

SA Preliminary Trade Statistics for June 2026 (Including BELN)

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
June 2026 (Preliminary)	R 193 575 224 071	R 175 823 708 498	R 17 751 515 573
May 2026 (Revised)	R 185 597 851 414	R 181 153 996 148	R 4 443 855 266

R Increase/Decrease	R 7 977 372 657	R -5 330 287 650
% Growth	4.3%	-2.9%

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January to June 2026 (Preliminary)	R 1 078 954 254 230	R 969 896 181 489	R 109 058 072 741
January to June 2025 (Revised)	R 993 293 143 771	R 911 790 685 610	R 81 502 458 161

R Increase/Decrease	R 85 661 110 459	R 58 105 495 879
% Growth	8.6%	6.4%

COMMENTS

Month on month increase/decrease

EXPORTS

Section 2:	Vegetable products increased by	R 2 799 million	(23%)
Section 4:	Prepared foodstuff increased by	R 403 million	(6%)
Section 6:	Chemical products increased by	R 642 million	(6%)
Section 14:	Precious metals & stones increased by	R 992 million	(2%)
Section 17:	Vehicles & transport equipments increased by	R 3 265 million	(16%)

IMPORTS

Section 5:	Mineral products decreased by	R 7 872 million	(-15%)
Section 6:	Chemical products increased by	R 767 million	(4%)
Section 16:	Machinery & electronics increased by	R 2 304 million	(6%)
Section 17:	Vehicles & transport equipments decreased by	R 2 170 million	(-12%)
Section 23:	Original equipment components decreased by	R 795 million	(-6%)

Preliminary International Trade (Excluding BELN)

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
June 2026 (Preliminary)	R 177 104 293 862	R 170 122 086 689	R 6 982 207 173
May 2026 (Revised)	R 169 920 465 310	R 175 585 739 565	R -5 665 274 255

R Increase/Decrease	R 7 183 828 552	R -5 463 652 876
% Growth	4.2%	-3.1%

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January to June 2026 (Preliminary)	R 984 018 843 080	R 933 823 094 665	R 50 195 748 415
January to June 2025 (Revised)	R 893 345 067 082	R 876 738 177 756	R 16 606 889 326

R Increase/Decrease	R 90 673 775 998	R 57 084 916 909
% Growth	10.1%	6.5%

BELN

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
June 2026 (Preliminary)	R 16 470 930 209	R 5 701 621 809	R 10 769 308 400
May 2026 (Revised)	R 15 677 386 104	R 5 568 256 583	R 10 109 129 521

R Increase/Decrease	R 793 544 105	R 133 365 226
% Growth	5.1%	2.4%

CUMULATIVE FIGURE

	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	TRADE BALANCE
January to June 2026 (Preliminary)	R 94 935 411 150	R 36 073 086 824	R 58 862 324 326
January to June 2025 (Revised)	R 99 948 076 689	R 35 052 507 854	R 64 895 568 835

R Increase/Decrease	R -5 012 665 539	R 1 020 578 970
% Growth	-5.0%	2.9%

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WORLD REGIONS AND SHIPS & AIRCRAFT STORES

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World Zone	EXPORTS				IMPORTS			
	May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision	May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm
AFRICA	45 296.4	45 321.8	0.1%	-172.0	27 364.5	25 223.9	-7.8%	81.1
AMERICA	14 466.6	17 458.7	20.7%	-12.0	23 354.6	16 576.4	-29.0%	58.4
ASIA	57 619.7	62 764.0	8.9%	-509.0	77 041.4	91 863.9	19.2%	72.2
EUROPE	45 529.6	44 232.9	-2.8%	-15.4	51 932.6	40 045.0	-22.9%	320.7
OCEANIA	1 577.5	1 943.8	23.2%	-0.3	1 274.0	1 671.5	31.2%	0.0
OTHER UNCLASSIFIED	20 232.2	20 760.1	2.6%	7 475.5	186.8	443.1	137.2%	0.0
SHIP/AIRCRAFT	875.9	1 094.0	24.9%	0.0	-	-	0.0%	-
Total	185 597.9	193 575.2	4.3%	6 766.8	181 154.0	175 823.7	-2.9%	532.4

