972	-	83.6	57.2	1.0	-	-	4.0	4.2	7.2	100.0	-	-
1973	0.1	68.8	27.5	1.9	-	-	6.9	9.4	12.9	100.0	0.1	0.6
<u>Qatar</u>												
Value												
1962-1964	0.77	16.37	4.87	-	-	-	0.20	-	7.93	25.27	0.77	0.77
1968-1970	1.74	31.81	13.79	0.50	-	-	0.03	-	18.20	52.28	0.88	0.88
1971	6.79	61.72	19.47	0.82	-	-	-	-	11.06	80.39	0.58	0.58
1972	9.65	65.66	29.18	1.63	-	-	14.96	17.82	14.72	124.44	1.02	1.02
1973	10.00	91.07	36.14	4.86	-	-	21.27	21.73	21.36	170.29	1.51	1.78
Share												
1962-1964	3.0	64.8	19.3	-	-	-	0.8	-	31.4	100.0	3.0	3.0
1968-1970	3.3	60.8	26.4	1.0	-	-	-	-	34.8	100.0	1.7	1.7
1971	8.4	76.8	24.2	1.0	-	-	-	-	13.8	100.0	0.7	0.7
1972	7.8	52.8	23.4	1.3	-	-	12.0	14.3	11.8	100.0	0.8	0.8
1973	5.9	53.5	21.2	2.8	-	-	12.5	12.8	12.5	100.0	0.9	1.0

Table III-B. (continued)

	ECWA	UNO		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference			
		Total	9								Original	6	ACM	CAEU
Saudi Arabia														
Value														
1962-1964	31.40	105.63	70.83	15.23	-	-	92.00	32.70	48.07	325.03	15.60	20.60		
1968-1970	113.33	207.13	155.70	14.04	9.44	-	127.80	61.85	116.21	649.80	29.63	46.14		
1971	84.40	309.75	197.01	34.82	17.41	-	186.23	150.26	136.90	919.77	15.79	43.28		
1972	118.10	407.13	273.43	41.85	21.50	-	353.32	265.15	172.95	1,380.00	19.47	52.84		
1973 ^a	113.21 ^b	572.64	401.10	72.58	-	-	500.69	427.05	207.18	1,893.35	26.40	41.23		
Share														
1962-1964	9.7	32.5	21.8	4.7	-	-	28.3	10.1	14.8	100.0	4.8	6.3		
1968-1970	17.4	31.9	24.0	2.2	1.4	-	19.7	9.5	17.9	100.0	4.5	7.1		
1971	9.2	33.7	21.4	3.8	1.9	-	20.2	16.3	14.9	100.0	1.7	4.7		
1972	8.6	29.5	19.8	3.0	1.6	-	25.6	19.2	12.5	100.0	1.4	3.8		
1973 ^a	6.0 ^b	30.2	21.2	3.8	-	-	26.4	22.6	10.9	100.0	1.4	2.2		
United Arab Emirates ^a														
Value														
1962-1964	0.30	17.73	0.40	-	-	-	-	5.93	0.74	24.70	-	-		
1968-1970	1.58	63.34	-	22.37	-	-	33.97	39.90	27.54	188.70	0.23	0.23		
1971	8.40	72.63	-	33.23	-	-	74.36	69.19	41.86	299.67	1.21	1.22		
1972	13.16	130.25	41.29	44.41	-	-	76.89	106.04	51.79	422.54	1.86	2.11		
1973	7.17	331.41	191.38	42.44	-	-	135.33	173.15	89.21	783.71	1.41	3.04		
Share														
1962-1964	1.2	71.8	1.6	-	-	-	-	24.0	3.0	100.0	-	-		
1968-1970	0.8	33.6	-	11.8	-	-	18.0	21.1	14.6	100.0	0.1	0.1		
1971	2.8	24.2	-	11.1	-	-	24.8	23.1	14.0	100.0	0.4	0.4		
1972	3.1	30.8	9.8	10.5	-	-	18.2	25.1	12.2	100.0	0.4	0.5		
1973	0.9	42.3	24.4	5.4	-	-	17.3	22.7	11.4	100.0	0.2	0.4		

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Table III-B. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the World	Total	For reference		
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU	
													Original
Non-oil economies													
Value													
1962-1964	234.30	350.70	241.50	42.20	73.34	8.77	93.63	49.07	197.53	1,049.54	122.56	163.21	
1968-1970	216.00	406.94	304.59	54.50	166.65	32.04	109.10	75.13	211.71	1,272.07	126.44	168.53	
1971	222.57	485.48	376.99	65.64	171.10	27.76	176.95	81.79	252.26	1,483.55	132.31	162.69	
1972	233.85	635.46	488.83	86.72	205.04	40.91	196.51	103.58	290.46	1,792.53	147.42	167.70	
1973	278.31	1,035.20	825.95	134.96	223.61	48.89	266.11	138.47	504.07	2,629.62	184.06	200.94	
Share													
1962-1964	22.3	33.4	23.0	4.0	7.0	0.8	8.9	4.7	18.8	100.0	11.7	15.6	
1968-1970	17.0	32.0	23.9	4.3	13.1	2.5	8.6	5.9	16.6	100.0	9.9	13.2	
1971	15.0	32.7	25.4	4.4	11.5	1.9	11.9	5.5	17.0	100.0	8.9	11.0	
1972	13.0	35.4	27.3	4.8	11.4	2.3	11.0	5.8	16.2	100.0	8.2	9.4	
1973	10.6	39.4	31.4	5.1	8.5	1.8	10.1	5.3	19.2	100.0	7.0	7.6	
Democratic Yemen													
Value													
1962-1964	82.27	51.90	22.07	4.30	6.07	0.07	4.60	24.87	95.52	269.60	14.43	55.77	
1968-1970	49.68	33.79	17.55	2.18	5.72	4.13	3.21	26.05	82.57	207.33	7.20	40.88	
1971	44.34	25.69	12.03	1.53	5.40	4.43	0.42	16.96	56.95	155.72	16.78	39.42	
1972 ^{a/}	27.30	21.86	8.39	1.00	5.84	3.84	0.99	12.78	30.55	104.16	10.94	23.81	
1973 ^{a/}	15.18	29.24	15.88	0.91	6.62	3.25	3.80	13.90	27.58	100.48	5.22	10.68	
Share													
1962-1964	30.5	19.2	8.2	1.6	2.2	-	1.7	9.2	35.4	100.0	5.4	20.7	
1968-1970	24.0	16.3	8.5	1.0	2.8	2.0	1.5	12.6	39.8	100.0	3.5	19.7	
1971	28.5	16.5	7.7	1.0	3.5	2.8	0.3	10.9	36.6	100.0	10.8	25.3	
1972 ^{a/}	26.2	21.0	8.0	1.0	5.6	3.7	1.0	12.3	29.3	100.0	10.5	22.8	
1973 ^{a/}	15.1	29.1	15.8	0.9	6.6	3.2	3.8	13.8	27.4	100.0	5.2	10.6	

Table III-B. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference		
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU	
													Original
Jordan													
Value													
1962-1964	23.03	49.37	27.23	4.60	10.50	1.87	22.60	6.37	21.63	139.97	14.23	10.67	
1968-1970	36.35	59.80	34.28	5.69	17.59	4.54	17.88	11.12	24.55	177.52	15.88	16.53	
1971	38.88	53.14	31.59	5.73	9.05	4.36	41.59	11.73	40.64	205.12	17.42	19.95	
1972	46.52	75.58	48.56	6.92	16.82	5.59	47.75	12.87	58.81	270.86	20.43	22.11	
1973	62.26	92.56	62.42	8.79	15.76	6.37	34.58	16.24	91.09	327.65	34.68	36.10	
Share													
1962-1964	16.4	35.3	19.4	3.3	7.5	1.3	16.1	4.6	15.4	100.0	10.2	7.6	
1968-1970	20.5	33.7	19.3	3.2	9.9	2.6	10.1	6.3	13.8	100.0	8.9	9.3	
1971	19.0	25.9	15.4	2.8	4.4	2.1	20.3	5.7	19.8	100.0	8.5	9.7	
1972	17.2	27.9	17.9	2.6	6.2	2.1	17.6	4.8	21.7	100.0	7.5	8.2	
1973	19.0	28.2	19.0	2.7	4.8	1.9	10.6	5.0	27.8	100.0	10.6	11.0	
Lebanon													
Value													
1962-1964	84.33	154.00	122.07	20.67	28.40	2.83	45.93	9.00	46.31	391.47	73.53	75.47	
1968-1970	76.20	204.82	162.67	28.56	50.99	9.01	62.90	20.92	61.60	515.00	69.70	71.95	
1971	57.91	276.71	223.76	39.99	63.73	8.71	79.04	30.52	88.69	645.30	50.24	54.03	
1972	87.76	365.85	289.44	52.37	77.98	12.11	119.52	39.46	104.52	859.57	77.63	81.69	
1973 ^a	105.91	659.49	532.30	93.04	92.23	15.50	201.31	70.21	245.08	1,482.77	93.19	97.52	
Share													
1962-1964	21.5	39.3	31.2	5.3	7.2	0.7	11.7	2.3	11.8	100.0	18.8	19.3	
1968-1970	14.8	39.8	31.6	5.5	9.9	1.7	12.2	4.1	12.0	100.0	13.5	14.0	
1971	9.0	42.9	34.7	6.2	9.9	1.3	12.2	4.7	13.7	100.0	7.9	8.4	
1972	10.2	42.6	33.7	6.1	9.1	1.4	13.9	4.6	12.2	100.0	9.0	9.5	
1973 ^a	7.1	44.5	35.9	6.3	6.2	1.0	13.6	4.7	16.5	100.0	6.3	6.6	...

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Table III-B. (continued)

	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference		
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU	
													Original
Syrian Arab Republic													
Value													
1962-1964	30.50	94.13	68.93	12.63	28.37	4.00	20.50	8.80	33.80	232.73	20.37	21.30	
1968-1970	45.72	101.21	84.43	17.70	91.08	13.79	25.03	15.00	37.37	346.90	32.72	33.29	
1971	70.84	121.20	103.89	18.38	90.21	10.26	55.81	19.09	54.45	440.24	46.03	47.40	
1972	56.77	151.52	126.01	26.28	99.43	16.19	27.20	30.27	69.50	477.16	33.40	34.34	
1973	73.52	219.85	187.00	31.85	105.71	23.77	24.32	21.23	93.10	593.35	42.74	46.76	
Share													
1962-1964	13.1	40.4	29.6	5.4	12.2	1.7	8.8	3.8	14.5	100.0	8.8	9.2	
1968-1970	13.2	29.2	24.3	5.1	26.2	4.0	7.2	4.3	10.8	100.0	9.4	9.6	
1971	16.1	27.5	23.6	4.2	20.5	2.3	12.7	4.3	12.4	100.0	10.4	10.8	
1972	11.9	31.8	26.4	5.5	20.8	3.4	5.7	6.3	14.6	100.0	7.0	7.2	
1973	12.4	37.0	31.5	5.4	17.8	4.0	4.1	3.6	15.7	100.0	7.2	7.9	
Yemen													
Value													
1962-1964 ^{a/}	14.17	1.30	1.20	-	-	-	-	0.03	0.27	15.77	-	-	
1968-1970 ^{a/}	8.05	7.32	5.66	0.37	1.27	0.57	0.08	2.04	5.62	25.32	0.94	5.88	
1971	10.60	8.74	5.72	0.01	2.71	-	0.09	3.49	11.53	37.17	1.84	1.89	
1972	15.50	20.65	16.43	0.15	4.97	3.18	1.05	8.20	27.08	80.78	5.02	5.75	
1973	21.44	34.06	28.35	0.37	3.29	-	2.10	16.89	47.22	125.37	8.23	9.88	
Share													
1962-1964 ^{a/}	89.8	8.2	7.6	-	-	-	-	0.2	1.7	100.0	-	-	
1968-1970 ^{a/}	31.8	28.9	22.4	1.5	5.0	2.2	0.3	8.0	22.2	100.0	3.7	23.2	
1971	28.5	23.5	15.4	-	7.3	-	0.2	9.4	31.0	100.0	5.0	5.1	
1972	19.2	25.6	20.3	0.2	6.2	3.9	1.3	10.2	33.5	100.0	6.2	7.1	
1973	17.1	27.2	22.6	0.3	2.6	-	1.7	13.5	37.7	100.0	6.6	7.9	
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Table III-B. (continued)

TOTAL ECWA REGION	ECWA	EEC		EFTA	CMEA	China	North America	Japan	Rest of the world	Total	For reference	
		Total	9								ACM	CAEU
Value												
1962-1964	425.11	793.96	475.13	87.29	128.67	24.57	303.80	136.57	401.78	2,301.75	154.10	201.32
1968-1970	527.29	1,241.42	804.62	148.49	291.63	74.87	399.82	311.25	597.79	3,592.56	203.70	264.78
1971	550.01	1,607.77	1,013.65	199.38	382.02	68.75	604.66	440.77	729.96	4,583.32	185.93	258.10
1972	644.50	1,962.91	1,286.76	254.83	433.49	86.46	821.56	688.82	878.92	5,771.49	214.68	274.22
1973	521.63	2,839.45	1,936.30	342.19	465.64	119.01	1,195.14	1,061.27	1,325.06	7,869.39	267.46	307.01
Share												
1962-1964	18.5	34.5	20.6	3.8	5.6	1.1	13.2	5.9	17.4	100.0	6.7	8.7
1968-1970	14.7	34.6	22.4	4.1	8.1	2.1	11.1	8.7	16.6	100.0	5.7	7.4
1971	12.0	35.1	22.1	4.4	8.3	1.5	13.2	9.6	15.9	100.0	4.0	5.6
1972	11.2	34.0	22.3	4.4	7.5	1.5	14.2	11.9	15.2	100.0	3.7	4.8
1973	6.6	36.1	24.6	4.3	5.9	1.5	15.2	13.5	16.8	100.0	3.4	3.9

For sources and notes, see Table III-A.

