### **SUMMARY STATISTICS**

#### **MAY 2015**

- 1. Coverage of Statistics:
  - All foreign exchange export proceeds and import payments through banks.
- 2. Comparison with May 2014 of export proceeds and import payments:
  - Export proceeds totaled US\$ 22,565.4 million, a decrease of US\$ 4,558.0 million or 16.8% (Table 1), as compared with May 2014.
  - Import payments totaled US\$ 17,078.9 million, a decrease of US\$ 6,750.5 million or 28.3% (Table 1), as compared with May 2014.
- 3. Comparison with May 2014 of export proceeds realized:
  - Sold for N.T. Dollars US\$ 1,705.0 million, a decrease of US\$ 188.6 million or 10.0% (Table 2), as compared with May 2014.
  - Retained with exporters US\$ 20,860.4 million, a decrease of US\$ 4,369.4 million or 17.3% (Table 2), as compared with May 2014.
- 4. Comparison with May 2014 of import payments made:
  - Purchased with N.T. Dollars US\$ 3,400.1 million, a decrease of US\$ 801.4 million or 19.1% (Table 3), as compared with May 2014.
  - Self-acquired foreign exchange imports US\$ 13,678.8 million, a decrease of US\$ 5,949.1 million or 30.3% (Table 3), as comparison with May 2014.
- 5. Foreign exchange exports and imports by type of payment (Table 4):
  - (1) Exports:

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Sight L/C US$ 1,568.5 million, 7.0% of total exports. Usance L/C US$ 591.4 million, 2.6% of total exports. Collection US$ 268.6 million, 1.2% of total exports. Remittance US$ 20,136.9 million, 89.2% of total exports.
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(2) Imports:

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Sight L/C US$ 331.2 million, 1.9% of total imports. Usance L/C US$ 2,073.2 million, 12.1% of total imports. Collection US$ 168.2 million, 1.0% of total imports. Remittance US$ 14,506.3 million, 85.0% of total imports.
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# **Comparison of Foreign Exchange Export Proceeds and Import Payments**

Table 1 Unit: US\$ Million

| Table 1 |                 |           |               |              |          |           |                                 |          |                  |       | Omt. Obb N       | 11111011 |
|---------|-----------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|----------|-----------|---------------------------------|----------|------------------|-------|------------------|----------|
| Item    | Year 2015       |           |               |              |          |           | Comparison with the Same Period |          |                  |       |                  |          |
|         | Foreign Foreign |           | Foreign       | Balances     |          | Foreign   | Foreign Foreign Balan           |          | Last Year        |       |                  |          |
|         | Exchange        |           | Exchange      |              |          | Exchange  | Exchange Exchange               |          | Foreign exchange |       | Foreign exchange |          |
|         | Export          |           | Export Import |              |          | Export    | Import                          |          | Export Pro       | eeds  | Import Payments  |          |
|         | ]               | Proceeds  | Payments      |              |          | Proceeds  | <b>Payments</b>                 |          |                  |       |                  |          |
| Month   |                 | (1)       | (2)           | (            | (1)-(2)  |           |                                 |          | Amount           | %     | Amount           | %        |
| 2015    |                 |           |               |              |          |           |                                 |          |                  |       |                  |          |
| 01-05   |                 | 117,203.0 | 88,969.4      |              | 28,233.6 | 129,797.3 | 116,581.9                       | 13,215.4 | -12,594.3        | -9.7  | -27,612.5        | -23.7    |
| 2015    |                 |           |               |              |          |           |                                 |          |                  |       |                  |          |
| 01      | ( <b>R</b> )    | 25,058.2  | 19,042.1      | ( <b>R</b> ) | 6,016.1  | 25,982.2  | 22,510.5                        | 3,471.7  | -924.0           | -3.6  | -3,468.4         | -15.4    |
| 2015    |                 |           |               |              |          |           |                                 |          |                  |       |                  | i i      |
| 02      | ( <b>R</b> )    | 19,719.5  | 14,129.0      | ( <b>R</b> ) | 5,590.5  | 22,939.7  | 20,231.4                        | 2,708.3  | -3,220.2         | -14.0 | -6,102.4         | -30.2    |
| 2015    |                 |           |               |              |          |           |                                 |          |                  |       |                  |          |
| 03      | ( <b>R</b> )    | 26,284.6  | 20,800.7      | ( <b>R</b> ) | 5,483.9  | 27,226.3  | 25,387.3                        | 1,839.0  | -941.7           | -3.5  | -4,586.6         | -18.1    |
| 2015    |                 |           |               |              |          |           |                                 |          |                  |       |                  | i l      |
| 04      | ( <b>R</b> )    | 23,575.3  | (R) 17,918.7  | ( <b>R</b> ) | 5,656.6  | 26,525.7  | 24,623.3                        | 1,902.4  | -2,950.4         | -11.1 | -6,704.6         | -27.2    |
| 2015    |                 |           |               |              |          |           |                                 |          |                  |       |                  |          |
| 05      |                 | 22,565.4  | 17,078.9      |              | 5,486.5  | 27,123.4  | 23,829.4                        | 3,294.0  | -4,558.0         | -16.8 | -6,750.5         | -28.3    |

