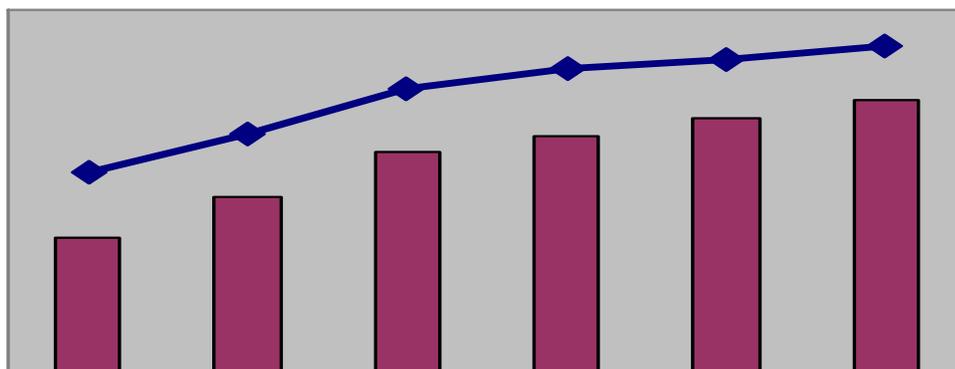


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A. FISCAL SECTOR

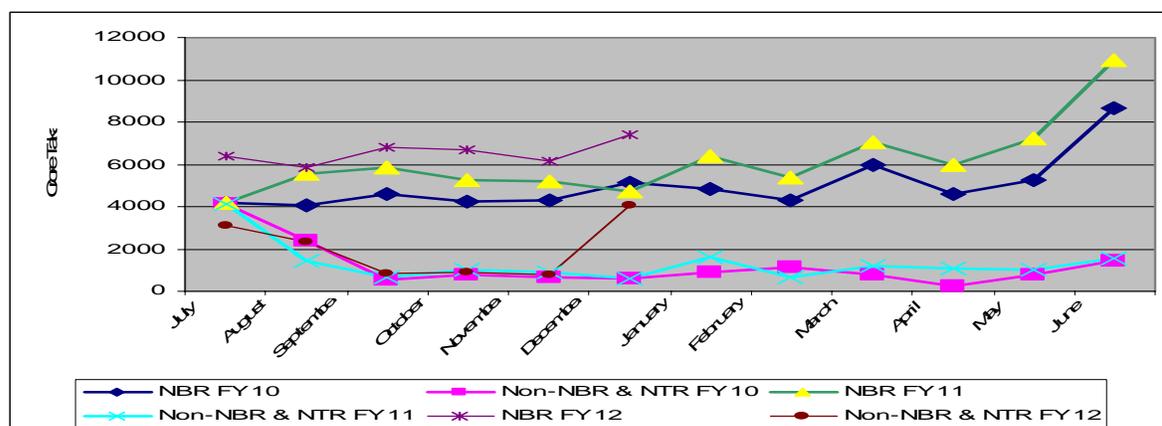
a.1 Revenue Earnings

(Taka in crore)

Fiscal Year	Tax Revenue		Non-Tax Revenue	Total Revenue
	NBR	Non-NBR		
2009-10	59396	2743	13420	75559
2010-11	76322	3229	11767	91318
Growth (%)	28.5	17.72	-12.32	20.86
2011-12				
December	7,376	289	3,767	11,432
July- December	39,314	1,617	10,614	51,545
(Growth over July- December FY '11)	(17.76%)	(9.85%)	(64.79%)	(24.81%)

Source: Integrated Budgeting & Accounting System (iBAS), Finance Division.

Chart 1: Monthly Trend of Revenue earnings (FY10-FY12)



- In FY2010-11 growth of total revenue was 20.86 percent.
- Up to December FY12, NBR Tax revenue growth was 17.76 percent.
 - Non-NBR Tax revenue increased by 9.85 percent
 - Non-Tax revenue decreased by 64.79 percent.

a.2 Grants

(Taka in crore)

2009-10	2010-11	Growth (%)	2011-12		
			December	July- December	Growth over July- Dec FY 11 (%)
3217.5	1224.8	61.93	725.5	841.1	-

Source: Integrated Budgeting & Accounting System (iBAS), Finance Division.

a.3 Government Expenditure

(Taka in crore)

