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Addendum

The Permanent Mission of Austria has provided the following information on preferential imports under the Austrian GSP in 1985.

Review of preferential imports under the Austrian GSP scheme (1985); structure, development and trends

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Annexes A and B containing further details are available in the secretariat for inspection by interested delegations.

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1. In 1985 total imports under the GSP amounted to S 6,179,358,875 (US$298.7 million), decreasing by 3.5 per cent in terms of Austrian Shillings. Imports of products falling within CCCN chapters 1-24 under the GSP amounted to S 464,763,050 representing an increase of 9 per cent and those of products falling within CCCN chapters 25-99 amounted to S 5,714,595,825, representing a decrease of more than 4 per cent.

1.1 Particular stress should be given to the fact that the term "dutiable imports" is to be understood to mean "dutiable on an m.f.n. basis". This interpretation, though being in line with international notification requirements, leads to rather unforeseen results in cases where the m.f.n. rates of duty are temporarily suspended by the Austrian Government on a world-wide basis, whereas the same items are covered by the Austrian GSP scheme. In these cases the heading is indicated as m.f.n. dutiable, and no preferential imports have been recorded, since all imports of this item were admitted at nil rates of duty on the basis of the temporary suspension. This applies in particular to bananas (CCCN ex 08.01), raw coffee (ex 09.01), raw cocoa beans (ex 18.01) and raw oil (27.09). Attention is drawn to para. 8 where further information is given.

1.2. On legislative grounds, Portugal was included in the list of preference-receiving countries under the Austrian GSP scheme in 1985. However, Portugal was a member State of EFTA in the year, and Portuguese exports to Austria were treated under the terms of the EFTA-Agreement and not under the less favourable GSP terms. Thus, imports from Portugal have not been taken into account in any of the lists, reviews or information attached.

A. Preferential imports in 1985 by preference-receiving country

2. Preferential imports from the following 66 preference-receiving countries were recorded in 1985. Certain comparable data for previous years are also provided.

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[1] In this Document all figures are given in Austrian Shillings unless otherwise indicated. To facilitate conversion into US$, the average exchange rates for the years mentioned are given below:

1980 - 100 A.Sh. - 7.73 US$; 1US$ - 12.94 A.Sh.

1981 - 100 A.Sh. - 6.28 US$; 1US$ - 15.92 A.Sh.

1982 - 100 A.Sh. - 5.86 US$; 1US$ - 17.06 A.Sh.

1983 - 100 A.Sh. - 5.57 US$; 1US$ - 17.96 A.Sh.

1984 - 100 A.Sh. - 5.00 US$; 1US$ - 20.01 A.Sh.

1985 - 100 A.Sh. - 4.83 US$; 1US$ - 20.69 A.Sh.

country	import value in 1985	rank 1985	1984	*) 1983	in 1982	1981	1980	increase/decrease in import value in % 1984/85
Europe								
Bulgaria	63,966,593	16.	12.	18.	12.	7.	11.	- 24
Cyprus	18,299,590	27.	31.	52.	49.	54.	-	+ 137
Malta	3,968,293	37.	39.	29.	30.	33.	40.	+ 15
Romania	380,104,504	5.	4.	3.	3.	5.	5.	- 32
Turkey	210,093,010	9.	8.	8.	9.	19.	23.	+ 11
Yugoslavia	1,558,416,900	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	1.	- 8
Asia								
Afghanistan	33,388,746	21.	23.	24.	25.	28.	28.	+ 85
Bangladesh	6,989,493	31.	40.	38.	35.	34.	38.	+ 106
Burma	-	-	60.	-	-	-	-	-
China	240,097,219	6.	6.	6.	7.	8.	16.	+ 4
Hongkong	479,443,381	4.	5.	5.	5.	3.	3.	- 9
India	218,638,412	7.	9.	9.	8.	9.	10.	+ 63
Indonesia	41,362,442	19.	19.	19.	21.	23.	24.	+ 20
Iran	72,730,589	13.	14.	13.	19.	15.	9.	- 8
Iraq	-	-	-	-	46.	-	-	-
Israel	66,273,716	14.	15.	11.	14.	12.	15.	- 13
Korea Rep.	1,014,740,852	2.	2.	2.	2.	2.	2.	- 10
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	54.	48.	47.	-
Macao	19,059,378	26.	24.	28.	33.	29.	35.	+ 20
Malaysia	100,165,688	12.	13.	15.	13.	11.	13.	+ 23
Nepal	1,871,828	42.	35.	44.	44.	45.	51.	- 62
Pakistan	64,456,373	15.	16.	12.	16.	17.	17.	+ [illegible]

