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## Introduction

This publication presents statistics on the value of non-oil foreign merchandise trade, which entered or exited the territory of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi through the ports of Abu Dhabi (comprising air, sea and road ports) in (Jan-Jun) and June 2019-2020. It should be noted that foreign trade data presented in this publication do not cover non-oil exports and imports through ports of the other Emirates in the UAE.

The data have been sourced from the Abu Dhabi Department of Finance – Customs Administration, and the scope of the statistics therefore is restricted to the trade flows recorded at ports under the jurisdiction of the Customs Administration. The publication highlights the relative importance of each individual component of imports, non-oil exports and re-exports.

The data are presented according to the Broad Economic Categories (BEC), the Harmonized System (HS) chapters and by country for total imports, non-oil exports and re-exports.

The Explanatory Notes section at the end of this publication defines the key terms and technical concepts used in the compilation of non-oil foreign merchandise trade statistics. Readers are encouraged to refer to that section while reading the statistics and information outlined in the publication.

## Key points

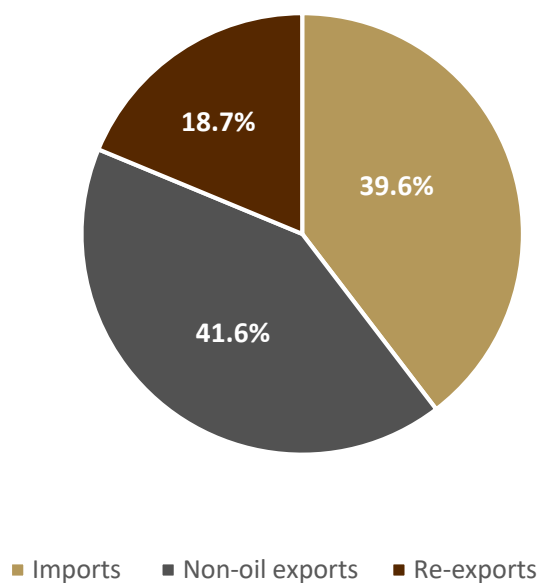
### Monthly non-oil foreign merchandise trade, in (Jan-Jun) and June 2019-2020

The value of non-oil foreign merchandise trade through Abu Dhabi ports decreased by 7.9% from AED 104.5 billion in (Jan-Jun) 2019 to AED 96.2 billion in the same period of 2020. This was the result of a 32.2% decrease in re-exports from AED 26.3 billion to AED 17.8 billion, and a 1.7% decrease in imports from AED 49.4 billion to AED 48.6 billion, while the non-oil exports increased by 3.6% from AED 28.8 billion to AED 29.9 billion in the same period.

Total trade increased by 0.8% in June 2020 compared with June 2019. Non-oil exports increased by 74.4%, while re-exports and imports decreased by 36.4% and 13.6% respectively in the same period.

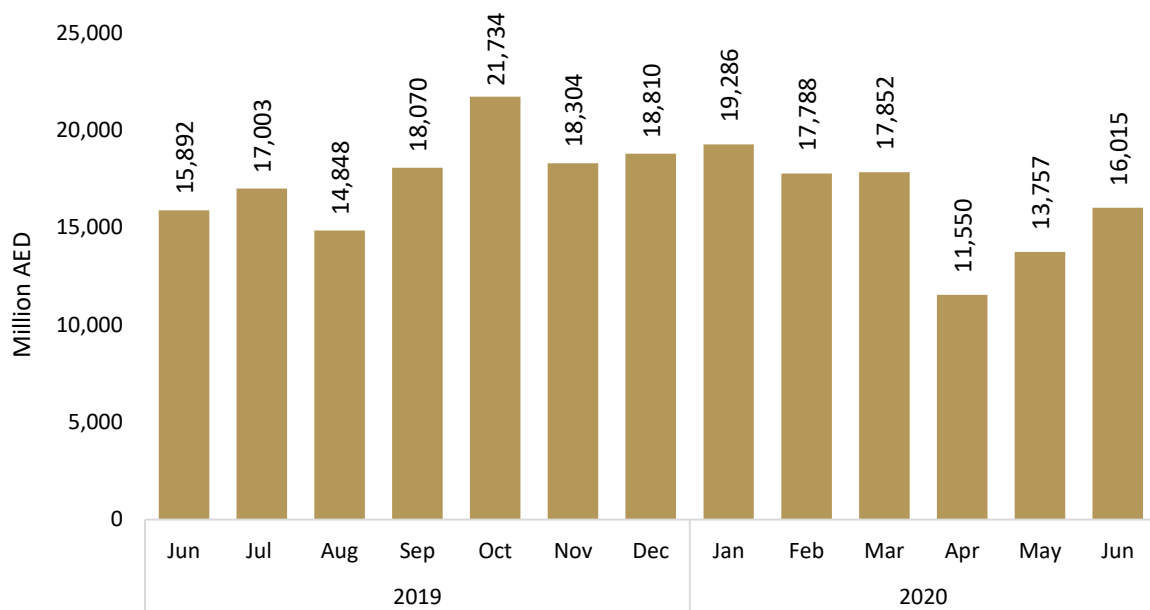
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**Figure 1: Percentage contribution to the value of non-oil foreign merchandise trade, June 2020**



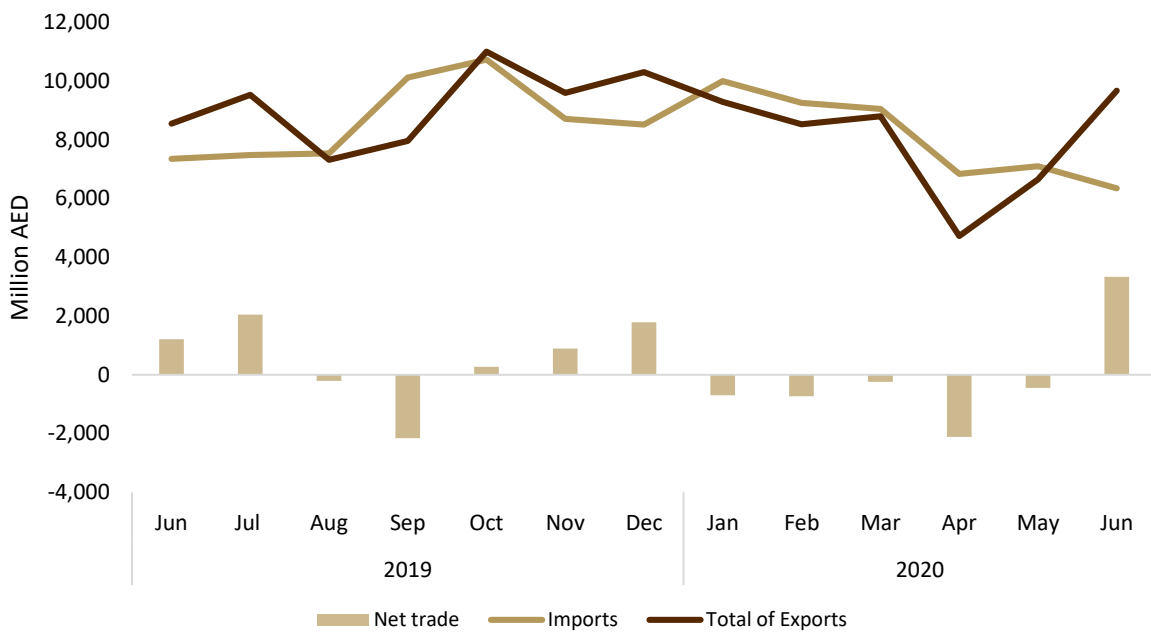
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**Figure 2: The value of non-oil foreign merchandise trade by months, June 2019- June 2020**



