



First Quarter 2008 Tonnage Report

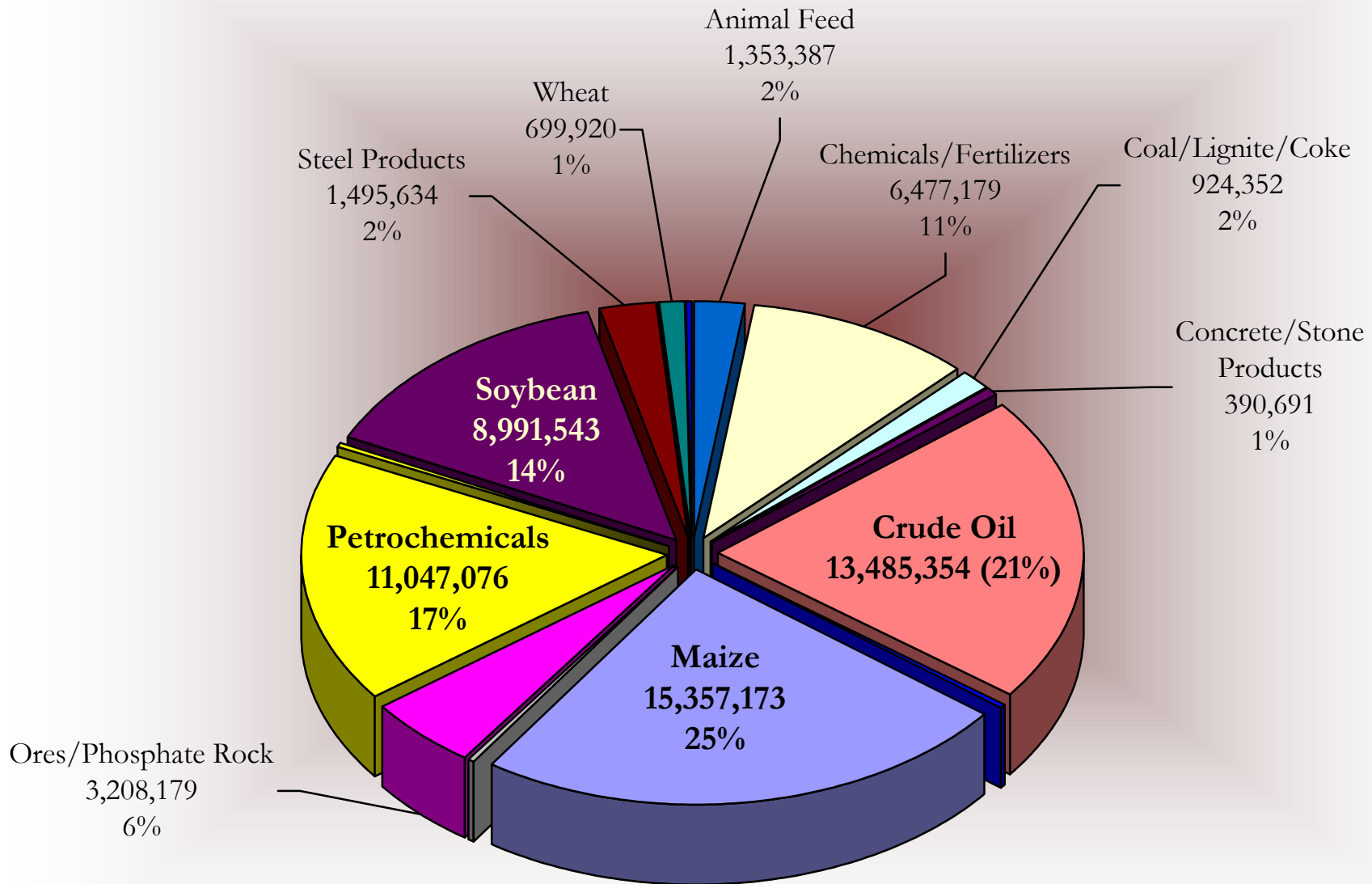
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Commodity Statistics and Summary
Total Throughput - First Quarter 2008 (*short tons*)

