|  | EXPORTS | IMPORTS | TRADE BALANCE |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| July 2019 (Preliminary) | R 112940526731 | R 115821345757 | R -2 880819026 |
| June 2019 (Revised) | R 109195730648 | R 103655365335 | R 5540365313 |


| R Increase/Decrease | R 3744796083 | R 12165980422 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| \% Growth | $3.4 \%$ | $11.7 \%$ |

## CUMULATIVE FIGURE

|  | EXPORTS | IMPORTS | TRADE BALANCE |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| January to July 2019 (Preliminary) | R 728704896968 | R 733050725988 | R -4 345829020 |
| January to July 2018 (Revised) | R 677069691302 | R 680883484044 | R -3 813792742 |
| R Increase/Decrease | R 51635205666 | R 52167241944 |  |
| $\%$ Growth | $7.6 \%$ | $7.7 \%$ |  |

## COMMENTS

## Month on month increase/decrease

## EXPORTS

Section 2:
Section 5:
Section 6:
Section 15:
Section 17:
Vegetable products increased by
R 1846 million (28\%)
Mineral products decreased by
R 2223 million (-8\%)
Chemical products increased by
R 1366 million (23\%)
Base metals decreased by
R 1292 million (-10\%)
Vehicles \& transport equipments increased by
R 3187 million (22\%)

## IMPORTS

Section 5:
Mineral products decreased by
R 3634 million ( $-17 \%$ )
Section 6:
Section 16:
Section 17:
Section 23:
Chemical products increased by
R 1299 million (13\%)
Machinery \& electronics increased by
R 4825 million (22\%)
Vehicles \& transport equipments increased by
R 2959 million (32\%)
R 1665 million (17\%)

International Trade (excluding BELN)

|  | EXPORTS | IMPORTS | TRADE BALANCE |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| July 2019 (Preliminary) | R 99925839020 | R 112087398015 | R -12 161558995 |
| June 2019 (Revised) | R 97614553090 | R 100199400604 | R -2 584847514 |


| R Increase/Decrease | R 2311285930 | R 11887997411 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| \% Growth | $2.4 \%$ | $11.9 \%$ |

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

|  | EXPORTS | IMPORTS | TRADE BALANCE |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: |
| January to July 2019 (Preliminary) | R 647133302371 | R 707729060276 | R -60 595757905 |
| January to July 2018 (Revised) | R 604206198485 | R 658205698718 | R -53 999500233 |


| R Increase/Decrease | R 42927103886 | R 49523361558 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| $\%$ Growth | $7.1 \%$ | $7.5 \%$ |

## BELN

|  | EXPORTS | IMPORTS | TRADE BALANCE |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| July 2019 (Preliminary) | R 13014687711 | R 3733947742 | R 9280739969 |
| June 2019 (Revised) | R 11581177558 | R 3455964731 | R 8125212827 |


| R Increase/Decrease | R 1433510153 | R 277983011 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| \% Growth | $12.4 \%$ | $8.0 \%$ |

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

|  | EXPORTS | IMPORTS | TRADE BALANCE |
| :--- | :---: | ---: | ---: |
| January to July 2019 (Preliminary) | R 81571594597 | R 25321665712 | R 56249928885 |
| January to July 2018 (Revised) | R 72863492817 | R 22677785326 | R 50185707491 |


| R Increase/Decrease | R 8708101780 | R 2643880386 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| \% Growth | $12.0 \%$ | $11.7 \%$ |

## Preliminary SA Monthly Statement (including BELN)

|  | METHODOLOGY <br> COMPARING THE MONTH-ON-MONTH FIGURES. |
| :--- | :--- |
| ADJUSTMENTS ARE MAINLY AS A RESULT OF AUDITS AND VOUCHERS OF CORRECTION IN RESPECT OF THE PREVIOUS MONTHS |  |$\quad$| Monthly export and import figures are unaudited figures obtained from declarations made by exporters and importers of |
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| goods. The figures cover all goods exported and imported during the reporting month to and from South Africa. Cursory checks |
| of the figures are made prior to the publication thereof, to try and eliminate as many capturing errors as possible. |

