

Executive Summary

Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS) compiles and publishes Foreign Trade Statistics (FTS) on a regular basis. This publication presents monthly trend of Bangladesh foreign trade statistics on top trading partners, essential import commodities and last twelve months scenario of major export and import goods especially for April, 2025.

Merchandise trade data of this publication are provided by National Board of Revenue (NBR) while data on services from Bangladesh Bank. Data presented in this publication are provisional and subject to revision. All these provisional data will be subsequently reviewed and revised. Revised data are being presented in next issues.

In for April, 2025 total export and import of goods and services is recorded at decreased by Tk. 435.89 and decreased by Tk. 1032.42 billion respectively resulting in a trade deficit at goods and services of Tk. 596.53 billion. The growth of export and import in for April, 2025 decreased by 27.51 and decreased by 3.79 percent respectively comparing to March, 2025 and it decreased by 13.38 and increased by 8.25 percent respectively comparing to for April, 2024.

For the three months ending for April, 2025 the average of export of goods and services was Tk. 527.24 billion, while the moving average of import of goods and services was Tk. 1051.84 billion resulting in an average trade deficit of Tk. 524.60 billion. For the three months ending March, 2025, the average trade deficit was Tk. 484.35 billion reflecting average exports of Tk. 586.27 billion and average imports of Tk. 1070.61 billion.

Indicators of this publication are expected to provide a good idea about the trend of export and import of the country over the previous months of a year. This monthly release would be a useful document for planners, policy makers, researchers, development partners/agencies, academicians and other stakeholders.

Table 1: Export, import and trade deficits

(In billion taka)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Services	Total	Goods	Services	Total	Goods	Services
2022-23	6460.46	5631.73	828.73	10441.46	9195.35	1246.11	-3981.01	-3572.63	-357.19
2023-24	7079.12	5734.47	753.63	10581.20	9280.46	1300.74	-3501.72	-2955.31	-547.25
2024-25									
May-24	533.00	471.77	61.23	930.66	818.08	112.58	-397.66	-346.31	-51.35
Jun-24	514.19	445.04	69.15	987.03	879.18	107.85	-472.84	-434.14	-38.70
Jul-24	511.49	453.67	57.82	854.26	755.97	98.29	-342.77	-302.30	-40.47
Aug-24	539.64	483.24	56.40	837.76	784.96	88.80	-334.12	-301.72	-32.40
Sep-24	524.97	459.33	65.64	953.29	840.73	112.56	-428.32	-381.40	-46.92
Oct-24	571.91	498.47	73.44	994.73	900.77	93.96	-422.82	-402.30	-20.52
Nov-24	564.09	502.41	61.68	801.74	789.22	122.52	-237.65	-286.81	-60.84
Dec-24	653.36	567.44	85.92	1065.42	943.62	121.80	-412.06	-376.18	-35.88
Jan-25	612.98	543.44	69.54	1088.75	961.63	127.12	-475.77	-418.19	-57.58
Feb-25	544.53	488.90	55.63	1049.96	926.98	122.98	-505.43	-438.08	-67.35
Mar-25	601.29	528.21	73.08	1073.13	955.77	117.36	-471.84	-427.56	-44.28
Apr-25	435.89	371.96	63.93	1032.42	917.37	115.05	-596.53	-545.41	-51.12

Graph 01. Export and Import By Month

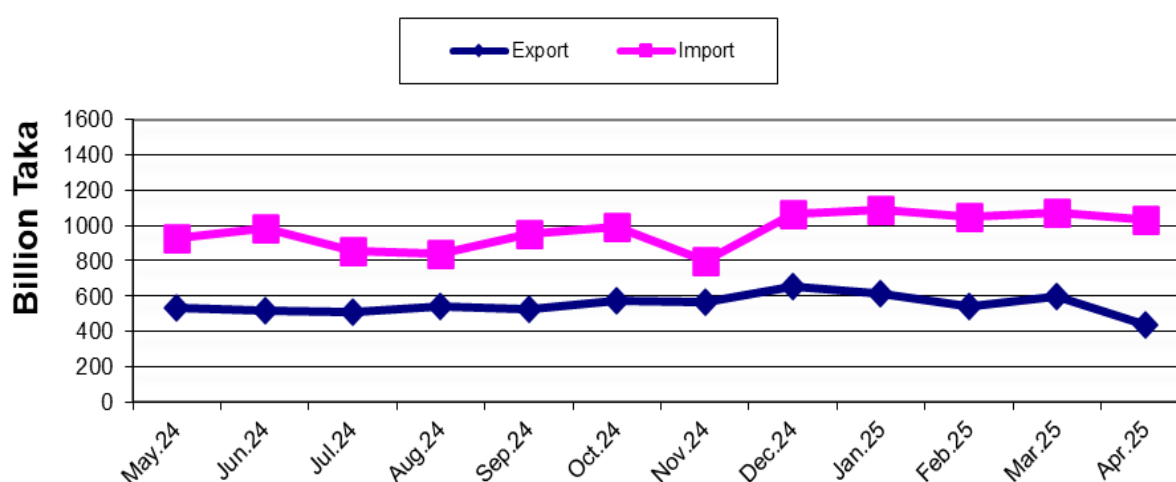


Table 2: Export, import and trade deficits

(In million US \$)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service
2022-23	57316	56488	828	93776	92531	1245	-36460	-36033	-417
2023-24	57711	56958	753	81947	83345	1302	-26868	-26385	-549
2024-25									
May-24	4069	4008	61	7064	6951	113	-2995	-2942	-52
Jun-24	3841	3772	69	7559	7451	108	-3718	-3679	-39
Jul-24	3903	3845	58	6505	6407	98	-2602	-2562	-40
Aug-24	4083	4027	56	6630	6541	89	-2547	-2514	-33
Sep-24	3894	3828	66	7119	7006	113	-3225	-3178	-47
Oct-24	4227	4154	73	7600	7506	94	-3373	-3352	-21
Nov-24	4249	4187	62	6700	6577	123	-2451	-2390	-61
Dec-24	4815	4729	86	7985	7863	122	-3170	-3134	-36
Jan-25	4523	4453	70	8009	7882	127	-3486	-3429	-57
Feb-25	4063	4007	56	7721	7598	123	-3658	-3591	-67
Mar-25	4403	4330	73	7951	7834	117	-3548	-3504	-44
Apr-25	3113	3049	64	7634	7519	115	-4521	-4585	-51

