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The African Growth and Opportunities Act (AGOA) which was signed into law in 2000 as part of U.S. trade legislation has the objectives of increasing trade and investment between the U.S. and eligible Sub-Saharan African (SSA) countries, by reducing or eliminating tariffs applied to African exports of different products. This Act represents a promising approach to economic growth and development in SSA through international trade.

This thesis examines the impact of AGOA on African agricultural exports. The study uses the gravity trade model framework and panel data depicting annual agricultural trade from 35 eligible SSA countries to the United States over years both before and after AGOA's implementation (1990-2011). There is wide variation in trade flows and the economic characteristics of the panel data obtained from the 35 SSA countries include numerous observations of zero trade flows. As the gravity equation is generally estimated in logarithms which are not defined for zero values, alternative statistical estimation methods, the Heckman model and the Poission family of regression modeling techniques, were used to test whether the inclusion of the zero values would change the parameter estimates significantly. The study differs from previous empirical analyses of AGOA which did not attempt to account for zero trade flows. In addition,

most of these studies were based on data from the early years of AGOA while this study includes more recent data and is based on a longer time period.

The statistical results indicate that the AGOA trade preferences do not have a statistically significant impact on SSA agricultural exports, although some of the model results indicate that AGOA may have a positive effect on SSA agricultural exports to the United States. Results from some of the models indicate that an increase in per capita GDP in the SSA countries decreases agricultural exports to the United States. Likewise, currency appreciation of the SSA countries decreases the agricultural trade flows. A tariff rate quota and the exclusion of some agricultural products from the legislation still limit AGOA's broader positive economic impact. Further liberalization, reform and extension of AGOA for a longer time, investment to improve trade facilitation services, agricultural productivity and processing to meet high quality standards, and adoption of a comprehensive development assistance policy are needed if the African countries are to realize sustained economic growth and development.

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List of abbreviations

AGOA	African Growth and Opportunity Act
ATPA	Andean Trade Preferences Act
CBI	Caribbean Basin Initiative
CBTPA	Caribbean Basin Trade Partnership Act
EU	European Union
FDI	Foreign Direct Investment
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GSP	Generalized System of Preferences
LDC	Least Developed Country
MDGs	Millennium Development Goals
MFN	Most Favored Nation
NB	Negative Binomial
OLS	Ordinary Least Squares
PPML	Poisson Pseudo Maximum Likelihood
ROC	Republic of Congo
SSA	Sub Saharan Africa
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
USITC	United States International Trade Commission
USTR	United States Trade Representative
WTO	World Trade Organisation
ZIP	Zero-inflated Poisson
ZINB	Zero-inflated Negative Binomial

CHAPTER 1: Introduction

1.1 Background

The historical pattern of Africa's economic growth provides insight to help understand its current economic situation and policy options. During the period immediately after independence from 1960 to 1973, economic growth was quite strong in many of Sub-Sahara African (SSA) countries (Jones and Williams, 2012). However, the next two decades were a period of stagnation or decline for many African countries. Most policy analysts and development economists point to political instability, poor governance, difficult geographic conditions, and the effects of colonialism as causes of Africa's slow growth (Jones and Williams, 2012). According to Vivian and Williams (2012) slow economic growth and stagnation have also contributed to slow accumulation of both human and physical capital. In SSA the slow economic growth is also due to lack of appropriate economic policies. (Haykin, 1997)

Since about 2000, however, African economic growth has begun to increase. Arieff et al. (2009) suggest that this improved economic performance can be explained in part by higher commodity prices brought about by growing global commodity demand. Increased imports of mineral and petroleum resources by emerging countries in Asia have played a particularly significant role in recent African economic growth (Arieff et al., 2009). In addition to commodity exports, Arieff et al. (2009) also point to increased foreign direct investment as a stimulus for growth noting that private investment flows may have increased greatly since 2000.

The World Bank (2010) report mentioned that "recent growth of SSA countries has also been supported by policy reforms, since many African governments have been trying to improve economic governance through micro and macro economic policy

reforms’’ (World Bank, 2010). There has also been increased public investment in major economic sectors such as agriculture and services. In addition to the policy reforms made, international debt relief programs also contributed to the better economic growth trends in some African countries. The report shows that the number of armed conflicts in Africa has also declined which makes countries such as Ethiopia, Eritrea, Rwanda, Sudan, Uganda and the region as a whole more attractive for foreign investments (World Bank, 2010).

However, the positive economic growth trend observed does not appear to have had a great impact on the poverty alleviation and on the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). According to the World Bank (2011), progress on MDGs has been the slowest in SSA. Based on a similar report, ‘‘the number of people living on less than \$1.25 per day since 1981 has increased around 50% in this region. The number of poor people who live in poverty has also nearly doubled (from 200 million in 1981 to 380 million in 2005 in absolute terms)’’ (World Bank (2011). But the percentage of the population living in extreme and moderate poverty has decreased slightly over time. SSA economic development is constrained by many structural factors which include limited communications services and infrastructure, high levels of corruption, high dependency on foreign aid to balance budgets and provide basic services, high ratios of foreign debt to national income; lack of technological investment in high potential sectors such as agriculture; the burden of diseases and high population growth (World Bank, 2009).

International trade has played an important role in the economic development of African countries as in other regions of the world. Trade provides more economic opportunities for people. Consumers in the trading countries can have more product

choices, lower prices, new technology and access to innovations (Froning Denise H., 2000). Producers can also offer their goods and services to more consumers. Opening up markets increases the prospects for countries which leads to more income opportunities, the improvement of living standards and economic growth. (Froning Denise H., 2000).

Even though there are many economic reforms made to facilitate trade, growth and development are limited in many SSA countries by policy choices that restrict trade. “Africa is the world’s second most trade-restrictive region after South Asia.” (Arieff et al. (2010). Examples of this trade restrictiveness include import licensing procedures, higher import and export duties/tariffs, and other trade related border measures. For example, according to the IMF Trade Restrictiveness Index of 2010 SSA has an average tariff of 19.2 % compared to 13.8% in most Asian countries-excluding the fast growing, 7.2% in the fast-growing Asian countries and 5.4% for industrialized countries. The region, on average, also shows “the worst rankings in business environment, governance, logistics, and other trade facilitation indicators” (World Bank, 2010). In SSA countries, trade accounts for about a third of GDP (World Bank, 2010). However, the exports of many SSA countries are still dominated by primary commodities particularly agricultural products, oil and minerals, so that higher commodity prices are very important for its trade and economic growth (World Bank, 2011).

In recent years, SSA trade growth prospects have been good because of strong commodity demand and also increasing diversification of trading partners. Based on a World Bank report, in 2011 much of the increased growth of export revenues was due to higher commodity prices. Export values in the region increased about 38 percent in 2011

as compared to 2010 (World Bank 2012). Hence, with primary commodities dominating many SSA exports, most countries are benefiting from the improved terms of trade.

Due to low levels of regional integration, deficient infrastructure, lack of improved communication services and other trade barriers, SSA has lower rates of intraregional trade and most of its trade is with countries outside of the continent. For instance, SSA's 2009/10 top 10 trade partners are China, the United States, France, India, Germany, the Netherlands, the U.K, South Africa, Japan, and Spain (International Trade Administration, 2010; see Appendix Figure A1.1). Since 2008, China has been the leading trade partner of Sub-Saharan African overtaking the place of U.S. In 2009, China accounted for 14.6 percent of the region's 2009 imports and 12.6 percent of its exports (IMF Regional Economic Outlook, 2010). According to the World Bank (2010), trade between China and most of Sub-Saharan Africa has been growing by an average of 30 percent a year over the past decade.

U.S. imports from SSA represent only about 2% of U.S. total trade (Jones and Williams, 2012). Similarly, U.S. investment in SSA represents a very small percentage of total U.S. foreign investment. A World Bank report indicated that "U.S. trade and investment in Sub-Saharan Africa have comprised only 1 to 2 percent of U.S. totals" (World Bank, 2006). However, recent World Trade Organization data shows that there is an improvement and an increase of African total merchandise trade (imports plus exports) with the United States from \$59.54 billion in 2009 to \$89.47 billion in 2011 (WTO International Trade Statistics, 2012).

Many African countries lack market access and face competition in the world market. Many studies indicated that most of African countries are highly dependent on

single primary commodity exports and price volatility in the world market has also been a major issues (UN, 2012 and WTO, 2011). Therefore, reducing international trade obstacles has become an important objective. In this regard, The African Growth and Opportunities Act (AGOA), a preferential trade agreement, may enhance access for African goods to the U.S. market.

What is AGOA?

In May 2000, AGOA was implemented as part of U.S. trade legislation and signed into law by President Clinton as Title 1 of The Trade and Development Act (AGOA, 2013a). The main purpose of this act is to increase trade and investment between the U.S. and eligible SSA countries, to enable the opening of U.S. markets by reducing and eliminating tariffs for African exports of different products, to promote economic development and reform in SSA, and to support increased access and investment opportunities in SSA. AGOA was first set to expire in 2008, but in 2004 it was extended to 2015 (AGOA, 2013a). Initially, 34 SSA countries were included in the list of beneficiaries. Now, of the 48 Sub-Saharan Africa (SSA) countries 41 are eligible for AGOA trade preferences. The full list of AGOA eligible countries is shown in Appendix FigureA1.2.

Every year the United States authorizes which SSA countries are eligible for AGOA. Some of the eligibility criteria were to improve human rights and follow open market economic policies, eligibility for the World Trade Organization (WTO) Generalized system of Preferences (GSP), and protection of internationally recognized worker rights (AGOA, 2013b). Based on this there is an evaluation of the Sub-Saharan African countries to determine which countries should remain eligible on an annual basis.

Eligibility has also fluctuated with changes in the local political environment. For instance, in December of 2009 Guinea, Madagascar, and Niger were all suspended from the list of eligible countries because of poor governance and lack of progress towards democracy. However, by October of 2011 eligibility was restored to Guinea and Niger since they showed improvement.

AGOA covers more than 6000 product items including steel items, automotive components, handbags, gloves, footwear, apparel, iron and many types of food products (USTR, 2012). Under AGOA benefits, four main sectors such as energy-related products, textiles and apparel, transportation equipment, and minerals and metals account for over 90% of exports (AGOA 2013b). Even though the percentage of exports qualifying for AGOA benefits from the above-mentioned sectors is very high, important SSA agricultural exports are not covered by the trade preferences.

Jones, 2009, Schneidman and Lewis, 2012 mentioned that “the majority of tariff reduction under the program is for nonagricultural commodities such as oil, petroleum, minerals, precious stones, textiles, and apparel.” 86% of U.S. imports from Africa consist of petroleum and minerals while agricultural goods imported from the eligible AGOA countries account for less than 2% of total U.S. agricultural imports (WTO and FAS/USDA). This indicates that the eligible agricultural products covered by the policy are less numerous than the nonagricultural products. However, agriculture is an important economic sector in many African countries and can play a significant role in overall growth and development in SSA. The limitation on AGOA eligibility for important SSA commodities raises an important question concerning the impact of this program on SSA's trade and development.

1.2 Statement of problem

AGOA as a preferential trade agreement that would give market opportunity is expected to have a positive impact on the growth of SSA exports. Based on the introductory AGOA discussion above the number of agricultural product lines covered by the act, however, is quite limited as compared to other commodities such as energy, minerals, textiles and apparel. Most analysis appears to find a small but positive relationship between AGOA and SSA agricultural exports although the relationship is not always statistically significant. The limited number of agricultural products that are eligible for AGOA preferences is one explanation for these results. In addition, most studies were based on data from the early years of the act (Nouve K 2003, Asmah E 2005/2006). The purpose of this research study is therefore to estimate the effects of AGOA on SSA agricultural exports using more recent and extended time period data.

1.3 Objectives

The primary objective of this study is to develop a precise estimate of the impact of AGOA on SSA trade. To carry out this objective, a gravity model is estimated based on panel data covering the period 1990 to 2011. This period includes years prior to the adoption of AGOA (1990-1999) as well as years when AGOA was in effect (2000-2011). 35 SSA countries are included in the panel data set used for the model estimation.

The second objective of the study is to use the results of the statistical analysis to evaluate the impact of AGOA on agricultural exports from the SSA countries to the United States. The model estimates will be used in conjunction with information on the

way AGOA is structured to identify the limitations of this program and to draw out the policy implications of the research.

1.4 Organization

The thesis is organized in five sections. The next chapter presents related literature about different trade preferences given to developing and Least Developed Countries (LDCs), shares of SSA agricultural exports in the U.S market, and literatures related to AGOA and its impact on SSA agriculture exports. In the third chapter, methods are described. The fourth chapter includes discussion of descriptive statistics, data sources and the results of the econometric estimation. The last chapter summarizes the results and the policy implications of the analysis.

CHAPTER 2: Literature Review

It has been twelve years since AGOA was signed into law. It was first due to expire in 2008, but the legislation was extended until 2015 (AGOA, 2011). In general, the volume of AGOA exports has increased 500 percent, from \$8.15 billion in 2001 to \$53.8 billion in 2011, and non-energy AGOA exports have increased 275 percent, from \$1.2 billion to \$4.5 billion according to AGOA information website (AGOA, 2013b).

This chapter addresses three categories of literature related to the study. The first section presents different types of trade preferences given to developing and least developed countries such as the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP), and extended or special trade preference programs such as AGOA. The second part highlights the shares of SSA agricultural exports in the U.S market. The last part focuses on previous literature related to AGOA and its impact on SSA agricultural exports. In addition, it explains the gaps identified in the existing empirical literature and the contribution of this study.

2.1 Different trade preferences given to Developing and Least Developed Countries (LDCs)

The United States in 1974 and European Union in 1971 passed legislation establishing their General System of Preferences (GSP) rules (Jones, 2013). Over recent years the U.S. and EU have been the most important trade partners for the developing countries and LDCs, even though Canada, Japan, Australia and other countries implemented their own GSP according to the World Bank 2006.

The Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) is defined as:

“A formal system of exemption from the more general rules of the World Trade Organization (WTO-formerly, the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade or GATT).

Specifically, it is a system of exemption from the most favored nation principle (MFN) that requires WTO member countries to treat the imports of all other WTO member countries no worse than they treat the imports of their "most favored" trading partner.''' (USTR, 2012). This means that GSP allows WTO member countries to treat developing countries differently from other trading partners offering them lower tariffs without expecting reciprocal tariff reductions from the beneficiaries (Vivian, 2013).

Under the WTO member countries agreement, the Most Favored Nation (MFN) tariff rates are the non-discriminatory favorable tariff rates that are applied to imports from the partner countries (UNCTAD, 2010). U.S. imports from WTO member countries which are excluded from preferential treatment trade agreements are subject to the MFN tariff rates. For instance, MFN tariff rates of the United States were on average slightly higher during pre-AGOA (1997-2000) than the post-AGOA period (2001-2008) (Ombuki, C. N, 2011). The USITC, 2011 report shows that between the pre and post AGOA periods, the average MFN tariff rates for all products did not significantly fall, but only a small reduction from 5.6 percent in the pre-AGOA to 4.7 percent in the post AGOA period. Agricultural product tariff rates remained almost unchanged at 5.7 percent and 5.6 percent during the same periods. The MFN tariff rates on agricultural goods prior to AGOA averaged 10.5 percent which is high relative to other import categories. Although there seems to be marginal reduction of the rates over time, the changes are not that large. Mineral fuels have very low MFN tariff rates of close to 1 percent (USITC, 2011).

Based on the income levels, the GSP program of the United States divides eligible countries into two groups as all developing and the least developed countries. The LDCs

have an additional duty-free market access of 1,750 tariff lines besides the 4,650 tariff lines that all eligible developing countries get (USTR, 2012). Since the establishment of the GSP, the other most important development is the implementation of unilateral market access policies which target particular countries. For instance, in 1984 the United States initiated the Caribbean Basin Initiative (CBI) which includes twenty-four countries in the Caribbean and Central America and the policy was modified in 1990. Another regional trade program that U.S. extends preferences to Colombia, Bolivia, Peru and Ecuador is the Andean Trade Preferences Act (ATPA). Since it was implemented after the CBI, it has similar eligibility requirements and product coverage. Another example is the Caribbean Basin Trade Partnership Act (CBTPA), passed in 2000 which extended preferences to textiles and apparel for the CBI countries (Hoekman, 2005). This extended agreement is important since it covers products such as apparel, textiles, footwear, watches, petroleum, canned tuna and other goods which were previously excluded from duty-free under the CBI program, and those product categories are very important for many of the eligible countries (Hoekman, 2005).

The final U.S. program and the main focus of this study is AGOA. It offers beneficiary Sub-Saharan African countries duty free and quota-free market access for many products. As noted earlier, AGOA was originally scheduled to last for only 8-years until September 2008, but in 2004 it was extended to 2015 (AGO, 2013a). Also, a special exemption for apparel was first extended to three years until 2007, then the garment and textile provisions on rules of origin were extended to 2012. However, all Sub-Saharan Africa LDCs are exempted from the rules of origin for a limited period of time, which helps countries such as Lesotho, Madagascar, Swaziland, Kenya, and

Mauritius to expand textile and apparel exports significantly (Asmah, 2010). Under AGOA, the rules of origin provision requires countries to source inputs only from a beneficiary SSA country or from the United States (AGOA, 2013b). But this requirement is suspended for LDCs which may utilize inputs such as fabrics and yarns from all other countries to produce garments to export. For countries that have to comply with the rules of origin provisions, at least 35% of the cost or value of inputs and the processing costs must be from local sources (AGOA.2013b). AGOA adds about 1,800 product tariff lines to the previously available duty-free benefits under the GSP program so that duty-free access to the U.S. market under both (AGOA and GSP) programs is extended to about 7,000 product tariff lines (AGOA.2013b). These include items such as textiles, apparel and footwear, wine, certain motor vehicle components, different agricultural products, minerals, chemicals, steel and others.

The expectation of preferential trade agreements like AGOA is that they would have a positive effect on total exports from developing and least developed countries (World Bank, 2009). Trade preferences can have mixed results generating both gains and losses. For instance, it is possible that the preferences will lead to trade diversion as the preference-granting country shifts its imports from a low-cost producer to a higher-cost producer receiving the preferential treatment. The welfare effects of this change, however, would fall mainly in the importing country and so may be of less concern to countries receiving preferential treatment. Preferential agreements may also add to administrative costs relating to managing the confusion from many overlapping trade agreements (Hilaire and Yang, 2003). Francois, Hoekman and Manchin (2005) and the early study of Baldwin and Murray (1977) also show that sometimes preferential

programs may have an adverse effect on the terms of trade for excluded (less preferred) countries. The possibility of trade preferences excluding sensitive sectors and the possible non-reciprocal nature of the agreements can also be added to these concerns. Jones and Hornbeck (2013) also mentioned that the main goal of all trade preference programs is to promote export growth and development in less developed countries, however, the outcomes of those preference benefits have been mixed in some ways. “Many developing countries have used tariff preferences to enhance their competitiveness in certain industries, particularly apparel. In other countries, preferences are used to export major commodities such as petroleum and mineral products which may be less supportive of long-term economic diversification and development.” (Jones and Hornbeck, 2013).

A key feature of all preferential trade programs, including the GSP, is that they are in effect for a certain period of time and need to be renewed periodically. Ozden and Sharma (2004) mentioned that if preferred countries do not focus on improving their product competitiveness, they may tend not to be benefited when the preference programs expire. Their results suggest that preferential arrangements such as AGOA should be viewed as transitional mechanisms for gaining comparative advantage and market share.

2.2 Shares of SSA countries exports in the U.S market

The United States is the second largest importer of merchandise from the SSA countries (See Figure A1.1). In 2011, the United States received 15 percent of the region’s total exports (WTO, 2011). Even though, it is the second largest trade partner from the perspective of SSA countries, the United States conducts a small share of its

total trade with SSA countries. The United States imported merchandise worth \$74 billion from SSA countries in 2011 which is about 3.4% of total U.S. global imports of \$2.2 trillion (USITC, 2011). The United States exported goods worth \$20.3 billion to the region in 2011, 1.5% of total U.S. exports of \$1.3 trillion based on USITC, 2011 trade statistics. Overall, total trade (exports plus imports) between the United States and Sub-Saharan Africa grew 51% between 2009 and 2011, up from \$62.4 billion in 2009 to \$94.3 billion in 2011. This increase in the value of trade resulted from increases in commodity prices between 2009 and 2011 as well as growth in the quantities traded.

Table 2.1 Top Ten U.S. Imports from sub-Saharan Africa, 2010 and 2011(in \$ billions)

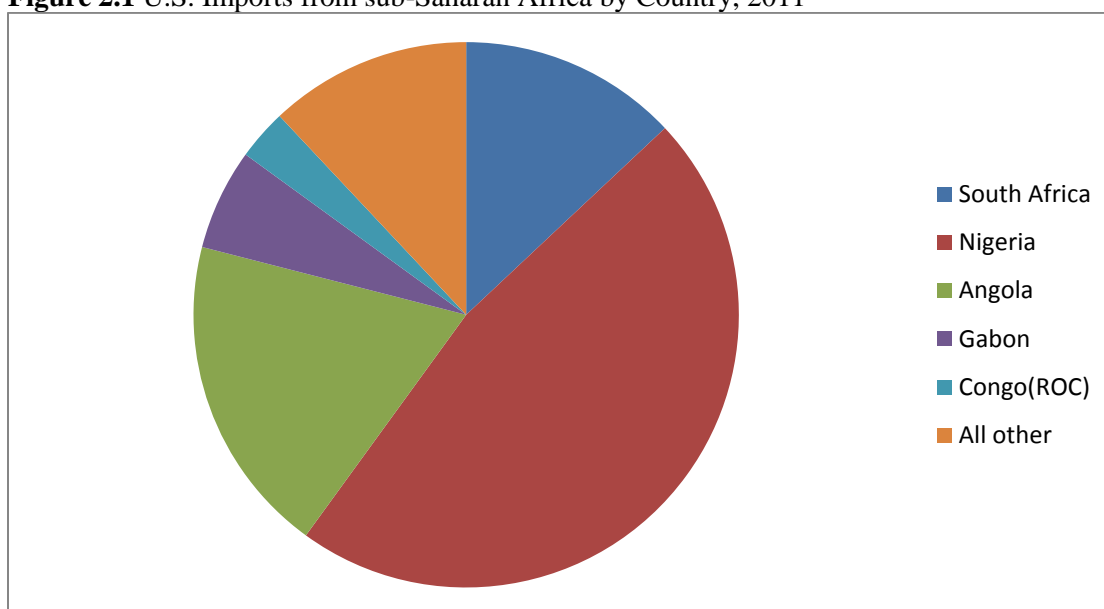
HTS Number	2010	2011	Percentage Change 2010-2011
27-Mineral fuels and oil	51.38	58.97	14.80%
71-Pearls, Precious Stones, Precious Metals, etc., Coin	3.95	4.33	9.80%
87-Vehicles, Except Railway or Tramway, and Parts	1.61	2.16	34.10%
18-Cocoa and cocoa preparations	1.04	1.27	22.60%
29-Organic chemicals	1.22	1.16	-4.70%
72-Iron and steel	0.76	0.89	16.70%
26-Ores, slag, and ash	0.67	0.79	17.70%
62-Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted	0.40	0.46	14.70%
84-Nuclear Reactors, Boilers, Machinery and Parts	0.36	0.46	26.30%
61-Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted	0.39	0.44	14.30%
Subtotal	61.77	70.94	14.80%
All Other	2.58	3.08	19.40%
Total	64.35	74.02	15.00%

Source: Table 5 in “U.S. Trade and Investment Relations with sub-Saharan Africa and the African Growth and Opportunity Act,” by Vivian C. Jones and B. Williams, 2012 from U.S. International Trade Commission Trade Dataweb, <http://www.usitc.gov>.

