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The secretariat has received from the Government of Nicaragua the following report on Nicaragua's trade with the other members of the Central American area (except Costa Rica) under the General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration of 13 December 1960 (cf. document SR.20/5, page 63).

This report covers imports and exports during the period of 1 January to 31 December 1962.

At the same time, details are furnished of the amount and percentage of Nicaragua's imports from and exports to the other countries in the Central American area, the appropriate deduction being made in respect of imports and exports not covered by the General Treaty.

The report also indicates Nicaragua's total import and export trade with all countries and the percentage constituted by imports and exports within the Central American area as compared with total imports and exports.

This report is submitted in compliance with the Nicaraguan Government's undertaking to report to GATT on Nicaragua's import and export trade with the countries of the Central American area.

IMPORTS

GENERAL IMPORTS: US\$4,932,915.25

DEDUCTION OF IMPORTS NOT COVERED BY GENERAL TREATY

US\$	46,300.11	-	931-01-00-00
	9,962.56	-	931-02-00-00
	55.44	-	071-01-02-00
	1,190,857.20	-	071-01-03-00
	2,169.00	-	112-04-04-03
	1,250.00	-	221-06-00-00
	2,387.94	-	313-02-00-00
	13,538.64	-	313-04-01-00
	2,846.34	-	313-04-02-00
	2,140.00	-	313-09-00-00
	<u>307.00</u>	-	512-02-00-00

Total deductions US\$1,271,814.23

4,932,915.25	-	Total imports
1,271,814.23	-	Imports not covered by General Treaty
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US\$3,661,101.02	-	Imports covered by General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration

Imports covered by the General Treaty are broken down into those amounting to more than \$5,000, which reached a total of \$3,174,173.09, details of which are given in the report, and imports amounting to less than \$5,000, which are grouped together and reached a total value of \$486,927.93.

As may be seen from the foregoing data, out of total imports from the Central American area registered by Nicaragua, 74.22 per cent were covered by the General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration, and 25.78 per cent were not covered.

Nicaragua's total net imports from the Central American area represent 3.65 per cent of Nicaragua's total imports from all countries; if the percentage of imports is computed without any deduction, they amount to 4.92 per cent.

Imports by Nicaragua from the
Central American area, whether
or not covered by the General
Treaty for Central American
Economic Integration

4,932,915.25

Total imports by Nicaragua
from all countries

100,287,884.95

Percentage of total 4.92 per cent

Imports by Nicaragua from the
Central American area covered by
the General Treaty for Central
American Economic Integration

3,661,101.02

Percentage of total 3.65 per cent

IMPORTS

NAUCA No.	Description of products	c.i.f. value (US\$)
001-04-01-00	Poultry, pure-bred	5,824.75
042-01-00-00	Rice, in the husk	11,160.00
051-01-00-11	Bananas	28,217.00
051-01-00-12	Apples	10,494.59
053-03-02-00	Fruit jellies, jams and marmalades	6,735.17
053-04-02-00	Fruit juices, not fermented	175,905.31
054-01-00-00	Potatoes (including seed potatoes)	19,978.09
055-02-02-00	Tomato juice	9,000.00
055-02-04-00	Vegetables, preserved or prepared, whether or not in airtight containers	9,268.19
061-01-00-00	Sugar, beet and cane, not refined	10,963.00
062-01-01-00	Chicle and other chewing gums	97,378.62
062-01-02-00	Candy, bonbons, sweets, caramels and other similar products, sugar confec- tionery and other sugar preparations, n.e.s.	113,283.46
071-01-03-00	Coffee, without skins (<u>en oro</u>)	1,190,857.20
073-01-01-00	Chocolate bonbons and confectionery	6,475.26
081-09-01-00	Animal feeds mixed with chemical and biological products such as bone meal, and dried blood	14,265.99
091-02-02-00	Lard substitutes and similar edible fats of vegetable or animal origin, n.e.s.	14,000.00
099-09-03-00	Yeasts and leavens, n.e.s.	7,683.24
099-09-04-00	Sauces of all kinds and similar condiments	76,091.08
112-01-05-00	Other wines, including grape must, n.e.s.	7,344.54