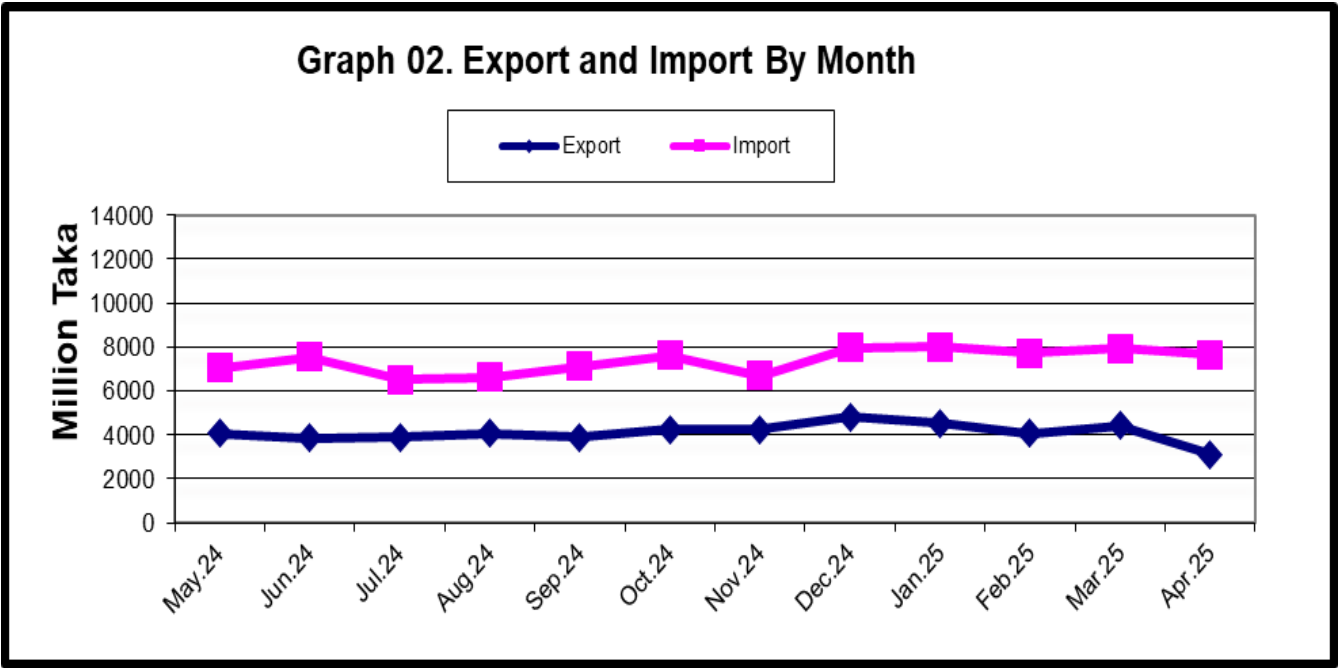


Table 3. Percent change from the previous month (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	2024-25		
	Mar'25	Apr'25	Percent change from the previous month
1. Export (Commodities)	528212	371962	-29.58
1. Readymade Garments	420697	293542	-30.22
2. Shrimps and prawn	1954	2382	21.90
3. Vegetable textiles fiber/ yarn	7971	6126	-23.15
4. Made-up textiles articles	13682	8688	-36.50
5. Raw hides, skins & leathers	1769	1007	-43.08
6. Raw jute	1084	1463	34.96
7. Footwear Special woven fabrics	11858	9878	-16.70
8. Fertilizer	-	-	-
9. Hats and other head gear	3660	2846	-22.24
10. Special woven fabrics	1251	1066	-14.79
11. Others	64286	44964	-30.06
2. Import (Commodities)	955771	917367	-4.02
1. Machinery & parts	49306	53172	7.84
2. Petroleum product and oil	173013	138647	-19.86
3. Electric Machinery	30660	41844	36.48
4. Soya bean and Palm oil	79742	46127	-42.15
5. Raw cotton	38988	39333	0.88
6. Textile fabrics	439	948	115.95
7. Iron and steel	45928	43667	-4.92
8. Plastics and articles	38340	41739	8.87
9. Wheat	15365	15890	3.42
10. Fertilizer	29408	18617	-36.69
11. Others	454582	477383	5.02
3. Trade balance (1-2)	-427559	-545405	27.56

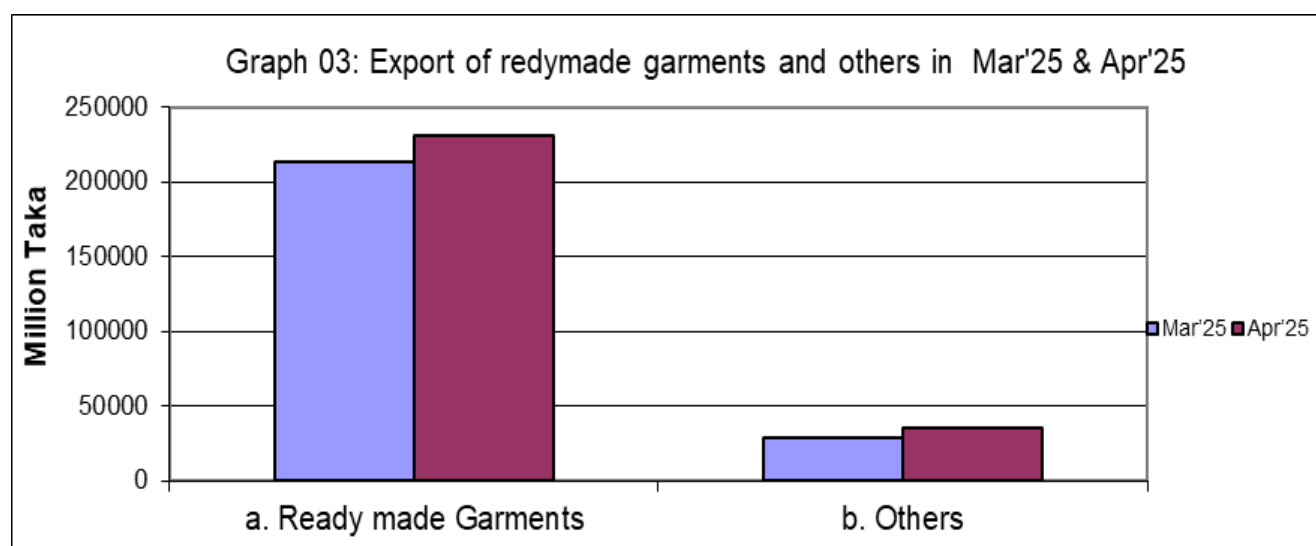


Table 4. Import of Essential Commodities Quantity

(In M. Ton)

Items	2024-25			
	Mar'25	Apr'25	Percent change from the previous month	Cumulative (Apr'25)
Import (Commodities)				
1. Raw sugar	365148	279268	-23.52	2779189
2. Palm oil	215210	208756	-3.00	2080026
3. Soya bean oil	368197	129227	-64.90	1447677
4. Milk & Cream	12742	16341	28.25	125339
5. Ginger	-	-	-	-
6. Chilies	-	-	-	-
7. Wheat	337403	387325	14.80	3908098
8. Rice	428531	247294	-42.29	1280457
9. Lentil & other	33583	24874	-25.93	519902
10. Onion	8567	1913	-77.67	760672
11. Garlic	8725	6692	-23.30	141894
12. Tea	209	1	-99.52	616
13. Oil seed	223390	266928	19.49	2036573
14. Gram/Anchor	31684	4757	-84.99	415636
15. Turmeric	2804	2351	-16.16	30765

Table 5: Twelve months export of readymade garments during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(In million taka)

Month	Readymade Garments (Knitted)			Readymade Garments (Not Knitted)		
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
July	175290	246579	203882	142679	183535	170989
August	195288	253474	224449	158932	189271	170341
September	165780	239942	207364	135386	158228	153630
October	204138	244886	222949	156311	169519	172634
November	232621	260126	211124	194969	195358	190552
December	256545	277793	227027	211968	230979	225219
January	230426	297008	225614	211799	250298	220608
February	211788	267147	201635	186075	229620	193829
March	212408	266820	220331	185183	212246	200366
April	189408	206666	160624	154996	158772	132918
May	240450	211664		182420	176131	
June	258221	195869		200306	167714	

