SA Preliminary Trade Statistics for January 2022 (Including BELN)

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January 2022 (Preliminary)	R 130 124 356 712	R 126 570 696 742	R 3 553 659 970
December 2021 (Revised)	R 155 160 597 018	R 126 138 705 055	R 29 021 891 963
R Increase/Decrease	R -25 036 240 306	R 431 991 687	
% Growth	-16.1%	0.3%	

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January to January 2022 (Preliminary)	R 130 124 356 712	R 126 570 696 742	R 3 553 659 970
January to January 2021 (Revised)	R 110 644 397 609	R 97 663 616 528	R 12 980 781 081
R Increase/Decrease	R 19 479 959 103	R 28 907 080 214	
% Growth	17.6%	29.6%	

COMMENTS

Month on month increase/decrease

EXPORTS

<u></u>		
Vegetable products increased by	R 1 978 million	(34%)
Mineral products decreased by	R 4 324 million	(-11%)
Precious metals & stones decreased by	R 11 129 million	(-26%)
Machinery & electronics decreased by	R 2 002 million	(-19%)
Vehicles & transport equipments decreased by	R 3 585 million	(-27%)
<u>IMPORTS</u>		
Mineral products decreased by	R 5 867 million	(-23%)
Wood pulp & paper increased by	R 1 590 million	(46%)
Base metals decreased by	R 1 229 million	(-15%)
Vehicles & transport equipments increased by	R 1 392 million	(14%)
Original equipment components increased by	R 2 353 million	(34%)
	Vegetable products increased by Mineral products decreased by Precious metals & stones decreased by Machinery & electronics decreased by Vehicles & transport equipments decreased by IMPORTS Mineral products decreased by Wood pulp & paper increased by Base metals decreased by Vehicles & transport equipments increased by	Mineral products decreased by R 4 324 million Precious metals & stones decreased by R 11 129 million Machinery & electronics decreased by R 2 002 million Vehicles & transport equipments decreased by R 3 585 million IMPORTS Mineral products decreased by R 5 867 million Wood pulp & paper increased by R 1 590 million Base metals decreased by R 1 229 million Vehicles & transport equipments increased by R 1 392 million

Preliminary International Trade (Excluding BELN)

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January 2022 (Preliminary)	R 117 980 583 454	R 121 701 066 390	R -3 720 482 936
December 2021 (Revised)	R 141 052 816 227	R 122 269 354 599	R 18 783 461 628
R Increase/Decrease	R -23 072 232 773	R -568 288 209	
% Growth	-16.4%	-0.5%	

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January to January 2022 (Preliminary)	R 117 980 583 454	R 121 701 066 390	R -3 720 482 936
January to January 2021 (Revised)	R 100 581 771 126	R 94 049 319 153	R 6 532 451 973
R Increase/Decrease	R 17 398 812 328	R 27 651 747 237	
% Growth	17.3%	29.4%	

BELN

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January 2022 (Preliminary)	R 12 143 773 258	R 4 869 630 352	R 7 274 142 906
December 2021 (Revised)	R 14 107 780 791	R 3 869 350 456	R 10 238 430 335
R Increase/Decrease	R -1 964 007 533	R 1 000 279 896	
% Growth	-13.9%	25.9%	

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January to January 2022 (Preliminary)	R 12 143 773 258	R 4 869 630 352	R 7 274 142 906
January to January 2021 (Revised)	R 10 062 626 483	R 3 614 297 375	R 6 448 329 108
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R Increase/Decrease	R 2 081 146 775	R 1 255 332 977	
% Growth	20.7%	34.7%	

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World Zone		EXPOR	TS			IMPOR	TS				
	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision			
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm			
AFRICA	36 571.7	31 005.0	-15.2%	-183.9	13 449.9	12 380.7	-7.9%	-0.1			
AMERICA	19 066.1	11 667.6	-38.8%	-657.3	12 589.0	14 014.0	11.3%	-7.8			
ASIA	49 070.7	43 115.7	-12.1%	-231.8	69 398.6	64 732.3	-6.7%	-1.9			
EUROPE	38 452.5	35 158.3	-8.6%	-58.8	28 775.5	32 381.1	12.5%	-5.7			
OCEANIA	1 284.3	942.8	-26.6%	-1.6	1 398.0	1 751.3	25.3%	-2.1			
OTHER UNCLASSIFIED	10 057.7	7 790.4	-22.5%	-3.3	527.7	1 311.3	148.5%	-			
SHIP/AIRCRAFT	657.6	444.6	-32.4%	-	-	-	0.0%	-			
Total	155 160.6	130 124.4	-16.1%	-1 136.7	126 138.7	126 570.7	0.3%	-17.6			

