

Key indicators

Trade	4 mth '06 output		May '06 est.		5 mths'06 est.		5 mths change	
	'000 t	US\$mln	'000 t	US\$mln	'000 t	US\$mln	amt. %	value %
TOTAL EXPORTS		11,884		3,200		15,084		24.2
Domestic enterprises		5,005		1,310		6,315		18.2
Foreign invested enterprises		6,879		1,890		8,769		29.0
<i>Crude oil</i>		2,632		740		3,372		20.6
<i>non-oil exports</i>		4,247		1,150		5,397		34.9
<i>Main commodities exported</i>								
Crude oil	5,368.0	2,632.0	1,421.0	740.0	6,789.0	3,372.0	-7.1	20.6
Coal	8,750.0	271.0	2,200.0	64.0	10,950.0	335.0	61.6	34.5
Textiles & garments		1,692.0		430.0		2,122.0		31.1
Seafood products		845.0		250.0		1,095.0		23.2
Footwear		1,081.0		280.0		1,361.0		21.1
Electronics & PCs		511.0		125.0		636.0		18.0
Rice	1,746.0	478.0	450.0	122.0	2,196.0	600.0	-4.2	-6.1
Coffee	356.0	403.0	90.0	103.0	446.0	506.0	-17.3	25.7
Latex	186.0	312.0	35.0	64.0	221.0	376.0	40.5	101.3
Black pepper	45.0	65.0	18.0	25.0	63.0	90.0	46.1	50.8
Cashew	33.0	132.0	9.0	35.0	42.0	167.0	11.5	-7.9
Tea	25.0	24.0	6.0	6.0	31.0	30.0	25.0	21.4
Peanut	6.0	4.0	3.0	2.0	9.0	6.0	-67.1	-65.3
TOTAL IMPORTS		12,414		3,600		16,014		7.3
Domestic Enterprises		7,684		2,240		9,924		1.8
Foreign Invested Enterprises		4,730		1,360		6,090		17.6
<i>Main commodities imported</i>								
Automobiles		111.0	40.0	67.0		178.0		-57.5
Machinery & spare parts		1,851.0		550.0		2,401.0		13.2
Steel & steel billets	1,577.0	741.0	500.0	291.0	2,077.0	1,032.0	-6.4	-17.8
Steel billet	552.0	193.0	200.0	76.0	752.0	269.0	-10.0	-18.0
Fertiliser	824.0	183.0	300.0	92.0	1,124.0	275.0	4.6	15.0
Urea	155.0	37.0	35.0	8.0	190.0	45.0	-38.4	-42.8
Petroleum	3,574.0	1,784.0	950.0	520.0	4,524.0	2,304.0	-10.6	17.8
Chemicals		301.0		68.0		369.0		6.9
Pharmaceuticals		172.0		50.0		222.0		27.0
Plastics	423.0	542.0	120.0	150.0	543.0	692.0	26.8	27.5
Cotton	53.0	63.0	16.0	19.0	69.0	82.0	0.3	9.0
Yarn	98.0	151.0	30.0	47.0	128.0	198.0	44.2	33.6
Textiles, garments materials & parts		641.0		200.0		841.0		-3.8
Motorbike kits ('000)		163.0		41.0		204.0		-11.4
Electronics, PCs & components		600.0		165.0		765.0		17.2
TRADE BALANCE (US\$mln.)		-530				-930		
(%)		-4.46%				-6.17%		

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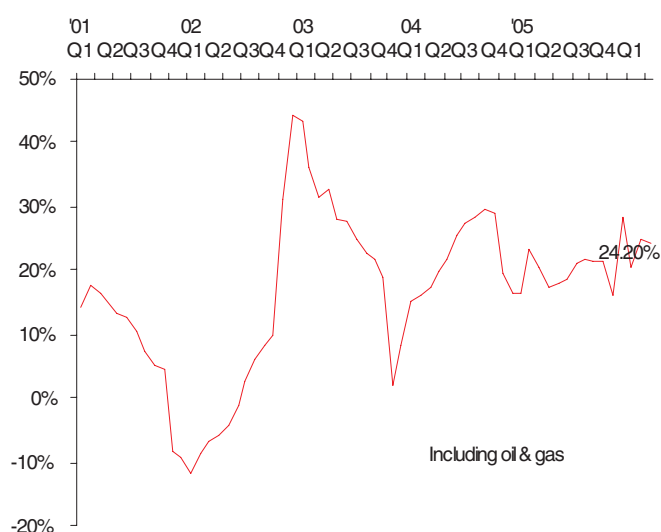
Industrial production		4 mths'06	May-06	5 mths	May-06	5 mths
		output	est. output	est. output	% yoy	% yoy
VND billion *						
TOTAL INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT		162,662	44,125	206,787	16.9	15.9
State sector		49,250	13,927	63,177	10.7	8.9
Non-state sector		53,652	14,428	68,080	20.3	20.5
Foreign invested enterprises		59,760	15,770	75,530	19.6	18.1
Output of key commodities						
	Unit					
Crude oil	'000 tonnes	5,773.0	1,466.0	7,239.0	-3.6	-3.7
Coal	'000 tonnes	12,376.0	3,731.9	16,107.9	41.3	23.7
Electricity	mln kWh	18,080.0	5,221.3	23,301.3	7.1	13.0
Steel	'000 tonnes	1,213.1	374.3	1,587.4	29.7	16.3
Cement	'000 tonnes	10,298.4	3,010.3	13,308.7	10.0	16.5
Fertiliser	'000 tonnes	755.7	209.1	964.8	9.2	4.5
Automobiles	unit	9,319.0	2,714.0	12,033.0	-52.3	-44.0
Motorbikes	unit	617,570.0	163,519.0	781,089.0	6.0	4.2
Processed seafood	'000 tonnes	182.7	54.2	236.9	12.4	14.2
Ready-made clothes	mln units	375.4	98.9	474.3	22.6	27.0
Main industrial centres						
					May-06 vs Apr-06 %	May-06 %yoy
Hanoi					5.0	17.7
HCM City					3.0	13.9
Dong Nai					1.7	17.1
Binh Duong					5.4	20.9
Can Tho					1.0	19.7
Hai Phong					8.3	19.2
Da Nang					18.7	15.3
Ba Ria-Vung Tau					1.4	8.9

(*) 1 trillion dong = US\$63 mln

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May 2006 exports

% change yoy

**May 2006 trade deficit**

% change yoy

