

## Key indicators

Trade	9 mths '05 output		October '05 est.		10 mths'05 est.		10 mths change	
	'000 t	US\$mln	'000 t	US\$mln	'000 t	US\$mln	amt.%	value %
<b>TOTAL EXPORTS</b>		<b>23,597</b>		<b>2,850</b>		<b>26,447</b>		<b>21.9</b>
<b>Domestic enterprises</b>		10,108		1,140		11,248		14.1
<b>Foreign invested enterprises</b>		13,488		1,710		15,198		28.4
<i>Crude oil</i>		5,466		760		6,226		33.5
<i>non-oil exports</i>		8,022		950		8,972		25.1
<i>Main commodities exported</i>								
Crude oil	13,327.0	5,466.0	1,630.0	760.0	14,957.0	6,226.0	-7.2	33.5
Coal	11,704.0	453.0	1,250.0	49.0	12,954.0	502.0	38.2	80.3
Textiles & garments		3,503.0		450.0		3,953.0		7.2
Seafood products		1,929.0		265.0		2,194.0		12.4
Footwear		2,180.0		220.0		2,400.0		10.6
Electronics & PCs		1,023.0		150.0		1,173.0		36.7
Rice	4,464.0	1,199.0	150.0	38.0	4,614.0	1,237.0	30.0	49.0
Coffee	684.0	544.0	50.0	44.0	734.0	588.0	-8.9	10.2
Latex	367.0	474.0	70.0	100.0	437.0	574.0	10.2	25.3
Black pepper	86.0	118.0	7.0	10.0	93.0	128.0	-6.8	-5.9
Cashew	76.0	358.0	10.0	50.0	86.0	408.0	0.4	18.1
Tea	56.0	60.0	8.0	9.0	64.0	69.0	-25.0	-15.2
Peanut	53.0	32.0	2.0	1.0	55.0	33.0	27.8	27.3
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>		<b>27,317</b>		<b>3,200</b>		<b>30,517</b>		<b>18.3</b>
<b>Domestic Enterprises</b>		17,339		2,000		19,339		14.9
<b>Foreign Invested Enterprises</b>		9,978		1,200		11,178		24.8
<i>Main commodities imported</i>								
Automobiles		794.0		85.0		879.0		28.7
Machinery & spare parts		3,827.0		550.0		4,377.0		1.6
Steel & steel billets	4,168.0	2,285.0	500.0	240.0	4,668.0	2,525.0	14.2	27.2
Steel billet	1,674.0	640.0	200.0	70.0	1,874.0	710.0	6.8	7.1
Fertiliser	2,001.0	440.0	200.0	36.0	2,201.0	476.0	-33.0	-25.8
Urea	547.0	140.0	30.0	6.0	577.0	146.0	-59.0	-50.3
Petroleum	8,792.0	3,736.0	850.0	450.0	9,642.0	4,186.0	4.7	43.1
Chemicals		629.0		75.0		704.0		29.5
Pharmaceuticals		351.0		45.0		396.0		19.7
Plastics	888.0	1,079.0	110.0	136.0	998.0	1,215.0	9.3	31.4
Cotton	121.0	133.0	10.0	11.0	131.0	144.0	111.3	-13.9
Yarn	159.0	265.0	15.0	24.0	174.0	290.0	-2.1	4.8
Textiles, garments materials & parts		1,660.0		210.0		1,870.0		2.5
Motorbike kits ('000)		413.0		51.0		464.0		32.1
Electronics, PCs & components		1,215.0		150.0		1,365.0		31.1
<b>TRADE BALANCE (US\$mln.)</b>		<b>-3,720</b>				<b>-4,070</b>		
(%)		<b>-15.76%</b>				<b>-15.39%</b>		

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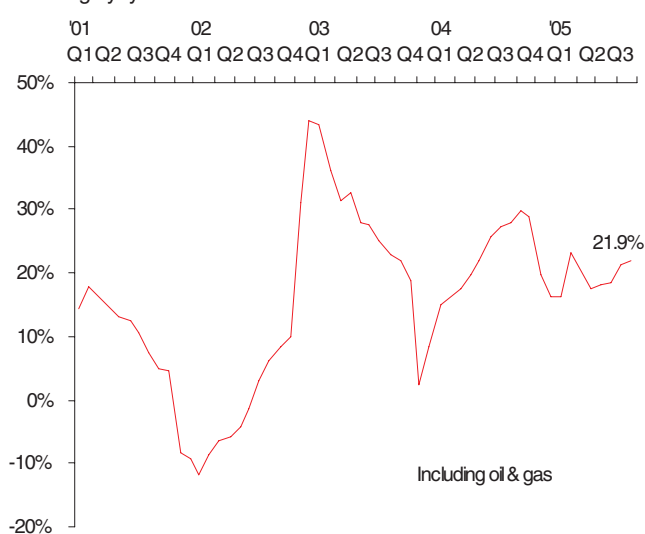
Industrial production	9 mths'05 output	Oct-05 est. output	10 mths est. output	Oct-05 % yoy	10 mths % yoy
VND billion *					
<b>TOTAL INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT</b>	<b>308,665</b>	<b>42,394</b>	<b>351,059</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>16.7</b>
State sector	106,114	12,981	119,095	8.0	9.1
Non-state sector	90,420	13,273	103,693	25.0	24.5
Foreign invested enterprises	112,131	16,140	128,271	22.3	18.4

Output of key commodities	Unit	9 mths'05 output	Oct-05 est. output	10 mths est. output	Oct-05 % yoy	10 mths % yoy
Crude oil	'000 tonnes	13,767.0	1,531.0	15,298.0	-8.5	-8.4
Coal	'000 tonnes	22,661.6	2,567.5	25,229.1	17.2	20.0
Electricity	mln kWh	38,880.1	4,560.4	43,440.5	16.1	14.0
Steel	'000 tonnes	2,588.1	363.1	2,951.2	41.4	21.1
Cement	'000 tonnes	20,110.5	2,218.2	22,328.7	-1.7	10.4
Fertiliser	000 tonnes	1,663.0	183.6	1,846.6	-6.8	35.6
Automobiles	unit	44,660.0	6,685.0	51,345.0	36.3	43.3
Motorbikes	'000 unit	1,312.2	152.2	1,464.4	13.4	14.0
Processed seafood	'000 tonnes	417.2	62.1	479.3	3.3	15.0
Ready-made clothes	mln units	727.3	98.3	825.6	28.7	13.8

	Oct vs Sep-05 %	Oct-05 %yoy	10 mths %yoy
<b>Main industrial centres</b>			
Hanoi	6.1	9.5	14.2
HCM City	6.2	15.7	13.9
Dong Nai	3.1	24.8	21.9
Binh Duong	3.2	26.8	32.4
Can Tho	2.7	16.8	24.8
Hai Phong	4.3	16.4	17.0
Da Nang	5.1	19.3	18.2
Ba Ria-Vung Tau	4.8	20.6	13.3

## October 2005 exports

% change yoy



## October 2005 trade deficit

% change yoy