*) as preferential supplier

country	import value in 1985	rank 1985	1984	*) 1983	in 1982	1981	1980	increase/decrease in import value in % 1984/85
Philippines	41,931,082	18.	17.	14.	11.	10.	14.	- 23
Saudi-Arabia	21,478,014	25.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Singapore	59,437,320	17.	18.	16.	17.	21.	25.	+ 31
Sri Lanka	27,229,927	22.	25.	25.	28.	30.	30.	+ 84
Syria	-	-	-	58.	48.	50.	45.	-
Taiwan	743,536,435	3.	3.	4.	4.	4.	4.	+ 1
Thailand	155,049,403	10.	11.	10.	10.	16.	18.	+ 62
Vietnam	992,720	43.	47.	-	-	-	-	+ 16
<u>Africa</u>								
Algeria	-	-	61.	-	-	-	-	-
Botswana	-	-	63.	-	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	317,688	57.	55.	47.	59.	55.	52.	+ 55
Comoros	1,959,796	41.	41.	33.	36.	43.	55.	- 27
Egypt	154,453,207	11.	10.	17.	15.	22.	22.	+ 18
Ethiopia	-	-	-	-	-	61.	-	-
Gambia	155,439	61.	-	-	-	-	39.	-
Ghana	830,783	48.	45.	41.	34.	47.	37.	- 30
Ivory Coast	13,493,344	28.	26.	30.	27.	24.	26.	+ 7
Kenya	5,124,460	35.	38.	40.	40.	37.	36.	+ 28
Lesotho	49,654	65.	-	55.	56.	63.	-	-
Liberia	-	-	-	-	-	-	54.	-
Libya	8,457,269	30.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	3,943,389	38.	34.	35.	31.	32.	31.	- 29

*) as preferential supplier

country	import value in 1985	rank 1985	1984	*) 1983	in 1982	1981	1980	increase/decrease in import value in % 1984/85
Malawi	365,613	54.	-	-	62.	-	62.	-
Mali	549,971	51.	58.	46.	-	-	-	+ 558
Mauritius	3,747,124	39.	37.	26.	45.	59.	-	- 7
Morocco	6,148,348	33.	29.	22.	24.	26.	29.	- 36
Nigeria	-	-	-	-	61.	-	-	-
Seychelles	-	-	-	56.	-	60.	63.	-
Sudan	543,770	52.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Swaziland	-	-	-	57.	57.	53.	-	-
Tanzania	-	-	-	43.	39.	49.	64.	-
Tunisia	4,505,722	36.	32.	31.	22.	20.	33.	- 37
Zaire	984,238	44.	33.	39.	41.	38.	44.	- 85
Zambia	-	-	46.	-	-	36.	34.	-
Zimbabwe	326,445	56.	48.	53.	52.	-	59.	- 49
<u>America</u>								
Argentina	34,028,443	20.	27.	23.	23.	25.	21.	+ 226
Bahamas	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.	-
Barbados	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.	-
Bolivia	98,872	64.	56.	49.	42.	39.	46.	- 44
Brazil	214,817,508	8.	7.	7.	6.	6.	6.	+ 1
Chile	959,308	45.	44.	51.	53.	64.	57.	- 26
Colombia	136,778	63.	57.	61.	50.	41.	42.	+ 30
Costa Rica	254,370	59.	52.	60.	-	40.	-	- 34

*) as preferential supplier

country	import value in 1985	1985	rank 1984	*) 1983	in 1982	1981	1980	increase/decrease in import value in % 1984/85
Cuba	678,556	50.	-	-	54.	-	-	-
Dominican.Rep.	-	-	62.	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	21,519,781	24.	22.	27.	26.	13.	8.	+ 19
El Salvador	14,352	66.	59.	-	60.	57.	58.	- 76
Grenada	946,548	46.	53.	48.	51.	51.	48.	+ 172
Guatemala	422,791	53.	51.	45.	46.	44.	53.	- 11
Haiti	235,121	60.	49.	50.	58.	52.	41.	- 61
Honduras	679,795	49.	54.	54.	63.	46.	50.	+ 178
Jamaica	862,440	47.	42.	42.	43.	42.	49.	- 42
Mexico	5,917,155	34.	36.	32.	29.	27.	27.	+ 46
Netherl.Antilles	6,910,394	32.	28.	34.	31.	31.	32.	- 31
Panama	255,242	58.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	329,050	55.	50.	62.	-	56.	61.	- 39
Peru	24,162,387	23.	21.	21.	18.	18.	20.	+ 1
St. Lucia	-	-	-	-	-	62.	60.	-
Surinam	-	-	-	37.	-	-	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	3,310,162	40.	30.	36.	37.	35.	43.	- 58
Uruguay	13,002,683	29.	20.	20.	20.	14.	19.	- 60
Venezuela	-	-	43.	-	38.	-	-	-
<u>Oceania</u>								
Papua-New-Guinea	138,971	62.	-	59.	-	-	-	-

