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Compilation and dissemination of Foreign Trade Statistics (FTS) is one of the core activities of Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS). Considering the importance of FTS, BBS has been compiling and publishing it on an annual basis since 1973-74. Since February 2007, BBS has been publishing **Monthly Advance Release** on FTS to satisfy the users' need. It is an outcome of the BBS efforts towards the improvement of FTS.

This monthly release is based on the data available from National Board of Revenue (NBR) and Bangladesh Bank (BB). NBR provides export and import data on goods while BB provides such data on services. We are thankful to NBR and BB which have continued to help us in providing data in bringing out this publication.

Data presented in this publication are provisional and subject to revision. All these provisional data will be subsequently reviewed and revised. The revised data will be presented in the upcoming issues.

I firmly believe this publication will play a significant role as an effective market research tool to planners, policy makers, researchers, the business community and others. Comments and suggestions from users regarding any inclusion, omission or presentation of data for improvement of the publication are most welcome.

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### **Total Trade (Goods & Services)**

In July, 2009 total exports and imports of goods and services were recorded at Tk.109.00 billion and Tk. 103.44 billion respectively resulting in a trade surplus of goods and services of Tk.5.56 billion. The exports in July, 2009 were Tk2.64 billion higher than that in June, 2009 and the imports in July, 2009 were Tk.55.54 billion lower than that in June, 2009.

### **Goods**

In July, 2009, the trade surplus for goods appeared to Tk.16.15 billion as against trade deficit of Tk.42.03 billion in June, 2009. The exports of goods in July, 2009 have increased by 2.70% over against that in June, 2009 and the imports of goods in July, 2009 have decreased by 39.73% as compared to that in June, 2009. The export of goods in July, 2009 is Tk100.42 billion as against Tk.104.23 billion in July, 2008. The import of goods in July, 2009 is Tk.84.27 billion as against Tk.165.87 billion in July, 2008.

### **Services**

In July, 2009, the trade deficit for services increases to Tk 10.59 billion as against Tk 2.35 billion in June, 2009. The exports of services in July, 2009 have decreased by 43.52% over against June, 2009 and the imports of services in July, 2009 have increased by 9.29% as compared with that in June, 2009. The export of services in July, 2009 is Tk.8.58 billion which was Tk.8.92 billion in July, 2008. The import of services in July, 2009 is Tk.19.17 billion as against Tk.20.94 billion in July, 2008.

### **Three months moving Average of exports and imports**

For the three months ending in June, 2009, the moving average of exports of goods and services was Tk.109.07 billion, while the moving average of imports of goods and services was Tk.138.59 billion resulting in an average trade deficit of Tk.29.52 billion. For the three months ending in May, 2009, the average trade deficit was Tk.55.73 billion, reflecting average exports of Tk 103.68 billion and average imports of Tk 159.41 billion.

**Table 1. Export, Import and Trade deficits**

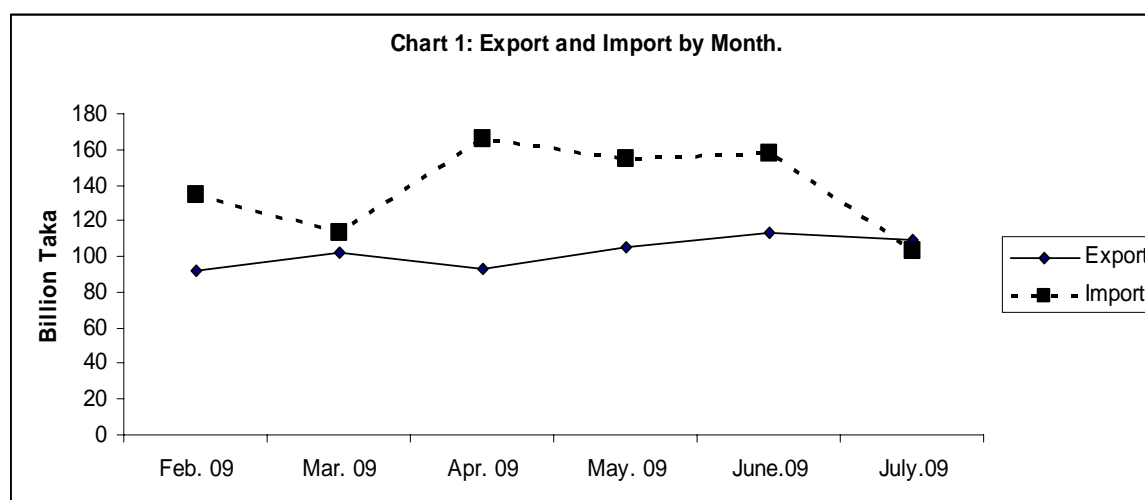
(Billion Taka)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Services	Total	Goods	Services	Total	Goods	Services
<b>2007-08</b>	<b>1087.06</b>	<b>963.79</b>	<b>123.27</b>	<b>1727.04</b>	<b>1496.72</b>	<b>230.32</b>	<b>-639.98</b>	<b>-532.93</b>	<b>-107.05</b>