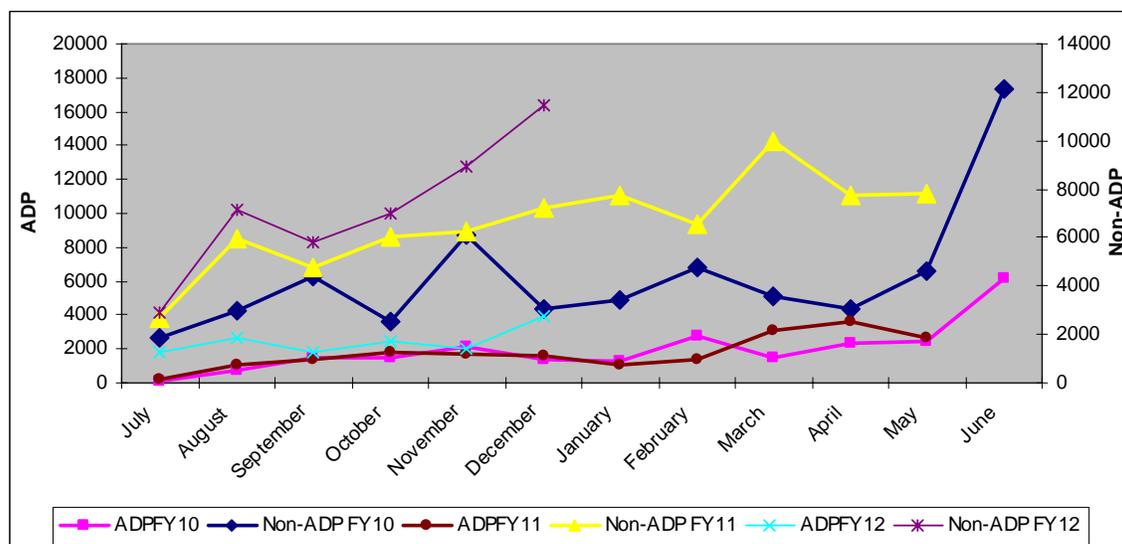
	2009-10	2010-11	Growth (%)	2011-12	
				December	July- December
1. Non-Development	73164.4	81372.0	11.22	10590.9	41160.6
Interest	14868	15151.9	1.91	1827.9	8289.8
Domestic	13497	13729.0	1.72	1455.6	7783.4
Foreign	1371	1422.9	3.79	372.3	506.4
Subsidies & Current Transfer	26964	31081.6	15.27	3006.9	14931.4
2. ADP	28113.9	33001.3	17.38	2756.9	10557.2
3. Development Program Financed from Rev. Budget	802.09	835.5	4.17	55.4	87.3
4. Non-ADP FFW	927.9	4200.0	352.63	0.1	27.2
5. Net Outlay on Food A/C	-849.9	5026.4	417.55	501.4	4371.6
6. Loans & Advances	931.3	7329.3	686.97	1734.1	5914.0
Total**	101604.0	124794.0	21.52	14233.6	62062.4

Source: Integrated Budgeting & Accounting System (iBAS), Finance Division. Figures in parentheses indicate growth over July, FY 10. ** excludes non-ADP projects, structural adjustment

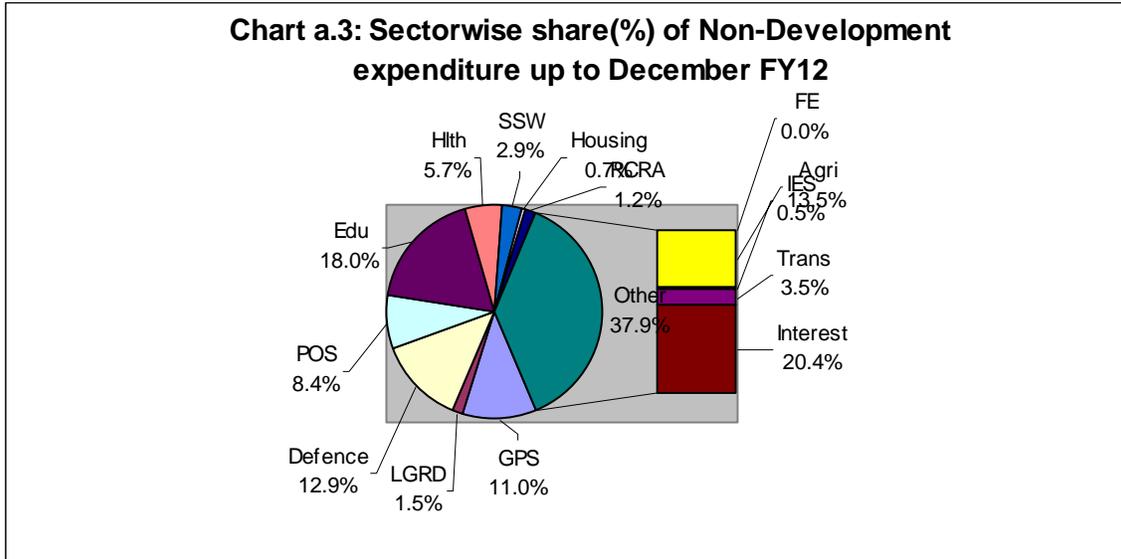
Up to December FY 12,

- Total expenditure records a growth (growth: 59.61%), of which
 - Subsidies and transfer (growth: 52.26 %)
 - Interest payments (growth: 28.53%).

Chart 2: Monthly Trend of ADP and Non-ADP Expenditure (FY 10-FY12)