*) as preferential supplier

B. Preferential imports by region in 1985 and in 1972-1985

3. Total per region:

region	import value in 1985	change in % 1984/85
Europe	2,234,848,890	- 12
Asia	3,408,873,018	+ 2
Africa	205,956,260	+ 10
America	329,541,736	+ 1
Oceania	138,971	-

The following tables indicate the continuing dynamic trend of preferential imports from extra-European preference-receiving countries, 1985 in particular again from the African region, matched by a continued decreasing trend of the percentage share of European preference-receiving countries:

	Europe	Asia	Africa	America	Oceania
1972	122,070,640	45,189,292	258,136	7,852,107	-
1973	776,212,525	175,299,440	3,282,116	32,196,340	-
1974	890,906,385	348,023,191	12,289,188	43,831,109	-
1975	1,046,969,387	576,920,839	21,063,906	80,703,866	-
1976	1,111,251,598	940,112,219	26,063,458	152,419,335	-
1977	1,310,050,859	1,223,890,523	35,209,366	275,229,732	-
1978	1,291,168,160	1,280,391,272	39,304,438	405,225,757	336,443
1979	1,521,783,482	1,711,806,998	80,776,726	467,721,445	-
1980	1,600,974,078	2,247,683,275	73,593,308	553,301,147	-
1981	1,261,135,396	2,306,569,171	96,680,549	338,385,571	-
1982	1,547,810,144	2,342,478,822	113,580,266	286,680,451	-
1983	2,069,496,128	2,689,312,097	101,312,647	266,043,602	27,859
1984	2,549,116,674	3,341,981,204	186,427,043	326,752,915	-
1985	2,234,848,890	3,408,873,018	205,956,260	329,541,736	138,971

percentage share from total preferential imports

	Europe	Asia	Africa	America	Oceania
1972	69,61	25,76	0,15	4,48	-
1973	78,64	17,76	0,33	3,26	-
1974	68,79	26,88	0,95	3,38	-
1975	60,67	33,43	1,22	4,68	-
1976	49,82	42,14	1,21	6,83	-
1977	46,06	43,03	1,24	9,67	-
1978	42,80	42,46	1,30	13,43	0,01
1979	40,24	45,26	2,14	12,37	-
1980	35,77	50,22	1,65	12,36	-
1981	31,51	57,62	2,42	8,45	-
1982	36,07	54,60	2,65	6,68	-
1983	40,37	52,46	1,98	5,19	0,00
1984	39,80	52,19	2,91	5,10	-
1985	36,17	55,17	3,33	5,33	0,00

C. The share of preference-receiving countries in total preferential imports in 1981-1985

4. The share of these 66 preference-receiving countries in the total preferential imports, and their rank in this respect, were as follows, again compared with the situation in 1981, 1982, 1983 and 1984:

rank	country	percentage share in					position in 1985 *) better (+) or worse (-) than in 1984
		1985	1984	1983	1982	1981	
1.	Yugoslavia	25,22	26,59	24,56	21,24	17,63	-
2.	Rep. Korea	16,42	17,61	16,94	17,26	16,35	-
3.	Taiwan	12,03	11,49	11,29	11,16	12,06	+
4.	Hongkong	7,76	8,22	8,71	10,34	13,50	-
5.	Romania	6,15	8,77	12,30	11,71	10,19	-
6.	China	3,89	3,61	4,08	3,41	2,65	+
7.	India	3,54	2,09	2,28	2,78	2,44	+
8.	Brazil	3,48	3,32	3,36	3,93	3,97	+
9.	Turkey	3,40	2,96	2,53	1,59	0,72	+
10.	Thailand	2,51	1,49	1,70	1,56	1,19	+
11.	Egypt	2,50	2,05	0,87	1,08	0,59	+
12.	Malaysia	1,62	1,27	0,95	1,26	1,53	+
13.	Iran	1,18	1,24	0,99	0,86	1,21	-
14.	Israel	1,07	1,19	1,24	1,20	1,42	-
15.	Pakistan	1,04	0,97	1,07	0,96	1,14	+
16.	Bulgaria	1,04	1,31	0,84	1,43	2,86	-
17.	Singapore	0,96	0,71	0,88	0,92	0,62	+
18.	Philippines	0,68	0,85	0,97	1,52	2,19	-
19.	Indonesia	0,67	0,54	0,59	0,70	0,58	+
20.	Argentina	0,55	0,16	0,35	0,43	0,41	+
21.	Afghanistan	0,54	0,28	0,33	0,30	0,24	+
22.	Sri Lanka	0,44	0,23	0,24	0,18	0,17	+
23.	Peru	0,39	0,37	0,43	0,87	0,90	+
24.	Ecuador	0,35	0,28	0,16	0,30	1,34	+
25.	Saudi-Arabia	0,35	-	-	-	-	
26.	Macao	0,31	0,25	0,13	0,08	0,22	+
27.	Cyprus	0,30	0,12	0,01	0,01	0,01	+
28.	Ivory Coast	0,22	0,20	0,11	0,27	0,57	+
29.	Uruguay	0,21	0,51	0,55	0,71	1,22	-
30.	Libya	0,14	-	-	-	-	