**2008-09**

Feb. 09	92.11	85.01	7.10	134.62	118.49	16.13	-42.51	-33.48	-9.03
Mar. 09	101.89	89.89	12.00	112.81	93.36	19.45	-10.92	-3.47	-7.45
Apr. 09	92.83	81.45	11.38	165.91	148.19	17.72	-73.08	-66.74	-6.34
May. 09	105.25	93.72	11.53	154.98	135.58	19.40	-49.73	-41.86	-7.87
June.09	112.97	97.78	15.19	157.35	139.81	17.54	-44.38	-42.03	-2.35
July.09	109.00	100.42	8.58	103.44	84.27	19.17	5.56	16.15	-10.59

Note: + denotes surplus and - denotes deficits



**Table 2: Export, Import and Trade deficits**

(Million U.S. \$)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service
<b>2007-08</b>	<b>15864.8</b>	<b>14065.8</b>	<b>1799.0</b>	<b>25205.0</b>	<b>21843.6</b>	<b>3361.4</b>	<b>-9358.2</b>	<b>-7777.8</b>	<b>-1562.4</b>

**2008-09**

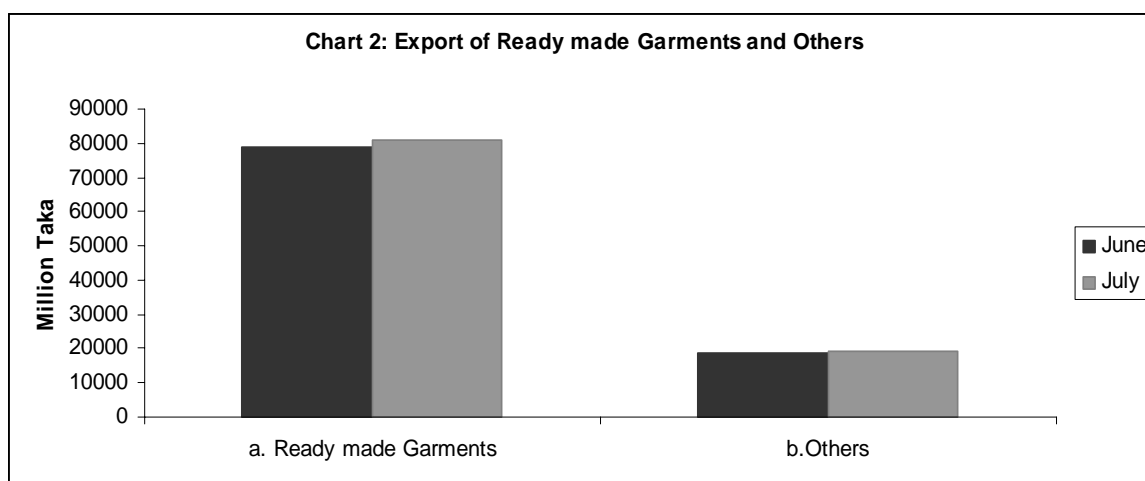
Feb. 09	1335.9	1232.9	103.0	1952.5	1718.5	234.0	-616.6	-485.6	-131.0
Mar. 09	1477.5	1303.5	174.0	1635.8	1353.8	282.0	-158.3	-50.3	-108.0
Apr. 09	1346.4	1181.4	165.0	2406.57	2149.5	257.0	-1060.2	-968.1	-92.0
May. 09	1524.7	1357.7	167.0	2245.1	1964.1	281.0	-720.4	-606.4	-114
June. 09	1636.0	1416.0	220.0	2278.8	2024.8	254.0	-642.8	-608.8	-34
July.09	1575.2	1451.2	124.0	1494.7	1217.7	277.0	80.5	233.5	-15.3

