

U.S. SEABORNE TRADE WITH CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA 1992 - 2009

Metric Tons, 000s

REGION/COUNTRY	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992
	EXPORTS																	
CENTRAL AMERICA																		
Belize	207.5	182.9	131.0	156.5	171.7	106.0	194.1	83.7	118.0	179.5	68.9	74.3	76.3	63.6	72.5	82.7	107.6	90.0
Costa Rica	3,844.0	3,230.6	2,767.8	2,424.5	2,514.8	2,308.7	2,279.4	2,059.0	1,952.6	1,780.7	1,859.4	1,957.2	1,507.8	1,466.8	1,432.0	1,564.1	1,489.8	1,302.7
El Salvador	1,901.4	1,934.9	1,895.2	1,958.4	1,570.0	1,606.7	1,730.2	1,481.8	1,563.7	1,421.7	1,248.5	1,205.3	1,328.2	986.1	1,071.4	866.7	744.7	754.5
Guatemala	4,351.7	3,945.1	4,144.0	4,146.7	3,122.3	2,975.2	2,985.7	2,542.3	2,129.2	2,106.5	1,832.9	1,788.9	1,704.7	1,636.0	1,603.9	1,615.0	1,743.1	1,635.6
Honduras	3,142.8	3,307.5	3,499.0	2,803.1	2,395.5	2,445.7	2,481.1	1,663.1	1,340.7	1,439.3	1,352.6	1,389.8	1,529.6	1,197.0	980.1	694.7	880.8	843.6
Nicaragua	600.3	746.4	813.8	781.4	682.7	537.4	571.8	462.5	527.2	360.5	411.3	345.3	253.3	257.5	267.1	261.3	189.8	283.5
Panama	4,802.3	4,177.1	4,058.7	3,395.2	2,980.9	2,933.4	3,346.1	1,944.2	1,973.5	1,920.9	1,764.6	2,522.1	2,079.7	1,683.0	1,954.2	1,564.1	1,315.3	1,342.2
SUB-TOTAL CENTRAL AMERICA	18,849.9	17,524.5	17,309.5	15,665.8	13,437.9	12,913.2	13,588.4	10,236.5	9,604.8	9,209.1	8,538.1	9,282.9	8,479.7	7,290.0	7,381.3	6,648.7	6,471.0	6,252.1
SOUTH AMERICA																		
Argentina	2,781.2	2,978.1	2,159.2	1,913.0	1,632.9	1,547.6	1,210.5	964.5	1,285.8	1,479.1	1,266.0	1,918.2	2,464.7	1,624.0	1,691.8	1,835.0	1,510.8	1,310.4
Bolivia	46.9	73.4	68.5	59.5	58.9	109.9	139.0	99.9	71.0	95.7	140.1	161.7	190.5	214.9	151.4	199.9	213.0	252.4
Brazil	16,928.5	18,415.8	14,491.7	10,850.7	9,737.1	9,686.7	9,239.8	8,593.2	9,024.0	8,964.3	8,469.1	10,950.5	11,672.6	11,540.1	10,494.4	9,546.8	7,612.7	8,863.2
Chile	6,868.5	8,512.2	6,232.9	4,352.6	3,728.3	2,770.1	1,835.2	1,357.1	1,205.4	1,559.4	1,988.6	1,834.2	2,434.9	2,537.2	2,342.1	1,543.3	1,468.5	1,267.2
Colombia	6,821.7	8,468.2	7,602.0	6,719.9	5,877.8	4,820.3	4,506.2	4,645.6	4,092.9	4,217.3	4,245.3	4,104.9	4,134.1	4,285.5	3,633.1	2,780.5	2,306.7	2,313.6
Ecuador	3,591.2	2,367.4	2,708.6	2,770.6	1,819.7	1,721.0	1,286.5	1,615.4	1,274.7	1,153.8	1,259.3	2,115.3	1,912.4	1,371.9	1,500.6	783.0	1,068.8	881.1
French Guiana	4.3	4.7	3.5	2.3	1.5	1.5	2.3	2.8	1.9	1.8	2.2	2.6	4.5	3.0	3.9	4.0	2.4	5.0
Guyana	110.0	109.2	101.5	101.1	73.6	99.2	78.0	119.2	123.9	144.7	150.3	115.0	122.8	115.6	122.3	102.5	110.8	113.4
Paraguay	50.5	102.1	46.3	28.7	92.3	32.9	22.0	11.6	38.2	38.8	31.5	43.6	72.6	70.5	71.4	62.4	36.6	51.3