	Exports	Imports	Domestic Shipments	Domestic Receipts	Total Tonnage
Animal Feed	653,500	31,643	32,001	636,243	1,353,387
Chemicals/ Fertilizers	185,730	1,772,170	3,694,543	824,737	6,477,179
Coal/Lignite/ Coke	53,901	411,842	453,442	5,167	924,352
Concrete/Stone Products	-	304,896	65,152	20,642	390,691
Crude Oil	-	12,081,425	885,846	518,083	13,485,354
Edible Oils	140,975	3,311	21,548	111,265	277,099
Maize	7,860,866	-	-	7,496,306	15,357,173
Milo	121,697	-	-	14,696	136,394
Ores/Phosphate Rock	-	1,275,730	1,323,395	609,054	3,208,179
Petrochemicals	245,245	1,006,285	5,519,680	4,275,865	11,047,076
Rice	114,684	-	-	45,629	160,314
Soybean	4,690,539	-	-	4,301,004	8,991,543
Steel Products	18,632	1,015,103	438,333	23,566	1,495,634
Sugar/Molasses	-	59,868	61,558	44,210	165,635
Wheat	429,731	-	-	270,189	699,920
Other	25,129	77,082	-	13,987	116,197
TOTAL	14,540,629	18,039,355	12,495,498	19,210,644	64,286,126

Total Throughput - First Quarter 2008 (short tons)



Commodity Statistics and Summary
Total Throughput - First Quarter Comparison (*short tons*)

	1st Quarter 2008	1st Quarter 2007	% Change
Animal Feed	1,353,387	1,231,392	10%
Barley	-	3,344	-100%
Chemicals/ Fertilizers	6,477,179	5,750,704	13%
Coal/Lignite/ Coke	924,352	383,680	141%
Concrete/Stone Products	390,691	357,447	9%
Crude Oil	13,485,354	15,356,796	-12%
Edible Oils	277,099	207,006	34%
Maize	15,357,173	13,333,516	15%
Milo	136,394	266,869	-49%
Ores/Phosphate Rock	3,208,179	3,289,726	-2%
Petrochemicals	11,047,076	11,732,232	-6%
Rice	160,314	43,887	265%
Soybean	8,991,543	10,755,020	-16%
Steel Products	1,495,634	2,233,165	-33%
Sugar/Molasses	165,635	4,439	3631%
Wheat	699,920	1,043,581	-33%
Other	116,197	260,798	-55%
TOTAL	64,286,126	66,253,601	-3%

Commodity Statistics and Summary
Total Throughput - 12-Month Comparison
April 2006 - March 2007 VS April 2007 - March 2008 (short tons)