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

Section (Chapter)	Description	EXPORTS				IMPORTS			
		May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision	May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision
		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm
I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	2 312.9	2 220.7	-4.0%	6.4	1 576.9	1 712.2	8.6%	1.8
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	12 185.7	14 984.3	23.0%	-46.7	3 317.1	3 646.7	9.9%	11.5
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	647.9	798.5	23.2%	-2.2	1 303.9	1 218.7	-6.5%	-0.0
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	7 214.6	7 617.9	5.6%	-7.0	4 670.2	4 527.2	-3.1%	257.4
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	44 600.7	44 230.2	-0.8%	-504.6	51 889.0	44 016.8	-15.2%	220.0
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	9 944.7	10 586.4	6.5%	-8.8	17 391.5	18 159.0	4.4%	-0.3
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	2 949.2	2 826.4	-4.2%	-0.6	6 190.9	6 619.9	6.9%	5.6
VIII (41-43)	Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkworm-gut).	326.0	338.2	3.7%	0.7	344.0	407.2	18.4%	0.1
IX (44-46)	Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork.	1 163.7	1 051.5	-9.6%	-11.8	611.2	624.5	2.2%	-0.3
X (47-49)	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof.	2 259.2	2 322.0	2.8%	-45.8	1 894.5	1 982.0	4.6%	0.8
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	2 024.0	2 137.0	5.6%	-0.6	4 659.0	5 026.2	7.9%	7.5
XII (64-67)	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair.	332.2	293.0	-11.8%	-0.5	1 189.4	1 559.9	31.2%	4.3
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	669.7	629.9	-6.0%	-0.7	1 232.2	1 296.2	5.2%	2.0
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	49 029.9	50 021.7	2.0%	7 475.5	3 081.9	2 629.6	-14.7%	-10.7
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	14 179.9	14 443.5	1.9%	6.4	7 814.5	8 362.9	7.0%	17.2
XVI (84-85)	Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles.	12 441.4	12 633.8	1.5%	-10.0	35 859.3	38 162.9	6.4%	29.8
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	20 663.8	23 929.2	15.8%	-80.9	18 621.8	16 451.9	-11.7%	-2.1
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	965.6	1 112.3	15.2%	-1.2	3 697.9	4 194.4	13.4%	5.5
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	953.0	944.5	-0.9%	-0.9	1 857.8	2 192.3	18.0%	0.6
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	194.1	111.5	-42.5%	0.0	215.7	113.7	-47.3%	0.4
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	539.6	342.7	-36.5%	0.0	180.3	159.3	-11.6%	0.0
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components	0.1	0.0	-81.7%	-	13 555.0	12 760.2	-5.9%	-18.6
Total		185 597.9	193 575.2	4.3%	6 766.8	181 154.0	175 823.7	-2.9%	532.4

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	January to June 2025	January to June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	January to June 2025	January to June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	
AFRICA	276 110.4	260 034.6	-5.8%	89 219.7	123 853.8	38.8%
AMERICA	83 658.5	90 586.6	8.3%	94 359.2	103 892.0	10.1%
ASIA	284 889.3	342 784.6	20.3%	469 513.3	471 890.7	0.5%
EUROPE	244 602.0	270 771.4	10.7%	241 731.4	258 666.5	7.0%
OCEANIA	10 296.1	9 505.9	-7.7%	14 358.6	8 885.2	-38.1%
OTHER UNCLASSIFIED	87 842.7	99 426.0	13.2%	2 608.5	2 708.0	3.8%
SHIP/AIRCRAFT	5 894.2	5 845.1	-0.8%	-	-	0.0%
Total	993 293.1	1 078 954.3	8.6%	911 790.7	969 896.2	6.4%

