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FIRST AGREEMENT ON TRADE NEGOTIATIONS AMONG DEVELOPING MEMBER COUNTRIES OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

(BANGKOK AGREEMENT)

Questions and Replies

Contracting parties were invited in GATT/AIR/1331 to submit to the secretariat any questions they might wish to pose on the provisions and implementation of the First Agreement on Trade Negotiations Among Developing Member Countries of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (L/4418 and Corr.1). In response to that invitation a number of questions were received and transmitted to the parties to the Bangkok Agreement. The questions and the replies received are set out below.

I. GENERAL QUESTIONS

Question 1: In the view of the parties to the Bangkok Agreement, under which article of the GATT is the Bangkok Agreement justified?

Reply: In the view of the Participating States, the Bangkok Agreement complies with the overall objectives and the spirit of the General Agreement as a whole and particularly its Part IV. They are convinced that the Agreement is in conformity with the obligations of contracting parties which are contained in Article XXXVI with respect to principles and objectives and in Article XXXVII:4 with respect to specific commitments.

Question 2: Do the participating States consider that the reference to Part IV (at the end of the fifth preambular paragraph of the Bangkok Agreement) constitutes a sufficient legal basis to justify the Bangkok Agreement in terms of the provisions of the General Agreement?

Reply: The views of the Participating States in this respect are spelt out in the reply to question 1.

Question 3: The Agreement has been notified under paragraph 5 of Article XXXVII of the GATT, which is intended to facilitate discussion and not to provide justification for the Agreement. Are the member countries seeking a waiver of their obligation under Article I of the GATT?

Reply: As stated in reply to question No. 1, the participating States consider that the Bangkok Agreement is justified under the overall objectives, principles and provisions of Part IV and the General Agreement as a whole, and in particular under Articles XXXVI and XXXVII:4. Paragraph 5 of Article XXXVII is relevant in connexion with procedural aspects, including the opportunity for consultations. For the reasons spelt out above, in the view of the participating States, the question of seeking a waiver for the Bangkok Agreement does not arise.

Question 4: Paragraph 5 of Article XXIV provides for the establishment of free-trade areas and customs unions. Will the Bangkok Agreement lead to such an arrangement? Do the members have plans for such an evolution? What sort of plans?

Reply: The Bangkok Agreement has as its objectives the promotion of economic development through a continuous process of trade expansion among the developing countries members of ESCAP and the furtherance of international economic co-operation through the adoption of mutually beneficial trade liberalization measures consistent with their respective present and future development and trade needs. Chapters II and III of the Agreement contain a comprehensive set of measures aimed at progressive trade liberalization and trade expansion.

Question 5: Are the other signatories planning to ratify the Agreement?

Reply: Lao People's Democratic Republic ratified the Bangkok Agreement in December 1976 thus becoming the fifth country to do so. No communication of intention to ratify has been received from the Philippines or Thailand.

Question 6: How do the member countries propose to meet the goal of the Agreement and expand trade among themselves, without significantly diverting or restricting trade from third countries?

Reply: The Agreement provides inter alia for the exchange of tariff and non-tariff concessions, a series of further trade expansion and co-operation measures, industrial co-operation and special treatment in favour of the least developed and relatively less advanced participating States. The Bangkok Agreement is therefore not conceived to restrict trade from third countries but as a serious effort of the participating States to promote the rational and outward-oriented expansion of their production and trade. The basic objective of the Agreement is to create additionality of trade.

Furthermore, the interests of third countries are appropriately safeguarded by the relevant provisions of the Bangkok Agreement.

Question 7: Can the signatories assure the contracting parties that the provisions of Article 8 of the Bangkok Agreement will not impede their reducing tariffs on a most-favoured-nation basis?

Reply: This Article does not affect in any manner the right of any participating State to reduce tariffs on a most-favoured-nation basis.

Question 8: Can the signatories assure the contracting parties that preferential treatment contained in the Bangkok Agreement is not intended to and will not be employed to raise barriers to the trade of other GATT contracting parties?

Reply: The participating States can assure the contracting parties that the preferential treatment contained in the Bangkok Agreement is not intended to raise barriers to the trade of other GATT contracting parties and therefore the question of these provisions being used for such purposes does not arise.

Question 9: Article 17 of the Agreement provides for consultations with any developing country "with respect to any matter or difficulty which may arise as a result of the implementation of this Agreement". Are the signatories in fact prepared to enter into the obligation to consult with any GATT contracting party in the event the Bangkok Agreement causes difficulties to third parties?

Reply: The participating States who are also contracting parties to the General Agreement are ready to enter into consultations with other GATT contracting parties in accordance with their obligations under the General Agreement.

Question 10: Is the definition of relatively less advanced countries the same in Article 11 (c) as in Article 5, and is Bangladesh, which grants special concessions to Laos, to be considered as being among the relatively less advanced countries as defined in Article 5?

Reply: The concept of relatively less advanced countries spelt out in Article 11 (c) is wider than that of the least developed countries contained in Article 5. Criteria and procedures for implementing the provisions of Article 11 (c) are presently being studied by the Standing Committee. Bangladesh is considered to be a least developed country in accordance with Article 5, pursuant to the adoption of General Assembly resolution 3487 (XXX) on 12 December 1975, that is after the signature of the Bangkok Agreement but before its entry into force.

II. MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGREEMENT

Question 11: Are the participating States resolved to spare no effort to encourage accession to the Bangkok Agreement by all the developing countries that are members of ESCAP?

Reply: The participating States are making efforts to promote the accession of interested developing ESCAP States to the Bangkok Agreement.

Question 12: The Bangkok Agreement is a preferential arrangement, membership in which is limited to developing countries which are members of ESCAP. Would the signatories to the Agreement agree to non-ESCAP developing countries joining the Bangkok Agreement?

Reply: According to Article 25 the Bangkok Agreement shall be open for accession by any developing country member of the ESCAP Trade Negotiations Group as defined in Article 29. The Agreement does not contain provisions for accession by other developing countries outside the ESCAP region.

Question 13: Article 25 of the Bangkok Agreement stipulates that this Agreement shall be open for accession by any developing country member of the ESCAP. Do the parties to this Agreement have the intention to accept in the future, applications for accession from developing countries outside the ESCAP as well?

Reply: See reply to question 12.

III. RELATIONSHIP WITH OTHER PREFERENTIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Question 14: Among signatory countries to the Bangkok Agreement, there are some such as India and Korea which have also acceded to the GATT Protocol Relating to Trade Negotiations Among Developing Countries. What is the view of the parties to the Bangkok Agreement on the relationship between the Bangkok Agreement and the said Protocol?

Reply: Among the participating States of the Bangkok Agreement, Bangladesh, India and Korea are members of the GATT Protocol Relating to Trade Negotiations Among Developing Countries and Sri Lanka has initiated exploratory talks with the Committee of Participating Countries to determine her possible interest in acceding to the Protocol. The participating States of the Bangkok Agreement consider that joint membership in the two arrangements should be welcome since they are in effect complementary trade expansion programmes, one operating at the inter-regional level and the other at the regional level.

Question 15: Are the participating States, signatories to other preferential arrangements among developing countries, resolved to spare no effort with a view to achieving harmonization of the lists of concessions contained in those various agreements or arrangements?

Reply: The participating States of the Bangkok Agreement intend to make efforts, in consultation with the members of other preferential arrangements among developing countries, towards harmonizing, to the extent possible, the concessions contained in the various arrangements.

IV. TREATMENT OF NON-TARIFF MEASURES

Question 16: Has there been any discussion of the relaxation of quantitative and other non-tariff restrictions as mentioned in Article 4 of the Agreement? What restrictions, if any, have been relaxed?

Reply: Appropriate procedures for the implementation of Article 4 will be considered by the Standing Committee in due course. No action has yet been taken with regard to its application.

Question 17: Can the participating States explain the modalities according to which they intend to apply non-tariff preferences in the cases referred to in Article 12 of the Agreement?

Reply: These modalities will be decided upon by the Standing Committee as and when the need arises.

Question 18: Has any action been taken yet on the measures discussed in Article 9, paragraphs d-h? Will such actions discriminate against exports from third countries?

Reply: Measures to implement the provisions of Article 9 paragraphs (d) to (h) are under consideration of the Standing Committee. Action of this nature is usually provided for to facilitate the orderly functioning and dynamic development of the preferential provisions of such co-operation agreements. These measures are not intended to have a discriminatory effect on exports from third countries.

V. NATIONAL LISTS OF CONCESSIONS

Question 19: Have the national lists of concessions been implemented? When did this happen or when is it planned?

Reply: Bangladesh, India and the Republic of Korea have already implemented the concessions and the other participating States are in the process of implementing them, for which necessary legal and administrative formalities are being completed.

Question 20: In case the parties to this Agreement are to enlarge the scope of items to be included in the National Lists of Concessions, what sorts of items are most likely to be added in the Lists?