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Table IV-A. Value of intraregional exports, 1962-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

To region From		1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Bahrain		11.10	11.80	8.70	8.60	10.21	9.49	6.80	9.10	9.60	10.20	10.90	0.30 ^{a/}
Democratic Yemen		24.10	24.40	25.30	21.60	18.50	8.13	9.71	9.69	9.90	13.38	12.43	14.76
Iraq		22.90	44.10	36.30	36.50	53.10	63.80	65.30	72.39	75.44	90.50	59.63	46.81
Jordan		9.50	11.30	12.90	15.20	15.80	17.90	22.30	23.55	19.43	17.92	24.36	28.76
Kuwait		42.30	33.40	28.20	31.30	37.71	33.17	35.32	38.27	40.52	23.60	7.42	162.09
Lebanon		29.60	27.80	35.40	58.20	52.30	68.50	81.66	89.76	92.13	131.89	176.26	234.37
Oman		0.10	0.10	8.60	0.10	0.18	0.63	0.81	0.73	0.62	0.92	0.64	0.39
Qatar		11.90	4.10	7.00	8.90	5.65	1.06	0.03	3.88	2.12	4.32	6.56	7.61
Saudi Arabia		137.70	144.80	134.30	119.00	110.89	111.14	124.75	120.85	140.68	163.55	193.01	38.29 ^{a/}
Syrian Arab Republic		44.10	54.30	57.10	58.70	50.50	53.60	64.90	56.31	42.84	30.91	53.42	59.06
United Arab Emirates		6.80	4.70	5.40	10.20	17.27	7.01	5.45	8.99	10.88	3.82	2.22	0.42
Yemen		2.00	3.20	5.60	6.00	5.56	4.05	4.53	4.90	1.46	1.51	1.53	2.14
All countries		342.10	364.10	364.80	374.30	377.68	378.48	421.56	438.42	445.61	492.52	548.38	595.00 ^{a/}

Source: International Monetary Fund, Direction of Trade (various issues); and United Nations, Yearbook of International Trade Statistics, (1966 and 1967) for values of trade between Bahrain and Saudi Arabia for the years 1962 through 1965.

a/ Excluding trade between Bahrain and Saudi Arabia.

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Table IV-B. Value of intraregional imports, 1962-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

Importing country	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Bahrain	125.70	133.10	121.90	107.50	97.00	97.73	117.10	116.00	133.40	151.30	168.40	1.40 ^{a/}
Democratic Yemen	92.20	82.20	72.40	69.60	77.30	50.64	44.23	54.61	50.19	44.34	27.30	15.18
Iraq	10.80	14.60	18.10	15.10	17.40	16.60	22.30	22.73	26.37	26.92	31.43	32.90
Jordan	20.90	26.70	21.50	25.50	34.70	29.50	36.90	39.42	32.74	38.88	46.52	62.26
Kuwait	13.60	16.90	18.60	21.30	23.60	35.30	45.80	46.47	49.06	49.55	69.80	78.49
Lebanon	79.40	82.70	90.90	97.90	102.20	79.05	93.83	69.87	64.90	57.91	87.76	105.91
Oman	0.40	0.50	0.80	0.60	0.88	0.93	1.50	0.61	2.58	0.08	0.11	0.15
Qatar	1.30	0.60	0.40	0.50	1.98	0.55	2.08	1.94	1.19	6.79	9.65	10.00
Saudi Arabia	29.80	28.00	36.40	55.90	63.22	70.26	85.16	122.62	132.21	84.40	118.10	113.21 ^{a/}
Syrian Arab Republic	25.10	29.70	36.70	31.30	32.50	30.80	39.40	46.57	51.20	70.84	56.77	73.52
United Arab Emirates	0.40	0.30	0.20	0.10	0.22	0.22	0.18	0.81	3.76	8.40	13.16	7.17
Yemen	9.40	14.70	18.40	14.60	12.63	7.73	8.30	7.84	8.02	10.60	15.50	21.44
All countries	409.00	430.00	436.30	439.90	463.63	419.32	496.77	529.50	555.62	550.01	644.50	521.64 ^{a/}

For sources and notes see Table IV-A.

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Table IV-C. Intraregional trade: share in total trade and average annual rates of change, 1962-1973

Country	Share (percentages)				Rate of change (per cent)			
	Exports		Imports		Exports		Imports	
	1962-1964	1968-1970	1971-1973	1962-1964	1968-1970	1971-1973	1962-1970	1970-1973
Bahrain	8.4	6.9	3.6	67.3	50.9	34.4	-1.8	-70.0
Democratic Yemen	12.5	7.4	15.6	30.5	24.0	24.1	-14.3	14.3
Iraq	4.5	6.7	4.4	4.0	5.3	4.0	14.2	-14.7
Jordan	68.3	57.1	51.8	16.4	20.5	18.4	11.1	13.9
Kuwait	2.6	2.2	2.1	5.3	7.5	7.9	1.2	60.0
Lebanon	49.9	54.1	43.6	21.5	14.8	8.4	17.9	37.0
Oman	18.1	0.2	0.1	4.4	1.4	0.1	18.9	-14.2
Qatar	7.7	0.9	1.7	3.2	3.2	7.0	-28.2	50.0
Saudi Arabia	13.6	6.2	2.3	9.7	17.4	7.5	0.3	-35.0
Syrian Arab Republic	29.2	28.4	18.2	13.1	13.2	13.3	0.3	11.3
United Arab Emirates	11.3	3.2	0.2	1.2	0.8	1.9	6.0	-65.0
Yemen	46.2	53.7	31.1	89.9	31.6	19.5	-1.3	13.7
All countries	9.2	6.8	4.2	18.5	14.7	9.4	3.4	10.1
							3.9	-2.1

Source: Computed from data given in Tables III-A, III-B, IV-A and IV-B.

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Table IV-D. Share of intratrade in the trade of selected regional groupings,
1962-1964, 1968-1970 and 1971-1973
(percentages)

	E x p o r t s			I m p o r t s		
	1962-1964	1968-1970	1971-1973	1962-1964	1968-1970	1971-1973
Arab Common Market (ACM)						
Egypt	2.6	4.0	3.1	2.8	4.7	3.8
Iraq	2.7	2.9	2.8	0.1	1.7	1.6
Jordan	0.7	3.0	2.0	2.6	4.0	2.2
Syrian Arab Republic	25.4	21.4	21.7	10.2	9.0	9.0
	8.4	11.0	7.2	8.8	9.4	8.1
Council of Arab Economic Unity (CAEU)						
Egypt	2.8	3.4	2.6	4.1	5.4	4.7
Iraq	5.3	5.1	4.7	3.4	3.4	3.5
Jordan	1.2	3.9	2.9	3.0	4.5	3.2
Kuwait	39.6	35.6	32.1	7.6	9.3	9.7
Sudan	1.3	0.2	0.6	1.6	4.2	3.2
Syrian Arab Republic	4.3	4.9	5.8	4.9	5.1	5.5
Yemen	9.5	14.5	8.5	9.2	9.6	8.5
	-	0.6	-	-	23.2	6.6

Source: Computed from data given in International Monetary Fund, Direction of Trade (various issues).

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Table IV-E. Intraregional tradematrix (f.o.b.), 1971-1973 average
(Millions of US dollars)

To From		Bahrain	Democratic Yemen	Iraq	Jordan	Kuwait	Lebanon	Oman	Qatar	Saudi Arabia	Syrian Arab Republic	United Arab Emirates	Yemen	Total
Bahrain	-	-	-	-	-	0.20	-	-	-	10.40 ^{a/}	-	-	-	10.60
Democratic Yemen	0.04	-	-	-	0.05	0.03	0.64	0.01	-	0.01	-	3.75	8.99	13.52
Iraq	1.42	8.56	-	-	1.73	12.95	15.77	0.10	0.07	1.76	21.13	0.84	1.31	65.65
Jordan	0.43	0.06	3.07	-	-	4.40	3.73	-	0.26	5.97	5.51	0.02	0.23	23.68
Kuwait	2.05	9.83	7.44	1.21	12.34	-	3.08	3.26	3.10	20.89	1.84	11.48	0.18	64.37
Lebanon	-	-	22.79	12.34	-	34.76	-	-	6.54	60.28	27.65	16.00	0.48	180.84
Oman	-	-	0.40	-	-	0.25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.65
Qatar	-	5.24	-	-	-	0.05	0.17	-	-	0.69	0.01	-	0.01	6.17
Saudi Arabia	143.52 ^{a/}	0.07	-	10.76	-	2.62	12.57	-	1.13	-	0.73	4.11	3.95	179.46
Syrian Arab Republic	0.03	0.11	5.35	5.83	-	3.07	25.93	-	0.03	6.67	-	0.76	0.01	47.79
United Arab Emirates	-	0.79	-	-	-	0.29	-	-	-	1.05	-	-	0.03	2.15
Yemen	-	1.14	-	-	-	-	0.10	-	-	0.49	-	-	-	1.73
All Countries	147.49	25.80	39.05	31.92	3.37	58.62	61.99	3.37	11.13	108.21	56.87	36.96	15.19	596.61

Source: Computed from data given in International Monetary Fund, Direction of Trade, 1969-1973.

a/ 1971-1972 average.

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Table V-A-1. Bahrain: structure of trade^{1/} by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1965-1973
(Millions of Bahraini dinars)

Commodity class	SITC	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
		<u>Special exports^{2/} (f.o.b.)</u>								
Food and beverages	0 + 1	3.84	4.26	3.85	2.42	4.50	5.83	5.29	6.85	6.78
Raw materials	2 + 4	0.13	0.19	0.10	0.10	0.07	0.24	0.23	0.16	-
Fuels	3	...	...	...	...	...	0.30	0.25	0.22	0.30
Chemicals	5	...	...	...	...	...	0.48	0.62	0.82	0.80
Machinery and transport equipment	7	1.15	1.12	1.46	1.67	2.08	3.71	5.43	5.96	4.80
Other manufactures	6 + 8	3.55	4.76	6.16	8.87	9.10	14.41	16.48	18.12	19.34
Total	0 to 9	10.74	12.60	14.69	18.49	19.87	25.16	28.40	32.29	32.01
		<u>Special imports^{3/} (c.i.f.)</u>								
Food and beverages	0 + 1	...	11.01	11.30	11.42	13.03	16.09	17.07	17.86	22.19
Raw materials	2 + 4	...	0.92	1.12	1.03	0.58	1.30	1.60	1.54	-
Fuels	3	...	...	...	...	...	0.86	1.12	1.32	2.04
Chemicals	5	...	...	...	...	...	3.14	7.14	6.29	14.96
Machinery and transport equipment	7	...	5.20	5.60	6.41	8.41	23.96	33.33	30.54	36.07
Other manufactures	6 + 8	...	17.80	19.50	25.14	22.20	34.37	44.61	42.39	52.55
Total	0 to 9	38.75	42.03	45.45	52.02	57.94	80.13	105.00	100.10	127.82

Source: See Table II-A-1.

- 1/ The structure of trade in the period 1965-1969 is based on the principal commodities exported and imported.
2/ Excluding oil exports but including designated re-exports, ships and aircraft supplies.
3/ Excluding crude oil imports.

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Table V-A-2. Democratic Yemen: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1960-1971
(Millions of Yemeni dinars)

Commodity classes	SITC	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
		<u>Special^{1/} exports (f.o.b.)</u>											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	6.79	6.78	6.60	4.68	7.81	6.38	4.15	3.08	2.96	3.09	3.36	2.43
Raw materials	2 + 4	3.94	3.56	3.38	3.06	5.20	4.29	3.04	2.39	2.96	4.66	4.47	3.42
Fuels	3	19.16	25.86	27.33	30.28	31.37	31.38	30.89	31.40	34.18	44.48	45.00	29.19
Chemicals	5	0.33	0.27	0.34	-	0.23	0.24	-	-	-	0.19	0.26	0.20
Machinery and transport equipment	7	0.88	0.75	0.88	0.53	1.59	1.25	0.49	0.69	0.14	0.60	0.32	0.33
Other manufactures	6 + 8	4.41	3.86	3.54	2.22	3.36	2.34	0.96	0.76	0.68	2.46	2.80	4.04
Total ^{2/}	0 to 9	35.95	41.37	42.37	45.96	49.91	46.28	45.41	40.36	43.09	55.88	56.45	39.66
		<u>Special^{1/} imports (c.i.f.)</u>											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	12.52	12.79	14.24	8.48	20.58	21.45	12.15	11.41	13.09	19.88	20.58	13.62
Raw materials, including qat	2 + 4	4.97	5.04	4.62	2.72	4.05	4.77	2.84	2.26	2.71	4.71	4.66	3.81
Fuels	3	34.90	38.44	39.60	42.29	45.24	42.38	39.52	27.10	27.36	35.35	34.45	26.57
Chemicals	5	2.10	2.08	2.09	-	2.56	3.02	-	-	-	3.06	3.03	2.67
Machinery and transport equipment	7	5.55	6.66	7.47	5.29	9.38	10.85	14.70	3.66	4.80	5.52	4.36	3.79
Other manufactures	6 + 8	16.42	17.73	17.65	10.02	24.02	24.67	32.71	27.73	36.50	22.25	16.66	14.41
Total	0 to 9	76.58	82.89	85.81	97.00	106.09	107.53	101.93	72.07	84.45	90.92	83.76	64.88

Source: See Table II-A-1.

