# **SUMMARY STATISTICS**

#### MAR. 2012

1. Coverage of Statistics:

All foreign exchange export proceeds and import payments through banks.

2. Comparison with Mar. 2011 of export proceeds and import payments:

Export proceeds totaled US\$ 27,125.5 million, a decrease of US\$ 2,947.8 million or 9.8% (Table 1), as compared with Mar. 2011.

Import payments totaled US\$ 25,283.4 million, a decrease of US\$ 3,964.5 million or 13.6% (Table 1), as compared with Mar. 2011.

3. Comparison with Mar. 2011 of export proceeds realized:

Sold for N.T. Dollars US\$ 2,230.1 million, a decrease of US\$ 148.1 million or 6.2% (Table 2), as compared with Mar. 2011.

Retained with exporters US\$ 24,895.4 million, a decrease of US\$ 2,799.7 million or 10.1% (Table 2), as compared with Mar. 2011.

4. Comparison with Mar. 2011 of import payments made:

Purchased with N.T. Dollars US\$ 4,856.2 million, a decrease of US\$ 412.2 million or 7.8% (Table 3), as compared with Mar. 2011.

Self-acquired foreign exchange imports US\$ 20,427.2 million, a decrease of US\$ 3,552.3 million or 14.8% (Table 3), as comparison with Mar. 2011.

- 5. Foreign exchange exports and imports by type of payment (Table 4):
  - (1) Exports:

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Sight L/C US$ 2,501.0 million, 9.2% of total exports. Usance L/C US$ 903.8 million, 3.3% of total exports. Collection US$ 406.1 million, 1.5% of total exports. Remittance US$ 23,314.6 million, 86.0% of total exports.
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(2) Imports:

Sight L/C US\$ 594.0 million, 2.3% of total imports. Usance L/C US\$ 3,634.7 million, 14.4% of total imports. Collection US\$ 228.1 million, 0.9% of total imports. Remittance US\$ 20,826.6 million, 82.4% of total imports.

# **Comparison of Foreign Exchange Export Proceeds and Import Payments**

Table 1 Unit: US\$ Million

<b>Item</b>		Year 2012			Comparison with the Same Period							
\ \	Foreign	Foreign	Balances	Year 2011 Foreign Foreign Balances			Last Year					
	Exchange	Exchange		Exchange	Exchange		Foreign exch	Foreign exchange		Foreign exchange Foreign excha		ange
	Export	Import		Export	Import		Export Proc	Export Proceeds		Import Payments		
	Proceeds	<b>Payments</b>		Proceeds	Payments							
Month	(1)	(2)	(1)-(2)				Amount	<b>%</b>	Amount	<b>%</b>		
2012												
01-03	71,475.6	68,691.4	2,784.2	74,206.6	69,833.0	4,373.6	-2,731.0	-3.7	-1,141.6	-1.6		
2012												
01	(R) 22,645.8	21,367.3	(R) 1,278.5	24,281.6	23,559.5	722.1	-1,635.8	-6.7	-2,192.2	-9.3		
2012												
02	(R) 21,704.3	22,040.7	(R) -336.4	19,851.7	17,025.6	2,826.1	1,852.6	9.3	5,015.1	29.5		
2012												
03	27,125.5	25,283.4	1,842.1	30,073.3	29,247.9	825.4	-2,947.8	-9.8	-3,964.5	-13.6		

Note: (R) Revised

## **Composition of Foreign Exchange Export Proceeds**

Table 2 Unit: US\$ Million

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Item	Foreign E	Exchange Export I	Proceeds	Comparison with the Same Period						
				Last Year						
	Total	Sold for	Retained			Retained with Exporters				
		N.T.	with	Sold for						
		<b>Dollars</b>	Exporters	N.T. Dolla	ars					
Month	(1)=(2)+(3)	(2)	(3)	Amount	%	Amount	%			
2012										
01-03	71,475.6	5,771.9	65,703.7	-526.6	-8.4	-2,204.4	-3.2			
2012										
01	(R) 22,645.8	1,751.7	(R) 20,894.1	-431.4	-19.8	-1,204.4	-5.5			
2012										
02	(R) 21,704.3	1,790.1	(R) 19,914.2	52.9	3.0	1,799.7	9.9			
2012		_		_		_				
03	27,125.5	2,230.1	24,895.4	-148.1	-6.2	-2,799.7	-10.1			

Note: \* The export proceeds may be used to repay foreign currency loans or placed in the foreign currency deposits of domestic banks, etc..

And later on the deposits may be sold for N.T. Dollars, used to pay for importation of goods, or outwardly remitted whenever needed.

The deposits which have been sold for N.T. Dollars shall no longer be included in the figure of column (2) of this table.

