

Category 345: Cotton Sweaters

Data for Year-to-date December 2008/2007

	VOLUME (Units: Dozen)				VALUE (US\$)			
	YTD 2007	YTD 2008	Change	Market Share	YTD 2007	YTD 2008	Change	Market Share
World	10,227,707	9,353,755	-8.54%		\$907,256,162	\$862,913,324	-4.89%	
Asia ¹	8,888,267	8,477,432	-4.62%	91%	\$808,818,398	\$782,345,325	-3.27%	91%
China (PRC)	5,554,302	5,188,901	-6.58%	55%	\$491,392,555	\$479,524,536	-2.42%	56%
South Asia ²	619,063	596,446	-3.65%	6%	\$32,270,186	\$33,408,900	353.00%	4%

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12	Peru	70,023	53,432	-23.69%	1%	\$14,772,958	\$11,084,311	-24.97%	1%
21	Guatemala	171,507	14,023	-91.82%	0%	\$4,592,607	\$466,475	-89.84%	0%
23	Mexico	3,440	9,373	172.47%	0%	\$300,091	\$377,827	25.90%	0%
25	El Salvador	86,312	6,941	-91.96%	0%	\$1,160,159	\$451,563	-61.08%	0%
32	Ecuador	2,684	2,424	-9.69%	0%	\$151,041	\$112,592	-25.46%	0%
37	Bolivia	1,851	1,372	-25.88%	0%	\$552,561	\$510,935	-7.53%	0%
41	Panama	192	767	299.48%	0%	\$5,364	\$16,183	201.70%	0%
44	Dominican Republic	189	596	215.34%	0%	\$2,993	\$19,183	540.93%	0%
50	Colombia	2628	347	-86.80%	0%	\$146,814	\$47,968	-67.33%	0%
59	Honduras	7,518	104	-98.62%	0%	\$311,938	\$29,928	-90.41%	0%
--	Nicaragua	0	0	0.00%	0%	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0%
--	Haiti	0	0	0.00%	0%	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0%
--	Costa Rica	0	0	0.00%	0%	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0%
	TOTAL	346,344	89,379	-74%	1%	\$21,996,526	\$13,116,965	-40%	2%

¹ Asia: Hong Kong, Korea, Taiwan

² South Asia: Bangladesh, India, Maldives, Pakistan, Sri Lanka

Source: International Development Systems Trade Monitoring Service

Based on December 2008 U.S. General Imports