1/ Prior to 1972, general trade.

2/ Excluding stores and bunkers for ships and aircrafts amounting to 24.08, 23.55, 24.28, 23.68, 24.38, 20.47, 22.50, 8.58, 2.69, 3.82, 4.21 and 3.94 million dinars in 1960-1971, respectively.

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Table V-A-3. Iraq: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1960-1973
(Millions of Iraqi dinars)

Commodity class	SITC	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>Domestic exports (f.o.b.)</u>															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	7.81	6.69	15.11	10.74	7.60	9.12	11.16	8.05	9.30	10.77	11.33	9.28	13.81	16.85
Raw materials	2 + 4	2.98	2.89	3.19	4.06	5.15	5.75	7.52	5.63	6.14	6.26	6.11	5.14	6.61	6.61
Fuels	3	222.69	223.17	223.88	259.09	282.04	294.22	307.96	274.43	345.20	347.51	369.45	529.03	423.24	657.10
Of which: primary (321 + 331.01 + 341.1)		222.63	223.09	223.74	258.97	281.76	293.60	307.05	273.54	344.15	346.18	368.06	526.16	421.48	654.68
Chemicals	5	0.01	-	0.01	0.24	0.15	0.03	0.04	0.13	0.57	0.47	0.41	0.59	1.38	0.94
Machinery and transport equipment	7	-	-	-	-	-	0.01	-	0.03	0.08	0.10	0.08	0.17	0.10	0.09
Other manufactures	6 + 8	0.75	0.84	0.87	1.56	2.11	2.58	3.60	5.94	5.89	3.07	3.25	4.73	4.95	5.60
Total	0 to 9	234.25	233.59	243.06	275.69	297.05	311.71	330.28	294.20	367.18	368.19	390.63	548.94	450.07	687.20
<u>Special imports (c.i.f.)</u>															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	31.20	36.12	23.14	20.99	36.79	30.32	27.66	25.48	27.71	25.27	25.74	67.75	38.88	56.90
Raw materials	2 + 4	8.25	8.61	8.26	8.32	10.60	13.75	9.85	10.58	8.82	8.02	14.09	16.59	15.30	15.54
Fuels	3	0.62	0.40	0.31	0.23	0.45	0.34	0.50	0.46	0.33	0.40	0.16	0.90	1.08	1.02
Chemicals	5	8.60	9.07	10.06	9.33	10.02	11.80	14.66	12.27	12.05	15.57	16.58	22.19	22.66	19.88
Machinery and transport equipment	7	35.30	38.37	36.58	32.81	37.98	44.26	58.89	47.74	42.68	49.56	55.20	66.70	78.98	89.20
Other manufactures	6 + 8	54.17	52.90	50.28	41.65	50.56	59.91	64.00	53.63	52.52	57.78	68.93	73.69	77.66	87.62
Total	0 to 9	138.15	145.47	128.63	113.33	146.40	160.38	175.56	150.17	144.11	156.90	180.80	247.87	234.68	270.32

Source: See Table II-A-1.

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Table V-A-4. Jordan: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1960-1973
(Millions of Jordanian dinars)

Commodity Class	SITC	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>Domestic exports (f.o.b.)</u>															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	1.76	2.01	2.75	3.03	3.74	4.33	4.38	5.32	6.10	6.06	5.18	4.09	5.22	5.51
Raw materials	2 + 4	1.56	1.96	1.90	2.17	2.83	2.90	3.74	4.01	4.74	4.23	2.60	2.67	4.01	4.68
Fuels	3	-	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.05	-	-	0.07	0.09	0.04	0.01	0.03	-	0.17
Chemicals	5	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.09	0.19	0.26	0.38	0.31	0.64
Machinery and transport equipment	7	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.06	0.03	0.12	0.22	0.16	0.17	0.22	0.30	0.34	0.45	0.45
Other manufactures	6 + 8	0.10	0.20	0.16	0.20	0.28	0.33	0.33	0.35	0.94	1.13	0.93	1.27	2.60	2.51
Total	0 to 9	3.48	4.25	4.93	5.52	7.01	7.75	8.76	9.98	12.17	11.92	9.32	8.82	12.61	14.01
<u>Special imports (c.i.f.)</u>															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	13.16	13.02	12.57	16.79	14.14	14.95	16.31	14.74	17.06	19.08	19.40	21.29	28.48	31.89
Raw materials	2 + 4	2.25	2.50	2.64	3.26	3.09	3.41	4.33	3.54	2.80	3.29	2.84	3.12	3.92	4.68
Fuels	3	3.17	2.43	2.62	2.65	2.73	3.23	2.42	2.99	3.22	3.81	3.69	4.84	4.57	4.16
Chemicals	5	1.45	1.78	1.98	2.28	2.35	3.03	3.68	2.88	3.02	3.41	3.71	3.22	5.36	5.72
Machinery and transport equipment	7	6.56	6.38	8.13	7.22	10.57	9.80	11.77	11.33	11.14	13.04	10.57	16.19	15.59	17.19
Other manufactures	6 + 8	12.79	12.51	13.91	14.64	14.56	17.11	19.61	16.89	16.49	21.09	19.08	16.09	25.78	29.37
Total	0 to 9	42.93	41.90	45.63	50.93	50.35	56.05	68.21	55.05	57.47	67.75	65.88	76.63	95.31	108.20

Source: See Table II-A-1.

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Table V-A-5. Kuwait: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1960-1973
(Millions of Kuwaiti dinars)

Commodity class	SITC	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
		General exports ^{1/} (f.o.b.)													
Food and beverages	0 + 1	2.60	4.24	2.92	5.52	4.63	7.77	5.75	5.08	6.04	4.62	6.73	7.47	8.33	11.55
Raw materials	2 + 4	0.91	0.56	0.38	0.41	0.50	0.36	0.49	0.52	0.71	0.93	1.33	0.78	0.96	1.99
Fuels	3	323.71	345.71	364.90	381.91	422.94	430.05	465.75	469.27	497.41	527.22	564.86	859.76	931.94	1059.92
Chemicals	5	0.07	0.12	0.15	0.19	0.19	0.12	0.11	2.47	4.44	4.86	5.18	6.48	12.33	19.74
Machinery and transport equipment	7	2.20	1.70	2.36	1.88	3.31	3.09	3.85	4.12	5.90	7.17	7.79	12.54	14.29	17.10
Other manufactures	6 + 8	2.03	2.07	1.80	1.88	3.00	2.70	3.33	2.87	3.14	4.71	4.43	6.16	12.80	19.33
Total	0 to 9	331.92	354.79	372.93	392.34	434.64	444.09	479.28	484.40	517.73	550.10	590.90	893.80	961.30	1129.69
		General imports (c.i.f.)													
Food and beverages	0 + 1	13.62	18.99	22.20	23.42	24.22	34.41	33.02	35.97	42.47	39.92	43.53	47.02	52.64	60.72
Raw materials	2 + 4	4.02	2.21	2.95	3.69	3.55	3.46	4.22	5.52	4.78	5.06	4.01	5.13	5.00	6.55
Fuels	3	0.85	0.86	0.88	0.92	0.98	0.90	1.42	1.78	1.69	2.12	1.59	2.15	2.60	2.88
Chemicals	5	3.10	3.29	4.61	4.84	4.61	4.73	6.74	8.33	9.77	11.13	10.35	10.68	12.74	13.49
Machinery and transport equipment	7	24.73	28.58	31.40	36.25	34.50	43.52	58.18	82.00	76.20	85.62	80.07	77.50	85.55	106.92
Other manufactures	6 + 8	36.38	34.50	38.72	45.27	46.53	47.66	61.68	78.25	83.38	86.59	83.34	89.32	103.14	116.66
Total	0 to 9	86.39	89.05	101.86	115.65	115.08	134.70	165.28	211.89	218.32	230.78	223.27	232.31	262.18	310.58

Source: See Table II-A-1.

1/ Non-oil exports consist largely of re-exports.

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Table V-A-6. Lebanon: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1960-1973
(Millions of Lebanese pounds)

Commodity class	SITC	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Special exports (f.o.b.)															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	59.78	56.38	80.17	79.03	83.27	113.48	122.60	156.64	166.70	160.57	178.48	210.35	253.55	264.26
Raw materials	2 + 4	16.10	14.51	27.24	30.06	32.58	34.63	41.72	43.50	42.18	45.72	44.49	51.51	72.85	90.28
Fuels	3	0.32	0.31	1.01	0.55	1.77	0.58	0.59	0.59	1.47	1.13	0.83	1.20	3.87	6.14
Chemicals	5	3.03	2.41	2.86	4.97	7.56	9.13	11.18	13.98	22.44	39.86	46.33	63.68	77.70	100.64
Machinery and transport equipment	7	11.51	17.45	13.61	20.82	20.56	40.32	48.40	48.11	71.43	93.46	118.42	126.80	260.27	332.39
Other manufactures	6 + 8	36.45	33.20	40.61	42.12	46.21	67.40	91.70	104.54	145.59	184.34	220.76	334.96	411.12	494.35
Total	0 to 9	127.20	124.28	166.04	177.55	191.96	265.54	316.21	367.39	449.85	525.10	609.33	788.60	1079.86	1289.21
Special imports ^{1/} (c.i.f.)															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	211.47	237.42	268.16	279.57	299.78	376.88	417.94	398.17	389.18	376.00	423.12	456.98	480.93	593.63
Raw materials	2 + 4	98.26	106.59	121.48	129.36	150.29	159.26	174.86	141.98	163.65	172.88	184.82	216.96	258.40	353.64
Fuels	3	90.36	79.95	76.69	81.35	80.20	74.30	83.37	88.09	96.08	102.87	107.00	123.09	147.95	173.36
Chemicals	5	46.80	51.16	55.36	63.35	70.36	80.01	100.61	100.67	135.92	153.95	165.53	198.88	261.73	339.27
Machinery and transport equipment	7	178.66	201.24	180.42	216.24	250.64	280.39	327.04	281.41	308.30	355.87	368.17	454.17	647.34	918.53
Other manufactures	6 + 8	288.32	300.66	295.86	327.66	363.26	417.27	441.31	414.86	481.04	555.35	587.72	723.57	887.49	1238.57
Total	0 to 9	914.90	977.40	998.12	1097.80	1214.94	1388.62	1545.65	1425.46	1574.47	1717.19	1836.97	2174.37	2684.70	3617.86

Source: See Table II-A-1.

^{1/} Import values are reported by the Lebanese customs at the official rate of exchange of the US dollar and the Syrian pound to the Lebanese pound. The value of total imports was adjusted to the free market rate by applying US dollar and Syrian pound correction coefficients (see: Direction Centrale de la Statistique, Recueil de Statistiques Libanaises). The values of imports of major commodity classes were then adjusted by prorating.

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Table V-A-7. Oman: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1964-1973
(Millions of Omani rials)

Commodity class	SITC	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>Special exports (f.o.b.)</u>											
Food and beverages ^{1/}	0 + 1	0.96	0.87	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.65	0.39	0.43	0.40	0.61
Fuels ^{2/}	3	-	-	-	1.90	25.50	38.60	44.40	47.70	49.60	61.30
Total	0 to 9	0.96	0.87	0.65	2.55	26.15	39.25	44.79	48.13	50.00	61.91
<u>Special imports (c.i.f.)</u>											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.14	5.42	6.31	10.56
Raw materials	2 + 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.08	0.26	0.29	0.96
Fuels	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.34	0.96	0.91	1.76
Chemicals	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.18	0.61	0.78	1.91
Machinery and transport equipment	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.28	3.45	5.22	12.72
Other manufactures	6 + 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	2.26	2.90	4.58	10.66
Total, dutiable imports	0 to 9	2.40	3.25	3.39	3.59	4.04	5.62	7.59	13.78	18.71	40.67
Total, including government imports	0 to 9	...	...	...	...	...	...	12.00	40.20	61.60	85.80

Source: See Table II-A-1.

1/ Consisting mainly of fresh and dried limes, fresh and dried dates, tobacco, dried and wet fish, goat skins and hides.

2/ Government oil revenues as reported in official sources.

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Table V-A-8. Qatar: structure of import trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1970-1972
(Millions of Qatari riyals)

Commodity class	SITC	1970	1971	1972
	<u>Special imports (c.i.f.)</u>			
Food and beverages	0 + 1	71.85	95.51	121.80
Raw materials	2 + 4	7.54	8.57	9.64
Fuels	3	5.81	5.34	5.66
Chemicals	5	14.33	24.38	27.53
Machinery and transport equipment	7	93.74	243.79	285.86
Other manufactures	6 + 8	112.23	138.28	156.76
Total	0 to 9	305.49	515.87	607.26

Source: See Table II-A-1.