The main U.S. import is mineral fuels and oil which accounted for about 73% of the US imports from SSA in 2011 (USDC, 2011). Nigeria, South Africa, Angola, Gabon, Chad and Congo (ROC) are the major exporters of the first three listed product categories from table 2.1 (i.e Mineral fuels and oil, Pearls, Precious Stones and Metals, Vehicles and

Parts). A large proportion of U.S. trade with sub-Saharan Africa is with a small number of countries. About 79% of U.S. imports from the region in 2011 were from Nigeria (47%), Angola (19%), and South Africa (13%) (see Figure 2.1). The only agricultural product in the top 10 products imported is cocoa and cocoa preparations. African cocoa exports increased significantly reaching \$1.2 billion in 2011, up 22 percent from 2010. Côte d'Ivoire, Ghana, Cameroon, Nigeria and Togo are the leading producers and exporters of cocoa in Africa.

Figure 2.1 U.S. Imports from sub-Saharan Africa by Country, 2011



Source: Figure 3 in “U.S. Trade and Investment Relations with sub-Saharan Africa and the African Growth and Opportunity Act,” by Vivian C. Jones and B. Williams, 2012 from U.S. International Trade Commission Trade Dataweb, <http://www.usitc.gov>.

The top U.S. export market in SSA was South Africa at \$7.2 billion; made up largely of machinery, mineral fuels and oil, gold powder, vehicles and parts (USTR,2011). Other important markets include Nigeria (\$4.8 billion; mostly minerals and oil, machinery, vehicles and its parts and cereals), Angola (\$1.5 billion; mostly machinery, aircraft parts, poultry, iron/steel), Ghana (\$1.1 billion; mostly machinery, vehicles and parts, mineral fuels, cereals), and Ethiopia (\$689 million; mostly cereals, aircraft and parts, machinery) (USTR,2011).

Even though the United State imports primary commodities such as coffee, tea, cocoa, sugar, rubber and others, most U.S. agricultural imports are high-value products. For instance in 2012, the US imported \$24 billion in intermediate and \$62 billion in consumer-oriented agricultural products which is higher than \$17 billion in bulk (FAS/USDA, 2012). NAFTA partners Canada and Mexico and the EU are the leading agricultural import suppliers, and they provide more than 50% of total U.S. agricultural imports (Charles et.al, 2011). Other important suppliers of agricultural products to the United States include Australia, Brazil, Colombia, Indonesia, and New Zealand (Charles et al. 2011).

The major agricultural commodity exports from SSA are primary commodities such as cocoa, coffee, cotton, peanut oil, palm oil, sugar and tobacco (Charles et al. 2011). However, agricultural products account for only about 2 percent of the products exported from SSA countries to the United States under the AGOA preferences (USITC, 2010). Products such as sugar, coffee, peanuts, cotton, dairy, beef, tobacco, and processed agricultural goods such as canned fruits are not covered by the AGOA tariff and quota reductions (AGOA, 2013a). Those agricultural products are important export commodities in many African countries and their exclusion from the AGOA trade barrier reductions lessens the impact of this program.

Condon and Stern (2011), and Charles and Carol (2011) stated that a large amount of U.S. agricultural imports from Sub-Saharan African countries covered by the Most-Favored-Nation system (MFN) under the WTO agreement, and the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP); therefore some already have lower tariff rates and duty-free access. AGOA countries' total agricultural exports to the United States are reported to be

between \$1.2 billion to \$1.4 billion per year (Asmah, 2010). MFN system covered about \$1 billion out of the stated amount, and the remainder is under AGOA and GSP (Asmah, 2010).

The AGOA countries with the largest agricultural exports to the United States in 2012 were South Africa (21% of total AGOA agricultural exports to the United States), Ghana (17% of the total), Malawi (13%), Liberia (12%), Kenya (9%), Ethiopia (8%), and Nigeria (5%) (See Figure A2.1). In most cases, exports from these countries were dominated by a single commodity. Thus 85% of Ghana's agricultural exports to the United States were made up of cocoa and cocoa products, while almost all of Liberia's exports consisted of rubber and related products. Coffee made up 74% of Ethiopia's exports to the United States (FAS/USDA, 2013). Exports from South Africa and Kenya were somewhat more diversified but still concentrated in a limited number of commodities (coffee, tea and tree nuts in Kenya, and wine, fresh fruits and vegetables and tree nuts in South Africa).

2.3 Previous literatures on AGOA and its impact on SSA agriculture exports

Since 2000 several studies have tried to assess the extent to which AGOA can directly explain the increase in exports from SSA to US. Many studies of the impacts of AGOA on African exports have focused on aggregate merchandise trade without reference to specific sectors (Mattoo, Roy and Subramanian, 2002). In addition, most empirical evaluations were done only for the years up to 2006, and have been dominated by analysis of the textile and apparel sectors (Olarreaga and Özden, 2005; Lall, 2003; Collier and Venables, 2007; Fayissa & Tadesse 2007; Mueller 2008; Condon & Stern, 2011). For instance, Brenton and Hoppe (2006) and Office of the United States Trade

Representative (2010 and 2011)- review the trade data on SSA exports to the United States and all find evidence of overall significant and increasing exports under AGOA. Both studies also show that AGOA exports are dominated by petroleum products and apparel.

In contrast, Mueller (2008) and Seyoum (2007) used gravity models and find that AGOA has had no significant impact on overall exports from SSA to the United States. Mueller (2008) employed two models to assess different aspects of AGOA. The first measures the general effect of AGOA on trade by testing the impact of AGOA on total U.S. imports (excluding oil) from AGOA-eligible countries from 2000 to 2004. The second model tests the impact of AGOA on apparel imports. The result of the first model shows a negative but statistically insignificant impact on non-oil trade for eligible countries. In addition, he found the effect of AGOA on apparel exports was not statistically different from zero. Seyoum (2007) also uses a gravity equation with a similar specification finding that AGOA has had a marginally positive but not statistically significant impact on total SSA exports to the U.S. up to 2004.

On the other hand studies such as Olarreaga and Özden (2005), Frazer and Van Biesebroeck (2007) and Condon and Stern (2011) show a positive impact of AGOA on overall SSA exports, especially apparel. Collier and Venables (2007), Fayissa and Tadesse (2007) also use gravity models to look at the impact of AGOA on apparel exports. They find a positive and very significant impact of AGOA on SSA apparel exports.

Only a few empirical studies have examined the effects of AGOA on agricultural trade between SSA and the United States. Nogue (2003) suggests that analysis of the

impact of AGOA has been limited to certain products and studies of its impacts on agricultural trade appear to be relatively few. Nogue and Staats (2003) did an empirical analysis of U.S. agricultural trade with 46 SSA countries using the gravity model and panel data from 2000 to 2003. Their objective was to estimate the impact of AGOA using the gravity trade model with some indicator of the presence or absence of AGOA. This estimation was used to explain US-SSA agricultural trade for the full sample of 46 eligible countries, also 27 countries that have historically exported large amounts of agricultural products to the United States, and the eight leading agricultural trading partners of the United States were sampled separately in the model. Their results show that the impact of AGOA on SSA agricultural exports to the United States was not statistically significant, even though the response was positive as expected. The authors concluded that AGOA has had no observable impact on agricultural trade because it is still in a relatively early stage. This indicates that research based on a longer period may be needed to develop more precise estimates of AGOA's effects.

On the other hand recent data from the USITC (2011) show that SSA agricultural exports to the United States remain low. This may be due to the fact that African exports are generally concentrated in a few primary commodities, and this lack of diversification has been attributed to poor investments in agricultural productivity and processing. In addition, the limited volume of agricultural trade may be due to non-tariff barriers related to sanitary issues and other technical barriers to trade (Lionel and Anne, 2007).

Frazer and Van Biesebroeck (2007) also conduct an in-depth study of AGOA with more extensive data coverage. They used a variation of the traditional gravity model, using a "triple difference-in-differences estimation method" to assess the impact of

AGOA over the period 2000-2006. They found that AGOA has had a strong and large impact on U.S. apparel imports from SSA countries. “AGOA liberalizes only an additional 26 agricultural tariff lines, which is equivalent in number to less than 2 percent of the total number of agricultural lines and less than 12 percent of the remaining dutiable lines”(Frazer and Van Biesebroeck, 2007). They also mentioned, “There are over 200 agricultural tariff lines with no preference under AGOA, amounting to 17 percent of the total number of dutiable agricultural tariff lines in the U.S. schedule. Of these lines more than 150 relate to the over quota rates for products subject to tariff rate quotas.” In their analysis, they found that AGOA does not have a statistically significant impact but there is a positive relationship between AGOA and SSA agricultural exports to the United States.

Thus, there are very few empirical studies of the impact of AGOA on agricultural trade. In addition, the studies mentioned above covered only the early years following the adoption of AGOA. According to the available studies, agriculture has not benefited greatly from the AGOA provisions although there appears to be a positive relationship between AGOA and SSA agricultural exports to the United States. In some other studies (Mattoo, Roy and Subramanian, 2002, Frazer and Van Biesebroeck 2007, Lionel and Anne, 2007) the impact of AGOA on agricultural exports is less clear because the analysts focused on aggregate merchandise exports with no sector specific elements. Empirical studies that did focus on agriculture such as Nouve and Staatz (2003) relied on only the early years of the act up to 2003. The purpose of this research study, therefore, is to use currently available data covering an extended time period to determine precisely

whether the previous results continue to be valid or whether AGOA has had greater effects that are only now beginning to show up.

CHAPTER 3: Method

3.1 The Traditional Gravity Model of Trade

The method used in this study to analyze the impact of AGOA is the gravity model of trade. This model has been used extensively to explain bilateral trade flows. It allows the analyst to test whether various factors such as the presence of a regional agreement or preferential trade arrangements have a statistically significant impact on trade flows. The traditional gravity model draws on an analogy with Newton's Law of Gravitation which explains the gravitational attraction between objects as a function of their mass and the distance between them. Tinbergen (1962) was the first to use this method using economic weight as measured by GDP and distance between two countries to account for the bilateral trade flows between the two countries. A historical review of how the gravity equation is used in international trade can be found in Anderson (1979, 2011) and Brakman and van Bergeijk (2010). Initially, the gravity equation was an ad hoc specification with little link to particular theoretical models. Anderson (1979, 2011), Anderson and van Wincoop (2003) and others have derived the gravity equation from theoretical models (see Feenstra, 2004).

The basic empirical model for trade between two countries (i and j) takes the form of equation 1. Goods supplied at origin i are attracted to destination j according to the economic weights of the two countries as measured by GDP (Y_i and Y_j), but the potential flow is reduced by the distance between them D_{ij} . A simple form of the gravity equation is:

$$T_{ij} = G \frac{Y_i^{\beta_1} Y_j^{\beta_2} Z_{ij}^{\beta_3}}{D_{ij}^{\beta_4}} \quad (1)$$

Where T_{ij} is the trade flow from i to j and Y is the respective economic mass of the importing and exporting countries (as measured by GDP). An alternative for the economic mass that is often used in gravity models is per capita GDP and some analysts have included both GDP and GDP per capita. D_{ij} is the physical distance between country i and j ¹, and Z_{ij} represents other characteristics affecting bilateral trade such as common language, common border, colonial ties, regional trade agreements, or trade barriers. G is a constant intercept.

The traditional gravity equation is usually rewritten in a log-linear form to estimate the vector of β ;

$$\ln T_{ij} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \ln Y_i + \beta_2 \ln Y_j + \beta_3 Z_{ij} - \beta_4 D_{ij} + \varepsilon_{ij} \quad (2)$$

β_0 is a constant intercept common to all trading countries and ε_{ij} is an error term. A shortcoming of this specification is that it suffers from omitted variable bias. Anderson and Van Wincoop (2003), among others, develop a more realistic gravity model in which prices in the two countries differ as a result of border effects, including transportation costs, trade barriers and other costs of doing business. With different prices, the simple gravity equation is no longer appropriate. Anderson and Van Wincoop (2003) derive a theoretically consistent gravity model that includes price indices which they refer to as “multilateral resistance variables” (p. 176). These variables depend on the level of the trade barriers between a given country and all of its trading partners. Their incorporation into the gravity equation raises some problems in the statistical estimation of the relationships. Feenstra (2004) suggests that such problems can be overcome by using

¹ Note: j and u are used interchangeably to represent US

panel data to estimate the equation with fixed effects. Country-specific fixed effects can be thought to capture the impact of the unobserved multilateral resistance variables.

The model can be presented in a log-linear specification:

$$\ln T_{ijt} = \beta_0 + \alpha_t + \alpha_{ij} + \beta_1 \ln Y_{it} + \beta_2 \ln Y_{jt} + \beta_3 Z_{ij} - \beta_4 D_{ij} + \varepsilon_{ijt} \quad (3)$$

Where α_{ij} represents a fixed effect for country pairs that is common to all years and which captures country heterogeneity, and α_t is a time fixed effect common to all countries, but specific to each year t . Gravity models with fixed effects have also been used by different researchers such as Millimet and Osang (2004) to estimate the effects of borders on trade; Glick and Rose (2001) and Pakko and Wall (2001) to estimate the trade effects of currency unions; by Wall (2000) and by Egger (2002) to calculate trade potentials; and by Wall (1999) to estimate the costs of protection.

The statistical model for this study is designed to evaluate unilateral trade flows from SSA countries to the United States and to explore the impact of AGOA as a preferential trade agreement using panel data for the AGOA-eligible countries in SSA over the period 1990 to 2011. The model can be presented in a log-linear specification as follows:

$$\ln AGX_{iut} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \ln Y_{it} + \beta_2 \ln Y_{ut} + \beta_3 \ln VAD_{it} + \beta_4 \ln AgL_{it} + \beta_5 EX_{it} + \beta_5 AGOA_{it} + \varepsilon_{iut} \quad (4)$$

$i = 1, 2, \dots, N$, representing exporting SSA countries, $u = 1$ representing the importing country, the United States and $t = 1, 2, \dots, T$, representing the pre and post AGOA years.

AGX_{iut} represents the value of aggregate agricultural commodity exports of SSA countries measured in U.S. dollars at time, t . The export values included in the data are only for eligible commodities under the AGOA agreement (any SSA agricultural exports to the United States that are outside the list of eligible goods under AGOA are excluded).

Y_{it} and Y_{ut} are GDP per capita for SSA and the United States at time t respectively.

Since it serves as a proxy for the income level of countries, GDP per capita of countries has also been very commonly employed in place of GDP and population. Example of models with GDP per capita include Sanso, Cuairan, and Sanz (1993), Bergstrand (1989), Cheng and Wall (1999), Buch and Piazzolo (2001), Fukao et al. (2003), Porojan (2001), Eichengreen and Irwin (1998) and others.

VAD_{it} is the value added of agriculture in SSA country i at time t and AgL_{it} percentage of agricultural land measured from total arable land of country i . EX_{it} represents the exchange rate of country i (i.e. real exchange rate-local currency per US dollar). These three variables are not included in most of the models estimated because they are country-specific and are expected to be accounted for by the fixed country effects. They are included in two models in an effort to ensure that the estimated coefficients are reliable. These types of variables have been used by other authors as factors that either impede or enhance bilateral trade. $AGOA$ is a dummy variable with a value of 0 for years prior to the implementation of the AGOA provisions for a given country and 1 for years following the implementation of these provisions. ε_{ijt} is assumed to be normally distributed with zero mean and constant variance for all observations. It is also assumed that the disturbances are pairwise uncorrelated.

We assumed the coefficient of the distance variable is zero since the distance is fixed over time between the exporting SSA country and the United States. The gravity Eq. (4) can be estimated by nonlinear or linear ordinary least squares (OLS) with fixed effects as suggested by Anderson and van Wincoop (2003) and Feenstra (2004). An important drawback of estimating the gravity equation in its log-linear form with OLS

estimation is that it ignores trade flows with a value of zero because the natural logarithm of zero is not defined. Actually our trade flow data shows a number of zero trade values across the studied countries. The next section explores alternative modeling approaches to handle the presence of zero values.

3.2 Modeling Zero Trade Flow

Zero or missing observations are quite common in bilateral/unilateral trade flows particularly in agricultural commodity trade. The first approach for dealing with zero trade flows is truncating the sample by dropping the observations with zero trade. The second approach is to systematically add a small positive number (usually 0.5 or 1) to all trade observations so that the log linear transformation is defined. The third is estimating the model in levels (i.e. in linear or non-log form).

Empirical estimation of trade flows with zero values with conventional OLS leads to a selection bias created by the logarithmic transformation (Burger et.al, 2009; Flowerdew and Aitkin 1982). Since zero trade flows are usually not randomly distributed, truncating the observations might lead to biased and inefficient estimates (Burger et.al, 2009; Heckman, 1979; Xiong and Beghin, 2011). Systematically adding a small positive number by itself is problematic since there is no theoretical or empirical justification for such a procedure, and it can distort the estimates (Linders and de Groot, 2006; Flowerdew and Aitkin, 1982; Xiong and Beghin, 2011). This study will address the problem of zero trade by implementing two alternative gravity model approaches using the Heckman selection model (Heckman 1979; Hoffmann and Kassouf 2005) and the Poisson Family specification of the trade gravity model (Santos Silva and Tenreyro, 2006; Burger et.al, 2009; Xiong and Beghin 2011).

3.2.1 The Heckman Selection Model

The Heckman gravity econometric model retains the log linear transformation of the model and treats zero trade values as censored observations. This approach involves estimating a Probit model in which the dependent variable is a $[1,0]$ indicator of whether or not a given observation is non-zero. The Heckman sample gravity selection model is based on both censored variables (equation 5) and uncensored variables (equation 6):

$$\ell_{ij}^* = \theta'X_i + u_{ij} \quad (5)$$

Where ℓ_{ij}^* is a latent variable that shows if bilateral, in our case unilateral, trade between SSA countries, i and U.S, j (u) in the sample occurred. ℓ_{ij} is not observed but we do observe if countries trade or not, such that $\ell_{ij} = 1$ if $\ell_{ij}^* > 0$; $\ell_{ij} = 0$ if $\ell_{ij}^* \leq 0$.

The outcome equation based on uncensored observations:

$$\ln T_{ij}^* = \beta'X_i + \varepsilon_{ij} \quad (6)$$

$\ln T_{ij}^*$ is the logarithm of the volume of unilateral trade as defined in equations 1 to 4.

$\ln T_{ij} = \ln T_{ij}^*$ if $\ell_{ij}^* > 0$. u_{ij} is the error term associated with the selection process. ε_{ij} is the error term of the outcome equation. X_i is a vector of variables that affect $\ln T_{ij}^*$. The errors u_{ij} and ε_{ij} have a bivariate normal distribution with zero means, standard errors of σ_u and σ_ε , (Hoffmann & Kassouf, 2005). For ease of exposition the time subscript is dropped from the equations.

The most popular way to correct for selection bias is the Heckman 2-stage least squares estimation that introduces in the specification the inverse of the “Mills ratio” (Heckman 1979). The Mills ratio is the ratio of the probability density function to the

cumulative distribution function of a distribution (see Appendix B-equation 7). The two-step procedure first estimates the bivariate selection equation using a Probit model and generates the inverse of the Mills ratio, $\lambda(\alpha_u)$. Then the main model is estimated with OLS, including a measure of the probability of being in the sample, derived from the Probit estimates. Greene (2003) and Hoffmann and Kassouf (2005) show that

$$E[T_{ij}^* | \ell_{ij} = 1] = \beta'X_i + \rho\sigma_\varepsilon\lambda(\alpha_u) \quad (6')$$

Due to the correlation between X_i and $\lambda(\alpha_u)$, OLS regression on $\ln T_{ij}^*$ without the term in $\lambda(\alpha_u)$ would produce an inconsistent estimator of β (Hoffmann and Kassouf 2005). The empirical version of the gravity model of the selection model of equation (5) becomes:

$$\ell_{iu}^* = \theta_0 + \gamma_{iu} + \theta_1 \ln Y_{it} + \theta_2 \ln Y_{ut} + \theta_3 \ln VAD_{it} + \theta_4 \ln AgL_{it} + \theta_5 EX_{it} + \theta_5 AGOA_{it} + u_{iu} \quad (5')$$

And the outcome-equation 6:

$$\ln T_{iu}^* = \beta_0 + \alpha_{iu} + \beta_1 \ln Y_{it} + \beta_2 \ln Y_{ut} + \beta_3 \ln VAD_{it} + \beta_4 \ln AgL_{it} + \beta_5 EX_{it} + \beta_5 AGOA_{it} + \varepsilon_{iu} \quad (6'')$$

The variable $\lambda(\alpha_u)$ is then included as an additional regressor, allowing the parameters of the outcome in equation (6'') to be consistently estimated by the OLS method (Greene 2003; Hoffmann and Kassouf 2005). ρ shows the correlation between the error terms of the selection and the outcome equation $Corr(u_{iu}, \varepsilon_{iu})$ in equation 5' and 6'.