Note: (R) Revised

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

Table 2 Unit: US\$ Million

| Table 2     |              |                   |              |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
|-------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|---------------------------------|-------|----------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| <b>Item</b> | Foreign I    | Exchange Export I | Proceeds     | Comparison with the Same Period |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
|             |              |                   |              | Last Year                       |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
|             | Total        | Sold for          | Retained     |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
|             |              | N.T.              | with         | Sold for                        |       | Retained       |       |  |  |  |  |
|             |              | <b>Dollars</b>    | Exporters    | N.T. Dolla                      | ars   | with Exporters |       |  |  |  |  |
|             |              |                   |              |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
| Month       | (1)=(2)+(3)  | (2)               | (3)          | Amount                          | %     | Amount         | %     |  |  |  |  |
| 2015        |              |                   |              |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
| 01-05       | 117,203.0    | 8,162.8           | 109,040.2    | -1,148.6                        | -12.3 | -11,445.7      | -9.5  |  |  |  |  |
| 2015        |              |                   |              |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
| 01          | (R) 25,058.2 | 1,612.3           | (R) 23,445.9 | -449.9                          | -21.8 | -474.1         | -2.0  |  |  |  |  |
| 2015        |              |                   |              |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
| 02          | (R) 19,719.5 | 1,492.1           | (R) 18,227.4 | -111.6                          | -7.0  | -3,108.6       | -14.6 |  |  |  |  |
| 2015        |              |                   |              |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
| 03          | (R) 26,284.6 | 1,720.0           | (R) 24,564.6 | -219.9                          | -11.3 | -721.8         | -2.9  |  |  |  |  |
| 2015        |              |                   |              |                                 |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
| 04          | (R) 23,575.3 | 1,633.4           | (R) 21,941.9 | -178.6                          | -9.9  | -2,771.8       | -11.2 |  |  |  |  |
| 2015        |              |                   |              | 100 (                           |       |                |       |  |  |  |  |
| 05          | 22,565.4     | 1,705.0           | 20,860.4     | -188.6                          | -10.0 | -4,369.4       | -17.3 |  |  |  |  |

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

| Table 5 |              |                   |              |  |       |               |       |  |  |  |
|---------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|--|-------|---------------|-------|--|--|--|
| Item    | Foreign I    | Exchange Import P | ayments      | Comparison with the Same Period<br>Last Year |       |               |       |  |  |  |
|         |              |                   |              |  |       |               |       |  |  |  |
|         | Total        | Purchased         | Non-         |  |       | Non-Purchased |       |  |  |  |
|         |              | with              | Purchased    | Purchased w                                  | ith   |               |       |  |  |  |
|         |              | N.T. Dollars      | from Banks   | N.T. Dolla                                   | ırs   | from Banks    |       |  |  |  |
|         |              |                   |              |  |       |               |       |  |  |  |
| Month   | (1)=(2)+(3)  | (2)               | (3)          | Amount                                       | %     | Amount        | %     |  |  |  |
| 2015    |              |                   |              |  |       |               |       |  |  |  |
| 01-05   | 88,969.4     | 18,103.9          | 70,865.5     | -1,669.2                                     | -8.4  | -25,943.3     | -26.8 |  |  |  |
| 2015    |              |                   |              |  |       |               |       |  |  |  |
| 01      | 19,042.1     | 3,856.4           | 15,185.7     | 40.7   | 1.1   | -3,509.1      | -18.8 |  |  |  |
| 2015    |              |                   |              |  |       |               |       |  |  |  |
| 02      | 14,129.0     | 2,666.3           | 11,462.7     | -557.1                                       | -17.3 | -5,545.3      | -32.6 |  |  |  |
| 2015    |              |                   |              |  |       |               |       |  |  |  |
| 03      | 20,800.7     | 4,472.8           | 16,327.9     | 83.8   | 1.9   | -4,670.4      | -22.2 |  |  |  |
| 2015    |              |                   |              |  |       | _             |       |  |  |  |
| 04      | (R) 17,918.7 | 3,708.3           | (R) 14,210.4 | -435.2                                       | -10.5 | -6,269.4      | -30.6 |  |  |  |
| 2015    |              |                   |              |  |       | _             |       |  |  |  |
| 05      | 17,078.9     | 3,400.1           | 13,678.8     | -801.4                                       | -19.1 | -5,949.1      | -30.3 |  |  |  |