WORLD REGIONS AND SHIPS \& AIRCRAFT STORES

| PERIOD: | July 2019 / June 2019 Revision |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| World Zone | EXPORTS |  |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |  |
|  | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision |
|  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm | Rm |  | Rm |
| AFRICA | 30585.1 | 27451.5 | 11.4\% | -80.6 | 11572.2 | 14301.9 | -19.1\% | -5.4 |
| AMERICA | 8735.2 | 8597.1 | 1.6\% | 0.4 | 12163.8 | 9578.4 | 27.0\% | -1.0 |
| ASIA | 33354.9 | 37974.6 | -12.2\% | 1145.9 | 52876.7 | 45793.7 | 15.5\% | -91.1 |
| EUROPE | 31833.5 | 26788.9 | 18.8\% | 41.3 | 38094.9 | 31931.2 | 19.3\% | -1.1 |
| OCEANIA | 1074.6 | 1612.9 | -33.4\% | -85.1 | 822.6 | 1546.7 | -46.8\% | - |
| OTHER UNCLASSIFIED | 6412.2 | 6344.3 | 1.1\% | - | 291.2 | 503.6 | -42.2\% | -0.4 |
| SHIP/AIRCRAFT | 945.0 | 426.5 | 121.6\% | 0.0 | - | - | 0.0\% | - |
| Total | 112940.5 | 109195.7 | 3.4\% | 1021.9 | 115821.3 | 103655.4 | 11.7\% | -99.0 |

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

| Section (Chapter) | Description | EXPORTS |  |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision |
|  |  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm | Rm |  | Rm |
| 1 (1-5) | Live animals, animal products. | 1242.6 | 1181.6 | 5.2\% | -1.0 | 1832.9 | 1725.3 | 6.2\% | 0.0 |
| II (6-14) | Vegetable products. | 8449.5 | 6603.2 | 28.0\% | -0.4 | 1951.5 | 1595.6 | 22.3\% | -1.2 |
| III (15) | Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes. | 278.7 | 273.7 | 1.8\% | -0.4 | 881.2 | 702.5 | 25.4\% |  |
| IV (16-24) | Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes. | 4716.9 | 4345.2 | 8.6\% | -4.4 | 3444.7 | 2953.5 | 16.6\% | -0.4 |
| V (25-27) | Mineral products. | 26901.7 | 29125.1 | -7.6\% | 1093.0 | 17959.4 | 21592.9 | -16.8\% | -91.8 |
| VI (28-38) | Products of the chemicals or allied industries. | 7328.3 | 5961.9 | 22.9\% | -21.5 | 11304.0 | 10005.4 | 13.0\% | 1.5 |
| VII (39-40) | Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof. | 2281.5 | 2328.3 | -2.0\% | -4.3 | 4840.7 | 4165.0 | 16.2\% | 0.4 |
| VIII (41-43) | Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkwormgut). | 256.3 | 298.5 | -14.1\% | -0.0 | 359.7 | 299.1 | 20.3\% | 0.0 |
| IX (44-46) | Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork. | 649.6 | 609.8 | 6.5\% | -0.2 | 456.3 | 404.8 | 12.7\% | -0.0 |
| X (47-49) | Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof. | 2027.4 | 1703.3 | 19.0\% | 0.8 | 3263.0 | 2608.7 | 25.1\% | 0.1 |
| XI (50-63) | Textiles and textile articles. | 1217.3 | 1213.0 | 0.4\% | -0.1 | 4049.4 | 3417.4 | 18.5\% | -1.7 |
| XII (64-67) | Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair. | 225.8 | 205.2 | 10.0\% | -0.0 | 1464.2 | 1059.1 | 38.2\% | 0.3 |
| XIII (68-70) | Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware. | 543.0 | 542.2 | 0.2\% | -0.0 | 1321.0 | 1110.0 | 19.0\% | -5.2 |
| XIV (71) | Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins. | 16792.1 | 17690.8 | -5.1\% | 1.7 | 1183.5 | 1159.5 | 2.1\% | - |
| XV (72-83) | Base metals and articles of base metal. | 11169.7 | 12461.8 | -10.4\% | -6.9 | 5742.2 | 5055.1 | 13.6\% | -3.3 |
| XVI (84-85) | Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles. | 9385.4 | 8490.3 | 10.5\% | -24.4 | 26951.3 | 22125.8 | 21.8\% | 0.2 |
| XVII (86-89) | Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment. | 17739.1 | 14551.8 | 21.9\% | -9.2 | 12285.8 | 9327.2 | 31.7\% | -2.9 |
| XVIII (90-92) | Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof. | 738.5 | 659.1 | 12.0\% | -0.3 | 2999.5 | 2670.4 | 12.3\% | 2.4 |
| XX (94-96) | Miscellaneous manufactured articles. | 678.5 | 647.1 | 4.8\% | -0.4 | 1843.1 | 1710.0 | 7.8\% | 1.5 |
| XXI (97) | Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques. | 86.1 | 69.6 | 23.7\% | -0.0 | 55.6 | 16.6 | 236.0\% |  |
| XXII (99) | Other unclassified goods. | 232.5 | 233.5 | -0.4\% | -0.0 | 84.7 | 68.6 | 23.5\% | 1.1 |
| XXIII (98) | Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components | 0.1 | 0.8 | -82.9\% | -0.0 | 11547.8 | 9882.9 | 16.8\% | -0.0 |
| Total |  | 112940.5 | 109195.7 | 3.4\% | 1021.9 | 115821.3 | 103655.4 | 11.7\% | -99.0 |

