- The Least Developed Countries are: Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Benin, Bhutan, Botswana, Burundi, Central African Rep., Chad, Ethiopia, Gambia, Guinea, Haiti, Laos, Lesotho, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Nepal, Niger, Rwanda, Samoa, Somalia, Sudan, Uganda, Tanzania, Upper Volta, North Yemen, and South Yemen.
- Excluding shipments of merchandise between the United States and its possessions (Guam, American Samoa, U.S. Virgin Islands, etc.) The value of shipments to and from U.S. Virgin Islands amounted to (in millions U.S. dollars) to: 1977-272, 1978-387; and from: 1977-2,532, 1978-2,439, and 1979-355.
- 8 Imports f.o.b.
- 9 Includes non-monetary gold.
- 10 Provisional figures based on paid import and export permits.
- Including trade conducted in accordance with the Supplementary Protocol to the Treaty on the Basis of Relations between the Federal Republic of Germany and the German Democratic Republic.
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- 13 Includes trade with Syria for all periods.
- 14 Customs and Economic Union of Central Africa. Comprises Central African Republic, Congo, Gabon and Cameroon.
- 15 Inter-trade between the members of Customs and Economic Union of Central Africa is excluded.
- 16 Economic Community of West African States.
- 17 Includes trade with Egypt for all periods.
- 18 Year beginning 21 March of the year stated.
- 19 Including imports of foreign aid.
- 20 Inter-trade between the States of Malaysia included.
- 21 Excluding transhipments to and from Peninsular Malaysia.
- 22 Formerly New Hebrides.

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