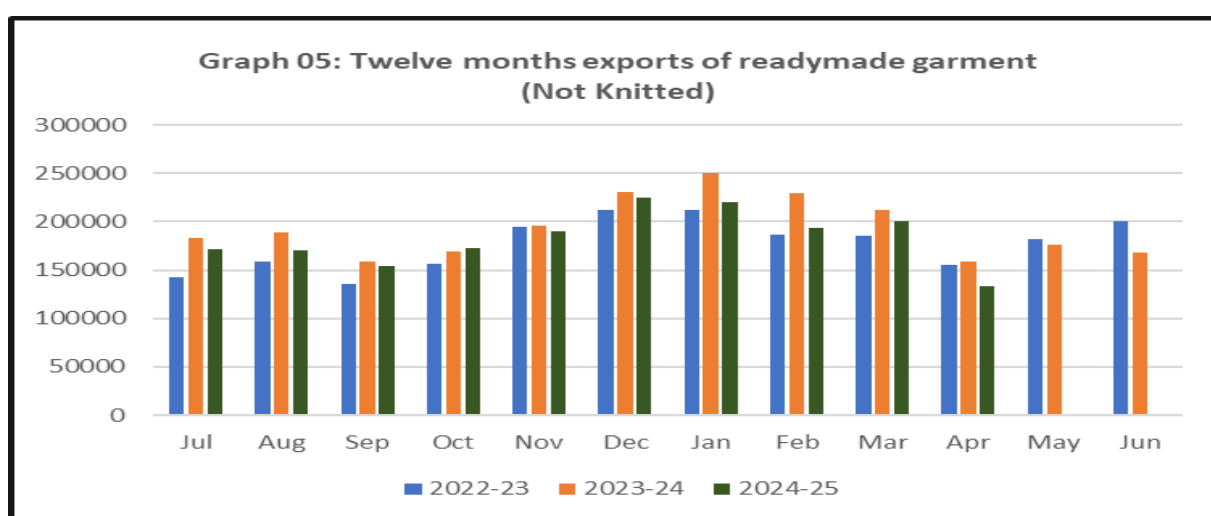
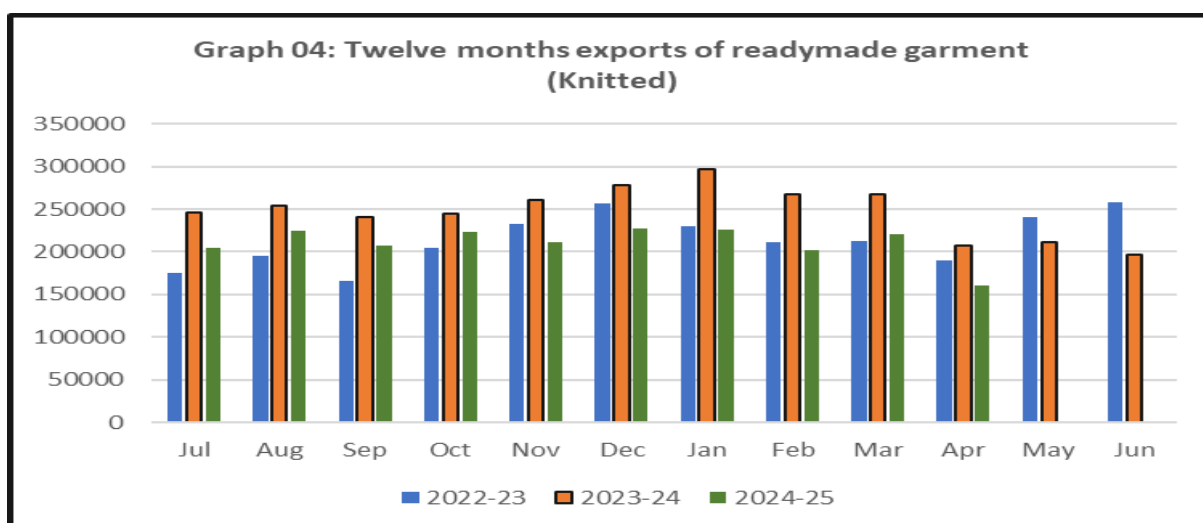


Table 6: Twelve months export of raw hides, skins & leather, 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(In million taka)

Month	Raw hides, skins & leather		
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
July	1218	898	895
August	994	1397	1033
September	1096	1502	1351
October	1010	1182	1372
November	1040	1567	1329
December	914	1340	1507
January	1311	1263	1391
February	856	1175	1350
March	786	1444	1769
April	1024	1232	1007
May	1200	1402	
June	947	1532	

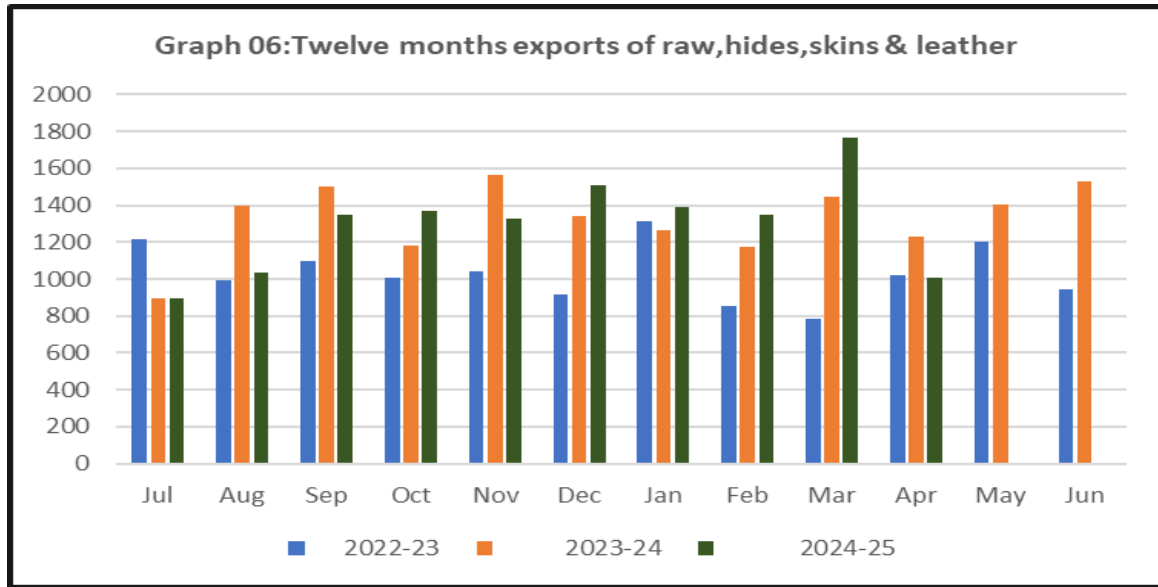


Table 7: Twelve months export of shrimps and prawn, 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(In million taka)

Month	Shrimps and prawn		
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
July	2948	2358	2592
August	3737	1756	3039
September	3079	2632	3470
October	3165	3088	4612
November	2557	3151	3998
December	2697	2920	3792
January	3128	2315	3044
February	2096	1754	2473
March	2047	1831	1954
April	1756	1673	2382
May	1830	1714	
June	1894	2470	

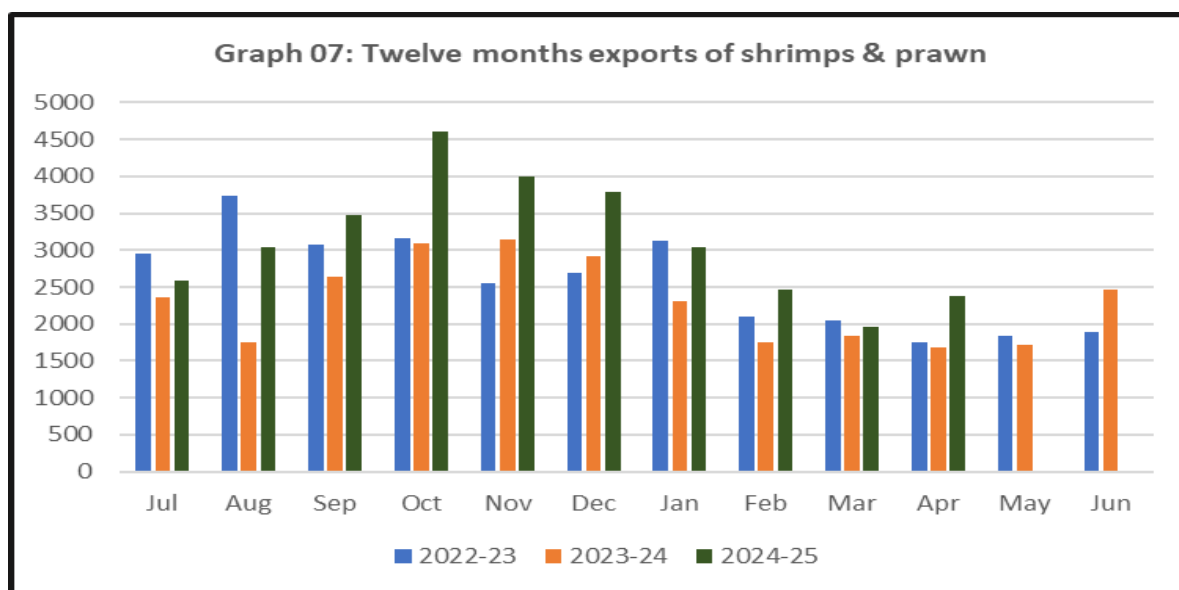


Table 8: Twelve months import of machinery & parts and electrical machinery during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(In million taka)