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		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	
I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	12 426.5	12 226.3	-1.6%	8 513.2	10 002.7	17.5%
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	71 280.5	70 872.6	-0.6%	24 076.1	19 921.8	-17.3%
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	4 015.5	3 950.5	-1.6%	6 997.2	7 176.3	2.6%
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	42 219.0	41 936.2	-0.7%	30 243.2	28 361.1	-6.2%
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	245 467.8	268 489.5	9.4%	170 437.1	222 417.6	30.5%
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	56 069.4	57 944.7	3.3%	96 734.3	97 843.5	1.1%
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	17 405.2	16 609.0	-4.6%	37 234.4	36 091.4	-3.1%
VIII (41-43)	Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkworm-gut).	2 105.9	1 902.9	-9.6%	2 405.3	2 303.2	-4.2%
IX (44-46)	Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork.	6 326.9	6 577.4	4.0%	3 652.3	3 878.2	6.2%
X (47-49)	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof.	15 067.8	13 344.5	-11.4%	11 561.5	11 543.6	-0.2%
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	12 163.3	12 170.6	0.1%	31 223.6	30 055.4	-3.7%
XII (64-67)	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair.	2 344.1	1 852.1	-21.0%	9 169.7	8 212.6	-10.4%
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	4 125.0	3 752.0	-9.0%	7 919.9	7 352.9	-7.2%
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	191 166.0	273 220.2	42.9%	16 515.4	18 940.3	14.7%
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	88 700.2	82 418.9	-7.1%	47 782.2	47 569.6	-0.4%
XVI (84-85)	Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles.	69 496.0	71 396.8	2.7%	208 200.4	213 270.3	2.4%
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	137 353.7	123 204.3	-10.3%	86 000.2	96 055.6	11.7%
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	5 487.1	8 309.9	51.4%	23 023.0	23 248.3	1.0%
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	5 496.6	5 290.2	-3.8%	11 443.0	11 488.9	0.4%
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	777.2	954.5	22.8%	420.2	874.0	108.0%
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	3 788.0	2 530.8	-33.2%	1 045.5	961.6	-8.0%
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components	11.3	0.1	-99.0%	77 193.0	72 327.2	-6.3%
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AMERICA	14 466.6	17 458.7	20.7%	-12.0	23 354.6	16 576.4	-29.0%	58.4
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II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	11 270.9	14 095.7	25.1%	-46.8	3 172.7	3 456.2	8.9%	11.5
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	435.7	498.0	14.3%	-2.2	1 301.4	1 216.4	-6.5%	-0.0
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	5 289.7	5 666.9	7.1%	-6.6	3 854.2	3 742.0	-2.9%	257.4
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IX (44-46)	Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork.	898.2	785.1	-12.6%	-11.4	344.8	364.5	5.7%	0.1
X (47-49)	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof.	1 953.6	1 997.9	2.3%	-45.8	1 845.2	1 930.2	4.6%	0.8
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	1 157.1	1 353.0	16.9%	-0.4	4 039.4	4 360.1	7.9%	7.3
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XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	458.2	418.3	-8.7%	-0.7	1 216.2	1 281.5	5.4%	2.1
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	48 876.7	49 506.1	1.3%	7 475.5	1 704.7	1 096.6	-35.7%	-10.7
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	13 105.4	13 348.4	1.9%	7.0	7 652.7	8 267.3	8.0%	16.5
XVI (84-85)	Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles.	10 035.3	9 890.1	-1.4%	-8.1	35 212.2	37 619.5	6.8%	30.0
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XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	550.9	548.3	-0.5%	-0.5	1 844.3	2 180.5	18.2%	0.6
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	193.6	110.9	-42.7%	0.0	215.2	113.6	-47.2%	0.4
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	525.7	338.5	-35.6%	-	179.6	158.1	-12.0%	0.0
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components	0.1	0.0	-98.3%	-	13 555.0	12 760.2	-5.9%	-18.6
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I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	10 154.8	10 050.3	-1.0%	7 115.2	8 337.1	17.2%
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	64 616.6	65 086.6	0.7%	23 412.0	19 137.2	-18.3%
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	2 717.6	2 490.9	-8.3%	6 949.5	7 155.2	3.0%
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	29 951.3	30 183.8	0.8%	25 301.3	23 373.0	-7.6%
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	230 000.9	255 220.6	11.0%	169 288.0	221 131.1	30.6%
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	46 084.0	48 059.8	4.3%	91 391.9	92 429.3	1.1%
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	13 051.4	12 327.5	-5.5%	36 769.3	35 518.9	-3.4%
VIII (41-43)	Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkworm-gut).	1 827.1	1 634.5	-10.5%	2 349.9	2 235.8	-4.9%
IX (44-46)	Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork.	4 893.9	5 117.9	4.6%	2 220.9	2 385.6	7.4%
X (47-49)	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof.	13 114.1	11 424.9	-12.9%	11 267.2	11 246.3	-0.2%
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	7 120.1	7 182.3	0.9%	27 044.6	26 078.5	-3.6%
XII (64-67)	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers,	1 153.9	736.0	-36.2%	9 061.6	8 076.0	-10.9%
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	2 877.7	2 530.6	-12.1%	7 842.7	7 264.0	-7.4%
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	189 225.9	271 411.0	43.4%	5 420.3	8 160.1	50.5%
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	82 277.0	76 144.8	-7.5%	47 105.6	46 894.5	-0.4%
XVI (84-85)	Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles.	54 251.6	56 266.8	3.7%	205 504.2	209 989.7	2.2%
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	128 432.8	114 855.4	-10.6%	85 706.1	95 652.8	11.6%
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	4 044.8	6 823.8	68.7%	22 967.8	23 182.0	0.9%
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	2 998.2	3 030.4	1.1%	11 372.6	11 422.3	0.4%
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	772.0	948.8	22.9%	419.5	872.4	108.0%
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	3 768.1	2 492.0	-33.9%	1 034.9	954.1	-7.8%
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components	11.2	0.1	-99.1%	77 193.0	72 327.2	-6.3%
Total		893 345.1	984 018.8	10.1%	876 738.2	933 823.1	6.5%

