

## Key indicators

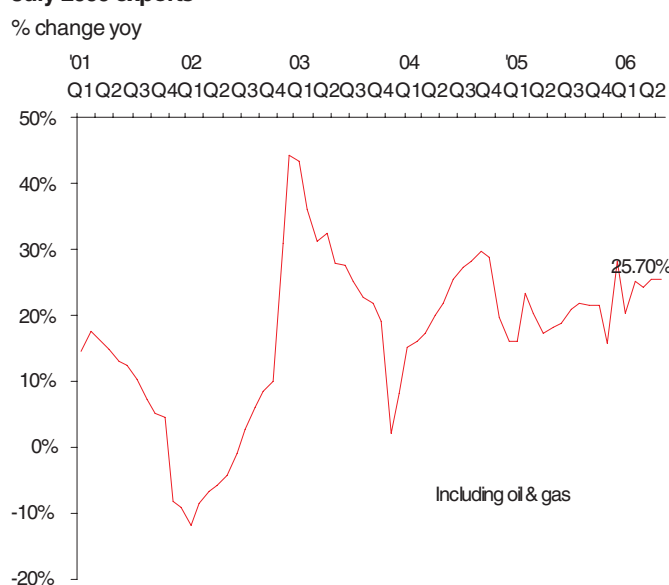
Trade	6 mth '06 output		July '06 est.		7 mths'06 est.		7 mths change	
	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	'000 t	US\$mIn	amt.%	value %
<b>TOTAL EXPORTS</b>		<b>18,838</b>		<b>3,500</b>		<b>22,338</b>		<b>25.7</b>
Domestic enterprises		7,908		1,460		9,368		21.3
Foreign invested enterprises		10,930		2,040		12,970		29.1
Crude oil		4,180		740		4,920		22.4
non-oil exports		6,750		1,300		8,050		33.5
<i>Main commodities exported</i>								
Crude oil	8,240.0	4,180.0	1,400.0	740.0	9,640.0	4,920.0	-5.8	22.4
Coal	13,615.0	428.0	2,200.0	70.0	15,815.0	498.0	67.2	35.4
Textiles & garments		2,762.0		600.0		3,362.0		32.1
Seafood products		1,426.0		310.0		1,736.0		25.5
Footwear		1,747.0		340.0		2,087.0		22.3
Electronics & PCs		770.0		130.0		900.0		19.8
Rice	2,843.0	771.0	500.0	135.0	3,343.0	906.0	-4.7	-5.4
Coffee	507.0	582.0	60.0	73.0	567.0	655.0	-12.6	29.4
Latex	290.0	517.0	55.0	118.0	345.0	635.0	41.6	113.2
Black pepper	76.0	109.0	13.0	20.0	89.0	129.0	36.9	44.3
Cashew	55.0	219.0	11.0	45.0	66.0	264.0	21.7	0.4
Tea	44.0	44.0	11.0	11.0	55.0	55.0	37.6	30.1
Peanut	9.0	6.0	2.0	2.0	11.0	8.0	-76.0	71.7
<b>TOTAL IMPORTS</b>		<b>20,715</b>		<b>4,050</b>		<b>24,765</b>		<b>16.5</b>
Domestic Enterprises		13,146		2,610		15,756		14.5
Foreign Invested Enterprises		7,569		1,440		9,009		20.3
<i>Main commodities imported</i>								
Automobiles		301.0	40.0	66.0		367.0		-41.1
Machinery & spare parts		2,938.0		500.0		3,438.0		16.3
Steel & steel billets	2,748.0	1,317.0	600.0	313.0	3,348.0	1,630.0	3.9	-10.1
Steel billet	926.0	339.0	250.0	106.0	1,176.0	445.0	-10.5	-13.2
Fertiliser	1,531.0	336.0	370.0	83.0	1,901.0	419.0	18.4	15.2
Urea	295.0	73.0	100.0	25.0	395.0	98.0	-20.8	-24.2
Petroleum	5,723.0	3,032.0	1,100.0	633.0	6,823.0	3,665.0	-2.9	29.0
Chemicals		463.0		90.0		553.0		12.9
Pharmaceuticals		257.0		45.0		302.0		11.0
Plastics	648.0	842.0	100.0	144.0	748.0	986.0	13.9	22.9
Cotton	87.0	104.0	15.0	18.0	102.0	122.0	5.2	14.0
Yarn	161.0	250.0	30.0	47.0	191.0	297.0	59.2	46.5
Textiles, garments materials & parts		1,018.0		180.0		1,198.0		-5.9
Motorbike kits ('000)		243.0		40.0		283.0		-9.5
Electronics, PCs & components		923.0		170.0		1,093.0		18.8
TRADE BALANCE (US\$mIn.)		<b>-1,877</b>				<b>-2,427</b>		
(%)		<b>-9.96%</b>				<b>-10.86%</b>		

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Industrial production	6 mths'06 output	July-06 est. output	7 mths est. output	Jul-06 % yoy	7 mths % yoy	
VND billion *						
<b>TOTAL INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT</b>	<b>241,794</b>	<b>44,264</b>	<b>286,058</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>16.5</b>	
State sector	76,989	14,061	91,050	10.4	9.6	
Non-state sector	74,022	13,087	87,109	24.5	21.4	
Foreign invested enterprises	90,783	17,116	107,899	21.7	18.8	
<b>Output of key commodities</b>						
	Unit					
Crude oil	'000 tonnes	8,519.0	1,483.0	10,002.0	-6.5	-5.4
Coal	'000 tonnes	19,272.5	3,186.2	22,458.7	38.1	24.6
Electricity	mln kWh	28,403.8	5,144.0	33,547.8	11.3	12.3
Steel	'000 tonnes	1,923.2	330.2	2,253.4	15.5	16.1
Cement	'000 tonnes	15,771.9	2,478.9	18,250.8	6.7	13.5
Fertiliser	'000 tonnes	1,058.8	131.4	1,190.2	-31.7	-8.6
Automobiles	unit	16,023.0	3,713.0	19,736.0	-27.5	-39.6
Motorbikes	unit	947,589.0	171,443.0	1,119,032.0	14.3	5.1
Processed seafood	'000 tonnes	295.6	59.2	354.8	10.4	13.5
Ready-made clothes	mln units	575.1	99.6	674.7	12.6	22.3
<b>Main industrial centres</b>						
				July-06 vs June-06 %	Jul-06 %yoy	7 mths %yoy
Hanoi				7.4	28.3	17.7
HCM City				5.1	18.5	13.5
Dong Nai				1.3	20.3	19.8
Binh Duong				4.8	25.6	19.4
Can Tho				1.8	21.1	22.1
Hai Phong				2.1	19.2	19.1
Da Nang				13.9	30.3	11.7
Ba Ria-Vung Tau				1.4	-1.2	9.2

(\*) 1 trillion dong = US\$63 mln

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**July 2006 exports****July 2006 trade deficit**