*) as preferential supplier in 1985

31.	Bangladesh	0,11	0,05	0,05	0,06	0,08	+
32.	Netherl. Antilles	0,11	0,16	0,07	0,09	0,15	-
33.	Morocco	0,10	0,15	0,36	0,41	0,32	-
34.	Mexico	0,10	0,06	0,08	0,18	0,24	+
35.	Kenya	0,08	0,06	0,04	0,03	0,05	+
36.	Tunisia	0,07	0,11	0,10	0,54	0,62	-
37.	Malta	0,06	0,05	0,13	0,09	0,09	+
38.	Madagascar	0,06	0,09	0,07	0,09	0,10	-
39.	Mauritius	0,06	0,06	0,21	0,02	0,00	
40.	Trinidad and Tobago	0,05	0,12	0,05	0,04	0,07	-
41.	Comoros	0,03	0,04	0,08	0,05	0,02	-
42.	Nepal	0,03	0,08	0,02	0,02	0,01	-
43.	Vietnam	0,02	0,01	-	-	-	+
44.	Zaire	0,02	0,10	0,05	0,03	0,05	-
45.	Chile	0,02	0,02	0,01	0,01	0,00	
46.	Grenada	0,02	0,01	0,01	0,01	0,01	+
47.	Jamaica	0,01	0,02	0,03	0,03	0,02	-
48.	Ghana	0,01	0,02	0,03	0,07	0,01	-
49.	Honduras	0,01	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,01	+
50.	Cuba	0,01	-	-	0,00	-	
51.	Mali	0,01	0,00	0,01	-	-	+
52.	Sudan	0,01	-	-	-	-	
53.	Guatemala	0,01	0,01	0,01	0,01	0,02	
54.	Malawi	0,01	-	-	0,00	-	
55.	Paraguay	0,01	0,01	0,00	-	-	
56.	Zimbabwe	0,01	0,01	0,00	0,01	-	
57.	Cameroon	0,01	0,00	0,01	0,00	0,00	+
58.	Panama	0,00	-	-	-	-	
59.	Costa Rica	0,00	0,01	0,00	-	-	-
60.	Haiti	0,00	0,01	0,01	0,00	0,01	-
61.	Gambia	0,00	-	-	-	-	
62.	Papua-New-Guinea	0,00	-	0,00	-	-	
63.	Colombia	0,00	0,00	0,00	0,01	0,03	
64.	Bolivia	0,00	0,00	0,01	0,03	0,04	
65.	Lesotho	0,00	-	0,00	0,00	0,00	
66.	El Salvador	0,00	0,00	-	0,00	0,00	

*) as preferential supplier in 1985

5. In 1985 the trend of a greater diversification of imports from preference-receiving countries continued to recover. The first two suppliers, Yugoslavia and the Republic of Korea, together accounted for 41.64 per cent of total preferential imports; together with the third supplier, again Taiwan, the 50 per cent-limit was surpassed (53.67 per cent). The first ten suppliers totalled in 1985 84.40 per cent of preferential imports (in 1984 the respective figure was 86.71 per cent, in 1983 87.75 per cent, in 1982 84.97 per cent, in 1981 83.84 per cent, in 1980 79.38 per cent, in 1979 82.23 per cent, in 1978 81.97 per cent, in 1977 83.30 per cent, in 1976 84.25 per cent, in 1975 83.43 per cent, in 1974 88.53 per cent, in 1973 93.44 per cent and in 1972 95.18 per cent).