Reply: Additional products to be included in the schedules of concessions will be selected from the range of products of existing or potential export interest to those developing countries members of ESCAP which will participate in future negotiations for the extension of the Bangkok Agreement.

Question 21: Have the product lists mentioned in Article 9 (c) been received? Will products on these lists be treated in the same manner as products on the national concession lists?

Reply. The Standing Committee is presently studying appropriate procedures for implementing the provisions of this Article.

VI. RULES OF ORIGIN

Question 22: Will the signatories provide the GATT contracting parties with details on the rules of origin provision as soon as they are available?

Reply: The participating States concerned are ready to provide contracting parties with details of their rules of origin provisions under the Bangkok Agreement.

Question 23: Should the rules of origin pose difficulties for GATT contracting parties, will the signatories consult with a view to modifying the rules of origin?

Reply: The participating States who are also contracting parties to the General Agreement are ready to enter into consultations with other GATT contracting parties in accordance with their obligations under the General Agreement.

VII. TRADE COVERAGE

Question 24: The following information on the Bangkok Agreement is requested in respect of the most recent few years where statistics are available and in respect of individual parties to the Agreement:

(1) Total imports and imports from the parties to this Agreement.

(2) With respect to the products listed in the National Lists of Concessions of each party, total imports and imports from the parties to this Agreement.

Reply: The reply to this question is contained in Annex I.

Question 25: Would the participating States be in a position to furnish statistics, by principal countries of origin and destination, on trade in products mentioned in the Lists of Concessions (Annex I to the Agreement)?

Reply: The reply to this question is contained in Annex II.

ANNEX I

Total Imports and Imports from the Participating States in the Bangkok Agreement

1971-1975

Revised: 6 July 1977

(C.I.F. Value)

Member Countries	1971			1972			1973			1974			1975			Average (1971-1975)		
	Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States	
		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total
1. Bangladesh	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	356,400	94,100	26.40	873,700	120,400	13.78	1,095,200	94,600	8.64	1,368,700	74,600	5.45	923,500	95,930	10.39
2. India[a/]	2,278,400	3,820	0.18	2,210,010	13,580	0.61	3,658,540	22,530	0.62	4,988,560	14,010	0.28	6,161,991	7,071	0.11	3,859,700	12,202	0.32
3. Korea Rep. of	2,394,320	9,860	0.41	2,522,000	4,300	0.17	4,240,280	11,950	0.28	6,851,850	22,320	0.33	7,274,430	39,290	0.54	4,656,580	17,540	0.38
4. Lao PDR	82,255	47	0.06	43,658	65	0.15	57,175	62	0.11	64,784	404[1/]	0.62	49,140	60	0.13	59,402	127	0.21
5. Sri Lanka	362,530	37,940	10.47	308,090	16,440	5.34	422,316	13,900	3.31	680,460	36,030	5.30	744,628	23,919	3.21	503,605	25,658	5.09
Total	5,117,505	51,667	1.01	5,440,158	128,435	2.36	9,252,011	168,902	1.83	13,680,854	167,364	1.22	16,098,889	144,940	0.89	10,002,787	151,457	1.51

a/ Fiscal Year beginning 1 April of the year stated.
1/ India only
n.a. - Not available

Sources: Monthly Statistics of the Foreign Trade of India; Vol. II - Imports: March 1972, March 1973, March 1974, March 1975, March 1976; Government of India, Department of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics; Calcutta.
Korea: Statistical Yearbook of Foreign Trade 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975; Office of Customs Administration, Rep. of Korea.
Lao: Bulletin de Statistique; Statistiques Douanieres du Commerce Exterieur, United Nations, Commodity Trade Statistics, Series D, New York.
Sri Lanka Customs Returns, December 1970/1971, 1972, 1974 & 1975.
Direction of Trade; International Monetary Fund; Annual 1969-1975.

Revised: 12 July 1977

Total Imports and Imports from the Participating States of the Products listed in the National Lists of Concessions in the Bangkok Agreement 1973-1975

Participating States	1973			1974			1975			Average (1973-1975)		
	Total Imports (US$'000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States		Total Imports (US$ '000)	Imports from Participating States	
		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total		(US$ '000)	% of total
1. Bangladesh a/	334,647	n.a.	n.a.	285,683	44,740	15.66	220,844	14,212	6.43	280,391	29,476	10.51
2. India b/	188,120	3,350	1.78	239,280	4,540	1.90	344,687	276	0.08	257,429	2,722	1.06
3. Korea, Rep. of	253,070	370	0.15	278,580	230	0.08	382,059	370	0.10	304,570	323	0.11
4. Lao PDR	8,300	Nil	0	14,126	-	0	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	11,213	Nil	0
5. Sri Lanka	165,726	11,808	7.13	218,270	20,860	9.56	227,096	9,111	4.01	203,698	13,926	6.84
Total	949,863	15,528	1.63	1,035,939	70,370	6.79	1,174,888	23,969	2.04	1,053,563	36,622	3.48

a/ Figures are for financial years ending June of year stated and indicate import payments of SITC divisions (2 digit level) under which the items in the national list belong.
b/ Fiscal year beginning 1 April of the year stated.
n.a. = Not available
Nil = Less than 500 US dollars.
\- = Zero

Sources: Bangladesh: Import Payments; Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank in 1972-1973, 1973-1974 and 1974-1975 including barter.
India: Monthly Statistics of the Foreign Trade of India; Vol. II
- Imports in March 1974, March 1975 and March 1976; Government of India, Department of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics; Calcutta.
Korea Rep. of: Statistical Yearbook of Foreign Trade in 1973, 1974 and 1975; Office of Customs Administration.
Lao PDR: Statistiques Douanieres du Commerce Exterieur 4eme trimestre 1973 et Total General de L'annee 1973, Royaume du Laos; and U.N. Commodity Trade Statistics, Series D, New York.
Sri Lanka: Customs Returns, December 1974 and December 1975; 1973 figures directly from Ministry of Trade

Exchange rates:	1973	1974	1975
Bangladesh (Taka/US$)	8.165	8.076	8.876
India (Rupee/US$)	8.078	8.937	8.370
Korea, Rep. of (Won/US$)	398	484	484
Lao, PDR (Kip/US$)	600	600	-
Sri Lanka (Rupee/US$)	6.428	6.693	7.713

ANNEX II

SUMMARY OF TOTAL IMPORTS a/ AND EXPORTS b/ OF BANGKOK AGREEMENT COUNTRIES ON PRODUCTS IN THE NATIONAL LISTS OF CONCESSIONS
1975

(Value in US $'000)

	Bangladesh 1/		India 2/		Korea, Rep. of		Lao, P.D.R. 3/		Sri Lanka		TOTAL	
	Import from	Export to	Import from	Export to	Import from	Export to	Import from	Export to	Import from	Export to	Import from	Export to
1. Bangkok Agreement countries c/	14,212 6.43%	1,268 4.40%	276 0.10%	20,498 1.50%	370 0.10%	2,727 0.20%	-	-	9,111 4.10%	1,341 0.40%	23,969 2.02%	25,834 0.89%
2. Other developing countries of ESCAP	11,624 5.26%	1,366 4.70%	5,408 1.60%	363,198 27.20%	27,723 7.30%	192,086 15.60%	4,949 35.03%	298 66.97%	44,909 19.80%	68,870 22.20%	94,613 7.96%	626,041 21.51%
3. Japan	18,851 8.54%	350 1.20%	54,198 15.70%	17,808 1.30%	217,935 57.00%	156,685 12.70%	2,992 21.18%	147 33.03%	11,965 5.30%	3,192 1.00%	305,941 25.73%	178,192 6.12%
4. Australia, New Zealand	2,460 1.11%	462 1.60%	1,145 0.30%	10,115 0.80%	1,427 0.40%	20,312 1.60%	-	-	37,353 16.40%	17,334 5.60%	42,385 3.56%	48,223 1.66%
5. EEC	18,342 8.31%	9,892 34.40%	119,513 34.70%	245,672 18.40%	73,688 19.30%	253,548 20.60%	3,888 27.53%	-	75,265 33.10%	59,307 19.00%	290,696 24.45%	568,149 19.53%
6. EFTA	5,843 2.65%	3,878 13.50%	21,454 6.20%	12,226 0.90%	12,493 3.30%	35,467 2.90%	-	-	4,944 2.20%	1,712 0.50%	44,734 3.76%	53,283 1.83%
7. U.S.A.	105,577 47.81%	790 2.70%	53,473 15.50%	158,196 11.90%	36,574 9.60%	374,872 30.40%	121 0.85%	-	30,912 13.60%	21,346 6.90%	226,657 19.06%	555,204 19.08%
8. Canada	443 0.20%	101 0.40%	32,716 9.50%	9,802 0.70%	2,872 0.70%	49,084 4.00%	-	-	4,821 2.10%	10,740 3.50%	40,852 3.44%	69,727 2.40%
9. Socialist countries	33,204 15.03%	5,571 19.40%	51,870 15.00%	206,224 15.40%	69 0.00%	1,413 0.10%	-	-	6,589 2.90%	11,471 3.70%	91,732 7.71%	224,679 7.72%
10. Rest of the world or miscellaneous	10,288 4.66%	5,099 17.70%	4,834 1.40%	292,922 21.90%	8,908 2.30%	146,890 11.90%	2,176 15.41%	-	1,229 0.50%	115,476 37.20%	27,435 2.31%	560,387 19.26%
Total Percent	220,844 100.00%	28,777 100.00%	344,887 100.00%	1,336,661 100.00%	382,059 100.00%	1,233,084 100.00%	14,120 100.00%	445 100.00%	227,098 100.00%	310,519 100.00%	1,189,014 100.00%	2,909,719 100.00%

- = Zero

Notes: a/ Imports from principal origins.
b/ Exports to principal destinations.
c/ Bangkok Agreement countries are Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka.

