

Summary

Kindly find below the summary of provisional figures of Import of gems & jewellery items during April 2010 - Mar 2011 as compared to same period last year.

NET IMPORTS OF GEMS & JEWELLERY

ITEMS	April 10 - Mar'11 (Provisional)		April 09 - Mar '10 (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)	54433.52 1539.88	11929.91	42733.11 1498.51	9045.80	27.38
Gold Bar	37714.35	8275.63	34018.60	7165.07	10.86	15.50
Others **	1051.80	230.14	754.32	159.71	39.44	44.10
Total	93199.67	20435.68	77506.03	16370.58	20.25	24.83
Cut & Polished Diamonds	94704.33	20774.38	54746.64	11609.63	72.99	78.94
Others ***	3290.19	720.23	2609.84	552.17	26.07	30.44
Total Imports	191194.19	41930.29	134862.51	28532.38	41.77	46.96

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 & Corporation Bank not included for the month of March 11
 - ii) Figs from Noida SEZ not received for month of September 2010 to March 2011

Exchange rate 1 US\$

44.99 Mar. 2011

45.50 Mar. 2010

(As per RBI average exchange rate)