

Key indicators

Trade	6 mths '03 output		July '03 est.		7 mths'03 est.		7 mth change	
	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	amt. %	value %
TOTAL EXPORTS		9,770		1,630		11,400		27.9
Domestic enterprises		4,843		807		5,650		18.6
Foreign invested enterprises		4,927		823		5,750		38.7
<i>Crude oil</i>		1,920		284		2,204		29.3
<i>non-oil exports</i>		3,007		539		3,546		45.3
<i>Main commodities exported</i>								
Crude oil	8,583.0	1,920.0	1,350.0	284.0	9,933.0	2,204.0	2.5	29.3
Textiles & garments		1,848.0		300.0		2,148.0		59.9
Seafood products		958.0		190.0		1,148.0		9.0
Footwear		1,140.0		200.0		1,340.0		23.5
Electronics, PCs & components		312.0		57.0		369.0		36.2
Rice	2,320.0	437.0	320.0	59.0	2,640.0	496.0	38.1	19.2
Coffee	347.0	242.0	40.0	26.0	387.0	268.0	-11.4	59.5
Latex	168.0	134.0	25.0	22.0	193.0	156.0	-13.4	34.0
Black pepper	45.5	61.8	7.2	10.0	52.7	71.8	-3.2	-0.7
Cashew	33.3	110.1	6.7	22.0	40.0	132.1	56.3	28.7
Coal	3,428.0	87.0	500.0	16.0	3,928.0	103.0	13.0	15.4
Tea	23.0	22.9	5.0	5.7	28.0	28.6	-10.1	-5.1
Peanut	52.9	29.5	20.0	12.1	72.9	41.6	-7.9	11.6
TOTAL IMPORTS		12,140		1,950		14,090		34.4
Domestic Enterprises		7,907		1,240		9,147		31.8
Foreign Invested Enterprises		4,233		710		4,943		39.6
<i>Main commodities imported</i>								
Automobiles		341.0		65.0		406.0		29.2
Machinery & spare parts		2,386.0		400.0		2,786.0		36.8
Steel & steel billets	2,538.0	911.0	250.0	96.0	2,788.0	1,007.0	7.5	57.3
Steel billet	957.0	260.0	70.0	19.0	1,027.0	279.0	-3.6	36.4
Fertiliser	1,916.0	277.0	200.0	33.0	2,116.0	310.0	5.0	24.5
Urea	941.0	141.0	100.0	15.0	1,041.0	156.0	7.5	38.5
Petroleum	5,106.0	1,260.0	850.0	188.0	5,956.0	1,448.0	2.1	30.0
Chemicals		244.0		42.0		286.0		27.9
Pharmaceuticals		173.0		28.0		201.0		21.1
Plastics	464.0	363.0	90.0	62.0	554.0	425.0	9.6	27.7
Cotton	44.0	50.0	9.0	10.0	53.0	60.0	-14.6	-3.0
Yarn	107.0	150.0	18.0	26.0	125.0	176.0	-18.4	-1.8
Textiles, garments materials & parts		1,054.0		150.0		1,204.0		25.5
Motorbike kits		145.0		18.0		163.0		6.6
Electronics, PCs & components		419.0		80.0		499.0		37.7
TRADE BALANCE (US\$mIn.)		-2,370				-2,690		
		(%)				-23.60%		

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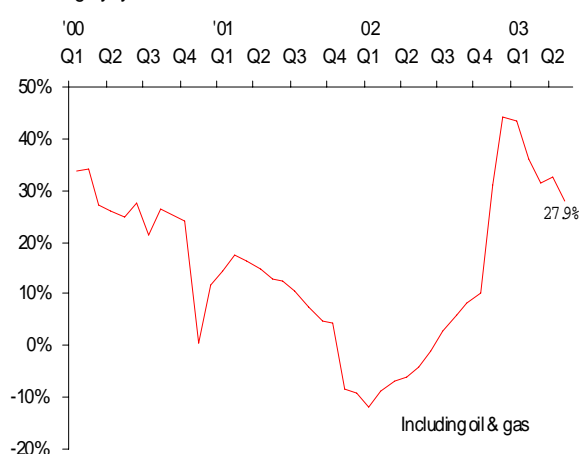
Industrial production	6 mths'03	July-03	7 mths	Jul-03	7 mths	
	output	est. output	est. output	% yoy	% yoy	
VND billion *						
TOTAL INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT	148,150	26,483	174,633	17.4	15.9	
State sector	53,531	9,584	63,115	14.2	12.1	
Non-state sector	38,626	6,980	45,606	19.1	18.2	
Foreign invested enterprises	55,993	9,919	65,912	19.5	18.1	
<i>Main industrial centres</i>						
Hanoi	13,403.1	2,510.7	15,913.8	28.6	29.8	
HCM City	39,246.8	7,050.8	46,297.6	14.7	15.9	
Dong Nai	11,735.7	2,143.4	13,879.1	18.8	17.8	
Binh Duong	10,189.0	1,856.9	12,045.9	32.9	35.0	
Ba Ria-Vung Tau	15,163.2	2,568.1	17,731.3	11.2	9.2	
Can Tho	3,184.5	550.5	3,735.0	6.0	19.9	
Hai Phong	7,041.2	1,318.3	8,359.5	23.0	15.2	
Da Nang	2,576.8	528.1	3,104.9	29.6	21.4	
<i>Output of key commodities</i>						
	<i>Unit</i>					
Crude oil	'000 tonnes	8,875.0	1,477.0	10,352.0	9.3	7.3
Coal	'000 tonnes	9,428.3	1,440.4	10,868.7	22.2	18.4
Electricity	mln kWh	19,673.7	3,770.5	23,444.2	15.7	14.9
Steel	'000 tonnes	1,333.8	218.3	1,552.2	17.4	18.3
Cement	'000 tonnes	10,593.5	2,063.8	12,657.3	19.0	14.5
Fertiliser	000 tonnes	647.4	114.3	761.7	7.5	12.0
Automobiles	unit	17,325.0	3,363.0	20,688.0	54.4	61.1
Motorbikes	'000 unit	404.8	59.4	464.2	-25.1	7.4
Processed seafood	'000 tonnes	147.4	31.0	178.4	17.0	16.8
Ready-made clothes	mln units	293.1	56.6	349.7	51.7	60.0

(*) 1 trillion dong = US\$72 mln

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July 2003 exports

% change yoy



July 2003 trade deficit

% change yoy