1/ July 1974 - June 1975.
2/ April 1975 - March 1976
3/ 1974

Bangladesh: Imports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Sources
(July 1974 - June 1975)

(Value in US$ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	SITC Div.	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
1.	02	Dairy products 1/	59	2	4	231	535	3	2	-	3	2	841
2.	03	Fish & fish prep. 2/	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
3.	04	Cereals & prep. 3/	1	465	-	2,122	2,592	-	90,352	-	-	2,033	97,565
4.	05	Fruits & vegetables 4/	213	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	216
5.	06	Sugar, etc. 5/	115	3	3	3	19	-	-	-	-	2,276	2,419
6.	07	Coffee, tea, spices 6/	67	98	1	-	15	-	1	2	-	6	190
7.	12	Tobacco & manufactures 7/	731	-	407	-	47	-	-	-	-	-	1,185
8.	27	Crude fertilizers, minerals 8/	760	23	39	-	97	6	3	-	58	1	987
9.	29	Crude materials, nes 9/	20	39	49	-	35	-	77	-	-	1	221
10.	42	Vegetable oils, fats 10/	332	1,843	1	-	14	-	1,754	-	4,419	-	8,363
11.	51	Chemical elements 11/	813	1,125	1,784	1	2,092	374	2,564	-	510	1,878	11,141
12.	53	Dyeing, tanning, colouring materials 12/	428	462	443	2	893	9	20	-	1,545	89	3,891
13.	54	Medicinal, pharmaceutical products 13/	360	1,351	353	27	2,993	601	619	20	1,580	390	8,294
14.	55	Essential oils, etc. 14/	53	49	12	-	150	37	4	-	-	1	306
15.	59	Chemical materials, nes 15/	248	177	484	4	439	3,657	448	-	2,561	334	8,352
16.	61	Leather & manufactures 16/	23	-	3	-	13	-	2	-	-	-	41
17.	62	Rubber manufactures, n.e.s. 17/	296	283	577	-	58	-	13	-	18	-	1,245

Bangladesh: Imports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	SITC Div.	Description	Bangkok Agreement** countries	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
18.	63	Wood & cork manufactures[18]	23	19	10	-	8	8	-	-	-	1	69
19.	64	Paper & paperboard[19]	660	67	850	1	420	158	1	-	163	-	2,320
20.	65	Textile yarn & fibres[20]	3,411	3,446	2,551	10	141	1	7,690	5	4,179	1,709	23,143
21.	66	Non-metallic mineral manufactures[21]	1,492	1,507	235	1	411	8	27	-	1,175	-	4,856
22.	67	Iron and steel[22]	76	33	2,118	-	533	502	109	-	5,790	8	9,169
23.	69	Manufactures of metals n.e.s.[23]	980	241	574	-	466	14	10	26	1,158	9	3,478
24.	71	Machinery[24]	1,476	178	5,456	27	3,963	371	1,151	30	4,307	736	17,695
25.	72	Electric machinery[25]	253	114	627	7	712	25	182	17	4,987	813	7,737
26.	73	Transport equipments[26]	474	92	2,235	24	1,650	31	471	343	743	1	6,064
27.	81	Sanitary, heating, etc. fixtures[27]	34	4	2	-	35	38	-	-	8	-	121
28.	82	Furniture[28]	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
29.	84	Clothing[29]	813	1	33	-	8	-	77	-	-	-	932
		Total (%)	14,212 (6.43)	11,624 (5.26)	18,851 (8.54)	2,460 (1.11)	18,342 (8.31)	5,843 (2.65)	105,577 (47.81)	443 (0.20)	33,204 (15.03)	10,288 (4.66)	220,844 (100.00)

Bangladesh: Imports

Notes:

- = zero
* Including import payments under barter
** Bangkok Agreement countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka.

US$ 1 = Taka 8.876

1/ Includes BTN 04.02
2/ Includes BTN 03.02
3/ Includes BTN 11.01 A
4/ Includes BTN 07.05 A & 08.01
5/ Includes BTN 17.01 B & 17.03
6/ Includes BTN 09.02, 09.04, 18.01, 18.03, 18.05 & 18.06 A
7/ Includes BTN 24.01
8/ Includes BTN 25.04 & 25.31
9/ Includes BTN 05.08 & 13.02
10/ Includes BTN 15.07
11/ Includes BTN 15.11
12/ Includes BTN 32.05 & 32.07
13/ Includes BTN 30.03
14/ Includes BTN 33.01
15/ Includes BTN 38.11
16/ Includes BTN 41.02
17/ Includes BTN 40.11 & 40.14
18/ Includes BTN 44.15
19/ Includes BTN 48.01, 48.04 & 48.07
20/ Includes BTN 51.01, 55.05, 56.05, 58.04, 59.04, 59.05 & 60.01
21/ Includes BTN 25.23, 68.10, 69.07, 69.08 & 69.11
22/ Includes BTN 73.02 B & 73.18
23/ Includes BTN 73.21, 74.10 & 82.14
24/ Includes BTN 84.10, EX 84.15, 84.16, 84.17, 84.22, 84.24, 84.25, 84.45 & 84.48
25/ Includes BTN EX 84.15, 85.03, 85.04, 85.06, 85.20, 85.23, 85.24 & EX 90.17
26/ Includes BTN 87.04 & 87.12
27/ Includes BTN 69.10
28/ Includes BTN 94.03 & 94.04
29/ Includes BTN 60.03, 61.01 & 61.03.

Source: Annual Import Payments, 1974-1975, Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank.

Bangladesh: Exports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Destinations
(July 1974 - June 1975)

(Value in US $ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Destinations of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
1.	03.02	Dried fish	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
2.	05.08	Bones and horns	-	-	-	-	206	27	-	-	-	-	233
3.	09.02	Tea, including mate	1,189	1,007	-	458	6,062	3,351	790	101	5,049	4,972	22,979
4.	09.04	Chillies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4
5.	24.01	Tobacco	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55
6.	30.03	Drugs, medicine and pharmaceuticals	24	...	-	-	70	-	-	-	-	...	94
7.	41.02	Leather, tanned	-	20	350	-	3,553	491	-	-	518	119	5,051
8.	48.01	Paper and paper products	-	339	-	4	-	9	-	-	-	8	360
		Total	1,268	1,366	350	462	9,892	3,878	790	101	5,571	5,099	28,777
		(%)	(4.40)	(4.70)	(1.20)	(1.60)	(34.40)	(13.50)	(2.70)	(0.40)	(19.40)	(17.70)	(100.00)

Notes: * Including exports by barter and special arrangements.
** Bangkok Agreement countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka.
- = zero
... = less than 500 US dollars
US $ 1 = Taka 8.876

Source: Annual Export Receipts, 1974-1975, Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank.

India: Imports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Sources
(April 1975 to March 1976)

(Value in US$ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries*	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of world	Total
1.	03.02	Dried fish	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	1	-	16
2.	04.02	Milk & cream preserved	-	171	-	650	6,035	1,757	14,412	1,024	-	-	24,049
3.	05.08	Bones & horn-cores	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	11
4.	07.05A	Bean & peas											N.I.
5.	08.01	Coconuts											N.I.
6.	09.02	Tea											N.I.
7.	09.04	Dried chilly 1/	-	49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49
8.	11.01A	Wheat flour	-	2	-	8	123	138	958	-	-	-	1,229
9.	13.02	Shellac, gums, resins	-	1,679	130	-	187	-	14	-	-	510	2,520
10.	15.07	Coconut oil											N.I.
11.	15.11	Glycerol	1	-	4	-	12	-	54	-	-	-	71
12.	17.01B	Refined sugar											N.I.
13.	17.03	Molasses	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
14.	18.01	Cocoa beans	30	341	-	-	200	-	-	-	11	357	939
15.	18.03	Cocoa paste	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	21
16.	18.05	Cocoa powder	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	5	-	13
17.	18.06A	Block chocolate 2/	-	-	...	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	15
18.	24.01	Unmanufact. tobacco	-	26	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	43