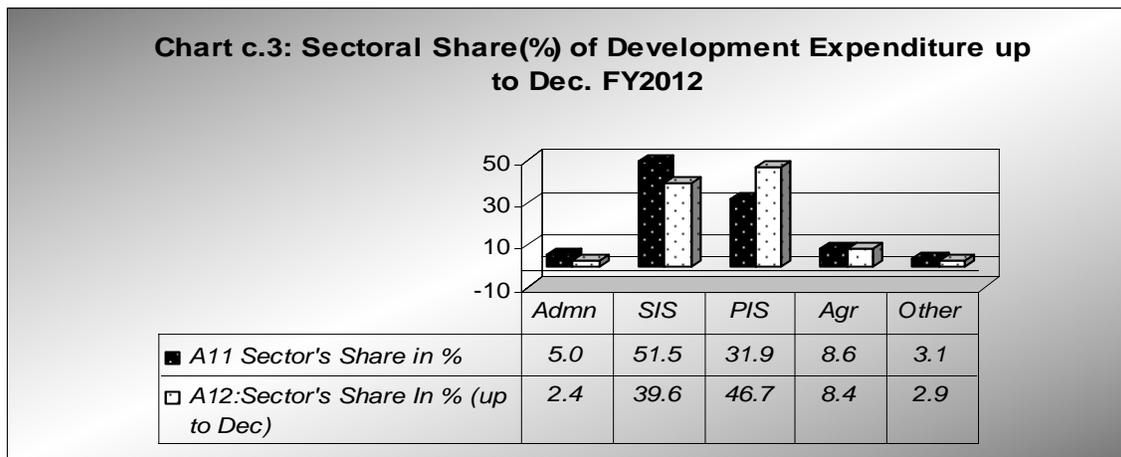
a.3.1 Structure of Revenue Expenditure



GPS = General Public Services, LGRD = LGD, RD & Cooperatives, CHTs, POS = Public Order and Safety, Edu = Education and Technology, HiIth = Health, SSW = Social Security and Welfare, RCRA = Recreation, Culture and Religious Affairs, Agri = Agriculture, Fisheries and Livestock, Land, Water Resources and Food, FE = Fuel and Energy, IES = Industries, Jute, Textiles, Commerce, Labor & Overseas, Trans = Transport and Communication

- Sector wise revenue expenditure shows that highest expenditure is in Interest payment (20.4%) followed by education (18.0%), defense (12.9%). General Public Service (11.0%)

a.3.2 Structure of ADP Expenditure



Admn = General Public Services, Defence, and Public Order and Safety, SIS = Social Infrastructure, covers Edu, health, Housing and SSW & LGRD. PIS = Physical Infrastructure, covers FE and Trans; and Others include RCRA and IES

- Sector wise ADP expenditure shows that, up to December FY12 highest shares are in Physical Infrastructure (46.7%) and next highest expenditure is in Social Infrastructure (39.6%).

a.4 Budget Balance

(Taka in crore)

	Overall Balance	Overall Balance as % of GDP
2009-10	-25699.5	-3.60
2010-11	-33475.6	-3.28
2011-12		
December *	-2779.8	-0.31
Up to December *	-10399.9	-1.16

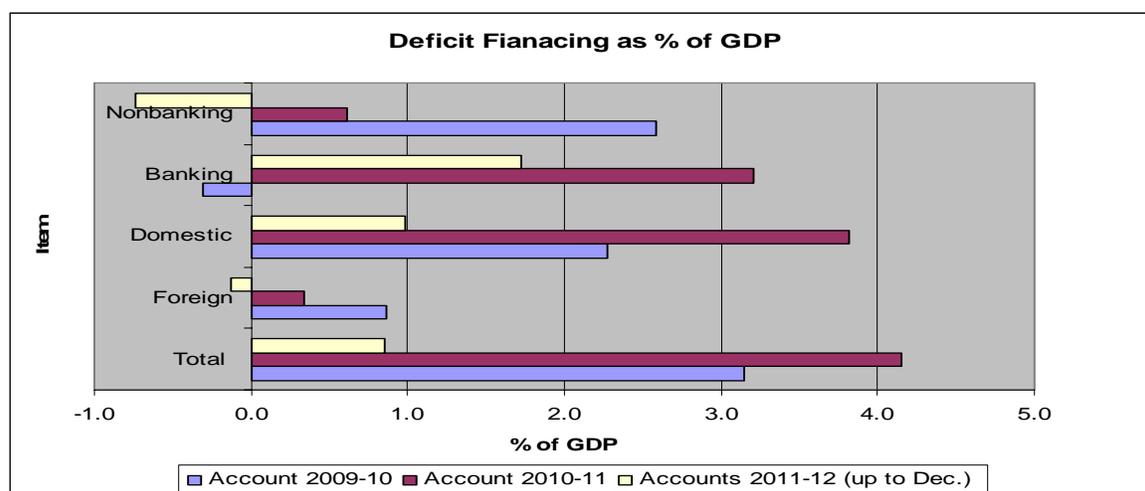
Source: Integrated Budgeting & Accounting System (iBAS), Finance Division. * excluding grants

a.5 Deficit Financing

(Taka in crore)

	External (net)	Domestic		Total Financing	Financing as % of GDP
		Bank	Non-Bank		
2009-10	6035.6	-2092.5	17911.7	21854.8	-4.70
2010-11	2232.5	25210.2	3570.6	31013.2	-3.29
2011-12					
December *	219.5	-711.2	638.4	146.7	0.09
July- December *	-1192.8	15520.6	-6661.2	7666.5	-0.21

Source: Integrated Budgeting & Accounting System (iBAS), Finance Division. *including BPC ** excluding BPC



a.6 Net Sales of NSD Certificates

(Taka in crore)

	Sales	Repayment	Net Sale	Outstanding at the end of period
2009-10	25553.69	13963.06	11590.63	61381.42
2010-11	17232.03	15175.13	2056.90	63438.32
Growth	-33.17	8.68	-82.25	3.35
2011-12				
December	1080.31	1316.56	-236.25	63772.39
July- December	8009.48	7675.41	334.07	63772.39
Growth over July- December FY11	(-12.36)	(+7.05)	(-83.04)	(+0.66)

Source: National Savings Directorate.

- Up to December of FY12, net sale was decreased by 83.04 percent than that of the previous fiscal year.

