

Imports of raw materials for gems & jewellery during April '2009 as compared last year

I. Items	April'2009 (Provisional)		April'2008 (Same Ports)		April'2008 (Imports all ports)		% Growth / decline Apr-09	
	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs. in Crores	US\$ in Million	Rs %	US\$ %
Rough Diamonds (Gross)	2342.58	457.98	4035.36	997.62	4035.36	997.62	-41.95	-54.09
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	82.39		153.81		153.81			
Rgh Diamonds (Bonded WH)		0.00						
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)		0.00						
Total Rough Diamonds (Quantity - Lakh Cts)	2342.58 (82.39)	457.98 (0)	4035.36 (153.805)	997.62 (0)	4035.36 (153.805)	997.62 (0)	-41.95	-54.09
Rough Coloured Gemstones	15.68	3.07	28.32	7.00	28.32	7.00		
Raw Pearls	0.93	0.18	2.30	0.57	2.30	0.57		
Rough Synthetic Stones	2.59	0.51	1.37	0.34	1.37	0.34		
Gold Bar	640.13	125.15	514.66	127.23	1306.46	322.98		
Silver Bar	1.26	0.25	1.08	0.27	1.08	0.27		
Platinum	0.78	0.15	133.78	33.07	133.78	33.07		
TOTAL - A	3003.95	587.28	4716.88	1166.10	5508.68	1361.85	-36.31	-49.64
II. Import of Cut & Pol Diamond								
SEEPZ - SEZ	54.43	10.64	77.96	19.27	77.96	19.27	-30.18	-44.78
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)								
Bonded WH	77.90	15.23	136.45	33.73	136.45	33.73	-42.91	-54.85
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	0.75		1.36		1.36			
Others	820.35	160.38	843.97	208.65	843.97	208.65	-2.80	-23.13
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	6.12		22.01		22.01			
Surat	1236.26	241.69	1600.70	395.72	1600.70	395.72		
(Quantity - Lakh Cts)	7.81		17.38		17.38			
TOTAL - B	2188.94	427.94	2659.08	657.38	2659.08	657.38	-17.68	-34.90
III. Import of Other items								
Gold Fndgs / Mntgs/Cstngs	9.93	1.94	30.44	7.53	30.44	7.53		
Gold Jewellery	125.10	24.46	141.26	34.92	141.26	34.92		
Non-Gold Jewellery	12.32	2.41	7.33	1.81	7.33	1.81		
Col. Gemstones	46.24	9.04	24.94	6.17	24.94	6.17		
Synthetic Stone	7.85	1.53	1.33	0.33	1.33	0.33		
Pearls	0.69	0.13	1.63	0.40	1.63	0.40		
TOTAL - C	202.13	39.52	206.92	51.16	206.92	51.16	-2.32	-22.75
GRAND TOTAL (A+B+C)	5395.01	1054.74	7582.88	1874.63	8374.69	2070.38	-28.85	-43.74

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 SBI, Corporation Bank, Bank of India & Union Bank of India not included in April 2009 data