

Table 4.

**IMPORTS CLASSIFIED BY GROUP OF IMPORTERS (1)**

Amount, in Tala thousand, fob

	RESIDENT SECTORS				
	Government	Private Sector		Subtotal	Total
		Petroleum	Others		
<b>Calendar Year to end:</b>					
DECEMBER 2006	15,665	114,483	477,661	592,144	607,809
DECEMBER 2007	30,353	122,511	440,775	563,286	593,639
DECEMBER 2008	24,423	170,984	463,774	634,758	659,181
<b>Fiscal Year to end:</b>					
JUNE 2008	20,920	135,209	437,341	572,550	593,470
JUNE 2009	28,076	144,689	453,303	597,992	626,069
<b>Total Eleven months to:</b>					
Jul/May 2009	24,101	137,373	418,619	555,992	582,685
Jul/May 2010	17,503	107,294	457,987	565,281	585,212
<b>2008</b>					
JANUARY	2,956	14,735	33,939	48,674	51,630
FEBRUARY	482	10,841	28,442	39,283	39,765
MARCH	1,032	16,780	32,620	49,400	50,432
APRIL	405	0	39,477 (2)	39,477	39,882
MAY	276	13,008	32,540	45,548	45,824
JUNE	4,227 (3)	17,015	32,820	49,835	54,062
JULY	2,304	22,176	39,209 (4)	61,385	63,689
AUGUST	2,688	19,472	39,751	59,223	61,911
SEPTEMBER	4,375 (5)	15,103	53,124 (6)	68,227	72,602
OCTOBER	787	19,945	39,662	59,607	60,394
NOVEMBER	3,560 (7)	11,761	43,886	55,647	59,207
DECEMBER	1,331	10,148	48,304 (8)	58,452	59,783
<b>2009</b>					
JANUARY	1,627	7,489	32,690	40,179	41,806
FEBRUARY	337	7,792	26,662	34,454	34,791
MARCH	158	7,444	33,095	40,539	40,697
APRIL	6,934 (9)	8,258	33,502 (10)	41,760	48,694
MAY	2,592	7,785	28,734	36,519	39,111
JUNE	1,384	7,316	34,684	42,000	43,383
JULY	1,556	7,634	37,944 (11)	45,578	47,134
AUGUST	1,657	9,232	33,070	42,302	43,959
SEPTEMBER	942	11,574	30,348	41,922	42,864
OCTOBER	1,108	12,857	44,032 (12)	56,889	57,997
NOVEMBER	1,820	9,962	40,861	50,823	52,643
DECEMBER	3,844 (13)	10,150	51,705 (14)	61,855	65,699
<b>2010</b>					
JANUARY	1,986	10,171	31,848	42,019	44,005
FEBRUARY	1,844	11,156	69,925 (15)	81,081	82,925
MARCH	1,602	7,032	40,846	47,878	49,480
APRIL (r)	1,144	7,841	38,858	46,699	47,843
MAY	2,428	9,685	38,550	48,235	50,663

(\*\*\*) Since July 2006, import data were received directly from Samoa Bureau of Statistic (formerly Statistical Services Division of the Ministry of Finance).

(r) - revised

(1) Excludes imports by Yasaki Samoa Ltd and non-residents.

(2) Includes the import of a cruise ship for the Samoa Shipping Corporation valued at \$3.0 million.

(3) Includes the imports of tubes, pipes and hoses for the Ministry of Finance valued at \$2.3 million and lasers diodes for the Health Dept valued at \$0.6 million.

(4) Includes the import of food products for wholesale companies.

(5) Includes the imports of tubes, pipes fittings of nickel for the Ministry of Finance valued at \$2.8 million.

(6) Includes the imports of new currency notes for the Central Bank of Samoa valued at \$4.3 million and import of food products for wholesale.

(7) Includes the imports of tubes, pipes and hoses for the Ministry of Finance valued at \$1.3 million.

(8) Includes the imports of electric generating sets for the EPC valued at \$1.8 million and import of food products for wholesale.

(9) Includes the imports of bars and rods, equipment for scaffolding, other machinery for earth, stones and wire of iron for the Ministry of Finance valued at \$5.1 million.

(10) Includes the imports of electric generating sets, gas meters & electricity meters for the EPC valued at \$1.9 million and import of food products for wholesale.

(11) Includes the imports of fishing vessels for the Apia Export Fish Packers valued at \$2.2 million and import of food products for wholesale.

(12) Includes the import of food products for wholesale companies.

(13) Includes the import of air compressors and electric tools for Ministry of Finance valued at \$1.0 million.

(14) Includes the import of crossarms, transformers and power poles for EPC valued at \$1.5 million and import of food products for wholesale.

(15) Includes the import of a MV Lady Samoa III for the Samoa Shipping Corporation valued at \$35.9 million.