3.2.2 Poisson Family Regressions

Since the Heckman gravity model adopts the log-linear specification as the conventional OLS estimation, it is still subject to heteroskedasticity. This implies that $E(\ln Y) \neq \ln E(Y)$, that is, the expected value of the logarithm of a random variable is different from the logarithm of its expected value (Santos Silva and Tenreyro 2006).

A recent study of Will Martin and Cong S. Pham noted that “The Heckman sample-selection estimators-whether in two-step or maximum likelihood-gave very poor results when estimated for a single equation with the same variables in the selection and estimation equations.” (Will Martin and Cong S. Pham, 2013). So Santos-Silva and Tenreyro recommended the use of a Poisson Pseudo Maximum-Likelihood (PPML) estimator, using the dependent variable in level form and independent variables in log form instead of both logarithmic dependent and independent variables. They show that the PPML consistently estimates the gravity equation for trade and it is robust to different patterns of heteroskedasticity and measurement error.

The Poisson family of models originally derives from the analysis of count data- a non-negative integer which includes 0 values. Given the presence of zero trade flows and heteroskedastic error terms, the gravity model can be estimated consistently using the Poisson Pseudo Maximum Likelihood (PPML) estimation (Santos Silva and Tenreyro 2006). We follow the specification of Burger et al. (2009) to fit the PPML estimator.

The observed volume of trade, T_{ij} between countries i and j in a period t has a Poisson distribution with a conditional mean (μ) that is a function of the independent variables (equation 4). T_{ij} is assumed to have a non-negative integer value so that it ensures that it is zero or positive and has the probability mass function described in Appendix-B equation 8. The Poisson model requires the equi-dispersion property, i.e., the conditional variance must be equal to the conditional mean (Cameron & Trivedi, 2010). This equi-dispersion property is commonly violated because the dependent variable of unilateral/bilateral trade flows is often over-dispersed, implying that the conditional variance exceeds the conditional mean because of the presence of greater variability-

statistical dispersion in the data set between countries. The presence of over-dispersion might result in inefficient estimation of the Poisson model. A negative binomial (NB) model is frequently employed to correct for over-dispersion (Burger et al., 2009).

The probability mass function of the negative binomial distribution is also explained in Appendix-B equation 10. A likelihood ratio test of Alpha (α) can be used to test whether the negative binomial distribution is preferred over the Poisson distribution (Cameron and Trivedi, 2010). If α is approximately zero, the negative binomial regression model reduces to the Poisson regression model.

Technically PPML and NB models can handle estimation of zero trade flows but neither is suitable for handling zero trade flows if the number of observed zero values exceeds the number of zeros predicted by the PPML or NB distributions (Burger et al., 2009). Under such a situation, the Zero Inflated Poisson (ZIP) and Zero Inflated Negative Binomial (ZINB) models can be used to overcome the problems (Burger et al., 2009).

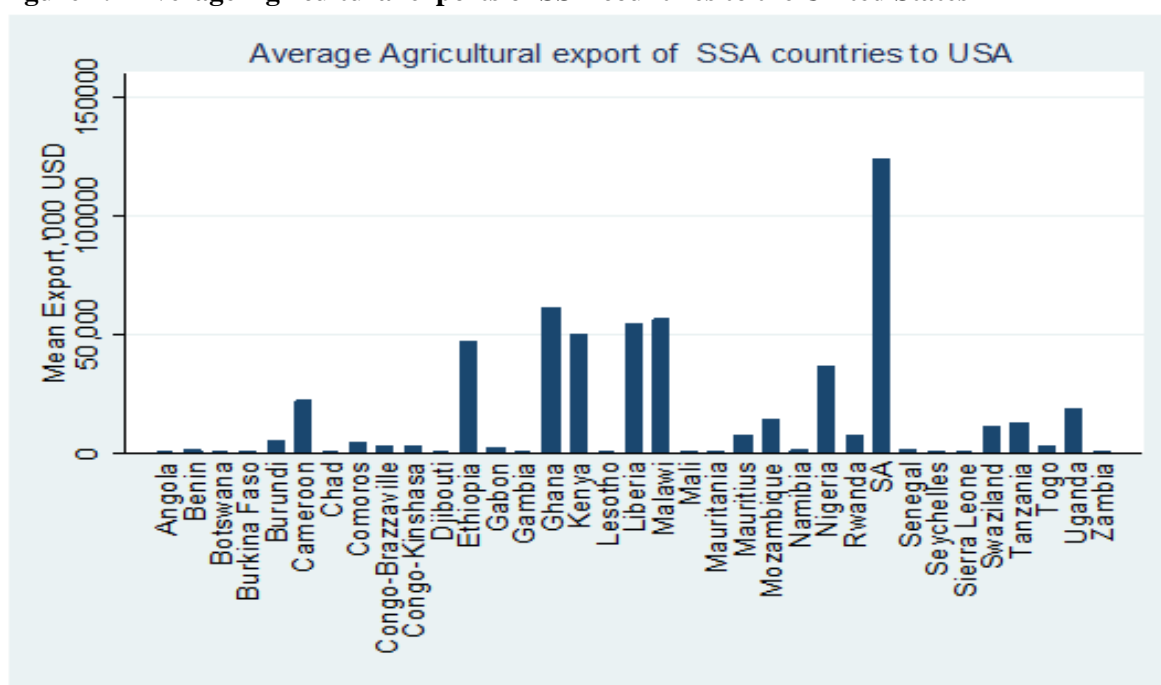
The ZIP regression consists of two parts (see Appendix-B. equation 11 and 12- probability mass functions). The first part of the zero-inflated model contains a logit (or probit) regression of the probability that there is no bilateral trade at all. The second part contains a Poisson regression (eqs.12) of the probability of each count for the group that has a non-zero probability or interaction intensity other than zero. According to Burger et al. (2009), in the presence of both over-dispersion and zero inflated problems in the study sample, a zero-inflated negative binomial (ZINB) model can be defined in a similar fashion to the ZIP model(see Appendix-B. Equations 13 and 14).

For both the zero-inflated Poisson model and the zero-inflated negative binomial regression model, the Vuong statistic (Vuong, 1989) can be employed to test whether a zero-inflated model and zero-inflated negative binomial are better than the alternatives. The likelihood ratio test of over-dispersion can also be used to test whether the negative binomial specification or the Poisson specification is more robust (Burger et.al 2009). The Vuong statistic follows a standard normal distribution with large positive values favoring the ZIP/ZINB model and large negative values favoring the PPML/NB model (Cameron & Trivedi, 2010).

CHAPTER 4: Results and Discussions

4.1 Descriptive Statistics

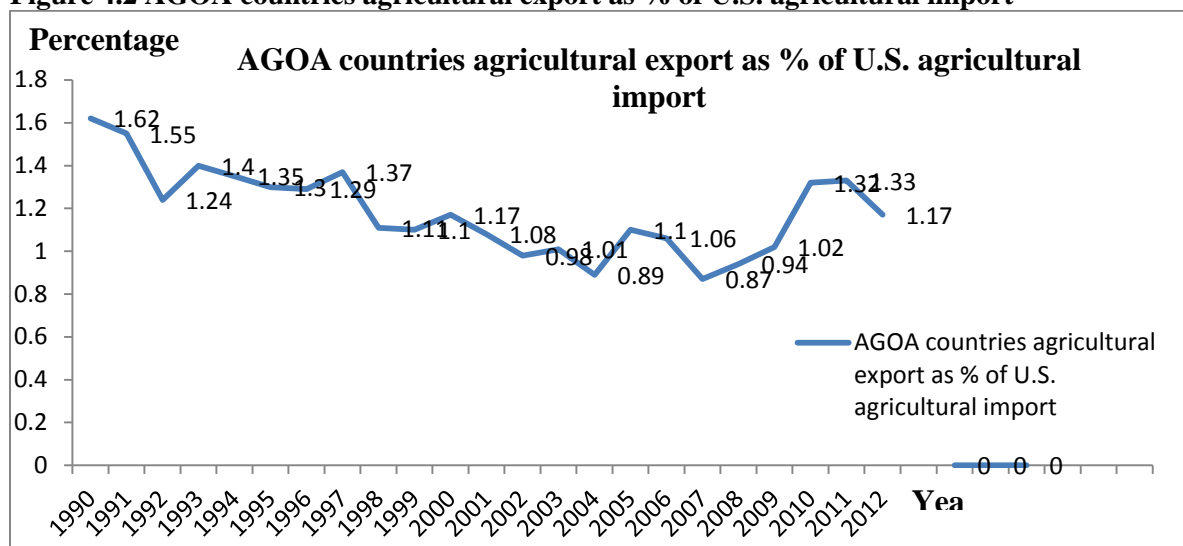
According to Figure 4.1, the largest agricultural exporters to the United States are South Africa, Ghana, Malawi, Liberia, Kenya, Ethiopia, and Nigeria. In addition, based on data from USITC and USDA/GATS the share of agricultural exports in total exports from SSA countries to the United States between 2000 and 2011 varies widely from 0 percent for large oil exporting countries such as Angola, Nigeria and Gabon, to more than 95 percent in Liberia, 82 percent in Kenya, and 96 percent in Comoros (see Appendix Table A4.1 for details). On average, agricultural exports form a very small fraction of SSA's total exports to the United States (about 2% between 1996 to 1999) and a half percentage point lower (1.5%) over the period 2000-2011. Agricultural exports in high performing economies such as South Africa, Ghana and Mauritius, form less than 5% of their total exports to the United States (see Table A4.1). Even though the share of agriculture in total exports of South Africa and Ghana is small, these two countries remain the first and second largest exporters of agricultural products from the AGOA countries to the United States (See Figure 4.1). Some countries show significant increases in the agricultural share of exports to the United States from about 63% during the period 1996-1999 to 95.8% in 2000-2011 in Liberia, 1% to 23% in Malawi, 54% to 82% in Kenya, 7% to 38% in Uganda, and 28% to 63% in Togo. (see Table A4.1)

Figure 4.1 Average Agricultural exports of SSA countries to the United States

Source: Own calculation based on USITC agricultural import data

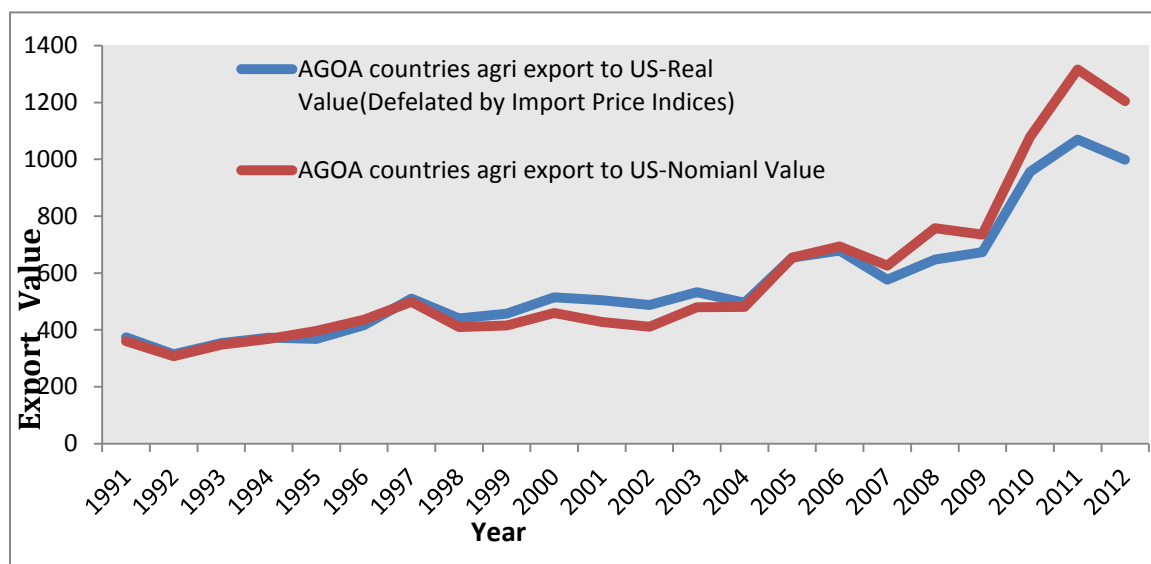
While the United States is an important market for agricultural exports from some of the AGOA countries, these countries account for a small share of total U.S. agricultural imports. According to Figure 4.2, the share of the AGOA countries in total U.S. agricultural imports was less than 2 percent over the period 1990 and 2011. On the other hand, the value of agricultural exports from the AGOA countries to the United States has grown substantially in both real and nominal terms, particularly in recent years (see Figure 4.3). The real value of AGOA agricultural exports to the U.S. since enactment of AGOA has grown by about 51 percent from \$514 million in 2000 to \$998 million in 2012. As Figure 4.3 shows there is also a slight decline of AGOA countries' agricultural exports from \$1.1 billion in 2011 to \$998 million in 2012.

Figure 4.2 AGOA countries agricultural export as % of U.S. agricultural import



Source: own analysis based on USITC data

Figure 4.3 SSA countries agricultural export values in \$Millions (Real and Nominal)



Source: own analysis based on USITC data and U.S. Import Price Indexes from Bureau of Labor Statistics

4.2 Data Sources

The gravity equation was estimated using panel data on U.S. agricultural imports from 35 SSA countries. Some countries in SSA have not been eligible for AGOA throughout the period 2000 to 2011 and have been dropped from the sample. A panel of these agricultural product imports covering years prior to the adoption of AGOA (1990-1999) and years following its implementation was formed. U.S. agricultural import statistics from the individual SSA countries were obtained from United States Department of Agriculture (USDA/GATS <http://www.fas.usda.gov/gats/ExpressQuery1.aspx>) and U.S Department of Commerce (<http://www.commerce.gov/>), and also from U.S. International Trade Commission (USITC). Initially, unilateral exports from SSA country i to the United States u will be measured as the aggregate of all agricultural exports to the United States from that country under AGOA product categories. The U.S. import price indices were obtained from the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics, and used to deflate import values. In many studies, other factors such as exchange rates, land area, common border, common language, currency union, etc. that may influence trade flows have been included as additional variables in the traditional gravity model. This study also included some additional factors and re-estimated the model. Real exchange rates are from the International Monetary Fund (IMF), while countries' GDP per capita, and data for agricultural value added and agricultural land as a percentage of total land are from the World Bank's World Development indicators (WDI). The complete data set used for the study is included in Appendix-C.

Table 4.1 Descriptive statistics of collected data

Country	Frequency	Mean Ag export, (000 \$USD)	Mean GDP per capita, (\$USD)
*Angola	2	2.50	351
Benin	16	1106	335
Botswana	21	184	3243
Burkina Faso	15	713	240
Burundi	22	5095	144
Cameroon	22	21800	606
Chad	14	193	211
Comoros	22	4362	366
Congo-Brazzaville	21	2860	112
Congo-Kinshasa	22	2606	1102
Djibouti	15	451	858
Ethiopia	22	47115	143
Gabon	22	2081	4321
Gambia	13	42	596
Ghana	22	61054	277
Kenya	22	50008	430
*Lesotho	5	58	392
Liberia	22	54516	172
Malawi	22	56205	152
Mali	22	415	225
*Mauritania	7	64	511
Mauritius	22	7512	3843
Mozambique	22	14189	263
Namibia	22	897	2207
Nigeria	22	36278	413
Rwanda	22	7270	256
SA	22	123673	3238
Senegal	22	1368	502
*Seychelles	9	68	7023
Sierra Leone	22	449	220
Swaziland	22	10546	1540
Tanzania	22	12475	345
Togo	22	3085	263
Uganda	22	18818	273
Zambia	22	701	360
Total	666		

Note: *Angola, Lesotho, Mauritania and Seychelles have the lowest frequency of actual trading observations, i.e., many zero agricultural trade flows to the United States.

4.3 Model Results and Discussion

To obtain reliable estimates of the parameters of the gravity equation, it is necessary to examine the properties of the data set assembled for the study. To check for the stationarity of the panel data, the stationarity test proposed by Fisher for unbalanced panel data was used to determine whether the time series data have unit roots (Choi, 2001). The results are shown in Table A4.2. The null hypothesis that the panel data contain unit roots is rejected. We also considered the Harris–Tzavalis stationarity test proposed by Harris and Tzavalis (1999) for panel data stationarity and obtained the same result as with the Fisher-type unit-root test.

Second, because the initial gravity equation is estimated using ordinary least squares (OLS), we also checked for the presence of heteroscedasticity² using White's Test for heteroscedasticity as described by White (1980). The result of the test is shown in appendix Table A4.3. The null hypothesis of homoscedasticity is rejected suggesting that there is heteroscedasticity. The robust regression estimation as described by Andersen (2008) and Radchenko (2005) can be used to correct for heteroscedasticity and this procedure was used in the estimation of the gravity equation. These regression results are presented in Table 4.2.

² $\chi^2(8) = 21.58$, $\text{Prob} > \chi^2 = 0.006$

Table 4.2 Robust OLS Regression Results

Dependent Variable	Full sample (35 countries)		Top 15 SSA Agricultural Exporters	
SSA Countries Agricultural Exports to US (Annual in \$1000)	(All countries)	(Excluding SA)	(All countries)	(Excluding SA)
Independent Variables				
SSA GDPP	1.391** (4.63)	1.438** (4.77)	2.593** (9.05)	2.773** (9.94)
US GDPP	0.204 (0.220)	-0.199 (-0.21)	-0.04 (-0.04)	-0.94 (-0.97)
AGOA (Dummy)	0.224 (1.08)	0.198 (0.94)	0.263 (1.23)	0.220 (1.03)
Constant	-9.484 (-0.970)	-5.562 (-0.56)	-4.48 (-0.45)	4.03 (0.4)
R-Squared	0.808	0.7881	0.6281	0.6139

t statistics in parentheses *, **, and *** significant at 10%, 5% and 1% respectively

Note: All the above estimation results are without fixed effect.

Two models were estimated. The first was based on the full sample of the 35 AGOA countries with and without South Africa (SA), and the second was based on the top 15 SSA agricultural product exporters (including and excluding SA). South Africa is different from other SSA countries in terms of the size of its economy and the relatively higher incomes of its citizens. Treating South Africa differently in the two models is justified because its greater economic weight could overshadow the effects of AGOA in SSA as a whole.

The statistical results presented in Table 4.2 based on OLS show that the dummy variable reflecting the introduction of AGOA is not significantly different from zero at the 95% confidence level. Although the coefficient is not statistically significant, it is positive and suggests that AGOA may have contributed to an increase in the export of agricultural commodities in the range between 22 to 30 percent³ compared to the pre-

³ The elasticity of the AGOA dummy on the dependent variable, i.e., the % impact of AGOA policy on export is computed as $[\exp(\beta) - 1] * 100$ where β is a coefficient on AGOA dummy variable.

AGOA years across the models (Table 4.2). The signs of the coefficient on the per capita GDP variables considered are consistent across all models, except that the sign on the U.S GDP per capita switches to negative in the first model (Table 4.2). For most variables considered, the inclusion or exclusion of South Africa and limiting the sample to the top 15 exporters does not appear to alter the signs of the coefficients.

Per capita GDP in SSA is highly significant and positively related to SSA agricultural exports. The estimated parameters for the per capita GDP variables in a gravity equation in logarithms represent the elasticity of exports of agriculture to GDP, indicating the percentage variation in exports following a 1 per cent change in per capita GDP. For example, on average a 1% increase in the per capita GDP of SSA could result in around 1.4% increase on agricultural exports to the United States (column1 and 2, Table 4.2). The percentage increase in exports doubled in the model for the top fifteen exporting SSA countries. According to the estimates of the model, an increase in an SSA country's per capita GDP will lead to a more than proportional increase in its agricultural exports to the United States. Although, the coefficient on U.S. GDP per capita is not found to be significant the sign is consistently negative. The results suggest a 1% increase in the U.S GDP per capita would result in around 0.2 to 0.9 % percent reductions in agriculture exports to the United States, except in the first full sample result shown in column-1. This result is inconsistent with the basic expectations of gravity trade models. SSA agricultural exports make up a small portion of U.S. total agricultural trade. Even though per capita U.S. GDP is the same across all the countries in year t , observed variations from year to year in U.S. GDP per capita may not have any strong effect on the demand for those exports in the U.S. markets. Second, it is possible that per capita GDP

growth in the United States may not translate into increased demand for agricultural imports, as changes in the per capita GDP are more likely to lead to increases in the consumption of non-agricultural products, which tend to be more income elastic than agricultural products. However, this result changed in the later model estimations (i.e. Poisson family of regressions).