Note: + denotes surplus and - denotes deficits

**Table 3. Percent Change from the Previous Month (Goods)**

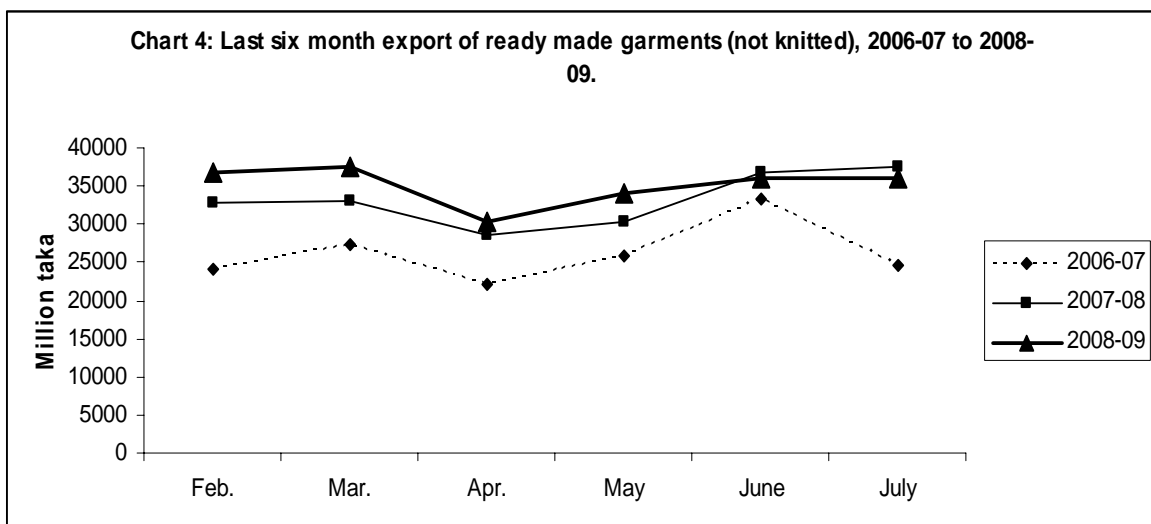
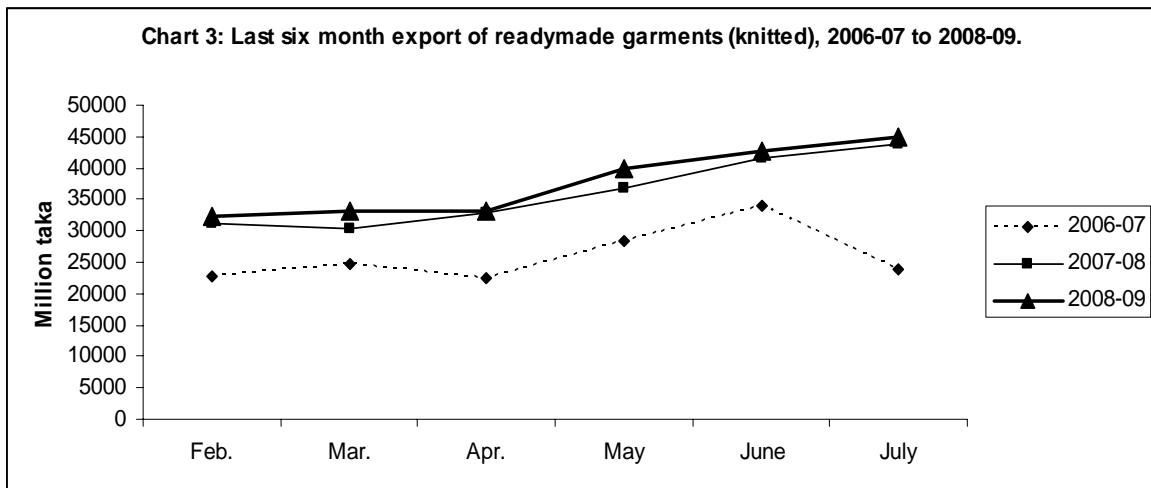
(Million Taka)