D. Total imports, m.f.n. dutiable imports and preferential imports in 1985 by preference-receiving country and the share of preferential imports in total imports and m.f.n. dutiable imports

6. In 1985, the percentage shares of preferential imports in total imports and in m.f.n. dutiable imports from the 66 preference-receiving countries listed in paragraph 2 above were as follows:

country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total / dutiable	preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Europe										
Bulgaria	577,754 / 325,572	63,967	11,07 / 19,65	34. / 36.	15,90 / 21,51	28. / 34.	11,93 / 22,21	35. / 33.	13,28 / 30,01	26. / 24.
Cyprus	77,803 / 40,976	18,300	23,52 / 44,66	21. / 18.	11,63 / 28,85	32. / 26.	0,53 / 1,08	52. / 52.	1,00 / 1,78	50. / 49.
Malta	50,374 / 50,353	3,968	7,88 / 7,88	39. / 41.	8,60 / 8,60	37. / 43.	19,17 / 19,18	27. / 35.	12,16 / 12,17	28. / 35.
Romania	1.365,389 / 873,975	380,105	27,84 / 43,49	18. / 19.	35,79 / 50,77	16. / 17.	42,60 / 58,83	13. / 12.	41,31 / 61,63	8. / 7.
Turkey	1.377,055 / 934,035	210,093	15,26 / 22,49	27. / 33.	16,06 / 23,19	27. / 33.	13,03 / 19,05	33. / 36.	7,61 / 11,40	37. / 37.
Yugoslavia	3.770,350 / 2.914,660	1.558,417	41,33 / 53,47	9. / 13.	45,69 / 58,66	9. / 12.	44,16 / 58,62	12. / 13.	36,51 / 59,09	12. / 10.
Asia										
Afghanistan	39,653 / 30,230	33,389	84,20 / 100	3. / 1.	38,78 / 41,49	13. / 23.	37,22 / 39,05	19. / 23.	33,51 / 38,39	13. / 20.
Bangladesh	11,307 / 10,779	6,989	61,81 / 64,84	5. / 8.	44,52 / 45,72	10. / 19.	47,89 / 50,86	11. / 17.	38,43 / 41,37	9. / 15.

*) in terms of utilization

country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total / dutiable	preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Burma	1,772 / 19	-	-	-	0,72 / 78,95	50. / 6.	-	-	-	-
China	678,978 / 509,710	240,097	35,36 / 47,10	12. / 17.	44,36 / 55,37	11. / 14.	50,50 / 61,43	10. / 9.	41,55 / 60,11	7. / 9.
Hongkong	1.764,779 / 1.724,335	479,443	27,17 / 27,80	19. / 30.	27,31 / 27,93	21. / 28.	27,66 / 28,15	21. / 27.	29,87 / 30,41	15. / 23.
India	625,024 / 561,083	218,638	34,98 / 38,97	13. / 23.	20,73 / 24,11	23. / 31.	20,99 / 23,36	25. / 30.	21,33 / 23,40	20. / 27.
Indonesia	301,213 / 185,100	41,362	13,73 / 22,35	32. / 34.	7,91 / 10,90	39. / 39.	10,41 / 20,41	36. / 34.	11,95 / 21,46	29. / 28.
Iran	1.332,150 / 1.300,603	72,731	5,46 / 5,59	42. / 45.	8,67 / 8,98	36. / 42.	14,09 / 15,74	32. / 38.	4,00 / 4,14	43. / 47.
Iraq	1.661,405 / 1.661,370	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0,10 / 0,10	57. / 58.
Israel	713,030 / 354,037	66,274	9,29 / 18,72	37. / 37.	10,97 / 20,69	34. / 35.	9,67 / 16,90	39. / 37.	7,20 / 14,19	38. / 34.
Korea, Rep. of	1.359,605 / 1.266,050	1.014,741	74,63 / 80,15	4. / 5.	77,44 / 83,50	3. / 4.	69,80 / 75,94	5. / 6.	77,78 / 81,45	4. / 6.
Lebanon	7,567 / 444	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,05 / 40,69	47. / 17.