Table 4.2A Individual Country Effect OLS Estimation

	Coefficient
lnGDP per capita SSA	1.346*** (4.45)
lnGDP per capita USA	0.221 (0.24)
AGOA	0.223 (1.07)
Benin	3.176*** (3.52)
Botswana	0.0150 (0.01)
Burkina Faso	5.216*** (5.69)
Burundi	8.400*** (9.02)
Cameroon	8.127*** (9.01)
Chad	4.276*** (4.62)
Comoros	6.960*** (7.84)
Congo (Brazzaville)	8.079*** (8.40)
Congo (Kinshasa)	5.332*** (5.61)
Djibouti	3.068** (3.25)
Ethiopia	10.88*** (11.64)
Gabon	2.704* (2.32)
Gambia	1.215 (1.31)
Ghana	10.10*** (11.32)
Kenya	9.616*** (10.81)
Lesotho	2.801** (2.79)
Liberia	10.00*** (10.82)
Malawi	11.14*** (12.03)
Mali	5.138*** (5.71)
Mauritania	1.746 (1.80)
Mauritius	4.458*** (3.92)
Mozambique	8.844*** (9.88)
Namibia	2.155* (2.07)
Nigeria	9.117*** (10.26)
Rwanda	7.803*** (8.72)
SA	7.516*** (6.78)
Senegal	4.425*** (4.95)
Seychelles	-1.876 (-1.44)
Sierra Leone	5.547*** (6.15)
Swaziland	6.098*** (6.16)
Tanzania	8.316*** (9.36)
Togo	6.395*** (7.16)
Uganda	9.216*** (10.32)
Zambia	5.450*** (6.14)
_cons	-9.171 (-0.96)
<i>R-squared</i>	0.808

t statistics in parentheses * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$

Note: Fixed effect estimation

Table 4.2A presents the estimates of the regression equation of the generalized gravity Fixed Effects model. In this model, Angola is the base exporting SSA country meaning that other country dummies are measured relative to it. Hence, the intercept of -9.17 is the actual coefficient of Angola. Keeping both GDP per capita constant and assuming there is no AGOA policy, on average almost all countries export more agricultural products to the United States compared to Angola. Likewise, Benin exports more than geographic neighbors Gabon and Gambia but much less than Ghana, Cameroon, Burkina Faso. etc. The different values of the intercept parameters suggest the presence of wide variation among the countries studied due to country-specific unobserved heterogeneity in our model. The heterogeneity might be as a result of individual country specific trade policies such as tariffs, exchange rates, or historical cultural ties. The results for the fixed effects and the OLS-robust models are similar in terms of the signs and order of magnitude of the coefficients shown in Table 4.2. The only difference among the studied countries lies in the intercepts since the slope remains unchanged.

In the next section we focus on the estimation results of the models that address the problem of zero trade flows. About 13 percent of the observations of agricultural exports in the data are zeros. To deal with the possible selection bias as a result of systematically excluding these observations, we fitted different model specifications. As described in the method section, the Heckman selection model and the Poisson family of regression estimations have been suggested by several authors as ways to deal with zero observations. The estimated results in both tables 4.2 and 4.2A-individual country effects are based on data that excludes zero observations.

4.3.1 Heckman and Selection Models

The Heckman solution to the gravity econometric model retains the log linear transformation of the model and treats zero trade values as censored observations in a similar way to a Probit model as described in Chapter 3. Both the selection (censored) and outcome (uncensored) equations are specified as a generalized gravity model. Table 4.3 column 2 and 4 present estimates of the selection equation (5') estimated as a Probit model while column 1 and 3 contain the estimation of outcome equation (6'').

Table 4.3 Heckman Model Results

	Outcome Ln(export)	Selection (Probit)	Outcome Ln(export)	Selection (Probit)
lnGDP per capita SSA	-0.204 (-1.91)	0.090 (0.037)	0.0306 (0.0858)	0.166* (0.0697)
lnGDP per capita USA	2.090 (2.334)	0.272 (0.827)	0.0173 (1.773)	-0.964 (1.217)
LnAgland%	-	-	1.139*** (0.172)	0.171 (0.116)
LnVAD	-	-	1.043*** (0.0805)	0.358*** (0.0518)
AGOA dummy	-0.359 (-0.523)	0.166 (0.187)	-0.394 (-0.393)	0.135 (0.267)
_cons	-11.84 (-24.069)	-2.436 (-8.515)	-10.17 (-18.16)	2.274 (12.48)
ρ	0.0862 (0.0123)		0.154 (.176)	
$\text{Ln}(\sigma)$	0.173 (0.0189)		0.809*** (.0296)	
λ	0.0053 (1.574)		0.0342 (.388)	

t statistics in parentheses; * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$

Note: the first two columns 1 and 2 shows estimations with fixed effect. However, columns 3 and 4 takes additional variables such as Agland% and VAD to account for country specific characteristics.

The results in Table 4.3 suggest that the Heckman and selection models have not captured the effects of the gravity equation variables as none of the explanatory variables is significantly different from zero. In the right columns of Table 4.3, agricultural land as

a percentage of total land area and agricultural value added have been added to the basic gravity equation. A positive and statistically significant coefficient for percent of agricultural land (Agland%) and agricultural value added (VAD) implies that an increase in agricultural land as a percentage of total land area and VAD increases agricultural export to the U.S. While these variables add to the explanatory power of the equation, their inclusion does nothing to change the results for the AGOA dummy and other variables of interest. Per capita GDP of U.S and the AGOA dummy switched signs in the outcome and selection estimation.

Since the Inverse Mill Ratio is included in the outcome equation, the coefficients in the outcome and selection equations cannot be interpreted as the elasticities as in the case of a log-linear gravity model. The estimated parameter of the variables rather shows the marginal effect on agricultural exports. We computed the marginal effects of the explanatory variable using the STATA software command. For example, the marginal effect of per capita GDP of the United States on the export of agricultural products to the United States shows a 1.1 percent increase for a 1 percent increase in the U.S GDP per capita, among those countries that have positive trade flows, *ceteris paribus* (Table 4.3). However there was a 0.4 percent reduction in agricultural exports to the United States for a similar increase in per capita GDP of the SSA countries. The direction and magnitude of coefficients of variables representing per capita GDP of U.S remain similar to those found in the OLS equations. The Heckman selection equation reports factors affecting the probability that positive trade occurred between SSA and the United States. For example, the marginal effect on the probability of there being zero agricultural trade observed between SSA and the United States for every 1 percent increase in SSA per capita GDP is

0.09 percent. This means that on average for every percent increase in the SSA per capita GDP there will a 0.09 percent increase in the probability that zero trade is observed.

Overall most of the coefficients were unstable and do not show consistent signs. This might be the result of the fact that the selection bias is not statistically significant and at the same time the coefficients of ρ are small, 0.086 and 0.153 for the two simulated model as shown on Table 4.3. As described in Chapter 3, Silva and Tenrevro (2006) noted that the Heckman and selection estimation methods do not address heteroscedasticity and the normality assumptions of the error terms.

4.3.2 The Poisson Family of Regressions

Results of the Poisson family regressions are reported in Tables 4.4 and 4.5. Estimates of the PPML and NB models are shown in Columns 2 and 3 respectively in each table. The ZIP and ZINB model each consist of two equations that are depicted in columns 4 through 7 in both tables. The choice of a specific Poisson model specification has been done based on formal statistical tests using Akaike's Information Criterion (AIC), and the Vuong test. Silva and Tenrevo (2006) also suggested that selecting a specific Poisson model can also be done based on the consistency of the estimated variables, the economic implications of the parameter estimates and whether the data are over dispersed (i.e. the conditional variance exceeds the conditional mean). Our first test was to choose between PPML and NB. The likelihood ratio test for PPML over NB for over-dispersion favored the NB model. Likewise the subsequent AIC test to choose between the negative binomial (NB) and zero inflated indicated that the NB should be preferred over the PPML and ZIP. Finally using the Vuong test, ZIP and ZINB gave better estimation results than PPML and NB. The test results are shown at the bottom of

table 4.4 and 4.5. Furthermore, both models are robust and less sensitive to the heteroskedasticity and normality assumptions of the error terms. Overall, it can be inferred that ZINB performs the best on average, as rated by both criteria. Both table 4.4 and 4.5 show all the four results of the Poisson family regression.

Table 4.4 Poisson family of regressions

	PPML	NB	ZIP		ZINB	
	Export	Export	Export	Logit	Export	Logit
lnGDP per capita SSA	0.0226 (0.27)	0.00504 (0.07)	-0.0492*** (-190.89)	0.164 (1.79)	-0.0245 (-0.38)	0.216 (1.72)
lnGDP per capita USA	0.036* (2.47)	0.0205 (1.61)	1.24*** (56.36)	0.427 (0.21)	1.796 (1.82)	0.440 (0.25)
AGO dummy	0.0470 (0.18)	0.0147 (0.04)	0.0718*** (5.07)	0.275 (0.59)	0.0458 (0.13)	0.300 (0.45)
_cons	-22.06 (-1.74)	-18.83 (-1.08)	-22.30*** (-355.13)	-7.193 (-0.34)	-19.56 (-1.23)	-11.24 (-0.37)
Ln(alpha)		1.606*** (37.42)				1.303*** (20.87)
Alpha		4.981 (.2137)				3.679 (.20194)
Over dispersion (α) ⁴		1.606***			1.303***	
AIC	38103.7	13986	25785130		13965	
⁵ Vuong test					1.11*	

t statistics in parentheses; * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$

Note: Estimations are not fixed effect

The zero-inflated models generate two sets of parameter estimates (i.e the logit, and the Poisson (ZIP) and binomial (ZINB) labeled “export” in the table 4.4 and 4.5). The coefficient of the parameter estimates of the poison and the logit equations across all models consistently maintained similar signs and the order of the magnitude of these parameters also did not vary greatly (Table 4.4 and 4.5).

⁴ Alpha is the variance of the multiplicative random effect and corresponds to σ^2 , it is estimated to be 1.606 and is highly significant (non-zero). Likelihood ratio test that alpha equals zero, the LR test comparing this model to a PPML model. The associated chi-squared value is 22976 with 1 df. This strongly suggests that alpha is non-zero and the negative binomial (NB) model is more appropriate than the PPML. If the alpha coefficient is zero then the model is better estimated using a PPML regression model.

⁵ The Vuong test compares the zero-inflated model negative binomial ZINB with negative binomial (NB) regression model; a significant z-test indicates that the ZINB is preferred over NB.

Looking at the Poisson part of the ZIP model both in table 4.4 and 4.5, it appears that in an increase in per capita GDP of the SSA countries decreases the expected volume of trade with the U.S when holding all other variables constant. For example, a 10% increase in GDP per capita of SSA decreases the volume of trade to the U.S by 1.12% (ZIP) and 2.0% (ZINB) (Table 4.5). Likewise, a similar 10 percentage increase in GDP per capita of SSA also showed 1.02% (PPML) and 2.23% (NB) falls in trade volume to the U.S. This might be possible if an increase in per capita GDP of countries in SSA leads to higher domestic demand for agricultural goods and eventually a decrease the volume of exports from the SSA countries. This is unlikely; however, as most agricultural exports from SSA countries are export crops such as coffee, cocoa and other commodities not widely consumed in SSA.

As reported in Tables 4.2 and 4.3, U.S. per capita GDP has a positive effect on the exports of agricultural products. The volume of trade increases for a one-percent increase in U.S. per capita GDP ranges between 1.5 to 4 % (Table 4.5). In addition, the parameter estimates generated by the Poisson family models deviate more from the OLS coefficients.

Table 4.5 Poisson family regressions model -With additional variable

	PPML	NB	ZIP		ZINB	
	Export	Export	Export	Logit	export	Logit
lnGDP per capita SSA	-0.102 (-1.32)	-0.223** (-2.88)	-0.112*** (-419.62)	0.0598 (0.64)	-0.200** (-2.89)	0.0769 (0.73)
lnGDP per capita USA	3.949*** (3.34)	4.010* (2.44)	4.407*** (709.08)	1.462 (0.67)	4.266** (2.98)	2.438 (0.87)
LnAgland%	0.643*** (4.21)	0.609*** (3.77)	0.603*** (7.19)	-0.443* (-2.43)	0.483*** (3.46)	-0.496* (-2.36)
lnExrate	-0.252*** (-11.82)	-0.298*** (-7.07)	-0.265*** (-22.34)	-0.148** (-3.19)	-0.335*** (-9.16)	-0.198*** (-3.37)
lnVAD	0.618*** (11.39)	0.735*** (11.87)	0.585** (12.39)	-0.659*** (-6.95)	0.646*** (11.96)	-0.752*** (-5.96)
AGO dummy	0.0743 (0.30)	-0.00727 (-0.02)	-0.00191 (-1.43)	-0.234 (-0.49)	-0.0453 (-0.14)	-0.219 (-0.37)
_cons	-32.52** (-2.67)	-32.06 (-1.89)	-36.84*** (-574.78)	-15.15 (-0.67)	-34.11* (-2.30)	-25.34 (-0.88)
lnalpha		1.505*** (34.57)			1.110*** (19.12)	
Alpha		4.506 (.1962)			3.034 (.1761)	
Log pseudolikelihood	-7350490	-6365.9	-6485115		-6406.6	
Over dispersion (α) ⁶		4.506***			3.034***	
AIC	20734.83	13986	25785130		12639	
⁷ Vuong test					1.66**	

t statistics in parentheses; * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$

Note: The inclusion of the three variables i.e Agland%, Exrate, and VAD are taken as a substitute for the country effects.

The zero-inflated logit model identifies groups of countries in SSA that always have zero values. Hence the logit equation in the ZIP and ZINB models show factors affecting the probability of having zero trade values. With respect to the ZIP and ZINB model (Table 4.6), we find that an increase in a per capita GDP of SSA in particular affects the probability of having an agricultural trade export, which can be derived from

⁶ Alpha is the variance of the multiplicative random effect and corresponds to σ^2 , it is estimated to be 4.506 and is highly significant (non-zero). The Likelihood ratio test that alpha equals zero, compares this model to a PPML model. The associated chi-squared value is 22997 with 1 degree of freedom. This strongly suggests that alpha is non-zero and the negative binomial model is more appropriate than the PPML. If the alpha coefficient is zero then the model is better estimated using a Poisson regression model.

⁷ The Vuong test compares the zero-inflated model negative binomial, with an ordinary negative binomial regression model. A significant z-test indicates that the zero-inflated model is preferred.

the logit part of the model. If the per capita GDP increases by 1%, trade probability of countries belonging to the never-trading SSA country group increases by 0.06% (ZIP) and 0.08 % (ZINB). More or less similar outcomes are observed in Table 4.5. Although the per capita GDP of the SSA countries affects the probability of trading according to the ZIP and ZINB estimation results, the outcome is not statistically significant.

Overall, it can be inferred from results in Table 4.5, that a 1% increase in U.S. per capita GDP leads to a more than proportional increase in imports of eligible agricultural commodities, and this effect is statistically significant across all Poisson family models. Comparing among the Poisson family models, the regression coefficients estimated in the Poisson part of the model are similar, while some of the regression coefficients estimated by OLS, generalized fixed effect and Heckman models differ substantially from the effects under the Poisson and binomial models in Table 4.5.

Even though this study focuses on the impact of AGOA, the effects of other variables on SSA agricultural exports, such as real exchange rates (Ex-rate), agricultural land (Agland%) and value added in agriculture (AgVAD), have also been included in the Poisson family regressions. The inclusion of these variables can also be seen as a substitute for the country effects since the variables are all country-specific characteristics. Results indicate that a significant and important relationship exists between these variables and agricultural exports as shown in Table 4.5.

For instance, an important relationship exists between SSA agricultural exports and the real exchange rate. When the real exchange rate is overvalued the relative price of goods at home is higher than the relative price of goods abroad. In this case, imports increase because foreign goods are cheaper, in real terms, than domestic goods. Thus,

when a country's real exchange rate appreciates, net exports decrease and imports rise. Alternatively, when the real exchange rate depreciates, net exports increase and imports fall. As shown on Table 4.5, on average a 1% currency appreciation in SSA countries decreases agricultural exports by 0.25% (PPML), 0.30% (NB), 0.265% (ZIP) and 0.335% (ZINB).

On the other hand, on average a 10 % increase in the value added of the agricultural sector in SSA induces an increase in agricultural exports of 6-7%. The proportion of total land area that is used for agriculture has a significant and positive impact on trade. On average a 10 % expansion in agricultural land as a percent of total land in SSA countries increases agricultural exports to the United States by about 6.43% (PPML), 6.09% (NB), 6.03% (ZIP) and 4.83% (ZINB). Except for PPML, the coefficient for the AGOA dummy variable is negative in the Poisson family models. The coefficient for the AGOA variable suggests that AGOA contributed to an increase in agricultural exports of about 4.81% (PPML), 1.48 % (NB), 7.4% (ZIP-here its impact also turned out to be significant), and 4.7% (ZINB) (see table 4.4). However, when other factors/variables such as exchange rate, agricultural value added and land are included in the estimation, the coefficient for the AGOA variable is insignificant across the four specifications including the ZIP model in which a statistically significant relationship was found when these variables were not included.

More generally, we compared OLS estimates (leaving the zero-valued flows out) with Heckman and Poisson models empirically. Using those models yields relatively similar results regarding the effect of AGOA. The first estimation of the robust OLS and also with fixed effects result indicates that AGOA impact was statistically insignificant. In

addition, many of the alternative specifications aimed at accounting for zero values also found AGOA to be insignificant except for the ZIP estimate and that estimate also became negative and insignificant when other variables were added. We also compared the Poisson family model estimations and concluded that ZIP and ZINB perform better based on the test statistics discussed above.

CHAPTER 5: Conclusion

There appear to be very few empirical studies of the impact of AGOA on agricultural trade. For the most part, these studies covered only the early years following the adoption of AGOA when the program was not fully established. According to these studies, agriculture has not benefited greatly from the AGOA provisions, although there is a positive but statistically insignificant relationship between AGOA and SSA agricultural exports to the United States. Growth of the agricultural sector is an important issue for Sub-Saharan African countries since it is still a major source of employment and a key part of foreign exchange earnings for many of them. Agriculture provides more than 70 percent of employment in many Sub-Saharan African countries and about 40 percent of the region's gross domestic product (World Bank, 2010).

This study developed a gravity trade model framework to explore the impact of AGOA on SSA countries' agricultural exports using a longer time frame to determine whether AGOA has had greater effects than found in the previous studies and that are only now beginning to show up. This study is also one of the first to address the issue of zero trade flows between the AGOA countries and the United States. The economic model estimated for the study captured the development of agricultural exports to the United States from the 35 eligible countries over the period pre-AGO (1990-99) and a post-AGO period (2000-2011). The statistical results in both the OLS-Robust regression and from zero trade modeling (i.e. Poisson family of regressions such as PPML, NB, ZIP, ZINB) are mostly consistent with other studies in finding that the AGOA trade preferences do not have a statistically significant impact on U.S. agricultural

imports. In one model the AGOA dummy was statistically significant but that relationship disappeared when additional explanatory variables were added.

Although the coefficient for the AGOA variable is not statistically significant, the sign is generally positive suggesting that AGOA is associated with increases in agricultural exports of (about 24% in the OLS model). There were also some differences in the results when only the 15 SSA largest agricultural exporters were included in the model as opposed to the full model with all 35 countries. Overall, the results in the new zero trade flow modeling did not alter the results a great deal. Another important relationship also exists between SSA agricultural exports and the real exchange rate from the implemented regressions. When there is a currency appreciation in SSA countries relative to the U.S dollar it appears to lead to reductions in the agricultural product exports.

Even though the impact on agricultural trade may have been modest, the effects of AGOA in such sectors as energy, textiles and apparel have been found to be more significant by other analysts (Condon and Stern, 2011). As wages in China and other emerging economies increase, these countries may lose their competitive advantage in textiles and apparel products and this may lead to increased development of these industries in the lower-wage countries in SSA. AGOA may contribute to this transition and, by extension, to increased economic growth and development in SSA. Condon and Stren (2011) in their analysis suggested that the textile and apparel sector transition will be facilitated if non-restrictive rules of origin for SSA products are implemented allowing African exporters the flexibility to freely source inputs and exploit their comparative advantage in labor intensive products. However, with respect to agriculture, the impact of AGOA is likely to remain limited as long as markets for commodities such as sugar, cotton

tobacco, peanut oil, and are not fully opened to African exports.

The results of this study are not surprising given that the AGOA preferences were only applied to agricultural products that do not compete with goods produced in the United States. In many SSA countries there is also a general lack of processing of agricultural products and a high dependency on primary agricultural product exports such as coffee, tea, sugar, cocoa beans, cocoa, tobacco, and cotton. AGOA's agricultural benefits are also constrained by quotas that predate AGOA and by the exclusion of some agricultural products from the legislation. Product standards and quality measures, for example sanitary and phytosanitary restrictions which are very important for maintaining food quality, also put additional demands on exporters and can limit agricultural market access for AGOA-eligible agricultural products. In this regard the United States provides capacity-building support to African countries which is a critical part of a strategy to enable SSA countries to negotiate and implement market-opening trade agreements and to improve their capacity to benefit from increased trade. However, more support is needed in terms of a better implementation system and credible monitoring mechanisms to help countries to take advantage of the trade assistance and support and meet required quality standards for the export of processed agricultural products to the U.S. market.

The United States and other foreign aid donors continue to provide foreign aid (about \$126 billion in 2012 according to the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, OECD) but AGOA and recent initiatives by OECD countries to provide support for the development of infrastructure and the legal framework related to trade ("aid for trade") may reflect a new approach to development that emphasizes capacity building rather than development projects. This shift in the development strategies of

governments in high-income countries could have a significant impact on trade, economic growth and development. .

The study also found that AGOA's agricultural benefits are constrained in two major ways. First, the exclusion of certain agricultural products from duty-free access and second, quotas which predate and were not amended by AGOA both limit market access for African agricultural products. Sugar, peanut oil, tobacco, dairy, beef, and processed agricultural goods such as dried garlic or canned fruits are not included in the AGOA program. Other important African agricultural exports such as vanilla, raw chocolate, coffee, tea, cotton and birdseed, are not included in either AGOA or the U.S. GSP. Tariffs on products excluded from AGOA, particularly those applied to agricultural goods remain very high in such products as cotton, tobacco, coffee, tea, peanuts, processed fruits and others.

Therefore, some of the policy recommendations are that the economic impact of AGOA can be improved if preferences are extended to more agricultural products and tariff rate quotas (TRQ) are reformed. TRQ liberalization is generally viewed as a means of increasing market access and in this case it can make AGOA more effective for agricultural products. In addition, as AGOA is set to expire in 2015, extension of the program should be considered. If AGOA could be made more effective through the reforms mentioned and extended for a longer time period, it might help SSA to diversify its main agricultural products. SSA countries also need to use the resources and support from the developed countries effectively to improve their ability to participate in international trade. Investments in infrastructure, institutional arrangements, information services, agricultural productivity and agricultural processing that meets high quality

standards are needed to improve Sub-Saharan Africa's commodity competitiveness in regional and global markets.