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Table V-A-9. Saudi Arabia: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1960-1972^{1/}
(Millions of Saudi riyals)

Commodity class	SITC	1960 ^{2/}	1961 ^{3/}	1962 ^{4/}	1963 ^{5/}	1964 ^{6/}	1965 ^{7/}	1966 ^{8/}	1967 ^{9/}	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
		Special exports (f.o.b.)												
Food and beverages	0 + 1	1.06	1.89	1.97	4.63	5.86	7.67	7.51	8.74	8.09	11.14	11.54	10.91	15.14
Raw materials	2 + 4	2.14	2.16	1.15	2.40	2.25	4.91	6.84	5.77	4.82	3.48	4.32	8.61	7.81
Fuels ^{10/}	3	3875.56	4218.90	4610.18	5272.16	5951.44	6821.38	7595.78	7832.30	9096.29	8941.02	10878.72	17275.47	22700.89
Of which: primary (321 + 331.01 + 341.1)		3181.84	3501.25	3937.32	4483.62	5002.10	5868.66	6916.53	6736.72	7775.49	8027.82	9080.14	15277.50	20608.22
Chemicals	5	0.12	0.49	0.31	0.15	0.27	0.27	0.42	0.79	0.62	1.11	4.58	3.70	21.76
Machinery and transport equipment	7	3.76	3.46	2.58	4.43	4.57	1.58	0.24	1.80	1.91	0.62	0.47	0.18	0.71
Other manufactures	6 + 8	0.67	0.47	1.38	3.85	3.16	2.57	3.38	3.67	5.54	4.28	6.80	2.87	11.42
Total	0 to 9	3883.30	4227.38	4626.04	5287.65	5967.55	6838.38	7614.18	7853.08	9117.26	8961.66	10906.46	17301.77	22757.77
		Special imports (c.i.f.)												
Food and beverages	0 + 1	338.40	344.60	387.46	419.74	484.97	584.30	675.81	646.90	777.96	899.05	966.87	1012.49	1148.96
Raw materials	2 + 4	26.73	32.73	39.85	43.16	55.99	77.32	76.91	65.40	68.93	97.65	106.55	165.20	152.89
Fuels	3	13.53	16.24	13.77	11.22	16.71	21.30	25.15	22.96	28.74	44.88	35.21	44.69	46.26
Chemicals	5	69.36	67.65	66.77	60.47	66.73	94.88	110.70	99.64	130.14	249.41	179.30	242.62	244.36
Machinery and transport equipment	7	245.68	272.74	255.79	314.23	453.99	659.85	711.44	760.75	850.93	1082.19	1020.22	1114.57	1701.44
Other manufactures	6 + 8	315.29	351.71	298.42	343.03	494.73	550.13	592.12	545.04	668.08	931.48	806.37	1043.64	1368.01
Total	0 to 9	1007.28	1089.73	1163.41	1270.59	1573.56	1987.81	2192.17	2141.99	2526.80	3304.73	3116.81	3625.09	4664.52

Source: See Table II-A-1.

1/ Prior to 1968 years refer to the Islamic lunar year.

2/ June 24, 1960 - June 13, 1961.

3/ June 14, 1961 - June 2, 1962.

4/ June 3, 1962 - May 23, 1963.

5/ May 24, 1963 - May 11, 1964.

6/ May 12, 1964 - April 30, 1965.

7/ May 1, 1965 - April 20, 1966.

8/ April 21, 1966 - April 10, 1967.

9/ April 11, 1967 - March 29, 1968.

10/ Including asphalt (BTN 27.13).

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Table V-A-10. Syrian Arab Republic: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1960-1973
(Millions of Syrian pounds)

Commodity class	SITC	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Special exports (f.o.b.)															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	63.78	56.31	240.32	224.44	199.34	215.30	176.41	180.25	237.48	254.17	193.89	104.28	278.74	226.96
Raw materials	2 + 4	219.98	254.03	309.77	429.83	404.41	356.35	418.96	314.65	307.47	366.19	363.86	372.78	471.38	606.00
Fuels	3	1.08	2.41	6.44	4.30	1.57	6.26	3.15	2.68	31.32	83.58	129.78	178.33	200.95	291.64
Chemicals	5	3.96	2.55	2.02	1.65	0.99	0.62	0.72	1.65	2.64	2.16	4.34	3.19	4.44	5.57
Machinery and transport equipment	7	5.51	5.10	3.86	2.95	3.99	5.41	7.85	23.54	9.98	4.10	3.79	4.05	7.84	15.48
Other manufactures	6 + 8	99.66	72.11	54.30	56.17	61.94	56.74	53.94	66.61	81.16	72.77	76.44	80.23	134.05	195.58
Total	0 to 9	395.08	392.95	616.98	719.42	672.43	640.82	661.29	591.23	672.97	789.92	775.34	743.35	1097.60	1341.28
Special imports (c.i.f.)															
Food and beverages	0 + 1	217.15	163.24	188.58	152.91	210.78	173.81	245.45	195.08	237.08	221.19	367.43	578.24	495.33	595.83
Raw materials	2 + 4	80.87	51.35	68.63	65.09	64.39	65.10	79.17	65.19	68.45	81.84	87.04	94.95	113.98	167.74
Fuels	3	64.04	62.98	60.17	92.98	100.40	82.83	176.30	94.89	132.49	145.96	107.28	102.73	92.04	106.84
Chemicals	5	55.77	65.76	78.22	91.08	85.17	93.50	112.73	91.35	122.25	145.95	127.49	186.61	243.98	215.66
Machinery and transport equipment	7	144.29	124.74	154.59	199.91	166.02	125.87	148.97	216.97	251.85	340.40	241.19	289.18	463.51	554.78
Other manufactures	6 + 8	293.27	242.24	301.28	294.84	269.44	268.82	338.55	344.35	343.07	466.27	433.68	416.84	642.60	692.66
Total	0 to 9	855.96	710.50	852.27	897.47	896.39	810.08	1101.45	1008.61	1156.89	1405.40	1365.61	1668.71	2053.30	2340.44

Source: See Table II-A-1.

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Table V-A-11. United Arab Emirates: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1964-1973
(Millions of Dirhams)

Commodity class	SITC	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
General exports ^{1/} (f.o.b.)											
Abu Dhabi											
Total re-exports		...	...	...	...	...	36.60	38.50	33.10	35.60	...
Dubai											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55.41	80.73	75.55
Raw materials	2 + 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	-	-
Fuels	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.10	0.09	0.39
Chemicals	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.55	0.91	1.23
Machinery & transport equipment	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13.80	15.64	18.53
Other manufactures	6 + 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53.34	80.41	123.64
Total	0 to 9	...	...	56.09	59.48	95.72	93.08	120.80	135.83	179.12	222.51
of which: domestic exports		...	...	4.38	5.63	5.70	6.17	3.01	8.88	4.05	6.51
General imports (c.i.f.)											
Abu Dhabi											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	...	...	...	...	...	44.60	49.00	51.80	75.80	...
Machinery & transport equipment	7	...	...	...	...	...	395.30	211.50	287.20	351.90	...
Other manufactures	6 + 8	...	...	...	...	...	108.80	72.20	83.80	254.70	...
Total	0 to 9	...	...	...	...	...	551.20	332.80	425.80	702.30	...
Dubai											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	44.22	66.98	62.36	69.77	120.29	118.46	138.78	161.14	213.52	300.27
Raw materials	2 + 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fuels	3	3.98	3.38	5.91	9.05	12.09	27.98	27.03	26.71	84.31	121.29
Chemicals	5	2.46	3.77	5.74	7.35	15.28	16.10	18.16	28.25	28.85	51.60
Machinery & transport equipment	7	43.81	45.83	55.27	111.46	206.99	276.38	283.04	337.32	481.97	771.48
Other manufactures	6 + 8	109.45	118.88	181.37	277.77	408.59	455.25	475.27	495.52	661.16	1086.83
Total	0 to 9	204.71	239.98	311.39	476.89	761.08	921.95	959.90	1059.02	1474.66	2341.01

Source: See Table II-A-1.

1/ Excluding exports of petroleum and products. Non-oil exports consist almost entirely of re-exports.

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Table V-A-12. Yemen: structure of trade by major (SITC) commodity classes, 1964-1973
(Millions of Yemeni rials)

Commodity class	SITC	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
<u>General exports (f.o.b.)</u>											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	2.21	2.18	1.85	...	...	8.78	8.69	4.95	6.60	9.73
Raw materials, including qat	2 + 4	2.57	4.78	5.36	...	...	9.13	7.04	16.23	12.87	25.70
Fuels	3	-	-	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	-
Chemicals	5	-	-	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	0.08
Machinery and transport equipment	7	-	-	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	0.03
Other manufactures	6 + 8	0.08	0.06	0.07	...	...	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.27	0.40
Total	0 to 9	4.86	7.02	7.28	...	...	17.96	15.76	21.57	20.07	36.01
<u>General imports (c.i.f.)</u>											
Food and beverages	0 + 1	10.24	14.16	32.07	...	...	64.63	116.37	81.70	188.62	285.29
Raw materials	2 + 4	2.49	0.54	1.38	...	...	3.44	0.49	3.10	2.79	5.13
Fuels	3	2.26	2.77	4.27	...	...	9.38	6.23	11.66	18.23	28.07
Chemicals	5	1.23	1.02	1.85	...	...	6.14	5.67	9.41	21.02	35.97
Machinery and transport equipment	7	2.12	2.92	7.32	...	...	50.20	16.67	29.55	48.93	68.98
Other manufactures	6 + 8	4.54	6.20	8.92	...	...	24.07	33.02	49.42	95.09	138.66
Total	0 to 9	22.94	27.62	56.40	...	...	157.85	178.45	184.84	376.24	564.25

Source: See Table II-A-1.

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Table V-B. Structure of trade of ECWA countries by major (SITC) commodity classes, selected periods
(Average percentage shares in total trade)

Country	(SITC)	E x p o r t s					I m p o r t s						
		Food & beverages	Raw materials	Fuels	Chemicals	Machinery	Other manufactures	Food & beverages	Raw materials	Fuels	Chemicals	Machinery	Other manufactures
		(0 + 1)	(2 + 4)	(3)	(5)	(7)	(6 + 8)	(0 + 1)	(2 + 4)	(3)	(5)	(7)	(6 + 8)
<u>Bahrain</u> ^{1/}													
1968-1970		20.1	0.7	...	...	11.8	51.0	21.3	1.5	...	...	20.4	43.0
1971		18.6	0.8	0.9	2.2	19.1	58.0	16.2	1.5	1.1	6.8	31.7	42.5
1972		21.2	0.5	0.7	2.5	18.4	56.1	17.8	1.5	1.3	6.3	30.5	42.3
1973		21.2	-	0.9	2.5	15.0	60.4	17.4	-	1.6	11.7	28.2	41.1
<u>Democratic Yemen</u> ^{2/}													
1961-1963		13.9	7.7	64.4	0.5	1.7	7.4	13.4	4.7	45.3	1.6	7.3	17.1
1968-1970		6.1	7.8	79.6	0.3	0.7	3.8	20.7	4.7	37.5	2.4	5.7	29.1
1971		6.1	8.6	73.6	0.5	0.8	10.2	21.0	5.9	41.0	4.1	5.8	22.2
<u>Iraq</u>													
1961-1963		4.3	1.3	93.8	-	-	0.4	20.7	6.5	0.2	7.3	27.8	37.4
1968-1970		2.8	1.6	94.3	0.1	-	1.1	16.3	6.4	0.2	9.2	30.6	37.4
1971		1.7	0.9	96.4	0.1	-	0.9	27.3	6.7	0.4	9.0	26.9	29.7
1972		3.1	1.5	94.0	0.3	-	1.1	16.6	6.5	0.5	9.6	33.6	33.1
1973		2.4	1.0	95.6	0.1	-	0.8	21.0	5.7	0.4	7.4	33.0	32.4
<u>Jordan</u>													
1961-1963		53.1	41.0	0.2	0.2	0.8	3.9	30.6	6.1	5.6	4.4	15.7	29.7
1968-1970		51.9	34.6	0.4	1.6	2.1	9.0	29.0	4.7	5.6	5.3	18.2	29.6
1971		46.4	30.3	0.3	4.3	3.8	14.4	27.8	4.1	6.3	4.2	21.1	21.0
1972		41.4	31.8	-	2.4	3.6	20.6	29.9	4.1	4.8	5.6	16.4	27.0
1973		39.3	33.4	1.2	4.6	3.2	17.9	29.5	4.3	3.8	5.3	15.9	27.1

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Table V-B. (continued)