Preliminary SA Cumulative Statement (including BELN)

| METHODOLOGY |
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| CUMULATIVE FIGURES COMPARING THE MONTH WITH THE |
| CORRESPONDING MONTH OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR |$\quad$| Export and import figures are unaudited figures obtained from declarations made by exporters and |
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| importers of goods. The figures cover all goods exported and imported during the reporting month from |
| and to South Africa. Cursory checks of the figures are made prior to publication thereof, to try and |
| eliminate as many capturing errors as possible. |

WORLD REGIONS AND SHIPS \& AIRCRAFT STORES

| PERIOD: | January to July 2019 / January to July 2018 |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | EXPORTS |  |  | IMPORTS |  |
| World Zone | January to July $2019$ | January to July $2018$ | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | January to July 2019 | January to July $2018$ | Percentage Increase/ Decrease |
|  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm |  |
| AFRICA | 193760.4 | 180017.1 | 7.6\% | 86837.4 | 83650.5 | 3.8\% |
| AMERICA | 61478.7 | 58909.0 | 4.4\% | 72473.8 | 63817.8 | 13.6\% |
| ASIA | 234578.4 | 215893.9 | 8.7\% | 330198.6 | 309004.8 | 6.9\% |
| EUROPE | 191390.4 | 165352.6 | 15.7\% | 230651.5 | 211290.9 | 9.2\% |
| OCEANIA | 7674.6 | 6881.3 | 11.5\% | 10226.2 | 11157.8 | -8.3\% |
| OTHER UNCLASSIFIED | 36897.6 | 46656.2 | -20.9\% | 2663.3 | 1961.7 | 35.8\% |
| SHIP/AIRCRAFT | 2924.7 | 3359.5 | -12.9\% | - | - | 0.0\% |
| Total | 728704.9 | 677069.7 | 7.6\% | 733050.7 | 680883.5 | 7.7\% |