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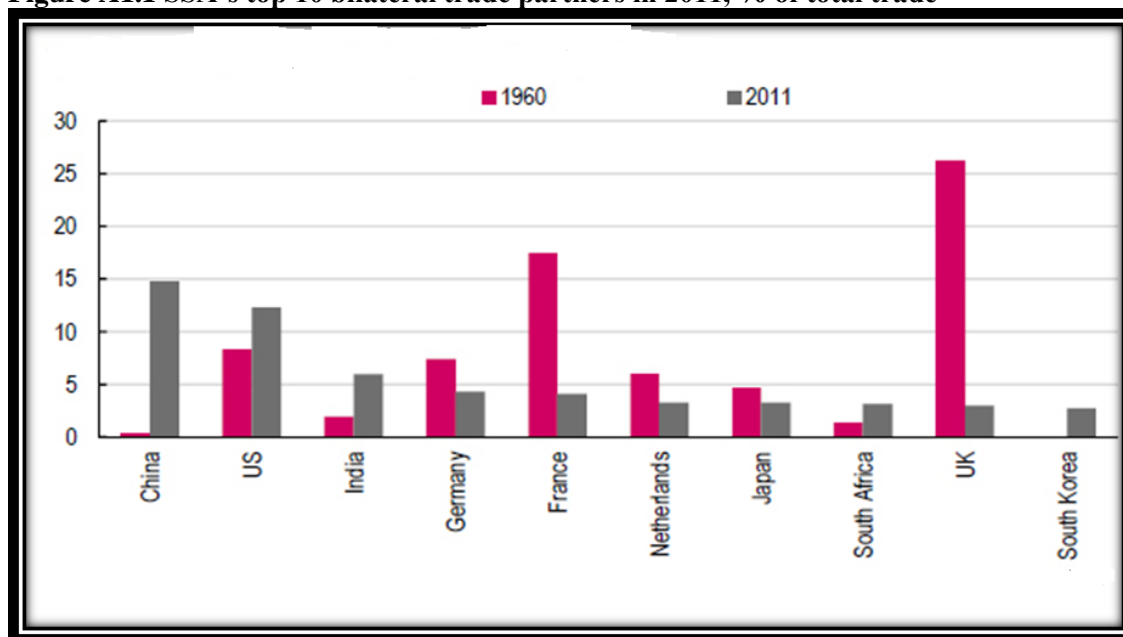
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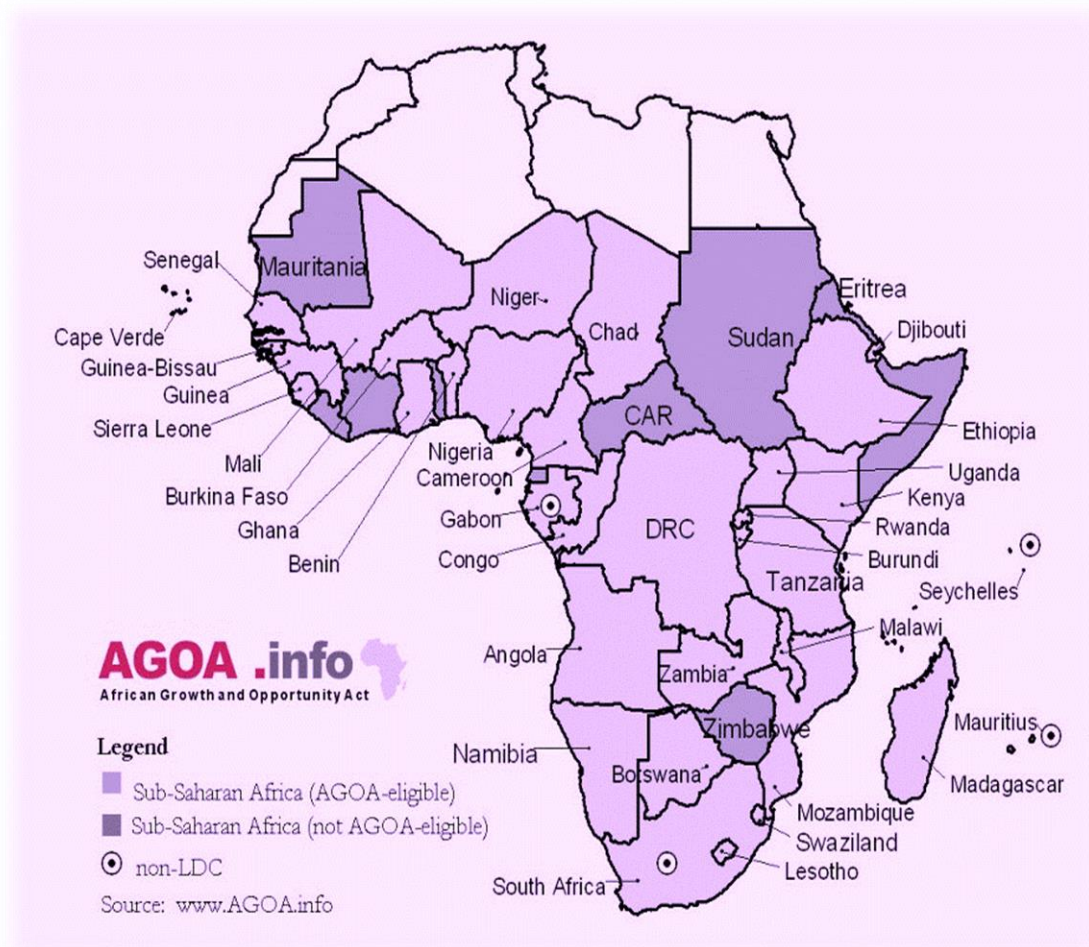
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Figure A1.1 SSA's top 10 bilateral trade partners in 2011, % of total trade



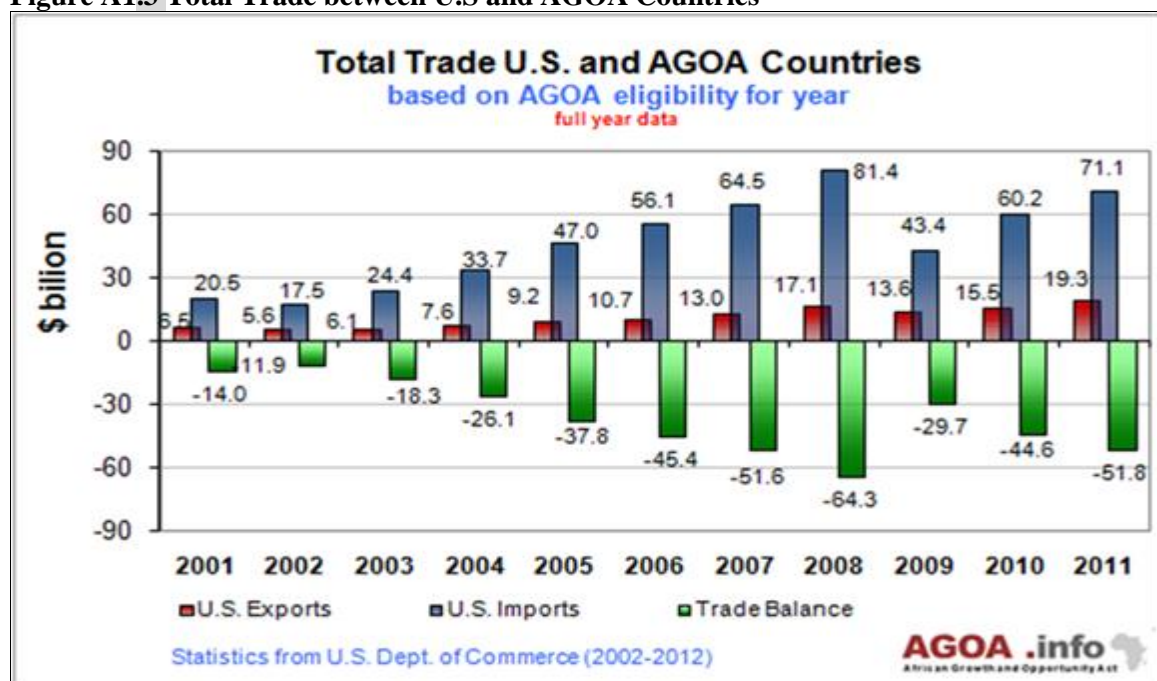
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Figure A1.2 Map of AGOA eligible and ineligible countries



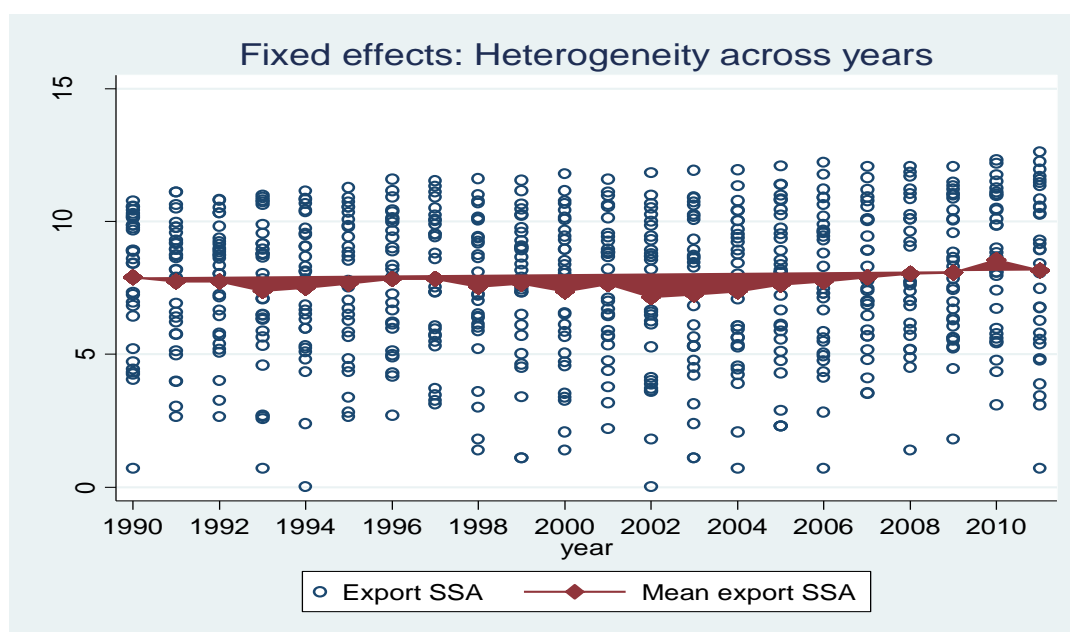
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Figure A1.3 Total Trade between U.S and AGOA Countries



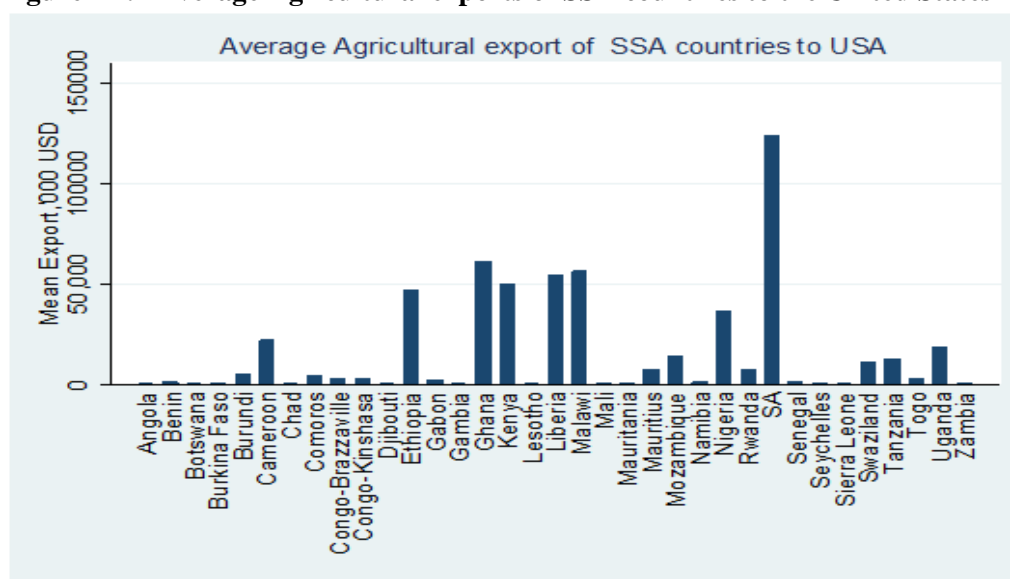
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Figure A1.4 Fixed effect-Heterogeneity across years



Source: own analysis based on the collected data

Figure A2.1 Average Agricultural exports of SSA countries to the United States



Source: own analysis based on USDA/GATS data

Table A4.1 Annual Average Exports from Sub-Saharan Africa countries to the United States

Country	Agricultural Exports (\$1,000)		Non-agricultural Exports (\$1,000)		Total Exports (\$1,000)		Share of Agricultural (%)	
	1996-1999	2000-2011	1996-1999	2000-2011	1996-1999	2000-2011	1996-1999	2000-2011
Ghana	28331.5	80991	141286.25	88172.17	678471	2029958	4.18	3.99
SA	421188	1757942	10652262	76983625	11073449	78741564	3.80	2.23
Liberia	55093	1100338	32080	48080	87173	1148418	63.20	95.81
Ethiopia	24720	187614	162026	553901	186746	741513	13.24	25.30
Nigeria	77722	496785	20676034	248133868	20753758	248630653	0.37	0.20
Kenya	231542	2712484	193980	590201	425524	3302685	54.41	82.13
Cameroon	60865	349711	190892	1758741	251758	2108454	24.18	16.59
Malawi	4199	192981	284044	629104	288243	822081	1.46	23.47
Tanzania	24876	208834	87462	237117	112338	445951	22.14	46.83
Uganda	6830	146364	82202	230215	89032	376578	7.67	38.87
Rwanda	6663	29273	13621	107083	20284	136356	32.85	21.47
Togo	5412	61923	13553	35699	18965	97625	28.54	63.43
Gabon	2893	26817	6935089	26406775	6937980	26433591	0.04	0.10
Mozambique	7698	123597	85446	122434	93144	246033	8.26	50.24
Burundi	26386	43609	3299	4119	29686	47726	88.88	91.37
Mauritius	48526	67805	937380	2757008	985907	2824813	4.92	2.40
Congo(Brazzaville)	15119	33062	1501924	22587213	1517042	22620277	1.00	0.15
Congo (Kinshasa)	8664	24960	932834	2864440	941496	2889398	0.92	0.86
Swaziland	42442	104732	94527	1432983	136970	1537714	30.99	6.81
Comoros	5992	47456	5359	1477	11351	48933	52.79	96.98
Djibouti	568	6151	80	24632	648	30782	87.65	19.98
Burkina Faso	2118	20438	6103	4477	8222	24915	25.76	82.03
Zambia	3568	8896	201494	321048	205062	329945	1.74	2.70
Mali	4497	4035	17047	60004	21544	64038	20.87	6.30
Senegal	493	26202	26180	152874	26674	179077	1.85	14.63
Sierra Leone	907	3839	62453	245895	63358	249733	1.43	1.54
Chad	832	927	23368	15677570	24200	15678497	3.44	0.01
Benin	19183	1714	28146	29532	47328	31247	40.53	5.49
Namibia	2089	958	169522	2187630	171610	2188591	1.22	0.04
Lesotho	0	148	362677	4153730	362677	4153879	0.00	0.00
Gambia	35	389	7026	7238	7061	7626	0.50	5.10
Botswana	83	663	88102	1608604	88186	1609267	0.09	0.04
Angola	0	27	10147816	102465612	10147816	102465639	0.00	0.00
Mauritania	0	59	6699	197253	6699	197311	0.00	0.03
Seychelles	610	32	11938	120535	12548	120567	4.86	0.03
SSA	1140144.5	7871756	54183951.25	512828889.17	55832950	522561435	2.04	1.51

Source: Own calculation based on trade data from the U.S. Department of Commerce and the U.S. International Trade Commission

Table A4.2 Fisher type unit-root test and Harris-Tzavalis unit root test

Fisher-type unit-root test for export

Based on augmented Dickey-Fuller tests

 Ho: All panels contain unit roots Number of panels = 35
 Ha: At least one panel is stationary Number of periods = 22
 Augmented Dickey-Fuller regressions: 1 lag

		Statistic	p-value
Inverse chi-squared(70)	P	251.32	0.0000
Inverse normal	Z	-4.50	0.0000
Inverse logit t(179)	L*	-6.87	0.0000
Modified inv. chi-squared	Pm	15.32	0.0000

Therefore, we reject the null hypothesis and conclude that the series is stationary.

xtunitroot ht lnagexp Harris-Tzavalis unit-root test for lnagexp

Ho: Panels contain unit roots Number of panels = 666
 Ha: Panels are stationary Number of periods = 21
 AR parameter: Common Asymptotics: N -> Infinity
 Panel means: Included T Fixed
 Time trend: Included

	Statistic	z	p-value
Rho	0.7534	-21.032	0.0000

**Rho*-statistic is significant at all the usual testing levels and the null hypothesis of panel contain unit roots is rejected, therefore we conclude that panel is stationary.

Table A4.3 White's test for Heteroscedasticity

Source	chi2	df	p
Heteroskedasticity	21.58	8	0.006

Table A4.4 Individual Country Effect Estimation

Model	3811	37	103	F(37, 628)	=71.41	
Residual	906	628	1.44	Prob > F	=0.000	
Total	4717	665	7.09	R-squared	=0.808	
				Adj R-squared	=0.7967	
				Root MSE	=1.201	
Inexag	Coef.	Std. Err.	t	P>t	[95% Conf.	Interval]
lnGDPC_SSA	1.346	0.301	4.45	0.000	0.801	1.981
lnGDPC_USA	0.221	0.938	0.24	0.828	-1.639	2.047
AGOA	0.223	0.208	-1.07	0.282	-0.185	0.633
Benin	3.176	0.901	3.52	0.000	1.409	4.950
Botswana	0.0150	1.104	0.01	0.939	-2.253	2.085
Burkina Faso	5.216	0.916	5.69	0.000	3.436	7.035
Burundi	8.400	0.931	9.02	0.000	6.614	10.269
Cameroon	8.127	0.901	9.01	0.000	6.333	9.873
Chad	4.276	0.924	4.62	0.000	2.486	6.116
Comoros	6.960	0.888	7.84	0.000	5.215	8.702
Congo-Brazzavill	8.079	0.961	8.40	0.000	6.246	10.021
Congo-Kinshasa	5.332	0.949	5.61	0.000	3.418	7.145
Djibouti	3.068	0.938	3.25	0.001	1.352	5.035
Ethiopia	10.88	0.933	11.64	0.000	9.086	12.752
Gabon	2.704	1.160	2.32	0.026	0.313	4.868
Gambia	1.215	0.926	1.31	0.198	-0.626	3.010
Ghana	10.10	0.892	11.32	0.000	8.363	11.866
Kenya	9.616	0.890	10.81	0.000	7.861	11.355
Lesotho	2.801	1.005	2.79	0.006	0.823	4.771
Liberia	10.00	0.924	10.82	0.000	8.228	11.856
Malawi	11.14	0.926	12.03	0.000	9.365	13.002
Mali	5.138	0.900	5.71	0.000	3.392	6.926
Mauritania	1.746	0.969	1.80	0.075	-0.173	3.633
Mauritius	4.458	1.133	3.92	0.000	2.125	6.576
Mozambique	8.844	0.894	9.88	0.000	7.103	10.616
Namibia	2.155	1.040	2.07	0.047	0.030	4.116
Nigeria	9.117	0.889	10.26	0.000	7.366	10.856
Rwanda	7.803	0.895	8.72	0.000	6.062	9.576
SA	7.516	1.105	6.78	0.000	5.246	9.587
Senegal	4.425	0.893	4.95	0.000	2.656	6.164
Seychelles	-1.876	1.302	1.44	0.123	-4.568	0.544
Sierra Leone	5.547	0.901	6.15	0.000	3.800	7.339
Swaziland	6.098	0.988	6.16	0.000	4.091	7.973
Tanzania	8.316	0.888	9.36	0.000	6.574	10.062
Togo	6.395	0.893	7.16	0.000	4.656	8.163
Uganda	9.216	0.893	10.32	0.000	7.476	10.983
Zambia	5.450	0.888	6.14	0.000	3.706	7.194
_cons	-9.171	9.742	-0.96	0.331	-28.615	9.647

Appendix-B

Equations

The two-step procedure first estimates the bivariate selection equation using a Probit model and generates the inverse of the Mills ratio.

Greene (2003) and Hoffmann and Kassouf (2005) show that $\lambda(\alpha_u)$ is the inverse Mills ratio (IMR), defined as:

$$\lambda(\alpha_u) = \frac{\phi(\ell_{ijt} = \theta'X_i + u_i / \sigma_u)}{\Phi(\ell_{ijt} = \theta'X_i + u_i / \sigma_u)} \quad (7)$$

T_{ij} is assumed to have a non-negative integer value so that it ensures that it is zero or positive and has the probability mass function;

$$\Pr[T_{ij}] = \frac{\text{Exp}(-\mu_{ij})\mu_{ij}^{T_{ij}}}{T_{ij}!}, \quad \text{where } T_{ij} = 0, 1 \quad (8)$$

The conditional mean μ_{ij} become;

$$\mu_{ij} = \text{Exp}(\alpha_0 + \beta'X_{ij} + \eta_i + \tau_i) \quad (9)$$

X_{ij} is the vector of explanatory variables defined previously and β is the corresponding parameter vector for X . η_i and τ_i are effects specific to exporting and importing country respectively.

The probability mass function of the negative binomial distribution (NB) is defined as

$$\Pr[T_{ij}] = \frac{\Gamma(T_{ij} + \alpha^{-1})}{T_{ij}! \Gamma(\alpha^{-1})} \left(\frac{\alpha^{-1}}{\alpha^{-1} + \mu_{ij}} \right)^{\alpha^{-1}} \left(\frac{\mu_{ij}}{\alpha^{-1} + \mu_{ij}} \right)^{T_{ij}} \quad (10)$$

Γ is the gamma function, and α is a parameter that determines the degree of dispersion in predictions. According to Burger et.al (2009), the larger α is, the larger the degree of over dispersion in the data.