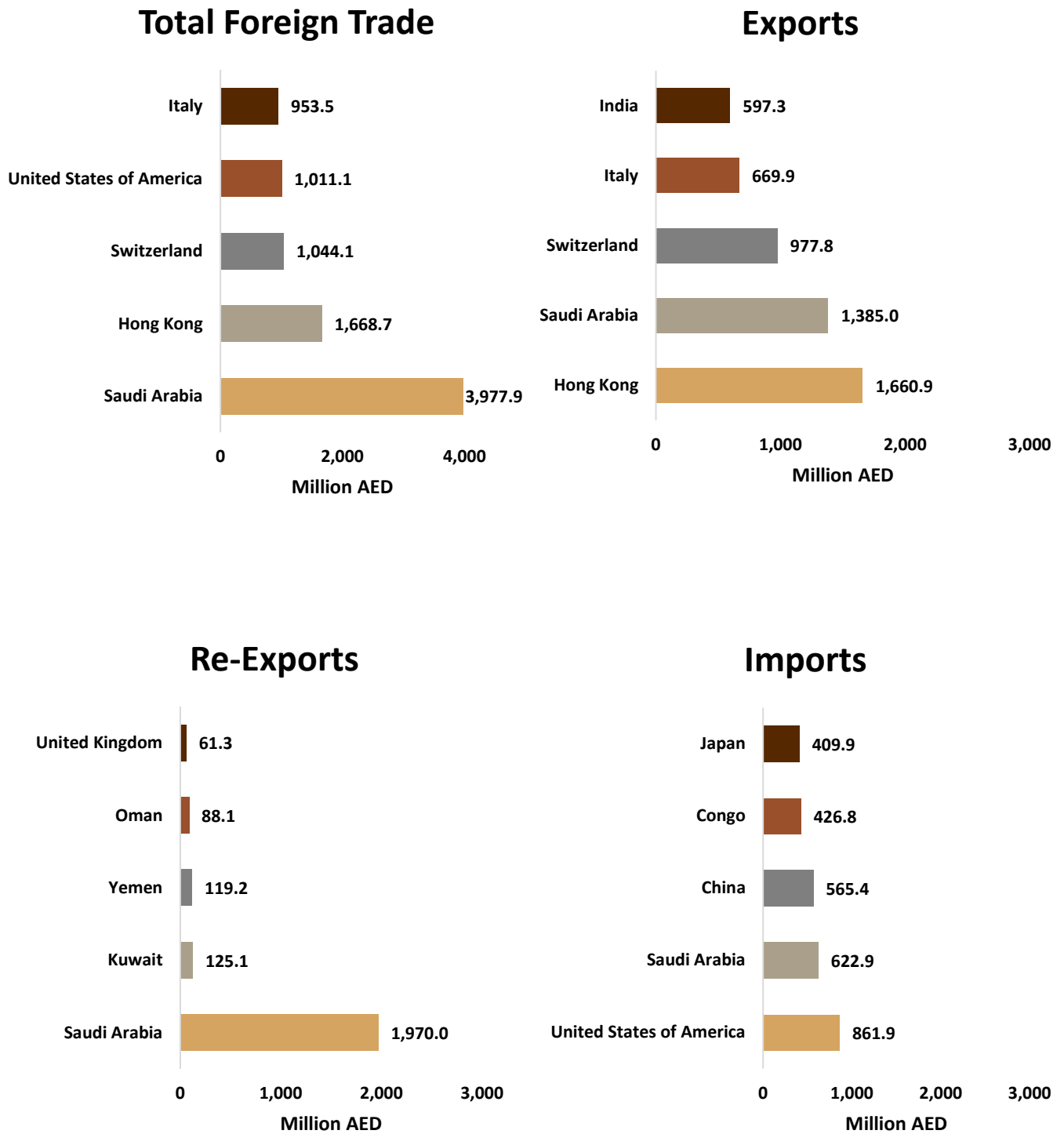
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**Figure 3: Non-oil Net trade by months, June 2019-June 2020**



Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)  
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**Figure 4: Top trade partners of non-oil foreign merchandise trade-June 2020**



Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration

## Statistical Tables

**Table 1: Non-oil foreign merchandise trade (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Foreign trade type | June          |               | Change (%) | (Jan-Jun)      |               | Change (%)  |
|--------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|
|                    | 2019          | 2020          |            | 2019           | 2020          |             |
| Imports            | 7,345         | 6,344         | -13.6      | 49,437         | 48,583        | -1.7        |
| Non-oil exports    | 3,825         | 6,670         | 74.4       | 28,818         | 29,869        | 3.6         |
| Re-exports         | 4,722         | 3,001         | -36.4      | 26,258         | 17,795        | -32.2       |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>15,892</b> | <b>16,015</b> | <b>0.8</b> | <b>104,513</b> | <b>96,247</b> | <b>-7.9</b> |

Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration  
The data for 2020 are preliminary

**Table 2: Non-oil exports by Broad Economic Category (BEC), (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Commodities                                | June         |              | Change (%)  | (Jan-Jun)     |               | Change (%) |
|--|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|------------|
|  | 2019         | 2020         |             | 2019          | 2020          |            |
| Food and beverages                         | 362.99       | 425.65       | 17.3        | 3,163.70      | 3,029.79      | -4.2       |
| Industrial supplies n.e.s.                 | 2,884.65     | 5,790.06     | 100.7       | 22,335.24     | 24,076.55     | 7.8        |
| Fuels and lubricants                       | 21.67        | 13.31        | -38.6       | 153.82        | 104.46        | -32.1      |
| Capital goods (except transport equipment) | 247.29       | 118.03       | -52.3       | 1,172.02      | 652.27        | -44.3      |
| Transport equipment, and parts             | 49.63        | 54.86        | 10.5        | 349.61        | 345.29        | -1.2       |
| Consumer goods n.e.s.                      | 257.62       | 267.46       | 3.8         | 1,639.72      | 1,652.62      | 0.8        |
| Goods n.e.s.                               | 0.97         | 0.32         | -66.8       | 4.39          | 8.25          | 88.1       |
| <b>Total</b>                               | <b>3,825</b> | <b>6,670</b> | <b>74.4</b> | <b>28,818</b> | <b>29,869</b> | <b>3.6</b> |

Source: Statistics Centre Abu Dhabi (SCAD)  
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**Table 3: Re-exports by Broad Economic Category (BEC), (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Commodities                                | June         |              | Change (%)   | (Jan-Jun)     |               | Change (%)   |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|
|  | 2019         | 2020         |              | 2019          | 2020          |              |
| Food and beverages                         | 229.71       | 291.55       | 26.9         | 1,580.09      | 1,690.45      | 7.0          |
| Industrial supplies n.e.s.                 | 385.14       | 203.09       | -47.3        | 2,650.45      | 1,769.56      | -33.2        |
| Fuels and lubricants                       | 5.78         | 2.64         | -54.2        | 34.17         | 26.79         | -21.6        |
| Capital goods (except transport equipment) | 753.70       | 511.98       | -32.1        | 4,668.36      | 2,884.20      | -38.2        |
| Transport equipment, and parts             | 2,261.41     | 1,675.30     | -25.9        | 12,600.38     | 8,576.37      | -31.9        |
| Consumer goods n.e.s.                      | 1,069.75     | 312.76       | -70.8        | 4,624.33      | 2,792.27      | -39.6        |
| Goods n.e.s.                               | 16.72        | 4.02         | -76.0        | 99.87         | 54.96         | -45.0        |
| <b>Total</b>                               | <b>4,722</b> | <b>3,001</b> | <b>-36.4</b> | <b>26,258</b> | <b>17,795</b> | <b>-32.2</b> |

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**Table 4: Imports by Broad Economic Category (BEC), (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Commodities                                | June         |              | Change (%)   | (Jan-Jun)     |               | Change (%)  |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
|  | 2019         | 2020         |              | 2019          | 2020          |             |
| Food and beverages                         | 462.19       | 624.01       | 35.0         | 3,128.07      | 3,566.81      | 14.0        |
| Industrial supplies n.e.s.                 | 3,250.69     | 2,657.56     | -18.2        | 21,733.30     | 19,426.99     | -10.6       |
| Fuels and lubricants                       | 40.77        | 29.00        | -28.9        | 281.64        | 233.40        | -17.1       |
| Capital goods (except transport equipment) | 1,413.88     | 1,572.81     | 11.2         | 7,283.63      | 11,401.29     | 56.5        |
| Transport equipment, and parts             | 1,773.43     | 933.99       | -47.3        | 11,444.50     | 10,498.67     | -8.3        |
| Consumer goods n.e.s.                      | 393.15       | 525.00       | 33.5         | 5,489.18      | 3,413.44      | -37.8       |
| Goods n.e.s.                               | 11.29        | 1.13         | -90.0        | 76.47         | 42.53         | -44.4       |
| <b>Total</b>                               | <b>7,345</b> | <b>6,344</b> | <b>-13.6</b> | <b>49,437</b> | <b>48,583</b> | <b>-1.7</b> |