India: Imports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of World	Total
19.	25.04	Natural graphite	109	-	...	-	23	-	9	-	-	32	173
20.	25.23	Clinkers											N.I.
21.	25.31	Fluorspar & fluorite	-	4	-	-	-	403	-	-	-	-	407
22.	29.07	Naphthol (dyes)											
23.	30.03	Medicaments	100	95	1,502	36	14,627	2,861	3,459	32	10,964	688	34,364
24.	32.05	Synth. org. dyestuffs	-	1	1,021	2	3,029	543	66	-	31	-	4,698
25.	32.07	Colouring matter, n.e.s.	-	103	7	-	229	5	6	-	70	4	424
26.	33.01	Essential oils	21	275	13	4	1,176	6	66	-	132	46	1,739
27.	38.11	Disinfectants	-	128	562	-	3,939	2,071	15,095	-	5,035	1,025	27,855
28.	40.11	Rubber tyres & tubes	-	81	240	1	975	73	283	...	554	...	2,206
29.	40.14	Unh. rubber art., n.e.s.	-	1	25	...	563	31	186	...	1	-	807
30.	41.02	Bovine leather	-	-	-	82	52	18	-	...	-	-	152
31.	44.15	Plywood	-	-	...	-	5	6	1	-	-	-	12
32.	48.01	Paper & paperboard		89	3,076	...	7,733	2,688	1,825	24,661	13,231	102	58,405
33.	48.04	Comp. paper	-	70	-	-	38	4	...	-	-	-	112
34.	48.07	Impregnated coated paper	-	4	937	1	4,394	1,190	109	-	595	17	7,247
35.	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (cont.)	2	63	5,708	-	2,732	10	1,816	-	1,027	-	11,358
36.	55.05	Cotton yarn	-	31	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	32

India: Imports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of World	Total
37.	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (disc.)	13	97	236	-	127	-	15	-	-	-	488
38.	58.04	Pile & chenille fabrics	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
39.	59.04	Twine	-	112	69	-	67	...	12	-	1	-	261
40.	59.05A	Fishing nets 3/	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	12
41.	60.01B	Oth. knit or cro. fabr.	-	-	2	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	2
42.	60.03	Stockings											N.I.
43.	61.01	Men's outer garments											N.I.
44.	61.03	Men's under garments											N.I.
45.	68.10	Gypsum board											N.I.
46.	69.07	Mosaic tiles	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	6
47.	69.08	Glazed wall tiles	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	95	-	97
48.	69.10	Sanitary fittings											N.I.
49.	69.11	Tableware	-	...	1	-	10	-	...	-	-	-	11
50.	73.02 B	Ferro-silicon	-	-	-	-	46	65	16	-	-	-	127
51.	73.18	Tubes & pipes of iron/steel	-	1,857	28,150	95	38,518	4,271	1,130	6,875	13,204	473	94,573
52.	73.21	Structures	-	-	624	-	1,548	736	46	-	91	-	3,045
53.	74.10	Strandel wire	-	-	-	-	23	-	-	-	6	-	29
54.	82.14	Spoons											N.I.
55.	84.10	Turbine pumps 4/	-	10	78	7	2,572	44	257	...	188	-	3,156

India: Imports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of World	Total
56.	84.15	Refrigerators	-	6	165	19	956	175	736	-	96	...	2,153
57.	84.16	Rubber rollers 5/	-	-	-	-	31	46	-	-	-	-	77
58.	84.17	Tea driers											N.I.
59.	84.22	Blocks & chain blocks 6/	-	-	2,171	-	6,515	454	1,487	5	1,911	-	12,543
60.	84.24	Agri. machinery	-	-	447	9	951	44	421	40	706	1,497	4,115
61.	84.25	Tea stalk extracters 7/	-	-	-	-	32	-	63	-	191	-	286
62.	84.45	Machine tools											N.I.
63.	84.46	Tool holders	...	8	373	3	12,518	2,356	2,782	5	3,030	24	21,099
64.	85.03	Prim. batteries	...	10	173	19	384	587	147	-	71	56	1,447
65.	85.04	Elec. accumulators	-	...***	11	-	36	20	13	...***	-	-	81
66.	85.06	Room fans	-	-	1	-	16	5	6	-	-	-	28
67.	85.20	Lamps	-	13	435	5	447	59	283	3	57	...	1,302
68.	85.23	Insulated elec. wire	-	8	1,617	1	3,804	113	495	25	15	...	6,078
69.	85.24	Carbon brushes	-	44	1,355	165	1,724	481	5,085	-	70	-	8,924
70.	87.04	Chasis of 87.02B	-	-	-	-	425	-	-	-	135	-	560
71.	87.12	87.10 & 87.11 Parts	-	...	5	-	15	-	162	42	4	2	230
72.	90.17	Medical instrument	-	25	60	38	2,578	185	1,940	4	310	1	5,141
73.	94.03	Furniture	-	2	...	-	39	3	1	-	-	-	45
74.	94.04	Mattress	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	...
		Total (%)	276 (0.10)	5,408 (1.60)	54,198 (15.70)	1,145 (0.30)	119,513 (34.70)	21,454 (6.20)	53,473 (15.50)	32,716 (9.50)	51,870 (15.00)	4,834 (1.40)	344,887 (100.00)

Notes: * Including (a) silver (other than current coins), notes and coins withdrawn from circulation or not yet issued,
(b) indirect transit trade,
(c) imports by parcel post,
(d) dutiable articles by letter post, and
(e) defence stores (non-combatant only).

Excluding (a) direct transit trade,
(b) transhipment trade,
(c) passengers' baggage, and
(d) diplomatic goods.

N.I. = Product not imported.

** Bangkok Agreement countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka

*** The sum of two groups is equal to 1,000 dollars.
... Less than US$ 500
- = Zero
1/ Chillies.
2/ Whole item of chocolate.
3/ Whole item of 59.05 nets & nettings.
4/ 84.10 other pump for liquid.
5/ Whole item of rolling machines.
6/ Whole item of lifting & loading machinery.
7/ Whole item of harvesting & threshing machinery.

73 Common Commodity groups shown '000 $344,887 (5.60% of Total Imports '000 $6,161,991).

Source: Monthly Statistics of the Foreign Trade of India, Vol. II - Imports, March 1976.

Conversion factor 0.119469

India: Exports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Destinations
(April 1975 - March 1976)

(Value in US $ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement** countries	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
1.	03.02	Dried fish	665	256	...	1	28	-	...	-	-	206	1,156
2.	04.02	Milk & cream preserved	1	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	52
3.	05.08	Bones & horn-cores	-	-	3,424	-	3,963	-	1,602	-	1,677	34	10,700
4.	07.05A	Beans & peas											NE
5.	08.01	Coconuts	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	23
6.	09.02	Tea	...	35,166	1,257	4,723	78,877	181	7,391	4,402	102,702	48,436	283,135
7.	09.04	Dried chilly	...	2,802	2	8	5	...	182	16	579	209	3,803
8.	11.01A	Wheat flour											NE
9.	13.02	Shellac gums resins	53	2,918	143	282	7,388	220	3,470	194	4,425	2,761	21,854
10.	15.07	Coconut oil	...	97	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	97
11.	15.11	Glycerol	-	40	-	220	-	-	-	-	-	1	261
12.	17.01B	Refined sugar	5,081	280,162	-	-	25,347	6,325	85,342	...	17,456	145,638	565,351
13.	17.03	Molasses	-	119	-	-	1,483	-	174	-	-	-	1,776
14.	18.01	Cocoa beans											NE
15.	18.03	Cocoa paste											NE
16.	18.05	Cocoa powder	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29
17.	18.06A	Block chocolate	...	105	-	-	1	-	-	...	202	279	587
18.	24.01	Unmanufactured tobacco	5,583	1,576	11,387	18	47,971	85	140	-	36,498	8,047	111,305
19.	25.04	Natural graphite	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	...
20.	25.23	Clinkers											NE
21.	25.31	Fluorspar fluorite											NE
22.	29.07	Naphthol (dyes)											