Peru	3,646.6	3,720.9	2,942.8	1,851.0	1,884.3	2,633.6	1,706.2	1,559.6	1,621.5	1,327.9	2,199.8	2,066.9	1,151.2	1,699.7	2,074.2	1,991.7	1,615.8	1,678.2
Suriname	426.5	441.1	530.2	469.2	485.3	494.2	498.1	423.4	401.5	401.0	432.3	397.7	376.6	393.0	420.0	128.7	227.0	317.6
Uruguay	218.8	266.5	117.9	134.0	84.6	107.3	115.1	53.5	76.2	85.5	82.3	114.0	105.0	142.2	87.1	119.8	49.4	38.0
Venezuela	5,870.7	6,846.2	5,114.1	4,809.3	3,953.3	3,597.8	3,520.1	3,474.8	4,518.1	5,007.1	4,473.7	5,440.8	5,264.5	4,420.9	4,907.3	4,445.3	4,474.1	4,725.6
SUB-TOTAL SOUTH AMERICA	47,365.5	52,305.8	42,119.2	34,061.9	29,429.6	27,622.0	24,159.1	22,920.7	23,735.1	24,476.3	24,740.5	29,265.5	29,906.3	28,418.3	27,499.4	23,542.9	20,696.4	21,817.0
GRAND TOTAL	66,215.3	69,830.3	59,428.7	49,727.7	42,867.5	40,535.2	37,747.5	33,157.2	33,340.0	33,685.3	33,278.6	38,548.4	38,386.0	35,708.3	34,880.7	30,191.6	27,167.4	28,069.1
% Central America	28.5%	25.1%	29.1%	31.5%	31.3%	31.9%	36.0%	30.9%	28.8%	27.3%	25.7%	24.1%	22.1%	20.4%	21.2%	22.0%	23.8%	22.3%
% South America	71.5%	74.9%	70.9%	68.5%	68.7%	68.1%	64.0%	69.1%	71.2%	72.7%	74.3%	75.9%	77.9%	79.6%	78.8%	78.0%	76.2%	77.7%

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IMPORTS																	
124.7	160.3	120.9	187.1	81.6	75.84	77.45	95.46	123.19	70.70	45.95	82.05	100.54	94.77	44.74	63.07	65.00	48.71
1,892.5	2,390.6	2,717.3	2,509.4	2,137.7	2,230.6	2,323.1	2,163.7	2,227.4	2,524.7	2,676.9	2,064.6	1,754.1	1,788.7	1,552.8	1,574.3	1,493.8	1,523.0
585.1	917.2	752.6	607.5	621.8	475.5	425.1	424.9	371.8	441.6	357.0	360.2	311.1	303.4	212.4	197.2	223.8	246.4
3,116.5	3,554.6	3,073.5	3,060.7	2,951.2	3,238.4	3,509.5	3,401.9	2,723.5	2,726.2	2,654.8	2,782.4	2,356.2	2,077.7	1,586.2	1,477.5	1,550.6	1,511.3
1,386.9	1,468.8	1,402.7	1,340.9	1,394.0	1,432.6	1,212.5	1,155.0	1,092.0	959.0	678.7	989.1	1,137.7	1,092.2	1,010.1	910.1	799.4	776.9
425.6	364.2	381.3	571.7	325.7	252.3	206.1	167.5	163.2	160.6	143.9	214.4	251.8	221.9	152.8	150.6	115.6	115.1
123.8	185.7	185.2	330.4	260.4	308.1	216.1	286.3	351.1	401.4	505.0	282.9	420.7	540.5	291.2	370.3	276.4	153.4
7,655.1	9,041.2	8,633.5	8,607.7	7,772.4	8,013.2	7,969.8	7,694.8	7,052.2	7,284.3	7,062.3	6,775.6	6,332.2	6,119.2	4,850.3	4,743.1	4,524.6	4,374.7
5,182.9	5,564.2	5,972.4	5,397.9	8,107.1	7,837.7	8,199.4	8,918.8	7,662.5	6,389.0	7,593.4	6,807.0	5,241.1	6,574.4	4,033.4	3,484.9	2,057.0	2,864.5
322.4	251.2	169.5	171.8	152.1	166.8	49.1	46.5	75.7	141.3	283.8	324.2	201.6	172.5	119.0	83.3	43.4	40.8
28,671.6	33,009.3	32,313.3	36,002.9	35,472.0	35,066.8	28,891.2	26,765.2	24,689.8	24,357.6	21,395.1	19,927.9	17,146.7	17,036.4	15,296.1	15,186.5	12,922.4	10,683.6