NAUCA

No.	Description of products	c.i.f. value (US\$)
112-02-00-00	Cider and fermented fruit juices (fruit wines, n.e.s.)	11,095.15
231-01-00-00	Rubber and similar natural gums, synthetic and regenerated rubber	21,889.79
272-05-02-00	Rock salt or sea salt, refined, including prepared table salt	5,542.60
292-07-00-00	Cut flowers and foliage suitable for the preparation of bouquets or for decoration, fresh, dried, dyed or not	9,470.63
313-04-01-00	Lubricating oils	13,538.64
314-01-00-00	Natural gas, such as propane and butane, in any form	121,626.59
412-03-00-00	Cottonseed oil	94,130.00
412-07-00-00	Coconut (copra) oil	83,431.90
533-01-03-00	Other colouring materials, n.e.s.	6,152.22
533-03-01-03	Prepared paints, n.e.s.	36,734.94
533-03-02-00	Prepared enamels, lacquers and varnishes	69,209.79
541-09-03-00	Medicaments prepared for parenteral administration (injectable), n.e.s.	19,185.73
541-09-04-00	Medicaments prepared for administration by the mouth, n.e.s.	25,441.92
541-09-05-00	Medicaments prepared for external use, n.e.s.	95,351.55
551-02-00-00	Synthetic products and aromatic and flavouring concentrates, for use in the perfumery or other industries	35,488.48
552-01-02-00	Lotions, eau de Cologne and toilet water	5,597.51
552-01-06-00	Dentifrices of all kinds and in any form	17,074.39
552-02-01-00	Toilet or bath soaps	21,149.77
552-02-03-02	Other soaps, washing products and detergents, n.e.s	277,626.25
591-03-00-00	Pyrotechnical articles, including signal flares and detonators	6,138.60

NAUCA No...	Description of products	c.i.f. value (US\$)
599-01-01-00	Cellophane	12,417.50
599-01-04-00	Other synthetic plastic materials and artificial resins, in any form, unworked	32,769.41
599-02-00-00	Insecticides, fungicides, disinfectants, including animal dressings, and similar preparations not imported as medicaments, fumigants, disinfectant soaps or deodorizers	75,210.99
599-09-05-00	Colophony	14,793.29
599-09-13-00	Solvents and thinners for varnishes, n.e.s.	12,902.26
612-03-02-00	Soles, heels and other cut-out or made-up rubber parts for footwear	13,897.46
621-01-03-01	Rubber treads, whether or not reinforced, for recovering tyres	24,428.11
629-01-02-02	Tyres and tubes	53,449.55
642-01-01-00	Paper bags for any purpose, whether or not printed or reinforced	50,243.98
642-01-02-00	Paperboard boxes for any purpose, whether or not printed or reinforced	169,062.70
642-03-00-00	Exercise books, account books, blank books, albums, diaries, folders, files, protective book covers, etc., of paper or paperboard	7,226.75
651-03-00-00	Cotton yarn and thread, grey (unbleached) not mercerized	120,310.10
651-04-00-00	Cotton yarn and thread, bleached, dyed or mercerized	8,513.59
652-01-02-09	Cotton fabrics, grey (unbleached), weighing more than 400 gr. per square metre	55,349.95
652-02-05-00	Cotton fabrics, bleached, dyed, etc., n.e.s., weighing more than 150 gr. per square metre	49,404.48
653-05-02-00	Fabrics, n.e.s. of rayon not mixed with other textile fibres	59,444.88