India: Exports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
23.	30.03	Medicaments	1,459	4,297	121	305	1,404	923	142	3	4,778	3,760	17,192
24.	32.05	Synthetic organic dyestuffs	1,606	4,449	562	20	1,878	409	711	114	1,885	776	12,410
25.	32.07	Colouring matter, n.e.s.	7	6	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	6	36
26.	33.01	Essential oils	1	36	23	57	316	3	728	21	2,984	385	4,554
27.	38.11	Disinfectants	178	335	-	...	113	-	-	-	72	108	806
28.	40.11	Rubber tyres & tubes	241	662	-	178	79	32	258	-	3,154	5,782	10,386
29.	40.14	Unhardened rubber articles, n.e.s.	75	121	-	3	16	-	7	-	86	787	1,095
30.	41.02	Bovine leather	-	262	7	12	31,619	51	828	...	555	206	33,540
31.	44.15	Plywood	51	211	2	13	148	98	34	10	-	3,906	4,473
32.	48.01	Paper & paperboard	336	559	-	2	4	...	12	...	-	159	1,072
33.	48.04	Composite paper	41	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	48
34.	48.07	Impregnated coated paper	...	106	-	-	-	-	3	1	18	128	256
35.	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous)	20	45	-	-	16	67	-	-	168	79	395
36.	55.05	Cotton yarn	461	1,131	4	696	3,774	26	11	-	83	1,442	7,628
37.	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous)	-	2	-	-	3	-	-	22	-	8	35
38.	58.04	Pile & chenille fabrics	6	1,183	1	430	177	15	1,032	51	19	610	3,524
39.	59.04	Twine	26	65	-	10	3		49	-	-	165	318
40.	59.05A	Fishing nets											NE
41.	60.01B	Other knitted or crochetted fabrics											NE
42.	60.03	Stockings	40	-	3	5	29	-	22	-	100	226	425
43.	61.01	Men's outer garments	89	406	633	1,969	30,369	2,431	40,763	3,890	6,099	5,535	92,184
44.	61.03	Men's under garments	-	48	133	319	8,343	1,304	12,971	1,019	3,596	1,924	29,657

India: Exports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
45.	68.10	Gypsum board											NE
46.	69.07	Mosaic tiles	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	28
47.	69.08	Glazed wall tiles	8	2	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	168	178
48.	69.10	Sanitary fittings	62	33	-	-	7	-	-	-	17	648	767
49.	69.11	Tableware	10	62	-	-	2	...	2	-	3	20	99
50.	73.02B	Ferro-silicon											NE
51.	73.18	Tubes & pipes of iron/steel	481	3,483	-	313	119	-	-	-	-	17,782	22,178
52.	73.21	Structures	1,830	7,950	-	30	26	-	1,993	37	-	4,941	16,807
53.	74.10	Stranded wire											NE
54.	82.14	Spoons	-	3	-	...	10	-	...	...	132	25	170
55.	84.10	Turbine pumps 1/	7	152	-	3	558	10	-	-	350	705	1,785
56.	84.15	Refrigerators	25	309	-	25	7	-	117	...	104	1,748	2,335
57.	84.16	Rubber rollers											NE
58.	84.17	Tea driers											NE
59.	84.22	Blocks & chain blocks 2/	844	444	...	18	14	1	-	-	465	1,021	2,807
60.	84.24	Agricultural machinery	160	636	-	...	24	-	56	-	-	1,097	1,973
61.	84.25	Tea stalk extracters 3/	30	43	-	-	18	-	2	-	-	796	889
62.	84.45	Machine-tools											NE
63.	84.48	Tool holders	40	51	-	52	108	5	25	-	-	216	497
64.	85.03	Primary batteries	15	649	-	-	614	19	...	-	430	599	2,326
65.	85.04	Electric accumulators	3	114	-	5	3	-	-	-	5,585	903	6,613
66.	85.06	Room fans	57	289	-	234	5		...	-	4	8,128	8,717
67.	85.20	Lamps	131	199	92	131	4	1	6	-	...	879	1,443
68.	85.23	Insulated electric wire	162	2,275	-	11	31	-	-	-	11,223	3,940	17,642

India: Exports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
69.	85.24	Carbon brushes	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	3	8
70.	87.04	Chassis of 87.02B 4/	15	2,568	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	794	3,377
71.	87.12	87.10 & 87.11 Parts	554	6,353	1	11	648	18	64	18	229	13,926	21,822
72.	90.17	Medical instrument	30	165	12	6	66	1	11	1	544	319	1,155
73.	94.03	Furniture	12	176	1	3	49	1	30	3	2	2,587	2,864
74.	94.04	Mattress	2	7	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	6	18
		Total (%)	20,498 (1.50)	363,198 (27.20)	17,808 (1.30)	10,115 (0.80)	245,672 (18.40)	12,226 (0.90)	158,196 (11.90)	9,802 (0.70)	206,224 (15.40)	292,922 (21.90)	1,336,661 (100.00)

Notes: * Including (a) silver (other than current coins), notes and coins withdrawn from circulation or not yet issued, (b) indirect transit trade, (c) export by parcel post and letter post;
Excluding (a) direct transit trade, (b) transhipment trade, (c) passengers' baggage, (d) ship's stores.

** Bangkok Agreement countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka.

... Less than US$ 500

\- Zero

NE Product not exported

1/ 84.10 Other pump for liquid.
2/ 84.22 Whole item of lifting and loading machinery.
3/ 84.25 Whole item of harvesting and threshing machinery.
4/ 87.04 Whole item of chassis fitted with engines.

Conversion factor 0.119560

Source: Monthly Statistics of the Foreign Trade of India, Vol. I - Exports, March 1976.

Korea, Rep. of: Imports*of Products in the National List of Concessions by Sources
(1975)

(Value in US $ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
1.	03.02	Dried fish	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	7	-	-	9
2.	04.02	Milk & cream preserved	-	-	480	73	840	4	38	-	-	2	1,437
3.	05.08	Bones & horn-cores	-	10	3	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	46
4.	07.05A	Beans & peas	-	...	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
5.	08.01	Coconuts	-	54	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	54
6.	09.02	Tea	-	...	...	-	4	-	11	-	-	-	15
7.	09.04	Dried chilly 1/	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	4
8.	11.01A	Wheat flour	-	-	-	-	-	-	938	2,643	-	-	3,581
9.	13.02	Shellac, gums, resins	96	66	206	-	14	14	202	-	-	205	803
10.	15.07	Coconut oil	-	209	171	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	380
11.	15.11	Glycerol	-	470	437	-	-	-	68	-	-	-	975
12.	17.01B	Refined sugar	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
13.	17.03	Molasses	-	19,817	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	19,817
14.	18.01	Cocoa beans	-	100	50	-	41	-	-	-	-	934	1,125
15.	18.03	Cocoa paste	-	-	213	-	64	-	-	-	-	74	351
16.	18.05	Cocoa powder	-	-	7	-	128	-	52	-	-	8	195
17.	18.06A	Block chocolate 2/	-	...	1	-	11	2	32	-	-	-	46
18.	24.01	Unmanufactured tobacco	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,585	-	-	6,134	8,719
19.	25.04	Natural graphite	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
20.	25.23	Clinkers 3/	-	19	99	-	2	-	17	-	-	-	137
21.	25.31	Flucrspar & fluorite	-	374	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	374
22.	29.07	Naphthol (dyes)											

Korea, Rep. of: Imports

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
23.	30.03	Medicaments	-	5	677	107	1,856	315	1,105	66	-	94	4,225
24.	32.05	Synthetic organic dyestuffs	47	750	13,658	3	15,261	9,794	2,481	-	-	349	42,343
25.	32.07	Colouring matter, n.e.s.	-	11	1,995	1,097	597	77	1,317	-	-	50	5,144
26.	33.01	Essential oils	-	151	848	12	118	101	1,169	-	-	-	2,399
27.	38.11	Disinfectants	-	1	489	9	200	94	256	-	-	-	1,049
28.	40.11	Rubber tyres & tubes	-	120	170	-	175	...	279	-	-	-	744
29.	40.14	Unhardened rubber articles, n.e.s.	2	1	1,184	-	377	7	338	1	-	-	1,910
30.	41.02	Bovine leather	1	54	32,462	1	330	-	4,754	...	-	24	37,626
31.	44.15	Plywood	-	1	212	-	295	-	9	-	-	-	517
32.	48.01	Paper & paperboard	-	-	3,584	-	369	216	2,546	-	-	-	6,715
33.	48.04	Composite paper	-	-	169	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	169
34.	48.07	Impregnated coated paper	-	10	9,085	-	983	-	552	-	-	6	10,636
35.	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous)	-	3,386	26,675	-	1,988	-	288	43	-	...	32,380
36.	55.05	Cotton yarn	-	6	738	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	746
37.	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous)	-	2	7,643	-	1	-	...	-	-	-	7,646
38.	58.04	Pile & chenille fabrics	-	41	4,647	-	98	-	151	-	-	-	4,937
39.	59.04	Twine	...	23	218	2	1	-	53	-	-	-	297
40.	59.05A	Fishing nets	-	-	71	-	...	-	1	-	-	-	72
41.	60.01D	Other knitted or crochetted fabrics 4/	-	1,563	10,021	-	13	-	199	81	-	...	11,877
42.	60.03	Stockings	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
43.	61.01	Men's outer garments	-	5	1,054	9	104	-	82	-	-	1	1,255
44.	61.03	Men's under garments	-	...	168	...	-	-	405	-	-	...	573