			EXPOR	TS			IMPORTS		
Section (Chapter)	Description	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision
		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm
I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	1 729.0	1 378.4	-20.3%	2.1	1 776.5	1 849.8		-1.
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	5 779.2	7 757.6	34.2%	-578.7	1 643.2	2 009.0	-	-0.
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	608.8	473.4	-22.2%	-0.0	1 399.7	2 362.1	68.8%	
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	4 976.3	4 189.9	-15.8%	-3.7	3 463.3	3 449.5	-0.4%	-1.4
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	37 816.2	33 492.6	-11.4%	-62.2	25 864.8	19 998.3	-22.7%	-1.7
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	10 393.8	9 070.3	-12.7%	-15.2	14 585.6	14 740.5	1.1%	2.0
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	2 461.9	2 216.6	-10.0%	0.5	5 772.2	5 601.9	-2.9%	-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).	331.5	290.2	-12.5%	0.0	366.5	299.0	-18.4%	-0.9
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.	796.9	646.2	-18.9%	-1.2	584.6	632.8	8.2%	-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.	2 669.8	1 864.4	-30.2%	-207.0	3 441.7	5 031.6	46.2%	-5.2
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	2 065.7	1 129.0	-45.3%	-0.0	4 515.2	4 847.7	7.4%	-0.
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.	312.4	177.0	-43.3%	-0.0	1 401.1	1 335.1	-4.7%	0.:
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	593.2	431.0	-27.3%	-0.3	1 251.9	1 411.3	12.7%	0.:
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi- precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	42 381.3	31 251.9	-26.3%	-	1 824.2	2 473.3	35.6%	-0.0
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	16 284.2	16 200.0	-0.5%	-201.6	7 984.2	6 755.2	-15.4%	-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.	10 541.2	8 539.0	-19.0%	-53.5	28 218.2	28 721.5	1.8%	51.9
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	13 314.8	9 730.3	-26.9%	-15.1	9 806.3	11 198.1	14.2%	-7.3
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	837.7	630.1	-24.8%	-1.2	3 118.7	2 716.6	-12.9%	1.0
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	727.8	475.4	-34.7%	0.4	2 023.9	1 639.6	-19.0%	-0.3
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	56.5	42.0	-25.5%	-0.0	26.6	94.7	255.4%	
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	481.3	138.8	-71.2%	-0.0	102.8	82.7	-19.5%	
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components.	1.1	0.1	-93.3%	-	6 967.5	9 320.4		-52.
Total		155 160.6	130 124.4	-16.1%	-1 136.7	126 138.7	126 570.7	0.3%	-17.0

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WORLD REGIONS AND SHIPS & AIRCRAFT STORES

PERIOD:	January to January 2021 / January to January 2022							
		EXPORTS		IMPORTS				
World Zone	January to January to Inc January 2021 January 2022 De		Percentage Increase/ Decrease	January to January 2021	January to January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease		
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm			
AFRICA	23 129.6	31 005.0	34.0%	8 307.4	12 380.7	49.0%		
AMERICA	12 123.7	11 667.6	-3.8%	10 394.1	14 014.0	34.8%		
ASIA	39 181.1	43 115.7	10.0%	47 528.3	64 732.3	36.2%		
EUROPE	29 108.8	35 158.3	20.8%	30 162.3	32 381.1	7.4%		
OCEANIA	594.3	942.8	58.6%	1 113.0	1 751.3	57.4%		
OTHER UNCLASSIFIED	6 032.9	7 790.4	29.1%	158.5	1 311.3	727.1%		
SHIP/AIRCRAFT	473.9	444.6	-6.2%	-	-	0.0%		
Total	110 644.4	130 124.4	17.6%	97 663.6	126 570.7	29.6%		