Country	(SITC)	Exports					Imports						
		Food & beverages	Raw materials	Fuels	Chemicals	Machinery	Other manufactures	Food & beverages	Raw materials	Fuels	Chemicals	Machinery	Other manufactures
		(0 + 1)	(2 + 4)	(3)	(5)	(7)	(6 + 8)	(0 + 1)	(2 + 4)	(3)	(5)	(7)	(6 + 8)
<u>Kuwait</u> ^{3/}													
1961-1963	1.1	0.1	97.5	-	0.5	0.5	21.1	2.9	0.9	4.2	31.4	38.6	
1968-1970	1.0	0.2	95.8	0.9	1.2	0.7	18.7	2.1	0.8	4.6	36.0	37.7	
1971	0.8	0.1	96.2	0.7	1.4	0.7	20.2	2.2	0.9	4.6	33.4	38.4	
1972	0.8	0.1	95.0	1.2	1.4	1.3	20.1	1.9	1.0	4.8	32.6	39.3	
1973	1.0	0.2	93.8	1.7	1.5	1.7	19.6	2.1	0.9	4.3	34.4	37.6	
<u>Lebanon</u>													
1961-1963	46.1	15.4	0.4	2.2	11.1	24.8	25.5	11.6	7.7	5.5	19.4	30.1	
1968-1970	31.9	8.4	0.2	6.8	17.9	34.8	23.2	10.2	6.0	8.9	20.1	31.7	
1971	26.7	6.5	0.2	8.1	16.1	42.5	21.0	10.0	5.7	9.1	20.1	33.3	
1972	23.5	6.7	0.4	7.2	24.1	38.1	17.9	9.6	5.5	9.7	24.1	33.0	
1973	20.5	7.0	0.5	7.8	25.8	38.3	16.4	9.8	4.8	9.4	25.4	34.2	
<u>Oman</u> ^{4/}													
1968-1970	1.5	-	98.5	-	-	-	...	...	...	...	...	...	
1971	0.9	-	99.1	-	-	-	39.3	1.9	7.0	4.4	25.0	21.0	
1972	0.8	-	99.2	-	-	-	33.7	1.5	4.9	4.2	27.9	24.5	
1973	1.0	-	99.0	-	-	-	26.0	2.4	4.3	4.7	31.3	26.2	
<u>Qatar</u>													
1970	...	...	...	...	...	...	23.5	2.5	1.9	4.7	30.7	36.7	
1971	...	...	...	...	...	...	18.5	1.7	1.0	4.7	47.2	26.8	
1972	...	...	...	...	...	...	20.0	1.6	0.9	4.5	47.1	25.8	

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Table V-B. (continued)

Country	E x p o r t s						I m p o r t s					
	Food & beverages (0 + 1)	Raw materials (2 + 4)	Fuels (3)	Chemicals (5)	Machinery (7)	Other manufactures (6 + 8)	Food & beverages (0 + 1)	Raw materials (2 + 4)	Fuels (3)	Chemicals (5)	Machinery (7)	Other manufactures (6 + 8)
Saudi Arabia												
1961-1963	0.1	-	99.7	-	0.1	-	32.7	3.3	1.2	5.5	23.9	28.2
1968-1970	0.1	-	99.8	-	-	-	29.5	3.0	1.2	6.2	33.0	26.9
1971	0.1	-	99.8	-	-	-	27.9	4.6	1.2	6.7	30.7	28.8
1972	0.1	-	99.8	0.1	-	-	24.6	3.3	1.0	5.2	36.5	29.3
1973	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Syrian Arab Republic												
1961-1963	30.1	57.4	0.8	0.4	0.7	10.6	20.5	7.5	8.8	9.6	19.5	34.1
1968-1970	30.6	46.4	10.9	0.4	0.8	10.3	21.0	6.0	9.8	10.1	21.2	31.6
1971	14.0	50.1	24.0	0.4	0.5	10.8	34.6	5.7	6.2	11.2	17.3	25.0
1972	25.4	42.9	18.3	0.4	0.7	12.2	24.1	5.6	4.5	11.9	22.6	31.3
1973	16.9	45.2	21.7	0.4	1.2	14.6	25.4	7.2	4.6	9.2	23.7	29.6
United Arab Emirates												
Abu Dhabi												
1969-1970	...	...	...	...	...	...	10.6	-	-	-	68.6	20.5
1971	...	...	...	...	...	...	12.2	-	-	-	67.4	19.7
1972	...	...	...	...	...	...	10.8	-	-	-	50.1	36.3
Dubai												
1964-1966	...	...	...	...	...	...	23.0	-	1.8	1.6	19.2	54.2
1968-1970	...	...	...	...	...	...	14.3	-	2.5	1.9	29.0	50.7
1971	40.8	-	0.1	0.4	10.2	39.3	15.2	-	2.5	2.7	31.8	46.8
1972	45.1	-	-	0.5	8.7	44.9	14.5	-	5.7	2.0	32.7	44.8
1973	34.0	-	0.2	0.6	8.3	55.6	12.8	-	5.2	2.2	33.0	46.4

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Table V-B. (continued)

Country	E x p o r t s						I m p o r t s					
	Food & beverages (SITC) (0 + 1)	Raw materials (2 + 4)	Fuels (3)	Chemicals (5)	Machinery (7)	Other manufactures (6 + 8)	Food & beverages (0 + 1)	Raw materials (2 + 4)	Fuels (3)	Chemicals (5)	Machinery (7)	Other manufactures (6 + 8)
Yemen												
1964-1966	32.6	66.4	-	-	-	1.1	52.8	4.1	8.7	3.8	11.6	18.4
1969-1970	51.8	47.9	-	-	-	0.2	53.8	1.2	4.6	3.5	19.9	17.0
1971	22.9	75.2	-	-	-	0.1	44.2	1.7	6.3	5.1	16.0	26.7
1972	32.9	64.1	-	-	-	1.3	50.1	0.7	4.8	5.6	13.0	25.3
1973	27.0	71.4	-	0.2	0.1	1.1	50.6	0.9	5.0	6.4	12.2	24.6

Source: Computed from data given in Tables V-A-1 to V-A-12.

- 1/ Excluding trade in oil and products; but including designated re-exports, ships and aircrafts supplies.
- 2/ Excluding exports of stores and bunkers for ships and aircrafts.
- 3/ Non-oil exports consist mainly of re-exports.
- 4/ Dutiable imports only.
- 5/ Excluding exports of petroleum and products. Non-oil exports consist almost entirely of re-exports.

Table V-C-1. Bahrain: leading non-oil export items^{1/}, 1974
(Value in Bahraini dinars; percentage of total exports)

SITC	Item description	Value	Per cent
6841	Aluminium and alloys, unworked	31,571,570	44.02
8411	Textile clothing, not knitted	4,841,391	6.75
0422	Rice, not in the husk	4,019,505	5.60
8510	Footwear	2,391,486	3.33
7184	Excavating and levelling machinery	1,749,537	2.44
6535	Fabrics of synthetic fibres	1,674,609	2.33
7349	Airships and parts	1,672,400	2.33
7191	Heating and cooling equipment	1,266,742	1.77
1222	Cigarettes	1,119,499	1.56
8310	Travel goods and handbags	966,374	1.35
6522	Other cotton fabrics	864,065	1.20
5530	Perfumery and cosmetics	831,690	1.16
6569	Made up textile articles	792,424	1.10
2752	Other spices	759,792	1.06
6566	Blankets etc.	676,810	0.94
0741	Tea	663,082	0.92
7199	Parts and accessories of pumps and centrifuges	653,374	0.91
8930	Articles of plastic materials	537,167	0.75
6783	Tubes and pipes welded	488,279	0.68
0555	Vegetables preserved	421,740	0.59
7242	Radio, broadcasting receivers	419,737	0.59
3325	Lubricants, oils and greases	410,764	0.57
8641	Watches	370,637	0.52
6952	Other tools, hand and machine	362,658	0.51
7115	Internal combustion engines	358,685	0.50
Total exports ^{2/}		71,722,042	100.00

Source: State of Bahrain, Ministry of Finance and National Economy, Foreign Trade: Bahrain Imports and Exports classified according to SITC (revised) 1st January to 31st December 1974.

^{1/} Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 0.5 per cent of total exports, i.e., BD 358,610.

^{2/} Including stores and bunkers for ships and aircrafts.

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Table V-C-2. Democratic Yemen: leading export items,^{1/} 1970
(Value in Yemeni dinars; percentage of total exports)

SITC	Item description	Value	Per cent
332.3	Distillate fuels	24,817,282	43.96
332.2	Lamp oil and white spirit (kerosene, jet fuel)	12,218,352	21.64
332.1	Motor spirit	7,948,624	14.08
263.2	Cotton linters	1,755,705	3.11
211.4	Hides and skins of bovine cattle, goats, sheep and lamb	1,220,788	2.16
652.1	Cotton fabrics, woven (not including narrow or special fabrics)	1,106,343	2.96
031.2	Fish, salted dried or smoked and fish maws	793,162	1.41
042.2	Rice	497,220	0.88
071.2	Coffee not roasted	479,780	0.85
046.0	Meal and flour of wheat	401,247	0.71
221.6	Cotton seed	389,184	0.69
284.0	Non-ferrous metal scrap	335,779	0.59
653.1	Textile fabrics, other than of cotton	334,353	0.59
292.2	Gums and resins	289,818	0.51
276.3	Salt	140,078	0.25
841.1.5	Outer garments	127,187	0.23
841.1.6	Under garments	108,193	0.19
851.0	Footwear	88,151	0.16
061.2	Refined sugar	82,185	0.15
074.1	Tea	79,162	0.14
841.2.9	Clothing accessories	70,532	0.12
Total exports ^{2/}		56,451,409	100.00

Source: People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, Central Statistical Office,
Trade Bulletin Last Quarter, 1970.

^{1/} Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 0.1 per cent of total exports, i.e., YD 56,451.

^{2/} Excluding stores and bunkers for ships and aircrafts.

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Table V-C-3. Iraq: leading export items,^{1/} 1972
(Value in Iraqi dinars; percentage
of total exports)

SITC	Item description	Value	Per cent
052	Dates	10,239,564	35.79
21	Hides and skins, undressed	2,653,035	9.27
661200	Cement	2,606,576	9.11
262	Raw wool	1,551,223	5.42
561100	Nitrogenous fertilizers	806,944	2.82
291931	Guts and casings	704,883	2.46
041000	Wheat and meslin, unmilled	669,810	2.34
043000	Barley, unmilled	515,108	1.80
121000	Tobacco, unmanufactured	495,646	1.73
841117	Men's outer garments, not knitted	480,328	1.68
263	Raw cotton	467,347	1.63
3325	Lubricants and other preparations	444,658	1.55
292410	Liquorice roots	437,947	1.53
332110	Motor spirit	430,061	1.50
332420	Diesel oil	403,227	1.41
091410	Vegetable ghee	365,213	1.28
657622	Hand wool carpets	362,368	1.27
332320	Gas oil	355,500	1.24
Total exports ^{2/}		28,614,060	100.00

Source: Iraq, Central Statistical Organization, Foreign Trade Statistics 1972.

^{1/} Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 1 per cent of total exports, i.e., ID 286,141.

^{2/} Excluding crude oil exports.

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Table V-C-4. Jordan: leading export items,^{1/} 1973
(Value in Jordanian dinars;
percentage of total exports)

BTN	Item description	Value	Per cent
25/10	Natural phosphates	4,020,380	28.70
25/23/A	Hydraulic cement	1,295,798	9.25
8/2/A	Oranges	1,110,903	7.93
7/1/D	Tomatoes	915,659	6.54
30/3/D/2	Other medicaments	549,120	3.92
24/2/C	Cigarettes	546,200	3.90
7/5/B	Lentils	451,687	3.22
53/11	Woven fabrics of wool or fine hair	429,048	3.06
85/4/B	Electric accumulators	408,708	2.92
7/1/H/1	Eggplants, fresh	400,463	2.86
24/1/B	Tobacco leaves	282,194	2.01
41/1	Raw hides and skins	260,929	1.86
27/10/D/2	Fuel oils (Mazout)	154,889	1.11
7/1/G/5	Marrows, fresh	150,620	1.08
8/2/C	Lemons	147,152	1.05
48/1/B	Craft paper	143,405	1.02
27/15	Bitumen and asphalt, natural	140,736	1.00
Total exports		14,010,329	100.00

Source: The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, Department of Statistics,
External Trade Statistics, 1973.

^{1/} Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 1 per cent of
total exports, i.e., JD 140,103.

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Table V-C-5. Kuwait: leading non-oil export items, ^{1/} 1972
(Value in Kuwaiti dinars; percentage of total exports)

SITC	Item description	Value	Per cent
561.800	Urea	9,848,535	19.89
734.920	Equipment and spare parts of aircrafts, excluding engines	4,376,889	8.84
678.000	Iron and steel tubes, pipes and fittings	1,886,248	3.81
071.001	Coffee, green	1,580,059	3.19
732.301	Motor lorries	1,495,305	3.02
122.200	Cigarettes	1,311,060	2.65
718.421	Oil well drilling machines	1,245,854	2.52
841.009	Clothing except of rubber, men's scarfs and yashmaks	1,075,028	2.17
561.100	Ammonium sulphate	1,053,826	2.13
652.000	Cotton fabrics, woven	785,567	1.59
042.000	Rice	721,203	1.46
653.501	Silk (artificial) textile and woven fabrics of other materials	689,844	1.39
663.802	Asbestos pipes	682,021	1.38
074.100	Tea	652,721	1.32
931.002	Personal travelling supplies	554,404	1.12
031.301	Shrimps, fresh chilled or frozen including canned	538,413	1.09
656.600	Blankets, travelling rugs and coverlets	516,993	1.04
719.305	Lifting, handling, loading or unloading machinery	505,468	1.02
629.109	Rubber tyres and tubes	467,417	0.94
732.890	Equipment and spare parts of motor vehicles	461,619	0.93
673.001	Iron and steel bars, twisted	456,824	0.92
891.102	Tape recorders and parts	433,933	0.88
724.100	Television sets	433,158	0.87
051.300	Bananas	424,259	0.86
632.409	Prefabricated buildings of wood	415,922	0.84
718.423	Graders, levellers, etc.	406,260	0.82
533.301	Prepared paints, enamels and varnishes	401,809	0.81
821.001	All kinds of furniture, excluding furniture of rubber	396,280	0.80
061.200	Sugar, refined, including sugar cubes	387,405	0.78
732.304	Motor hauling trucks	383,852	0.78
732.302	Pick-up cars	381,950	0.77
735.308	Equipment and spare parts of ships and boats	349,829	0.71
719.900	Parts and accessories of machinery, n.i.e.	347,761	0.70

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Table V-C-5. Kuwait (continued)

<u>SITC</u>	<u>Item description</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Per cent</u>
011.009	Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen	337,069	0.68
724.202	Transistorized radios	315,983	0.64
719.121	Air conditioning units	299,467	0.60
075.000	Spices and seasonings including cardamons and saffrons	285,622	0.58
732.301	Motor lorries	253,262	0.51
Total exports ^{2/}		49,515,811	100.00

Source: State of Kuwait - Planning Board - Central Statistical Office,
Statistical Abstract 1973.