Month	Machinery & Parts			Electrical Machinery		
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
July	62085	48075	65702	28567	34755	40644
August	67253	46573	52367	37476	28543	38909
September	70033	51544	50560	35178	30545	41889
October	64260	58223	50235	35888	36631	35504
November	60976	55201	47479	36384	35831	28966
December	67751	61409	56922	36034	34311	40594
January	70392	57526	68453	38622	46187	45086
February	46971	46749	48684	27069	37253	31414
March	59744	44610	49306	40863	33476	30660
April	46573	47326	53172	28543	42202	41844
May	73399	46698		45632	47739	
June	62715	44473		46313	44013	

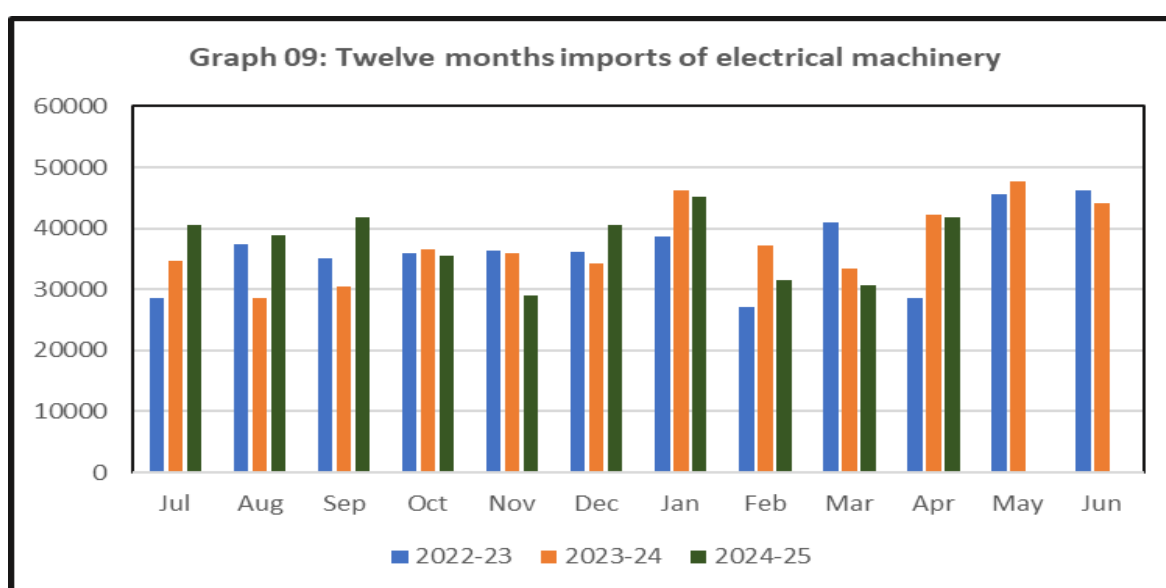
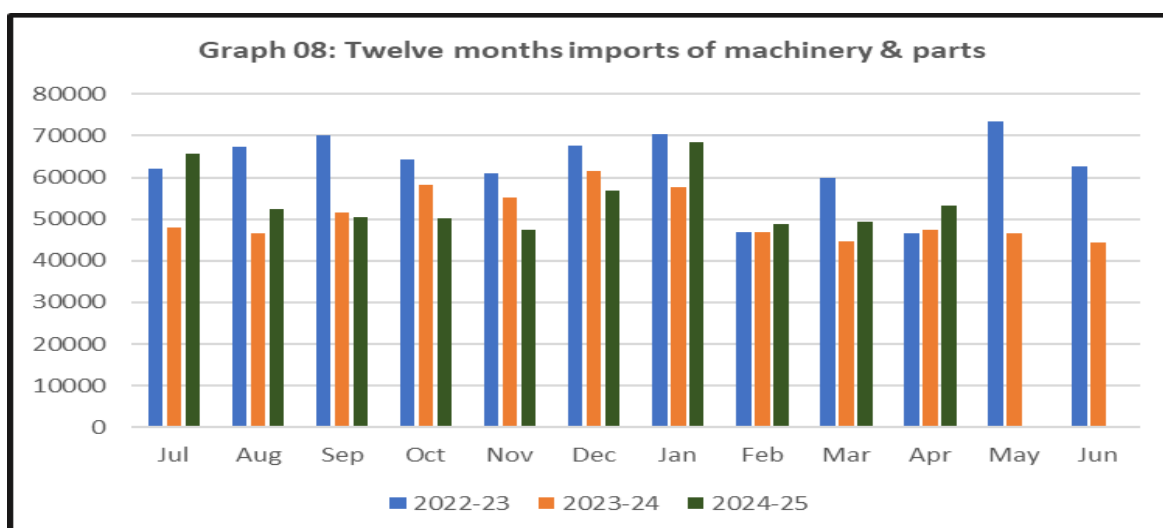


Table 9: Twelve months imports of Soya bean and Palm oil during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(In million taka)

Month	Soya bean			Palm Oil		
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
July	13155	9598	15372	29916	24408	18122
August	21130	20391	10817	31181	38564	27878
September	20195	6162	9236	44736	23528	19155
October	23984	8991	12685	29906	26104	26310
November	24813	7883	10444	41100	36697	26432
December	17412	5212	16112	26283	31195	32434
January	11957	13393	30309	16384	9249	30327
February	10399	11815	16675	16556	16602	39302
March	15955	10752	50176	31670	22333	29566
April	20391	10668	17594	38564	32598	28532
May	12393	13844		12929	23718	
June	13166	15623		13411	26610	

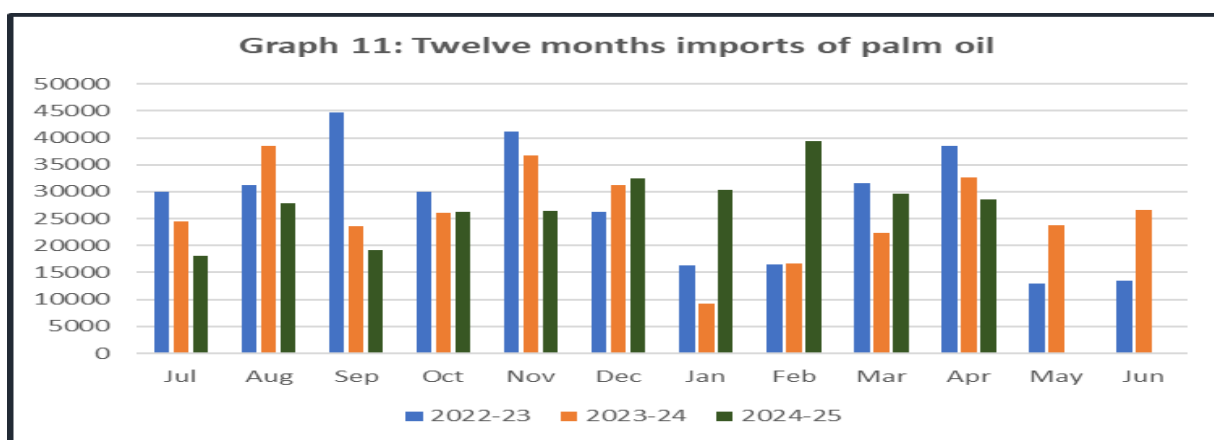
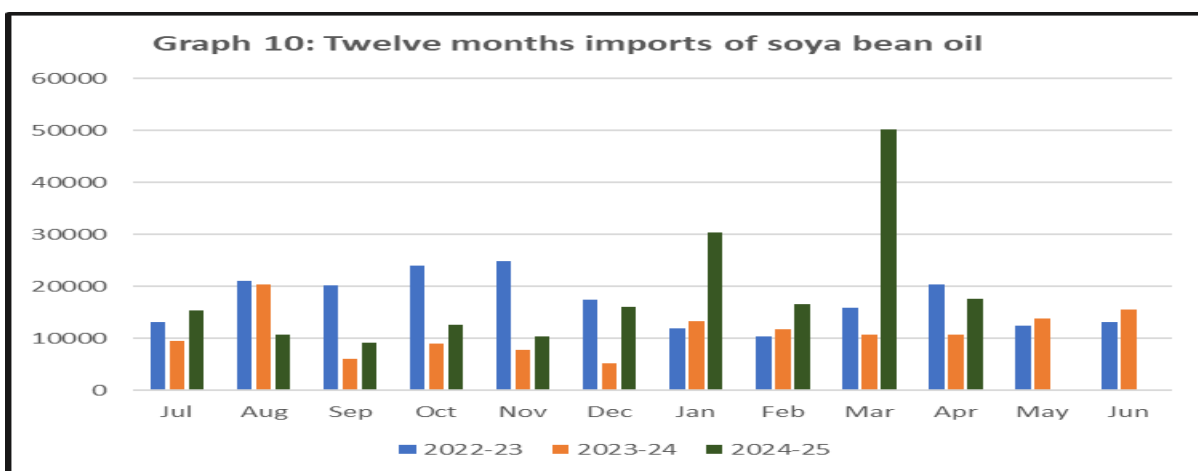