The probability mass functions of the first part and second part of the zero inflated Poisson (ZIP) model are as Eqs. (12) and (13), respectively

$$\Pr[T_{ij}] = \psi_{ij} + (1 - \psi_{ij})\exp(-\mu_{ij}) , \quad \text{if} \quad T_{ij} = 0 \quad (11)$$

$$\Pr[T_{ij}] = (1 - \psi_{ij}) \frac{\exp(-\mu_{ij}) \mu_{ij}^{T_{ij}}}{T_{ij}!} , \quad \text{if} \quad T_{ij} > 0 \quad (12)$$

ψ_{ij} is the proportion of zero trade observations in the study sample, $0 \leq \psi_{ij} \leq 1$. When $\psi_{ij} = 0$, the ZIP model reduces to the Poisson model.

According to Burger et al. (2009), in the presence of both over-dispersion and zero inflated problems in the study sample, a zero-inflated negative binomial (ZINB) model can be defined in a similar fashion to the ZIP model:

$$\Pr[T_{ij}] = \psi_{ij} + (1 - \psi_{ij}) \left(\frac{\alpha^{-1}}{\alpha^{-1} + \mu_{ij}} \right)^{\alpha^{-1}} , \quad \text{if} \quad T_{ij} = 0 \quad (13)$$

$$\Pr[T_{ij}] = (1 - \psi_{ij}) \frac{\Gamma(T_{ij} + \alpha^{-1})}{T_{ij}! \Gamma(\alpha^{-1})} \left(\frac{\alpha^{-1}}{\alpha^{-1} + \mu_{ij}} \right)^{\alpha^{-1}} \left(\frac{\mu_{ij}}{\alpha^{-1} + \mu_{ij}} \right)^{T_{ij}} , \quad \text{if} \quad T_{ij} > 0 \quad (14)$$

Appendix-C

Table C. Research Data

Year	country	EXP AGR.VALUE	SSA GDP per capita	US GDP per capita	Agriculture, value added (current US\$)	Agricultural land (% of land area)	Real exchange rate (LCU per US\$, period average)	AGOA- Dummy
1990	Ghana	38,196	221	28298.45	2641154319	55.40	0.03	0
1990	SA	1,517	3152	28298.45	4709118543	79.71	2.59	0
1990	Liberia	26,390	192	28298.45	209000000	25.88	1.00	0
1990	Ethiopia	34,189	128	28298.45	6241685678	27.30	2.07	0
1990	Nigeria	27,524	359	28298.45	0.006	79.14	8.04	0
1990	Kenya	39,113	450	28298.45	2170018431	47.04	22.91	0
1990	Cameroon	17,511	665	28298.45	2675806850	19.40	272.26	0
1990	Malawi	47,770	133	28298.45	723774762.4	44.74	2.73	0
1990	Tanzania	7,303	305	28298.45	1790671137	38.38	195.06	0
1990	Uganda	15,829	186	28298.45	2293509208	59.87	428.85	0
1990	Rwanda	29,563	235	28298.45	829983280.4	76.17	83.70	0
1990	Togo	940	284	28298.45	549661317.6	58.65	272.26	0
1990	Gabon	7,136	4627	28298.45	435972645.9	20.01	272.26	0
1990	Mozambique	19,403	184	28298.45	840051054.9	60.63	0.93	0
1990	Burundi	7,509	182	28298.45	578015240.4	82.75	171.26	0
1990	Mauritius	18,868	2575	28298.45	288896264.7	55.67	14.86	0
1990	Congo (Brazzaville)	5,424	210	28298.45	2818946160	10.08	0.00	0
1990	Congo (Kinshasa)	4,506	1170	28298.45	359943717.8	30.81	272.26	0
1990	Swaziland	25,463	1320	28298.45	98915480.41	71.98	2.59	0
1990	Comoros	4,595	413	28298.45	103565500.2	68.82	272.26	0
1990	Djibouti	0	1174	28298.45	12086360.55	56.04	177.72	0
1990	Burkina Faso	0	167	28298.45	866816743.2	35.00	272.26	0
1990	Zambia	112	387	28298.45	598570217.5	27.99	30.29	0
1990	Mali	71	188	28298.45	1067412540	26.33	272.26	0
1990	Senegal	1,396	477	28298.45	1023775012	46.07	272.26	0
1990	Sierra Leone	1,048	255	28298.45	286029664.9	39.44	151.45	0
1990	Chad	0	184	28298.45	484876501.9	38.36	272.26	0
1990	Benin	181	296	28298.45	665663313.2	20.52	272.26	0
1990	Namibia	84	1831	28298.45	248133107.6	46.96	2.59	0
1990	Lesotho	75	308	28298.45	120409746	76.45	2.59	0
1990	Gambia	57	586	28298.45	77186269.77	63.70	7.88	0
1990	Botswana	627	2336	28298.45	171569933.9	45.91	1.86	0
1990	Angola	2	373	28298.45	1840474644	46.04	0.00	0
1990	Mauritania	0	487	28298.45	270751393.9	38.47	80.61	0
1990	Seychelles	0	5645	28298.45	17725645.97	8.70	5.34	0
1991	Ghana	66,572	226	27849.88	3005116442	55.90	0.04	0
1991	SA	6,114	3056	27849.88	5006672708	80.20	2.76	0
1991	Liberia	6,289	168	27849.88	193500000	25.96	1.00	0
1991	Ethiopia	10,822	115	27849.88	8181922582	28.20	2.07	0
1991	Nigeria	37,053	366	27849.88	0.007	79.42	9.91	0
1991	Kenya	41,831	442	27849.88	1982454174	47.22	27.51	0
1991	Cameroon	7,776	622	27849.88	3016456726	19.36	282.11	0
1991	Malawi	66,411	141	27849.88	873653796.4	45.82	2.80	0
1991	Tanzania	9,848	301	27849.88	2173720640	38.39	219.16	0
1991	Uganda	17,791	190	27849.88	1640022103	60.22	734.01	0
1991	Rwanda	5,658	237	27849.88	614248900.7	76.08	125.16	0
1991	Togo	600	276	27849.88	525941629.4	58.74	282.11	0
1991	Gabon	3,647	4753	27849.88	411900582.3	20.01	282.11	0
1991	Mozambique	21,177	189	27849.88	1026241908	60.70	1.43	0
1991	Burundi	7,814	187	27849.88	567331265.5	82.75	181.51	0
1991	Mauritius	14,352	2660	27849.88	284800402.3	55.67	15.65	0
1991	Congo	21	185	27849.88	3756615491	10.09	0.00	0

	(Brazzaville)							
1991	Congo (Kinshasa)	3,529	1166	27849.88	308393723.4	30.81	282.11	0
1991	Swaziland	17,842	1306	27849.88	113875665.3	71.34	2.76	0
1991	Comoros	9,398	382	27849.88	97885706.23	71.51	282.10	0
1991	Djibouti	0	1086	27849.88	12884240.41	57.64	177.72	0
1991	Burkina Faso	14	177	27849.88	934035499.9	34.90	282.11	0
1991	Zambia	720	377	27849.88	534006816.9	28.01	64.64	0
1991	Mali	321	187	27849.88	1032190071	26.33	282.11	0
1991	Senegal	2,684	475	27849.88	1017502212	45.23	282.11	0
1991	Sierra Leone	169	260	27849.88	286604607.8	39.44	295.34	0
1991	Chad	0	194	27849.88	666531592.7	38.40	282.11	0
1991	Benin	146	300	27849.88	682152635.5	20.61	282.11	0
1991	Namibia	1,017	1913	27849.88	280301233.3	46.96	2.76	0
1991	Lesotho	54	309	27849.88	97537127.13	76.52	2.76	0
1991	Gambia	53	583	27849.88	125352701.5	64.60	8.73	0
1991	Botswana	495	2437	27849.88	172575632.8	45.70	2.02	0
1991	Angola	0	357	27849.88	2929674094	46.08	0.00	0
1991	Mauritania	318	483	27849.88	500825230.5	38.48	81.95	0
1991	Seychelles	0	5739	27849.88	17916666.67	8.70	5.29	0
1992	Ghana	30,162	228	28401.47	2873059928	55.90	0.04	0
1992	SA	49,701	2929	28401.47	4577817373	80.20	2.85	0
1992	Liberia	9,341	111	28401.47	114600000	25.96	1.00	0
1992	Ethiopia	8,081	101	28401.47	6937961643	28.90	2.80	0
1992	Nigeria	30,228	368	28401.47	0.008	79.42	17.30	0
1992	Kenya	37,508	424	28401.47	2034325774	47.22	32.22	0
1992	Cameroon	6,888	586	28401.47	3029101434	19.36	264.69	0
1992	Malawi	50,692	129	28401.47	628621727.2	45.82	3.60	0
1992	Tanzania	6,175	293	28401.47	2057055331	38.39	297.71	0
1992	Uganda	11,696	190	28401.47	1377378762	60.22	1133.83	0
1992	Rwanda	2,435	267	28401.47	674400169.3	76.08	133.94	0
1992	Togo	639	260	28401.47	596992341.1	58.74	264.69	0
1992	Gabon	3,093	4459	28401.47	461449881.2	20.01	264.69	0
1992	Mozambique	18,507	174	28401.47	657113528.8	60.70	2.52	0
1992	Burundi	6,331	185	28401.47	519907053.9	82.75	208.30	0
1992	Mauritius	1,405	2796	28401.47	322834348.5	55.67	15.56	0
1992	Congo (Brazzaville)	3,048	159	28401.47	4022689463	10.09	0.00	0
1992	Congo (Kinshasa)	5,595	1165	28401.47	338129098.6	30.81	264.69	0
1992	Swaziland	7,480	1318	28401.47	99255577.78	71.34	2.85	0
1992	Comoros	10,261	404	28401.47	105172263.8	71.51	264.69	0
1992	Djibouti	0	1063	28401.47	13838545.23	57.64	177.72	0
1992	Burkina Faso	0	173	28401.47	645416025.7	34.90	264.69	0
1992	Zambia	304	361	28401.47	676905864.2	28.01	172.21	0
1992	Mali	223	198	28401.47	1247998128	26.33	264.69	0
1992	Senegal	1,304	467	28401.47	999161542.6	45.23	264.69	0
1992	Sierra Leone	781	211	28401.47	244052863.4	39.44	499.44	0
1992	Chad	179	203	28401.47	645935609	38.40	264.69	0
1992	Benin	158	301	28401.47	584678550.4	20.61	264.69	0
1992	Namibia	4,266	1986	28401.47	234571078.5	46.96	2.85	0
1992	Lesotho	14	326	28401.47	122475455.9	76.52	2.85	0
1992	Gambia	0	584	28401.47	123749472.4	64.60	8.90	0
1992	Botswana	330	2438	28401.47	192096799.8	45.70	2.11	0
1992	Angola	0	322	28401.47	585919300.2	46.08	0.00	0
1992	Mauritania	55	478	28401.47	507187422.1	38.48	87.03	0
1992	Seychelles	26	6073	28401.47	16595080.05	8.70	5.12	0
1993	Ghana	54,728	233	28834.56	2204368462	55.90	0.06	0
1993	SA	59,247	2903	28834.56	4983258266	80.61	3.27	0
1993	Liberia	648	75	28834.56	81200000	25.96	1.00	0
1993	Ethiopia	19,698	111	28834.56	4684682825	29.80	5.00	0
1993	Nigeria	45,748	367	28834.56	0.009	79.56	22.07	0
1993	Kenya	41,887	412	28834.56	1541939726	47.57	58.00	0
1993	Cameroon	7,833	552	28834.56	2629412649	19.38	283.16	0
1993	Malawi	49,484	141	28834.56	927293859.2	45.29	4.40	0
1993	Tanzania	5,770	287	28834.56	1908508733	38.38	405.27	0

1993	Uganda	9,451	199	28834.56	1554985263	60.32	1195.02	0
1993	Rwanda	576	265	28834.56	665092083.3	74.46	144.24	0
1993	Togo	286	217	28834.56	544510533.1	58.74	283.16	0
1993	Gabon	552	4489	28834.56	371494358.1	20.03	283.16	0
1993	Mozambique	6,534	182	28834.56	749101028.7	60.72	3.87	0
1993	Burundi	1,174	171	28834.56	442751235.6	83.14	242.78	0
1993	Mauritius	13,987	2904	28834.56	298629986.7	55.67	17.65	0
1993	Congo (Brazzaville)	3,073	132	28834.56	5494093943	10.10	0.00	0
1993	Congo (Kinshasa)	2,549	1124	28834.56	215855742.9	30.82	283.16	0
1993	Swaziland	6,480	1332	28834.56	120531629.6	71.10	3.27	0
1993	Comoros	9,543	406	28834.56	103082997.1	71.51	283.16	0
1993	Djibouti	0	977	28834.56	14605477.7	59.15	177.72	0
1993	Burkina Faso	0	174	28834.56	704993567.3	34.81	283.16	0
1993	Zambia	671	377	28834.56	997723633.8	28.34	452.76	0
1993	Mali	99	189	28834.56	1127464980	26.42	283.16	0
1993	Senegal	207	459	28834.56	1059236400	45.55	283.16	0
1993	Sierra Leone	355	216	28834.56	309850220.3	39.30	567.46	0
1993	Chad	15	166	28834.56	459070008.9	38.41	283.16	0
1993	Benin	2	301	28834.56	711052745.6	20.75	283.16	0
1993	Namibia	6,339	1889	28834.56	241145108.8	46.96	3.27	0
1993	Lesotho	0	331	28834.56	126254594.3	76.94	3.27	0
1993	Gambia	0	584	28834.56	129915607.5	61.20	9.11	0
1993	Botswana	1,226	2417	28834.56	188087450.9	45.61	2.42	0
1993	Angola	0	235	28834.56	610895700.6	46.12	0.00	0
1993	Mauritania	13	493	28834.56	434456898.7	38.50	120.81	0
1993	Seychelles	14	6356	28834.56	19781801.9	8.70	5.18	0
1994	Ghana	13,271	234	29655.07	2058215181	56.25	0.10	0
1994	SA	69,674	2934	29655.07	5703506185	81.02	3.55	0
1994	Liberia	952	58	29655.07	693000000	25.96	1.00	0
1994	Ethiopia	31,789	111	29655.07	4002165076	30.54	5.47	0
1994	Nigeria	43,100	359	29655.07	0.003	79.69	22.00	0
1994	Kenya	50,691	411	29655.07	2009727465	47.16	56.05	0
1994	Cameroon	8,730	525	29655.07	2062794063	19.38	555.20	0
1994	Malawi	52,644	126	29655.07	264028843.9	45.29	8.74	0
1994	Tanzania	4,073	282	29655.07	1875834152	38.38	509.63	0
1994	Uganda	34,395	205	29655.07	1842375740	60.47	979.45	0
1994	Rwanda	163	140	29655.07	375000008.1	70.13	140.70	0
1994	Togo	186	244	29655.07	343160715.4	60.67	555.20	0
1994	Gabon	779	4514	29655.07	380778479.8	20.03	555.20	0
1994	Mozambique	14,105	187	29655.07	700799013.8	60.72	6.04	0
1994	Burundi	3,258	162	29655.07	376786470.5	83.14	252.66	0
1994	Mauritius	8,627	2982	29655.07	308351935	55.67	17.96	0
1994	Congo (Brazzaville)	11	122	29655.07	3291077565	10.10	0.01	0
1994	Congo (Kinshasa)	2,560	1034	29655.07	182491252	30.83	555.20	0
1994	Swaziland	17,196	1338	29655.07	162198448.9	71.05	3.55	0
1994	Comoros	5,975	376	29655.07	69877719.47	71.51	416.40	0
1994	Djibouti	1	953	29655.07	15715644.8	60.44	177.72	0
1994	Burkina Faso	0	171	29655.07	624461273.2	34.72	555.20	0
1994	Zambia	548	336	29655.07	451443460.5	28.52	669.37	0
1994	Mali	393	185	29655.07	746838949.8	27.15	555.20	0
1994	Senegal	122	446	29655.07	669953780	45.54	555.20	0
1994	Sierra Leone	206	214	29655.07	341010738	39.25	586.74	0
1994	Chad	675	177	29655.07	439118990.1	38.44	555.20	0
1994	Benin	77	304	29655.07	500712499	20.97	555.20	0
1994	Namibia	3,432	1970	29655.07	371465794.4	47.01	3.55	0
1994	Lesotho	0	343	29655.07	128048432.8	76.88	3.55	0
1994	Gambia	0	569	29655.07	143556215	61.10	9.58	0
1994	Botswana	395	2439	29655.07	177097896.7	45.79	2.68	0
1994	Angola	0	235	29655.07	269800959.5	46.12	0.00	0
1994	Mauritania	0	464	29655.07	446077292	38.51	123.58	0
1994	Seychelles	0	6202	29655.07	20118811.88	8.70	5.06	0
1995	Ghana	55,200	237	30050.99	2506799193	56.69	0.12	0

1995	SA	79,525	2960	30050.99	5325764406	81.52	3.63	0
1995	Liberia	294	55	30050.99	110300000	25.96	1.00	0
1995	Ethiopia	30,722	114	30050.99	4185708796	30.47	6.16	0
1995	Nigeria	38,307	359	30050.99	0.004	79.82	21.90	0
1995	Kenya	46,094	416	30050.99	2383670956	47.85	51.43	0
1995	Cameroon	18,841	528	30050.99	1918648334	19.38	499.15	0
1995	Malawi	38,325	146	30050.99	375415974.3	43.17	15.28	0
1995	Tanzania	6,876	283	30050.99	2293922689	38.38	574.76	0
1995	Uganda	12,546	222	30050.99	2607120432	60.57	968.92	0
1995	Rwanda	832	191	30050.99	569161298.7	60.19	262.18	0
1995	Togo	527	256	30050.99	494460274.2	60.67	499.15	0
1995	Gabon	666	4601	30050.99	398278327	20.03	499.15	0
1995	Mozambique	23,941	186	30050.99	759614205.6	60.78	9.02	0
1995	Burundi	18,094	147	30050.99	420406953.9	83.14	249.76	0
1995	Mauritius	6,024	3083	30050.99	371635509.6	55.17	17.39	0
1995	Congo (Brazzaville)	0	119	30050.99	3191026267	10.10	0.07	0
1995	Congo (Kinshasa)	5,107	1046	30050.99	221176696.7	30.80	499.15	0
1995	Swaziland	8,656	1375	30050.99	171247151.1	71.05	3.63	0
1995	Comoros	1,898	380	30050.99	94826572.38	71.51	374.36	0
1995	Djibouti	0	900	30050.99	14106380.78	60.44	177.72	0
1995	Burkina Faso	0	176	30050.99	790407168.8	34.47	499.15	0
1995	Zambia	345	318	30050.99	563585153.8	28.89	864.12	0
1995	Mali	94	192	30050.99	1082368050	28.88	499.15	0
1995	Senegal	126	457	30050.99	923952005.7	45.61	499.15	0
1995	Sierra Leone	2,409	197	30050.99	347917108.1	39.23	755.22	0
1995	Chad	77	174	30050.99	506919041.4	38.45	499.15	0
1995	Benin	17	308	30050.99	683808264.9	21.70	499.15	0
1995	Namibia	1,129	1992	30050.99	375783859.5	47.07	3.63	0
1995	Lesotho	0	343	30050.99	142542042.1	76.71	3.63	0
1995	Gambia	14	558	30050.99	167879655.2	63.00	9.54	0
1995	Botswana	29	2483	30050.99	193321653.2	45.87	2.77	0
1995	Angola	0	252	30050.99	368504825.8	46.12	0.00	0
1995	Mauritania	0	496	30050.99	483116002.4	38.55	129.77	0
1995	Seychelles	0	6038	30050.99	21209687.16	8.70	4.76	0
1996	Ghana	31,655	242	30827.99	2700749921	57.57	0.16	0
1996	SA	108,984	3020	30827.99	5517114002	81.95	4.30	0
1996	Liberia	148	58	30827.99	149800000	25.96	1.00	0
1996	Ethiopia	24,143	124	30827.99	4506600227	30.50	6.35	0
1996	Nigeria	33,921	366	30827.99	0.006	79.97	21.88	0
1996	Kenya	55,220	422	30827.99	3311712187	47.82	57.11	0
1996	Cameroon	21,196	541	30827.99	2128435199	19.38	511.55	0
1996	Malawi	70,670	153	30827.99	716654668	45.40	15.31	0
1996	Tanzania	4,252	288	30827.99	2859209853	38.38	579.98	0
1996	Uganda	15,661	235	30827.99	2480528662	60.67	1046.08	0
1996	Rwanda	7,234	207	30827.99	652314045.6	60.19	306.82	0
1996	Togo	777	271	30827.99	598446593.8	60.67	511.55	0
1996	Gabon	1,424	4636	30827.99	403868670.7	20.03	511.55	0
1996	Mozambique	25,283	194	30827.99	979650492	60.89	11.29	0
1996	Burundi	501	134	30827.99	463898280.7	83.53	302.75	0
1996	Mauritius	12,279	3222	30827.99	400765174.7	55.17	17.95	0
1996	Congo (Brazzaville)	2,545	115	30827.99	1919700276	10.01	0.50	0
1996	Congo (Kinshasa)	2,758	1061	30827.99	228324592.1	30.81	511.55	0
1996	Swaziland	8,291	1397	30827.99	193402351.1	71.05	4.30	0
1996	Comoros	2,449	366	30827.99	94252725.85	72.58	383.66	0
1996	Djibouti	0	839	30827.99	15091070.3	62.60	177.72	0
1996	Burkina Faso	3,648	190	30827.99	940970383.4	34.54	511.55	0
1996	Zambia	465	331	30827.99	506449718.2	28.87	1207.90	0
1996	Mali	1,032	192	30827.99	1221499341	29.03	511.55	0
1996	Senegal	135	454	30827.99	902280619.1	45.08	511.55	0
1996	Sierra Leone	391	207	30827.99	425771695.4	39.23	920.73	0
1996	Chad	66	172	30827.99	603527595.2	38.48	511.55	0
1996	Benin	0	315	30827.99	831603810.2	22.78	511.55	0

