

## Summary

Kindly find below the summary of provisional figures of Import of gems & jewellery items during April 2011 - Mar 2012 as compared to same period last year.

### NET IMPORTS OF GEMS & JEWELLERY

ITEMS	April 11 - Mar'12 (Provisional)		April 10 - Mar '11 (Same ports as current year)		% Growth / decline over previous Year	
	Rs. In Crores	US \$ in Million	Rs. In Crores	US \$ in Million	Rs.	US \$
	Rough Diamonds ( Quantity in Lakh Carats)	72160.61 1314.34	15132.12	54564.27 1541.89	11980.33	32.25
Gold Bar	52983.60	11036.38	38245.08	8409.13	38.54	31.24
Others **	1178.06	248.24	1082.34	237.11	8.84	4.69
<b>Total</b>	<b>126322.27</b>	<b>26416.74</b>	<b>93891.69</b>	<b>20626.57</b>	<b>34.54</b>	<b>28.07</b>
Cut & Polished Diamonds	67864.62	14373.80	94725.65	20807.73	-28.36	-30.92
Others ***	9084.51	1859.72	3364.73	737.61	169.99	152.13
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>203271.40</b>	<b>42650.26</b>	<b>191982.07</b>	<b>42171.91</b>	<b>5.88</b>	<b>1.13</b>

NOTE :

- 1) \*\* Data of Rough Col. Gemstone, Raw Pearls, Rough Synthetic stones, Silver Bar & Platinum.
- 2) \*\*\* Data of Gold Finding/Mounting/Casting, Gold Jewellery, Non-Gold Jewellery & Col. Gemstones.
3. **Above Figures for Rough Diamonds are Gross Imports (without subtracting export of rough diamonds)**
  - i) **Figs of Gold Bar from MMTC & Bank of India not included for the month of March 12**
  - ii) **Figs from Noida SEZ not received for month of January 2012 to March 2012**

Exchange rate 1 US\$

50.32 Mar. 2012

44.99 Mar. 2011

(As per RBI average exchange rate)