B. MONETARY SECTOR

b.1 Monetary and credit development

(Taka in crore)

	Outstanding Stock at the end of period				
	2009-10	2010-11	Growth (%)	2011-12 ^p December	Growth(%) over July- December, FY11
Net Foreign Asset	67073.70	70620.00	5.29	4452.6	66871.7 (-5.33%)
Net Domestic Asset	295957.50	369899.90	24.98	6132.6	408625.20 (24.34%)
Domestic credit	340213.70	433525.90	27.43	9046.3	481538.9 (25.94%)
Public Sector	69453.00	92813.20	33.63	-359.8	110296.3 (54.39%)
Govt. (net)	54392.30	73436.10	35.01	275.3	90995.8 (73.46%)
Other Public Sector	15060.70	19377.10	28.66	-635.1	19300.50 (1.7%)
Private Sector	270760.70	340712.90	25.84	9404.1	371242.6 (19.4%)
Broad Money	363031.20	440519.90	21.34	10673	475496.9 (19.09%)

Source: Bangladesh Bank. p. Provisional

- At the end of December FY12, broad money growth stands to 19.09 percent.
- Growth in Net Foreign Asset is -5.33 percent.

- Growth in Govt. (net) 73.46 percent
- Growth in private sector credit is 19.4 percent.

b.2 Reserve money and money multiplier

	Outstanding Stock at the end of period				
	2009-10	2010-11	Change	2011-12 (December ^P)	Change over July- December '11
Reserve money	80510.30	97500.90	16990.6	215.9	99374.2
Reserve Money multiplier	4.51	4.52	0.01	4.78	0.28

Source: Bangladesh Bank.

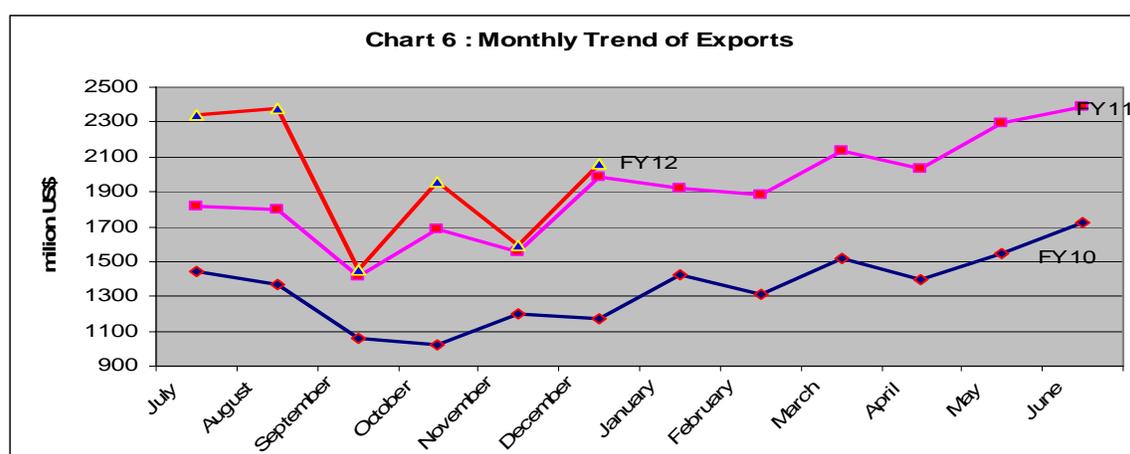
C. EXTERNAL SECTOR

c.1 Export

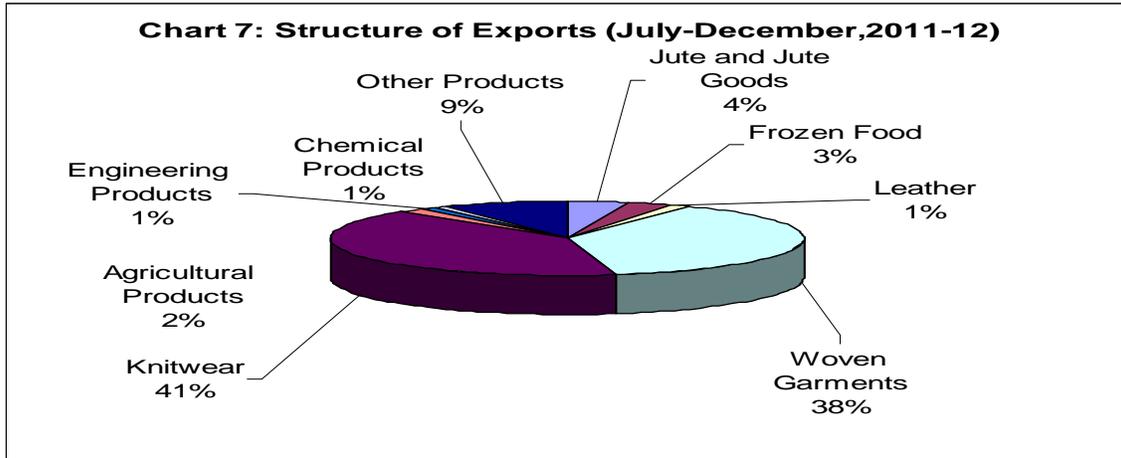
(In million US\$)

	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	
			December	July-December
Export	16204.65	22924.38	2064.85	11774.60
Growth (%)	3.95	41.47	3.85	14.72

Source: Export Promotion Bureau. *Growth over the same period of the previous fiscal year.