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Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
45.	68.10	Gypsum board 5/	-	-	20	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	100
46.	69.07	Mosaic tiles	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
47.	69.08	Glazed wall tiles	-	-	14	-	1	-	...	-	-	-	15
48.	69.10	Sanitary fittings	-	11	31	-	-	-	74	-	-	1	117
49.	69.11	Tableware	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
50.	73.02B	Ferro-silicon	-	-	88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	88
51.	73.18	Tubes & pipes of iron/steel	7	-	16,249	-	4,070	70	1,292	-	-	6	21,694
52.	73.21	Structures	5	-	3,244	4	3,067	18	378	-	-	449	7,165
53.	74.10	Stranded wire	-	-	83	-	485	-	...	-	-	-	568
54.	82.14	Spoons	-	2	9	-	5	-	...	-	-	85	101
55.	84.10	Turbine pumps	-	-	777	-	7	724	451	-	-	-	1,959
56.	84.15	Refrigerators	-	15	3,619	...	441	2	1,811	-	-	4	5,892
57.	84.16	Rubber rollers 6/	-	-	1,314	-	343	-	450	-	-	125	2,232
58.	84.17	Tea driers 7/	-	7	5,089	-	1,920	-	824	15	-	-	7,855
59.	84.22	Blocks & chain blocks	...	...	714	-	83	-	60	-	-	...	857
60.	84.24	Agricultural machinery	-	...	32	54	676	22	19	5	-	-	808
61.	84.25	Tea stalk extracters 8/	...	3	143	8	93	33	21	-	-	-	301
62.	84.45	Machine-tools	198	124	47,542	-	31,450	976	4,737	-	69	56	85,152
63.	84.48	Tool holders for metal working machinery	...	-	312	-	41	3	25	-	-	1	382
64.	85.03	Primary batteries	-	84	222	-	12		223	-	-	...	541
65.	85.04	Electric accumulators	-	2	200	-	76	-	573	-	-	-	851
66.	85.06	Room fans	-	-	17	-	-	-	...	-	-	...	17

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Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement** countries	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
67.	85.20	Lamps	-	35	839	-	184	4	268	1	-	-	1,331
68.	85.23	Insulated electric wire	-	66	5,903	2	4,919	2	1,028	3	-	296	12,219
69.	85.24	Carbon brushes	1	2	8,615	-	39	...	1,481	-	-	-	10,138
70.	87.04	Chassis of 87.02 B	-	-	1,575	-	1,533	-	-	-	-	-	3,108
71.	87.12	87.10 & 87.11 Parts	-	48	2,238	-	-	-	76	-	-	-	2,362
72.	90.17	Medical instrument	13	16	1,471	8	323	8	1,424	5	-	-	3,268
73.	94.03	Furniture	...	58	100	5	47	7	1,324	...	-	3	1,544
74.	94.04	Mattress	-	-	3	-	-	-	21	2	-	1	27
		Total (%)	370 (0.10)	27,723 (7.30)	217,935 (57.00)	1,427 (0.40)	73,688 (19.30)	12,493 (3.30)	36,574 (9.60)	2,872 (0.70)	69 (0.00)	8,908 (2.30)	382,059 (100.00)

Notes: * Imports include loan and non-commercial imports besides ordinary imports.
** Bangkok Agreement countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka.
- = zero
... = less than 500 US dollars
1/ 09.04 Other pepper and the like.
2/ 18.06 Whole item of chocolate.
3/ 25.23 Whole item of cement.
4/ Knitted or crocheted fabrics other than of silk.
5/ 69.10 Whole item.
6/ 84.16 Whole item of rolling machines.
7/ 84.17 Drying plant and machinery other than textile articles, n.e.s.
8/ 84.25 Whole item of harvesting machinery.

73 Common Commodity groups shown '000 $ 382,059 (5.25% of Total Imports '000 $ 7,274,434).

Source: Statistical Yearbook of Foreign Trade 1975 (12).

Korea, Rep. of: Exports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Destinations
(1975)

(Value in US $ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAF	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
1.	03.02	Dried fish	-	805	13,017	-	7	-	217	5	-	4	14,055
2.	04.02	Milk & cream preserved	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29
3.	05.08	Bones & horn-cores	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
4.	07.05A	Beans & peas	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
5.	08.01	Coconut											NE
6.	09.02	Tea	-	...	50	-	11	-	10	1	-	-	72
7.	09.04	Dried chilly 1/	-	-	192	-	-	-	1	1	-	8	202
8.	11.01A	Wheat flour	-	1	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	1
9.	13.02	Shellac, gums, resins	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
10.	15.07	Coconut oil											NE
11.	15.11	Glycerol	-	53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	64
12.	17.01B	Refined sugar	-	4,065	1,695	-	-	15,153	4,110	-	-	58,682	83,705
13.	17.03	Molasses											NE
14.	18.01	Cocoa beans											NE
15.	18.03	Cocoa paste											NE
16.	18.05	Cocoa powder											NE
17.	18.06A	Block chocolate 2/	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66	75
18.	24.01	Unmanufactured tobacco	-	6,941	4,907	4,946	33,145	1,615	14,211	-	-	492	66,257
19.	25.04	Natural graphite	-	522	1,106	34	2	-	79	-	-	24	1,767
20.	25.23	Clinkers	-	14,366	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350	14,716
21.	25.31	Fluorspar & fluorite	-	172	482	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	654
22.	29.07	Naphthol (dyes)											

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Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
23.	30.03	Medicaments	–	2,279	2,412	2	243	87	83	42	–	38	5,186
24.	32.05	Synthetic organic dyestuffs	12	932	950	–	3	–	58	6	–	12	1,973
25.	32.07	Colouring matter, n.e.s.	–	...	44	–	–	–	9	–	–	–	53
26.	33.01	Essential oils											NE
27.	38.11	Disinfectants	–	435	99	–	–	–	15	5	–	–	554
28.	40.11	Rubber tyres & tubes	373	43,714	1,313	1,086	5,111	220	9,599	643	–	20,097	82,156
29.	40.14	Unhardened rubber articles, n.e.s.	...	19	1,642	16	168	–	241	25	–	328	2,439
30.	41.02	Bovine leather	–	317	108	–	153	1	1	61	–	10	651
31.	44.15	Plywood	–	1,959	14,358	1,965	14,896	1,224	151,448	16,561	–	4,209	206,620
32.	48.01	Paper & paperboard	3	7,660	543	73	–	...	7	–	–	391	8,677
33.	48.04	Composite paper	–	–	411	–	–	–	2	–	–	–	413
34.	48.07	Impregnated, coated paper	–	493	813	...	–	–	13	–	–	19	1,338
35.	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous)	510	11,299	693	164	457	32	901	94	–	1,042	15,192
36.	55.05	Cotton yarn	406	24,819	17,488	388	2,251	316	22	37	1,304	716	47,747
37.	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres(discontinuous)	121	21,271	4,448	1,917	13,522	1,570	66	1,869	42	1,345	46,171
38.	58.04	Pile & chenille fabrics	–	1,964	5,747	1,539	3,709	439	1	862	–	4,613	18,874
39.	59.04	Twine	95	4,450	266	291	458	46	596	709	–	10,811	17,722
40.	59.05A	Fishing nets 3/	273	1,849	333	162	689	169	444	279	–	11,072	15,270
41.	60.01B	Other knitted or crocketted fabrics 4/	299	3,792	62	166	451	35	278	388	–	2,290	7,761
42.	60.03	Stockings	–	1,966	11,887	113	22,265	3,692	927	1,725	–	2,435	45,010
43.	61.01	Men's outer garments	...	247	39,935	2,671	57,631	4,714	88,792	15,705	50	10,510	220,255
44.	61.03	Men's under garments	174	463	15,704	1,641	74,805	4,779	59,498	5,078	9	6,822	168,973

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Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist Countries	Rest of the world	Total
45.	68.10	Gypsum board 5/	-	-	...	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	...
46.	69.07	Mosaic tiles	-	319	859	27	282	-	46	38	-	11	1,582
47.	69.08	Glazed wall tiles	-	568	80	486	6,176	34	1,470	300	-	161	9,275
48.	69.10	Sanitary fittings	-	4	-	-	-	-	68	1	-	9	82
49.	69.11	Tableware	-	111	209	4	22	-	81	40	-	17	484
50.	73.02b	Ferro-silicon	-	223	2,372	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,595
51.	73.18	Tubes & pipes of iron/steel	212	18,526	3,012	1,160	1	26	25,722	322	-	3,336	52,517
52.	73.21	Structures	-	2,061	796	-	...	...	348	2	-	453	3,660
53.	74.10	Stranded wire	-	428	...	1	-	-	2	-	-	7	438
54.	82.14	Spoons	...	119	23	956	15,273	1,164	6,527	2,196	8	1,417	27,683
55.	84.10	Turbine pumps											NE
56.	84.15	Refrigerators	-	1	5	...	2	-	159	2	-	4	173
57.	84.16	Rubber rollers 6/	-	...	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
58.	84.17	Tea driers											NE
59.	84.22	Block & chain blocks											NE
60.	84.24	Agricultural machinery	-	70	590	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	671
61.	84.25	Tea stalk extracters 7/	-	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	31
62.	84.45	Machine tools	3	87	56	-	9	-	43	-	-	49	247
63.	84.48	Tool holders for metal working machinery	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	...	...
64.	85.03	Primary batteries	48	20	9	7	410	1	118	101	-	132	846
65.	85.04	Electric accumulators	-	619	18	-	-	-	-	22	-	61	720
66.	85.06	Room fans	-	22	206	24	2	-	88	241	-	40	623

