

Table 1. Trade Flows:
Pre- and Post-WTO Accession Averages

Indicator	All Members		Developing Countries		Developed Countries		LDCs	
	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO
Trade - GDP Ratio	76.18	84.60 **	73.27	80.53 **	86.00	94.34	57.37	65.27 **
Export - GDP Ratio	35.35	39.69 **	32.79	36.89 **	43.67	48.72 *	21.66	26.12 **
Import - GDP Ratio	40.83	43.98 **	40.48	43.61 **	42.33	45.62	35.71	39.07
Export Growth	5.67	6.77 *	5.68	6.85	5.68	6.50	4.32	9.26 **
Import Growth	5.23	6.24	5.18	6.14	5.42	6.62 *	2.71	6.60 *

Table 2. Merchandize Exports of WTO Members
Billions of US Dollars (2000=100)

Exports to	Exports from	1985	1990	1994	1995	2000	2004
All WTO Members	All members	2,218	3,602	4,158	4,855	5,658	7,237
Developed	All members	1,877	3,147	3,487	4,058	4,512	5,491
Developing	All members	341	455	671	797	1,147	1,746
Developed	Developing	292	419	643	766	889	1,212
Developed	Developed	1,585	2,728	2,844	3,292	3,622	4,279
Developing	Developing	64	70	120	151	209	365
Developing	Developed	277	385	551	645	938	1,381

Table 3. Growth of Merchandize Exports of WTO Members
(Per cent per annum)

Exports to	Exports from	1985-1994	1995-2004
All WTO Members	All WTO members	7.4	6.0
Developed	All WTO members	7.3	4.9
Developing	All WTO members	8.1	10.4
Developed	Developing	9.2	6.9
Developed	Developed	7.0	4.4
Developing	Developing	7.7	12.4
Developing	Developed	8.3	9.9

Table 4. Composition of Merchandize Trade
(Percentage)

Indicator	All Members		Developing Countries		Developed Countries		LDCs	
	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO
<u>Exports</u>								
Manufactures	45.98	49.51 **	36.86	40.89 **	61.57	68.03**	36.40	22.35 **
Agricultural	5.17	5.60	6.30	7.14	3.21	2.26 **	12.13	16.20
<u>Imports</u>								
Manufactures	68.02	70.47 **	65.79	67.77 **	71.99	76.42 **	61.07	60.86
Agricultural	2.69	2.05 **	2.69	2.12 **	2.67	1.89	3.39	2.30 **

*Indicates that the value is significantly different from that for the pre-WTO accession period, at 5 percent level of significance. ** indicates significance at 1 percent level.

Table 5. Net FDI Inflows:
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	Millions of 2000 US Dollars		As Percentage of GDP	
	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO
Developing	5.57	12.55 **	1.78	3.69 **
Developing (Excluding China)	2.51	10.91 **	1.76	3.69 **
Developed	50.6	183.6**	1.53	8.43 **
LDCs	0.28	1.13 **	0.92	3.46 **

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Table 6. Macroeconomic Indicators:
Pre- and Post-WTO Accession Averages

Indicator	Developing Countries		Developed Countries		LDCs	
	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO	Pre-WTO	Post-WTO
GDP Growth	2.43	3.68 **	3.51	3.30	2.12	4.03**
GDP per capita Growth	0.51	1.93 **	2.14	2.8	-0.52	1.51 **
Current Account Balance (Percentage of GDP)	-4.65	-4.46	-1.05	1.68 **	-5.91	-6.65
Inflation (CPI) [®]	33.58	14.88 **	7.35	2.53 **	27.93	21.85
Inflation (Food) [®]	34.13	12.75 **	7.03	2.45 **	13.57	10.63
Unemployment (Percentage of Labour Force)	10.05	10.34	6.81	5.627	7.46	10.55

[®]Excludes episodes of inflation exceeding 1000 percent per annum.

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