Preliminary BELN Monthly Statement

METHODOLOGY COMPARING THE MONTH-ON-MONTH FIGURES. ADJUSTMENTS ARE MAINLY AS A RESULT OF AUDITS AND VOUCHERS OF CORRECTION IN RESPECT OF THE PREVIOUS MONTHS	Monthly export and import figures are unaudited figures obtained from declarations made by exporters and importers of goods. The figures cover all goods exported and imported during the reporting month to and from South Africa. Cursory checks of the figures are made prior to the publication thereof, to try and eliminate as many capturing errors as possible.
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WORLD REGIONS AND SHIPS & AIRCRAFT STORES

World Zone	May 2026 Revision / June 2026							
	EXPORTS				IMPORTS			
	May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision	May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm
AFRICA	15 677.4	16 470.9	5.1%	-36.6	5 568.3	5 701.6	2.4%	-2.3
Total	15 677.4	16 470.9	5.1%	-36.6	5 568.3	5 701.6	2.4%	-2.3

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

Section (Chapter)	Description	EXPORTS				IMPORTS			
		May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision	May 2026	June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	Revision
		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	Rm		Rm
I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	377.5	371.0	-1.7%	0.3	268.7	323.3	20.3%	0.5
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	914.7	888.6	-2.9%	0.0	144.4	190.5	31.9%	-
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	212.2	300.5	41.6%	-0.0	2.5	2.2	-9.4%	-
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	1 924.9	1 951.0	1.4%	-0.5	815.9	785.2	-3.8%	-
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	2 442.9	2 058.1	-15.8%	-29.4	191.6	170.5	-11.0%	-0.2
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	1 718.1	1 807.4	5.2%	-1.3	791.4	863.1	9.1%	-
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	764.7	718.7	-6.0%	-0.9	102.8	100.4	-2.3%	-0.1
VIII (41-43)	Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkworm-gut).	43.4	39.6	-8.6%	-0.0	12.5	15.0	19.3%	-
IX (44-46)	Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork.	265.4	266.3	0.3%	-0.5	266.4	259.9	-2.4%	-0.4
X (47-49)	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof.	305.6	324.1	6.0%	-0.0	49.3	51.8	5.0%	-
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	866.9	784.0	-9.6%	-0.1	619.7	666.1	7.5%	0.1
XII (64-67)	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair.	193.9	147.4	-24.0%	-0.0	17.0	15.9	-6.2%	-
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	211.6	211.6	0.0%	-0.0	16.0	14.8	-7.5%	-0.1
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	153.1	515.6	236.7%	-	1 377.2	1 533.0	11.3%	-
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	1 074.5	1 095.1	1.9%	-0.6	161.8	95.7	-40.9%	0.7
XVI (84-85)	Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles.	2 406.0	2 743.7	14.0%	-1.9	647.0	543.4	-16.0%	-0.2
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	1 114.6	1 596.1	43.2%	-1.0	59.3	43.5	-26.7%	-2.7
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	270.8	251.1	-7.3%	-0.2	10.0	14.2	42.0%	0.0
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	402.1	396.3	-1.4%	-0.4	13.6	11.9	-12.6%	-
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	0.5	0.6	26.9%	-	0.5	0.1	-87.2%	-
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	14.0	4.3	-69.4%	0.0	0.7	1.2	68.0%	-
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components	0.0	0.0	7366.9%	-	-	-	0.0%	-
Total		15 677.4	16 470.9	5.1%	-36.6	5 568.3	5 701.6	2.4%	-2.3