NAUCA No.	Description of products	c.i.f. value (US\$)
655-06-01-00	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, of cotton, flax, hemp, jute, ramie or other vegetable fibres, n.e.s.	33,857.64
656-03-05-00	Of pure or mixed cotton	30,252.52
656-04-03-00	Hand and face-towels, bath mats and similar articles, of any textile fibre	70,919.49
661-09-00-00	Building materials, n.e.s., etc.	24,636.92
662-03-00-00	Refractory bricks and other refractory construction materials	5,245.64
681-05-00-00	Universals, plates and sheets, corrugated, ribbed, stamped, perforated, etc., not coated	11,416.79
684-02-02-00	Bars, rods, hoops, wire and strip, of aluminium or aluminium alloys	32,954.85
699-21-02-00	Tanks, vats and other similar metal receptacles of a capacity of more than 500 litres	5,749.25
699-21-06-00	Cans, pots and other similar containers, n.e.s., of metal or metal alloys (tin-plate etc.)	35,395.58
712-09-01-00	Poultry incubators and brooders	8,785.17
713-01-00-00	Tractors, other than steam-propelled	16,502.26
716-03-04-00	Stationery or mobile machines for excavating, levelling, drilling or extracting (mechanical shovels, dredgers, drills, etc.)	7,868.51
716-08-02-00	Machinery and apparatus for combing, carding or spinning textile fibres	17,220.28
716-08-03-00	Spinning looms of all kinds, etc.	7,551.79
716-13-08-00	Machines for cleaning, drying, filling, levelling, closing or capsuling bottles, tins, boxes, bags, sacks or other containers; other packaging machines	13,961.13
721-04-01-00	Radiotelegraphic, radiotelephonic and television transmitters and receivers, microphones and loudspeakers	10,809.14
732-01-02-01	Passenger motor vehicles n.e.s.	5,073.00

NAUCA No.	Description of products	c.i.f. value (US\$)
732-03-02-00	Lorries and vans, tank lorries, refrigerator lorries and other, n.e.s.	7,057.25
811-01-01-00	Prefabricated buildings of wood	11,460.00
821-01-02-00	Wooden-framed furniture, covered with any material	7,597.35
821-02-03-00	Other metal furniture, n.e.s.	7,879.97
831-01-01-00	Trunks, cases or valises and hat boxes, of materials of any kind	11,718.87
841-04-05-00	Of cotton, pure or mixed	18,375.51
841-07-01-00	Clothing and articles of apparel for personal use, of rubber or of waterproofed fabrics	18,420.99
841-11-01-00	Hats of any material (except felt and asbestos), for men and boys	73,381.83
851-02-02-00	Other footwear, n.e.s., of leather	65,121.72
851-03-02-00	Other footwear, n.e.s., of textile materials	6,229.84
851-04-00-00	Rubber footwear of all kinds, including overshoes	29,302.32
892-09-02-09	Photographs and photostat copies, n.e.s.	84,575.49
899-04-02-00	Artificial flowers, foliage or fruit and parts thereof, other than of glass, metal or ceramic	6,751.83
899-07-01-00	Kitchen utensils, table services, forks and spoons, of plastic materials	45,990.69
899-11-01-00	Bags, sachets, flasks and other containers, of cellophane or plastic	49,207.25
899-11-03-00	Mosquito netting, furniture fittings and other fittings, n.e.s., of plastic	9,189.84
899-15-09-00	Games and toys, n.e.s.	8,207.16
899-99-08-00	Dressing combs and ornamental combs, of materials of any kind	29,654.28
931-01-00-00	Articles imported and returned to the country of origin	46,300.11
931-02-00-00	Personal effects of travellers and immigrants	9,952.56
	Miscellaneous, of a value not exceeding US\$5,000	498,083.65
	TOTAL	US\$4,932,915.25

EXPORTS

TOTAL EXPORTS: US\$2,780,300.72

DEDUCTION OF EXPORTS NOT COVERED BY GENERAL TREATY

US\$14,596.33	-	931-01-00-00
31,084.00	-	931-02-00-00
5,838.50	-	313-00-00-00
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Total deductions US\$51,518.83		
2,780,300.72	-	Total exports
51,518.83	-	Exports not covered by General Treaty
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US\$2,728,781.89	-	Exports covered by General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration

The exports covered by the General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration are broken down into those amounting to more than \$5,000, which reached a total of \$2,620,668.38, details of which are given in the report, and exports amounting to less than \$5,000, which are grouped together at the end and reached a total value of \$108,113.51.

As may be seen from the foregoing data, out of total exports by Nicaragua to the Central American area, 98.15 per cent were covered by the General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration, and 1.85 per cent were not covered.

Nicaragua's total net exports to the Central American area represents 3.10 per cent of Nicaragua's total exports to all countries; if the percentage of exports is computed without any deduction, they amount to 3.16 per cent.

