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1. Value of Sea-borne Foreign Trade

(in ' 000 Rupees)

Year	Imports	Exports	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1994-95	179843		179843
1995-96	434740		434740
1996-97	Nil	Nil	Nil
1997-98	2011		2011
1998-99	178811		178811
1999-00	--		0
2000-01	--	130139	130139
2001-02	61629	146412	208041
2002-03	125056	8206	133262
2003-04	286045	168301	454346

Source: Office of the Superintendent of
Central Excise & Customs, Pondicherry.

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2. Value of Import/Export licenses issued to Merchants of Pondicherry State

(Rs. in lakh)

Licensing Period (April to March)	Vaue of Import Licenses	Value of Export Licenses
1	2	3
1995-96	7509.93	15777.41
1996-97	9480.75	26275.31
1997-98	5297.69	33872.51
1998-99	3140.48	25557.97
1999-00	3588.86	12782.78
2000-01	3548.58	21272.8
2001-02	2960.14	4259.76
2002-03	3773.85	17244.91
2003-04	4787.28	28573.53
2004-05	8512.42	22930.01

Source: Office of the Joint Director General of
Foreign Trade, Pondicherry.

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3. Foreign trade by sections - Value of Imports

(in ' 000 Rupees)

Code No.	Sections	2002	2003	2004
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
0	Food	0	75186	241675
5	Chemical	100934	164101	46268
6	Manufactured goods chiefly by materials	0		0
9	Miscellaneous transactions and commodities	0		21964
Total		100934	239287	309907

Source: Office of the Superintendent of Central Excise and Customs,
Pondicherry.