Table 10: Twelve months import of rice and wheat during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

Month	Rice			Wheat		
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
July	889	106	66	5854	13299	17094
August	2676	464	76	10317	18157	23825
September	4998	78	114	15761	26508	27738
October	8265	290	239	10201	15801	7916
November	14133	553	2130	34724	21200	17229
December	9471	87	7563	19539	20660	26013
January	10473	384	12691	17473	31732	18981
February	5136	95	12885	14906	30646	15231
March	2894	371	25738	26287	30250	15365
April	464	189	14280	18157	48906	15890
May	380	1334		31266	39013	
June	218	144		16614	33133	

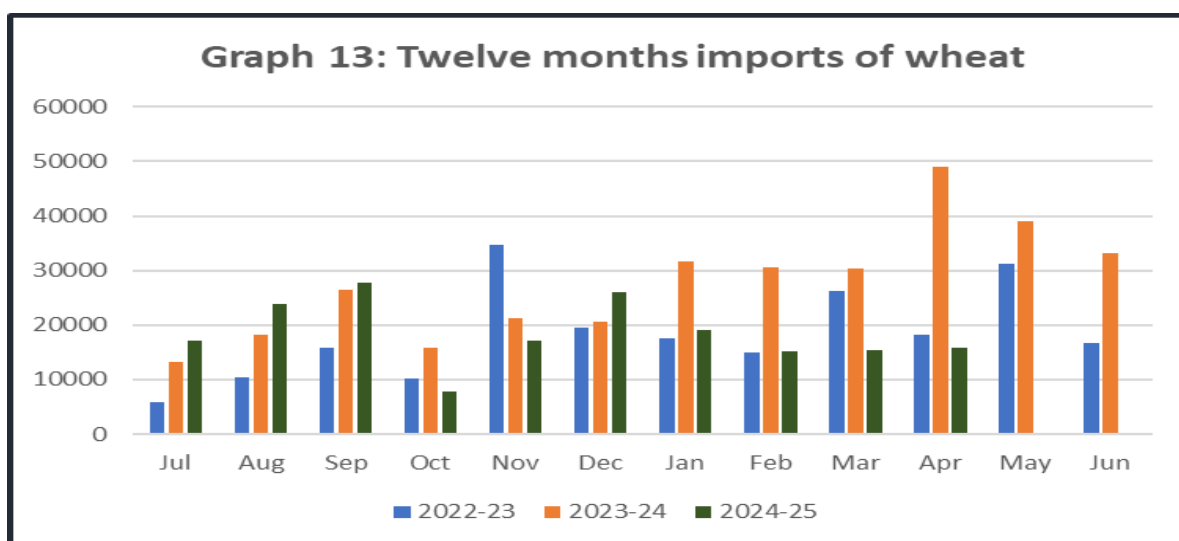
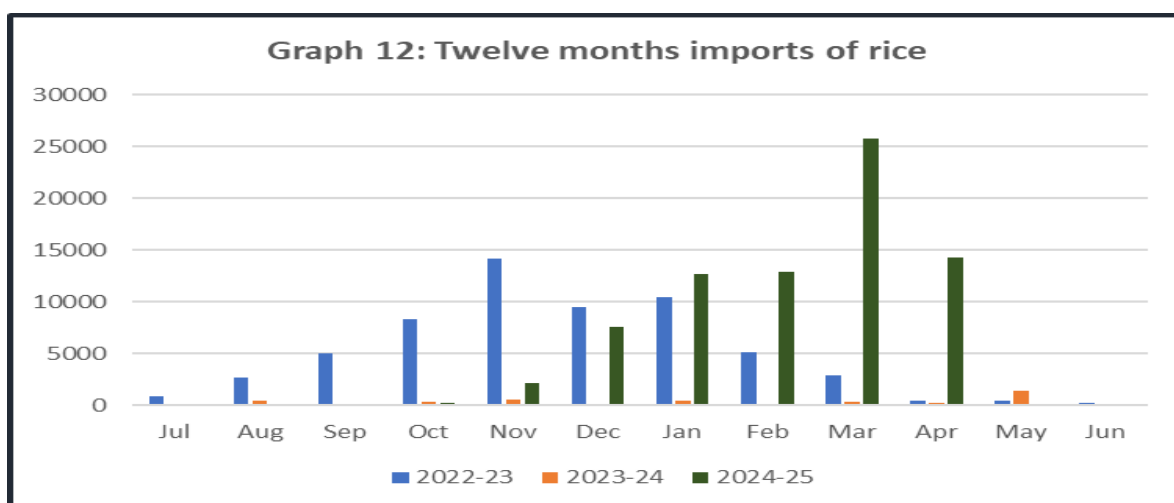


Table 11: Twelve months import of iron & steel and plastics & articles during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(In million taka)

Month	Iron & Steel			Plastics & articles		
	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
July	39219	43919	41598	29175	30910	34802
August	42921	33796	41407	32745	28784	33020
September	42896	37303	47881	27763	27053	37105
October	37553	48812	52342	28504	29044	39573
November	39050	47609	39710	27341	30904	32302
December	24849	34624	39267	25398	26080	35539
January	27143	32540	38970	26960	31906	37603
February	18402	29780	27300	23554	24311	32328
March	27760	34989	45928	29701	30292	38340
April	33796	41760	43667	28784	32483	41739
May	42434	38693		34536	29848	
June	39577	44975		26140	31562	