8,331.4	8,072.5	6,449.0	7,230.5	8,826.4	7,886.6	8,361.7	6,980.6	8,288.0	5,588.6	4,874.5	3,750.3	4,107.3	4,909.1	2,948.4	3,774.6	1,891.0	1,729.5
32,718.2	37,245.2	36,040.9	36,001.0	34,310.3	31,229.3	30,541.0	27,068.1	29,049.3	28,019.6	32,080.5	26,173.4	20,204.0	17,464.8	16,076.6	15,712.8	16,361.3	11,620.3
11,467.6	13,493.9	12,360.8	16,228.3	16,327.5	14,669.7	9,283.5	7,974.1	8,189.3	7,475.7	5,962.9	6,203.0	6,597.0	6,823.9	7,698.6	6,702.2	6,156.4	5,076.8
0.0	0.0	1.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2
307.0	1,108.5	1,204.6	1,098.1	1,356.6	1,386.8	1,566.2	1,600.5	1,446.6	1,811.3	2,067.6	1,917.9	1,227.0	1,163.0	1,245.7	1,486.0	1,429.1	1,859.1
52.9	92.3	86.6	75.4	67.1	74.1	59.7	40.7	32.7	40.0	36.4	29.6	34.0	39.9	55.6	33.0	34.9	19.1
2,881.4	3,469.1	3,294.4	4,133.4	4,570.6	2,945.5	3,070.6	3,032.3	3,258.9	1,914.1	2,996.4	3,742.5	3,582.3	2,643.5	1,927.5	1,189.9	1,488.0	1,418.4
366.1	270.5	287.3	431.4	567.5	555.9	726.4	713.8	697.8	571.7	640.8	491.8	234.7	381.6	327.9	192.3	315.2	259.5
99.3	81.7	262.6	339.5	506.7	439.6	110.2	51.5	69.3	62.5	64.8	54.3	62.8	81.9	40.4	40.0	38.9	46.7
70,927.5	79,326.3	91,340.4	97,231.0	107,860.1	110,138.9	94,537.3	95,411.7	102,714.9	100,604.1	95,282.3	105,483.6	104,105.0	91,614.5	87,881.9	82,692.1	79,192.6	69,678.5
161,328.4	181,984.5	189,783.6	204,341.3	218,124.0	212,397.7	185,396.5	178,604.1	186,174.7	176,975.5	173,278.5	174,905.5	162,743.6	148,905.5	137,651.1	130,577.6	121,930.2	105,296.8
168,983.5	191,025.8	198,417.1	212,949.0	225,896.4	220,410.9	193,366.3	186,298.9	193,226.9	184,259.7	180,340.8	181,681.1	169,075.7	155,024.7	142,501.4	135,320.6	126,454.8	109,671.5
4.5%	4.7%	4.4%	4.0%	3.4%	3.6%	4.1%	4.1%	3.6%	4.0%	3.9%	3.7%	3.7%	3.9%	3.4%	3.5%	3.6%	4.0%
95.5%	95.3%	95.6%	96.0%	96.6%	96.4%	95.9%	95.9%	96.4%	96.0%	96.1%	96.3%	96.3%	96.1%	96.6%	96.5%	96.4%	96.0%

TOTAL TRADE																	
2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993	1992
332.2	343.2	251.9	343.6	253.3	181.8	271.5	179.2	241.2	250.2	114.8	156.3	176.8	158.4	117.2	145.8	172.6	138.7
5,736.4	5,621.1	5,485.1	4,933.9	4,652.5	4,539.3	4,602.5	4,222.7	4,180.0	4,305.4	4,536.3	4,021.8	3,261.9	3,255.5	2,984.7	3,138.4	2,983.6	2,825.7
2,486.6	2,852.0	2,647.8	2,565.9	2,191.8	2,082.2	2,155.3	1,906.7	1,935.4	1,863.3	1,605.5	1,565.5	1,639.4	1,289.5	1,283.8	1,063.9	968.5	1,000.9
7,468.2	7,499.7	7,217.5	7,207.4	6,073.5	6,213.6	6,495.2	5,944.2	4,852.7	4,832.7	4,487.7	4,571.2	4,060.9	3,713.7	3,190.1	3,092.5	3,293.7	3,146.9
4,529.7	4,776.3	4,901.7	4,144.0	3,789.5	3,878.3	3,693.7	2,818.1	2,432.7	2,398.3	2,031.3	2,379.0	2,667.4	2,289.2	1,990.2	1,604.9	1,680.2	1,620.5
1,025.9	1,110.6	1,195.1	1,353.1	1,008.4	789.6	777.9	630.0	690.4	521.1	555.2	559.7	505.1	479.4	419.9	411.8	305.4	398.5
