

Key indicators

Trade	7 mths '05 output		August '05 est.		8 mths'05 est.		8 mths change	
	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	amt. %	value %
TOTAL EXPORTS		17,551		2,800		20,351		18.7
Domestic enterprises		7,611		1,286		8,897		12.4
Foreign invested enterprises		9,940		1,514		11,454		24.1
Crude oil		4,020		564		4,584		29.6
non-oil exports		5,920		950		6,870		20.6
<i>Main commodities exported</i>								
Crude oil	10,230.0	4,020.0	1,311.0	564.0	11,542.0	4,584.0	-11.3	29.6
Coal	9,279.0	360.0	1,200.0	54.0	10,479.0	414.0	39.6	91.0
Textiles & garments		2,550.0		480.0		3,030.0		0.7
Seafood products		1,367.0		260.0		1,627.0		10.3
Footwear		1,706.0		290.0		1,996.0		10.5
Electronics & PCs		753.0		110.0		863.0		33.0
Rice	3,319.0	910.0	500.0	135.0	3,819.0	1,045.0	22.5	43.4
Coffee	536.0	414.0	40.0	37.0	576.0	451.0	-19.8	-5.7
Latex	236.0	289.0	55.0	72.0	291.0	361.0	5.6	12.3
Black pepper	64.0	88.0	10.0	13.0	74.0	101.0	-12.4	-11.5
Cashew	50.0	241.0	9.0	45.0	59.0	286.0	-10.0	12.8
Tea	39.0	41.0	8.0	10.0	47.0	51.0	-29.2	-17.7
Peanut	46.0	28.0	11.0	7.0	57.0	34.0	54.6	55.0
TOTAL IMPORTS		21,095		3,100		24,195		20.0
Domestic Enterprises		13,606		1,950		15,556		18.5
Foreign Invested Enterprises		7,489		1,150		8,639		22.8
<i>Main commodities imported</i>								
Automobiles		617.0		107.0		724.0		44.1
Machinery & spare parts		2,915.0		400.0		3,315.0		-0.5
Steel & steel billets	3,178.0	1,797.0	450.0	240.0	3,628.0	2,037.0	14.0	34.3
Steel billet	1,284.0	504.0	220.0	79.0	1,504.0	583.0	8.9	12.5
Fertiliser	1,605.0	363.0	280.0	64.0	1,885.0	427.0	-21.3	-3.5
Urea	495.0	128.0	80.0	20.0	575.0	148.0	-40.9	-21.0
Petroleum	7,008.0	2,833.0	920.0	430.0	7,928.0	3,263.0	6.0	43.9
Chemicals		486.0		75.0		561.0		34.5
Pharmaceuticals		260.0		45.0		305.0		16.3
Plastics	655.0	799.0	115.0	130.0	770.0	929.0	4.1	31.1
Cotton	97.0	106.0	15.0	17.0	112.0	123.0	14.9	-14.1
Yarn	124.0	205.0	16.0	26.0	140.0	231.0	-2.8	3.7
Textiles, garments materials & parts		1,273.0		185.0		1,458.0		-0.8
Motorbike kits ('000)		313.0		41.0		354.0		30.4
Electronics, PCs & components		916.0		135.0		1,051.0		34.7
TRADE BALANCE (US\$mIn.)		-3,544				-3,844		
(%)		-20.19%				-18.89%		

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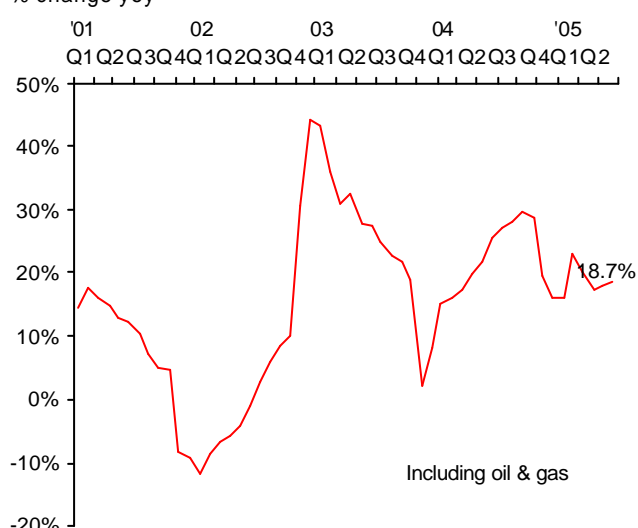
Industrial production	7 mths'05 output	August-05 est. output	8 mths est. output	Aug-05 % yoy	8 mths % yoy
VND billion *					
TOTAL INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT	245,103	40,659	285,762	18.1	16.2
State sector	78,780	12,662	91,442	9.0	9.6
Non-state sector	75,266	12,854	88,120	23.3	23.5
Foreign invested enterprises	91,057	15,143	106,200	22.4	16.7

Output of key commodities	Unit	7 mths'05	August-05	8 mths	Aug-05	8 mths
Crude oil	'000 tonnes	10,574.0	1,544.0	12,118.0	-10.3	-11.0
Coal	'000 tonnes	17,970.7	2,347.5	20,318.2	28.2	23.9
Electricity	mln kWh	29,989.4	4,743.3	34,732.7	14.6	14.7
Steel	'000 tonnes	1,955.1	307.8	2,262.9	18.2	16.5
Cement	'000 tonnes	15,786.0	2,196.2	17,982.2	13.5	13.7
Fertiliser	'000 tonnes	1,288.2	163.4	1,451.6	34.7	48.7
Automobiles	unit	32,567.0	5,831.0	38,398.0	60.8	42.9
Motorbikes	unit	1,020,500.0	147,788.0	1,168,288.0	12.8	15.2
Processed seafood	'000 tonnes	302.8	57.1	359.9	13.8	17.6
Ready-made clothes	mln units	536.0	89.1	625.1	12.7	10.5

	Aug vs Jul-05 %	Aug-05 %yoy	8 mths %yoy
<i>Main industrial centres</i>			
Hanoi	5.0	7.0	14.9
HCM City	2.7	16.1	13.7
Dong Nai	1.6	25.4	21.8
Binh Duong	4.4	32.7	33.8
Can Tho	2.5	19.0	27.4
Hai Phong	1.4	19.7	17.1
Da Nang	6.5	21.9	16.2
Ba Ria-Vung Tau	1.8	13.8	10.9

August 2005 exports

% change yoy



August 2005 trade deficit

% change yoy