Exports by Nicaragua to the Central American area, whether or not covered by the General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration.

Exports by Nicaragua to all countries

87,927,894.21

2,780,300.72

Percentage of total: 3.16

Exports by Nicaragua to the Central American area covered by the General Treaty for Central American Economic Integration.

2,672,187.21

Percentage of total: 3.10

The data relevant to this report were furnished by the Statistical Office of Nicaragua.

EXPORTS

NAUCA No.	Description of products	c.i.f. value (US\$)
001-03-00-00	Swine	256,275.00
013-09-00-00	Meat extracts and other meat preparations, n.e.s.	5,913.70
022-01-00-00	Milk and cream (including buttermilk, whey and skimmed milk), evaporated, condensed, in liquid or semi-solid form.	31,427.00
023-01-00-00	Natural butter from milk of any kind, in any form or in any container	49,224.10
024-01-00-00	Cheese and curd of any kind	42,801.00
031-03-00-00	Crustaceans and molluscs, fresh, chilled, frozen, salted, dried, smoked, in brine or simply cooked	6,060.00
042-02-00-00	Rice not in the husk, including polished or broken rice	578,053.11
044-01-00-00	Maize, unmilled	56,104.50
045-09-02-00	Millet	16,382.00
051-06-04-00	Fresh fruit	17,199.65
054-02-01-00	Beans	453,043.69
054-09-01-00	Onions	8,612.50
054-09-03-00	Truffles	5,675.00
072-01-00-00	Cocoa beans	14,579.25

NAUCA No.	Description of products	c.i.f. value (US\$)
081-02-00-00	Bran, pollard, sharps and other by-products from the preparation of cereals and cereal products	5,433.55
081-03-00-00	Oilseed cake and meal, n.e.s.	38,277.32
081-09-00-00	Food waste and prepared animal feed, n.e.s.	149,470.91
091-02-02-00	Lard substitutes and similar edible fats	8,078.77
211-01-00-00	Hides and skins (except furskins)	13,239.00
221-06-00-00	Cottonseed	65,147.27
243-02-00-00	Lumber, sawn, planed, grooved, tongued, etc.	59,391.60
313-00-00-00	Petroleum products	5,838.50
533-00-00-00	Pigments, paints, varnishes and related materials	26,870.26
541-09-00-00	Medicines and pharmaceutical products, n.e.s.	11,265.00
599-03-00-00	Insecticides, fungicides and disinfectants, including animal dressings	30,323.96
599-03-00-00	Starches, starchy substances, dextrin, gluten and gluten flour	20,606.00
611-01-02-00	Bovine cattle hide leather and equine leather, n.e.s., dressed	8,387.40
612-03-02-00	Soles, heels and other cut-out or made-up rubber parts for footwear	6,720.00
631-02-00-00	Plywood, including wood faced with veneer sheets	107,091.48
656-03-00-00	Blankets, travelling rugs and coverlets, of any kind	5,075.00
663-00-00-00	Non-metallic mineral manufactures	13,296.00
665-00-00-00	Glassware	6,411.54
681-00-00-00	Iron and steel	14,020.00
699-07-00-00	Nails, bolts, nuts, rivets, etc.	13,987.00
699-90-00-00	Manufactures and frames of base metals	253,252.91
851-01-00-00	Mules, slippers, babouches and similar house footwear, of all materials except rubber	22,606.43

NAUCA No.	Description of products	c.i.f. (value (US\$))
851-02-00-00	Footwear of all kinds, of leather	27,577.60
851-04-00-00	Footwear of all kinds, of rubber	13,088.20
851-09-00-00	Footwear, n.e.s.	14,135.40
892-09-00-00	Printed matter, engravings or designs printed or otherwise reproduced on paper or paperboard, n.e.s.	7,421.66
899-12-00-00	Articles of basketware or of wickerwork, n.e.s. (of rattan, rush, cane, etc.)	7,143.62
931-01-00-00	Domestic products exported and subsequently re-imported into the country	14,596.33
931-02-00-00	Personal effects of travellers and immigrants	5,838.50
	Miscellaneous	108,113.51

TOTAL.....US\$2,780,300.72