

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 March, 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 March, 2025 total export and import of goods and services is recorded at increased by Tk. 601.29 and increased by Tk. 1073.13 billion respectively resulting in a trade deficit at goods and services of Tk. 471.84 billion. The growth of export and import in for March, 2025 increased by 10.42 and increased by 2.21 percent respectively comparing to February, 2025 and it decreased by 4.31 and increased by 26.90 percent respectively comparing to for March, 2024.

For the three months ending for March, 2025 the average of export of goods and services was Tk. 586.27 billion, while the moving average of import of goods and services was Tk. 1070.61 billion resulting in an average trade deficit of Tk. 484.35 billion. For the three months ending February, 2025, the average trade deficit was Tk. 464.42 billion reflecting average exports of Tk. 603.62 billion and average imports of Tk. 1068.04 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									
Apr-24	503.20	443.25	59.95	953.68	829.16	124.52	-450.48	-385.91	-64.57
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

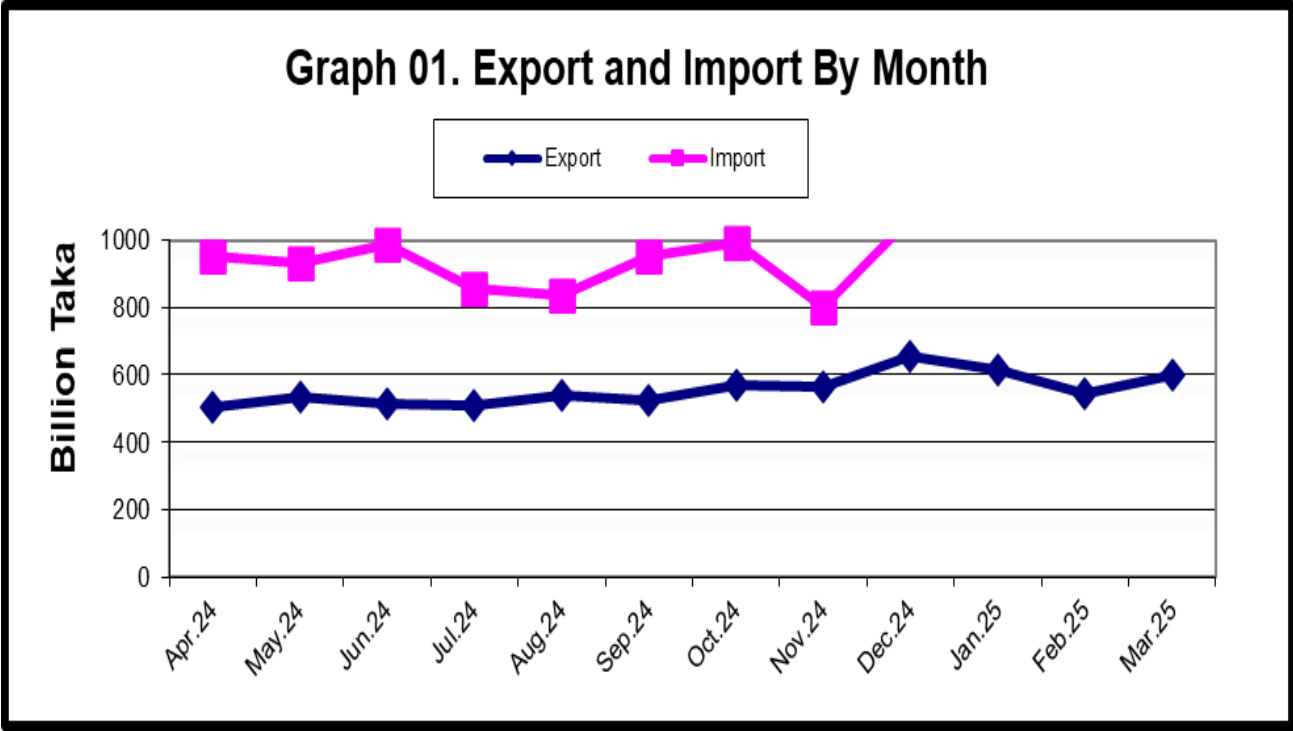


Table 2: Export, import and trade deficits

(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									
Apr-24	4090	4030	60	7663	7538	125	-3508	-3508	-65
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