c.1.1 Structure of Exports



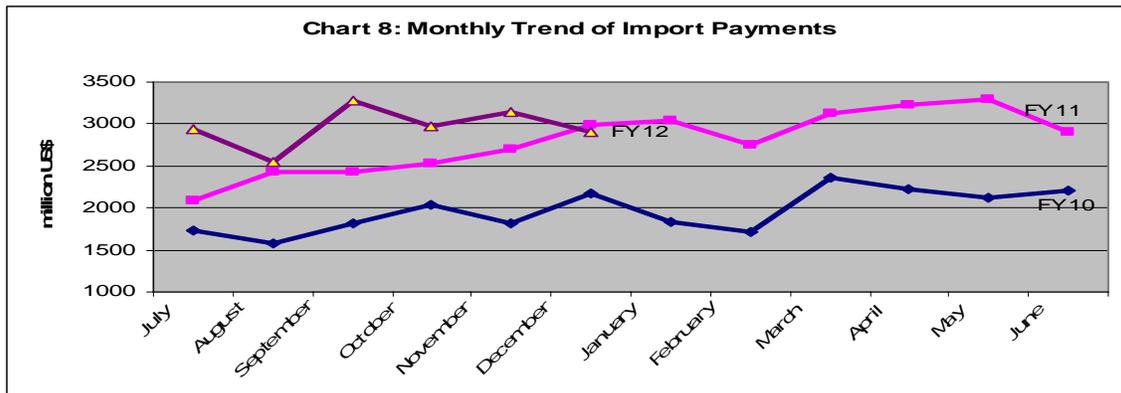
- Up to December of FY12, export earnings increased by 3.85 percent over the same period of previous year.

c.2 Imports (c & f)

(In million US\$)

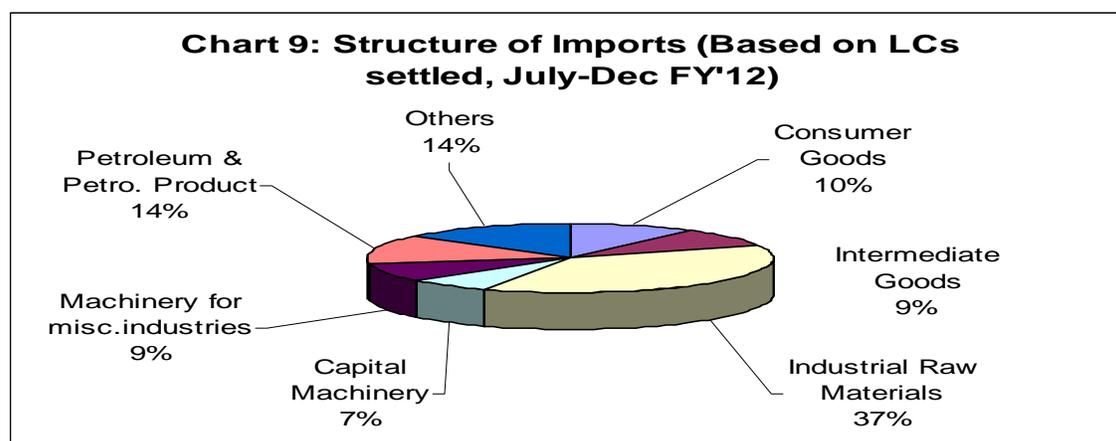
	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	
			December	July- December
Import payments	23738.40	33657.50	2910.50	17817.40
Growth (%)	5.47	41.79	-2.47	16.91
LCs Opened	28783.40	38581.12	2519.82	18207.11
Growth (%)	32.01	34.04	-23.89	-5.82
LCs Settled	23053.10	31952.18	2478.63	17428.90
Growth (%)	7.50	38.60	-13.02	16.09

Source: Bangladesh Bank. p-provisional; Growth rate (in percent) over the same period of the previous fiscal year.



- In FY 11, import payments increased by 41.79 percent compared to the previous fiscal year.
- However, up to December FY 12, import payment increased by 16.91 percent, LCs opened decreased by 5.82 percent and LCs settled increased by 16.09 percent compared to the same month of FY 11.

C.2.1 Structure of Imports (Based on LCs settled)



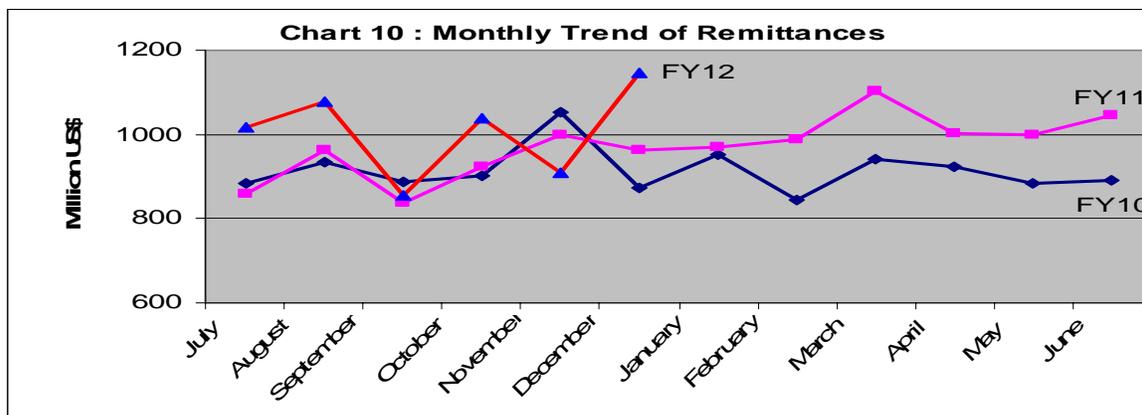
- ✓ Import of intermediate goods increased by 54.91 percent.
- ✓ Import of industrial raw materials decreased by -0.92 percent.
- ✓ Import of capital machinery increased by 23.31 percent and machinery for misc. industry increased by 14.27 percent.
- ✓ Import of petroleum and petro products increased by 130.48 percent.