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

| Section (chapter) | Description | EXPORTS |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | January to July 2019 | January to July $2018$ | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | January to July 2019 | January to July $2018$ | Percentage Increase/ Decrease |
|  |  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm |  |
| 1 (1-5) | Live animals, animal products. | 8513.4 | 8601.6 | -1.0\% | 11781.5 | 12035.1 | -2.1\% |
| II (6-14) | Vegetable products. | 39285.7 | 39567.1 | -0.7\% | 13169.0 | 14011.5 | -6.0\% |
| III (15) | Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes. | 1840.1 | 1938.5 | -5.1\% | 5192.8 | 4691.7 | 10.7\% |
| IV (16-24) | Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes. | 30716.1 | 28471.1 | 7.9\% | 22000.9 | 20015.3 | 9.9\% |
| V (25-27) | Mineral products. | 190782.7 | 160426.4 | 18.9\% | 129679.0 | 129884.8 | -0.2\% |
| VI (28-38) | Products of the chemicals or allied industries. | 46080.3 | 43057.6 | 7.0\% | 75142.9 | 72795.3 | 3.2\% |
| VII (39-40) | Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof. | 16271.8 | 14001.1 | 16.2\% | 30880.8 | 30790.9 | 0.3\% |
| VIII (41-43) | Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkwormgut). | 2000.6 | 2401.7 | -16.7\% | 2078.8 | 2091.6 | -0.6\% |
| IX (44-46) | Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork. | 4649.4 | 4135.6 | 12.4\% | 3270.3 | 3020.3 | 8.3\% |
| X (47-49) | Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof. | 8577.8 | 11712.3 | -26.8\% | 18318.4 | 15846.0 | 15.6\% |
| XI (50-63) | Textiles and textile articles. | 9201.5 | 9819.8 | -6.3\% | 27332.7 | 24512.0 | 11.5\% |
| XII (64-67) | Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair. | 1591.6 | 1536.4 | 3.6\% | 8147.4 | 7362.6 | 10.7\% |
| XIII (68-70) | Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware. | 3684.7 | 3463.0 | 6.4\% | 8615.3 | 8137.4 | 5.9\% |
| XIV (71) | Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins. | 111601.4 | 118893.5 | -6.1\% | 9740.6 | 10504.6 | -7.3\% |
| XV (72-83) | Base metals and articles of base metal. | 84649.2 | 84856.0 | -0.2\% | 37614.9 | 33614.6 | 11.9\% |
| XVI (84-85) | Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles. | 57871.6 | 55359.1 | 4.5\% | 163628.9 | 147011.1 | 11.3\% |
| XVII (86-89) | Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment. | 99733.9 | 75597.9 | 31.9\% | 67657.2 | 59366.7 | 14.0\% |
| XVIII (90-92) | Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof. | 4743.8 | 4332.4 | 9.5\% | 18956.7 | 17427.4 | 8.8\% |
| XX (94-96) | Miscellaneous manufactured articles. | 4592.2 | 4572.3 | 0.4\% | 11493.6 | 10614.5 | 8.3\% |
| XXI (97) | Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques. | 632.3 | 604.4 | 4.6\% | 326.4 | 519.4 | -37.2\% |
| XXII (99) | Other unclassified goods. | 1678.3 | 3717.1 | -54.8\% | 609.6 | 688.2 | -11.4\% |
| XXIII (98) | Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components | 6.2 | 4.7 | 34.0\% | 67413.0 | 55942.4 | 20.5\% |
| Total |  | 728704.9 | 677069.7 | 7.6\% | 733050.7 | 680883.5 | 7.7\% |

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| PERIOD: | July 2019 / June 2019 Revision |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| World Zone | EXPORTS |  |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |  |
|  | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision |
|  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm | Rm |  | Rm |
| AFRICA | 17570.4 | 15870.3 | 10.7\% | -77.7 | 7838.3 | 10845.9 | -27.7\% | -5.8 |
| AMERICA | 8735.2 | 8597.1 | 1.6\% | 0.4 | 12163.8 | 9578.4 | 27.0\% | -1.0 |
| ASIA | 33354.9 | 37974.6 | -12.2\% | 1145.9 | 52876.7 | 45793.7 | 15.5\% | -91.1 |
| EUROPE | 31833.5 | 26788.9 | 18.8\% | 41.3 | 38094.9 | 31931.2 | 19.3\% | -1.1 |
| OCEANIA | 1074.6 | 1612.9 | -33.4\% | -85.1 | 822.6 | 1546.7 | -46.8\% |  |
| OTHER UNCLASSIFIED | 6412.2 | 6344.3 | 1.1\% | - | 291.2 | 503.6 | -42.2\% | -0.4 |
| SHIP/AIRCRAFT | 945.0 | 426.5 | 121.6\% | 0.0 | - | - | 0.0\% |  |
| Total | 99925.8 | 97614.6 | 2.4\% | 1024.8 | 112087.4 | 100199.4 | 11.9\% | -99.4 |