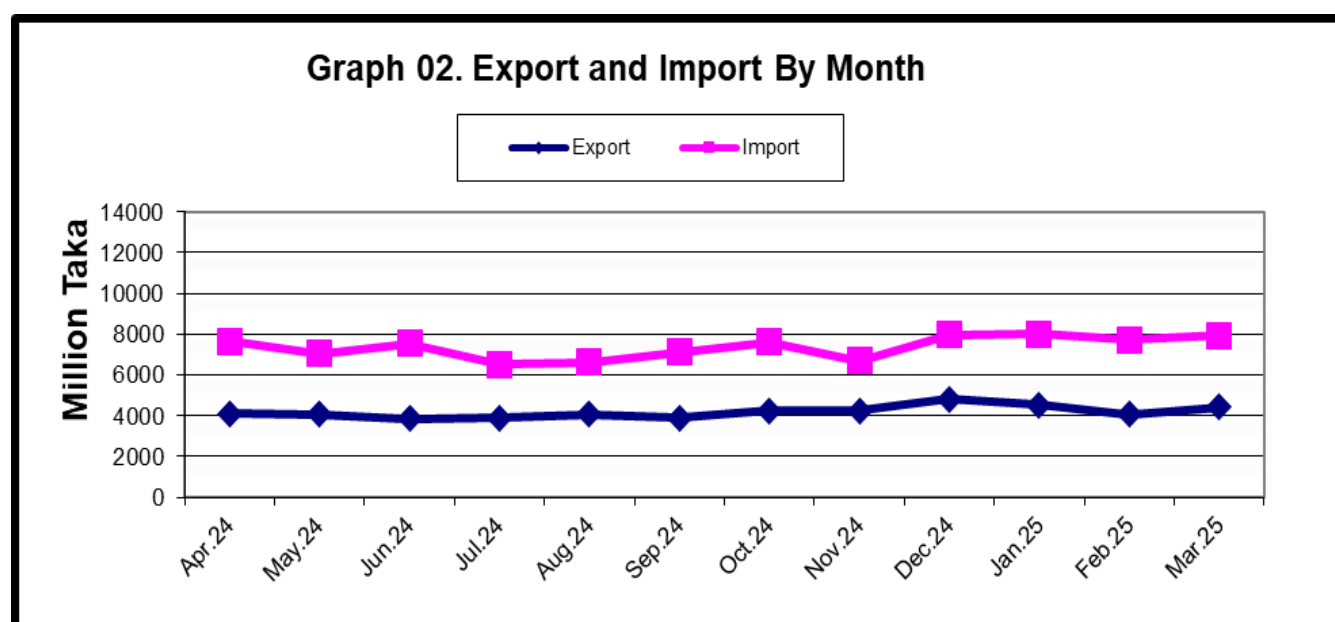


Table 3. Percent change from the previous month (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	2024-25		
	Feb'25	Mar'25	Percent change from the previous month
1. Export (Commodities)	488896	528212	8.04
1. Readymade Garments	395463	420697	6.38
2. Shrimps and prawn	2473	1954	-20.99
3. Vegetable textiles fiber/ yarn	6485	7971	22.91
4. Made-up textiles articles	11501	13682	18.96
5. Raw hides, skins & leathers	1350	1769	31.04
6. Raw jute	1083	1084	0.09
7. Footwear Special woven fabrics	11259	11858	5.32
8. Fertilizer	-	-	-
9. Hats and other head gear	3575	3660	2.38
10. Special woven fabrics	1416	1251	-11.65
11. Others	54291	64286	18.41
2. Import (Commodities)	926984	955771	3.11
1. Machinery & parts	48684	49306	1.28
2. Petroleum product and oil	133893	173013	29.22
3. Electric Machinery	31414	30660	-2.40
4. Soya bean and Palm oil	55977	79742	42.45
5. Raw cotton	39752	38988	-1.92
6. Textile fabrics	671	439	-34.58
7. Iron and steel	27300	45928	68.23
8. Plastics and articles	32328	38340	18.60
9. Wheat	15231	15365	0.88
10. Fertilizer	31197	29408	-5.73
11. Others	510537	454582	-10.96
3. Trade balance (1-2)	-438088	-427559	-2.40

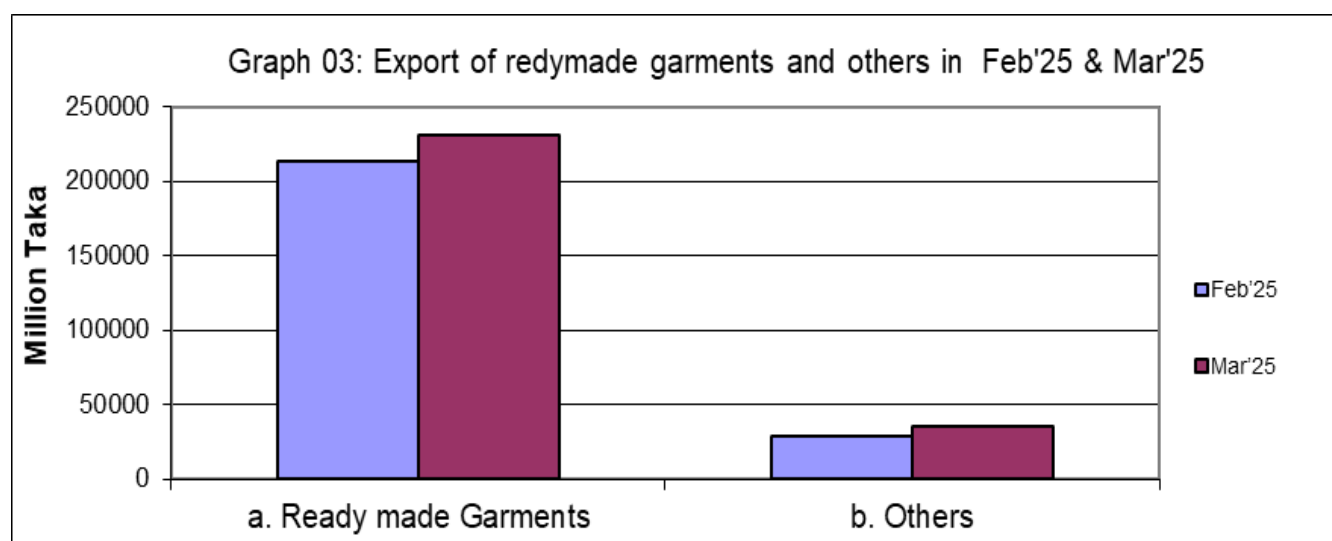


Table 4. Import of Essential Commodities Quantity

(In M. Ton)

Items	2024-25			
	Feb'25	Mar'25	Percent change from the previous month	Cumulative (Mar'25)
Import (Commodities)				
1. Raw sugar	666700	365148	-45.23	2499921
2. Palm oil	284541	215210	-24.37	1871270
3. Soya bean oil	123795	368197	197.42	1318450
4. Milk & Cream	14011	12742	-9.06	108998
5. Ginger	-	-	-	-
6. Chilies	-	-	-	-
7. Wheat	339622	337403	-0.65	3520773
8. Rice	222860	428531	92.29	1033163
9. Lentil & other	122533	33583	-72.59	495028
10. Onion	82504	8567	-89.62	758759
11. Garlic	13370	8725	-34.74	135202
12. Tea	2	209	10350.00	615
13. Oil seed	321538	223390	-30.52	1769645
14. Gram/Anchor	76379	31684	-58.52	410879
15. Turmeric	3568	2804	-21.41	28414

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		154996	158772	
May	240450	211664		182420	176131	
June	258221	195869		200306	167714	