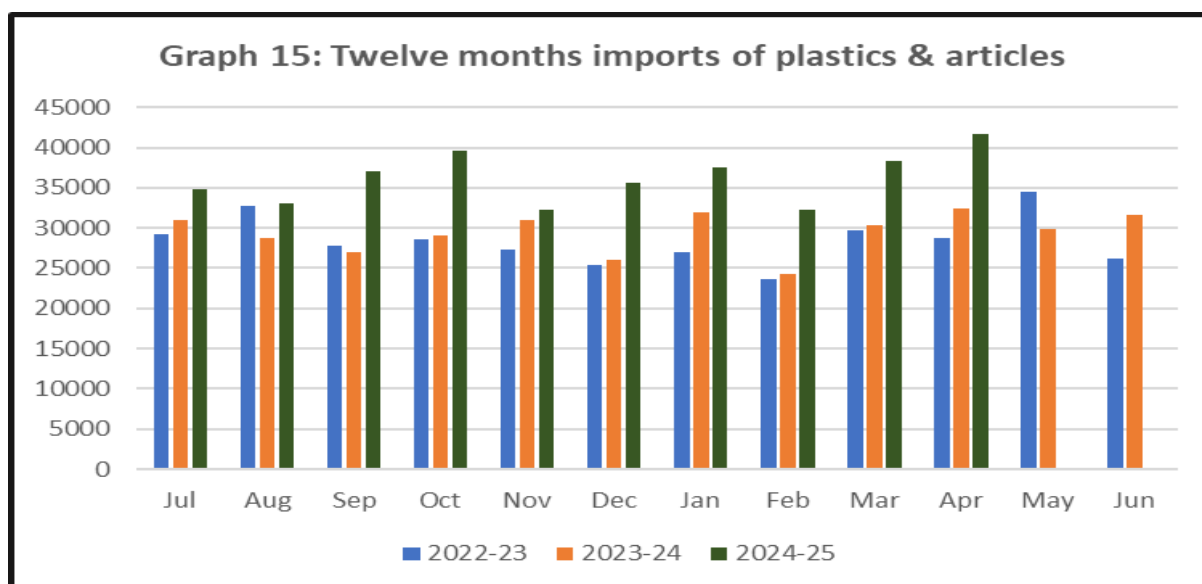
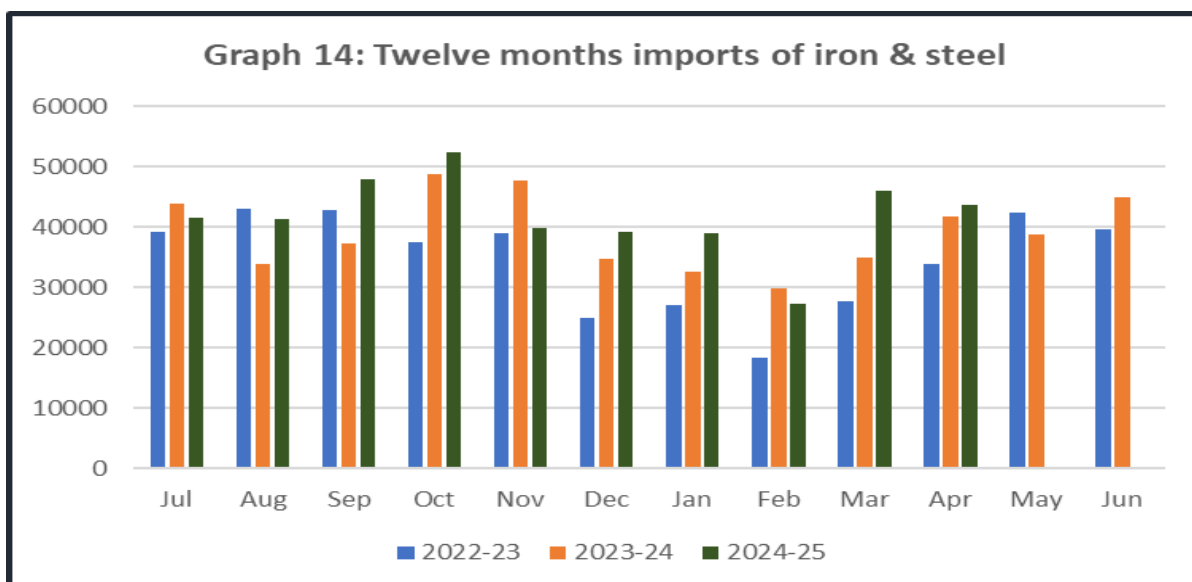


Table 12. Point to point percent change in external trade (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	February - April			April		
	2023-24	2024-25	Change in percent	2023-24	2024-25	Change in percent
1. Export (Commodities)	1602707	1389070	-13.33	443250	371962	-16.08
2. Import (Commodities)	2284048	2800122	22.59	829155	917367	10.64
3.Trade balance (1-2)	-681341	-1411052	-35.92	-385905	-545405	-26.72

Table13. Top 10 trading partners – total trade (goods), March -2025

(In million taka)

Country	Exports	Imports	Total	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
China	5902	284788	290690	1	22.55
India	14654	121985	136639	2	10.60
USA	70588	19043	89631	3	6.95
Indonesia	896	71944	72840	4	5.65
Brazil	1118	49170	50288	5	3.90
Germany	36464	9602	46066	6	3.57
Singapore	943	43975	44918	7	3.48
Japan	9539	29545	39084	8	3.03
UK	36068	1967	38035	9	2.95
Malaysia	2113	29805	31918	10	2.48

Graph 16: Top trading partners – total trade (goods), April-2025.

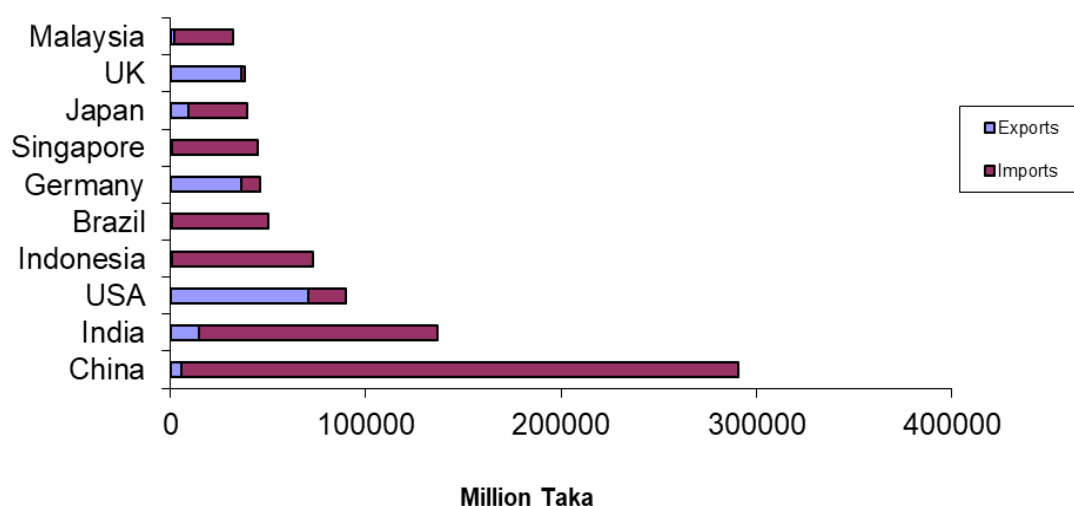


Table 14. Top 10 trading partners – Exports (goods), April -2025

(In million taka)

Country	Export	Rank	Percent of Total Export
United States	70588	1	18.98
Germany	36464	2	9.80
United Kingdom	36068	3	9.70
Spain	26078	4	7.01
Other country	20268	5	5.45
France	18693	6	5.03
Netherlands	16738	7	4.50
India	14654	8	3.94
Poland	14231	9	3.83
Italy	12650	10	3.40

Table 15. Top 10 trading partners – Imports (goods), April -2025

(In million taka)

Country	Import	Rank	Percent of Total Import
China	284788	1	31.04
India	121985	2	13.30
Indonesia	71944	3	7.84
Brazil	49170	4	5.36
Singapore	43975	5	4.79
Malaysia	29805	6	3.25
Japan	29545	7	3.22
Saudi Arabia	27975	8	3.05
USA	19043	9	2.08
Vietnam	18273	10	1.99

Table 16. Monthly merchandise export (2-digit HS code)

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
1	Live animals	0.04	0.26	550
2	Meat and edible meat offal	-	-	-
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	3339.78	3601.55	7.84
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	49.19	59.04	20.02
5	Products of animal origin	210.31	223.71	6.37
6	Live tree Plant bulb root etc.	-	0.60	-
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	1201.13	891.10	-25.81
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	446.21	688.46	54.29
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	687.02	514.97	-25.04
10	Cereals	3.24	56.73	1650.93
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	75.98	36.94	-51.38
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	114.88	74.20	-35.41
13	Lac, gum resin vegetable sap/ extract	45.86	59.70	30.18
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	218.17	227.61	4.33
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	420.35	315.79	-24.87
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	16.44	28.80	75.18
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	265.69	195.06	-26.58
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparations	27.54	24.10	-12.49
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1760.13	1212.58	-31.11
20	Preparations of vegetable fruits, nuts, etc.	724.52	582.22	-19.64
21	Misc. edible preparations	35.42	20.51	-42.09
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	589.24	422.25	-28.34
23	Residues & waste from the food industry	11.63	11.18	-3.87
24	Tobacco mfg. tobacco substitutes	1249.35	974.11	-22.03
25	Salt, Sulphur etc. & plastering metals stone cemen	174.46	283.50	62.50
26	Ores, slag and ash	601.18	334.11	-44.42
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	131.58	130.92	-0.50
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	737.19	1234.83	67.50
29	Organic chemicals	139.00	99.06	-28.73
30	Pharmaceutical products	2439.44	1479.54	-39.35
31	Fertilizers	-	-	-
32	Tanning/dyeing ext. dye pigments etc.	25.29	39.45	55.99
33	Essential oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	19.51	10.64	-45.46