Preliminary BELN Cumulative Statement

METHODOLOGY CUMULATIVE FIGURES COMPARING THE MONTH WITH THE CORRESPONDING MONTH OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR	Export and import figures are unaudited figures obtained from declarations made by exporters and importers of goods. The figures cover all goods exported and imported during the reporting month from and to South Africa. Cursory checks of the figures are made prior to publication thereof, to try and eliminate as many capturing errors as possible.
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WORLD REGIONS AND SHIPS & AIRCRAFT STORES

PERIOD:	January to June 2025 / January to June 2026					
World Zone	EXPORTS			IMPORTS		
	January to June 2025	January to June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	January to June 2025	January to June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease
	Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	
AFRICA	99 948.1	94 935.4	-5.0%	35 052.5	36 073.1	2.9%
Total	99 948.1	94 935.4	-5.0%	35 052.5	36 073.1	2.9%

SECTIONS OF THE HARMONISED SYSTEM

Section(chapter)	Description	EXPORTS			IMPORTS		
		January to June 2025	January to June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease	January to June 2025	January to June 2026	Percentage Increase/ Decrease
		Rm	Rm		Rm	Rm	
I (1-5)	Live animals, animal products.	2 271.7	2 176.0	-4.2%	1 398.0	1 665.6	19.1%
II (6-14)	Vegetable products.	6 663.9	5 786.0	-13.2%	664.2	784.6	18.1%
III (15)	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes.	1 297.9	1 459.7	12.5%	47.7	21.1	-55.7%
IV (16-24)	Prepared foodstuffs, beverages, spirits, and vinegar; tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes.	12 267.7	11 752.4	-4.2%	4 941.9	4 988.0	0.9%
V (25-27)	Mineral products.	15 466.9	13 268.9	-14.2%	1 149.1	1 286.5	12.0%
VI (28-38)	Products of the chemicals or allied industries.	9 985.3	9 884.9	-1.0%	5 342.4	5 414.1	1.3%
VII (39-40)	Plastics and articles thereof; rubber and articles thereof.	4 353.8	4 281.4	-1.7%	465.1	572.4	23.1%
VIII (41-43)	Raw hides and skins, leather, fur skins and articles thereof; saddler and harness, travel articles, handbags and similar containers; articles of animal gut (other than silkworm-gut).	278.9	268.4	-3.7%	55.4	67.3	21.6%
IX (44-46)	Wood and articles of wood, wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork, manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plaiting material, basket ware and wickerwork.	1 432.9	1 459.5	1.9%	1 431.4	1 492.7	4.3%
X (47-49)	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; waste and scrap of paper or of paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof.	1 953.8	1 919.6	-1.7%	294.3	297.3	1.0%
XI (50-63)	Textiles and textile articles.	5 043.2	4 988.3	-1.1%	4 179.0	3 976.9	-4.8%
XII (64-67)	Footwear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking-sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding-crops and parts thereof; prepared feathers and articles made therewith, artificial flowers, articles of human hair.	1 190.3	1 116.1	-6.2%	108.1	136.6	26.3%
XIII (68-70)	Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products, glass and glassware.	1 247.3	1 221.4	-2.1%	77.1	88.9	15.3%
XIV (71)	Natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metals, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof; imitation jewelry, coins.	1 940.1	1 809.1	-6.8%	11 095.1	10 780.2	-2.8%
XV (72-83)	Base metals and articles of base metal.	6 423.3	6 274.1	-2.3%	676.5	675.2	-0.2%
XVI (84-85)	Machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment; parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles.	15 244.4	15 130.0	-0.8%	2 696.3	3 280.7	21.7%
XVII (86-89)	Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment.	8 920.8	8 348.9	-6.4%	294.0	402.8	37.0%
XVIII (90-92)	Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus, clocks and watches, musical instruments; parts and accessories thereof.	1 442.3	1 486.2	3.0%	55.2	66.3	20.2%
XX (94-96)	Miscellaneous manufactured articles.	2 498.4	2 259.8	-9.5%	70.4	66.5	-5.5%
XXI (97)	Works of art, collectors' pieces and antiques.	5.2	5.8	11.2%	0.7	1.6	140.6%
XXII (99)	Other unclassified goods.	19.9	38.8	95.0%	10.5	7.5	-28.4%
XXIII (98)	Special classification provisions: Original Equipment Components	0.1	0.0	-80.3%	-	-	0.0%
Total		99 948.1	94 935.4	-5.0%	35 052.5	36 073.1	2.9%