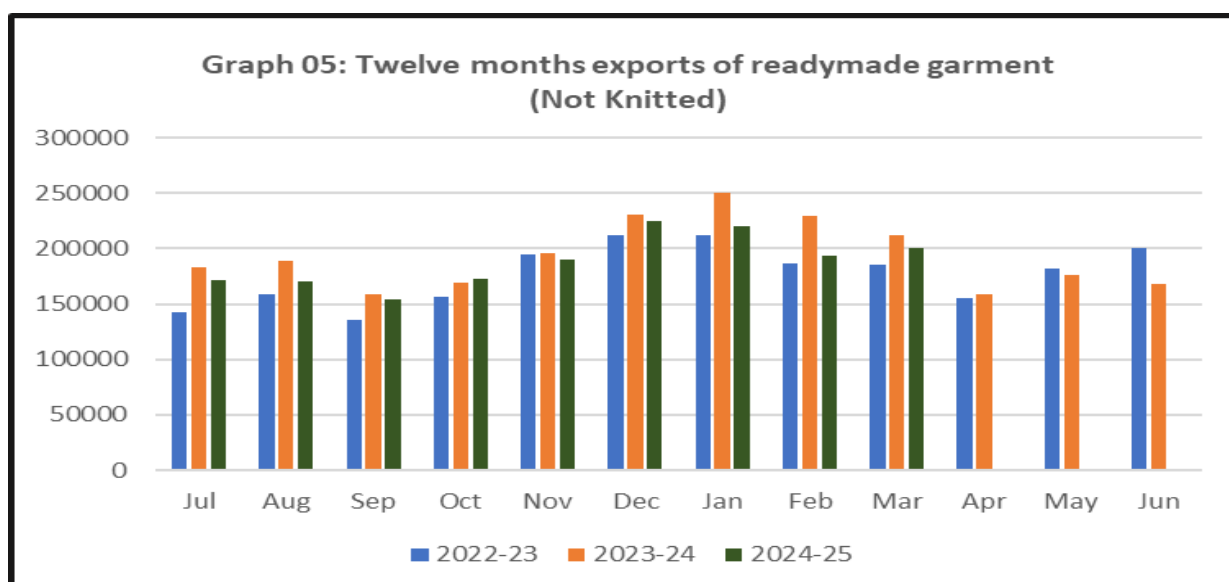
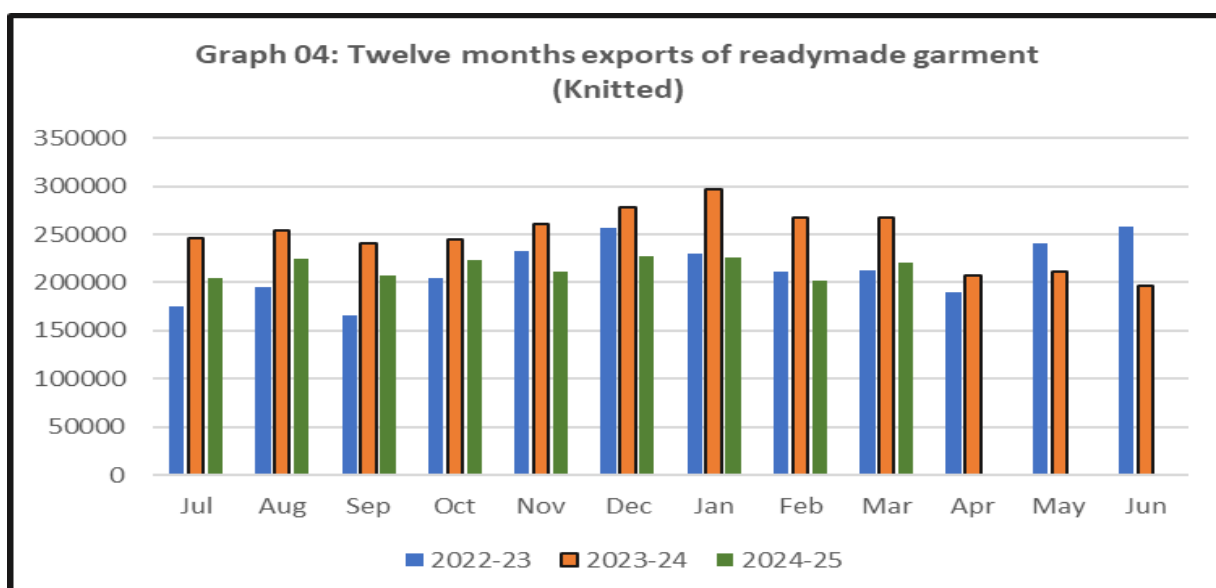


Table 6: Twelve months export of raw hides, skins & leather, 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(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	
May	1200	1402	
June	947	1532	

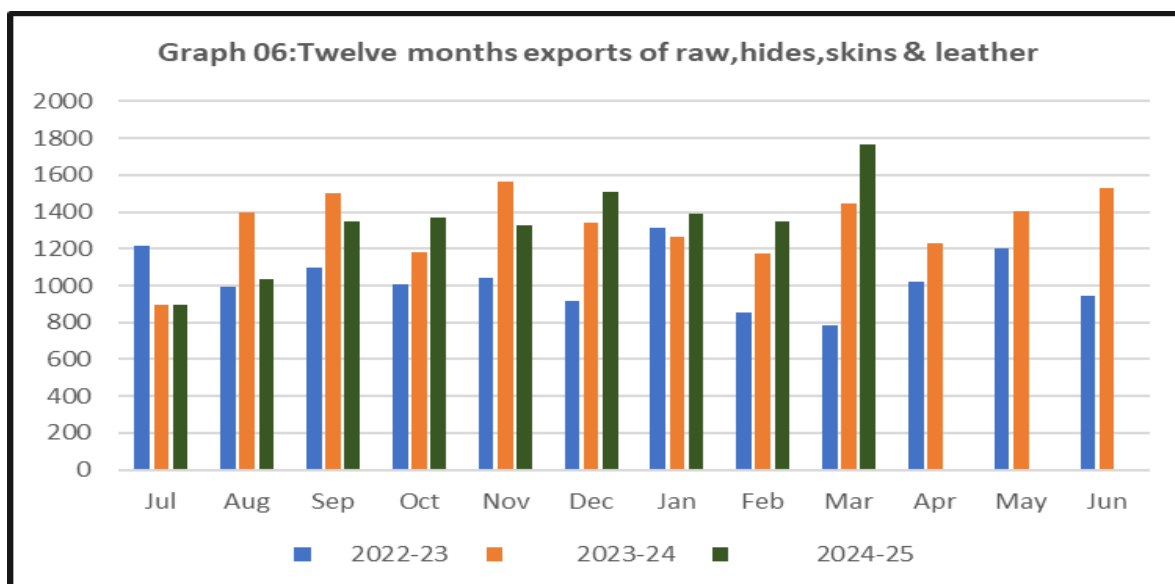


Table 7: Twelve months export of shrimps and prawn, 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(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	
May	1830	1714	
June	1894	2470	

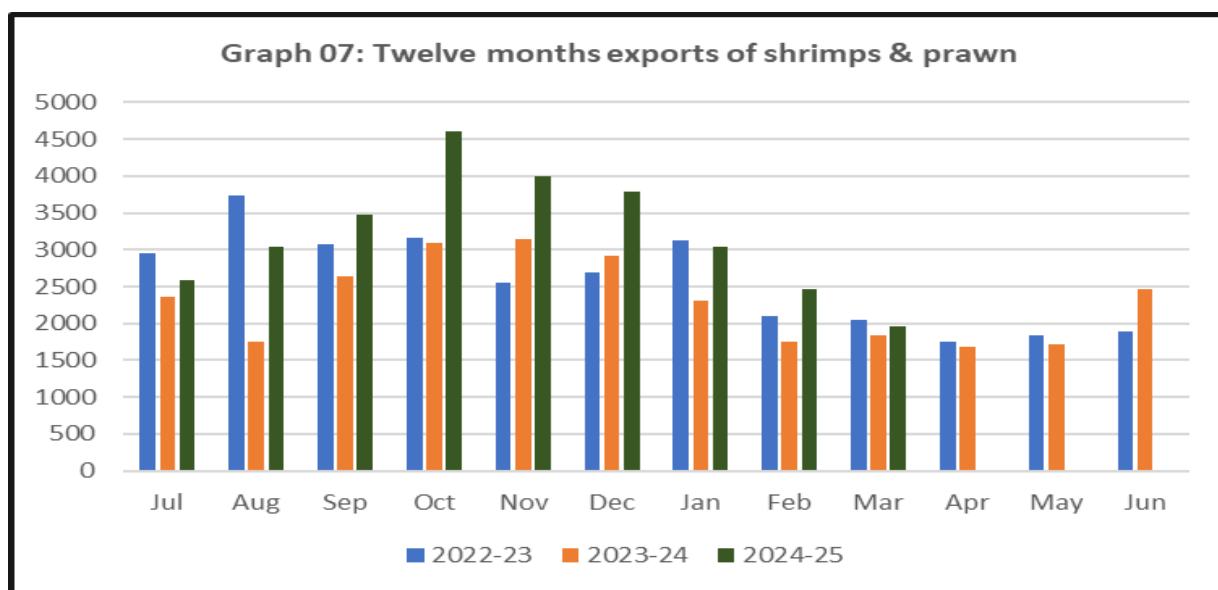


Table 8: Twelve months import of machinery & parts and electrical machinery during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(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		28543	42202	
May	73399	46698		45632	47739	
June	62715	44473		46313	44013	