Table 16. Monthly merchandise export (2-digit HS code)

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	97.69	63.51	-34.99
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	61	1.52	-97.51
36	Explosive pyrotechnic products	-	-	-
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	0.07	-	-
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	535.75	463.30	-13.52
39	Plastics and articles thereof	2774.79	2451.67	-11.64
40	Rubber and articles thereof	552.38	422.56	-23.50
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1769.16	1007.35	-43.06
42	Articles of Leather/Animal Gut	4217.12	2829.44	-32.91
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	-	0.52	-
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	151.19	86.27	-42.94
45	Cork and articles of cork	4.28	-	-
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	407	236.13	-41.98
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulose materials etc.	-	-	-
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	3277.72	2646.35	-19.26
49	Printed books, newspapers, pictures etc.	108.06	83.37	-22.85
50	Silk	-	0.10	-
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	-	-	-
52	Cotton	5345.10	4555.70	-14.77
53	Other vegetable, Textile fibers, paper/yarn etc.	7971.22	6125.70	-23.15
54	Man-made filaments	1718.02	1894.19	10.25
55	Man-made staple fibers	1599.93	1180.51	-26.21
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	1199.99	868.55	-27.62
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	319.14	217.41	-31.88
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted tex. fabrics etc.	1250.86	1065.76	-14.80
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	803.43	717.10	-10.75
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	1988.45	1653.72	-16.83
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crotch.	220330.96	160623.92	-27.10
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	200365.66	132917.72	-33.66
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	13681.80	8688.03	-36.50
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	11857.95	9878.83	-16.69
65	Headgear and parts thereof	3660.16	2845.65	-22.25

Table 16. Monthly merchandise export (2-digit HS code)

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
66	Umbrella, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	0.22	-	-
67	Prepared feathers & down/articles etc.	1756.19	1673.69	-4.70
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	165.83	63.33	-61.81
69	Ceramic products	441.06	280.72	-36.35
70	Glass and glassware	60.58	36.15	-40.33
71	Natural/culture pearls precious stones etc.	15.10	9.16	-39.34
72	Iron or steel	529.07	277.60	-47.53
73	Articles of iron or steel	748.93	453.76	-39.41
74	Copper and articles thereof	674.08	351.10	-47.91
75	Nickel and articles thereof	15.23	41.10	169.86
76	Aluminum and article thereof	792.00	501.27	-36.71
78	Lead and articles thereof	-	-	-
79	Zinc and articles thereof	-	-	-
80	Tin and articles thereof	-	-	-
81	Other base metals, cermet's etc.	2.20	-	-
82	Tools, cutlery Spon base metal Part	47.85	56.49	18.06
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	101.95	103.62	1.64
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	6488.98	1921.38	-70.39
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	1944.53	1843.57	-5.19
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	32.11	19.99	-37.75
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	1845.98	1513.62	-18.00
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	756.21	14.88	-98.03
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	3169.13	180.19	-94.31
90	Optical,photo,cinematgph. Medical inst.etc.	1021.96	839.60	-17.84
91	Clocks & watches & parts	5.46	16.36	199.63
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	0.01	-	-
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	367.70	-	-
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	1179.37	728.18	-38.26
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts	923.66	586.15	-36.54
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	3316.34	3091.16	-6.79
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	0.04	0.07	75.00
98	Goods Commodities NEC	1.56	1.23	-21.15
Total		528211.98	371962.31	-29.58

Table 17. Monthly export of major commodities (4 digits)

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
303	Fish frozen	363.24	145.74	-59.88
304	Fish fillet, other fish meal	-	-	-
305	Fish dried	97.56	15.96	-83.64
306	Shrimps & prawns frozen	1953.63	2382.42	21.95
307	Molluscs	114.87	68.85	-40.06
506	Bone and horn- cores	2.31	-	-
709	Vegetable fresh, chilled other	33.18	27.66	-16.64
902	Tea	39.74	24.36	-38.70
1006	Rice	3.24	56.73	1650.93
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	798.15	853.64	6.95
2710	Petro oil/oil bitumen mineral, nec	19.71	19.75	0.20
3003-004	Pharmaceutical product	2437.62	1477.39	-39.39
3901-926	Plastic & articles thereof	2774.88	2442.34	-11.98
4102	Raw hides & skin of sheep's or lambs	-	-	-
4103	Raw hides and skin other	7.56	3.53	-53.31
4104	Leather Bovine/Equine W/Out hair	1288.96	667.46	-48.22
4105	Tanned or crust skins of sheep or lambs	-	1.03	-
4106	Tanned or crust hides and skins or other animals	93.18	40.74	-56.28
4107	Leather hole hides and skins or crusting	364.57	292.21	-19.85
4113	Leather further prepared after tanning or crusting including parchment-dressed leather of other animals	8.32	2.38	-71.39
4202	Trunks, suit-case, vanity-cases, brief cases, and other	3890.69	2619.38	-32.68
4602	Basket work, wicker work, and other articles	388.72	227.19	-41.55
5303	Jute and other textile bast fibers, raw or retted	1084.09	1462.80	34.93
5307	Jute yarn	5791.44	4069.02	-29.74
5310	Woven fabrics and jutes or of other textile bast fibers	1092.58	566.63	-48.14
5607	Jute twine, cordage, roofs and cables	495.27	333.14	-32.74
6101-117	Readymade garments men's women's and girl knitted and crocheted	220330.9	160623.92	-27.10
6201-217	Readymade garments men's women's and girl not knitted and crocheted	200365.7	132917.22	-33.66
6305	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods	2416.17	1959.36	-18.91
6401-6406	Foot ware with outer soles and uppers of rubber or of plastics and other	11857.93	9878.38	-16.69
6505	Heads and other headgear, knitted or crocheted	3619.58	2792.01	-22.86
Total		461733.79	325971.24	-29.40

Table 18. Monthly merchandise import (2-digit HS code)

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change From previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
1	Live animals	914.89	505.58	-44.74
2	Meat and edible meat offal	-	-	-
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	908.74	1042.22	14.69
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	5629.31	7503.33	33.29
5	Products of animal origin	1213.27	2192.51	80.71
6	Live tree and other plants etc.	9.9	6.26	-36.77
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	10036.34	5025.52	-49.93
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	10782.95	7190.65	-33.31
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	7654.75	5985.67	-21.80
10	Cereals	44140.06	30228.1	-31.52
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	206.96	119.17	-42.42
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	15352.87	15770.87	2.72
13	Lac, gums, resins, vegetable saps & extra	204.59	212.75	3.99
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	40.37	18.57	-54.00
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	80855.3	47142.7	-41.69
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	21.89	25.45	16.26
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	23341.6	17928.45	-23.19
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparation	181.58	181.58	0.00
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1527.9	1756.93	14.99
20	Preparations of vegetable, fruits, nuts, etc.	390.62	227.27	-41.82
21	Misc. edible preparations	2414.12	1643.3	-31.93
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	47.17	81.66	73.12
23	Residues & waste from the food industries	20030.98	15386.31	-23.19
24	Tobacco mfg. tobacco substitutes	47.02	233.81	397.26
25	Salt, Sulphur, etc. and plastering metals stone cement	28452.54	26240.03	-7.78
26	Ores, slag and ash	4278.14	4863.99	13.69
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	173012.92	138647.13	-19.86
28	Inorganic. Chem. compounds of specious metals	5928.17	8958.92	51.12
29	Organic Chemicals	15443.2	15519.2	0.49
30	Pharmaceutical products	5464.63	3413.89	-37.53
31	Fertilizers	29407.96	18617.1	-36.69
32	Tanning/dyeing ext. dye pigments etc.	9512.22	9764.03	2.65
33	Essential Oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	1845.1	1546.17	-16.20
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	2962.75	2930.8	-1.08