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

| Section (Chapter) | Description | EXPORTS |  |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision |
|  |  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm | Rm |  | Rm |
| I (1-5) | Live animals, animal products. | 918.1 | 928.9 | -1.2\% | -1.0 | 1489.5 | 1347.6 | 10.5\% | -0.7 |
| II (6-14) | Vegetable products. | 7769.4 | 6008.0 | 29.3\% | -0.4 | 1878.8 | 1515.1 | 24.0\% | -1.2 |
| III (15) | Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes. | 152.7 | 155.1 | -1.5\% | -0.0 | 877.0 | 698.2 | 25.6\% | - |
| IV (16-24) | Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes. | 3281.7 | 3070.1 | 6.9\% | -3.2 | 2857.8 | 2373.1 | 20.4\% | -0.4 |
| V (25-27) | Mineral products. | 24097.5 | 26631.9 | -9.5\% | 1094.8 | 17909.6 | 21542.7 | -16.9\% | -91.8 |
| VI (28-38) | Products of the chemicals or allied industries. | 6227.4 | 4962.1 | 25.5\% | -21.8 | 10623.4 | 9575.9 | 10.9\% | 1.5 |
| VII (39-40) | Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof. | 1744.5 | 1836.1 | -5.0\% | -4.2 | 4782.7 | 4109.2 | 16.4\% | 0.3 |
| VIII (41-43) | Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkwormgut). | 209.9 | 260.1 | -19.3\% | -0.0 | 351.2 | 290.0 | 21.1\% | 0.0 |
| IX (44-46) | Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork. | 482.8 | 448.0 | 7.8\% | -0.2 | 296.3 | 258.1 | 14.8\% | 0.0 |
| X (47-49) | Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof. | 1777.6 | 1398.8 | 27.1\% | 0.8 | 3249.4 | 2595.5 | 25.2\% | 0.1 |
| XI (50-63) | Textiles and textile articles. | 636.4 | 738.9 | -13.9\% | -0.1 | 3436.1 | 2953.2 | 16.4\% | -1.7 |
| XII (64-67) | Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair. | 70.9 | 97.9 | -27.6\% | -0.0 | 1449.0 | 1051.3 | 37.8\% | 0.3 |
| XIII (68-70) | Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware. | 389.1 | 387.9 | 0.3\% | -0.0 | 1312.6 | 1101.2 | 19.2\% | -5.2 |
| XIV (71) | Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins. | 16385.3 | 17367.4 | -5.7\% | 1.7 | 712.3 | 670.5 | 6.2\% | - |
| XV (72-83) | Base metals and articles of base metal. | 10364.9 | 11751.2 | -11.8\% | -6.9 | 5605.2 | 4917.5 | 14.0\% | -3.1 |
| XVI (84-85) | Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles. | 7642.8 | 6870.3 | 11.2\% | -24.3 | 26512.5 | 21728.2 | 22.0\% | 0.5 |
| XVII (86-89) | Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment. | 16538.7 | 13541.2 | 22.1\% | -9.6 | 12240.5 | 9142.5 | 33.9\% | -2.9 |
| XVIII (90-92) | Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof. | 577.1 | 514.9 | 12.1\% | -0.3 | 2986.8 | 2664.9 | 12.1\% | 2.4 |
| XX (94-96) | Miscellaneous manufactured articles. | 346.5 | 346.2 | 0.1\% | -0.4 | 1830.6 | 1699.2 | 7.7\% | 1.5 |
| XXI (97) | Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques. | 85.8 | 69.1 | 24.1\% | -0.0 | 55.6 | 16.5 | 236.4\% | - |
| XXII (99) | Other unclassified goods. | 226.4 | 230.2 | -1.6\% | -0.0 | 82.7 | 66.0 | 25.3\% | 1.1 |
| XXIII (98) | Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components | 0.1 | 0.2 | -58.1\% | -0.0 | 11547.8 | 9882.9 | 16.8\% | -0.0 |
| Total |  | 99925.8 | 97614.6 | 2.4\% | 1024.8 | 112087.4 | 100199.4 | 11.9\% | -99.4 |

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| METHODOLOGY |
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WORLD REGIONS AND SHIPS \& AIRCRAFT STORES

| PERIOD: | January to July 2019 / January to July 2018 |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | EXPORTS |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |
| World Zone | $\begin{gathered} \text { January to July } \\ 2019 \end{gathered}$ | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | January to July 2019 | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease |
|  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm |  |
| AFRICA | 112188.8 | 107153.6 | 4.7\% | 61515.7 | 60972.7 | 0.9\% |
| AMERICA | 61478.7 | 58909.0 | 4.4\% | 72473.8 | 63817.8 | 13.6\% |
| ASIA | 234578.4 | 215893.9 | 8.7\% | 330198.6 | 309004.8 | 6.9\% |
| EUROPE | 191390.4 | 165352.6 | 15.7\% | 230651.5 | 211290.9 | 9.2\% |
| OCEANIA | 7674.6 | 6881.3 | 11.5\% | 10226.2 | 11157.8 | -8.3\% |
| OTHER UNCLASSIFIED | 36897.6 | 46656.2 | -20.9\% | 2663.3 | 1961.7 | 35.8\% |
| SHIP/AIRCRAFT | 2924.7 | 3359.5 | -12.9\% | - | - | 0.0\% |
| Total | 647133.3 | 604206.2 | 7.1\% | 707729.1 | 658205.7 | 7.5\% |