c.3 Remittances

(In million US\$)

	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	
				December	July- December
Remittances	9689.26	10987.40	11650.32	1147.22	6068.30
Growth (%)	22.42	13.40	6.03	18.38	9.33
As % of GDP	10.82	11.06	11.72	-	-
As % of Export	62.25	67.80	50.82	55.56	51.54

Source: Bangladesh Bank, EPB. p. provisional, - indicates data are not available

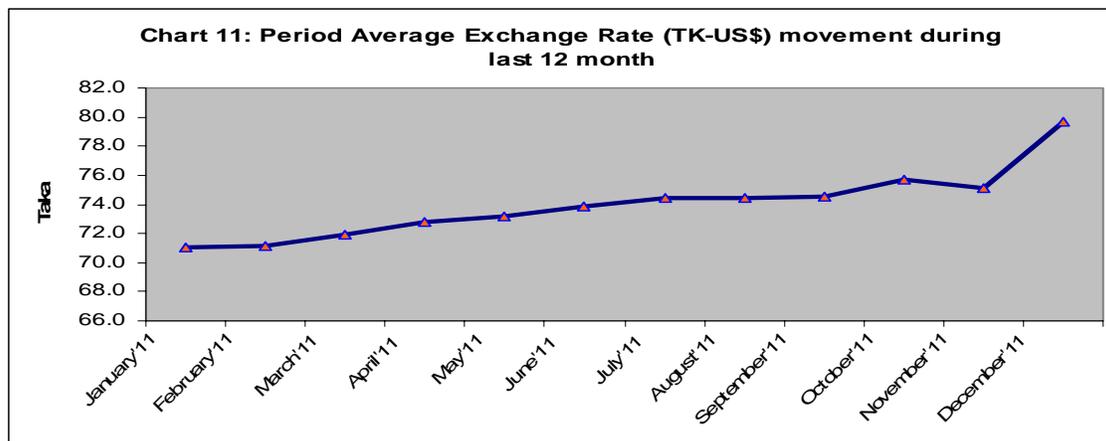


- In FY2010-11 remittances inflow records a moderate growth of 6.03 percent.
- In FY11 remittances as percent of GDP and Export were 11.72 percent and 50.82 percent respectively which are relatively higher than previous fiscal year.
- Up to December FY12, remittances inflow recorded a growth of 9.33 percent compared to the same period of FY11.

c.4 Exchange Rate Movement

	Average	End of the period
2007-08	68.60	68.52
2008-09	68.80	69.06
2009-10	69.18	69.445
2010-11	73.88	74.15
2011-2012		
July	74.48	74.71
August	74.41	73.62
September	74.57	75.23
October	75.72	76.20
November	75.14	76.48
December	79.67	81.85

Source: Bangladesh Bank



- Exchange rate of Taka per US\$ increased to Tk. 79.67 at the end of December, 2011 from Tk.74.48 at the end of July, 2011. Taka depreciated by 6.97 percent as of end December, 2011 over end July, 2011.

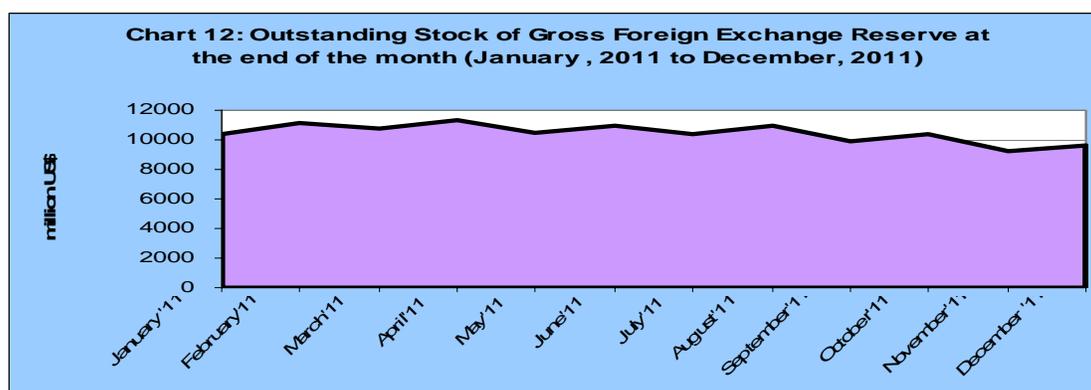
c.5 Foreign Exchange Reserve

(In million US\$)

	2009-10	2010-11	As on end of December '11
Reserve	10749.74	10911.55	9634.85
In month of import payment	4.5	3.89	3.31

Source: Bangladesh Bank.

- The gross foreign exchange balances held abroad by commercial banks stood at US\$ 9634.85 million by end December, 2011 against US\$9285.20 million by end November, 2011.
- On the basis of average import payment during July 2011 to December 2011, the foreign exchange reserve is equivalent to 3.31 months import payments.