1/ Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 0.5 per cent of total exports, i.e., KD 247,979.

2/ Non-oil exports consist largely of re-exports.

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Table V-C-6. Lebanon: leading export items,^{1/} 1973
(Value in thousand Lebanese pounds;
percentage of total exports)

BTM	Item description	Value	Per cent
84-06-51	Internal combustion piston engines ^{2/}	86,182	6.68
88-03-21	Parts of flying machines, airships; rotochutes ^{2/}	64,527	5.00
87-02-41	Motor vehicles for diverse usages ^{2/}	51,785	4.02
08-06-11	Apples, fresh	41,705	3.23
60-05-29	Outer garments of artificial or synthetic fibres	40,902	3.17
31-03-11	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, super phosphates & slags	32,335	2.51
04-05-12	Birds eggs with shell	27,710	2.15
08-02-11	Oranges, fresh	27,158	2.11
41-01-00	Raw hides and skins ^{3/}	24,425	1.89
58-02-31	Carpets, carpeting rugs & mats other than of wool or hair	23,456	1.82
53-01-00	Sheep's or lamb's wool, not corded or combed ^{3/}	22,976	1.78
24-01-21	Unmanufactured tobacco; tobacco refuse	22,916	1.78
07-05-25	Lentils	22,321	1.73
73-10-21	Bars and rods of iron or steel	20,294	1.57
71-12-11	Articles of jewellery and parts thereof	19,466	1.51
49-01-00	Printed books, booklets & brochures	17,921	1.39
60-01-21	Knitted or crocheted fabrics of synthetic fibres	16,203	1.26
25-23-11	Natural or artificial cement	15,964	1.24
30-03-00	Medicaments including veterinary	15,385	1.19
39-02-22	Polymerisation products, rough or semi-worked	14,861	1.15
48-16-41	Boxes, bags of paper or paperboard	13,834	1.07
42-02-11	Travel goods of leather; composition or artificial	13,687	1.06
76-02-21	Wrought bars of aluminium	13,153	1.02
60-04-29	Undergarments, knitted of synthetic fibres	12,929	1.00
08-02-31	Lemons, fresh	12,840	1.00
23-07-21	Sweetened forage for animal food	12,809	0.99
64-02-00	Footwear with outer soles of leather	12,229	0.95
85-23-41	Insulated electric wires	11,768	0.91
20-07-31	Fruit juices with sugar, unfermented	11,551	0.90
94-03-21	Furniture of wood	11,312	0.88
05-04-00	Guts, bladders and stomachs of animals ^{3/}	10,990	0.85
76-03-22	Wrought plates of aluminium (thickness 6/10 mm)	10,652	0.83
88-02-00	Flying machines, gliders & kites; rotochutes ^{2/}	10,499	0.81
21-07-51	Food preparations, n.i.e.	10,244	0.79
68-12-11	Pipes, tubes and tiles of asbestos-cement	9,605	0.74
32-09-31	Oil pigments in linseed, white-spirit	9,309	0.72
28-10-00	Phosphorous pentoxide and phosphoric acid	8,641	0.67

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Table V-C-6. Lebanon (continued)

BTN	Item description	Value	Per cent
07-01-32	Potatoes, fresh or chilled	8,432	0.65
44-15-21	Plywood, blockboard and laminboard	8,075	0.63
84-56-00	Machinery for sorting, screening, separating ^{2/}	7,939	0.62
84-15-39	Domestic refrigerators, electrical	7,415	0.58
61-01-21	Men's and boys' outer garments of synthetic fibres	7,004	0.54
73-21-41	Structures of iron or steel ^{2/}	6,933	0.54
87-06-31	Parts and accessories of tractors ^{2/}	6,565	0.51
87-05-00	Bodies for motor vehicles	6,246	0.48
34-02-11	Surface-active and washing preparations	6,055	0.47
49-11-52	Printed matter, pictures & others	5,860	0.45
44-18-00	Reconstituted wood, shavings, chips	5,636	0.44
70-10-31	Carboys, bottles and glass containers	5,043	0.39
85-15-11	Radio broadcast receivers ^{2/}	4,895	0.38
37-07-26	Positive cinematographic films	4,696	0.36
76-08-00	Structures of aluminium	4,609	0.36
73-20-21	Tubes and pipe fittings of cast iron or steel (more than 20 cms)	4,423	0.34
23-07-11	Sweetened forage for reproduction of poultry	4,244	0.33
56-07-24	Synthetic fabrics of more than 180 gm.	4,229	0.33
73-40-51	Articles of iron or steel	3,909	0.30
44-05-31	Wood, sawn lengthwise ^{3/}	3,827	0.30
27-10-69	Lubricating oils and greases	3,826	0.30
85-01-21	Electrical generators, motor converters for use other than in agriculture or industry ^{2/}	3,673	0.28
15-07-29	Olive oil	3,652	0.28
49-07-21	Stamps and unused postage	3,598	0.28
41-03-21	Sheep and lamb skin leather, prepared	3,545	0.27
19-08-11	Biscuits, with or without cocoa	3,506	0.27
23-04-31	Oil cake of other than olives and cottonseed	3,454	0.27
04-04-00	Cheese and curd	3,427	0.27
85-19-49	Apparatus for electrical currents ^{3/}	3,385	0.26
25-22-00	Quicklime, slacked lime	3,363	0.26
83-07-00	Lamps & lighting fittings of base metal ^{3/}	3,252	0.25
73-20-12	Tubes & pipe fittings of cast iron or steel (13 cms)	3,225	0.25
87-14-31	Vehicles, not mechanically propelled ^{2/}	3,185	0.25
48-16-11	Paper bags for cement, fertilizers, coal	3,176	0.25
73-03-00	Scrap and waste metal of iron or steel	3,152	0.24
01-05-11	Chicks, 24 hours old	3,146	0.24
55-05-22	Cotton yarn, not mercerised, not put up for retail sale	3,121	0.24

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Table V-C-6. Lebanon (continued)

BTN	Item description	Value	Per cent
25-23-21	White or colored cement	3,058	0.24
20-02-31	Vegetables, preserved other than in vinegar	2,811	0.22
90-28-32	Electrical instruments for measuring & checking ^{2/}	2,811	0.22
48-18-11	Registers and albums of superior quality	2,831	0.22
48-18-29	Stationery of paper or paperboard	2,716	0.21
08-04-11	Grapes, fresh	2,711	0.21
17-04-00	Sugar confectionery, not containing cocoa	2,681	0.21
84-61-41	Taps, cocks and other appliances	2,642	0.20
Total exports		1,289,206	100.00

Source: Republique Libanaise, Statistiques du Commerce Extérieur, 1973.

- 1/ Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 0.2 per cent of total merchandise exports, i.e., LL 2,578 thousand.
- 2/ Re-exports (nationalised exports, i.e., products not locally produced) based on a list prepared by the Central Statistical Office of the Ministry of Planning according to the National Accounts Nomenclature as quoted in: Diab, M.A., Lebanon: Economic Development in Perspective, 1975 and 1980; a paper submitted to ECWA (then UNESOB) (Mimeographed, 1969).
- 3/ Re-exports comprise a significant proportion of trade.

Table V-C-7. Oman: leading non-oil export items, 1973
(Value in thousands of Omani rials;
percentage of total exports)

<u>Item description</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Per cent</u>
Lemons, dried	269.0	44.16
Fruits and vegetables	160.6	26.37
Dates, dried	98.9	16.24
Tobacco	34.8	5.71
Dates, fresh	19.3	3.17
Fish, dried	19.2	3.15
Total exports	609.1	100.00

Source: Sultanate of Oman, Statistical Abstract 1973.

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Table V-C-8. Saudi Arabia: leading non-oil export items,^{1/} 1972
(Value in Saudi riyals; percentage of total exports)

BTN	Item description	Value	Per cent
310200	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous	9,680,708	17.02
080101-02	Dates, fresh or dried	3,704,026	6.51
080902	Watermelon	3,253,050	5.72
410100	Raw hides and skins	2,507,962	4.41
070104	Tomatoes, fresh	1,913,750	3.36
010401	Live sheep and goats	1,590,404	2.78
430100	Raw furskins	1,368,570	2.41
410300	Lamb and lamb skin leather	1,260,610	2.22
730300	Scrap and waste metal of iron or steel	1,192,921	2.10
240201-03	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes	1,174,359	2.06
310300	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, phosphatic	1,019,959	1.79
340201	Surface-active preparations, washing preparations	924,507	1.62
732400	Compressed gas cylinders of iron or steel	837,921	1.47
731600	Railway track constructions of iron or steel	783,303	1.38
481602	Boxes, bags and other packing containers	726,859	1.28
030100	Fish, fresh, chilled or frozen	703,481	1.24
340102	Soap	671,348	1.18
252000	Gypsum; anhydrite; calcined and gypsum plasters	648,049	1.14
050600	Sinews, tendons, waste of raw hides and skins	525,028	0.92
070119	Fresh vegetables, other	483,244	0.85
170100	Beet sugar and cane sugar, solid	450,936	0.79
100600	Rice	449,411	0.79
410200	Bovine cattle leather	435,355	0.76
740100	Copper matte, waste and scrap	389,168	0.68
620301	Sacks and bags of jute	349,065	0.61
100500	Maize	341,652	0.60
420100	Saddlery and harness	340,500	0.60
530101	Sheep's and lambs' wool, not carded or combed	309,376	0.54
Total exports		56,879,255	100.00

Source: Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Ministry of Finance and National Economy,
Central Department of Statistics, Foreign Trade Statistics 1972 A.D.

^{1/} Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 0.5 per cent of
total exports, i.e., Saudi riyals 284,391.

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Table V-C-9. Syrian Arab Republic: leading export items,^{1/} 1973
(Value in thousands of Syrian pounds;
percentage of total exports)

SITC	Item description	Value	Per cent
263.1	Raw cotton, other than linters	448,248	33.42
331.01	Crude petroleum	291,266	21.72
262.1	Sheep's and lambs' wool, greasy or fleece - washed	60,101	4.48
041.0	Wheat, unmilled	44,970	3.35
122.2	Cigarettes	34,381	2.56
211.9	Hides and skins	32,405	2.42
001.2	Live sheep, lambs and goats	31,918	2.38
651.3	Cotton yarn and thread, grey (unbleached)	25,509	1.90
653.61	Fabrics, woven, of continuous regenerated fibres, other than pile or chenille fabrics	24,816	1.85
841.44	Outer garments, knitted or crocheted, not elastic	24,640	1.84
054.2	Beans, peas, lentils and other leguminous vegetables, dried (including split)	22,905	1.71
074.1	Tea	18,330	1.37
001.1	Bovine cattle (including buffaloes)	18,055	1.35
656.91	Linen, and other furnishing articles of textile fabrics	17,934	1.34
652.29	Other cotton fabrics, woven, bleached, dyed	17,364	1.29
262.2	Sheep's and lambs' wool, degreased, whether or not bleached	17,132	1.28
271.3	Natural phosphates, whether or not ground	10,681	0.80
121.0	Tobacco, unmanufactured	10,629	0.79
081.3	Oil-seed cake and meal and other vegetable oil residues	9,872	0.74
841.43	Under garments, knitted or crocheted, not elastic	9,571	0.71
263.2	Cotton linters	8,880	0.66
841.22	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, veils, not knitted or crocheted	7,941	0.59
221.1	Groundnuts, peanuts, green whether or not shelled	7,855	0.59
053.3	Homogenized import food with a basis of cooked fruit	5,486	0.41
055.10	Vegetables, dehydrated (excluding leguminous)	5,267	0.39
055.52	Homogenized infant food with cooked vegetables	5,018	0.37
841.12	Women's, girls' and infants' outer garments, not knitted or crocheted	4,060	0.30
075.25	Seeds of anise, badian, fennel, coriander, cumin and caraway	3,988	0.30
734.92	Parts of aircrafts, airships and balloons	3,932	0.29

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Table V-C-9. Syrian Arab Republic (continued)

SITC	Item description	Value	Per cent
653.51	Fabrics, woven, of continuous synthetic fibres other than pile or chenille fabrics	3,711	0.28
657.6	Carpets, carpeting and rugs	3,643	0.27
291.93	Guts, bladders and stomachs of animals (not fish)	3,214	0.24
054.5	Fresh vegetable, n.i.e.	3,170	0.24
652.62	Fabrics, woven, of discontinuous regenerated fibres	3,117	0.23
653.7	Knitted or crocheted fabrics, not elastic or rubberized	2,971	0.22
841.11	Men's and boys' outer garments, not knitted or crocheted	2,870	0.21
267.01	Old clothing and other textile waste imported in bulk	2,739	0.20
Total exports		1,341,276	100.00

Source: Syrian Arab Republic, Central Bureau of Statistics, Statistics of the Foreign Trade Of Syria During The Year 1973: Classified according to the United Nations Standard International Trade Classification, SITC, Revised.