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Products in the National List of Concessions			Destinations of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement** countries	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world	Total
67.	85.20	Lamps	-	746	1,948	56	560	116	3,709	1,321	-	600	9,056
68.	85.23	Insulated electric wire	167	10,386	1,300	142	299	-	1,026	14	-	3,845	17,179
69.	85.24	Carbon brushes	-	244	149	4	231	-	-	-	-	6	634
70.	87.04	Chassis of 87.02 ?	-	-	-	-	141	-	-	-	-	-	141
71.	87.12	87.10 & 87.11 Parts	-	291	493	8	-	-	141	...	-	5	938
72.	90.17	Medical instrument	-	192	1,413	-	10	1	147	-	-	3	1,766
73.	94.03	Furniture	2	127	2,138	161	151	4	2,877	82	...	93	5,635
74.	94.04	Mattress	-	29	238	102	2	29	660	106	-	250	1,416
		Total (%)	2,727 (0.20)	192,086 (15.60)	156,885 (12.70)	20,312 (1.60)	253,548 (20.60)	35,467 (2.90)	374,872 (30.40)	49,084 (4.00)	1,413 (0.10)	146,890 (11.90)	1,233,084 (100.00)

Notes: * Exports include non-commercial exports in addition to ordinary exports.
** Bangkok Agreement countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka.
- = zero
... = less than 500 US dollars
NE = product not exported
1/ 09.04 Other pepper and the like.
2/ 18.06 Whole item of chocolate.
3/ 59.05 Whole item of nets, netting and fishing nets.
4/ Knitted or crochetted fabrics other than of silk.
5/ 68.10 Whole item of plaster articles.
6/ 84.16 Whole item of rolling machines.
7/ 84.25 Whole item of machinery for agricultural products.

Source: Statistical Yearbook of Foreign Trade 1975 (12).

Lao P.D.R.: Imports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Sources
(1974)

(Value in US '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement Countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the world & Miscellaneous	Total
1.	04.02	Milk & cream preserved[1/]	-	561	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	573
2.	11.01A	Wheat flour[2/]	-	265	214	-	-	-	-	-	-	115	594
3.	17.01B	Refined sugar[3/]	-	627	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	631
4.	24.01	Unmanufactured tobacco	-	631	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	487	1,118
5.	25.23	Clinkers	-	1,307	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,307
6.	30.03	Medicaments	-	190	207	-	934	-	121	-	-	88	1,540
7.	40.11	Rubber tyres & tubes	-	23	638	-	-	-	-	-	-	105	766
8.	48.01	Paper & paperboard[4/]	-	-	231	-	-	-	-	-	-	393	624
9.	61.01) 61.03)	Men's outer & under garments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	144	144
10.	73.21	Structures	-	32	415	-	2,033	-	-	-	-	-	2,480
11.	74.10	Stranded wire[5/]	-	15	167	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	194
12.	84.15) 85.06)	Refrigerators & room-fans[6/]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	179	179
13.	84.22	Blocks & chain blocks[7/]	-	-	-	-	118	-	-	-	-	50	168
14.	84.24	Agricultural machinery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	145	145
15.	84.25	Tea stalk extracters[8/]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	104	104
16.	84.45	Machine tools	-	-	-	-	131	-	-	-	-	35	166
17.	84.48	Tool holders[9/]	-	560	389	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	1,030
18.	85.04	Electric accumulators	-	112	252	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	399
19.	85.23	Insulated electric wire	-	122	-	-	672	-	-	-	-	5	799
20.	87.12	87.10 & 87.11 Parts[10/]	-	208	477	-	-	-	-	-	-	108	793
21.	90.17	Medical instrument[11/]	-	296	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	74	372
		Total	-	4,949	2,992	-	3,888	-	121	-	-	2,176	14,126
		(%)	-	(35.03)	(21.18)	-	(27.53)	-	(0.85)	-	-	(15.41)	(100.00)

Notes: * Special imports

** Bangkok Agreement Countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, PDR; and Sri Lanka.

US$ 1 = Kip 600

- = Zero

1/ 04.02 A only.
2/ 11.01 A includes 11.02 A
3/ 17.01 includes raw sugar, molasses & natural honey.
4/ 48.01 includes 48.01 A, B, D & 48.07 A.
5/ 74.10 includes 73.25 & 76.12
6/ 84.15 & 85.06 include 84.60 B, 85.07, 85.12
7/ 84.22 includes 87.07
8/ 84.25 whole item of harvesting, threshing & sorting machinery.
9/ 84.48 includes 84.46 & 84.47.
10/ 87.12 includes 87.09 & 87.10
11/ 90.17 includes 90.18

Source: United Nations, Commodity Trade Statistics, Series D, New York.

Lao, P.D.R.: Exports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Destination
(1974)

(Value in US $ '000)

	Products in the National List of Concessions		Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist countries	Rest of the World	Total
1.	44.15	Plywood	-	293	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	293
2.	94.03 94.04	Furniture	-	5	147	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	152
		Total (%)	-	298 (66.97)	147 (33.03)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	445 (100.00)

Notes: * Special exports.
** Bangkok Agreement Countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; and Sri Lanka.
US $ 1 = Kip 600.
- = Zero

Source: United Nations, Commodity Trade Statistics, Series D, New York.

Sri Lanka: Imports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Sources
(1975)

(Value in US$ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of World	Total
1.	03.02	Dried fish	317	4,553	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	794	5,664
2.	04.02	Milk & cream, preserved	-	284	...	6,918	3,289	17	114	-	-	...	10,622
3.	05.06	Bones & horn-cores											N.I.
4.	07.05A	Beans & peas	-	-	-	-	...	-	159	-	-	...	159
5.	08.01	Coconuts											N.I.
6.	09.02	Tea	...	...	...	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	...
7.	09.04	Dried chilly	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
8.	11.01A	Wheat flour	-	6,871	-	29,122	58,882	2,163	29,008	3,870	-	...	129,916
9.	13.02	Shellac, gums, resins	18	51	2	164	13	-	2	-	-	9	259
10.	15.07	Coconut oil											N.I.
11.	15.11	Glycerol	-	19	23	-	51	-	1	-	-	-	94
12.	17.01B	Refined sugar	3,638	28,122	1	256	79	-	...	-	-	...	32,096
13.	17.03	Molasses	-	17	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	17
14.	18.01	Cocoa beans											N.I.
15.	18.03	Cocoa paste											N.I.
16.	18.05	Cocoa powder	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	...
17.	18.06A	Block chocolate 1/	-	...	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	...	...
18.	24.01	Unmanf. tobacco	515	323	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	841
19.	25.04	Natural graphite											N.I.
20.	25.23	Clinkers											N.I.
21.	25.31	Fluorspar & fluorite	-	...	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
22.	29.07	Naphthol (dyes)											

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Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of World	Total
23.	30.03	Medicaments	1,248	526	827	138	2,592	663	444	2	1,001	42	7,483
24.	32.05	Synth. org. dyestuffs	74	24	16	6	960	164	2	-	16	17	1,279
25.	32.07	Colouring matter, n.e.s.	3	1	98	30	186	1	4	-	1	-	324
26.	33.01	Essential oils	...	2	-	1	46	-	...	-	-	2	51
27.	38.11	Disinfectants	201	57	46	-	1,551	105	332	-	...	29	2,321
28.	40.11	Rubber tyres & tubes	16	3	1,969	8	242	2	30	20	2	6	2,298
29.	40.14	Unh. rubber art., n.e.s.	8	4	58	6	285	5	38	4	12	...	420
30.	41.02	Bovine leather	-	-	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	...
31.	44.15	Plywood 2/	299	563	-	-	-	759	-	-	4,209	-	5,830
32.	48.01	Paper & paperboard	24	426	3,506	66	439	459	43	831	701	6	6,503
33.	48.04	Comp. paper	-	-	...	-	...	...	-	-	-	-	...
34.	48.07	Impregnated, coated paper	1	20	213	-	217	372	89	-	-	14	926
35.	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (cont.)	193	170	2,017	...	723	-	1	-	-	30	3,134
36.	55.05	Cotton yarn	1,253	1,499	23	-	27	-	19	-	3	155	3,019
37.	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (disc.)	-	950	410	-	23	-	-	-	-	...	1,383
38.	58.04	Pile & chenille fabrics	...	1	...	...	8	-	...	-	-	-	9
39.	59.04	Twine	3	81	121	7	93	-	...	-	1	...	306
40.	59.05A	Fishing nets	58	-	288	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	346
41.	60.01B	Other knit. or cro. fabrics	4	14	518	...±/	...±/	-	-	-	-	2	539
42.	60.03	Stockings											N.I.