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

| Section (chapter) | Description | EXPORTS |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |
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|  |  | January to July 2019 | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | January to July 2019 | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease |
|  |  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm |  |
| I (1-5) | Live animals, animal products. | 6557.7 | 6551.0 | 0.1\% | 9260.5 | 9180.9 | 0.9\% |
| II (6-14) | Vegetable products. | 34769.9 | 35905.1 | -3.2\% | 12794.3 | 13761.1 | -7.0\% |
| III (15) | Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes. | 1050.7 | 1164.4 | -9.8\% | 5173.1 | 4680.3 | 10.5\% |
| IV (16-24) | Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes. | 21440.1 | 20521.9 | 4.5\% | 18200.5 | 17026.4 | 6.9\% |
| V (25-27) | Mineral products. | 175048.1 | 148965.9 | 17.5\% | 129260.0 | 129438.9 | -0.1\% |
| VI (28-38) | Products of the chemicals or allied industries. | 38905.0 | 36398.4 | 6.9\% | 70766.8 | 69151.1 | 2.3\% |
| VII (39-40) | Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof. | 12737.3 | 10913.8 | 16.7\% | 30484.6 | 30518.7 | -0.1\% |
| VIII (41-43) | Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkwormgut). | 1711.9 | 2115.6 | -19.1\% | 2021.8 | 1991.8 | 1.5\% |
| IX (44-46) | Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork. | 3545.9 | 3092.2 | 14.7\% | 2296.4 | 2174.1 | 5.6\% |
| X (47-49) | Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof. | 6780.2 | 10013.1 | -32.3\% | 18210.3 | 15723.9 | 15.8\% |
| XI (50-63) | Textiles and textile articles. | 5394.4 | 6204.3 | -13.1\% | 23802.7 | 21225.3 | 12.1\% |
| XII (64-67) | Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair. | 603.3 | 541.4 | 11.4\% | 8069.2 | 7281.4 | 10.8\% |
| XIII (68-70) | Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware. | 2635.5 | 2459.5 | 7.2\% | 8545.9 | 8074.0 | 5.8\% |
| XIV (71) | Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins. | 109442.0 | 116735.2 | -6.2\% | 5882.7 | 6555.6 | -10.3\% |
| XV (72-83) | Base metals and articles of base metal. | 79518.1 | 79665.0 | -0.2\% | 36550.9 | 32746.8 | 11.6\% |
| XVI (84-85) | Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles. | 46563.0 | 44490.0 | 4.7\% | 160992.9 | 144899.9 | 11.1\% |
| XVII (86-89) | Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment. | 91878.2 | 68202.4 | 34.7\% | 66772.0 | 58732.6 | 13.7\% |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { XVIII (90- } \\ & 92) \end{aligned}$ | Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof. | 3733.8 | 3318.1 | 12.5\% | 18899.8 | 17390.0 | 8.7\% |
| XX (94-96) | Miscellaneous manufactured articles. | 2590.0 | 2668.0 | -2.9\% | 11412.8 | 10527.7 | 8.4\% |
| XXI (97) | Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques. | 628.9 | 601.9 | 4.5\% | 325.9 | 519.2 | -37.2\% |
| XXII (99) | Other unclassified goods. | 1593.5 | 3674.3 | -56.6\% | 592.9 | 663.5 | -10.6\% |
| XXIII (98) | Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components | 5.6 | 4.6 | 21.0\% | 67413.0 | 55942.4 | 20.5\% |
| Total |  | 647133.3 | 604206.2 | 7.1\% | 707729.1 | 658205.7 | 7.5\% |