# **Composition of Foreign Exchange Import Payments**

Table 3 Unit: US\$ Million

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Item	Foreign I	Exchange Import P	ayments	Comparison with the Same Period					
			Last Year						
	Total	Purchased with N.T. Dollars	Non- Purchased from Banks	Purchased v N.T. Dolla		Non-Purchased from Banks			
Month (1)=(2)+(3)		(2)	(3)	Amount	%	Amount	%		
2012									
01-03	68,691.4	12,969.5	55,721.9	596.9	4.8	-1,738.5	-3.0		
2012									
01	21,367.3	4,188.2	17,179.1	7.0	0.2	-2,199.2	-11.3		
2012									
02	22,040.7	3,925.1	18,115.6	1,002.1	34.3	4,013.0	28.5		
2012									
03	25,283.4	4,856.2	20,427.2	-412.2	-7.8	-3,552.3	-14.8		

Note: \* The importers withdraw their foreign currency deposits from banks for import payments, etc.

# Foreign Exchange Export Proceeds and Import Payments by Type of Payment (Current Month)

Table 4
Unit: US\$ Million

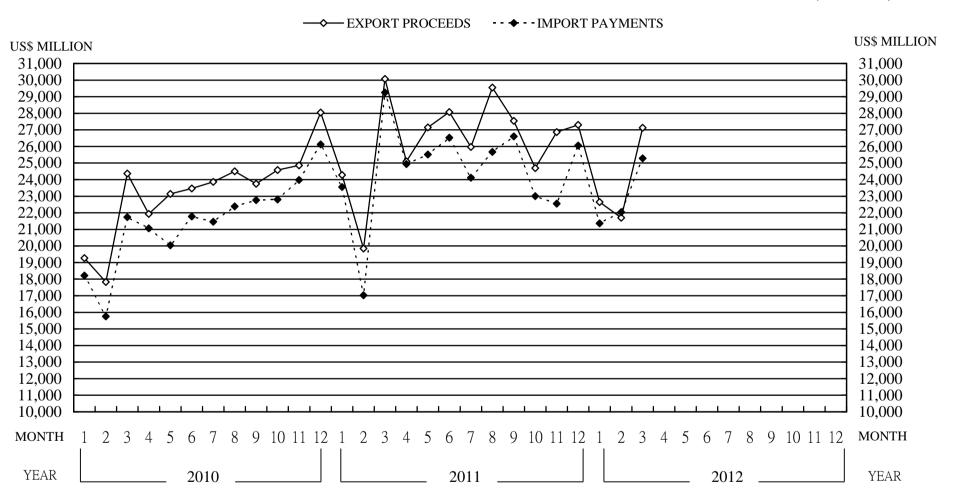
Item	Forei	Export Proceeds		Foreign Exchange Import Payments				
			Comparison with				Comparison	n with
	Mar. 2012		Mar. 2011		Mar. 2012		Mar. 2011	
Type of								
Payment	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
Sight L/C								
Signt L/C	2,501.0	9.2	-158.9	-6.0	594.0	2.3	43.5	7.9
Ligarian I /C								
Usance L/C	903.8	3.3	-47.1	-5.0	3,634.7	14.4	-508.2	-12.3
Collection								
Conection	406.1	1.5	-22.2	-5.2	228.1	0.9	-58.8	-20.5
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Remittance	23,314.6	86.0	-2,719.6	-10.4	20,826.6	82.4	-3,441.0	-14.2
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Total	27,125.5	100.0	-2,947.8	-9.8	25,283.4	100.0	-3,964.5	-13.6

# Foreign Exchange Export Proceeds and Import Payments by Type of Payment (Jan. To Date)

Table 5
Unit: US\$ Million

Item	Foreig	<b>Export Proceeds</b>	Foreign Exchange Import Payments					
			Comparison with				Compariso	n with
	JanMar. 2012		JanMar. 2011		JanMar. 2012		JanMar.	2011
Type of								
Payment	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
Sight L/C								
Sight L/C	6,253.7	8.7	-239.1	-3.7	1,681.7	2.4	128.0	8.2
Usance L/C								
Usance L/C	2,274.1	3.2	-178.4	-7.3	9,823.3	14.3	86.7	0.9
Collection								
Conection	1,005.1	1.4	-159.8	-13.7	696.4	1.0	37.6	5.7
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Remittance	61,942.7	86.7	-2,153.7	-3.4	56,490.0	82.3	-1,393.9	-2.4
Total								
Total	71,475.6	100.0	-2,731.0	-3.7	68,691.4	100.0	-1,141.6	-1.6

## CHART 1 COMPARISON OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE EXPORT PROCEEDS AND IMPORT PAYMENTS (2010-2012)



# CHART 2 MONTHLY CUMULATIVE OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE EXPORT PROCEEDS AND IMPORT PAYMENTS

#### (1) EXPORT PROCEEDS

## (2) IMPORT PAYMENTS