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

			EXPORTS			IMPORTS	1
Section(chapter)	Description	January to January 2021	January to January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	January to January 2021	January to January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease
		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	
I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	1 240.6	1 378.4	11.1%	1 208.5	1 849.8	53.1%
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	5 750.6	7 757.6	34.9%	2 047.2	2 009.0	
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their	355.3	473.4	33.3%	683.0	2 362.1	245.8%
	cleavage products; prepared edible fats;						
	animal or vegetable waxes.						
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	3 567.0	4 189.9	17.5%	3 351.1	3 449.5	2.9%
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	31 777.6	33 492.6	5.4%	13 442.4	19 998.3	48.8%
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	7 296.4	9 070.3	24.3%	11 952.4	14 740.5	23.3%
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	1 623.2	2 216.6	36.6%	4 424.8	5 601.9	26.6%
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).	237.0	290.2	22.4%	278.8	299.0	7.2%
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.	501.2	646.2	28.9%	549.4	632.8	15.2%
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.	1 567.1	1 864.4	19.0%	2 792.4	5 031.6	80.2%
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	1 023.2	1 129.0	10.3%	3 830.0	4 847.7	26.6%
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.	171.2	177.0	3.4%	1 159.0	1 335.1	15.2%
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	444.3	431.0	-3.0%	1 291.8	1 411.3	9.3%
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi- precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	28 038.4	31 251.9	11.5%	1 377.9	2 473.3	79.5%
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	9 981.1	16 200.0	62.3%	5 801.5	6 755.2	16.4%
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.	7 623.8	8 539.0	12.0%	22 470.8	28 721.5	27.8%
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	8 202.1	9 730.3	18.6%	7 880.8	11 198.1	42.1%
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	633.9	630.1	-0.6%	2 483.5	2 716.6	9.4%
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	432.6	475.4	9.9%	1 516.4	1 639.6	
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	47.6	42.0	-11.6%	203.4	94.7	-53.5%
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	117.1	138.8	18.5%	99.5	82.7	-16.9%
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components.	13.2	0.1	-99.5%	8 818.9	9 320.4	5.7%
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AFRICA	22 463.9	18 861.2	-16.0%	-160.8	9 580.5	7 511.0	-21.6%	0.2		
AMERICA	19 066.1	11 667.6	-38.8%	-657.3	12 589.0	14 014.0	11.3%	-7.8		
ASIA	49 070.7	43 115.7	-12.1%	-231.8	69 398.6	64 732.3	-6.7%	-1.9		
EUROPE	38 452.5	35 158.3	-8.6%	-58.8	28 775.5	32 381.1	12.5%	-5.7		
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		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm
(1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	1 355.8	1 069.5	-21.1%	2.1	1 441.0	1 479.9	2.7%	-1.
I (6-14)	Vegetable products.	4 870.9	6 833.9	40.3%	-578.7	1 584.9	1 969.1	24.2%	-0.
II (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	384.5	317.4		-	1 395.3	2 360.6	69.2%	
V (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	3 244.3	2 756.9	-15.0%	-3.6	2 917.1	2 842.9	-2.5%	-1.
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	35 440.4	31 410.9	-11.4%	-55.0	25 779.3	19 864.4	-22.9%	-1.
/1 (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	9 165.2	7 859.7	-14.2%	-13.8	13 886.6	13 910.6	0.2%	2.
/II (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	1 807.6	1 668.7	-7.7%	1.5		5 557.3	-3.1%	-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 silkworm- gut).	280.4	246.6	-12.1%	0.0	360.3	291.7	-19.0%	-0.9
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.	620.3	490.8	-20.9%	-1.2	439.9	451.7	2.7%	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.	2 362.8	1 586.5	-32.9%	-206.1	3 414.1	5 005.8	46.6%	-5.:
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	1 314.3	545.1	-58.5%	0.0	4 016.1	4 278.4	6.5%	-0.:
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.	118.2	46.1	-61.0%	-0.0	1 395.8	1 326.8	-4.9%	0.:
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	430.7	284.7	-33.9%	-0.3	1 239.7	1 401.4	13.0%	0.:
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi- precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	41 406.4	30 869.8	-25.4%	-	760.7	1 171.1	53.9%	-0.0
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	15 448.1	15 441.6	0.0%	-201.2	7 923.1	6 679.2	-15.7%	-1.8
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.	8 844.4	6 893.0	-22.1%	-45.9	28 002.3	28 426.8	1.5%	51.9
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	12 361.4	8 770.4	-29.0%	-11.8	9 765.6	10 857.6	11.2%	-7.3
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	661.5	474.1	-28.3%	-0.0	3 106.1	2 709.5	-12.8%	1.0
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	404.0	240.4	-40.5%	0.4	2 014.1	1 621.2	-19.5%	-0.3
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	56.1	41.6	-25.9%	-0.0	26.4	94.6	258.6%	
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	474.5	132.8	-72.0%	-	98.8	80.0	-19.1%	
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components.	1.1	0.0	-95.3%	-	6 967.5	9 320.4	33.8%	-52.3
Total		141 052.8	117 980.6	-16.4%	-1 113.5	122 269.4	121 701.1	-0.5%	-17.3