1/ Exported items whose value is equal to or greater than 0.2 per cent of total exports, i.e., SP 2,682 thousand.

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Table V-C-10. United Arab Emirates: leading non-oil domestic export items, 1973

(Value in dirhams; percentage of total exports)

	<u>Item description</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Per cent</u>
<u>Dubai</u>			
	Dry fish	2,778,171	42.66
	Dates	1,581,220	24.28
	Hides and skins	1,561,950	23.99
	Shark fins	485,192	7.45
	Scrap iron	105,250	1.62
	Total exports	6,511,783	100.00

Source: Dubai, Statistics Office of Central Accounts Section, Dubai External Trade Statistics, January 1974, issue "Yearly Review Included".

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Table V-C-11. Yemen: leading export items, 1973
(Value in Yemeni rials; percentage
of total exports)

SITC	Item description	Value	Per cent
263.0	Raw cotton	17,796,412	49.42
071.3	Coffee	6,015,952	16.71
211.0	Hides and skins	5,472,885	15.20
221.1	Cotton seed	2,046,330	5.68
04.0	Cereals and cereal products	1,187,572	3.30
001	Live animals	691,732	1.92
054.0	Fresh vegetables	540,217	1.50
031	Salted fish	535,964	1.49
652.2	Cloth (sheets)	343,760	0.95
282.0	Iron scrap	234,675	0.65
051.0	Fresh fruits	217,294	0.60
081.3	Oil cakes	133,875	0.37
06.0	Sugar, sugar products and honey	119,726	0.33
052.0	Dried fruits	83,835	0.23
055.0	Preserved vegetables	76,460	0.21
292.1	Oat	72,463	0.20
012.0	Tobacco and manufactured tobacco	61,342	0.17
073.0	Chocolates	34,675	0.10
002	Dairy products and eggs	31,800	0.09
276.3	Table salt	30,457	0.08
241.2	Charcoal	29,064	0.08
292.4	Kadi	12,760	0.04
292.1	Henna	3,253	0.01
Total exports		36,007,705	100.00

Source: Yemen Arab Republic, Central Planning Organization, Statistics Department,
Statistical Yearbook, 1973.

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Table V-D. Export/import ratios, selected periods

Country	1961-1963 ^{1/}	1968-1970 ^{2/}	1971	1972	1973
<u>Regional total</u> ^{3/}	1.66	1.96	2.50	2.56	2.64
<u>Oil economies</u> ^{3/}	2.61	2.90	3.67	3.71	3.78
Bahrain	0.32	0.33	0.27	0.32	0.25
Iraq	1.94	2.34	2.21	1.92	2.54
Kuwait	3.65	2.47	3.85	3.74	3.64
Oman	...	0.10	0.03	0.02	0.02
Saudi Arabia	4.01	3.24	4.77	4.49	...
United Arab Emirates:	...	...	...	...	...
Abu Dhabi	...	0.08	0.08	0.05	...
Dubai	...	0.12	0.13	0.12	0.10
<u>Non-oil economies</u> ^{3/}	0.43	0.42	0.40	0.42	0.42
Democratic Yemen	0.49	0.60	0.61	...	...
Jordan	0.11	0.17	0.12	0.13	0.13
Lebanon	0.15	0.31	0.36	0.40	0.36
Syrian Arab Republic	0.70	0.57	0.44	0.53	0.57
Yemen	0.19	0.10	0.11	0.05	0.06

Source: Computed from data given in Tables II-A-2 and II-B-2.

1/ Except for Bahrain (1962-1964) and Yemen (1964-1966).

2/ Except for Abu Dhabi and Yemen (1969-1970).

3/ Regional and subregional ratios are based on trade data from United Nations, Monthly Bulletin of Statistics (various issues).

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Table VI-A-1. Democratic Yemen: balance of payments flows, 1968-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
A. Goods, services and unrequited transfers						
Goods and services, net	-19.5	-8.0	-8.2	-10.6	-29.7	-49.2
Trade balance	-69.6	-62.5	-61.0	-55.4	-56.8	-84.6
Exports (f.o.b.)	-46.9	-32.3	-35.6	-47.8	-39.6	-64.6
Imports (f.o.b.)	127.7	161.0	154.0	99.9	106.5	108.0
Services, net	-174.6	-193.3	-189.6	-147.7	-146.1	-172.6
Travel	-22.7	-30.2	-25.4	-7.6	-17.2	-20.0
Investment income	-2.1	-2.2	-1.7	-2.2	0.3	...
Unrequited transfers, net	-13.6	-22.1	-22.3	-4.5	-5.3	...
Private	50.1	54.5	52.1	44.8	27.1	33.4
Government	34.3	53.3	52.1	43.8	27.1	32.9
Government	15.8	1.2	-	1.0	-	0.5
B. Capital flows, net (- = outflow)	-1.6	8.2	15.5	2.4	19.2	51.9
Long-term capital	0.4	6.5	12.0	2.4	12.5	25.7
Direct investment	-	-	-	-0.7	-	-
Other central government ^{1/}	0.9	6.5	12.0	2.4	10.7	24.3
Other private	-0.5	-	-	0.7	1.8	1.4
Short-term capital	-2.0	1.7	3.5	-	6.7	26.2
Deposit money banks ^{2/}	-2.0	1.7	3.5	-	4.9	4.6
Other private	-	-	-	-	1.8	21.6
C. Allocations of SDRs	-	-	3.7	3.1	3.4	-

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Table VI-A-1. (continued)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
D. <u>Changes in reserves and related items</u> ^{3/} (- = increase)	9.0	3.8	-3.6	0.2	-3.1	-1.5
Reserves						
Monetary gold	2.7	3.8	-3.6	0.2	-3.1	-1.5
SDRs	-	0.8	-	-	-	-
Reserve position in the Fund	-	-	-1.7	-3.1	-3.3	-
Foreign exchange	-	-2.0	-1.8	-	-	-
	2.7	5.0	-0.1	3.3	0.2	-1.5
Net errors and omissions	12.1	-4.0	-6.7	4.9	10.2	-1.2

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics (December 1974 and July 1975); and Balance of Payments Yearbook (Vo. 25).

- 1/ Includes loans received, IERD holdings of Yemeni currency demand notes, subscriptions to IERD and assets of central government.
- 2/ The net changes in the balances of the assets and liabilities of commercial banks.
- 3/ This item covers, in addition to reserves, changes in other assets, use of Fund credit and other liabilities.

Table VI-A-2. Iraq: balance of payments flows, 1968-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
A. Goods, services and unrequited transfers						
Goods and services, net	184	180	101	190	230	845
Trade balance	179	175	99	188	209	709
Exports (f.o.b.)	675	649	639	916	717	1359
Oil sector	1039	1045	1098	1543	1376	2197
Imports (f.o.b.)	966	973	1029	1473	1281	2077
Services, net	-364	-396	-459	-627	-659	-838
Travel	-496	-474	-540	-728	-490	-505
Investment income	-35	-12	-17	-41	6	...
Direct investment oil companies	-439	-433	-464	-602	-416	...
Unrequited transfers, net	-448	-451	-480	-619	-431	-323
Private	5	5	2	2	3	-10
Government	6	6	1	3	2	1
Government	-1	-1	1	-1	1	-11
B. Capital flows, net (- = outflow)						
Long-term capital	-20	-37	19	-58	-37	53
Direct investment (in Iraq)	-19	-36	18	-56	-29	51
Other private long-term	-23	-27	24	-123	-186	249
Long-term loans received by central government	6	3	8	11	21	8
Short-term capital	-2	-12	-14	56	136	-206
Deposit money banks ^{1/}	-1	-1	1	-2	-8	2
Central institutions ^{2/}	-8	-	1	-2	1	-
Central institutions	7	-1	-	-	-9	2
C. Allocations of SDRs						
	-	-	-	12	13	-
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Table VI-A-2. (continued)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
D. <u>Changes in reserves and related items</u> ^{2/} (- = increase)	-86	-16	3	-91	-153	-535
Reserves	-84	-24	14	-91	-181	-768
Monetary gold	-78	-	49	-	-	-
SDRs	-	-	-	-12	-13	4
Reserve position in the Fund	-20	-	20	-	-18	-12
Foreign exchange	14	-24	-55	-79	-150	-759
Net errors and omissions	-78	-127	-123	-53	-40	-253

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics (December 1974 and July 1975);
Balance of Payments Yearbook (Vol. 25); and Central Bank of Iraq, Bulletin No. III 1974 (new series).

1/ The net changes in balances of the liabilities and assets of commercial banks. The liabilities are primarily demand and other deposits of the commercial banks, savings banks and other similar private institutions. The assets cover changes in the foreign exchange holdings, which are partly net.

2/ The amount covers changes in balances on bilateral payments agreement accounts with China, Arab Republic of Egypt and Yugoslavia.

3/ This item covers, in addition to reserves, changes in other assets, use of Fund credit and other liabilities.

Table VI-A-3. Jordan: balance of payments flows, 1968-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
A. Goods, services and unrequited transfers	28.3	-44.0	-17.0	-64.2	-7.6	12.1
Goods and services, net	-124.3	-176.4	-125.7	-166.9	-198.8	-187.3
Trade balance	-103.2	-127.4	-124.0	-158.9	-189.6	-224.7
Exports (f.o.b.)	40.0	41.3	34.5	32.1	47.7	74.4
Imports (f.o.b.)	-143.2	-168.7	-158.5	-191.0	-237.3	-299.1
Services, net	-21.1	-49.0	-1.7	-8.0	-9.2	37.4
Travel	-6.7	-8.1	-12.8	-9.4	-8.3	-1.7
Investment income	13.7	16.9	17.1	13.4	9.4	15.4
Remittances by Jordanians abroad	11.5	19.4	15.5	13.9	20.7	44.5
Unrequited transfers, net	152.6	132.4	108.7	102.7	191.2	199.3
Private	3.9	4.3	2.6	3.1	6.5	10.9
Government	148.7	128.1	106.1	99.6	184.7	188.4
Arab Governments	129.9	115.3	92.6	53.5	64.9	71.7
B. Capital flows, net (- = outflow)	7.0	19.2	-3.2	23.2	21.9	10.4
Long-term capital	12.3	10.9	0.9	21.6	23.6	22.5
Loans received by central government	12.6	10.9	2.6	22.0	23.9	23.2
Private	-0.3	-	-1.7	-0.4	-0.3	-0.7
Short-term capital	-5.3	8.3	-4.8	2.3	-1.7	-12.1
Deposit money banks ^{1/}	-5.3	6.1	-2.7	5.5	-1.0	-9.2
C. Allocations of SDRs	-	-	2.7	2.5	2.6	-

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Table VI-A-3. (continued)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
D. <u>Changes in reserves and related items</u> ^{2/} (- = increase)	-39.0	26.2	7.0	28.4	-17.4	-29.6
Reserves	-39.0	26.1	6.8	23.8	-17.4	-26.6
Monetary gold	-26.3	-	1.7	-	-	-
SDRs	-	-	-2.7	-2.5	-2.6	-
Reserve position in the Fund	-0.9	-	-1.8	-	-	-
Foreign exchange	-11.8	26.1	9.6	26.3	-14.8	-26.6
Net errors and omissions	3.7	-1.4	11.2	9.4	0.5	7.1

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics (July 1975); and Central Bank of Jordan, Monthly Statistical Bulletin (May 1975).

1/ The net changes in the balances of the commercial banks assets and liabilities.

2/ This item includes, in addition to reserves, changes in other assets, use of Fund credit, reserve assets of foreign holders and other liabilities.

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Table VI-A-4. Kuwait: balance of payments flows 1968-1973^{1/}
(Millions of US dollars)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
A. Goods, services and unrequited transfers						
Goods and services, net	387.5	413.0	498.4	954.0	1259.2	2888.4
Transactions of the oil sector	520.0	551.0	612.9	1178.2	1364.4	3292.2
Government receipts	883.4	963.8	983.6	1478.1	1667.4	3644.0
Expenditures of oil companies	777.6	816.5	899.1	1402.0	1532.8	3325.3
Transactions of Kuwait National oil Company (KNOC)	92.4	116.2	77.8	55.4	79.3	77.2
Trade balance, non-oil	13.4	31.1	6.7	20.7	55.3	241.5
Exports (f.o.b.)	-538.2	-640.9	-599.8	-569.6	-648.5	-842.9
Imports (c.i.f.)	58.5	75.6	73.9	105.8	162.0	250.7
Services, net	-596.7	-716.5	-673.7	-675.4	-810.5	-1093.6
Freight, insurance and travel	174.7	228.2	229.0	269.7	345.3	491.1
Investment income	-75.9	-64.4	-58.8	-34.7	-36.2	16.0
Unrequited transfers (current)	250.6	292.6	287.8	304.4	381.5	475.1
Government	-132.4	-138.0	-114.5	-224.3	-105.2	-403.8
Private	-137.5	-140.3	-114.5	-105.3	-140.8	-305.2
Capital flows, net (- = outflow)	5.0	2.2	-	-119.0	35.6	-98.6
Loans	-368.8	-191.2	-217.0	-138.6	-296.4	-339.8
Government	-7.3	-3.9	17.6	8.7	-29.2	-50.4
Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development (KFAED)	8.7	9.2	12.6	20.7	-18.5	14.6
Private capital	-16.0	-13.2	5.0	-12.0	-10.6	-65.0
Commercial banks	-210.3	-223.7	-166.0	-70.0	-292.8	-365.9
Government assets, net	-151.2	36.4	-68.6	-77.3	25.5	76.5
C. Government assets, net	-18.8	-221.8	-281.4	-815.4	-962.8	-729.5
Net errors and omissions	-	-	-	-	-	-1819.12

Source: Planning Board - Central Statistical Office, Statistical Yearbook of Kuwait, 1974; and Central Bank of Kuwait, Fifth Annual Report for the Year Ending 31 March 1974.