4,926.1	4,362.8	4,243.9	3,725.6	3,241.3	3,241.5	3,562.1	2,230.4	2,324.7	2,322.3	2,269.6	2,805.0	2,500.4	2,223.5	2,245.4	1,934.4	1,591.7	1,495.7
26,505.0	26,565.7	25,943.0	24,273.5	21,210.3	20,926.4	21,558.2	17,931.3	16,657.0	16,493.3	15,600.4	16,058.5	14,811.9	13,409.2	12,231.5	11,391.8	10,995.6	10,626.8
7,964.1	8,542.3	8,131.6	7,310.9	9,740.0	9,385.3	9,410.0	9,883.3	8,948.3	7,868.0	8,859.4	8,725.2	7,705.9	8,198.5	5,725.1	5,319.9	3,567.8	4,174.8
369.3	324.6	238.0	231.3	211.0	276.8	188.1	146.4	146.7	237.0	423.9	485.8	392.1	387.4	270.4	283.2	256.4	293.2
45,600.1	51,425.0	46,805.0	46,853.6	45,209.1	44,753.4	38,131.0	35,358.4	33,713.8	33,321.9	29,864.2	30,878.4	28,819.3	28,576.5	25,790.5	24,733.3	20,535.1	19,546.8
15,199.9	16,584.7	12,681.9	11,583.1	12,554.7	10,656.7	10,196.9	8,337.7	9,493.4	7,148.0	6,863.1	5,584.5	6,542.2	7,446.3	5,290.5	5,318.0	3,359.5	2,996.6
39,539.9	45,713.4	43,642.9	42,720.9	40,188.1	36,049.6	35,047.2	31,713.7	33,142.2	32,236.9	36,325.7	30,278.3	24,338.1	21,750.3	19,709.7	18,493.3	18,668.0	13,933.9
15,058.8	15,861.3	15,069.4	18,998.9	18,147.2	16,390.7	10,570.1	9,589.6	9,464.0	8,629.4	7,222.2	8,318.3	8,509.4	8,195.8	9,199.3	7,485.1	7,225.2	5,957.9
4.3	4.7	5.3	2.4	1.5	1.5	2.5	3.2	1.9	1.9	2.3	2.6	4.5	3.0	3.9	4.1	2.4	5.2
417.0	1,217.7	1,306.1	1,199.2	1,430.2	1,486.0	1,644.2	1,719.7	1,570.5	1,956.0	2,217.8	2,032.9	1,349.8	1,278.6	1,367.9	1,588.5	1,539.9	1,972.5
103.4	194.5	132.9	104.1	159.4	106.9	81.8	52.3	70.9	78.8	68.0	73.3	106.6	110.4	127.0	95.4	71.5	70.4
6,528.0	7,190.1	6,237.2	5,984.4	6,454.9	5,579.1	4,776.8	4,591.9	4,880.4	3,242.0	5,196.2	5,809.5	4,733.5	4,343.1	4,001.6	3,181.5	3,103.9	3,096.6
792.6	711.5	817.5	900.6	1,052.8	1,050.1	1,224.5	1,137.1	1,099.4	972.7	1,073.0	889.5	611.3	774.5	747.9	321.1	542.1	577.1
318.1	348.2	380.5	473.5	591.3	546.9	225.3	105.0	145.4	148.0	147.1	168.4	167.8	224.1	127.5	159.7	88.2	84.7
76,798.2	86,172.5	96,454.5	102,040.3	111,813.4	113,736.7	98,057.4	98,886.5	107,233.0	105,611.2	99,756.0	110,924.4	109,369.5	96,035.4	92,789.2	87,137.4	83,666.7	74,404.1
208,693.8	234,290.3	231,902.8	238,403.2	247,553.6	240,019.7	209,555.6	201,524.8	209,909.8	201,451.7	198,018.9	204,171.0	192,649.9	177,323.8	165,150.5	154,120.5	142,626.5	127,113.8
235,198.8	260,856.1	257,845.8	262,676.7	268,763.9	260,946.1	231,113.8	219,456.1	226,566.8	217,945.1	213,619.3	220,229.4	207,461.8	190,733.0	177,382.0	165,512.3	153,622.1	137,740.6
11.3%	10.2%	10.1%	9.2%	7.9%	8.0%	9.3%	8.2%	7.4%	7.6%	7.3%	7.3%	7.1%	7.0%	6.9%	6.9%	7.2%	7.7%
88.7%	89.8%	89.9%	90.8%	92.1%	92.0%	90.7%	91.8%	92.6%	92.4%	92.7%	92.7%	92.9%	93.0%	93.1%	93.1%	92.8%	92.3%