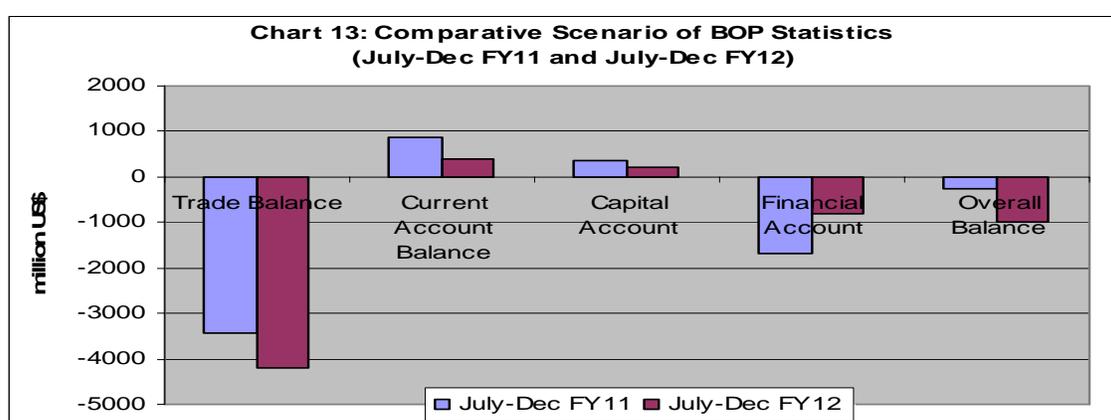


c.6 Balance of Payments

(In million US\$)

	2009-10	2010-11	2010-11 (July- December)	2011-12 ^P (July- December)
Trade Balance	-5155	-7328	-3448	-4195
Current Account Balance	3724	995	865	409
Capital Account	512	600	357	224
Financial Account	-651	-1584	-1694	-805
Overall Balance	2865	-925	-268	-998

Source: Bangladesh Bank. p- provisional



- In FY11, Current Account Balance had a surplus of US 995 million, which was US\$ 3724 million in the same period of the previous fiscal year.
- Current account balance records a surplus of 409 million US\$ during July-December of FY12, which was 865 million US\$ in the same period of the previous fiscal year.

D. REAL SECTOR

d.1 Gross Domestic Product

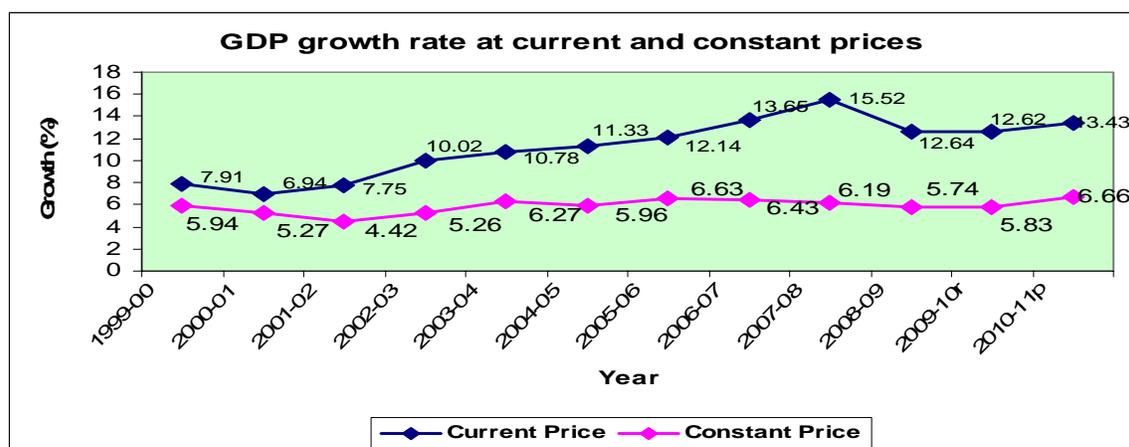
(Taka in Crore)

	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11 ^P
GDP at constant prices	302971	321726	340197	360047	384885
Growth (%)	6.43	6.19	5.74	5.83	6.66
Agriculture	4.56	3.20	4.12	4.67	4.96
Industry	8.38	6.78	6.46	6.01	8.16
Service	6.92	6.49	6.32	6.38	6.63
GDP at current prices	472477	545822	614795	692380	787495

Growth (%)	13.65	15.52	12.60	12.62	13.42
GNI at current prices	507752	594212	670696	758684	852822
Per capita GDP (Tk.)	33607	38330	42628	47405	53236
Per capita GNI (Tk.)	36116	41728	46504	51945	57652
Per capita GDP (US\$)	487	559	620	685	755
Per capita GNI (US\$)	523	608	676	751	818

Source: Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics. R- Revised.