1996	Namibia	169	1995	30827.99	372149364.9	47.15	4.30	0
1996	Lesotho	0	352	30827.99	143428711.5	76.55	4.30	0
1996	Gambia	0	555	30827.99	152224073.7	64.40	9.80	0
1996	Botswana	15	2560	30827.99	179002793.2	45.78	3.32	0
1996	Angola	0	272	30827.99	528873555.8	46.12	0.13	0
1996	Mauritania	0	510	30827.99	476053402.1	38.58	137.22	0
1996	Seychelles	74	6242	30827.99	19597651.23	8.70	4.97	0
1997	Ghana	12,395	246	31831.46	2465865128	58.45	0.20	0
1997	SA	102,366	3030	31831.46	5455774719	82.09	4.61	0
1997	Liberia	1,515	112	31831.46	227700000	25.96	1.00	0
1997	Ethiopia	66,005	125	31831.46	4655889587	30.50	6.71	0
1997	Nigeria	23,951	367	31831.46	0.008	78.13	21.89	0
1997	Kenya	55,477	413	31831.46	3632271591	46.48	58.73	0
1997	Cameroon	19,742	556	31831.46	2249475638	19.38	583.67	0
1997	Malawi	82,444	155	31831.46	807240736.4	46.46	16.44	0
1997	Tanzania	5,425	291	31831.46	3273467321	38.38	612.12	0
1997	Uganda	37,039	239	31831.46	2389867336	60.92	1083.01	0
1997	Rwanda	2,540	217	31831.46	850993780	62.63	301.53	0
1997	Togo	315	300	31831.46	632443178.7	62.51	583.67	0
1997	Gabon	385	4773	31831.46	384464237.2	20.03	583.67	0
1997	Mozambique	28,227	208	31831.46	1159721212	61.02	11.54	0
1997	Burundi	13,729	131	31831.46	445863488	83.72	352.35	0
1997	Mauritius	13,611	3363	31831.46	347930892.7	55.17	21.06	0
1997	Congo (Brazzaville)	6,723	106	31831.46	2893149297	10.01	1.31	0
1997	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,881	1025	31831.46	212277713.8	30.81	583.67	0
1997	Swaziland	22,588	1409	31831.46	186774623	71.05	4.61	0
1997	Comoros	1,543	371	31831.46	86735014.55	73.66	437.75	0
1997	Djibouti	0	806	31831.46	15417424.54	63.89	177.72	0
1997	Burkina Faso	0	197	31831.46	825812797.1	34.90	583.67	0
1997	Zambia	242	333	31831.46	642642701.3	29.41	1314.50	0
1997	Mali	41	200	31831.46	983590101.4	30.04	583.67	0
1997	Senegal	32	457	31831.46	824397284.7	44.93	583.67	0
1997	Sierra Leone	203	172	31831.46	487998981.2	39.23	981.48	0
1997	Chad	0	177	31831.46	592305385.6	38.52	583.67	0
1997	Benin	0	325	31831.46	808333479.6	24.50	583.67	0
1997	Namibia	299	2019	31831.46	353518540.3	47.15	4.61	0
1997	Lesotho	0	357	31831.46	139453131	76.61	4.61	0
1997	Gambia	26	566	31831.46	165390496.3	64.90	10.20	0
1997	Botswana	23	2757	31831.46	176842476	45.78	3.65	0
1997	Angola	0	286	31831.46	401442360.2	46.12	0.23	0
1997	Mauritania	0	476	31831.46	426043616.9	38.57	151.85	0
1997	Seychelles	434	6907	31831.46	19656443.3	8.70	5.03	0
1998	Ghana	25,649	252	32847.35	2694601576	59.89	0.23	0
1998	SA	111,025	2975	32847.35	4600704051	82.05	5.53	0
1998	Liberia	24,812	135	32847.35	282799997.5	26.16	41.51	0
1998	Ethiopia	44,398	117	32847.35	3842657988	30.49	7.12	0
1998	Nigeria	12,606	366	32847.35	0.009	76.79	21.89	0
1998	Kenya	47,888	416	32847.35	3910367802	46.73	60.37	0
1998	Cameroon	9,699	570	32847.35	2253380747	19.38	589.95	0
1998	Malawi	60,010	157	32847.35	563521909.8	46.99	31.07	0
1998	Tanzania	5,742	294	32847.35	2941714848	38.39	664.67	0
1998	Uganda	12,116	244	32847.35	2518761104	60.92	1240.31	0
1998	Rwanda	1,840	214	32847.35	905498677.4	64.65	312.31	0
1998	Togo	619	283	32847.35	554995548.2	63.43	589.95	0
1998	Gabon	416	4815	32847.35	314771491.5	20.03	589.95	0
1998	Mozambique	23,288	225	32847.35	1170465615	61.21	11.87	0
1998	Burundi	6,274	137	32847.35	376536126.7	84.11	447.77	0
1998	Mauritius	10,381	3530	32847.35	338896725.6	55.17	23.99	0
1998	Congo (Brazzaville)	1,431	102	32847.35	2890247931	9.97	1.61	0
1998	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,902	1033	32847.35	213576779.4	30.85	589.95	0
1998	Swaziland	3,293	1443	32847.35	173853115.3	71.10	5.53	0
1998	Comoros	590	366	32847.35	88159613.58	74.73	442.46	0

1998	Djibouti	465	780	32847.35	15878821.92	64.75	177.72	0
1998	Burkina Faso	0	205	32847.35	1025575115	35.82	589.95	0
1998	Zambia	1,114	318	32847.35	605700139.8	29.56	1862.07	0
1998	Mali	353	206	32847.35	1086922095	30.86	589.95	0
1998	Senegal	36	472	32847.35	870188340.2	44.95	589.95	0
1998	Sierra Leone	182	169	32847.35	399409695.6	39.22	1563.62	0
1998	Chad	674	183	32847.35	680500549.1	38.54	589.95	0
1998	Benin	1,947	331	32847.35	891937598.9	26.13	589.95	0
1998	Namibia	1,377	2027	32847.35	332472065.5	47.15	5.53	0
1998	Lesotho	0	370	32847.35	134931267.8	76.71	5.53	0
1998	Gambia	6	569	32847.35	161364512	66.40	10.64	0
1998	Botswana	20	2986	32847.35	158966234.4	45.70	4.23	0
1998	Angola	0	297	32847.35	118243906.8	46.12	0.39	0
1998	Mauritania	0	483	32847.35	432819037.4	38.57	188.48	0
1998	Seychelles	4	7343	32847.35	16000937.51	8.70	5.26	0
1999	Ghana	42,518	257	34053.36	2761257847	61.66	0.27	0
1999	SA	105,658	2972	34053.36	4284977194	82.08	6.11	0
1999	Liberia	28,618	155	34053.36	336599998.6	26.58	41.90	0
1999	Ethiopia	27,524	120	34053.36	3431302716	30.51	7.94	0
1999	Nigeria	7,591	361	34053.36	0.008	78.77	92.34	0
1999	Kenya	35,437	415	34053.36	3706839531	46.49	70.33	0
1999	Cameroon	10,650	582	34053.36	2366747833	19.38	615.70	0
1999	Malawi	70,908	157	34053.36	610917858.4	48.58	44.09	0
1999	Tanzania	8,736	301	34053.36	3113249745	38.38	744.76	0
1999	Uganda	17,394	256	34053.36	2086658940	61.27	1454.83	0
1999	Rwanda	2,007	211	34053.36	680474783.8	65.46	333.94	0
1999	Togo	1,521	280	34053.36	582102493.6	64.90	615.70	0
1999	Gabon	668	4280	34053.36	340101177.9	20.03	615.70	0
1999	Mozambique	8,322	237	34053.36	1116070112	61.34	12.78	0
1999	Burundi	5,861	134	34053.36	327915395	87.85	563.56	0
1999	Mauritius	3,457	3576	34053.36	227475899.1	54.68	25.19	0
1999	Congo (Brazzaville)	4,420	95	34053.36	2467105880	9.97	4.02	0
1999	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,934	980	34053.36	196686975.4	30.86	615.70	0
1999	Swaziland	8,295	1484	34053.36	172119817.4	71.10	6.11	0
1999	Comoros	1,718	363	34053.36	91146203.13	75.81	461.77	0
1999	Djibouti	103	771	34053.36	16357099.69	64.75	177.72	0
1999	Burkina Faso	2,455	214	34053.36	921926198.2	36.37	615.70	0
1999	Zambia	1,540	316	34053.36	676058296.4	29.63	2388.02	0
1999	Mali	2,684	214	34053.36	1065202532	30.86	615.70	0
1999	Senegal	301	489	34053.36	858993925	45.00	615.70	0
1999	Sierra Leone	153	152	34053.36	400739940.1	39.22	1804.20	0
1999	Chad	92	176	34053.36	585086241.7	38.56	615.70	0
1999	Benin	14,722	337	34053.36	903524388	27.57	615.70	0
1999	Namibia	449	2040	34053.36	339171713.9	47.15	6.11	0
1999	Lesotho	0	365	34053.36	136176134.2	76.71	6.11	0
1999	Gambia	3	589	34053.36	195633539.1	64.50	11.40	0
1999	Botswana	3	3078	34053.36	158247462.1	45.58	4.62	0
1999	Angola	0	299	34053.36	107573850.8	46.12	2.79	0
1999	Mauritania	0	506	34053.36	475509972.6	38.57	209.51	0
1999	Seychelles	30	7335	34053.36	19316510	8.70	5.34	0
2000	Ghana	70,651	260	35081.92	1757526698	62.32	0.54	1
2000	SA	132,929	3020	35081.92	3955573469	82.04	6.94	1
2000	Liberia	43,437	186	35081.92	402479815.5	26.68	40.95	0
2000	Ethiopia	26,099	124	35081.92	3781428274	30.68	8.22	1
2000	Nigeria	4,291	372	35081.92	0.06	78.83	101.70	1
2000	Kenya	34,066	407	35081.92	3649202801	47.22	76.18	1
2000	Cameroon	11,198	592	35081.92	1900966236	19.38	711.98	1
2000	Malawi	48,036	155	35081.92	621749129.1	49.59	59.54	1
2000	Tanzania	7,859	308	35081.92	3189117740	38.38	800.41	1
2000	Uganda	15,764	256	35081.92	1703706836	61.37	1644.48	1
2000	Rwanda	2,301	214	35081.92	645166449	67.33	389.70	1
2000	Togo	710	270	35081.92	454814065.8	66.74	711.98	0
2000	Gabon	347	4103	35081.92	314898133.6	20.03	711.98	1
2000	Mozambique	23,865	233	35081.92	887158000.3	61.28	15.23	1

2000	Burundi	7,755	131	35081.92	352765288	87.89	720.67	0
2000	Mauritius	5,020	3861	35081.92	279181402.4	54.68	26.25	1
2000	Congo (Brazzaville)	3,108	87	35081.92	2125671014	9.92	21.83	1
2000	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,973	1027	35081.92	170792208.1	30.88	711.98	0
2000	Swaziland	12,678	1508	35081.92	152752160.1	71.10	6.94	1
2000	Comoros	3,482	359	35081.92	98029665.95	76.88	533.98	1
2000	Djibouti	26	753	35081.92	17060454.31	66.91	177.72	1
2000	Burkina Faso	1,839	212	35081.92	717117054.4	36.55	711.98	0
2000	Zambia	686	319	35081.92	643632328.3	30.14	3110.84	1
2000	Mali	459	214	35081.92	937526335	30.86	711.98	1
2000	Senegal	112	492	35081.92	789029586.1	45.26	711.98	1
2000	Sierra Leone	290	153	35081.92	349823144.2	39.15	2092.13	0
2000	Chad	97	168	35081.92	563786297.3	38.56	711.98	1
2000	Benin	34	346	35081.92	823759136.7	28.11	711.98	1
2000	Namibia	156	2062	35081.92	420893371.8	47.15	6.94	1
2000	Lesotho	0	380	35081.92	86222632.31	76.71	6.94	1
2000	Gambia	0	604	35081.92	192066658.3	67.50	12.79	0
2000	Botswana	29	3204	35081.92	146015158.8	45.60	5.10	1
2000	Angola	0	298	35081.92	235408131.5	46.04	10.04	0
2000	Mauritania	4	490	35081.92	444577758.6	38.57	238.92	0
2000	Seychelles	8	7579	35081.92	18446392.94	8.70	5.71	1
2001	Ghana	57,741	264	35116.22	1873056456	63.42	0.72	1
2001	SA	108,197	3040	35116.22	3785261323	82.04	8.61	1
2001	Liberia	41,172	220	35116.22	398735740.1	26.89	48.58	0
2001	Ethiopia	25,527	131	35116.22	3554772761	30.66	8.46	1
2001	Nigeria	7,768	374	35116.22	0.09	78.89	111.23	1
2001	Kenya	39,091	411	35116.22	3616502613	46.86	78.56	1
2001	Cameroon	5,901	605	35116.22	1969453931	19.38	733.04	1
2001	Malawi	66,574	144	35116.22	605627825.4	50.06	72.20	1
2001	Tanzania	6,980	318	35116.22	3183267757	38.38	876.41	1
2001	Uganda	12,436	261	35116.22	1626594385	62.62	1755.66	1
2001	Rwanda	3,668	223	35116.22	625261055.1	67.69	442.99	1
2001	Togo	674	258	35116.22	502545971.3	66.74	733.04	0
2001	Gabon	638	4098	35116.22	300257077.7	20.03	733.04	1
2001	Mozambique	6,497	254	35116.22	816856572.2	61.23	20.70	1
2001	Burundi	2,395	131	35116.22	331402897.9	88.40	830.35	0
2001	Mauritius	13,975	3917	35116.22	295089861.3	54.68	29.13	1
2001	Congo (Brazzaville)	1,228	83	35116.22	2756007000	9.92	206.74	1
2001	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,082	1040	35116.22	162065156	30.86	733.04	0
2001	Swaziland	6,872	1524	35116.22	116261639.6	71.10	8.61	1
2001	Comoros	10,395	361	35116.22	109977259.1	77.96	549.78	1
2001	Djibouti	116	750	35116.22	17881398.37	69.07	177.72	1
2001	Burkina Faso	79	220	35116.22	970693291.3	36.92	733.04	0
2001	Zambia	809	327	35116.22	715063622.8	30.26	3610.94	1
2001	Mali	303	233	35116.22	919185856.2	31.70	733.04	1
2001	Senegal	6,748	501	35116.22	797211886.8	45.47	733.04	1
2001	Sierra Leone	213	175	35116.22	354501422.3	39.23	1986.15	0
2001	Chad	360	182	35116.22	688787776	38.56	733.04	1
2001	Benin	9	352	35116.22	842655243.9	28.88	733.04	1
2001	Namibia	43	2042	35116.22	344174700.9	47.15	8.61	1
2001	Lesotho	0	391	35116.22	84908533.67	76.88	8.61	1
2001	Gambia	294	620	35116.22	174778497.1	68.00	15.69	0
2001	Botswana	24	3268	35116.22	132217032.8	45.79	5.84	1
2001	Angola	0	298	35116.22	369332039.3	45.96	22.06	0
2001	Mauritania	0	485	35116.22	435181170.6	38.57	255.63	0
2001	Seychelles	0	7400	35116.22	18667861.72	8.70	5.86	1
2002	Ghana	28,469	269	35427.91	2167318239	63.77	0.79	1
2002	SA	136,651	3108	35427.91	4196287170	82.04	10.54	1
2002	Liberia	43,452	284	35427.91	429199771.4	26.89	61.75	0
2002	Ethiopia	22,180	129	35427.91	3137359517	31.41	8.57	1
2002	Nigeria	12,696	371	35427.91	27841385053	78.94	120.58	1
2002	Kenya	36,720	403	35427.91	3399211653	47.16	78.75	1

2002	Cameroon	18,733	615	35427.91	2224746307	19.38	696.99	1
2002	Malawi	59,226	142	35427.91	919783799.7	51.12	76.69	1
2002	Tanzania	5,938	332	35427.91	3270668640	38.50	966.58	1
2002	Uganda	11,055	275	35427.91	1447849222	63.12	1797.55	1
2002	Rwanda	1,921	246	35427.91	593648788.9	70.90	475.37	1
2002	Togo	725	250	35427.91	563186499.3	64.72	696.99	0
2002	Gabon	512	4000	35427.91	300148551.9	20.03	696.99	1
2002	Mozambique	6,560	269	35427.91	1068027806	61.36	23.68	1
2002	Burundi	649	134	35427.91	310381692.3	89.84	930.75	0
2002	Mauritius	6,083	3966	35427.91	263978687.1	54.68	29.96	1
2002	Congo (Brazzaville)	3,602	83	35427.91	2775201924	9.90	346.69	1
2002	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,409	1063	35427.91	189099326.7	30.86	696.99	0
2002	Swaziland	7,473	1549	35427.91	104130534.3	71.16	10.54	1
2002	Comoros	5,191	366	35427.91	125962532.6	79.03	522.74	1
2002	Djibouti	38	754	35427.91	18534669.51	72.52	177.72	1
2002	Burkina Faso	55	224	35427.91	1071739233	38.74	696.99	0
2002	Zambia	783	330	35427.91	738285365.5	30.34	4398.60	1
2002	Mali	36	236	35427.91	1079729453	32.24	696.99	1
2002	Senegal	197	491	35427.91	726419074.9	45.76	696.99	1
2002	Sierra Leone	466	213	35427.91	419876131.5	41.78	2099.03	1
2002	Chad	49	190	35427.91	753462872.8	38.62	696.99	1
2002	Benin	1	357	35427.91	947789781.8	29.52	696.99	1
2002	Namibia	62	2100	35427.91	336305853.3	47.15	10.54	1
2002	Lesotho	0	391	35427.91	61626329.25	76.88	10.54	1
2002	Gambia	6	582	35427.91	139498873.6	71.70	19.92	0
2002	Botswana	41	3516	35427.91	118627976.7	45.53	6.33	1
2002	Angola	0	330	35427.91	523808374.9	45.96	43.53	0
2002	Mauritania	0	474	35427.91	434133222.1	38.53	271.74	1
2002	Seychelles	0	7266	35427.91	20925547.45	8.70	5.48	1
2003	Ghana	11,236	276	36021.31	2789408754	64.30	0.87	1
2003	SA	151,540	3159	36021.31	5240623202	82.04	7.56	1
2003	Liberia	55,722	188	36021.31	300518722.3	26.89	59.38	0
2003	Ethiopia	26,927	123	36021.31	3323193063	30.60	8.60	1
2003	Nigeria	46,070	399	36021.31	28049168695	81.03	129.22	1
2003	Kenya	40,773	404	36021.31	3846023703	47.12	75.94	1
2003	Cameroon	24,081	626	36021.31	2742772091	19.38	581.20	1
2003	Malawi	53,200	146	36021.31	799927334.3	51.12	97.43	1
2003	Tanzania	6,169	346	36021.31	3531656274	38.72	1038.42	1
2003	Uganda	28,660	283	36021.31	1552935590	64.12	1963.72	1
2003	Rwanda	1,767	245	36021.31	706214972	74.99	537.65	1
2003	Togo	284	256	36021.31	599109159.3	64.26	581.20	0
2003	Gabon	90	4015	36021.31	367515286.7	20.03	581.20	1
2003	Mozambique	5,496	278	36021.31	1182898083	61.93	23.78	1
2003	Burundi	5,811	129	36021.31	310845932.2	91.16	1082.62	0
2003	Mauritius	1,666	4069	36021.31	307815616.5	52.22	27.90	1
2003	Congo (Brazzaville)	4,698	85	36021.31	2838099490	9.90	405.40	1
2003	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,978	1047	36021.31	219373591.1	30.86	581.20	1
2003	Swaziland	7,619	1581	36021.31	141903536.8	71.16	7.56	1
2003	Comoros	3,973	365	36021.31	164010481.4	79.03	435.90	1
2003	Djibouti	117	764	36021.31	19466467.1	73.38	177.72	1
2003	Burkina Faso	449	235	36021.31	1427628662	39.11	581.20	0
2003	Zambia	933	339	36021.31	896754004.3	30.42	4733.27	1
2003	Mali	68	245	36021.31	1561385977	32.48	581.20	1
2003	Senegal	205	510	36021.31	1056920239	45.71	581.20	1
2003	Sierra Leone	203	221	36021.31	437608075.3	44.76	2347.94	1
2003	Chad	0	210	36021.31	883561247	38.62	581.20	1
2003	Benin	3	359	36021.31	1141603579	30.42	581.20	1
2003	Namibia	199	2151	36021.31	503571428.6	47.15	7.56	1
2003	Lesotho	0	404	36021.31	88700015.63	75.89	7.56	1
2003	Gambia	0	604	36021.31	130274522.3	62.50	28.53	1
2003	Botswana	23	3692	36021.31	190835853.6	45.61	4.95	1
2003	Angola	3	329	36021.31	1038286468	46.03	74.61	1