*) in terms of utilization

country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total / dutiable	preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Macao	94,057 / 94,046	19,059	20,26 / 20,27	24. / 35.	17,39 / 17,39	24. / 36.	9,86 / 11,14	38. / 40.	5,89 / 5,89	40. / 42.
Malaysia	662,864 / 186,868	100,166	15,11 / 53,60	28. / 12.	11,49 / 43,79	33. / 21.	8,19 / 40,58	41. / 21.	10,20 / 36,94	32. / 21.
Nepal	5,877 / 5,843	1,872	31,85 / 32,04	16. / 28.	64,17 / 64,48	5. / 10.	33,40 / 34,08	18. / 25.	38,04 / 39,76	10. / 19.
Pakistan	137,492 / 123,368	64,456	46,88 / 52,25	8. / 14.	40,74 / 44,59	12. / 20.	37,43 / 42,06	17. / 20.	36,70 / 42,66	11. / 14.
Philippines	282,915 / 102,831	41,931	14,82 / 40,78	29. / 21.	16,36 / 45,89	26. / 18.	15,96 / 30,33	29. / 26.	24,48 / 44,85	19. / 13.
Saudi-Arabia	2.334,160 / 2.272,144	21,478	0,92 / 0,95	51. / 53.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Singapore	313,875 / 178,617	59,437	18,94 / 33,28	26. / 27.	15,14 / 26,84	29. / 29.	15,75 / 25,92	30. / 15.	13,86 / 19,78	27. / 30.
Sri Lanka	128,760 / 71,248	27,230	21,15 / 38,22	22. / 24.	13,40 / 23,72	31. / 32.	15,46 / 22,38	31. / 32.	10,44 / 19,49	31. / 31.
Syria	336,673 / 305,132	-	-	-	-	-	1,14 / 8,92	49. / 42.	0,07 / 0,07	60. / 60.
Taiwan	1.326,498 / 1.122,721	743,536	56,05 / 66,23	7. / 7.	55,35 / 62,84	6. / 11.	56,08 / 60,04	7. / 11.	56,72 / 60,60	5. / 8.

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country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total / dutiable	preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Thailand	378,662 / 241,552	155,049	40,95 / 64,19	10. / 9.	34,04 / 55,57	17. / 13.	37,01 / 55,42	20. / 14.	29,86 / 44,91	16. / 16.
Vietnam	3,299 / 1,756	993	30,10 / 56,55	17. / 11.	9,38 / 11,82	35. / 38.	-	-	-	-
Africa										
Algerien	3.421,352 / 3.310,561	-	-	-	0,00 / 0,00	63. / 63.	-	-	-	-
Botswana	1,307 / 1,296	-	-	-	1,20 / 4,17	47. / 48.	-	-	-	-
Cameroon	652,216 / 648,670	318	0,05 / 0,05	64. / 64.	0,35 / 0,39	53. / 55.	0,81 / 0,87	50. / 53.	0,11 / 0,12	54. / 56.
Comoros	2,263 / 2,263	1,960	86,61 / 86,61	2. / 4.	93,75 / 93,75	2. / 3.	94,10 / 94,31	1. / 4.	82,10 / 82,10	3. / 5.
Egypt	1.432,009 / 1.228,372	154,453	10,79 / 12,57	35. / 39.	30,45 / 72,67	18. / 7.	5,84 / 8,11	43. / 44.	3,18 / 3,42	46. / 43.
Gambia	59 / 59	155	100 / 100	1. / 1.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ghana	35,902 / 26,261	831	2,31 / 3,16	48. / 48.	1,20 / 1,33	48. / 52.	2,65 / 3,29	46. / 48.	4,07 / 4,65	42. / 46.
Ivory Coast	478,088 / 435,405	13,493	2,82 / 3,10	47. / 49.	3,47 / 3,92	45. / 49.	1,99 / 2,28	48. / 51.	3,25 / 3,69	45. / 48.

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country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total dutiable	preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Kenya	84,709 / 82,208	5,124	6,05 / 6,23	41. / 42.	4,14 / 4,41	44. / 47.	2,74 / 2,89	45. / 49.	1,63 / 1,71	48. / 50.
Lesotho	150 / 105	50	33,33 / 47,62	15. / 16.	-	-	0,07 / 0,07	60. / 60.	9,16 / 9,16	33. / 39.
Libya	4.511,524 / 4.511,496	8,457	0,19 / 0,19	59. / 61.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	19,436 / 16,663	3,943	20,29 / 23,66	23. / 31.	37,95 / 43,65	14. / 22.	53,27 / 68,21	8. / 8.	29,29 / 30,70	17. / 22.
Malawi	50,044 / 49,594	366	0,73 / 0,74	52. / 54.	-	-	-	-	0,11 / 0,11	54. / 57.
Mali	1,604 / 1,602	550	34,29 / 34,33	14. / 26.	7,95 / 8,30	38. / 44.	37,38 / 42,53	16. / 19.	-	-
Mauritius	9,216 / 9,195	3,747	40,66 / 40,75	11. / 22.	51,88 / 51,92	7. / 15.	79,12 / 79,18	3. / 5.	8,67 / 8,76	35. / 40.
Morocco	70,415 / 27,145	6,148	8,73 / 22,65	38. / 32.	14,88 / 35,54	30. / 25.	21,12 / 48,50	24. / 18.	14,70 / 56,32	25. / 11.
Nigeria	4.397,295 / 4.395,032	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0,01 / 0,01	62. / 62.
Seychelles	25 / 25	-	-	-	-	-	73,68 / 94,92	4. / 3.	-	-
Sudan	14,700 / 1,318	544	3,70 / 41,27	45. / 20.	-	-	-	-	-	-