## Preliminary BELN Monthly Statement

| METHODOLOGY |
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| COMPARING THE MONTH-ON-MONTH FIGURES. |
| ADJUSTMENTS ARE MAINLY AS A RESULTOF AUDITS AND VOUCHERS OF CORRECTION IN RESPECT OF THE PREVIOUS MONTHS |$\quad$| Monthly export and import figures are unaudited figures obtained from declarations made by exporters and importers of |
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| goods. The figures cover all goods exported and imported during the reporting month to and from South Africa. Cursory checks |
| of the figures are made prior to the publication thereof, to try and eliminate as many capturing errors as possible. |


| PERIOD: <br> World Zone | July 2019 / June 2019 Revision |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | EXPORTS |  |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |  |
|  | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage <br> Increase/ Decrease | Revision | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision |
|  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm | Rm |  | Rm |
| AFRICA | 13014.7 | 11581.2 | 12.4\% | -2.9 | 3733.9 | 3456.0 | 8.0\% | 0.4 |
| Total | 13014.7 | 11581.2 | 12.4\% | -2.9 | 3733.9 | 3456.0 | 8.0\% | 0.4 |

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

| Section <br> (Chapter) | Description | EXPORTS |  |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage <br> Increase/ <br> Decrease | Revision | July 2019 | June 2019 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | Revision |
|  |  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm | Rm |  | Rm |
| I (1-5) | Live animals, animal products. | 324.4 | 252.7 | 28.4\% | -0.0 | 343.4 | 377.7 | -9.1\% | 0.7 |
| II (6-14) | Vegetable products. | 680.1 | 595.2 | 14.3\% | 0.0 | 72.7 | 80.5 | -9.7\% | -0.0 |
| III (15) | Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes. | 125.9 | 118.6 | 6.2\% | -0.4 | 4.1 | 4.3 | -3.8\% |  |
| IV (16-24) | Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes. | 1435.3 | 1275.1 | 12.6\% | -1.2 | 586.9 | 580.4 | 1.1\% | -0.0 |
| V (25-27) | Mineral products. | 2804.2 | 2493.1 | 12.5\% | -1.9 | 49.7 | 50.2 | -0.9\% | - |
| VI (28-38) | Products of the chemicals or allied industries. | 1100.9 | 999.9 | 10.1\% | 0.3 | 680.6 | 429.5 | 58.5\% | -0.0 |
| VII (39-40) | Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof. | 536.9 | 492.2 | 9.1\% | -0.0 | 58.0 | 55.8 | 3.8\% | 0.1 |
| VIII (41-43) | Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkwormgut). | 46.4 | 38.3 | 21.1\% | 0.0 | 8.5 | 9.0 | -5.8\% |  |
| IX (44-46) | Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork. | 166.8 | 161.7 | 3.1\% | 0.0 | 160.0 | 146.7 | 9.0\% | -0.0 |
| X (47-49) | Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof. | 249.8 | 304.5 | -18.0\% | -0.0 | 13.5 | 13.1 | 3.0\% | 0.1 |
| XI (50-63) | Textiles and textile articles. | 580.9 | 474.1 | 22.5\% | 0.0 | 613.3 | 464.2 | 32.1\% |  |
| XII (64-67) | Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair. | 154.9 | 107.3 | 44.4\% | - | 15.1 | 7.8 | 94.6\% |  |
| XIII (68-70) | Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware. | 153.9 | 154.2 | -0.2\% | -0.0 | 8.5 | 8.8 | -3.5\% | - |
| XIV (71) | Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins. | 406.8 | 323.4 | 25.8\% | - | 471.2 | 489.0 | -3.6\% | - |
| XV (72-83) | Base metals and articles of base metal. | 804.8 | 710.5 | 13.3\% | 0.0 | 137.0 | 137.6 | -0.4\% | -0.2 |
| XVI (84-85) | Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles. | 1742.6 | 1620.1 | 7.6\% | -0.2 | 438.8 | 397.7 | 10.3\% | -0.3 |
| XVII (86-89) | Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment. | 1200.4 | 1010.7 | 18.8\% | 0.4 | 45.3 | 184.7 | -75.5\% | 0.0 |
| XVIII (90-92) | Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof. | 161.3 | 144.2 | 11.9\% | -0.0 | 12.7 | 5.5 | 130.3\% | - |
| XX (94-96) | Miscellaneous manufactured articles. | 332.0 | 300.9 | 10.3\% | - | 12.5 | 10.8 | 15.5\% | - |
| XXI (97) | Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques. | 0.3 | 0.5 | -37.8\% | - | 0.0 | 0.0 | -30.2\% | - |
| XXII (99) | Other unclassified goods. | 6.1 | 3.2 | 87.6\% | - | 2.0 | 2.5 | -22.9\% | -0.0 |
| XXIII (98) | Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components | 0.1 | 0.6 | -90.8\% | - | - | - | 0.0\% | - |
| Total |  | 13014.7 | 11581.2 | 12.4\% | -2.9 | 3733.9 | 3456.0 | 8.0\% | 0.4 |