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

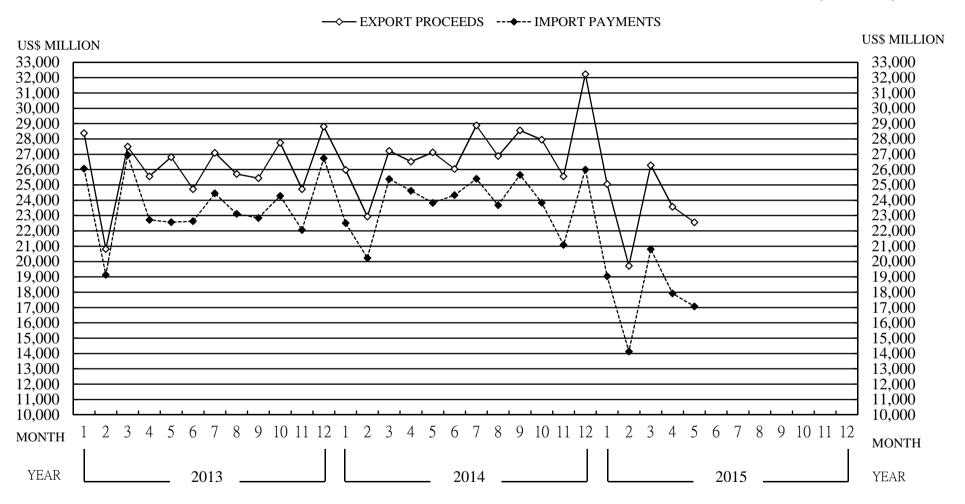
| Item       | Forei    | gn Exchange | Export Proceeds | Foreign Exchange Import Payments |          |       |            |        |
|------------|----------|-------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|----------|-------|------------|--------|
|            |          |             | Comparison      | n with                           |          |       | Comparison | n with |
|            | May 2015 |             | May 2014        |                                  | May 2015 |       | May 2014   |        |
| Type of    |          |             |                 |                                  |          |       |            |        |
| Payment    | Amount   | %           | Amount          | %                                | Amount   | %     | Amount     | %      |
| Sight I /C |          |             |                 |                                  |          |       |            |        |
| Sight L/C  | 1,568.5  | 7.0         | -571.7          | -26.7                            | 331.2    | 1.9   | -32.0      | -8.8   |
| III/C      |          |             |                 |                                  |          |       |            |        |
| Usance L/C | 591.4    | 2.6         | -302.0          | -33.8                            | 2,073.2  | 12.1  | -952.1     | -31.5  |
| Callastian |          |             |                 |                                  |          |       |            |        |
| Collection | 268.6    | 1.2         | -30.1           | -10.1                            | 168.2    | 1.0   | -129.9     | -43.6  |
| D          |          |             |                 |                                  |          |       |            |        |
| Remittance | 20,136.9 | 89.2        | -3,654.2        | -15.4                            | 14,506.3 | 85.0  | -5,636.5   | -28.0  |
| T-4-1      |          |             |                 |                                  |          |       |            |        |
| Total      | 22,565.4 | 100.0       | -4,558.0        | -16.8                            | 17,078.9 | 100.0 | -6,750.5   | -28.3  |

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

Table 5 Unit: US\$ Million

| Item       | Forei       | gn Exchange | <b>Export Proceeds</b> | Foreign Exchange Import Payments |             |       |                 |       |
|------------|-------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
|            |             |             | Comparison             | n with                           |             |       | Comparison with |       |
|            | JanMay 2015 |             | JanMay 2014            |                                  | JanMay 2015 |       | JanMay          | 2014  |
| Type of    |             |             |                        |                                  |             |       |                 |       |
| Payment    | Amount      | %           | Amount                 | %                                | Amount      | %     | Amount          | %     |
| Sight I /C |             |             |                        |                                  |             |       |                 |       |
| Sight L/C  | 7,937.3     | 6.8         | -2,612.7               | -24.8                            | 1,847.0     | 2.1   | -284.4          | -13.3 |
| Usance L/C |             |             |                        |                                  |             |       |                 |       |
| Usance L/C | 3,085.7     | 2.6         | -810.9                 | -20.8                            | 11,559.9    | 13.0  | -2,584.8        | -18.3 |
| Collection |             |             |                        |                                  |             |       |                 |       |
| Conection  | 1,353.7     | 1.2         | -69.3                  | -4.9                             | 957.1       | 1.1   | -274.1          | -22.3 |
| Domittones |             |             |                        |                                  |             |       |                 |       |
| Remittance | 104,826.3   | 89.4        | -9,101.4               | -8.0                             | 74,605.4    | 83.8  | -24,469.2       | -24.7 |
| T-4-1      |             |             | _                      | _                                |             |       |                 | _     |
| Total      | 117,203.0   | 100.0       | -12,594.3              | -9.7                             | 88,969.4    | 100.0 | -27,612.5       | -23.7 |

### CHART 1 COMPARISON OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE EXPORT PROCEEDS AND IMPORT PAYMENTS (2013-2015)



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

### (1) EXPORT PROCEEDS

### (2) IMPORT PAYMENTS

