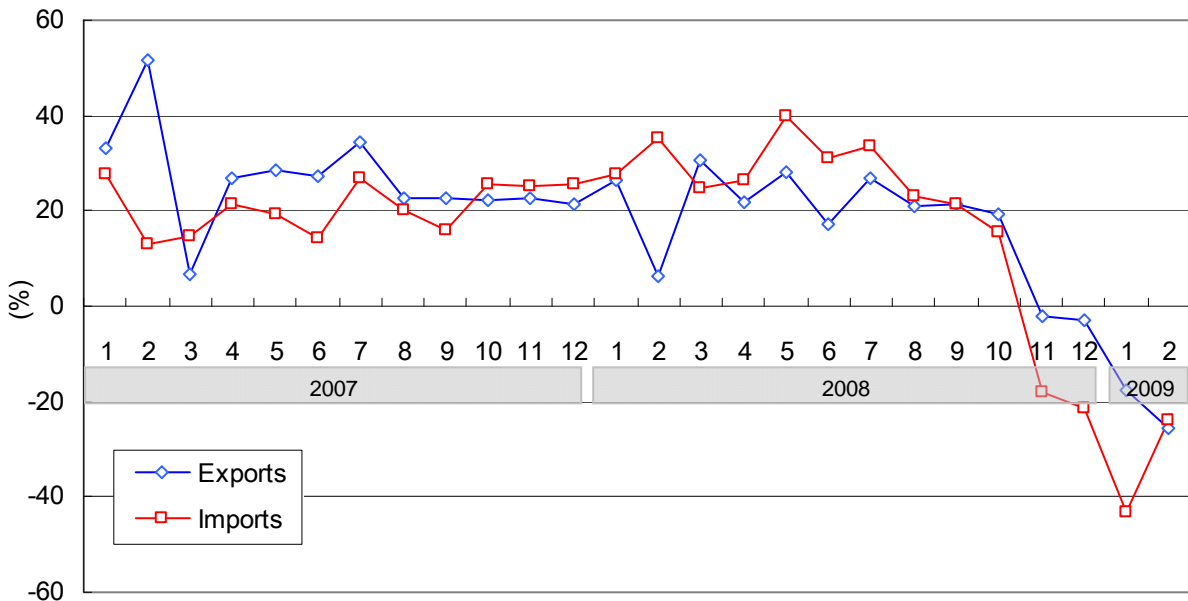


**Figure 7: The Growth rates of Import and Export on Yearly Basis (%)**



Sources: The data for January and February 2009 are from National Bureau of Statistics (NBS), the rest are from the *Fast Report of China Economic Statistics* (NBS 2008b).