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AFRICA	13 067.0	18 861.2	44.3%	4 693.1	7 511.0	60.0%			
AMERICA	12 123.7	11 667.6	-3.8%	10 394.1	14 014.0	34.8%			
ASIA	39 181.1	43 115.7	10.0%	47 528.3	64 732.3	36.2%			
EUROPE	29 108.8	35 158.3	20.8%	30 162.3	32 381.1	7.4%			
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		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm		
I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	964.5	1 069.5	10.9%	956.8	1 479.9	54.7%	
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	5 073.1	6 833.9	34.7%	2 001.9	1 969.1	-1.6%	
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	226.1	317.4	40.4%	681.9	2 360.6	246.2%	
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	2 331.8	2 756.9	18.2%	2 942.1	2 842.9	-3.4%	
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	30 303.3	31 410.9	3.7%	13 387.8	19 864.4	48.4%	
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	6 264.2	7 859.7	25.5%	11 375.9	13 910.6	22.3%	
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	1 203.6	1 668.7	38.6%	4 381.8	5 557.3	26.8%	
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).	191.6	246.6	28.7%	272.9	291.7	6.9%	
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.	368.3	490.8	33.3%	396.8	451.7	13.8%	
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.	1 359.2	1 586.5	16.7%	2 771.7	5 005.8	80.6%	
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	565.9	545.1	-3.7%	3 329.6	4 278.4	28.5%	
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.	63.3	46.1	-27.2%	1 154.8	1 326.8	14.9%	
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	320.9	284.7	-11.3%	1 283.6	1 401.4	9.2%	
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi- precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	27 566.1	30 869.8	12.0%	509.3	1 171.1	130.0%	
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	9 348.3	15 441.6	65.2%	5 751.8	6 679.2	16.1%	
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.	6 271.4	6 893.0	9.9%	22 125.9	28 426.8	28.5%	
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	7 289.0	8 770.4	20.3%	7 621.9	10 857.6	42.5%	
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	485.7	474.1	-2.4%	2 474.8	2 709.5	9.5%	
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	224.3	240.4	7.2%	1 510.0	1 621.2	7.4%	
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	47.3	41.6	-12.2%	203.4	94.6	-53.5%	
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	113.8	132.8	16.7%	95.8	80.0	-16.5%	
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components.	0.1	0.0	-46.3%	8 818.9	9 320.4	5.7%	
Total		100 581.8	117 980.6	17.3%	94 049.3	121 701.1	29.4%	

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COMPARING THE MONTH-ON-MONTH FIGURES.

ADJUSTMENTS ARE MAINLY AS A RESULT OF AUDITS AND VOUCHERS OF CORRECTION IN RESPECT OF THE PREVIOUS MONTHS

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PERIOD:	December 2021 Revision / January 2022									
World Zone	EXPORTS					IMPORTS				
	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage	Revision	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage	Revision		
			Increase/				Increase/			
			Decrease				Decrease			
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm		
AFRICA	14 107.8	12 143.8	-13.9%	-23.1	3 869.4	4 869.6	25.9%	-0.3		
Total	14 107.8	12 143.8	-13.9%	-23.1	3 869.4	4 869.6	25.9%	-0.3		