| METHODOLOGY |
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| CUMULATIVE FIGURES COMPARING THE MONTH WITH THE |
| CORRESPONDING MONTH OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR |$\quad$| Export and import figures are unaudited figures obtained from declarations made by exporters and |
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|  |  | EXPORTS |  |  | IMPORTS |  |
| World Zone | January to July 2019 | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | January to July 2019 | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease |
|  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm |  |
| AFRICA | 81571.6 | 72863.5 | 12.0\% | 25321.7 | 22677.8 | 11.7\% |
| Total | 81571.6 | 72863.5 | 12.0\% | 25321.7 | 22677.8 | 11.7\% |

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

| Section (chapter) | Description | EXPORTS |  |  | IMPORTS |  |  |
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|  |  | January to July 2019 | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease | January to July 2019 | January to July 2018 | Percentage Increase/ Decrease |
|  |  | Rm | Rm |  | Rm | Rm |  |
| 1 (1-5) | Live animals, animal products. | 1955.7 | 2050.7 | -4.6\% | 2521.0 | 2854.2 | -11.7\% |
| II (6-14) | Vegetable products. | 4515.8 | 3662.0 | 23.3\% | 374.8 | 250.4 | 49.7\% |
| III (15) | Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes. | 789.5 | 774.1 | 2.0\% | 19.7 | 11.5 | 71.7\% |
| IV (16-24) | Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes. | 9276.0 | 7949.2 | 16.7\% | 3800.4 | 2988.9 | 27.1\% |
| V (25-27) | Mineral products. | 15734.6 | 11460.5 | 37.3\% | 419.0 | 445.9 | -6.0\% |
| VI (28-38) | Products of the chemicals or allied industries. | 7175.3 | 6659.2 | 7.8\% | 4376.0 | 3644.1 | 20.1\% |
| VII (39-40) | Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof. | 3534.4 | 3087.3 | 14.5\% | 396.2 | 272.2 | 45.6\% |
| VIII (41-43) | Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkwormgut). | 288.8 | 286.2 | 0.9\% | 57.0 | 99.8 | -42.8\% |
| IX (44-46) | Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork. | 1103.4 | 1043.4 | 5.8\% | 973.9 | 846.3 | 15.1\% |
| X (47-49) | Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof. | 1797.6 | 1699.2 | 5.8\% | 108.1 | 122.1 | -11.4\% |
| XI (50-63) | Textiles and textile articles. | 3807.1 | 3615.5 | 5.3\% | 3530.0 | 3286.7 | 7.4\% |
| XII (64-67) | Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair. | 988.3 | 995.0 | -0.7\% | 78.3 | 81.3 | -3.7\% |
| XIII (68-70) | Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware. | 1049.3 | 1003.5 | 4.6\% | 69.4 | 63.4 | 9.5\% |
| XIV (71) | Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semiprecious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins. | 2159.4 | 2158.3 | 0.1\% | 3857.8 | 3949.0 | -2.3\% |
| XV (72-83) | Base metals and articles of base metal. | 5131.1 | 5191.0 | -1.2\% | 1064.0 | 867.8 | 22.6\% |
| XVI (84-85) | Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles. | 11308.6 | 10869.1 | 4.0\% | 2636.0 | 2111.3 | 24.9\% |
| XVII (86-89) | Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment. | 7855.7 | 7395.4 | 6.2\% | 885.2 | 634.2 | 39.6\% |
| XVIII (90-92) | Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof. | 1010.0 | 1014.3 | -0.4\% | 56.9 | 37.4 | 52.4\% |
| XX (94-96) | Miscellaneous manufactured articles. | 2002.1 | 1904.3 | 5.1\% | 80.8 | 86.8 | -6.9\% |
| XXI (97) | Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques. | 3.4 | 2.5 | 33.7\% | 0.4 | 0.2 | 169.5\% |
| XXII (99) | Other unclassified goods. | 84.8 | 42.8 | 98.1\% | 16.7 | 24.7 | -32.4\% |
| XXIII (98) | Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components | 0.7 | 0.1 | 1228.7\% | - | - | 0.0\% |
| Total |  | 81571.6 | 72863.5 | 12.0\% | 25321.7 | 22677.8 | 11.7\% |