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country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total / dutiable	preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Swaziland	1,639 / 1,639	-	-	-	-	-	52,53 / 52,53	9. / 16.	26,90 / 26,90	18. / 25.
Tanzania	20,079 / 9,061	-	-	-	-	-	8,65 / 10,90	40. / 41.	8,13 / 11,05	36. / 38.
Tunisia	100,120 / 74,955	4,506	4,50 / 6,01	44. / 43.	2,13 / 2,25	46. / 50.	0,48 / 0,48	53. / 56.	31,42 / 39,99	14. / 18.
Zaire	48,655 / 38,636	984	2,02 / 2,55	49. / 50.	7,19 / 9,88	41. / 40.	5,13 / 5,94	44. / 46.	3,65 / 5,37	44. / 44.
Zambia	8,824 / 1,156	-	-	-	48,41 / 66,78	8. / 9.	-	-	-	-
Zimbabwe	304,025 / 69,213	326	0,11 / 0,47	60. / 56.	0,28 / 1,40	55. / 51.	0,09 / 0,60	59. / 55.	0,09 / 0,52	58. / 54.
America										
Argentina	236,099 / 96,494	34,028	14,41 / 35,26	30. / 25.	5,14 / 15,60	42. / 37.	9,99 / 24,60	37. / 29.	6,87 / 15,30	39. / 33.
Bolivia	91,468 / 52,370	99	0,11 / 0,19	61. / 60.	0,21 / 0,48	57. / 53.	0,27 / 0,35	55. / 57.	1,13 / 1,36	49. / 51.
Brazil	2.940,850 / 2.579,058	214,818	7,30 / 8,33	40. / 40.	7,53 / 9,61	40. / 41.	7,29 / 8,33	42. / 43.	8,99 / 11,43	34. / 36.
Chile	183,828 / 17,125	959	0,52 / 5,60	54. / 44.	0,62 / 24,21	51. / 30.	0,15 / 5,22	57. / 47.	0,11 / 8,04	54. / 41.

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country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total dutiable / preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Colombia	547,963 / 522,592	137	0,03 / 0,03	65. / 65.	0,02 / 0,02	61. / 60.	0,00 / 0,00	62. / 62.	0,08 / 0,08	59. / 59.
Costa Rica	353,937 / 353,828	254	0,07 / 0,07	63. / 63.	0,12 / 0,12	59. / 62.	0,06 / 0,06	61. / 61.	-	-
Cuba	34,644 / 28,652	679	1,96 / 2,37	50. / 51.	-	-	-	-	0,29 / 0,67	53. / 53.
Dominican.Rep.	18,753 / 236	-	-	-	0,01 / 0,12	62. / 61.	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	90,782 / 73,607	21,520	23,71 / 29,24	20. / 29.	36,21 / 40,81	15. / 24.	21,84 / 22,97	23. / 31.	16,47 / 17,19	24. / 32.
El Salvador	294,005 / 293,541	14	0,00 / 0,00	66. / 66.	0,03 / 0,03	60. / 59.	-	-	0,05 / 0,05	61. / 61.
Grenada	1,633 / 1,577	947	57,99 / 60,05	6. / 10.	77,38 / 82,70	4. / 5.	93,22 / 99,28	2. / 2.	100 / 100	1. / 1.
Guatemala	144,286 / 142,562	423	0,29 / 0,30	58. / 59.	0,28 / 0,29	56. / 57.	0,64 / 0,65	51. / 54.	0,44 / 0,45	52. / 55.
Haiti	7,667 / 7,426	235	3,07 / 3,16	46. / 47.	4,69 / 4,69	43. / 46.	12,92 / 13,03	34. / 39.	4,98 / 4,98	41. / 45.
Honduras	175,215 / 175,002	680	0,39 / 0,39	56. / 58.	0,18 / 0,18	58. / 58.	0,12 / 0,12	58. / 59.	0,00 / 0,00	63. / 63.
Jamaica	6,511 / 5,723	862	13,24 / 15,06	33. / 38.	26,08 / 27,99	22. / 27.	24,91 / 28,04	22. / 28.	17,90 / 23,71	23. / 26.
Mexico	1.534,267 / 1.307,244	5,917	0,39 / 0,45	57. / 57.	0,39 / 0,42	52. / 54.	0,20 / 0,21	56. / 58.	0,65 / 0,73	51. / 52.