2003	Mauritania	11	488	36021.31	538311219.3	38.48	263.03	0
2003	Seychelles	0	6913	36021.31	21171144.48	8.70	5.40	1
2004	Ghana	22,847	285	36931.39	3370714114	65.20	0.90	1
2004	SA	156,022	3264	36931.39	6113294093	82.04	6.46	1
2004	Liberia	83,729	176	36931.39	308778023.9	26.89	54.91	0
2004	Ethiopia	34,088	137	36931.39	4051658892	31.61	8.64	1
2004	Nigeria	13,639	431	36931.39	29376301511	81.14	132.89	1
2004	Kenya	48,148	413	36931.39	4012409342	47.22	79.17	1
2004	Cameroon	22,469	635	36931.39	2991653229	19.38	528.28	1
2004	Malawi	32,930	149	36931.39	831799564.4	51.12	108.90	1
2004	Tanzania	6,380	363	36931.39	3968907551	39.20	1089.33	1
2004	Uganda	12,011	293	36931.39	1720704590	65.62	1810.30	1
2004	Rwanda	4,544	258	36931.39	805439130.5	76.21	577.45	1
2004	Togo	96	256	36931.39	701866234.4	63.80	528.28	0
2004	Gabon	433	3988	36931.39	404516647.5	20.03	528.28	1
2004	Mozambique	7,431	292	36931.39	1411723705	61.99	22.58	1
2004	Burundi	196	131	36931.39	367107678.2	90.73	1100.90	0
2004	Mauritius	9,978	4266	36931.39	357470952.7	52.22	27.50	1
2004	Congo (Brazzaville)	3,042	88	36931.39	3191432439	9.90	399.48	1
2004	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,656	1058	36931.39	256111850.3	30.86	528.28	1
2004	Swaziland	430	1625	36931.39	167766499.7	71.16	6.46	1
2004	Comoros	16,350	355	36931.39	184599964.2	79.03	396.21	1
2004	Djibouti	278	779	36931.39	20976699.43	73.38	177.72	1
2004	Burkina Faso	214	239	36931.39	1564677662	39.84	528.28	1
2004	Zambia	1,503	349	36931.39	1165161597	30.82	4778.88	1
2004	Mali	1,185	243	36931.39	1625800310	33.33	528.28	1
2004	Senegal	85	526	36931.39	1115865586	45.09	528.28	1
2004	Sierra Leone	374	227	36931.39	466952948.6	45.66	2701.30	1
2004	Chad	282	271	36931.39	1010903309	38.78	528.28	1
2004	Benin	69	358	36931.39	1298541999	31.34	528.28	1
2004	Namibia	50	2373	36931.39	590635882.9	47.15	6.46	1
2004	Lesotho	0	409	36931.39	108673903.6	75.89	6.46	1
2004	Gambia	8	628	36931.39	155396605.3	62.00	30.03	1
2004	Botswana	2	3866	36931.39	192534820.8	45.52	4.69	1
2004	Angola	0	353	36931.39	1635136224	46.19	83.54	1
2004	Mauritania	0	502	36931.39	598166037.7	38.48		0
2004	Seychelles	0	6740	36931.39	20994000	8.70	5.50	1
2005	Ghana	34,928	294	37718.01	4019413581	66.36	0.91	1
2005	SA	176,722	3398	37718.01	5881438737	81.99	6.36	1
2005	Liberia	89,394	187	37718.01	363184571.3	26.94	57.10	0
2005	Ethiopia	49,445	149	37718.01	5280111003	33.10	8.67	1
2005	Nigeria	59,048	443	37718.01	36360484598	81.80	131.27	1
2005	Kenya	51,573	427	37718.01	4541367802	47.43	75.55	1
2005	Cameroon	28,157	635	37718.01	3157536664	19.38	527.47	1
2005	Malawi	88,367	149	37718.01	818625329.2	52.72	118.42	1
2005	Tanzania	11,753	380	37718.01	4106648630	39.23	1128.93	1
2005	Uganda	13,769	301	37718.01	2316256272	66.37	1780.67	1
2005	Rwanda	5,180	275	37718.01	990995989.8	76.21	557.82	1
2005	Togo	3,257	253	37718.01	833551729.7	63.52	527.47	0
2005	Gabon	352	4029	37718.01	423532687.3	19.95	527.47	1
2005	Mozambique	7,358	312	37718.01	1609727780	62.12	23.06	1
2005	Burundi	4,308	128	37718.01	456369385.5	91.32	1081.58	0
2005	Mauritius	3,232	4284	37718.01	331920051.7	51.23	29.50	1
2005	Congo (Brazzaville)	3,568	92	37718.01	3385739156	9.90	473.91	1
2005	Congo (Kinshasa)	3,221	1112	37718.01	276604382.6	30.86	527.47	1
2005	Swaziland	17,148	1663	37718.01	179122690.4	71.16	6.36	1
2005	Comoros	1,393	360	37718.01	197447399.8	79.57	395.60	1
2005	Djibouti	777	789	37718.01	22280428.31	73.38	177.72	1
2005	Burkina Faso	258	252	37718.01	1792455039	39.84	527.47	1
2005	Zambia	461	359	37718.01	1506355480	30.80	4463.50	1
2005	Mali	73	250	37718.01	1787890358	32.57	527.47	1
2005	Senegal	164	541	37718.01	1259476676	45.38	527.47	1

2005	Sierra Leone	430	234	37718.01	608019527	48.28	2889.59	1
2005	Chad	10	308	37718.01	628282177.2	38.78	527.47	1
2005	Benin	0	357	37718.01	1380557683	32.25	527.47	1
2005	Namibia	116	2391	37718.01	753734864	47.15	6.36	1
2005	Lesotho	0	417	37718.01	113376753.4	76.22	6.36	1
2005	Gambia	0	604	37718.01	168937808.7	64.00	28.58	1
2005	Botswana	10	3880	37718.01	179604277.8	45.57	5.11	1
2005	Angola	0	404	37718.01	2599588173	46.19	87.16	1
2005	Mauritania	10	532	37718.01	615403252.6	38.48	265.53	1
2005	Seychelles	18	7209	37718.01	21678545.45	8.70	5.50	1
2006	Ghana	74,583	306	38349.40	5908657893	66.36	0.92	1
2006	SA	204,265	3548	38349.40	6697285788	81.99	6.77	1
2006	Liberia	129,223	197	38349.40	385483777.6	26.94	58.01	1
2006	Ethiopia	54,922	162	38349.40	6717296076	33.69	8.70	1
2006	Nigeria	19,688	459	38349.40	46173027719	83.99	128.65	1
2006	Kenya	55,027	442	38349.40	5359188973	47.44	72.10	1
2006	Cameroon	27,004	641	38349.40	3473770046	19.38	522.89	1
2006	Malawi	41,129	148	38349.40	895282179.3	52.72	136.01	1
2006	Tanzania	14,930	394	38349.40	3953998009	39.23	1251.90	1
2006	Uganda	10,856	323	38349.40	2398015545	66.37	1831.45	1
2006	Rwanda	6,644	291	38349.40	1195799465	76.21	551.71	1
2006	Togo	274	257	38349.40	790449563.3	63.34	522.89	1
2006	Gabon	1,476	4000	38349.40	471609608.7	19.95	522.89	1
2006	Mozambique	12,718	324	38349.40	1805230738	61.99	25.40	1
2006	Burundi	1,774	131	38349.40	494692505.3	89.02	1028.68	1
2006	Mauritius	4,067	4420	38349.40	319484676.9	51.23	31.71	1
2006	Congo (Brazzaville)	239	95	38349.40	4016823737	9.90	468.28	1
2006	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,253	1150	38349.40	306182880.6	30.87	522.89	1
2006	Swaziland	15,774	1716	38349.40	170064481.8	71.16	6.77	1
2006	Comoros	1,466	355	38349.40	182143980	79.57	392.17	1
2006	Djibouti	788	812	38349.40	24044429.19	73.38	177.72	1
2006	Burkina Faso	62	261	38349.40	1893343497	39.88	522.89	1
2006	Zambia	350	372	38349.40	2164886821	30.62	3603.07	1
2006	Mali	115	255	38349.40	1998170839	33.06	522.89	1
2006	Senegal	14,393	539	38349.40	1229071163	45.84	522.89	1
2006	Sierra Leone	141	243	38349.40	692179647	50.61	2961.91	1
2006	Chad	0	300	38349.40	647554935.1	39.10	522.89	1
2006	Benin	17	361	38349.40	0.04	31.82	522.89	1
2006	Namibia	77	2513	38349.40	771491875.9	47.15	6.77	1
2006	Lesotho	0	430	38349.40	104702776.7	76.65	6.77	1
2006	Gambia	2	594	38349.40	142910036.3	63.50	28.07	1
2006	Botswana	156	4025	38349.40	199129986.1	45.60	5.84	1
2006	Angola	0	473	38349.40	3355868860	46.19	80.37	1
2006	Mauritania	0	616	38349.40	651217423.7	38.48	268.60	1
2006	Seychelles	0	7722	38349.40	23243654.55	8.70	5.52	1
2007	Ghana	55,546	318	38710.89	6757354890	67.24	0.94	1
2007	SA	175,254	3704	38710.89	8568754067	81.83	7.05	1
2007	Liberia	114,476	217	38710.89	484785891.7	26.99	61.27	1
2007	Ethiopia	72,871	176	38710.89	8241265320	34.22	8.97	1
2007	Nigeria	23,075	476	38710.89	53715677157	85.64	125.81	1
2007	Kenya	48,802	461	38710.89	6004132219	47.53	67.32	1
2007	Cameroon	23,995	648	38710.89	3923240342	19.38	479.27	1
2007	Malawi	39,278	158	38710.89	1057218981	52.72	139.96	1
2007	Tanzania	24,521	411	38710.89	4570509364	39.29	1245.04	1
2007	Uganda	12,819	339	38710.89	2654664362	66.87	1723.49	1
2007	Rwanda	7,485	305	38710.89	1332479326	76.00	546.96	1
2007	Togo	4,060	258	38710.89	903993371.6	63.34	479.27	1
2007	Gabon	1,780	4143	38710.89	560741030.3	19.95	479.27	1
2007	Mozambique	2,344	339	38710.89	2043009296	62.37	25.84	1
2007	Burundi	1,067	133	38710.89	459036798.9	86.45	1081.87	1
2007	Mauritius	2,668	4651	38710.89	308271541.1	50.74	31.31	1
2007	Congo (Brazzaville)	1,620	98	38710.89	4386475315	9.90	516.75	1
2007	Congo	2,543	1101	38710.89	363263231.1	30.88	479.27	1

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2007	Swaziland	7,428	1773	38710.89	181296497.8	71.16	7.05	1
2007	Comoros	298	347	38710.89	210825126.2	80.65	359.45	1
2007	Djibouti	967	837	38710.89	28809200.94	73.38	177.72	1
2007	Burkina Faso	121	263	38710.89	0.5	40.42	479.27	1
2007	Zambia	1,121	385	38710.89	2283443355	31.00	4002.52	1
2007	Mali	297	258	38710.89	2289906105	33.12	479.27	1
2007	Senegal	367	551	38710.89	1356970776	44.87	479.27	1
2007	Sierra Leone	644	251	38710.89	792012482.1	53.30	2985.19	1
2007	Chad	0	292	38710.89	698077726.7	39.18	479.27	1
2007	Benin	0	366	38710.89	0.66	30.15	479.27	1
2007	Namibia	175	2599	38710.89	762411347.5	47.15	7.05	1
2007	Lesotho	0	446	38710.89	112130457.4	75.99	7.05	1
2007	Gambia	35	598	38710.89	163463244.6	64.00	24.87	1
2007	Botswana	60	4161	38710.89	243010448.7	45.60	6.14	1
2007	Angola	0	563	38710.89	4857375989	46.19	76.71	1
2007	Mauritania	34	610	38710.89	792817366.2	38.48	258.59	1
2007	Seychelles	0	8420	38710.89	21837373.55	8.70	6.70	1
2008	Ghana	24,269	336	38208.76	8389592179	68.12	1.06	1
2008	SA	175,440	3796	38208.76	7942165143	81.83	8.26	1
2008	Liberia	141,014	228	38208.76	571750964.3	26.99	63.21	1
2008	Ethiopia	120,845	191	38208.76	10584432481	35.08	9.60	1
2008	Nigeria	75,008	492	38208.76	0.77	85.64	118.55	1
2008	Kenya	63,189	456	38208.76	6941825513	47.62	69.18	1
2008	Cameroon	24,505	650	38208.76	0.88	19.38	447.81	1
2008	Malawi	52,091	166	38208.76	1194663452	52.74	140.52	1
2008	Tanzania	28,745	429	38208.76	5576367160	39.34	1196.31	1
2008	Uganda	15,074	357	38208.76	3088025343	67.62	1720.44	1
2008	Rwanda	10,188	329	38208.76	1525890275	77.62	546.85	1
2008	Togo	8,787	258	38208.76	1287766747	62.88	447.81	1
2008	Gabon	2,833	4161	38208.76	589920109.3	19.95	447.81	1
2008	Mozambique	2,209	354	38208.76	2767280000	62.37	24.30	1
2008	Burundi	2,795	136	38208.76	525504799	85.28	1185.69	1
2008	Mauritius	473	4876	38208.76	349417132.4	49.75	28.45	1
2008	Congo (Brazzaville)	2,298	101	38208.76	4924861186	9.90	559.29	1
2008	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,595	1131	38208.76	436050201.5	30.89	447.81	1
2008	Swaziland	2,042	1795	38208.76	176680854.8	71.16	8.26	1
2008	Comoros	930	341	38208.76	242864494.3	80.65	335.85	1
2008	Djibouti	1,117	869	38208.76	0.99	73.38	177.72	1
2008	Burkina Faso	131	270	38208.76	0.66	41.15	447.81	1
2008	Zambia	1,116	396	38208.76	2900366034	30.92	3745.66	1
2008	Mali	376	263	38208.76	0.77	33.23	447.81	1
2008	Senegal	303	556	38208.76	1912222648	44.87	447.81	1
2008	Sierra Leone	174	259	38208.76	935589149.4	46.65	2981.51	1
2008	Chad	4	283	38208.76	792857142.9	39.02	447.81	1
2008	Benin	0	374	38208.76	0.23	30.19	447.81	1
2008	Namibia	92	2636	38208.76	773509452.3	47.14	8.26	1
2008	Lesotho	0	466	38208.76	120079068.2	76.71	8.26	1
2008	Gambia	0	615	38208.76	243366519.9	63.50	22.19	1
2008	Botswana	180	4223	38208.76	257468420.1	45.62	6.83	1
2008	Angola	0	623	38208.76	5288578926	46.27	75.03	1
2008	Mauritania	0	616	38208.76	617079820.6	38.48	238.20	1
2008	Seychelles	0	8152	38208.76	19402470.74	6.52	9.46	1
2009	Ghana	95,999	342	36539.23	8051414158	68.12	1.41	1
2009	SA	174,841	3698	36539.23	7794611731	81.83	8.47	1
2009	Liberia	74,879	247	36539.23	670397388.2	27.10	68.29	1
2009	Ethiopia	84,735	203	36539.23	13638374868	34.51	11.78	1
2009	Nigeria	63,323	514	36539.23	0.44	85.09	148.90	1
2009	Kenya	59,168	457	36539.23	7306739453	47.79	77.35	1
2009	Cameroon	23,353	648	36539.23	0.66	19.49	472.19	1
2009	Malawi	53,994	175	36539.23	1469678438	58.04	141.17	1
2009	Tanzania	33,924	442	36539.23	5563024573	39.46	1320.31	1
2009	Uganda	24,326	371	36539.23	3658318895	68.88	2030.49	1
2009	Rwanda	14,455	339	36539.23	1781401912	81.07	568.28	1

2009	Togo	5,742	261	36539.23	1041001502	62.60	472.19	1
2009	Gabon	1,868	4028	36539.23	586747077.8	19.95	472.19	1
2009	Mozambique	5,059	368	36539.23	2757779039	62.37	27.52	1
2009	Burundi	4,036	137	36539.23	586985475.5	85.28	1230.18	1
2009	Mauritius	435	4998	36539.23	306650264.8	48.28	31.96	1
2009	Congo (Brazzaville)	2,566	101	36539.23	5123322744	9.90	809.79	1
2009	Congo (Kinshasa)	1,676	1183	36539.23	432274976.1	30.89	472.19	1
2009	Swaziland	6,996	1796	36539.23	187380346.5	71.16	8.47	1
2009	Comoros	1,072	338	36539.23	247909606	80.65	354.14	1
2009	Djibouti	272	895	36539.23	0.99	73.38	177.72	1
2009	Burkina Faso	280	270	36539.23	0.33	45.18	472.19	1
2009	Zambia	813	410	36539.23	2667675380	31.06	5046.11	1
2009	Mali	251	266	36539.23	0.88	33.19	472.19	1
2009	Senegal	537	553	36539.23	1996129634	48.32	472.19	1
2009	Sierra Leone	579	261	36539.23	926666020.4	47.67	3385.65	1
2009	Chad	0	273	36539.23	0.55	39.10	472.19	1
2009	Benin	202	377	36539.23	0.66	30.69	472.19	1
2009	Namibia	86	2575	36539.23	791715836.7	47.14	8.47	1
2009	Lesotho	0	474	36539.23	120962876.4	77.80	8.47	1
2009	Gambia	0	637	36539.23	236136740.4	65.50	26.64	1
2009	Botswana	184	3965	36539.23	325067119.4	45.62	7.16	1
2009	Angola	0	620	36539.23	6647787631	46.27	79.33	1
2009	Mauritania	0	593	36539.23	558906990.6	38.48	262.37	1
2009	Seychelles	6	8162	36539.23	15367611.62	6.52	13.61	1
2010	Ghana	196,547	360	37329.62	9021505564	69.44	1.43	1
2010	SA	224,729	3753	37329.62	8132931950	79.87	7.32	1
2010	Liberia	126,781	264	37329.62	740739321.7	27.30	71.40	1
2010	Ethiopia	101,297	219	37329.62	11497054809	34.99	14.41	1
2010	Nigeria	66,215	541	37329.62	0.788	83.66	150.30	1
2010	Kenya	77,630	471	37329.62	7076002758	48.23	79.23	1
2010	Cameroon	57,856	653	37329.62	0.77	20.30	495.28	1
2010	Malawi	61,143	181	37329.62	1483088018	59.18	150.49	1
2010	Tanzania	24,184	459	37329.62	5848274419	39.45	1409.27	1
2010	Uganda	35,910	380	37329.62	3870911286	70.37	2177.56	1
2010	Rwanda	19,377	353	37329.62	1813490672	77.82	583.13	1
2010	Togo	8,114	266	37329.62	984642571.3	68.02	495.28	1
2010	Gabon	5,859	4214	37329.62	538312024.5	20.02	495.28	1
2010	Mozambique	34,277	384	37329.62	2647168387	62.81	33.96	1
2010	Burundi	3,310	138	37329.62	657220126.1	88.39	1230.75	1
2010	Mauritius	6,834	5181	37329.62	314339652.7	44.83	30.78	1
2010	Congo (Brazzaville)	2,901	106	37329.62	5824472945	11.36	905.91	1
2010	Congo (Kinshasa)	3,210	1254	37329.62	459949909.9	30.92	495.28	1
2010	Swaziland	18,792	1811	37329.62	219516025.7	71.05	7.32	1
2010	Comoros	1,660	336	37329.62	0.21	83.29	371.46	1
2010	Djibouti	825	..	37329.62	0.23	73.42	177.72	1
2010	Burkina Faso	227	283	37329.62	0.233	44.09	495.28	1
2010	Zambia	269	435	37329.62	3260748131	31.93	4797.14	1
2010	Mali	322	273	37329.62	0.211	33.62	495.28	1
2010	Senegal	390	560	37329.62	2017612569	49.37	495.28	1
2010	Sierra Leone	238	268	37329.62	896496179.9	47.96	3978.09	1
2010	Chad	0	300	37329.62	0.211	39.33	495.28	1
2010	Benin	0	377	37329.62	0.55	30.06	495.28	1
2010	Namibia	76	2696	37329.62	853068395.2	47.14	7.32	1
2010	Lesotho	117	496	37329.62	166912027.3	76.61	7.32	1
2010	Gambia	22	660	37329.62	275573960.6	60.77	28.01	1
2010	Botswana	0	4190	37329.62	351094055	45.63	6.79	1
2010	Angola	0	623	37329.62	7958065084	46.83	91.91	1
2010	Mauritania	0	609	37329.62	572438587	38.53	275.89	1
2010	Seychelles	0	8788	37329.62	0.66	6.52	12.07	1
2011	Ghana	300,026	403	37691.03	9362701326	69.88	1.51	1
2011	SA	210,402	3825	37691.03	8811849011	79.44	7.26	1
2011	Liberia	157,056	279	37691.03	820603670.4	27.30	72.23	1

2011	Ethiopia	120,215	230	37691.03	13023532329	35.68	16.90	1
2011	Nigeria	107,265	566	37691.03	0.33	83.66	154.74	1
2011	Kenya	94,839	478	37691.03	8346408890	48.23	88.81	1
2011	Cameroon	83,488	666	37691.03	0.44	20.30	471.87	1
2011	Malawi	51,176	183	37691.03	1539529294	59.18	156.52	1
2011	Tanzania	38,872	474	37691.03	5997770355	39.45	1572.12	1
2011	Uganda	37,396	393	37691.03	3612363810	70.37	2522.75	1
2011	Rwanda	29,553	371	37691.03	2036564747	77.82	600.31	1
2011	Togo	28,732	273	37691.03	1155386059	68.39	471.87	1
2011	Gabon	10,819	4334	37691.03	649859365.9	20.02	471.87	1
2011	Mozambique	9,560	402	37691.03	3546476361	62.81	29.07	1
2011	Burundi	7,442	141	37691.03	757276285.2	86.44	1261.07	1
2011	Mauritius	7,851	5371	37691.03	363827922.6	43.84	28.71	1
2011	Congo (Brazzaville)	4,494	110	37691.03	6829703127	11.36	919.49	1
2011	Congo (Kinshasa)	3,422	1266	37691.03	488035237.6	30.92	471.87	1
2011	Swaziland	3,168	1814	37691.03	233523064.5	71.05	7.26	1
2011	Comoros	1,775	335	37691.03	0.567	83.29	353.90	1
2011	Djibouti	880	...	37691.03	0.435	73.42	177.72	1
2011	Burkina Faso	864	286	37691.03	0.9867	43.00	471.87	1
2011	Zambia	527	444	37691.03	3718101773	31.52	4860.67	1
2011	Mali	328	272	37691.03	0.25423	34.11	471.87	1
2011	Senegal	260	560	37691.03	1937231257	49.37	471.87	1
2011	Sierra Leone	220	278	37691.03	958698653.8	47.96	4349.16	1
2011	Chad	125	301	37691.03	0.2436	39.65	471.87	1
2011	Benin	118	378	37691.03	0.657	30.42	471.87	1
2011	Namibia	49	2749	37691.03	933362560.3	47.14	7.26	1
2011	Lesotho	31	519	37691.03	167811296.9	76.15	7.26	1
2011	Gambia	22	615	37691.03	169646324.2	60.77	29.46	1
2011	Botswana	2	4378	37691.03	415765128.5	45.63	6.84	1
2011	Angola	0	630	37691.03	9692096799	46.83	93.93	1
2011	Mauritania	0	623	37691.03	613182612.3	38.53	281.12	1
2011	Seychelles	0	9279	37691.03	0.436745	6.52	12.38	1