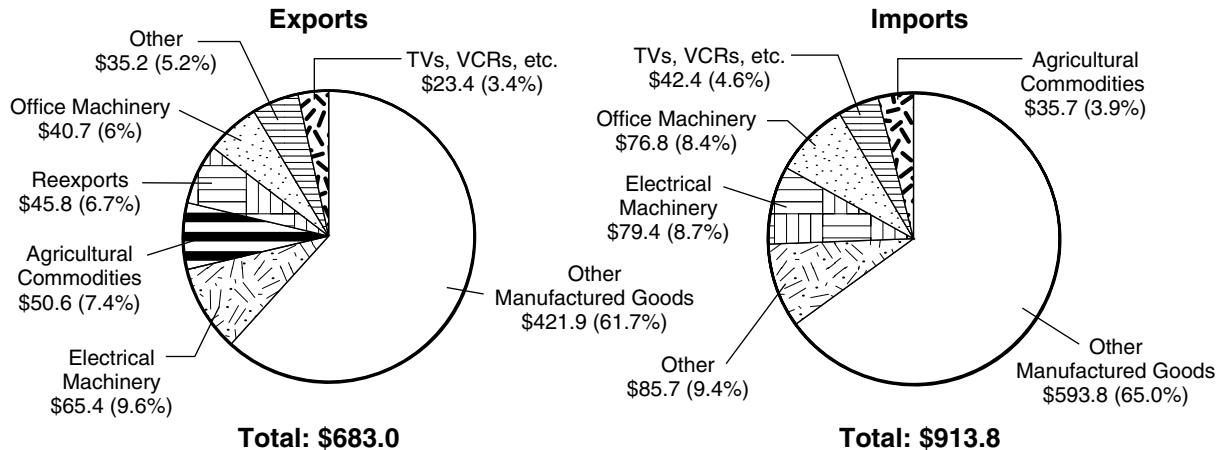


48. U.S. Exports and Imports of Merchandise, 1998 (in billions of dollars)



Source: *Statistical Abstract of the United States*, 1999