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No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of World	Total
43.	61.01	Men's outer garments	...++/	2	1	1	10	...++/	2	...++/	...++/	...++/	17
44.	61.03	Men's under garments	-	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-	...	...
45.	68.10	Gypsum board 3/	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
46.	69.07	Mosaic tiles											N.I.
47.	69.08	Glazed wall tiles	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13
48.	69.10	Sanitary fittings	-	...	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
49.	69.11	Tableware	...	...	...	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
50.	73.02B	Ferro-silicon 4/	4	-	6	-	65	-	-	-	-	-	75
51.	73.18	Tubes & pipes of iron/steel	67	21	82	56	579	7	4	...	271	3	1,090
52.	73.21	Structures	429	2	873	-	625	-	18	-	187	115	2,249
53.	74.10	Stranded wire	-	...	...	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	33
54.	82.14	Spoons	...	...	...	-	41	-	...	2	-	-	43
55.	84.10	Turbine pumps 5/	34	14	55	263	1,449	38	44	4	64	1	1,966
56.	84.15	Refrigerators	...	7	15	2	156	59	45	70	1	...	355
57.	84.16	Rubber rollers 6/	-	38	-	-	9	7	-	-	-	-	54
58.	84.17	Tea driers 7/	85	...	20	13	220	3	39	-	-	-	320
59.	84.22	Blocks & chain blocks 8/	110	1	14	203	406	17	101	2	19	1	874
60.	84.24	Agri. machinery	-	7	79	60	120	-	99	-	-	-	365
61.	84.25	Tea stalk extracters 9/	-	-	...	5	10	-	151	4	-	-	170
62.	84.45	Machine tools	76	11	3	-	132	48	3	-	78	-	351
63.	84.48	Tool holders for met. working mach. 10/	23	12	5	5	71	9	7	4	5	-	141
64.	85.03	Prim. batteries	8	69	...	-	134	23	9	-	...	-	243
65.	85.04	Elec. accumulators	5	2	45	-	135	8	4	-	1	-	200

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Products in the National List of Concessions			Sources of Imports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of the world	Total
66.	85.06	Room fans 11/	9	5	5	...	22	1	18	1	...	...	61
67.	85.20	Lamps	25	27	72	...	326	4	13	1	9	1	478
68.	85.23	Insulated elec. wire	4	37	155	2	452	...	8	4	6	...	668
69.	85.24	Carbon brushes +++/	3	71	238	... +++/	106	2	4	... +++/	... +++/	... +++/	425
70.	87.04	Chassis of 87.02B	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
71.	87.12	87.10 & 87.11 Parts	367	...	106	...	32	-	-	-	...	-	505
72.	90.17	Medical instrument	9	1	39	20	418	5	54	-	2	1	549
73.	94.03	Furniture	...	1	1	-	-	3	...	2	-	-	7
74.	94.04	Mattress	-	...	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
		Total (%)	9,111 (4.10)	44,909 (19.80)	11,965 (5.30)	37,353 (16.40)	75,265 (33.10)	4,944 (2.20)	30,912 (13.60)	4,821 (2.10)	6,589 (2.90)	1,229 (0.50)	227,098 (100.00)

Notes:
* General Imports.
** Bangkok Agreement countries: Bangladesh; India; Korea, Rep. of; Lao, P.D.R. and Sri Lanka.
... Less than US$ 500
\- Zero
N.I. Product not imported
+/ The sum of two groups is equal to 1,000 dollars. ++/ The sum of five group is equal to 1,000 dollars.
+++/ The sum of four groups is equal to 1,000 dollars.
1/ 18.06 Whole item of chocolate.
2/ Plywood etc., for Ceylon exports.
3/ 68.10 Whole item of plastering articles.
4/ 73.02B Other ferro-alloys.
5/ 84.10 Whole item of pumps for liquids.
6/ 84.16 Whole item of calendering
7/ 84.17B Other machinery.
8/ 84.22 Whole item.
9/ 84.25 Whole item.
10/ 84.48 Whole item.
11/ 85.06 Whole item.
73 Common Commodity groups shown '000 $227,098 (33.36% of total imports '000 $680,839).

Source: Sri Lanka Customs Returns, December 1975. US$1 = Rs. 7.713

Sri Lanka: Exports* of Products in the National List of Concessions by Destinations
(1975)

(Value in US$ '000)

Products in the National List of Concessions			Destination of Exports										
No.	BTN	Description	Bangkok Agreement countries**	Other developing countries of ESCAP	Japan	Australia, New Zealand	EEC	EFTA	USA	Canada	Socialist	Rest of World	Total
1.	03.02	Dried fish	-	171	...	12	...	-	...	-	-	-	183
2.	04.02	Milk & cream preserved	-	...	-	...	-	...	-	...	-	...	...
3.	05.08	Bones & horn-cores											N.E.
4.	07.05A	Beans & peas											N.E.
5.	08.01	Coconuts	4	1,018	11	201	14,930	879	42	123	2,861	6,176	26,245
6.	09.02	Tea	...	57,436	2,854	16,868	36,894	567	19,071	6,826	3,456	106,468	250,440
7.	09.04	Dried chilly											N.E.
8.	11.01A	Wheat flour	-	...	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
9.	13.02	Shellac, gums, & resins											N.E.
10.	15.07	Coconut oil	1,140	9,578	...	...	4,427	-	318	3,635	4,442	813	24,353
11.	15.11	Glycerol	-	-	-	-	519	-	-	-	-	-	519
12.	17.01B	Refined sugar											N.E.
13.	17.03	Molasses											N.E.
14.	18.01	Cocoa beans	28	83	41	20	292	-	-	-	214	418	1,094
15.	18.03	Cocoa paste	-	95	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	95
16.	18.05	Cocoa powder	-	16	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
17.	18.06A	Block chocolate[1/]	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
18.	24.01	Unman. tobacco	-	...	-	-	468	-	...	-	-	-	468
19.	25.04	Natural graphite	130	126	238	52	383	...	585	-	67	21	1,610
20.	25.23	Clinkers[2/]	-	23	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	486	509
21.	25.31	Fluorspar & fluorite											N.E.
22.	29.07	Naphthol (dyes)											

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23.	30.03	Medicaments	...	18	...	-	...	-	...	-	...	2	20
24.	32.05	Synth. org. dyestuffs											N.E.
25.	32.07	Colouring matter, n.e.s.											N.E.
26.	33.01	Essential oils	21	19	5	5	590	9	212	-	-	15	376
27.	38.11	Disinfectants	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
28.	40.11	Rubber tyres & tubes	7	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	30
29.	40.14	Unh. rubber art., n.e.s.	-	49	-	...	7	-	-	...	...	12	68
30.	41.02	Bovine leather	5	1	-	-	49	-	-	-	-	-	55
31.	44.15	Plywood	-	...	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	10	20
32.	48.01	Paper & paperboard											N.E.
33.	48.04	Comp. paper	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
34.	48.07	Impregnated, coated paper		...	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	1	1
35.	51.01	Yarn of man-made fibres (cont.)	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
36.	55.05	Cotton yarn	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
37.	56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (disc.)											N.E.
38.	58.04	Pile & chenille fabrics											N.E.
39.	59.04	Twine	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
40.	59.05A	Fishing nets 3/	-	...	-	-	1	-	4	-	-	-	5
41.	60.01B	Other knit. or cro. fabrics											N.E.
42.	60.03	Stockings											N.E.

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44.	61.03	Men's under garments	-	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	...
45.	68.10	Gypsum board											N.E.
46.	69.07	Mosaic tiles											N.E.
47.	69.08	Glazed wall tiles											N.E.
48.	69.10	Sanitary fittings	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
49.	69.11	Tableware	...	98	33	137	303	...	958	148	...	45	1,722
50.	73.02B	Ferro-silicon											N.E.
51.	73.18	Tubes & pipes of iron/steel											N.E.
52.	73.21	Structures											N.E.
53.	74.10	Stranded wire											N.E.
54.	82.14	Spoons											N.E.
55.	84.10	Turbine pumps 4/	-	16	-	-	...	-	-	-	-	1	17
56.	84.15	Refrigerators	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6
57.	84.16	Rubber rollers											N.E.
58.	84.17	Tea driers											N.E.
59.	84.22	Blocks & chain blocks											N.E.
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61.	84.25	Tea stalk extracters											N.E.
62.	84.45	Machine tools											N.E.
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66.	85.06	Room fans											N.E.
67.	85.20	Lamps	-	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...
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69.	85.24	Carbon brushes	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	-	-	-	...
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71.	87.12	87.10 & 87.11 Parts	...	...	...	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4
72.	90.17	Medical instrument	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-	18
73.	94.03	Furniture	-	7	2	39	10	2	3	5	-	-	68
74.	94.04	Mattress	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
		Total (%)	1,341 (0.40)	68,870 (22.20)	3,192 (1.00)	17,334 (5.60)	59,037 (19.00)	1,712 (0.50)	21,346 (6.90)	10,740 (3.50)	11,471 (3.70)	115,476 (37.20)	310,519 (100.00)

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