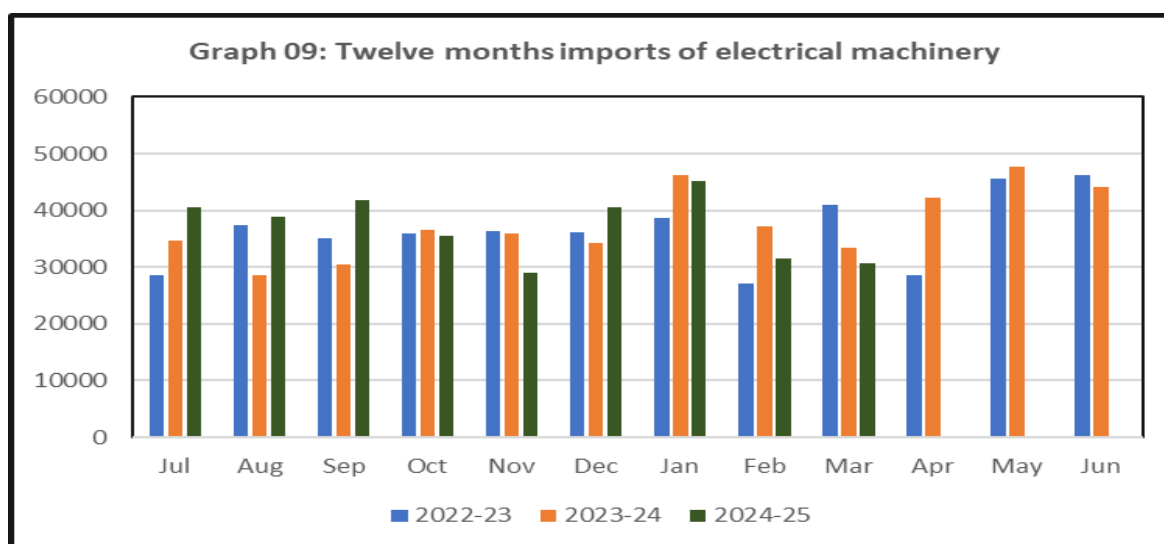
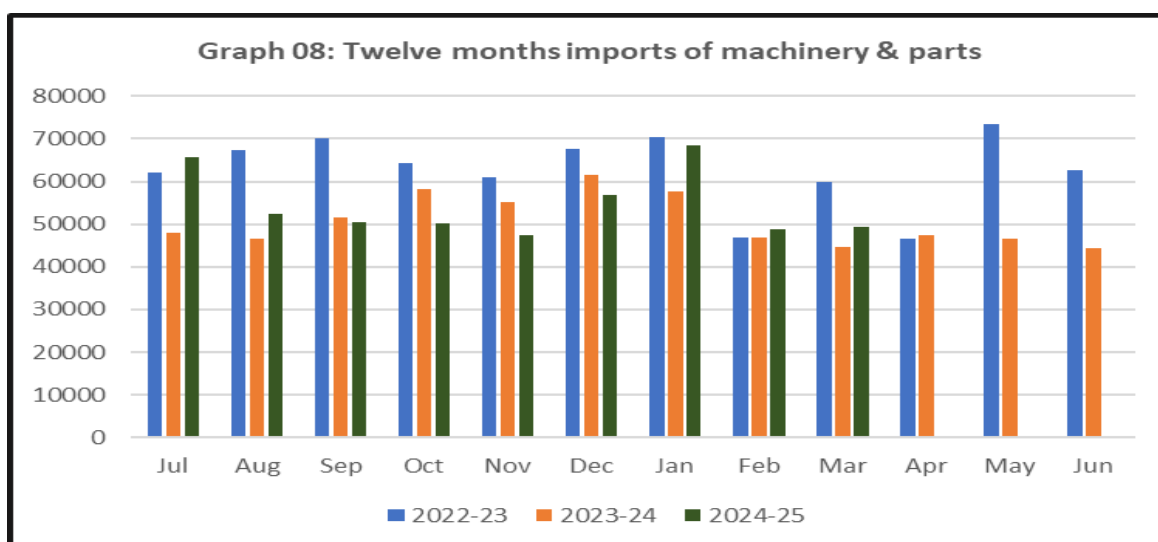


Table 9: Twelve months imports of Soya bean and Palm oil during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(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		38564	32598	
May	12393	13844		12929	23718	
June	13166	15623		13411	26610	

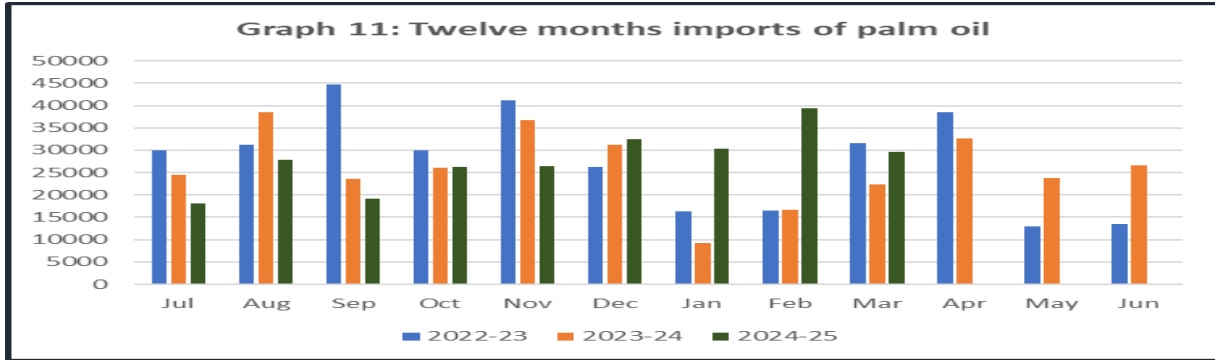


Table 10: Twelve months import of rice and wheat during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(In million taka)

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		18157	48906	
May	380	1334		31266	39013	
June	218	144		16614	33133	