1/ Fiscal years beginning 1 April of years shown.

2/ Mostly covers private current and capital transfers in the free market.

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Table VI-L-5. Lebanon: balance of payments flows, 1968-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
A. Goods, services and unrequited transfers						
Goods and services, net	-18	-20	-15	-15	-16	-122
Trade balance	-45	-48	-43	-45	-50	-172
Exports (f.o.b.)	-325	-327	-336	-398	-460	-668
Imports (c.i.f.)	244	249	288	356	509	682
Services, net	-569	-576	-624	-753	-969	-1350
Travel and tourism	280	279	293	353	410	497
Transportation	70	72	82	108	125	127
Investment income	54	54	55	62	72	96
Government transactions	41	42	43	50	57	77
Unrequited transfers, net	39	38	39	46	50	63
Private	27	28	28	29	34	50
Public	27	28	28	...	...	...
B. Capital flows, net (- = outflow)						
Monetary sector ^{1/}	111	-4	-43	...	...	...
Direct investment	97	47	57	300	267	205
Private short-term capital	20	16	17	...	...	...
Monetary sector	82	32	48	...	...	...
Deposit money banks ^{2/}	14	-51	-100	-116	-147	-38
Changes in reserves (- = increase)	14	-51	-100	-116	-147	-38
C. Changes in reserves (- = increase)						
Net errors and omissions	-51	-15	-38	-168	-104	...
Net errors and omissions	-42	39	96	...	...	...

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics. (July 1975); and unpublished official information.

1/ Includes net errors and omissions for the years 1971-1973.

2/ The net changes in the balances of the liabilities and assets of the commercial banks.

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Table VI-A-6. Saudi Arabia: balance of payments flows, 1968-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
A. Goods, services and unrequited transfers						
Goods and services, net	-22	-86	71	202	1433	2693
Trade balance	125	141	335	1185	1756	3462
Exports (f.o.b.)	939	960	1260	2639	3835	6981
Imports (f.o.b.)	1725	1785	2089	3505	5110	8799
Services, net	-786	-825	-829	-866	-1275	-1818
Travel	-814	-819	-925	-1454	-2079	-3519
Investment income	-5	9	-	-10	10	31
Unrequited transfers, net	-645	-673	-835	-1368	-1942	-3136
Private	-217	-227	-264	-276	-323	-769
Government	-132	-134	-183	-208	-267	-392
Capital flows, net (- = outflow)	-85	-93	-81	-68	-56	-377
Long-term capital	132	11	86	-91	-72	-1048
Direct investment	116	14	97	-134	107	-626
Other central government ^{1/}	-14	-37	20	-111	75	-626
Other private ^{2/}	10	9	-7	-15	-4	-
Short-term capital	120	42	84	-8	36	-
Deposit money banks ^{3/}	23	-3	-11	43	-179	-422
Other private	12	-10	-23	-23	-179	-33
Other private	11	7	12	66	-	-389
Changes in reserves (- = increase)	56	127	-87	-796	-1187	-1631
Reserves	56	127	-87	-796	-1187	-1631
Monetary gold	-50	-	-	11	-	-
Reserve position in the Fund	-	-	-	-11	-	-
Foreign exchange	106	127	-87	-796	-1187	-1631
Net errors and omissions	-103	-52	-70	-22	-174	-14

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics (December 1974 and July 1975); and Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency, Statistical Summary (1974/75).

1/ Includes loans received, IBRD holdings of Saudi Arabian riyal demand notes, subscription to IBRD and loans extended.

2/ Includes loans and trade credits received.

3/ The net changes in the balances of the assets and liabilities of the commercial banks.

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Table VI-A-7. Syrian Arab Republic: balance of payments flows, 1968-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973 ^{1/}
A. <u>Goods, services and unrequited transfers</u>						
Goods and services, net	-23	-53	-70	-57	30	329
Trade balance	-41	-70	-80	-86	-54	-60
Exports (f.o.b.)	-105	-141	-136	-185	-146	-250
Imports (f.o.b.) ^{2/}	176	201	197	196	299	347
Services, net	-281	-342	-333	-381	-445	-597
Transportation (oil royalties)	64	71	56	99	92	190
Travel and tourism	72	71	70	109	70	143
Other government, n.i.e.	2	6	6	7	26	13
Other private services	-7	-7	-8	-7	2	14
Unrequited transfers, net	20	30	17	21	32	16
Private	18	17	10	29	84	389
Government	11	9	7	8	39	36
B. <u>Capital flows, net (- = outflow)</u>	7	8	3	21	45	353
Long-term capital	14	12	32	121	13	21
Central government	26	2	10	81	14	24
Private	17	6	9	6	-1	50
Short-term capital	9	-4	1	75	15	-26
Deposit money banks ^{3/}	-12	17	22	40	-1	-3
Central institutions	-25	26	8	23	-1	-3
C. <u>Allocations of SDRs</u>	13	-9	14	17	-	-
	-	-	6	5	5	-

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Table VI-A-7. (continued)

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973 ^{1/}
D. <u>Changes in reserves and related items</u> ^{4/} (- = increase)	14	16	24	-31	-3	-303
Reserves						
Monetary gold	7	8	4	-26	-54	-314
SDRs	-9	-	-	-	-	...
Reserve position in the Fund	-	-	-	-	-4	...
Foreign exchange	16	8	4	-26	-	...
Net errors and omissions	-5	18	8	-38	-45	-47

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics (July 1975); Balance of Payments Yearbook (Vol. 25); and Central Bank of Syria, Quarterly Bulletin (Vol. XII, No. 3) 1974.

- 1/ Values in Syrian pounds were converted to US dollars at the parallel market rate (US \$ 1 = LS 3.9274).
- 2/ Except in 1973 imports were valued (c.i.f.).
- 3/ Covers the net changes in the balances of the assets and liabilities of the commercial banks.
- 4/ This item covers, in addition to reserves, changes in other assets, use of Fund credit and other liabilities.

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Table VI-A-8. Yemen: balance of payments flows, 1969-1973
(Millions of US dollars)

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
A. Goods, services and transfers					
Trade balance	-10.5	-19.9	-13.0	3.9	4.4
Exports (f.o.b.)	-57.7	-82.6	-65.7	-88.0	-92.7
Imports (c.i.f.)	7.9	5.8	6.4	6.3	6.6
Services and transfers, net	-65.6	-88.4	-72.1	-94.3	-99.3
Services and remittances from Yemenies abroad	47.2	62.7	52.7	91.9	97.1
Private commodity and cash grants	42.0	45.0	47.0	74.6	78.6
Capital flows, net (- = outflow)	5.2	17.7	5.7	17.3	18.5
B. Capital flows, net (- = outflow)	13.1	22.2	18.8	3.2	3.4
Nonmonetary sector	13.1	26.7	21.2	9.3	9.6
Official project and commodity loans	13.1	17.9	8.6	9.3	9.6
Other official loans	-	8.2	12.6	11.9	12.9
Balances with Central Bank of Egypt	-	0.6	-	-11.9	-12.9
Commercial banks	-	-3.8	-2.4	-6.1	-6.2
C. Allocation of SDRs	-	-	1.1	1.0	1.0
D. Changes in reserves (- = increase)	-	-6.2	-14.1	-18.5	-13.3
Gold and foreign exchange	-	-6.2	-13.0	-18.0	-13.6
SDRs	-	-	-1.1	-	-1.0
Net errors and omissions^{1/}	-2.6	3.2	7.2	10.4	4.5

Source: Yemen Arab Republic; Central Planning Organization, Statistical Yearbook, 1973.

1/ Includes private capital.

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Table VI-B. International liquidity,^{1/} 1961-1974
(Millions of US dollars)

	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
<u>Oil economies</u>														
Iraq	217.6	193.4	295.1	250.8	234.4	324.5	368.2	452.6	476.4	462.2	600.4	781.5	1553.1	3273.2
Kuwait	83.7	97.2	109.7	110.2	123.9	164.3	183.9	172.6	182.1	203.3	287.9	363.2	501.0	1396.7
Oman	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	129.0	157.0	164.0	116.0	225.0
Saudi Arabia	239.0	268.0	514.0	585.0	726.0	748.0	762.0	662.0	607.0	662.0	1444.0	2500.0	3877.0	14285.0
<u>Non-oil economies</u>														
Democratic Yemen	...	...	...	...	60.08	62.44	62.56	59.90	56.00	59.31	64.33	67.18	75.97	...
Jordan	51.2	58.0	62.7	76.5	139.8	167.7	244.1	284.4	262.5	255.7	253.3	270.0	312.4	349.7
Lebanon	160.9	206.2	206.1	232.4	251.0	281.7	281.1	331.9	347.3	385.5	547.0	674.9	861.6	1673.7
Syrian Arab Republic	21.0	33.0	22.0	33.0	45.0	30.0	74.0	67.0	59.0	55.0	88.0	135.0	481.0	835.0

Source: International Monetary Fund, International Financial Statistics (various issues).

1/ End of period data on gold and foreign exchange holdings by monetary authorities, reserve position with the Fund plus Special Drawing Rights where applicable. For Kuwait, reserves with the Central government are excluded and only those with the Central Bank are given.

Note: Before December 1971 one dollar equalled one SDR or 0.88867 grams of gold. Data expressed in SDRs are the US dollar values divided by 1.08571 from December 1971 through January 1973, and by 1.20635 from February 1973 through June 1974, i.e. the ratios of the US dollar gold price in the respective periods to its previous value. Beginning with July 1974 unchanged physical gold holdings from month to month produce unchanged gold holdings when expressed either in SDRs or in the US official gold price, but produce small changes from month to month when expressed in US dollars that are valued in terms of the transactions value of the SDR under the "basket" valuation procedure. This valuation procedure brings the US dollar/SDR rate to 1.22435 in December 1974.

International Reserves in millions of SDRs

	1971	1972	1973	1974
<u>Oil economies</u>				
Iraq	553	720	1287	2673
Kuwait	265	335	415	1141
Oman	145	151	97	184
Saudi Arabia	1330	2303	3214	11667
<u>Non-oil economies</u>				
Democratic Yemen	59	62	63	...
Jordan	233	249	259	286
Lebanon	504	622	714	1367
Syrian Arab Republic	81	124	399	682

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Table VI-C. Reserves/imports ratios, selected periods
(Millions of dollars; ratios)

	Reserves	Imports	Reserves/ imports ratio	Reserves	Imports	Reserves/ imports ratio
<u>Oil economies</u>						
<u>Iraq</u>						
1961-1963	235.37	361.64	0.65	58.40	207.31	0.28
1968-1970	463.74	449.74	1.03	64.33	157.67	0.40
1971	600.40	694.12	0.86			
1972	781.50	713.53	1.10			
1973	1553.10	898.37	1.73			
<u>Kuwait</u>						
1961-1963	96.87	286.16	0.34	57.30	129.24	0.44
1968-1970	186.00	627.62	0.30	267.54	178.38	1.50
1971	287.90	650.55	0.44	253.30	214.59	1.18
1972	363.20	797.14	0.46	270.00	266.90	1.01
1973	501.00	1043.62	0.48	312.40	327.88	0.95
<u>Oman</u>						
1971	157.00	96.50	1.63	191.07	334.44	0.57
1972	164.00	160.20	1.02	354.90	528.82	0.67
1973	116.00	231.50	0.50	547.00	672.76	0.81
<u>Saudi Arabia</u>						
1961-1963	340.34	261.02	1.30	674.90	881.10	0.76
1968-1970	643.67	662.84	0.97	861.60	1388.28	0.62
1971	1444.00	805.58	1.79			
1972	2500.00	1125.34	2.22			
1973	3877.00	...	...			
<u>Non-oil economies</u>						
<u>Democratic Yemen</u>						
1968-1970						
1971						
<u>Jordan</u>						
1961-1963						
1968-1970						
1971						
1972						
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<u>Lebanon</u>						
1961-1963						
1968-1970						
1971						
1972						
1973						
<u>Syrian Arab Republic</u>						
1961-1963						
1968-1970						
1971						
1972						
1973						

Source: Computed from data given in Tables II-B-2 and VI-B

1/ End of year data on gold and foreign exchange holdings by monetary authorities, reserve position with the Fund, plus Special Drawing Rights (SDRs) where applicable.

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