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**Table 5: Non-oil exports by Harmonized System Classification, (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Commodities                                      | June         |              | Jan-June      |               |
|--|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|  | 2019         | 2020         | 2019          | 2020          |
| <b>Total</b>                                     | <b>3,825</b> | <b>6,670</b> | <b>28,818</b> | <b>29,869</b> |
| Live animals                                     | 3.15         | 2.67         | 51.54         | 32.12         |
| Meat and edible offal                            | 30.88        | 23.82        | 237.47        | 148.74        |
| Fish, crustaceans and molluscs                   | 8.81         | 10.07        | 84.36         | 53.77         |
| Dairy produce, birds eggs and honey              | 73.27        | 82.35        | 655.24        | 555.38        |
| Products of animal origin, n.e.s.                | -            | -            | 0.04          | -             |
| Live trees, plants; bulbs, roots and cut flowers | 0.45         | 0.07         | 4.71          | 0.13          |
| Edible vegetables and roots                      | 10.89        | 29.81        | 133.93        | 193.46        |
| Edible fruit, nuts                               | 1.68         | 2.09         | 59.53         | 66.17         |
| Coffee, tea, maté and spices                     | 2.12         | 2.95         | 13.77         | 14.21         |
| Cereals  | 1.40         | 3.45         | 25.57         | 23.16         |
| Products of the milling industry                 | 5.50         | 5.44         | 62.65         | 78.32         |
| Oil seeds; grains, seeds and fruits              | 0.58         | 0.88         | 17.68         | 9.44          |
| Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps       | 0.37         | 0.05         | 2.14          | 2.72          |
| Vegetable plaiting materials                     | 0.17         | -            | 0.17          | 0.13          |
| Animal or vegetable fats and oils                | 22.64        | 29.32        | 208.36        | 200.57        |
| Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans  | 44.96        | 43.59        | 370.71        | 285.17        |
| Sugars and sugar confectionery                   | 5.30         | 6.74         | 50.51         | 51.43         |
| Cocoa and cocoa preparations                     | 33.12        | 27.69        | 272.31        | 256.90        |
| Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk   | 39.52        | 59.63        | 315.12        | 441.44        |
| Preparations of vegetables, fruit and nuts       | 23.74        | 31.30        | 182.71        | 174.95        |
| Miscellaneous edible preparations                | 43.21        | 45.83        | 346.35        | 352.62        |
| Beverages, spirits and vinegar                   | 12.10        | 16.68        | 84.66         | 84.53         |
| Residues and waste from the food industries      | 6.79         | 11.28        | 59.41         | 76.94         |
| Tobacco and manufactured substitutes             | 0.18         | -            | 1.60          | 0.62          |
| Salt; sulfur; earths and stone                   | 4.46         | 3.30         | 32.35         | 27.36         |
| Ores, slag and ash                               | 0.05         | -            | 4.28          | 2.64          |
| Mineral fuels and mineral oils                   | 21.82        | 13.55        | 150.30        | 108.20        |

| Commodities  | June   |        | Jan-June |          |
|--|--------|--------|----------|----------|
|  | 2019   | 2020   | 2019     | 2020     |
| Inorganic chemicals                                      | 3.57   | 3.52   | 26.42    | 17.45    |
| Organic chemicals  | 3.21   | 2.75   | 16.89    | 13.25    |
| Pharmaceutical products                                  | 27.22  | 72.37  | 115.14   | 204.88   |
| Fertilizers  | 1.10   | -      | 26.27    | 5.76     |
| Tanning extracts; dyes and paints                        | 40.35  | 28.14  | 298.13   | 210.41   |
| Essential oils; perfumery and cosmetics                  | 112.24 | 39.67  | 675.23   | 456.69   |
| Soap, washing preparations, waxes and candles            | 52.11  | 71.21  | 377.63   | 424.20   |
| Modified starches and glues                              | 2.21   | 5.21   | 22.49    | 20.43    |
| Explosives; pyrotechnic products and matches             | -      | 0.02   | 0.40     | 0.03     |
| Photographic or cinematographic goods                    | 0.04   | 0.04   | 0.45     | 0.70     |
| Miscellaneous chemical products                          | 22.08  | 13.71  | 158.80   | 142.47   |
| Plastics and articles thereof                            | 681.28 | 563.44 | 5,413.72 | 5,273.19 |
| Rubber and articles thereof                              | 5.43   | 4.07   | 43.64    | 30.75    |
| Raw hides and skins and leather                          | -      | 0.02   | 0.58     | 0.02     |
| Articles of leather; saddlery; travel goods and handbags | 0.13   | -      | 1.75     | 0.17     |
| Furskins and artificial fur                              | -      | -      | -        | -        |
| Wood, articles of wood and charcoal                      | 1.22   | 2.36   | 29.09    | 33.85    |
| Cork and articles of cork                                | -      | 0.04   | 0.09     | 0.42     |
| Manufactures of straw, basketware and wickerwork         | 0.26   | 0.56   | 1.69     | 1.32     |
| Pulp of wood; waste and scrap of paper                   | 0.24   | -      | 0.36     | 0.26     |
| Paper; articles of paper pulp and paperboard             | 86.78  | 102.37 | 547.62   | 708.01   |
| Printed books, newspapers and pictures                   | 8.30   | 57.00  | 61.54    | 272.92   |
| Silk   | -      | -      | 0.10     | -        |
| Wool, animal hair and woven fabric                       | -      | -      | -        | -        |
| Cotton   | 0.01   | -      | 0.26     | 0.19     |
| Other vegetable textile fibers and paper yarn            | -      | -      | -        | -        |
| Man-made filaments                                       | 0.58   | -      | 4.97     | 0.37     |
| Man-made staple fibers                                   | 1.54   | 0.04   | 9.96     | 1.41     |
| Wadding, felt; twine, cordage, ropes and cables          | 1.82   | 0.72   | 8.99     | 7.70     |
| Carpets and textile floor coverings                      | 13.50  | 6.72   | 109.94   | 90.50    |

| Commodities   | June   |          | Jan-June |           |
|---|--------|----------|----------|-----------|
|   | 2019   | 2020     | 2019     | 2020      |
| Woven fabrics; textile fabrics; lace and , tapestries           | 0.01   | -        | 0.25     | 0.02      |
| Coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics                    | 0.78   | 0.14     | 3.79     | 1.99      |
| Knitted or crocheted fabrics                                    | -      | -        | -        | -         |
| Clothing, knitted or crocheted                                  | 0.35   | 0.32     | 2.64     | 2.58      |
| Clothing not knitted or crocheted                               | 1.75   | 0.01     | 7.15     | 3.44      |
| Other textile articles and worn clothing                        | 6.52   | 4.72     | 37.24    | 26.53     |
| Footwear, gaiters and parts                                     | 0.16   | -        | 3.08     | 0.57      |
| Headgear and parts thereof                                      | -      | -        | 0.09     | 0.05      |
| Umbrellas, walking sticks, whips and riding-crops               | 0.12   | -        | 0.23     | 0.13      |
| Feathers, down and articles thereof; artificial flowers         | 0.23   | -        | 0.51     | 0.07      |
| Articles of stone, plaster, cement and asbestos                 | 16.21  | 7.57     | 118.32   | 73.54     |
| Ceramic products  | 22.52  | 27.92    | 126.69   | 140.32    |
| Glass and glassware   | 24.40  | 15.38    | 214.18   | 115.39    |
| Pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, imitation jewelry     | 851.52 | 3,991.46 | 6,849.64 | 10,262.40 |
| Iron and steel  | 181.16 | 212.62   | 1,299.89 | 1,453.39  |
| Articles of iron or steel                                       | 242.87 | 265.65   | 1,648.19 | 1,538.28  |
| Copper and articles thereof                                     | 332.06 | 204.59   | 2,549.45 | 1,970.66  |
| Nickel and articles thereof                                     | 0.33   | -        | 0.80     | 0.26      |
| Aluminum and articles thereof                                   | 372.04 | 314.21   | 2,606.05 | 1,880.99  |
| Lead and articles thereof                                       | -      | -        | 2.55     | 0.77      |
| Zinc and articles thereof                                       | 0.81   | 1.41     | 5.46     | 8.51      |
| Tin and articles thereof  | -      | 0.01     | 0.10     | 0.30      |
| Other base metals and articles thereof                          | 0.01   | 0.04     | 8.64     | 0.20      |
| Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks                    | 0.29   | 0.22     | 6.17     | 2.74      |
| Miscellaneous articles of base metal                            | 13.37  | 14.46    | 143.31   | 83.17     |
| Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; nuclear reactors  | 151.06 | 71.88    | 804.94   | 348.46    |
| Electrical machinery; sound and television recorders            | 53.16  | 36.92    | 365.74   | 277.42    |
| Locomotives, rolling-stock, railway track fixtures and fittings | 2.08   | 0.10     | 5.20     | 7.03      |
| Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock            | 30.89  | 40.55    | 209.44   | 189.44    |

| Commodities  | June  |       | Jan-June |        |
|--|-------|-------|----------|--------|
|  | 2019  | 2020  | 2019     | 2020   |
| Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof                                  | 10.10 | 12.56 | 112.19   | 134.44 |
| Ships, boats and floating structures                                     | 4.27  | 0.70  | 64.11    | 19.64  |
| Optical, photographic, cinematographic and medical instruments           | 3.19  | 2.09  | 39.10    | 39.59  |
| Clocks and watches and parts thereof                                     | -     | -     | 0.04     | 0.25   |
| Musical instruments; parts and accessories                               | -     | -     | -        | -      |
| Furniture; bedding, mattresses, cushions; lamps, prefabricated buildings | 38.85 | 17.12 | 196.03   | 124.92 |
| Toys, games and sports requisites and parts                              | 0.07  | 0.01  | 0.27     | 0.32   |
| Miscellaneous manufactured articles                                      | 0.24  | 0.19  | 2.84     | 0.99   |
| Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques                            | 0.01  | 0.03  | 0.17     | 0.07   |
| Special classification provisions  | 0.97  | 0.32  | 4.39     | 1.87   |

Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration  
The data for 2020 are preliminary

**Table 6: Re-exports by Harmonized System Classification, (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Commodities                                      | June         |              | Jan-June      |               |
|--|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|  | 2019         | 2020         | 2019          | 2020          |
| <b>Total</b>                                     | <b>4,722</b> | <b>3,001</b> | <b>26,258</b> | <b>17,795</b> |
| Live animals                                     | 6.61         | 0.50         | 11.75         | 2.76          |
| Meat and edible offal                            | 4.75         | 15.47        | 80.33         | 58.57         |
| Fish, crustaceans and molluscs                   | 3.78         | 4.64         | 24.84         | 19.87         |
| Dairy produce, birds eggs and honey              | 18.83        | 30.02        | 135.58        | 152.75        |
| Products of animal origin, n.e.s.                | -            | -            | 0.03          | 0.29          |
| Live trees, plants; bulbs, roots and cut flowers | 0.19         | 0.19         | 1.41          | 0.87          |
| Edible vegetables and roots                      | 16.87        | 25.51        | 122.15        | 178.58        |
| Edible fruit, nuts                               | 99.83        | 151.60       | 627.11        | 800.85        |
| Coffee, tea, maté and spices                     | 18.13        | 21.11        | 120.06        | 150.43        |
| Cereals  | 1.67         | 1.24         | 14.41         | 6.42          |
| Products of the milling industry                 | 0.68         | 0.32         | 5.45          | 2.57          |
| Oil seeds; grains, seeds and fruits              | 1.56         | 0.83         | 11.07         | 18.13         |
| Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps       | 0.65         | 0.39         | 6.46          | 3.15          |
| Vegetable plaiting materials                     | 0.01         | 0.03         | 0.40          | 0.72          |
| Animal or vegetable fats and oils                | 0.20         | 1.58         | 4.90          | 3.49          |
| Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans  | 1.20         | 0.62         | 4.65          | 3.34          |
| Sugars and sugar confectionery                   | 9.51         | 7.59         | 65.94         | 61.42         |
| Cocoa and cocoa preparations                     | 21.30        | 15.11        | 160.41        | 115.91        |
| Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk   | 4.59         | 8.26         | 28.16         | 30.94         |
| Preparations of vegetables, fruit and nuts       | 8.42         | 3.39         | 55.01         | 26.92         |
| Miscellaneous edible preparations                | 5.52         | 4.10         | 56.85         | 33.64         |
| Beverages, spirits and vinegar                   | 9.37         | 1.11         | 73.14         | 43.43         |
| Residues and waste from the food industries      | 1.79         | -            | 13.14         | 7.31          |
| Tobacco and manufactured substitutes             | 7.75         | -            | 44.28         | 21.82         |
| Salt; sulfur; earths and stone                   | 2.82         | 2.41         | 16.82         | 12.83         |
| Ores, slag and ash                               | 0.76         | 0.01         | 2.88          | 1.04          |
| Mineral fuels and mineral oils                   | 5.26         | 1.78         | 30.83         | 24.34         |

| Commodities  | June   |        | Jan-June |        |
|--|--------|--------|----------|--------|
|  | 2019   | 2020   | 2019     | 2020   |
| Inorganic chemicals                                      | 13.81  | 11.87  | 52.34    | 41.57  |
| Organic chemicals  | 10.96  | 0.78   | 86.77    | 44.17  |
| Pharmaceutical products                                  | 57.55  | 63.30  | 229.74   | 350.87 |
| Fertilizers  | 0.13   | 0.60   | 2.06     | 1.47   |
| Tanning extracts; dyes and paints                        | 4.19   | 1.92   | 36.21    | 25.65  |
| Essential oils; perfumery and cosmetics                  | 175.55 | 121.88 | 1,116.39 | 986.03 |
| Soap, washing preparations, waxes and candles            | 12.85  | 9.65   | 100.42   | 81.50  |
| Modified starches and glues                              | 1.79   | 0.40   | 9.04     | 8.03   |
| Explosives; pyrotechnic products and matches             | 1.05   | 0.10   | 2.64     | 0.76   |
| Photographic or cinematographic goods                    | 1.10   | 0.02   | 5.94     | 3.26   |
| Miscellaneous chemical products                          | 7.42   | 4.83   | 73.58    | 84.32  |
| Plastics and articles thereof                            | 54.23  | 19.37  | 338.58   | 248.14 |
| Rubber and articles thereof                              | 32.12  | 63.92  | 183.23   | 215.16 |
| Raw hides and skins and leather                          | -      | -      | 0.20     | 0.14   |
| Articles of leather; saddlery; travel goods and handbags | 14.71  | 5.09   | 77.19    | 57.82  |
| Furskins and artificial fur                              | -      | -      | -        | 0.03   |
| Wood, articles of wood and charcoal                      | 7.51   | 4.69   | 57.81    | 43.56  |
| Cork and articles of cork                                | 0.85   | 0.15   | 4.26     | 6.25   |
| Manufactures of straw, basketware and wickerwork         | 0.61   | 0.24   | 5.43     | 1.72   |
| Pulp of wood; waste and scrap of paper                   | -      | -      | 11.27    | 9.08   |
| Paper; articles of paper pulp and paperboard             | 9.97   | 8.70   | 74.47    | 51.55  |
| Printed books, newspapers and pictures                   | 2.02   | 0.06   | 12.56    | 10.31  |
| Silk   | -      | -      | 0.05     | -      |
| Wool, animal hair and woven fabric                       | 0.13   | 0.10   | 1.07     | 1.59   |
| Cotton   | 0.84   | 3.48   | 3.84     | 7.04   |
| Other vegetable textile fibers and paper yarn            | 0.24   | 0.08   | 3.41     | 2.61   |
| Man-made filaments                                       | 1.48   | 0.41   | 9.80     | 10.36  |
| Man-made staple fibers                                   | 0.76   | 0.09   | 7.93     | 3.72   |
| Wadding, felt; twine, cordage, ropes and cables          | 1.22   | 0.67   | 9.85     | 5.35   |
| Carpets and textile floor coverings                      | 2.83   | 0.74   | 28.95    | 13.05  |

| Commodities   | June     |          | Jan-June |          |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|   | 2019     | 2020     | 2019     | 2020     |
| Woven fabrics; textile fabrics; lace and , tapestries           | 1.51     | 0.01     | 4.73     | 2.27     |
| Coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics                    | 0.88     | 0.36     | 5.79     | 3.27     |
| Knitted or crocheted fabrics                                    | 0.75     | 0.28     | 9.05     | 5.13     |
| Clothing, knitted or crocheted                                  | 101.29   | 40.41    | 736.30   | 384.46   |
| Clothing not knitted or crocheted                               | 21.16    | 8.46     | 177.45   | 116.14   |
| Other textile articles and worn clothing                        | 10.84    | 6.90     | 58.35    | 52.84    |
| Footwear, gaiters and parts                                     | 27.78    | 8.44     | 221.71   | 127.48   |
| Headgear and parts thereof                                      | 1.12     | 0.25     | 8.28     | 9.50     |
| Umbrellas, walking sticks, whips and riding-crops               | 0.14     | 0.01     | 0.54     | 0.28     |
| Feathers, down and articles thereof; artificial flowers         | 0.75     | 0.11     | 4.13     | 6.23     |
| Articles of stone, plaster, cement and asbestos                 | 7.80     | 2.11     | 65.65    | 36.62    |
| Ceramic products  | 1.96     | 2.05     | 25.06    | 23.21    |
| Glass and glassware   | 6.61     | 1.68     | 76.35    | 28.65    |
| Pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, imitation jewelry     | 57.84    | 4.54     | 328.66   | 136.30   |
| Iron and steel  | 41.96    | 14.98    | 338.80   | 144.63   |
| Articles of iron or steel                                       | 81.03    | 41.08    | 619.48   | 377.47   |
| Copper and articles thereof                                     | 5.83     | 2.32     | 50.29    | 81.23    |
| Nickel and articles thereof                                     | 0.98     | 1.02     | 8.04     | 3.27     |
| Aluminum and articles thereof                                   | 5.89     | 3.02     | 50.76    | 33.53    |
| Lead and articles thereof                                       | 0.04     | -        | 0.35     | 0.05     |
| Zinc and articles thereof                                       | 2.78     | 4.80     | 9.51     | 12.44    |
| Tin and articles thereof  | 0.39     | 0.56     | 4.24     | 2.93     |
| Other base metals and articles thereof                          | 0.07     | 0.09     | 2.02     | 0.81     |
| Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks                    | 29.13    | 3.42     | 217.26   | 38.74    |
| Miscellaneous articles of base metal                            | 9.52     | 7.86     | 71.01    | 67.06    |
| Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; nuclear reactors  | 966.57   | 511.56   | 4,241.76 | 3,397.13 |
| Electrical machinery; sound and television recorders            | 410.59   | 232.71   | 2,080.27 | 937.61   |
| Locomotives, rolling-stock, railway track fixtures and fittings | 3.56     | 3.20     | 28.30    | 25.00    |
| Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock            | 1,372.63 | 1,293.71 | 9,185.31 | 6,232.01 |