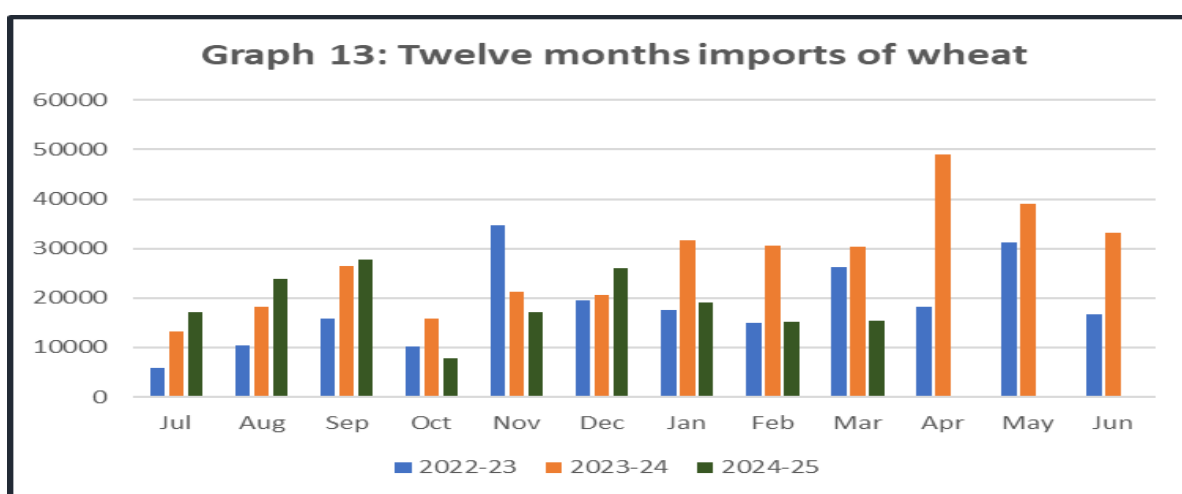
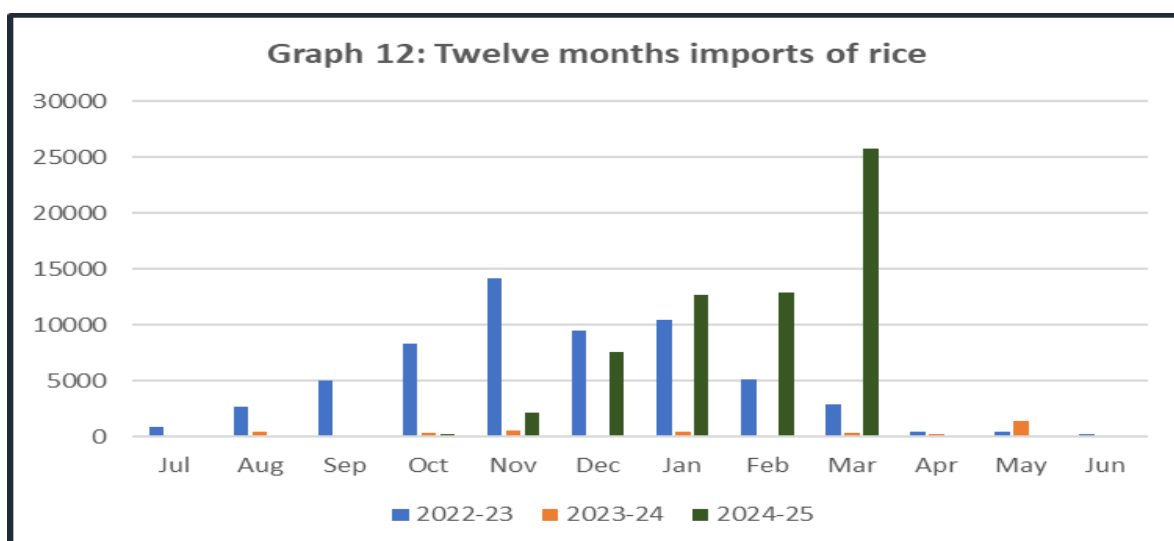


Table 11: Twelve months import of iron & steel and plastics & articles during 2022-23 to 2024-25.

(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		28784	32483	
May	42434	38693		34536	29848	
June	39577	44975		26140	31562	

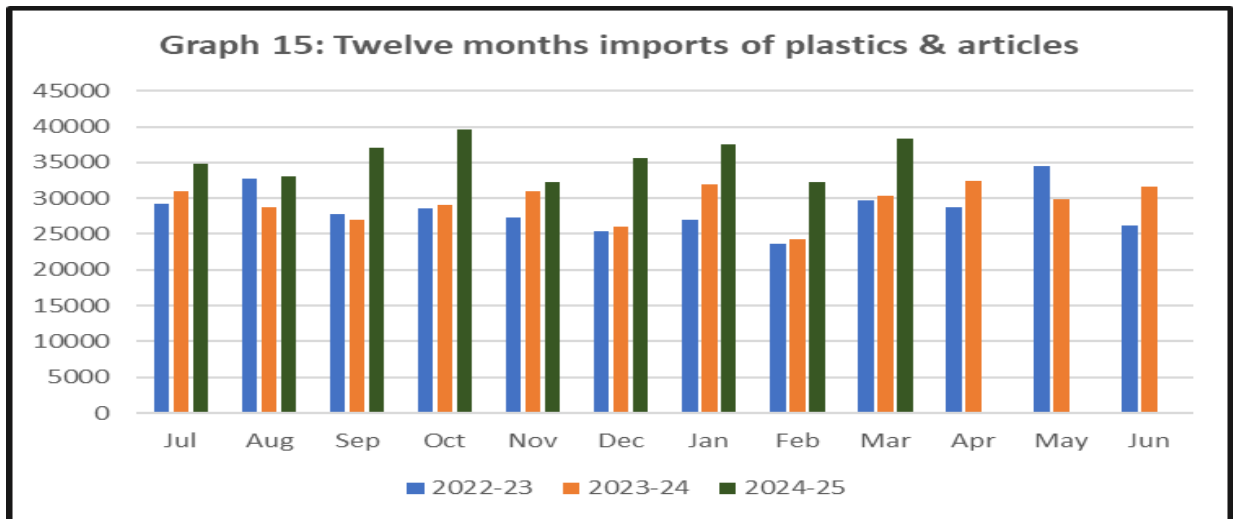
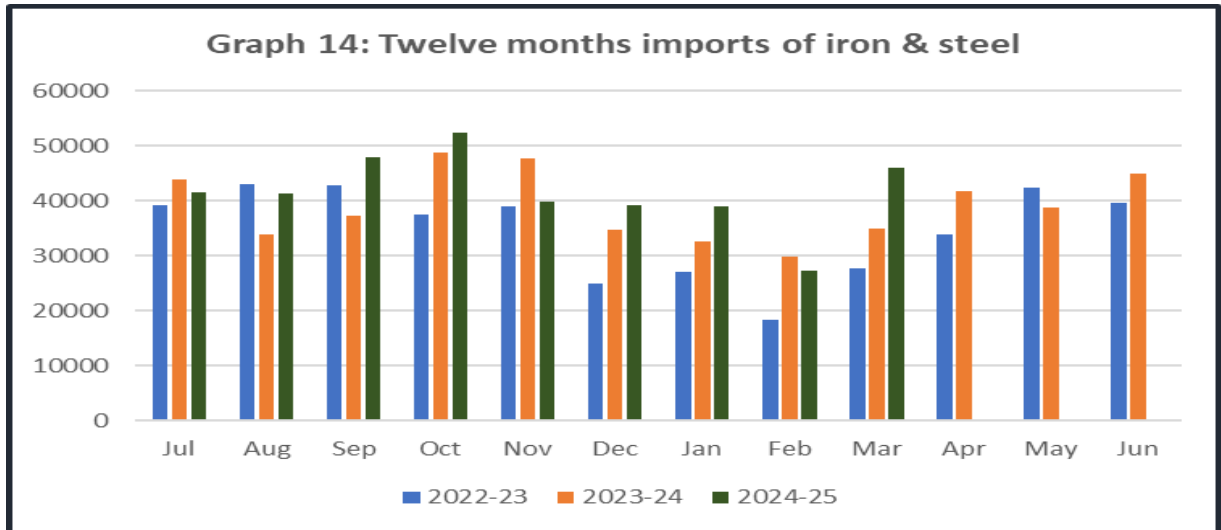


