

STATISTICS

July 2006 | Imports to the U.S.

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COUNTRY	GRANITE		MARBLE*		SLATE**	OTHER***	
	U.S. \$	TONS	U.S. \$	TONS	U.S. \$	U.S. \$	TONS
ARAB EMIRATES	192,831	204	814,113	1,284		9,336	19
ARGENTINA	142,445	217	298,503	147	4,825		
AUSTRALIA						15,190	138
BELGIUM	91,942	86	70,784	44			
BRAZIL	53,453,372	106,784	279,938	748	971,954	200,911	223
BULGARIA	28,662	19	125,790	93			
CANADA	2,633,109	4,103	448,020	1,313	610,933	3,827,156	19,555
CHILE			90,980	175			
CHINA	23,727,819	85,315	8,396,323	12,505	5,953,415	393,575	1,479
COLOMBIA	7,020	1	189,773	290	9,516	14,728	13
DENMARK			14,096	22			
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	10,263	9	266,777	706		152,173	189
EGYPT	39,574	1,209	852,273	1,477		2,570	5
FINLAND	34,346	11					
FRANCE			1,540,805	962	48,127	20,722	8
GERMANY	41,640	64	549,805	427	5,658	110,401	29
GREECE	106,020	112	783,931	585			
GUATEMALA			38,755	19			
HONDURAS			17,325	4		37,594	16
HONG KONG	523,381	589	107,970	68	11,185		
INDIA	19,606,594	61,797	1,045,337	1,562	4,620,395	236,627	830
INDONESIA	24,510	37	471,618	765	31,543	22,920	18
ISRAEL	67,861	60	2,808,596	2,475	5,760	11,783	6
ITALY	26,640,285	24,789	14,449,690	11,742	447,369	103,781	63
JAPAN			5,656	3			
JORDAN			70,803	80		5,563	21
KOREA						2,064	3
LEBANON			87,685	60			
MALAYSIA			58,225	120			
MALTA			57,691	16			
MEXICO	156,383	269	12,254,581	12,057	2,074	278,103	508
MOROCCO			2,261	1			
NETHERLANDS					10,241		
NORWAY	95,662	38				12,097	28
PAKISTAN	22,272	28	583,329	7,666			
PERU	61,337	72	2,680,944	3,126			
PHILIPPINES	10,733	18	299,063	387		11,286	56
PORTUGAL	5,354	3	1,227,944	1,931	24,907		
ROMANIA			56,022	23			
SAUDI ARABIA	208,337	253					
SINGAPORE			14,885	20			
SOUTH AFRICA	691,093	845			81,835	65,385	293
SPAIN	2,177,827	2,443	7,574,495	7,904	275,352		
SRI LANKA			16,345	2			
SWEDEN	71,435	22					
SWITZERLAND			11,330	14		14,416	15
TAIWAN	5,270,769	5,379	345,328	230			
THAILAND	3,399	1	14,198	12			
TOKELAU			19,242	23			
TUNISIA			95,539	14			
TURKEY	108,105	131	40,676,717	75,948	36,450	27,969	27
UNITED KINGDOM	334,449	41	185,726	181	153,087	2,261	1
URUGUAY	79,815	89					
OTHER	30,867	568	441,459	573	4,855	17,838	21
TOTAL JULY 2006	136,699,511	295,606	100,440,670	147,804	13,309,481	5,596,449	23,564
TOTAL JULY 2005	98,292,507	202,441	84,182,787	192,258	12,547,709	4,011,226	26,864

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ANTIGUA	59,468	4					
ARUBA			35,355	1			
AUSTRALIA	3,736	1					
BAHAMAS	61,154	36	56,131	184	5,743	43,800	328
BARBADOS			10,098	9			
BELGIUM	48,259	8					
BELIZE	27,415	17					
BERMUDA	9,000	1	9,831	3		8,150	18
CANADA	1,195,738	2,128	1,815,794	13,083	167,155	1,543,707	6,604
CAYMAN ISLANDS			45,110	39		115,073	
CHINA	1,257,055	3,829	58,347	50		78,812	26
COLOMBIA	18,062	6	17,600	6			
COSTA RICA						8,675	43
FIJI						5,450	4
FINLAND	9,200	1					
GERMANY	9,662	2				27,578	737
GREECE			2,933	1	16,328		
GUATEMALA	74,911	14				15,200	83
GUYANA	2,989	1					
HONDURAS	51,759	46					
HONG KONG	20,859	3	49,585	2		168,500	1,298
INDIA	6,183	21	8,890	1		14,285	8
INDONESIA						19,173	8
IRELAND			9,778	3	41,097	15,745	18
ITALY	291,634	861				24,895	9
JAMAICA	17,727	9				12,111	6
JAPAN						151,658	129
KOREA	108,614	251	7,454	1			
MALAYSIA						10,000	14
MEXICO	357,258	347	102,358	98	14,411	80,305	106
N. ANTILLES	6,500	6					
NETHERLANDS	3,058	5	3,716	7		635,406	184
NEW ZEALAND			2,666	27			
NIGERIA						12,718	29
RUSSIA						49,123	142
SAUDI ARABIA	8,775	2					
SINGAPORE					8,256		
SPAIN	34,045	113	15,422	62			
TAIWAN	25,214	3					
THAILAND	32,515	108	22,800	1			
TURKEY	15,575	2	40,140	8			
UNITED KINGDOM	151,200	21	7,502	2	15,765	438,355	2,112
VENEZUELA			6,000	138	7,344		
OTHER	266,493	109	17,861	3		2,592	2
TOTAL JULY 2006	4,174,058	7,955	2,345,371	13,729	276,099	3,481,311	11,908
TOTAL JULY 2005	2,885,440	15,978	1,811,999	10,380	363,725	2,005,535	9,074

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