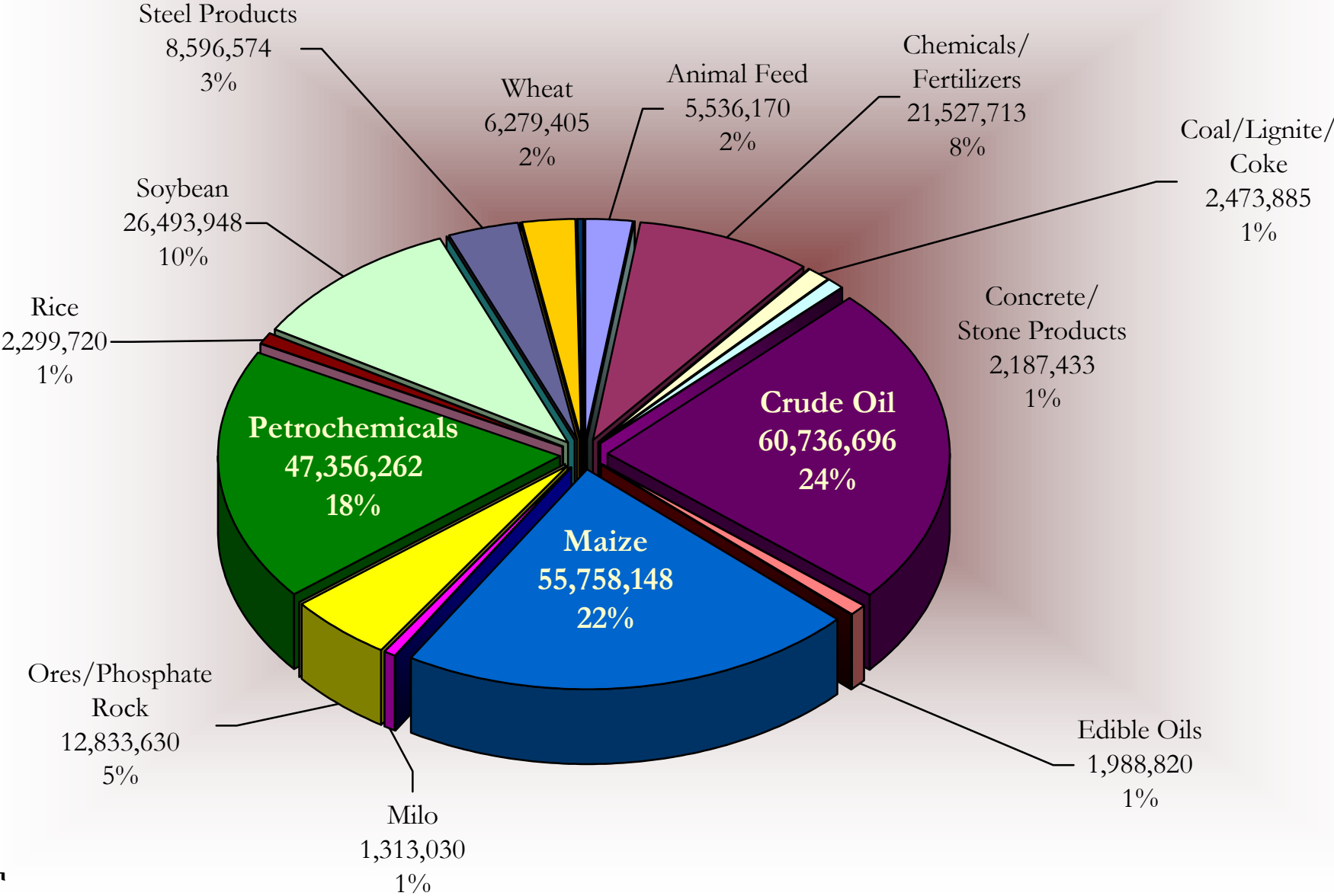
	Exports	Imports	D. Shipments	D. Receipts	Totals	% change	
Animal Feed	2006-2007	2,399,055	-	63,965	4,187,480	6,650,500	-17%
	2007-2008	2,468,130	31,643	42,984	2,993,412	5,536,170	
Barley	2006-2007	4,968	-	-	1,572	6,540	177%
	2007-2008	8,113	-	-	10,017	18,130	
Chemicals/ Fertilizers	2006-2007	830,310	3,741,593	8,887,000	6,199,936	19,658,838	10%
	2007-2008	701,188	5,416,267	11,767,785	3,642,473	21,527,713	
Coal/Lignite/ Coke	2006-2007	208,067	1,735,300	2,176,709	345,062	4,465,139	-45%
	2007-2008	298,627	1,058,993	966,904	149,361	2,473,885	
Concrete/ Stone Products	2006-2007	195,060	3,420,398	3,587,249	13,858	7,216,565	-70%
	2007-2008	-	1,354,703	720,598	112,132	2,187,433	
Crude Oil	2006-2007	266,953	51,169,595	5,498,489	3,628,895	60,563,932	0%
	2007-2008	239,041	53,130,269	4,900,797	2,466,589	60,736,696	
Edible Oils	2006-2007	687,587	-	20,124	179,370	887,080	124%
	2007-2008	686,601	21,763	406,900	873,557	1,988,820	
Maize	2006-2007	28,439,138	-	-	24,118,973	52,558,110	6%
	2007-2008	28,831,302	-	-	26,926,846	55,758,148	
Milo	2006-2007	770,978	-	6,282	328,994	1,106,253	19%
	2007-2008	679,225	-	-	633,806	1,313,030	
Ores/Phosphate Rock	2006-2007	130,833	4,494,498	3,503,426	2,007,822	10,136,578	27%
	2007-2008	14,098	4,755,341	5,624,199	2,439,992	12,833,630	