Table 12. Point to point percent change in external trade (goods)

Items	(In million taka)					
	January - March			March		
	2023-24	2024-25	Change in percent	2023-24	2024-25	Change in percent
1. Export (Commodities)	1800112	1560378	-13.32	568440	258212	-54.58
2. Import (Commodities)	2253726	2844390	26.21	721100	955771	32.54
3.Trade balance (1-2)	-453614	-1284012	-39.53	-152660	-697559	-87.12

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

(In million taka)

Country	Exports	Imports	Total	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
China	9685	196931	206616	1	13.92
India	21579	140298	161877	2	10.91
USA	97332	27119	124451	3	8.39
Indonesia	498	75136	75634	4	5.10
Brazil	1902	62265	64167	5	4.32
Germany	55262	6123	61385	6	4.14
UK	54709	5956	60665	7	4.09
Singapore	1561	45334	46895	8	3.16
Japan	17498	27262	44760	9	3.02
Spain	39347	1509	40856	10	2.75

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

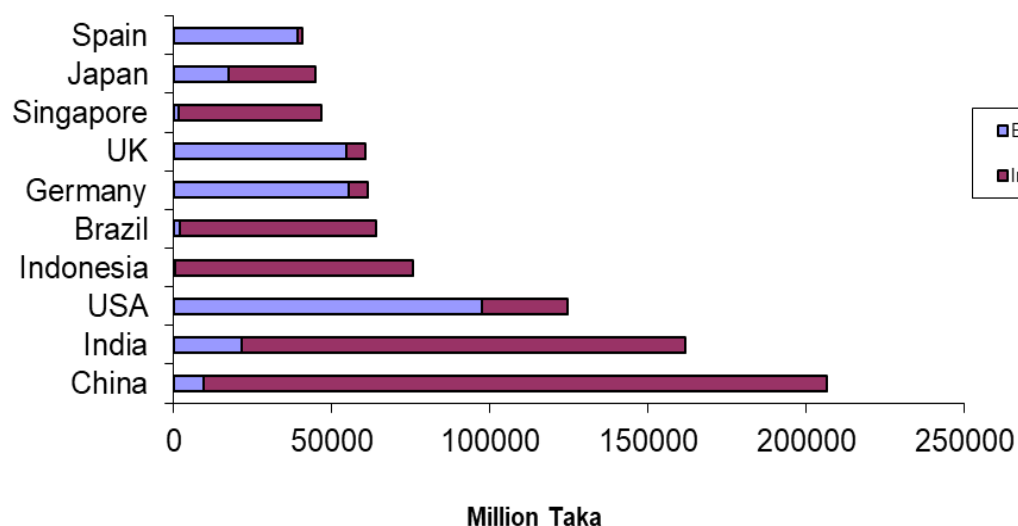


Table 14. Top 10 trading partners – Exports (goods), March -2025

(In million taka)

Country	Export	Rank	Percent of Total Export
United States	97332	1	18.43
Germany	55262	2	10.46
United Kingdom	54709	3	10.36
Spain	39347	4	7.45
France	28989	5	5.49
Netherlands	23527	6	4.45
Other country	22823	7	4.32
India	21580	8	4.09
Japan	17498	9	3.31
Poland	16669	10	3.16

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

(In million taka)

Country	Import	Rank	Percent of Total Import
China	196931	1	20.60
India	140298	2	14.68
Indonesia	75136	3	7.86
Brazil	62265	4	6.51
United Arab EM	46612	5	4.88
Singapore	45334	6	4.74
Argentina	38785	7	4.06
Saudi Arabia	37018	8	3.87
Malaysia	35931	9	3.76
Japan	27262	10	2.85

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

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
1	Live animals	0.43	0.04	-90.70
2	Meat and edible meat offal	1.2	-	-
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	3988.41	3339.78	-16.26
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	114.69	49.19	-57.11
5	Products of animal origin	181.34	210.31	15.98
6	Live tree Plant bulb root etc.	1.23	-	-
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	1079.96	1201.13	11.22
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	639.58	446.21	-30.23
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	710.08	687.02	-3.25
10	Cereals	7.29	3.24	-55.56
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	54.26	75.98	40.03
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	158.91	114.88	-27.71
13	Lac, gum resin vegetable sap/ extract	112.54	45.86	-59.25
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	215.27	218.17	1.35
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	316.63	420.35	32.76
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	9.68	16.44	69.83
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	185.44	265.69	43.28
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparations	44.35	27.54	-37.90
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1620.99	1760.13	8.58
20	Preparations of vegetable fruits, nuts, etc.	651.48	724.52	11.21
21	Misc. edible preparations	17.46	35.42	102.86
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	422.63	589.24	39.42
23	Residues & waste from the food industry	14.46	11.63	-19.57
24	Tobacco mfg. tobacco substitutes	2032.92	1249.35	-38.54
25	Salt, Sulphur etc. & plastering metals stone cemen	142.25	174.46	22.64
26	Ores, slag and ash	329.16	601.18	82.64
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	325.67	131.58	-59.60
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	1090.63	737.19	-32.41
29	Organic chemicals	135.49	139.00	2.59
30	Pharmaceutical products	1596.85	2439.44	52.77
31	Fertilizers	-	-	-
32	Tanning/dyeing ext. dye pigments etc.	9.68	25.29	161.26
33	Essential oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	15.46	19.51	26.20

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

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	117.22	97.69	-16.66
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	47.66	61	27.99
36	Explosive pyrotechnic products	0.14	-	-
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	0.3	0.07	-76.67
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	575.52	535.75	-6.91
39	Plastics and articles thereof	2675.07	2774.79	3.73
40	Rubber and articles thereof	696.57	552.38	-20.70
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1350.32	1769.16	31.02
42	Articles of Leather/Animal Gut	3632.35	4217.12	16.10
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	-	-	-
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	153.44	151.19	-1.47
45	Cork and articles of cork	-	4.28	-
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	347.95	407	16.97
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulose materials etc.	-	-	-
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	2979.62	3277.72	10.00
49	Printed books, newspapers, pictures etc.	109.83	108.06	-1.61
50	Silk	-	-	-
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	1.3	-	-
52	Cotton	4924.7	-	-
53	Other vegetable, Textile fibers, paper/yarn etc.	6484.58	5345.10	8.54
54	Man-made filaments	1568.84	7971.22	22.93
55	Man-made staple fibers	1730.9	1718.02	9.51
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	1126.46	1599.93	-7.57
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	332.47	1199.99	6.53
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted tex. fabrics etc.	1416.46	319.14	-4.01
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	753.66	1250.86	-11.69
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	2156.19	803.43	6.60
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crotch.	201634.58	1988.45	-7.78
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	193829.42	220330.96	9.27
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	11501.46	200365.66	3.37
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	11259.43	13681.80	18.96
65	Headgear and parts thereof	3575.24	11857.95	5.32