| Commodities  | June   |        | Jan-June |        |
|--|--------|--------|----------|--------|
|  | 2019   | 2020   | 2019     | 2020   |
| Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof                                  | 189.48 | 133.52 | 1,256.89 | 765.67 |
| Ships, boats and floating structures                                     | 1.76   | 0.06   | 14.45    | 3.01   |
| Optical, photographic, cinematographic and medical instruments           | 61.00  | 34.97  | 450.77   | 230.73 |
| Clocks and watches and parts thereof                                     | 4.81   | 0.18   | 23.31    | 12.86  |
| Musical instruments; parts and accessories                               | 0.58   | -      | 1.38     | 0.32   |
| Furniture; bedding, mattresses, cushions; lamps, prefabricated buildings | 53.73  | 9.22   | 334.73   | 210.37 |
| Toys, games and sports requisites and parts                              | 4.45   | 1.30   | 41.89    | 26.11  |
| Miscellaneous manufactured articles                                      | 5.51   | 1.19   | 61.45    | 33.18  |
| Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques                            | 545.29 | -      | 1,087.12 | 73.68  |
| Special classification provisions  | 16.22  | 4.02   | 93.12    | 54.88  |

Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration  
The data for 2020 are preliminary



**Table 7: Imports by Harmonized System Classification, (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Commodities                                      | June         |              | Jan-June      |               |
|--|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|  | 2019         | 2020         | 2019          | 2020          |
| <b>Total</b>                                     | <b>7,345</b> | <b>6,344</b> | <b>49,437</b> | <b>48,583</b> |
| Live animals                                     | 4.40         | 1.22         | 60.13         | 83.03         |
| Meat and edible offal                            | 68.65        | 71.93        | 411.28        | 383.49        |
| Fish, crustaceans and molluscs                   | 3.25         | 4.34         | 19.44         | 21.04         |
| Dairy produce, birds eggs and honey              | 125.93       | 164.06       | 885.48        | 961.04        |
| Products of animal origin, n.e.s.                | 0.05         | -            | 0.27          | 0.21          |
| Live trees, plants; bulbs, roots and cut flowers | 0.37         | 1.03         | 2.05          | 4.12          |
| Edible vegetables and roots                      | 21.60        | 18.87        | 133.67        | 139.25        |
| Edible fruit, nuts                               | 16.14        | 20.53        | 197.36        | 221.33        |
| Coffee, tea, maté and spices                     | 4.16         | 6.11         | 38.92         | 41.08         |
| Cereals  | 74.81        | 162.77       | 284.35        | 570.56        |
| Products of the milling industry                 | 2.60         | 6.41         | 19.16         | 35.97         |
| Oil seeds; grains, seeds and fruits              | 77.02        | 95.02        | 495.10        | 511.91        |
| Lac; gums, resins and other vegetable saps       | 1.05         | 1.62         | 11.15         | 14.11         |
| Vegetable plaiting materials                     | 0.20         | 0.14         | 1.81          | 1.21          |
| Animal or vegetable fats and oils                | 15.30        | 13.83        | 191.09        | 120.43        |
| Preparations of meat, of fish or of crustaceans  | 3.58         | 4.91         | 23.01         | 21.82         |
| Sugars and sugar confectionery                   | 6.66         | 7.19         | 40.20         | 42.75         |
| Cocoa and cocoa preparations                     | 6.72         | 5.84         | 49.37         | 39.61         |
| Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk   | 48.20        | 74.96        | 377.99        | 448.87        |
| Preparations of vegetables, fruit and nuts       | 30.67        | 34.93        | 245.43        | 211.35        |
| Miscellaneous edible preparations                | 14.52        | 22.53        | 102.71        | 215.95        |
| Beverages, spirits and vinegar                   | 8.59         | 6.16         | 40.47         | 27.72         |
| Residues and waste from the food industries      | 32.92        | 88.43        | 172.41        | 176.35        |
| Tobacco and manufactured substitutes             | 0.01         | 0.04         | 0.08          | 0.09          |
| Salt; sulfur; earths and stone                   | 41.90        | 42.71        | 353.20        | 336.73        |
| Ores, slag and ash                               | 348.50       | 152.12       | 1,564.28      | 1,357.50      |
| Mineral fuels and mineral oils                   | 170.03       | 26.05        | 915.69        | 223.45        |

| Commodities  | June   |        | Jan-June |          |
|--|--------|--------|----------|----------|
|  | 2019   | 2020   | 2019     | 2020     |
| Inorganic chemicals                                      | 351.39 | 201.08 | 4,328.06 | 912.19   |
| Organic chemicals  | 40.29  | 52.68  | 252.53   | 258.51   |
| Pharmaceutical products                                  | 160.10 | 304.56 | 1,072.45 | 1,282.83 |
| Fertilizers  | 5.92   | 1.60   | 33.67    | 19.74    |
| Tanning extracts; dyes and paints                        | 24.25  | 18.66  | 170.68   | 153.98   |
| Essential oils; perfumery and cosmetics                  | 25.30  | 14.43  | 162.24   | 149.80   |
| Soap, washing preparations, waxes and candles            | 76.24  | 76.76  | 472.50   | 517.35   |
| Modified starches and glues                              | 5.54   | 2.54   | 29.84    | 29.65    |
| Explosives; pyrotechnic products and matches             | 0.58   | 0.47   | 7.17     | 9.14     |
| Photographic or cinematographic goods                    | 2.61   | 0.66   | 10.53    | 7.36     |
| Miscellaneous chemical products                          | 86.52  | 137.80 | 498.34   | 867.81   |
| Plastics and articles thereof                            | 280.53 | 156.19 | 1,782.84 | 1,334.44 |
| Rubber and articles thereof                              | 73.94  | 79.93  | 335.10   | 363.35   |
| Raw hides and skins and leather                          | 0.29   | 0.14   | 6.35     | 3.10     |
| Articles of leather; saddlery; travel goods and handbags | 2.56   | 2.58   | 19.51    | 42.36    |
| Furskins and artificial fur                              | -      | -      | 0.09     | 0.11     |
| Wood, articles of wood and charcoal                      | 11.32  | 5.28   | 83.52    | 58.38    |
| Cork and articles of cork                                | 0.04   | 0.11   | 1.13     | 0.64     |
| Manufactures of straw, basketware and wickerwork         | 0.23   | 0.07   | 1.60     | 0.97     |
| Pulp of wood; waste and scrap of paper                   | 32.01  | 83.84  | 391.53   | 453.94   |
| Paper; articles of paper pulp and paperboard             | 44.89  | 42.03  | 269.99   | 302.20   |
| Printed books, newspapers and pictures                   | 22.83  | 10.49  | 54.53    | 141.72   |
| Silk   | 1.49   | 1.78   | 7.06     | 8.92     |
| Wool, animal hair and woven fabric                       | 0.21   | 0.30   | 0.92     | 1.20     |
| Cotton   | 2.50   | 0.90   | 11.40    | 7.30     |
| Other vegetable textile fibers and paper yarn            | 0.12   | 0.05   | 0.59     | 0.11     |
| Man-made filaments                                       | 5.69   | 1.82   | 35.15    | 15.42    |
| Man-made staple fibers                                   | 0.65   | 0.70   | 11.26    | 8.73     |
| Wadding, felt; twine, cordage, ropes and cables          | 4.58   | 9.79   | 35.34    | 49.46    |
| Carpets and textile floor coverings                      | 1.49   | 1.27   | 19.17    | 11.67    |