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country	Imports in 1985 in 1000 A.Sh. total / dutiable	preferential	percentage share in 1985	rank *)	percentage share in 1984	rank *)	percentage share in 1983	rank *)	percentage share in 1982	rank *)
Netherl. Antilles	147,734 / 147,734	6,910	4,68 / 4,68	43. / 46.	98,62 / 99,01	1. / 1.	38,00 / 39,24	15. / 22.	95,11 / 95,71	2. / 2.
Panama	269,039 / 268,847	255	0,09 / 0,09	62. / 62.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Paraguay	72,141 / 17,521	329	0,46 / 1,88	55. / 52.	0,83 / 7,01	49. / 45.	0,35 / 6,85	54. / 45.	-	-
Peru	120,021 / 30,525	24,162	20,13 / 79,15	25. / 6.	27,44 / 70,15	20. / 8.	39,74 / 61,36	14. / 10.	18,60 / 92,20	22. / 3.
St. Lucia	9 / 9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surinam	625 / -	-	-	-	-	-	63,23 / 100	6. / 1.	-	-
Trinidad and Tobago	23,587 / 3,477	3,310	14,03 / 95,20	31. / 3.	27,74 / 96,89	19. / 2.	21,24 / 75,21	26. / 7.	20,35 / 89,14	21. / 4.
Uruguay	132,196 / 26,035	13,003	9,84 / 49,94	36. / 15.	16,77 / 51,52	25. / 16.	17,71 / 35,29	28. / 24.	11,94 / 20,54	30. / 29.
Venezuela	1.244,556 / 1.244,518	-	-	-	0,35 / 0,35	54. / 56.	-	-	46,67 / 47,41	6. / 12.
Oceania										
Papua-New-Guinea	19,086 / 18,983	139	0,73 / 0,73	53. / 55.	-	-	2,33 / 2,44	47. / 50.		

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7. The information given in para. 6 above shows still great divergencies in the degree of utilization of the benefits offered under the Austrian scheme, but in general the rate of utilization continues to improve for most preference-receiving countries. The calculation of preferential imports is shown on the basis not only of total imports from individual preference-receiving countries, but also on the basis of dutiable imports from these countries. Thus, a comprehensive and by and large realistic information is given on the effective utilization of the Austrian GSP scheme by various preference-receiving countries. It is to be understood that "dutiable imports" means "dutiable on an mfn-basis".

8. In this connexion, however, it is recalled that some very important preferential imports into Austria cannot be recorded. This applies in particular to Bananas (CCCN No. ex 08.01), raw coffee beans (ex 09.01), raw cocoa beans (ex 18.01) and crude oil (CCCN 27.09) for which mfn-duties are temporarily suspended on a world-wide basis, although these items are included in the Austrian scheme. For information, the 1985 import data for these four items are given below (in 1000 A.Sh.):

Bananas:	
total imports	733,818
imports from preference-receiving countries	732,607
Coffee, not roasted:	
total imports	3,510,505
imports from preference-receiving countries	3,510,204
Cocoa beans, raw:	
total imports	531,201
imports from preference-receiving countries	529,360
Crude oil:	
total imports	26,767,972
imports from developing countries	22,099,686

9. Among the least developed countries, Afghanistan, Bangladesh, the Comoros, Gambia, Haiti, Lesotho, Malawi, Mali, Nepal and the Sudan have shown up as beneficiary suppliers in 1985. The following land-locked developing countries were among the preferential suppliers: Afghanistan, Bolivia, Lesotho, Malawi, Mali, Nepal, Paraguay and Zimbabwe. Among the developing island countries and territories, the following were recorded as suppliers: Comoros, Cuba, Cyprus, Grenada, Haiti, Hongkong, Indonesia, Jamaica, Macao, Madagascar, Malta, Mauritius, Netherl. Antilles, Papua-New-Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan and Trinidad and Tobago.