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

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
66	Umbrella, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	0.06	0.22	266.67
67	Prepared feathers & down/articles etc.	1614.18	1756.19	8.80
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	39.21	165.83	322.93
69	Ceramic products	258.99	441.06	70.30
70	Glass and glassware	32.71	60.58	85.20
71	Natural/culture pearls precious stones etc.	13.86	15.10	8.95
72	Iron or steel	506.13	529.07	4.53
73	Articles of iron or steel	1449.06	748.93	-48.32
74	Copper and articles thereof	558.64	674.08	20.66
75	Nickel and articles thereof	46.97	15.23	-67.58
76	Aluminum and article thereof	259.46	792.00	205.25
78	Lead and articles thereof	0.42	-	-
79	Zinc and articles thereof	-	-	-
80	Tin and articles thereof	0.03	-	-
81	Other base metals, cermet's etc.	-	2.20	-
82	Tools, cutlery Spon base metal Part	28.8	47.85	66.15
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	100.9	101.95	1.04
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	1501.7	6488.98	332.11
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	1904.66	1944.53	2.09
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	8.44	32.11	280.45
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	1539.03	1845.98	19.94
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	264.81	756.21	185.57
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	1604.7	3169.13	97.49
90	Optical,photo,cinematgph. Medical inst.etc.	1052.14	1021.96	-2.87
91	Clocks & watches & parts	7.65	5.46	-28.63
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	0.51	0.01	-98.04
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	-	367.70	-
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	945.65	1179.37	24.72
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts	623.69	923.66	48.10
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	3324.15	3316.34	-0.23
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	0.73	0.04	-94.52
98	Goods Commodities NEC	1.05	1.56	48.57
Total		488896.43	528211.98	26.63

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

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
303	Fish frozen	300.00	363.24	21.08
304	Fish fillet, other fish meal	0.24	-	-
305	Fish dried	1446.01	97.56	-93.25
306	Shrimps & prawns frozen	2472.77	1953.63	-20.99
307	Molluscs	68.91	114.87	66.70
506	Bone and horn- cores	-	2.31	-
709	Vegetable fresh, chilled other	38.49	33.18	-13.80
902	Tea	27.63	39.74	43.83
1006	Rice	7.29	3.24	-55.56
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	1666.54	798.15	-52.11
2710	Petro oil/oil bitumen mineral, nec	14.35	19.71	37.35
3003-004	Pharmaceutical product	1581.36	2437.62	54.15
3901-926	Plastic & articles thereof	2675.08	2774.88	3.73
4102	Raw hides & skin of sheep's or lambs	-	-	-
4103	Raw hides and skin other	4.86	7.56	55.56
4104	Leather Bovine/Equine W/Out hair	970.00	1288.96	32.88
4105	Tanned or crust skins of sheep or lambs	-	-	-
4106	Tanned or crust hides and skins or other animals	39.93	93.18	133.36
4107	Leather hole hides and skins or crusting	326.79	364.57	11.56
4113	Leather further prepared after tanning or crusting including parchment-dressed leather of other animals	8.75	8.32	-4.91
4202	Trunks, suit-case, vanity-cases, brief cases, and other	3362.27	3890.69	15.72
4602	Basket work, wicker work, and other articles	328.12	388.72	18.47
5303	Jute and other textile bast fibers, raw or retted	1082.53	1084.09	0.14
5307	Jute yarn	4553.38	5791.44	27.19
5310	Woven fabrics and jutes or of other textile bast fibers	847.29	1092.58	28.95
5607	Jute twine, cordage, ropes and cables	506.07	495.27	-2.13
6101-117	Readymade garments men's women's and girl knitted and crocheted	201634.6	220330.9	9.27
6201-217	Readymade garments men's women's and girl not knitted and crocheted	193829.4	200365.7	3.37
6305	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods	2270.96	2416.17	6.39
6401-6406	Foot ware with outer soles and uppers of rubber or of plastics and other	11259.42	11857.93	5.32
6505	Heads and other headgear, knitted or crocheted	3518.95	3619.58	2.86
Total		434841.99	461733.79	6.18

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change From previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
1	Live animals	561.54	914.89	62.93
2	Meat and edible meat offal	-	-	-
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	1178.83	908.74	-22.91
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	5979.7	5629.31	-5.86
5	Products of animal origin	1314.55	1213.27	-7.70
6	Live tree and other plants etc.	12.59	9.9	-21.37
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	31347.6	10036.34	-67.98
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	12910.55	10782.95	-16.48
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	7914.09	7654.75	-3.28
10	Cereals	35195.63	44140.06	25.41
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	177.1	206.96	16.86
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	20584.85	15352.87	-25.42
13	Lac, gums, resins, vegetable saps & extra	205.88	204.59	-0.63
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	68.94	40.37	-41.44
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	56577.61	80855.3	42.91
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	48.89	21.89	-55.23
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	43645.11	23341.6	-46.52
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparation	189.99	181.58	-4.43
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	2226.33	1527.9	-31.37
20	Preparations of vegetable, fruits, nuts, etc.	287.4	390.62	35.92
21	Misc. edible preparations	1597.11	2414.12	51.16
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	70.52	47.17	-33.11
23	Residues & waste from the food industries	13928.83	20030.98	43.81
24	Tobacco mfg. tobacco substitutes	104.44	47.02	-54.98
25	Salt, Sulphur, etc. and plastering metals stone cement	26228.36	28452.54	8.48
26	Ores, slag and ash	3679.39	4278.14	16.27
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	133892.93	173012.92	29.22
28	Inorganic. Chem. compounds of specious metals	4849.79	5928.17	22.24
29	Organic Chemicals	11129.08	15443.2	38.76
30	Pharmaceutical products	5732.85	5464.63	-4.68
31	Fertilizers	31197.45	29407.96	-5.74
32	Tanning/dyeing ext. dye pigments etc.	7960.72	9512.22	19.49
33	Essential Oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	1576.68	1845.1	17.02
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	2741.63	2962.75	8.07

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues	1593.1	1903.1	19.46
36	Explosives pyrotechnic products etc.	5.35	121.15	2164.49
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	321.76	411.4	27.86
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	10376.56	11938.02	15.05
39	Plastics and articles thereof	32327.56	38339.83	18.60
40	Rubber and articles thereof	4293.48	4932.07	14.87
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	2337.2	1674.7	-28.35
42	Articles of Leather/Animal gut	362.19	401.45	10.84
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	11.79	4.91	-58.35
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	776.22	1672.28	115.44
45	Cork and articles of cork	19.72	5.5	-72.11
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	0.61	1.2	96.72
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulosic materials etc.	6036.64	4886.74	-19.05
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	12705.25	13978.38	10.02
49	Printed Book, Newspaper & picture	623.89	434.77	-30.31
50	Silk	6.2	5.66	-8.71
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	2542.81	1318.39	-48.15
52	Cotton	103504.98	97444.51	-5.86
53	Other vegetabe, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	3376.06	1492.24	-55.80
54	Man-made filaments	27089.65	24151.31	-10.85
55	Man-made staple fibers	25604.11	20091.5	-21.53
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	2571.32	2241.24	-12.84
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	87.49	95.85	9.56
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted textile fabrics etc	7425.57	6415.5	-13.60
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	9074.04	6653.8	-26.67
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	29466.74	18797.57	-36.21
61	Article of apparel. clothing accessor. knit /croct	685.88	330.82	-51.77
62	Article of apparl.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	2524.79	2084.93	-17.42
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	334.09	145.21	-56.54
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	3559.84	2444.75	-31.32
65	Headgear and parts thereof	90.63	88.15	-2.74
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrella, walk sticks etc.	92.44	68.24	-26.18