| Commodities   | June     |          | Jan-June |          |
|---|----------|----------|----------|----------|
|   | 2019     | 2020     | 2019     | 2020     |
| Woven fabrics; textile fabrics; lace and , tapestries           | 1.04     | 0.41     | 3.65     | 2.65     |
| Coated, covered or laminated textile fabrics                    | 3.85     | 4.62     | 20.63    | 24.56    |
| Knitted or crocheted fabrics                                    | 0.28     | 0.26     | 2.85     | 1.75     |
| Clothing, knitted or crocheted                                  | 4.59     | 4.35     | 53.47    | 22.45    |
| Clothing not knitted or crocheted                               | 10.37    | 35.09    | 100.50   | 136.06   |
| Other textile articles and worn clothing                        | 4.21     | 31.00    | 32.55    | 313.41   |
| Footwear, gaiters and parts                                     | 4.18     | 4.00     | 51.37    | 36.38    |
| Headgear and parts thereof                                      | 0.76     | 4.43     | 8.56     | 17.85    |
| Umbrellas, walking sticks, whips and riding-crops               | -        | 0.49     | 0.60     | 0.88     |
| Feathers, down and articles thereof; artificial flowers         | 0.13     | 0.06     | 0.47     | 0.49     |
| Articles of stone, plaster, cement and asbestos                 | 49.22    | 40.08    | 358.43   | 257.32   |
| Ceramic products  | 11.01    | 17.13    | 89.26    | 105.92   |
| Glass and glassware   | 37.70    | 30.80    | 264.44   | 214.88   |
| Pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, imitation jewelry     | 50.56    | 24.92    | 844.31   | 2,381.30 |
| Iron and steel  | 276.83   | 187.03   | 1,516.33 | 1,832.11 |
| Articles of iron or steel                                       | 343.76   | 438.55   | 2,106.86 | 2,534.86 |
| Copper and articles thereof                                     | 672.16   | 487.96   | 3,869.42 | 3,569.45 |
| Nickel and articles thereof                                     | 20.20    | 16.89    | 83.59    | 92.64    |
| Aluminum and articles thereof                                   | 31.02    | 37.75    | 230.85   | 243.86   |
| Lead and articles thereof                                       | 5.46     | 1.81     | 27.42    | 19.83    |
| Zinc and articles thereof                                       | 18.91    | 34.53    | 127.46   | 137.88   |
| Tin and articles thereof  | 0.06     | 0.16     | 1.08     | 0.47     |
| Other base metals and articles thereof                          | 0.39     | 1.90     | 27.27    | 51.96    |
| Tools, implements, cutlery, spoons and forks                    | 20.57    | 10.84    | 128.87   | 96.22    |
| Miscellaneous articles of base metal                            | 13.04    | 9.66     | 97.76    | 70.45    |
| Boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; nuclear reactors  | 1,114.09 | 1,269.26 | 4,857.07 | 8,681.05 |
| Electrical machinery; sound and television recorders            | 393.51   | 424.27   | 2,550.64 | 2,664.11 |
| Locomotives, rolling-stock, railway track fixtures and fittings | 12.90    | 2.20     | 33.93    | 29.48    |
| Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock            | 1,185.79 | 534.69   | 8,085.54 | 7,693.26 |

| Commodities  | June   |        | Jan-June |          |
|--|--------|--------|----------|----------|
|  | 2019   | 2020   | 2019     | 2020     |
| Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof                                  | 214.52 | 175.77 | 1,585.48 | 1,089.44 |
| Ships, boats and floating structures                                     | 1.36   | 0.97   | 511.51   | 679.15   |
| Optical, photographic, cinematographic and medical instruments           | 318.52 | 203.19 | 1,507.46 | 1,419.05 |
| Clocks and watches and parts thereof                                     | 10.18  | 10.07  | 104.48   | 120.90   |
| Musical instruments; parts and accessories                               | 0.18   | 0.30   | 2.62     | 1.59     |
| Furniture; bedding, mattresses, cushions; lamps, prefabricated buildings | 27.40  | 29.24  | 167.22   | 195.00   |
| Toys, games and sports requisites and parts                              | 8.75   | 5.23   | 33.26    | 24.47    |
| Miscellaneous manufactured articles                                      | 28.42  | 19.95  | 192.60   | 200.59   |
| Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques                            | 50.63  | 0.25   | 2,992.09 | 381.79   |
| Special classification provisions  | 6.89   | 1.11   | 23.75    | 14.25    |

Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration  
The data for 2020 are preliminary

**Table 8: Non-oil exports by country in (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Countries                | June         |              | Jan-June      |               |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|                          | 2019         | 2020         | 2019          | 2020          |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>3,825</b> | <b>6,670</b> | <b>28,818</b> | <b>29,869</b> |
| Saudi Arabia             | 1,658.11     | 1,384.97     | 13,087.89     | 9,278.81      |
| Switzerland              | 320.00       | 977.81       | 1,527.48      | 4,674.85      |
| Hong Kong                | 12.92        | 1,660.90     | 145.66        | 3,010.74      |
| China                    | 211.59       | 223.93       | 1,666.30      | 1,981.06      |
| India                    | 178.54       | 597.32       | 1,876.06      | 1,434.73      |
| Kuwait                   | 302.66       | 96.25        | 2,073.30      | 1,255.93      |
| United States of America | 283.05       | 148.41       | 1,361.30      | 994.62        |
| Oman                     | 91.57        | 136.68       | 680.31        | 949.18        |
| Italy                    | 0.05         | 669.90       | 60.20         | 692.99        |
| Kingdom of Bahrain       | 126.77       | 49.71        | 1,045.80      | 587.06        |
| Egypt                    | 65.31        | 50.95        | 485.25        | 518.76        |
| Jordan                   | 98.28        | 65.48        | 644.94        | 507.23        |
| Singapore                | 46.11        | 19.11        | 516.11        | 400.79        |
| Yemen                    | 46.42        | 56.58        | 370.29        | 368.86        |
| Netherlands              | 44.05        | 77.55        | 510.84        | 357.22        |
| Malaysia                 | 46.14        | 113.21       | 172.90        | 336.22        |
| Bangladesh               | 23.46        | 1.72         | 267.56        | 271.44        |
| Pakistan                 | 18.95        | 14.13        | 266.43        | 200.12        |
| Turkey                   | 9.36         | 22.82        | 137.67        | 187.66        |
| Australia                | 16.50        | 22.79        | 125.42        | 174.56        |
| Kenya                    | 23.66        | 15.91        | 136.21        | 101.39        |
| Thailand                 | 12.47        | 12.21        | 45.55         | 94.15         |
| Belgium                  | 3.39         | 6.57         | 51.34         | 92.44         |
| Iraq                     | 14.43        | 9.75         | 80.99         | 88.39         |
| United Kingdom           | 4.99         | 21.37        | 55.22         | 87.26         |
| Japan                    | 8.41         | 45.95        | 38.06         | 83.51         |
| Syrian Arab Republic     | 8.76         | 7.91         | 72.91         | 79.27         |
| Spain                    | 4.55         | 9.24         | 70.25         | 75.63         |
| Viet Nam                 | 7.93         | 10.16        | 77.05         | 73.05         |
| Canada                   | 7.16         | 14.93        | 52.82         | 69.92         |
| Sudan                    | 3.85         | 5.96         | 54.26         | 65.80         |

| Countries          | June  |       | Jan-June |       |
|--------------------|-------|-------|----------|-------|
|                    | 2019  | 2020  | 2019     | 2020  |
| Indonesia          | 11.84 | 6.17  | 39.88    | 51.95 |
| Algeria            | 5.43  | 5.76  | 54.86    | 49.12 |
| Tanzania           | 5.38  | 3.96  | 58.70    | 48.61 |
| South Africa       | 27.32 | 11.40 | 159.43   | 43.38 |
| Philippines        | 7.98  | 1.84  | 38.25    | 40.92 |
| France             | 0.48  | 4.73  | 42.00    | 39.57 |
| Germany            | 5.37  | 0.34  | 56.35    | 37.42 |
| Tunisia            | 7.37  | 3.66  | 78.11    | 35.09 |
| Mexico             | 0.34  | 13.42 | 42.48    | 34.77 |
| Russian Federation | 1.87  | 6.92  | 15.47    | 32.44 |
| Morocco            | 2.50  | 4.21  | 34.62    | 29.38 |
| State of Palestine | 3.23  | 1.94  | 37.39    | 26.77 |
| Uganda             | 1.55  | 3.76  | 25.49    | 26.69 |
| Taiwan             | 2.38  | 2.81  | 29.35    | 21.48 |
| Sri Lanka          | 3.92  | 6.93  | 22.31    | 21.29 |
| Colombia           | -     | 2.35  | 8.90     | 17.80 |
| Lebanon            | 6.12  | 3.20  | 63.90    | 17.17 |
| Nepal              | 2.91  | 2.11  | 18.60    | 16.21 |
| New Zealand        | 2.78  | 2.25  | 6.28     | 15.40 |
| Ethiopia           | 2.00  | 2.02  | 22.81    | 14.03 |
| South Korea        | 0.48  | 8.76  | 2.47     | 10.57 |
| Djibouti           | 2.98  | 1.51  | 46.23    | 10.47 |
| Nigeria            | 1.79  | 0.80  | 14.17    | 9.08  |
| Peru               | 1.32  | 0.98  | 6.19     | 8.47  |
| Myanmar            | 0.21  | 0.17  | 4.61     | 7.84  |
| Ukraine            | 0.88  | 2.02  | 8.18     | 5.96  |
| Libya              | 0.34  | 0.62  | 0.66     | 5.11  |
| Somalia            | 0.87  | 0.13  | 5.10     | 4.48  |
| Greece             | 0.42  | 1.07  | 7.93     | 4.28  |
| Brazil             | -     | 0.17  | 15.61    | 3.85  |
| Mauritania         | 0.70  | 1.09  | 4.07     | 3.73  |
| Uzbekistan         | -     | 0.50  | 0.01     | 3.24  |
| Romania            | 0.07  | 0.12  | 1.00     | 3.21  |
| Others             | 14.54 | 11.81 | 90.68    | 75.80 |

Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration  
The data for 2020 are preliminary

**Table 9: Re-exports by country, (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Countries                | June         |              | Jan-June      |               |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|                          | 2019         | 2020         | 2019          | 2020          |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>4,722</b> | <b>3,001</b> | <b>26,258</b> | <b>17,795</b> |
| Saudi Arabia             | 1,284.30     | 1,970.04     | 7,989.21      | 7,564.45      |
| Kuwait                   | 510.06       | 125.15       | 3,043.60      | 1,506.93      |
| Kingdom of Bahrain       | 201.89       | 39.23        | 1,567.66      | 748.69        |
| Yemen                    | 80.88        | 119.18       | 699.91        | 630.09        |
| Oman                     | 60.92        | 88.14        | 461.66        | 461.87        |
| Jordan                   | 83.40        | 11.55        | 495.20        | 307.80        |
| China                    | 0.75         | 3.31         | 1,257.91      | 301.42        |
| Sudan                    | 36.36        | 2.91         | 349.53        | 176.54        |
| India                    | 7.45         | 3.02         | 329.42        | 146.88        |
| Bangladesh               | 61.79        | 3.94         | 329.57        | 141.51        |
| United States of America | 38.53        | 0.78         | 87.76         | 99.79         |
| Italy                    | 0.13         | 0.60         | 8.10          | 95.35         |
| United Kingdom           | 9.73         | 61.33        | 162.79        | 89.90         |
| Germany                  | 548.50       | 3.49         | 627.41        | 80.07         |
| Singapore                | 0.20         | 0.24         | 19.45         | 77.41         |
| Ireland                  | 0.05         | 0.02         | 0.38          | 74.47         |
| Spain                    | 0.09         | 29.44        | 21.30         | 69.38         |
| Egypt                    | 17.94        | 0.29         | 94.34         | 55.52         |
| Iraq                     | 18.03        | 1.25         | 143.28        | 55.45         |
| Djibouti                 | 4.28         | -            | 118.02        | 41.74         |
| Turkmenistan             | 3.23         | -            | 27.16         | 32.74         |
| Chad                     | 2.68         | -            | 30.72         | 19.08         |
| Canada                   | 0.14         | 14.81        | 26.72         | 19.04         |
| Malaysia                 | 7.03         | 0.09         | 34.17         | 19.00         |
| Hong Kong                | 0.25         | 4.42         | 3.14          | 17.08         |
| Switzerland              | 0.26         | 0.05         | 2.17          | 16.75         |
| Belgium                  | 3.06         | 0.29         | 17.88         | 16.26         |
| Chile                    | 1.18         | -            | 12.78         | 13.51         |
| Netherlands              | 0.65         | 0.67         | 26.61         | 10.65         |
| Uzbekistan               | -            | -            | 1.18          | 10.10         |
| Brazil                   | 0.06         | -            | 0.15          | 7.82          |
| Viet Nam                 | -            | 5.43         | 0.03          | 5.80          |

| Countries            | June     |        | Jan-June |          |
|----------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|
|                      | 2019     | 2020   | 2019     | 2020     |
| Syrian Arab Republic | 0.96     | 1.92   | 15.72    | 5.36     |
| South Korea          | 1.30     | 0.07   | 12.96    | 4.99     |
| Lebanon              | 1.46     | 0.29   | 19.38    | 4.91     |
| Ethiopia             | 2.95     | -      | 17.76    | 4.55     |
| Australia            | 3.36     | 0.44   | 6.87     | 3.97     |
| Libya                | -        | -      | 4.46     | 3.48     |
| France               | 1.09     | 0.44   | 14.43    | 3.39     |
| Pakistan             | 0.65     | 0.26   | 4.22     | 3.00     |
| Poland               | 0.37     | 0.26   | 2.50     | 2.42     |
| Sweden               | -        | 0.03   | 2.14     | 2.41     |
| Eritrea              | 0.03     | -      | 0.11     | 2.24     |
| State of Palestine   | 1.47     | 0.02   | 12.83    | 2.17     |
| Tunisia              | 0.33     | 1.13   | 4.03     | 1.91     |
| Philippines          | 0.51     | 0.26   | 1.98     | 1.84     |
| Sri Lanka            | 1.86     | -      | 20.99    | 1.70     |
| Nigeria              | 0.18     | -      | 0.27     | 1.46     |
| Indonesia            | 0.26     | 0.25   | 1.78     | 1.43     |
| Serbia               | 1.83     | -      | 38.21    | 1.41     |
| Mexico               | -        | -      | 0.23     | 1.38     |
| Denmark              | 0.01     | 0.01   | 2.91     | 1.36     |
| Cameroon             | -        | -      | 0.05     | 1.30     |
| Burkina Faso         | -        | -      | -        | 1.00     |
| Algeria              | 0.32     | -      | 4.32     | 0.95     |
| Morocco              | 0.30     | 0.22   | 27.45    | 0.95     |
| Others               | 1,719.14 | 506.11 | 8,052.81 | 4,821.89 |

Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration  
The data for 2020 are preliminary



**Table 10: Imports by country, (Jan-Jun) and June, 2019-2020**

Value in million AED

| Countries                | June         |              | Jan-June      |               |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
|                          | 2019         | 2020         | 2019          | 2020          |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>7,345</b> | <b>6,344</b> | <b>49,437</b> | <b>48,583</b> |
| United States of America | 796.51       | 861.94       | 5,007.24      | 6,070.56      |
| Japan                    | 774.99       | 409.86       | 5,174.55      | 5,177.37      |
| Saudi Arabia             | 865.91       | 622.88       | 6,141.27      | 5,047.66      |
| China                    | 579.59       | 565.36       | 3,289.27      | 4,228.01      |
| United Kingdom           | 227.49       | 188.19       | 1,178.92      | 3,141.24      |
| Congo                    | 464.01       | 426.82       | 2,942.91      | 2,989.73      |
| Germany                  | 351.17       | 266.44       | 2,136.46      | 2,313.09      |
| India                    | 313.05       | 285.64       | 1,880.63      | 2,153.20      |
| France                   | 259.43       | 175.29       | 2,178.94      | 1,401.21      |
| South Korea              | 100.11       | 218.07       | 501.13        | 1,326.52      |
| Italy                    | 200.64       | 282.97       | 1,146.00      | 1,304.20      |
| Oman                     | 205.73       | 147.06       | 663.37        | 1,007.39      |
| Thailand                 | 100.30       | 143.49       | 643.03        | 789.85        |
| Brazil                   | 90.68        | 114.37       | 807.12        | 782.81        |
| Kingdom of Bahrain       | 104.28       | 152.56       | 1,163.64      | 693.02        |
| Australia                | 308.02       | 155.33       | 3,618.34      | 657.98        |
| Spain                    | 85.59        | 73.56        | 593.76        | 489.83        |
| Sweden                   | 152.76       | 35.08        | 448.54        | 487.03        |
| Singapore                | 48.77        | 61.92        | 255.36        | 405.54        |
| Indonesia                | 32.48        | 40.67        | 450.19        | 400.21        |
| Netherlands              | 41.35        | 63.53        | 384.06        | 398.81        |
| Egypt                    | 23.33        | 28.63        | 316.22        | 373.34        |
| Turkey                   | 32.63        | 48.78        | 230.07        | 345.34        |
| Mexico                   | 26.27        | 44.17        | 202.61        | 337.81        |
| Russian Federation       | 32.70        | 53.47        | 2,238.80      | 326.41        |
| Austria                  | 42.90        | 67.82        | 232.35        | 315.35        |
| Switzerland              | 54.71        | 66.27        | 340.41        | 310.24        |
| Canada                   | 61.88        | 50.77        | 295.83        | 308.25        |
| Ukraine                  | 9.94         | 47.53        | 178.62        | 306.82        |
| Denmark                  | 38.06        | 23.46        | 313.18        | 293.39        |
| Jordan                   | 74.10        | 26.13        | 334.98        | 263.38        |
| Kazakhstan               | 106.95       | 17.46        | 384.26        | 257.06        |

