

Table 3.2: Top five exports and imports of Brazil to and from US in 2009

Exports				
HS 1992	Product description	Value (1,000 USD)	Skill-intensity	% Share
270900	Petroleum oils, oils from bituminous minerals, crude	3,086,180	Primary	18.6%
90111	Coffee, not roasted, not decaffeinated	724,209	Primary	4.4%
880240	Fixed wing aircraft, unladen weight > 15,000 kg	527,681	High	3.2%
470329	Chem wood pulp, soda/sulphate, non-conifer, bleached	509,741	Res-Intense-Man	3.07%
720110	Pig iron, non-alloy, <0.5% phosphorus	496,136	Medium	2.99%
Imports				
841191	Parts of turbo-jet or turbo-propeller engines	805,022	Medium	4.0%
270112	Bituminous coal, not agglomerated	770,242	Primary	3.8%
271000	Oils petroleum, bituminous, distillates, except crude	704,140	Res-Intense-Man	3.5%
841112	Turbo-jet engines of a thrust > 25 KN	624,863	Medium	3.1%
300490	Medicaments nes, in dosage	456,238	High	2.3%

Notes: The product codes are based on HS 1992 classification. High, Medium and low skill refer to high, medium and low capital and skill intensive manufactured goods. Res-Intense-Man denotes to resource intensive manufactured goods. Primary refers to primary goods. The classifications are based on Lall (2000) and are further described in chapter 4. Export values are in current prices.

Source: For Tables 3.1-3.4, BACI and authors' calculations.