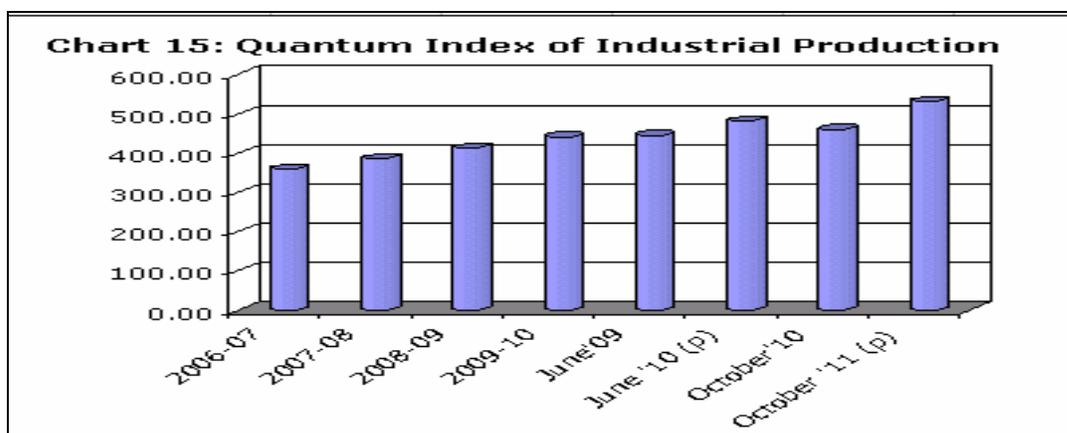
- Real GDP growth in FY2010-11 was 6.66 percent of which
 - Growth in Agriculture as per revised was 4.96 percent
 - Growth in Industry is estimated 8.16 percent
 - Service sector growth is estimated at 6.63 percent.
- Per capita GDP in FY2010-11 exceeded US\$ 750 mark and reached to US\$ 755.



d.2 Quantum Index of Industrial Production (Large and Medium Scale Manufacturing Industry, Base: 1988-89=100)

FY	Index	Growth Rate
2006-07	360.33	9.74
2007-08	386.48	7.27
2008-09	413.42	6.97
2009-10	442.12	6.94
2010-2011 ^P		
October '10	461.10	-
October '11 ^P	533.23	-

Source: BBS; R: revised; P: provisional



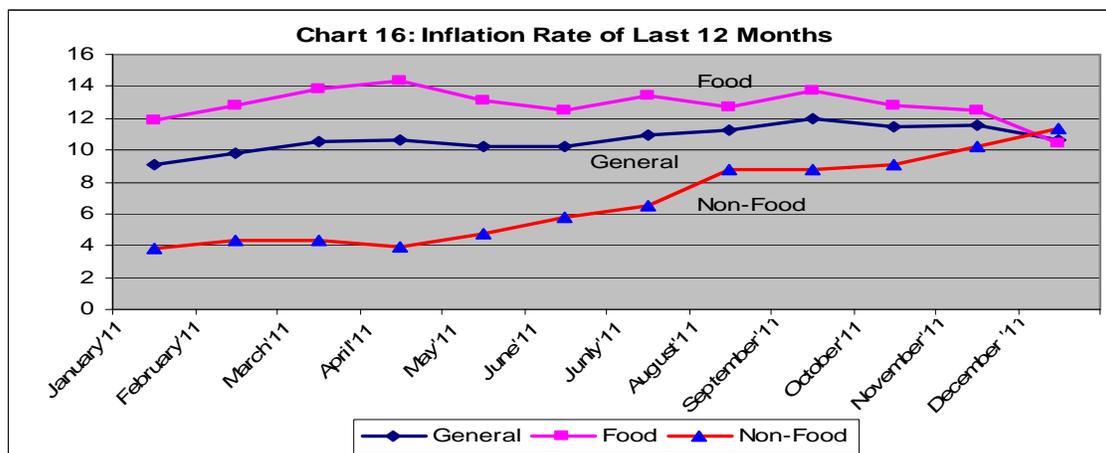
- The growth rate of the Quantum Index of Industrial Production (Large and Medium Scale Manufacturing Industry) was 6.94 percent in FY 10 which was 6.97 percent in FY 09.
- In June'10, the average index stood at 482.66 which was 8.43 percent higher compared to the same period of June'09.
- In October'11, the average index was 533.23 which was 15.6 percent higher compared to October'10.

d.3 Consumer Price Index and Inflation (National)

FY	CPI (General)	Twelve-Month Average Basis		
		National	Food	Non-Food
2006-07	176.04	7.20	8.11	5.90
2007-08	193.54	9.94	12.28	6.32
2008-09	206.43	6.66	7.19	5.91
2009-10	221.53	7.31	8.53	5.45
2010-11	241.02	8.80	11.34	4.15
2010-11	Twelve-Month Point to Point Basis			
September	236.53	7.61	9.72	3.69
October	238.68	6.86	8.43	3.82
November	238.89	7.54	9.80	3.33
December	240.75	8.28	11.01	3.27
January	242.48	9.04	11.91	3.85
February	244.28	9.79	12.77	4.36
March	245.97	10.49	13.87	4.32
April	246.24	10.67	14.36	3.97
May	246.39	10.20	13.16	4.78
June	249.11	10.17	12.51	5.73
2011-12				
July	254.72	10.96	13.40	6.46
August	259.66	11.29	12.70	8.76
September	264.85	11.97	13.75	8.77

October	265.94	11.42	12.82	9.05
November	266.55	11.58	12.47	10.19
December	266.34	10.63	10.40	11.38

Source: Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics.



- In FY11 the average rate of inflation (Twelve-Month Average Basis) recorded at 8.80 percent. The food and non-food inflation were 11.34 percent and 4.15 percent respectively.
- In December FY11, the rate of inflation (General) on point-to-point basis stood at 8.28 percent which increased substantially to 10.63 percent in December FY12. However, the food and non-food inflation were 11.01 percent and 3.21 percent respectively during the same period of FY11.
- In December of FY12, the rate of inflation (national) on point-to-point basis was 10.63 percent, of which, food and non-food inflations were 10.40 percent and 11.38 percent respectively (Table d3 above).