| Countries                | June   |       | Jan-June |        |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|----------|--------|
|                          | 2019   | 2020  | 2019     | 2020   |
| Guinea                   | 53.25  | 13.27 | 160.52   | 251.27 |
| Taiwan                   | 45.78  | 20.65 | 181.96   | 217.14 |
| Argentina                | 20.56  | 62.77 | 142.78   | 205.07 |
| Malaysia                 | 21.87  | 40.99 | 159.22   | 200.26 |
| Hong Kong                | 49.45  | 3.39  | 426.13   | 195.88 |
| Belgium                  | 15.64  | 23.31 | 146.94   | 187.84 |
| Sudan                    | 4.61   | 6.71  | 40.66    | 173.65 |
| Benin                    | -      | -     | 0.01     | 164.96 |
| Viet Nam                 | 2.64   | 13.27 | 162.20   | 161.71 |
| Poland                   | 36.76  | 32.50 | 182.90   | 156.22 |
| Kuwait                   | 30.34  | 9.36  | 281.25   | 131.26 |
| Ireland                  | 13.52  | 23.05 | 96.44    | 130.62 |
| Pakistan                 | 17.38  | 48.66 | 52.02    | 128.65 |
| South Africa             | 11.37  | 14.84 | 143.70   | 117.71 |
| Finland                  | 14.58  | 26.96 | 106.14   | 113.50 |
| New Zealand              | 8.99   | 36.53 | 33.68    | 111.28 |
| Norway                   | 193.76 | 13.47 | 382.18   | 109.40 |
| Romania                  | 32.66  | 31.73 | 115.87   | 108.26 |
| Lebanon                  | 7.42   | 1.43  | 67.26    | 97.81  |
| Slovakia                 | 8.62   | 7.95  | 72.44    | 91.33  |
| Czechia                  | 10.67  | 12.50 | 80.26    | 82.73  |
| Hungary                  | 3.17   | 6.79  | 27.77    | 81.71  |
| Chile                    | 25.44  | 10.30 | 115.52   | 68.38  |
| Zambia                   | 34.96  | 15.96 | 120.48   | 63.99  |
| Uruguay                  | -      | -     | 1.19     | 46.25  |
| Islamic Republic Of Iran | 0.10   | 5.11  | 44.22    | 40.46  |
| Greece                   | 2.03   | 8.90  | 19.69    | 35.23  |
| Serbia                   | 1.34   | 6.50  | 12.26    | 31.81  |
| Portugal                 | 3.12   | 5.19  | 33.95    | 29.91  |
| Puerto Rico              | 3.55   | 2.73  | 22.21    | 26.95  |
| Philippines              | 3.63   | 3.71  | 20.30    | 22.72  |
| Zimbabwe                 | -      | 21.29 | 0.03     | 21.81  |
| Syrian Arab Republic     | 5.69   | 2.98  | 19.60    | 21.76  |
| Tunisia                  | 2.74   | 5.58  | 19.72    | 19.09  |
| Yemen                    | 0.76   | 3.80  | 13.16    | 18.78  |

| Countries              | June  |      | Jan-June |       |
|------------------------|-------|------|----------|-------|
|                        | 2019  | 2020 | 2019     | 2020  |
| Bulgaria               | 1.71  | 2.28 | 11.32    | 17.46 |
| Estonia                | 1.96  | 1.29 | 10.42    | 16.89 |
| State of Palestine     | 2.87  | 0.19 | 33.82    | 14.82 |
| Morocco                | 1.70  | 1.99 | 16.66    | 14.80 |
| Luxembourg             | 2.59  | 0.34 | 16.55    | 14.32 |
| Cyprus                 | 7.01  | 2.52 | 7.91     | 10.34 |
| Paraguay               | 19.29 | -    | 39.42    | 9.80  |
| Kenya                  | 0.93  | 1.80 | 5.06     | 7.66  |
| Sri Lanka              | 1.59  | 0.79 | 6.54     | 6.40  |
| Lithuania              | 0.66  | 1.87 | 5.17     | 6.17  |
| Slovenia               | 1.19  | 0.49 | 10.32    | 5.38  |
| Ethiopia               | 0.05  | 0.05 | 0.23     | 4.97  |
| Eswatini               | 0.05  | 4.40 | 0.60     | 4.86  |
| Peru                   | 0.55  | 1.48 | 3.56     | 4.79  |
| Belarus                | 0.61  | 1.32 | 11.07    | 4.58  |
| Croatia                | 0.36  | 0.14 | 5.82     | 4.56  |
| Bosnia and Herzegovina | 1.02  | 1.18 | 5.14     | 4.14  |
| Colombia               | 0.19  | 0.63 | 1.80     | 3.23  |
| Uzbekistan             | 0.77  | 1.36 | 3.13     | 3.22  |
| Tanzania               | 0.17  | 1.98 | 1.41     | 2.92  |
| Bangladesh             | 1.57  | 1.32 | 5.31     | 2.67  |
| Others                 | 5.84  | 8.39 | 58.80    | 51.11 |

Source: Department of Finance – Customs Administration  
The data for 2020 are preliminary

## Explanatory notes

### Technical notes

#### Data source

Data are obtained from Department of Finance – Customs Administration. The data are processed and passed to Statistic Centre – Abu Dhabi for further editing, compilation and reclassified according to statistical classifications for foreign trade.

#### Valuation

In line with the World Customs Organization (WCO) agreement on valuation:

- Exports (including re-exports) are valued free on board (fob), which represents the value at the export border, and includes inland freight costs and packaging
- Imports are valued on the cost insurance and freight (c.i.f.) basis, which represents the value at the import border, and includes the additional cost of freight and insurance in transporting the goods internationally

#### Revision Policy

Monthly estimates of Foreign Trade are released on the following schedule: “Preliminary” estimates, based on administrative data that are incomplete or subject to further revision by the source agency, are released near the end of the second month after the end of the reference month. No further updates are incorporated into the monthly Foreign Trade until the source finalize its data four months after the end of the reference calendar year.

These revisions are necessary to incorporate definition and classification changes or to reflect the introduction of new and improved methodologies and new data.

#### New methods, definitions, techniques, systems, guidelines, classifications

Changes due to the introduction of a new method, guidelines, technique or classification system can lead to revisions after the time series data have been finalized. For instance, in 2019, the methodology for the registration of customs data of exports and re-exports was modified by the Customs Department to include all goods exported from the ports of the Emirate of Abu Dhabi regardless of the source of those goods. The non-oil exports series was revised for 2015-2020 to provide users with an updated statistical time series of Foreign Trade data.

## Notes on Tables

- Changes (levels and %) in all tables are based on unrounded numbers.
- Relative importance is calculated as the ratio between the value of the sub-group and the total value for all groups, expressed as a percentage.
- Totals in some tables June not add up due to rounding.
- The data for 2020 are preliminary.

## Symbols used

‘-‘ nil or rounded to zero

‘..’ Not applicable

n.e.s. denotes ‘not elsewhere specified’

## Glossary

This publication contains certain terms specific to foreign merchandise trade and necessary when analyzing the trade statistics of Abu Dhabi Emirate. They include the following terms:

### Classifications

The non-oil foreign merchandise trade statistics are presented in accordance with the two main internationally recommended output classifications: Harmonized System (HS) and Broad Economic Categories (BEC).

If users require statistics by the detailed Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System (HS), these are available from SCAD on request. The HS is an input classification, and is the basis on which traders record goods with Customs.

### Merchandise Trade

Foreign Merchandise Trade statistics record goods, which add to or subtract from the stock of material resources of Abu Dhabi by entering or leaving its territory. Throughout this publication, the term merchandise trade statistics refers to trade which moves through the ports of Abu Dhabi only, and do not capture inter-emirate trade activity.

### Imports

Imports are goods that enter Abu Dhabi’s customs and economic district from various parts of the world, excluding other emirates in the United Arab Emirates, and receive customs clearance. Goods are considered imports regardless of whether they enter the Emirate directly or are retrieved from customs warehouses, temporary entry areas or free zones inside the country. These goods receive customs clearance in order to become part of Abu Dhabi’s merchandise balance.

### **Re-exports**

Re-exports represent goods that are imported from abroad, enter Abu Dhabi's customs and economic district and become part of the Emirate's merchandise balance. These goods are then re-exported as they are, without any modification, outside the country.

### **Non-oil Exports**

Non-oil exports include goods that are entirely produced locally or in whose production process local resources are used. Non-oil exports through the ports of Abu Dhabi include goods that were produced in other Emirates in the United Arab Emirates. Oil is excluded from these goods. These goods leave Abu Dhabi's customs and economic district to the outside world, reducing the Emirate's non-oil merchandise trade deficit.

### **Total of Exports**

The total of exports is the total value of non-oil exports and re-exported goods.

### **Net trade**

The net trade is measured as the total value of exported goods minus the total value of imported goods. When the total exports value is greater than the value of imports, there is a trade surplus, and when imports are greater than total exports there is a trade deficit.

### **Preliminary estimates**

Estimates that have been calculated using only secondary data sources and methods. Users of this data should be aware that preliminary estimates will be revised when primary data sources become available for that time period.

### **More information**

For more information about foreign trade and other official statistics for Abu Dhabi Emirate, please visit the statistics link on the SCAD website at <http://www.scad.gov.ae>



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