Table 18. Monthly merchandise import (2-digit HS code)

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues	1903.1	1931.26	1.48
36	Explosives pyrotechnic products etc.	121.15	0.86	-99.29
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	411.4	857.21	108.36
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	11938.02	10839.63	-9.20
39	Plastics and articles thereof	38339.83	41738.68	8.87
40	Rubber and articles thereof	4932.07	4983.99	1.05
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1674.7	2983.36	-26.00
42	Articles of Leather/Animal gut	401.45	352.72	138.33
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	4.91	51.14	-18.15
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	1672.28	584.21	3.25
45	Cork and articles of cork	5.5	4.07	13.77
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	1.2	2.86	-27.74
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulosic materials etc.	4886.74	3999.65	15.43
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	13978.38	14431.98	8.76
49	Printed Book, Newspaper & picture	434.77	494.63	44.31
50	Silk	5.66	4.09	30.84
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	1318.39	1521.88	23.28
52	Cotton	97444.51	105979.59	-28.33
53	Other vegetabe, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	1492.24	2153.47	71.15
54	Man-made filaments	24151.31	31600.66	50.08
55	Man-made staple fibers	20091.5	27720.38	117.97
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	2241.24	2763.05	-18.31
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	95.85	68.7	-15.20
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted textile fabrics etc	6415.5	10980.41	35.25
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	6653.8	9986.15	13.48
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	18797.57	40972.51	52.58
61	Article of apparel. clothing accessor. knit /croct	330.82	270.25	14.13
62	Article of apparl.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	2084.93	1767.92	1.48
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	145.21	196.39	-99.29
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	2444.75	2774.33	108.36
65	Headgear and parts thereof	88.15	134.5	-9.20
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrella, walk sticks etc.	68.24	77.88	8.87

Table18. Monthly merchandise import (2-digit HS code)

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
67	Prepared feather & down articles	644.86	990.49	53.60
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	890.47	904.52	1.58
69	Ceramic products	626.44	678.13	8.25
70	Glass and glassware	1350.64	1584.48	17.31
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones	170.51	62.91	-63.10
72	Iron or steel	45927.86	43667.02	-4.92
73	Articles of iron or steel	8694.53	8798.54	1.20
74	Copper and articles thereof	3421.36	3010.27	-12.02
75	Nickel and articles thereof	13.71	15.99	16.63
76	Aluminum and article thereof	5201.95	3886.6	-25.29
78	Lead and articles thereof	2093.09	1754.34	-16.18
79	Zinc and articles thereof	1056.27	956.48	-9.45
80	Tin and articles thereof	-	7.56	-
81	Other base metals, cermet's etc.	29.36	22.56	-23.16
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	616.98	507.4	-17.76
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	1802.28	2534.34	40.62
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	49306.16	53172.2	7.84
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	30659.51	41843.61	36.48
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	98.59	169.4	71.82
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	13962.91	15928.04	14.07
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	632.85	2334.13	268.83
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	6974.71	1237.34	-82.26
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph, Medical Inst.	5095.51	6827.95	34.00
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	129.28	132.93	2.82
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	6.31	21.56	241.68
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	418.43	2422.38	478.92
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	925.96	792.21	-14.44
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	310.16	359.08	15.77
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	7869.82	9604.22	22.04
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	4.01	1.45	-63.84
98	Goods commodities nec	0.02	0.11	450.00
Total		955770.52	917366.56	-4.02

Table 19. Monthly import of major commodities (4 digits)

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change From previous month
		Mar'25	Apr'25	
401	Milk & cream	9.43	1.23	-86.96
703	Onion & Garlic	1879.30	1087.66	-42.12
713	Dried leguminous vegetable	7993.44	3846.32	-51.88
804	Dates	2643.91	1248.41	-52.78
806	Grapes	2166.22	1425.41	-34.20
808	Apples	1832.02	1142.96	-37.61
904	Pepper	1441.28	1594.83	10.65
1001	wheat	15365.43	15890.50	3.42
1006	Rice	25738.14	14280.42	-44.52
1108	Starches	183.02	105.75	-42.22
1201-1212	Oil seeds	15352.87	15770.19	2.72
1507	Soya bean oil	50175.68	17594.32	-64.93
1511	Palm Oil	29565.56	28532.89	-3.49
1701	Sugar	22314.93	17296.97	-22.49
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	34.88	123.37	253.70
2523	Cement	16252.25	15574.24	-4.17
2710	Petroleum product	78068.53	76538.24	-1.96
2801-2851	In organic Chemicals	5924.86	8958.92	51.21
2901-2942	Organic Chemicals	15443.20	15519.20	0.49
3101-3105	Fertilizers	29407.96	22031.00	-25.08
3201-3215	Tanning & dyeing	9512.22	9764.04	2.65
3801-3825	Chemical product	11927.79	10805.82	-9.41
3901-3926	Plastic & articles thereof	38339.83	41738.68	8.87
4801-4823	Paper & paper board	13978.38	14431.98	3.25
5201-5203	Raw cotton	39327.30	39619.24	0.74
5205-5207	Cotton yarn	23866.09	23239.88	-2.62
5208-5212	Cotton fabric	34214.79	43070.91	25.88
5402-5406	Synthetic yarn	12699.47	13462.06	6.00
5407-5408	Synthetic fabric	10041.61	16571.59	65.03
5504-5507	Staple fiber	3964.87	5334.43	34.54
5509-5511	Yarn of staple fiber	6067.50	8955.48	47.60
5512-5516	Fabric of staple fiber	7064.63	10456.00	48.00
7201-7229	Iron or steel	45927.86	43667.02	-4.92
7301-7326	Article of iron & steel	8694.53	8798.54	1.20
7601-7616	Aluminum & article thereof	5201.95	3886.60	-25.29
8402-8485	Machinery & parts	48937.56	52901.28	8.10
8501-8548	Electrical goods	30659.51	41843.61	36.48
8607-8609	Rail, tramway, locomotive	17.81	169.38	851.04
8701-8716	Vehicle	13962.91	15928.04	14.07
8902,8903,8908	Ships, boat, floating structure	6920.73	1237.29	-82.12
9001-9033	Optical, Photo, Cinema etc.	5095.50	6827.95	34.00
Total		698215.75	671272.65	-3.86

Table 20. Re-export Value, April - 2025 by 2-digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re-Exports	1281.89
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	2.98
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	0.28
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	48.87
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	0.00
39	Plastics and articles thereof	5.37
40	Rubber and articles thereof	4.69
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	2.55
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	2.04
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	0.00
49	Printed books, newspapers, pictures etc.	0.06
52	Cotton	10.09
53	Other vegetabe, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	22.90
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	0.02
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted textile fabrics etc.	0.01
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	21.45
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crotch.	0.62
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	0.00
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	0.18
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	0.00
65	Headgear and parts thereof	0.00
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	0.00
72	Iron or steel	0.01
73	Articles of iron or steel	204.43
74	Copper and articles thereof	3.37
76	Aluminum and article thereof	3.37
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	1.94
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	7.29
76	Aluminum and article thereof	0.53
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	394.75
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	85.86
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	35.93
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	3.65
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	180.19
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph, Medical Inst.	239.81
91	Clocks & watches & parts	0.01
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	1.99
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	0.01

Table 21. Re- import Value, April- 2025 by 2-digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re- Imports	44.32
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crotch.	31.70
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	0.18
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	12.44

Table 22. Temporary Export Value, April - 2025 by 2-digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Temporary- Exports	1112.43
29	Organic Chemicals	1.42
49	Printed books, newspapers, pictures etc.	0.31
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	1091.63
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	3.27
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	11.23
90	Optical,photo,cinematgph. Medical inst.etc.	4.58

Table 23. Temporary Import Value, April- 2025 by 2-digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Temporary- Imports	1196.06
08	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	48.28
39	Plastics and articles thereof	0.68
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crotch.	0.21
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	0.20
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	0.00
73	Articles of iron or steel	50.70
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	974.35
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	81.71
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	20.05
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph, Medical Inst.	18.50
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	0.03
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	1.34

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