			EXPOR	TS			IMPOR	TS	
Section (Chapter)	Description	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision	December 2021	January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision
		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm
l (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	373.2	308.9	-17.2%	-	335.5	369.9	10.2%	
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	908.3	923.7	1.7%	-0.0	58.3	40.0	-31.5%	0.
	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	224.3	156.0	-30.4%	-0.0	4.4	1.5	-65.8%	
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	1 732.0	1 433.0	-17.3%	-0.1	546.2	606.5	11.0%	-0.
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	2 375.7	2 081.8	-12.4%	-7.2	85.6	133.9	56.4%	-0.
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	1 228.6	1 210.6	-1.5%	-1.4	698.9	829.9	18.7%	
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	654.4	548.0	-16.3%	-1.0	37.4	44.6	19.4%	-0.
	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).	51.1	43.6	-14.7%	-	6.2	7.2	16.1%	
	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.	176.5	155.4	-11.9%	-0.0	144.7	181.1	25.1%	-0.0
	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof.	307.1	277.9	-9.5%	-0.9	27.6	25.8	-6.6%	0.
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	751.4	583.8	-22.3%	-0.0	499.1	569.3	14.1%	-0.
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.	194.2	131.0	-32.6%	-0.0	5.3	8.4	58.6%	
	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	162.4	146.3	-9.9%	-	12.3	9.9	-19.6%	
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi- precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	974.8	382.1	-60.8%	-	1 063.5	1 302.2	22.4%	
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	836.1	758.4	-9.3%	-0.4	61.1	76.0	24.4%	0.
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.	1 696.9	1 646.0	-3.0%	-7.7	215.9	294.8	36.5%	-0.
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	953.4	959.9	0.7%	-3.3	40.7	340.4	736.9%	0.
	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	176.2	156.0	-11.4%	-1.2	12.7	7.1	-43.9%	
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	323.9	235.0	-27.5%	0.1	9.8	18.4	87.0%	
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	0.4	0.5	19.9%	-	0.3	0.1	-63.0%	
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	6.8	6.0	-12.6%	-0.0	3.9	2.7	-30.9%	
	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components.	-		Infinity	-	-	-	0.0%	
Total		14 107.8	12 143.8	-13.9%	-23.1	3 869.4	4 869.6	25.9%	-0.

Preliminary BELN Cumulative Statement

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CUMULATIVE FIGURES COMPARING THE MONTH WITH THE

CORRESPONDING MONTH OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR

Export and import figures are unaudited figures obtained from declarations made by exporters and 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 January 2021 / January to January 2022									
	EXPORTS			IMPORTS						
World Zone	January to January 2021	January to January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	January to January 2021	January to January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease				
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm					
AFRICA	10 062.6	12 143.8	20.7%	3 614.3	4 869.6	34.7%				
Total	10 062.6	12 143.8	20.7%	3 614.3	4 869.6	34.7%				

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

			EXPORTS			IMPORTS	
Section(chapter)	Description	January to January 2021	January to January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	January to January 2021	January to January 2022	Percentage Increase/ Decrease
		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	
l (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	276.2	308.9	11.8%	251.8	369.9	46.9%
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	677.5	923.7	36.3%	45.3	40.0	-11.7%
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their	129.1	156.0	20.8%	1.1	1.5	37.7%
	cleavage products; prepared edible fats;						
	animal or vegetable waxes.						
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	1 235.2	1 433.0	16.0%	409.0	606.5	48.3%
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	1 474.3	2 081.8	41.2%	54.6	133.9	145.0%
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	1 032.3	1 210.6	17.3%	576.5	829.9	43.9%
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	419.5	548.0	30.6%	43.1	44.6	3.6%
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).	45.4	43.6	-4.0%	5.9	7.2	23.7%
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.	132.9	155.4	17.0%	152.6	181.1	18.7%
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.	207.9	277.9	33.7%	20.7	25.8	24.8%
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	457.3	583.8	27.7%	500.4	569.3	13.8%
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.	107.9	131.0	21.4%	4.2	8.4	99.0%
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	123.4	146.3	18.6%	8.2	9.9	21.1%
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi- precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	472.3	382.1	-19.1%	868.6	1 302.2	49.9%
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	632.8	758.4	19.8%	49.7	76.0	53.0%
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.	1 352.5	1 646.0	21.7%	344.9	294.8	
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	913.1	959.9	5.1%	259.0	340.4	31.5%
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	148.2	156.0	5.3%	8.7	7.1	-18.3%
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	208.3	235.0	12.8%	6.4	18.4	186.9%
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	0.2	0.5	128.9%	0.0	0.1	477.4%
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	3.3	6.0	78.9%	3.8	2.7	-27.7%
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components.	13.1	0.0	-99.8%	-	-	0.0%
Total		10 062.6	12 143.8	20.7%	3 614.3	4 869.6	34.7%