

Imports of raw materials for gems & jewellery during April - June '2008 as compared last year

I. Items	June'2008 (Provisional)		April-June 2008 (Provisional)		June'2007 (Same Ports)		April-June 2007 (Same Ports)		April-June 2007 (Imports all ports)		% Growth / decline Jun-08		% Growth / decline April-June '2008	
	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs %	US\$ %	Rs %	US\$ %
Rough Diamonds (Gross) (Quantity - Lakh Cts)	5422.10	1258.03	13172.44	3185.60	3883.36	949.48	10548.23	2496.62	10548.23	2496.62	39.62	32.50	24.88	27.6
Rgh Diamonds (Bonded WH) (Quantity - Lakh Cts)		0.00	443.33		166.76		420.58		420.58					
Total Rough Diamonds (Quantity - Lakh Cts)	5422.10 (149.087)	1258.03 (0)	13172.44 (443.332)	3185.60	3883.36 (166.755)	949.48	10548.23 (420.5795)	2496.62	10548.23 (420.5795)	2496.62 (0)	39.62	32.50	24.88	27.6
Rough Coloured Gemstones	29.10	6.75	125.62	30.38	41.28	10.09	172.30	40.78	172.30	40.78				
Raw Pearls	2.90	0.67	6.67	1.61	4.31	1.05	15.52	3.67	15.52	3.67				
Rough Synthetic Stones	1.75	0.41	4.32	1.04	4.55	1.11	10.04	2.38	10.04	2.38				
Gold Bar	706.09	163.83	2177.59	526.62	1474.07	360.41	3589.78	849.65	3589.78	849.65			-39.34	-38.02
Silver Bar	1.16	0.27	16.15	3.91	11.80	2.88	17.05	4.04	17.05	4.04				
Platinum	0.93	0.22	3.43	0.83	2.92	0.71	7.76	1.84	7.76	1.84				
TOTAL - A	6164.03	1430.17	15506.21	3749.99	5422.28	1325.74	14360.69	3398.98	14360.69	3398.98	13.68	7.88	7.98	10.33
II. Import of Cut & Pol Diamond														
SEEPZ - SEZ (Quantity - Lakh Cts)	85.12	19.75	237.88	57.53	81.59	19.95	492.27	116.51	492.27	116.51	4.33	-1.00	-51.68	-50.62
Bonded WH (Quantity - Lakh Cts)	80.86	18.76	275.96	66.74	253.91	62.08	993.82	235.22	993.82	235.22	-68.16	-69.78	-72.23	-71.63
Others (Quantity - Lakh Cts)	707.06	164.05	2325.36	562.36	275.97	67.47	837.89	198.32	837.89	198.32	156.21	143.15	177.52	183.56
Surat (Quantity - Lakh Cts)	1922.16	445.98	4634.48	1120.79	845.71	206.77	1283.68	303.83	1283.68	303.83				
TOTAL - B	2795.20	648.54	7473.69	1807.42	1457.18	356.28	3607.66	853.88	3607.66	853.88	91.82	82.03	107.16	111.67
III. Import of Other items														
Gold Fndgs / Mntgs/Cstngs	5.94	1.38	40.60	9.82	8.61	2.11	86.31	20.43	86.31	20.43				
Gold Jewellery	108.11	25.08	346.12	83.70	115.97	28.35	480.94	113.83	480.94	113.83				
Non-Gold Jewellery	4.96	1.15	63.21	15.29	1.59	0.39	7.43	1.76	7.43	1.76				
Col. Gemstones	40.35	9.36	89.00	21.52	15.31	3.74	59.92	14.18	59.92	14.18				
Synthetic Stone	2.45	0.57	6.36	1.54	1.47	0.36	2.67	0.63	2.67	0.63				
Pearls	1.32	0.31	3.41	0.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00				
TOTAL - C	163.13	37.85	548.69	132.70	142.95	34.95	637.28	150.84	637.28	150.84	14.11	8.30	-13.90	-12.03
GRAND TOTAL (A+B+C)	9122.35	2116.56	23528.60	5690.11	7022.41	1716.97	18605.64	4403.70	18605.64	4403.70	29.90	23.27	26.46	29.21

NOTE:

1. Figures in bracket shows quantity in lakh carats.

2. Above Figures for Rough Diamonds are Gross Imports (without subtracting export of rough diamonds)

i) Figs for Gold Bar from Bangalore not included from April to June 2008

ii) Figures from MEPZ not received for June 2008

(April-June)

Exchange rate 1 US\$ 41.35 (April-June) 42.25

Exchange rate 1 US\$ 43.10 <--June--> 40.90

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