

## Key indicators

Trade	9 mths '03 output		Oct '03 est.		10 mths'03 est.		10 mth change	
	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	amt. %	value %
<b>TOTAL EXPORTS</b>		<b>14,930</b>		<b>1,620</b>		<b>16,550</b>		<b>22.7</b>
Domestic enterprises		7,474		810		8,284		14.5
Foreign invested enterprises		7,456		810		8,266		32.1
Crude oil		2,811		300		3,111		19.8
non-oil exports		4,645		510		5,155		40.9
<i>Main commodities exported</i>								
Crude oil	12,863.0	2,811.0	1,450.0	300.0	14,313.0	3,111.0	2.8	19.8
Textiles & garments		2,885.0		270.0		3,155.0		45.0
Seafood products		1,627.0		220.0		1,847.0		10.0
Footwear		1,657.0		150.0		1,807.0		22.7
Electronics, PCs & components		487.0		63.0		550.0		37.4
Rice	3,341.0	625.0	300.0	57.0	3,641.0	682.0	19.7	-0.4
Coffee	498.0	343.0	45.0	31.0	543.0	375.0	-9.9	49.8
Latex	290.1	236.0	45.0	38.0	335.0	274.0	-5.1	36.2
Black pepper	60.2	84.0	3.4	5.0	63.6	89.0	-13.1	-11.9
Cashew	57.7	193.0	8.1	28.0	65.8	221.1	29.1	29.8
Coal	5,130.0	132.0	550.0	14.0	5,680.0	145.0	14.8	15.5
Tea	41.0	42.8	7.0	7.6	48.0	50.4	-24.1	-29.1
Peanut	75.9	43.7	4.0	2.3	79.9	46.0	-19.5	-3.3
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>		<b>18,396</b>		<b>1,920</b>		<b>20,316</b>		<b>29.5</b>
Domestic Enterprises		12,062		1,200		13,262		27.9
Foreign Invested Enterprises		6,333		720		7,053		32.5
<i>Main commodities imported</i>								
Automobiles		585.0		68.0		653.0		33.3
Machinery & spare parts		4,075.0		400.0		4,475.0		48.0
Steel & steel billets	3,525.0	1,272.0	350.0	138.0	3,875.0	1,410.0	-6.4	29.7
Steel billet	1,383.0	374.0	200.0	54.0	1,583.0	428.0	-11.2	17.9
Fertiliser	2,694.0	392.0	280.0	45.0	2,974.0	437.0	2.6	22.2
Urea	1,307.0	198.0	160.0	26.0	1,467.0	224.0	4.7	35.0
Petroleum	7,376.0	1,791.0	800.0	207.0	8,176.0	1,998.0	-0.8	21.9
Chemicals		376.0		46.0		422.0		28.7
Pharmaceuticals		264.0		30.0		294.0		16.6
Plastics	706.0	552.0	90.0	72.0	796.0	624.0	8.3	26.4
Cotton	67.0	76.0	6.0	8.0	73.0	84.0	-13.1	0.6
Yarn	160.0	223.0	18.0	19.0	178.0	242.0	-19.6	-7.0
Textiles, garments materials & parts		1,469.0		150.0		1,619.0		21.5
Electronics, PCs & components		666.0		85.0		751.0		41.9
<b>TRADE BALANCE (US\$mIn.)</b>		<b>-3,466</b>				<b>-3,766</b>		
		<b>(%)</b>				<b>-22.76%</b>		

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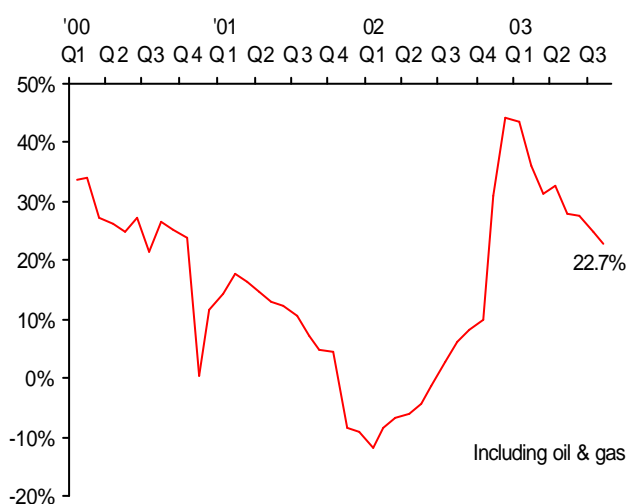
Industrial production	9 mths'03 output	Oct-03 est. output	10 mths est. output	Oct-03 % yoy	10 mths % yoy	
VND billion *						
<b>TOTAL INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT</b>	<b>226,973</b>	<b>28,097</b>	<b>255,070</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>16.0</b>	
State sector	82,813	10,132	92,945	13.9	12.2	
Non-state sector	60,174	7,635	67,809	21.4	19.0	
Foreign invested enterprises	83,986	10,330	94,316	15.9	17.7	
<i>Main industrial centres</i>						
Hanoi	20,646.1	2,431.2	23,077.3	19.9	27.2	
HCM City	59,690.0	7,544.2	67,234.2	14.7	14.9	
Dong Nai	18,716.1	2,257.1	20,973.2	20.9	18.4	
Binh Duong	15,538.6	1,878.8	17,417.4	33.4	35.5	
Ba Ria-Vung Tau	24,051.5	2,454.9	26,506.4	-8.3	6.1	
Can Tho	5,095.3	734.9	5,830.2	25.2	20.9	
Hai Phong	10,594.6	1,360.1	11,954.7	20.8	17.2	
Da Nang	4,204.4	547.4	4,751.8	28.4	22.6	
<i>Output of key commodities</i>						
	<i>Unit</i>					
Crude oil	'000 tonnes	13,115.0	1,298.0	14,413.0	-14.3	3.7
Coal	'000 tonnes	13,598.9	1,549.2	15,148.1	21.8	18.5
Electricity	mIn kWh	30,459.0	3,558.9	34,017.9	16.4	14.9
Steel	'000 tonnes	1,964.3	223.5	2,187.8	8.0	13.9
Cement	'000 tonnes	16,848.8	2,096.8	18,945.6	12.5	15.8
Fertiliser	000 tonnes	968.7	110.4	1,079.1	1.6	9.7
Automobiles	unit	28,587.0	3,990.0	32,577.0	43.1	37.3
Motorbikes	'000 unit	669,101.0	98,312.0	767,413.0	90.8	12.3
Processed seafood	'000 tonnes	250.0	34.9	284.9	11.2	18.1
Ready-made clothes	mIn units	451.0	51.3	502.3	17.7	46.1

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

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### October 2003 exports

% change yoy



### October 2003 trade deficit

% change yoy