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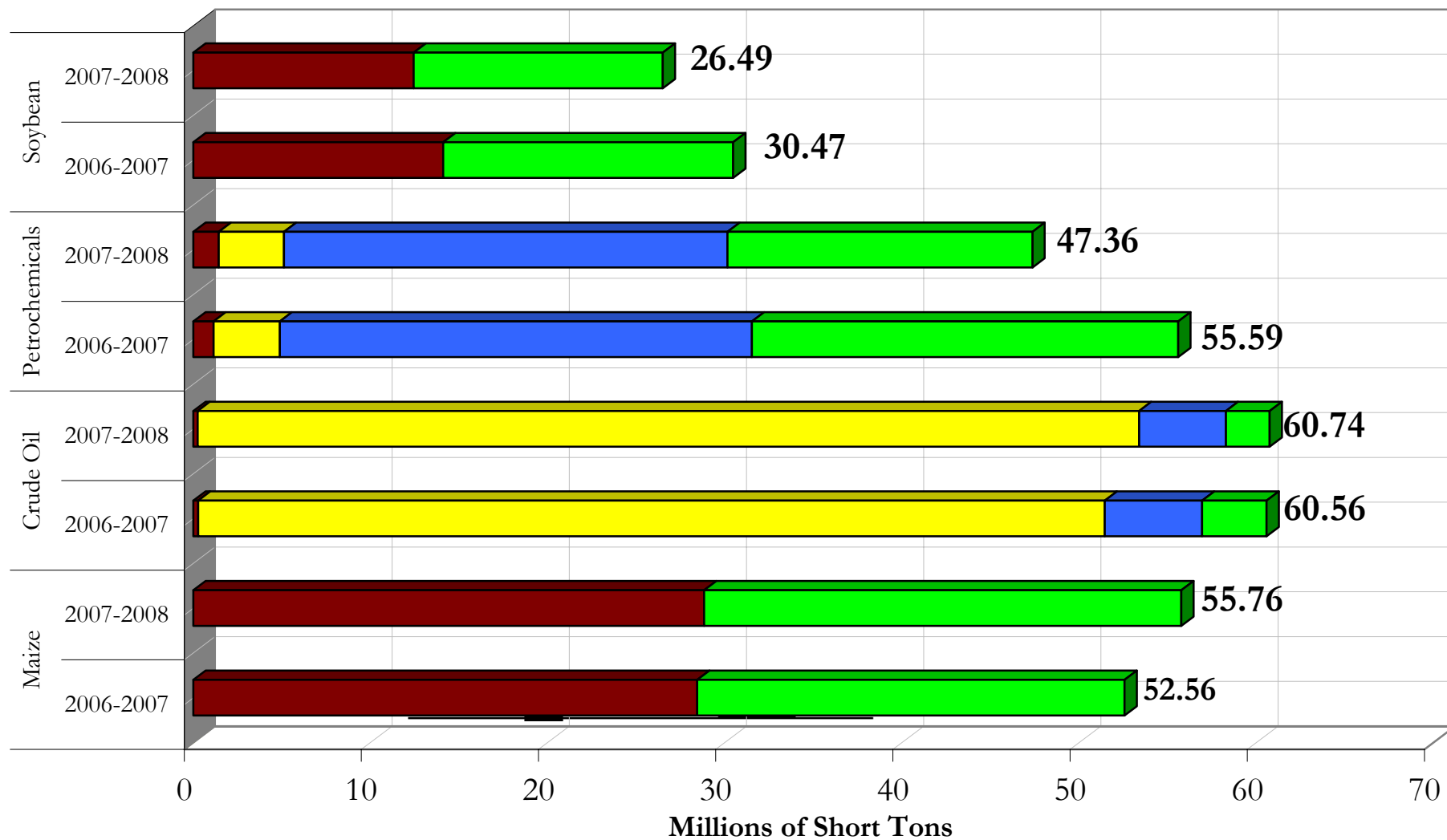
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Petrochemicals	2006-2007	1,134,999	3,741,906	26,649,143	24,059,697	55,585,744	-15%
	2007-2008	1,436,256	3,675,587	25,029,072	17,215,347	47,356,262	
Rice	2006-2007	209,386	25,753	-	244,146	479,286	380%
	2007-2008	2,112,775	8,832	-	178,113	2,299,720	
Soybean	2006-2007	14,101,359	-	-	16,367,895	30,469,254	-13%
	2007-2008	12,430,323	-	-	14,063,625	26,493,948	
Steel Products	2006-2007	11,499	4,107,193	4,156,687	280,774	8,556,153	0%
	2007-2008	38,550	4,952,940	3,348,115	256,968	8,596,574	
Sugar/Molasses	2006-2007	-	15,569	24,289	39,819	79,678	128%
	2007-2008	6,478	61,376	69,515	44,210	181,578	
Wheat	2006-2007	2,197,777	-	14,458	2,343,858	4,556,093	38%
	2007-2008	3,274,155	-	8,352	2,996,899	6,279,405	
Other	2006-2007	223,184	120,204	69,564	215,450	628,403	-20%
	2007-2008	187,078	272,240	11,378	31,502	502,198	
	2004-2005	51,811,152	72,572,010	54,657,385	84,563,599	263,604,145	-3%
	2005-2006	53,411,938	74,739,954	52,896,599	75,034,848	256,083,339	
% Change	3%	3%	-3%	-11%			

	2006-2007	2005-2006	% Change
# Vessel Calls	4,062	3,846	6%
# Barge Calls	52,268	53,233	-2%

Total Throughput - 12-Month Period
April 2007 - March 2008 (short tons)



*Total Throughput (short tons)
Top Four Commodities - 12-Month Comparison*



Exports

Imports

D. Shipments

D. Receipts