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

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change from previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
67	Prepared feather & down articles	527.81	644.86	22.18
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	1316.67	890.47	-32.37
69	Ceramic products	728.32	626.44	-13.99
70	Glass and glassware	1521.17	1350.64	-11.21
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones	55.07	170.51	209.62
72	Iron or steel	27300.17	45927.86	68.23
73	Articles of iron or steel	7863.57	8694.53	10.57
74	Copper and articles thereof	2324.03	3421.36	47.22
75	Nickel and articles thereof	2.18	13.71	528.90
76	Aluminum and article thereof	3451.31	5201.95	50.72
78	Lead and articles thereof	1977.92	2093.09	5.82
79	Zinc and articles thereof	1627.04	1056.27	-35.08
80	Tin and articles thereof	2.69	-	-
81	Other base metals, cermet's etc.	23.64	29.36	24.20
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	751.9	616.98	-17.94
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	2269.38	1802.28	-20.58
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	48684.27	49306.16	1.28
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	31413.59	30659.51	-2.40
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	254.95	98.59	-61.33
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	13715.88	13962.91	1.80
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	1165.67	632.85	-45.71
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	9178.34	6974.71	-24.01
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph, Medical Inst.	5119.71	5095.51	-0.47
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	158.47	129.28	-18.42
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	10.62	6.31	-40.58
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	592.03	418.43	-29.32
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	1017.87	925.96	-9.03
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	425.68	310.16	-27.14
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	8555.61	7869.82	-8.02
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	3.46	4.01	15.90
98	Goods commodities nec	0.42	0.02	-95.24
Total		926984.36	955770.52	3.11

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2024-25		% change From previous month
		Feb'25	Mar'25	
401	Milk & cream	1.18	9.43	699.15
703	Onion & Garlic	3608.38	1879.30	-47.92
713	Dried leguminous vegetable	27633.21	7993.44	-71.07
804	Dates	6402.90	2643.91	-58.71
806	Grapes	1712.72	2166.22	26.48
808	Apples	1245.84	1832.02	47.05
904	Pepper	1850.12	1441.28	-22.10
1001	wheat	15231.12	15365.43	0.88
1006	Rice	12884.95	25738.14	99.75
1108	Starches	149.55	183.02	22.38
1201-1212	Oil seeds	20584.87	15352.87	-25.42
1507	Soya bean oil	16674.88	50175.68	200.91
1511	Palm Oil	39302.17	29565.56	-24.77
1701	Sugar	42702.95	22314.93	-47.74
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	43.97	34.88	-20.67
2523	Cement	14421.35	16252.25	12.70
2710	Petroleum product	96734.80	78068.53	-19.30
2801-2851	In organic Chemicals	4834.79	5924.86	22.55
2901-2942	Organic Chemicals	11129.64	15443.20	38.76
3101-3105	Fertilizers	5560.32	29407.96	428.89
3201-3215	Tanning & dyeing	7960.73	9512.22	19.49
3801-3825	Chemical product	10369.12	11927.79	15.03
3901-3926	Plastic & articles thereof	32327.6	38339.83	18.60
4801-4823	Paper & paper board	12705.24	13978.38	10.02
5201-5203	Raw cotton	40254.84	39327.30	-2.30
5205-5207	Cotton yarn	24190.02	23866.09	-1.34
5208-5212	Cotton fabric	39025.60	34214.79	-12.33
5402-5406	Synthetic yarn	10735.12	12699.47	18.30
5407-5408	Synthetic fabric	15200.80	10041.61	-33.94
5504-5507	Staple fiber	4417.71	3964.87	-10.25
5509-5511	Yarn of staple fiber	7680.24	6067.50	-21.00
5512-5516	Fabric of staple fiber	10461.70	7064.63	-32.47
7201-7229	Iron or steel	26757.8	45927.86	71.64
7301-7326	Article of iron & steel	7863.59	8694.53	10.57
7601-7616	Aluminum & article thereof	3451.30	5201.95	50.72
8402-8485	Machinery & parts	47734.01	48937.56	2.52
8501-8548	Electrical goods	31413.81	30659.51	-2.40
8607-8609	Rail, tramway, locomotive	254.95	17.81	-93.01
8701-8716	Vehicle	13715.86	13962.91	1.80
8902,8903,8908	Ships, boat, floating structure	9146.77	6920.73	-24.34
9001-9033	Optical, Photo, Cinema etc.	5119.72	5095.50	-0.47
Total		683496.24	698215.75	2.15

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

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re-Exports	9537.07
03	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	12.54
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	7.83
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	6.80
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	1.33
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	0.00
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	0.00
39	Plastics and articles thereof	10.81
40	Rubber and articles thereof	19.56
42	Articles of Leather/Animal gut	0.17
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	26.88
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	0.00
49	Printed books, newspapers, pictures etc.	0.25
52	Cotton	0.00
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	0.01
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	0.00
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crotch.	8.56
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	7.59
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	15.49
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	0.03
65	Headgear and parts thereof	0.03
66	Umbrella, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	0.15
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	0.00
70	Glass and glassware	0.00
72	Iron or steel	28.00
73	Articles of iron or steel	405.36
74	Copper and articles thereof	0.01
76	Aluminum and article thereof	0.04
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	11.08
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	1.68
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	5539.92
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	102.84
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	7.76
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	3.86
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	3169.13
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph, Medical Inst.	40.90
91	Clocks & watches & parts	0.28
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	108.17

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

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re- Imports	49.05
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crotch.	45.99
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	3.06

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

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Temporary- Exports	1667.61
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	0.02
73	Articles of iron or steel	12.21
82	Tools, cutlery Spon base metal Part	2.48
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	512.85
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	11.89
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	756.21
90	Optical,photo,cinematgph. Medical inst.etc.	4.25
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	367.70

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

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Temporary- Imports	196.38
08	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	8.89
39	Plastics and articles thereof	0.14
40	Rubber and articles thereof	3.86
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	0.09
49	Printed Book, Newspaper & picture	0.06
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	0.05
63	Other made-up textile articles etc.	0.13
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	0.00
70	Glass and glassware	0.00
72	Iron or steel	0.01
73	Articles of iron or steel	9.38
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	1.25
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	0.00
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	89.32
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	7.62
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	0.23
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	49.89
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph, Medical Inst.	25.46
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	0.00

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