Items	2008-09		Percent Change from the previous Month
	June	July	
<b>1. Export (Commodities )</b>	<b>97778</b>	<b>100425</b>	2.71
of which			
a. Ready made Garments	78826.89	81111.09	2.90
b Made up textile article	2375.64	2591.1	9.07
c. Vegetable textile fibre/yarn	2741.5	2386.22	-12.96
d. Petroleum oil /oil bituminus	2027.39	1085.7	-46.45
e. Footwear	1195.19	1466.72	22.72
f. Special woven fabrics	705.98	848.56	20.20
g. Raw hides, skins & leathers	1004.4	1032.98	2.85
h Bicycle	640.63	575.54	-10.16
i. Shrimps and prawn	1911.99	1960.12	2.52
j. Fertilizer	672.15	1205.57	79.36
k. Others	5676.24	6161.4	8.55
<b>2. Import (Commodities)</b>	<b>139811</b>	<b>84267</b>	-39.73
of which			
a. Petroleum product and oil	23112.08	5212.54	-77.45
b. Soya bean and Palm oil	11306.81	7106.24	-37.15
c. Machinery & parts	11259.58	6794.56	-39.66
d. Electrical Machinery	6357.57	8456.45	33.01
e. Raw cotton	6264.8	3189.99	-49.08
f. Iron and steel	7622.33	1804.7	-76.32
g wheat	2288.37	105	-95.41
h. Fertilizer	56.82	901.91	1487.31
i. Plastics and articles	4294.27	3038.22	-29.25
j Ships and boats floating structure	1284.47	2379.74	85.27
k. Others	65963.9	45277.65	-31.36
<b>3. Trade balance(1-2)</b>	<b>-42033</b>	<b>16158</b>	<b>-138.44</b>



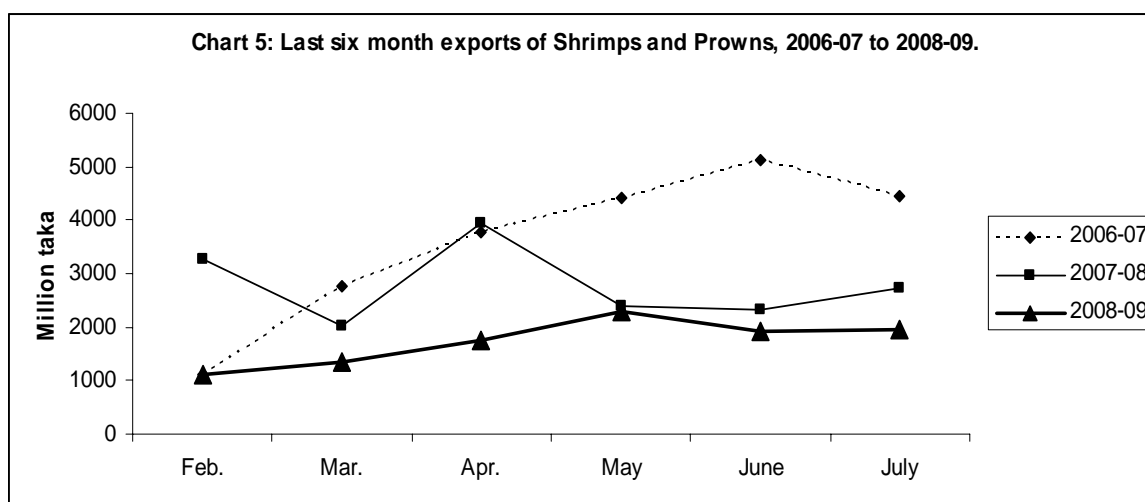
**Table 4: Last six month export of Ready made Garments during 2006-07 to 2008-09.**

Month	Ready made Garments (Knitted)			Ready made Garments (Not Knitted)		
	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
February	22692	31130	32181	23994	32843	36750
March	24637	30459	33181	27416	32926	37399
April	22350	32857	33097	22157	28487	30276
May	28273	36816	39973	25747	30306	34094
June	33933	41467	42705	33415	36886	36122
July	23807	43786	45009	24618	37478	36102



**Table 5: Last six month export of Raw Hides, Skins & Leather and Shrimps and Prawn during 2006-07 to 2008-09.**

Month	Raw Hides, Skins & Leather			Shrimps and Prawn		
	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
February	1567	1136	617	1118	3274	1097
March	1766	1812	1023	2777	2023	1357
April	1647	1653	831	3784	3951	1750
May	1600	1709	870	4411	2390	2277
June	1460	1555	1004	5136	2324	1912
July	1417	1353	1033	4457	2737	1960

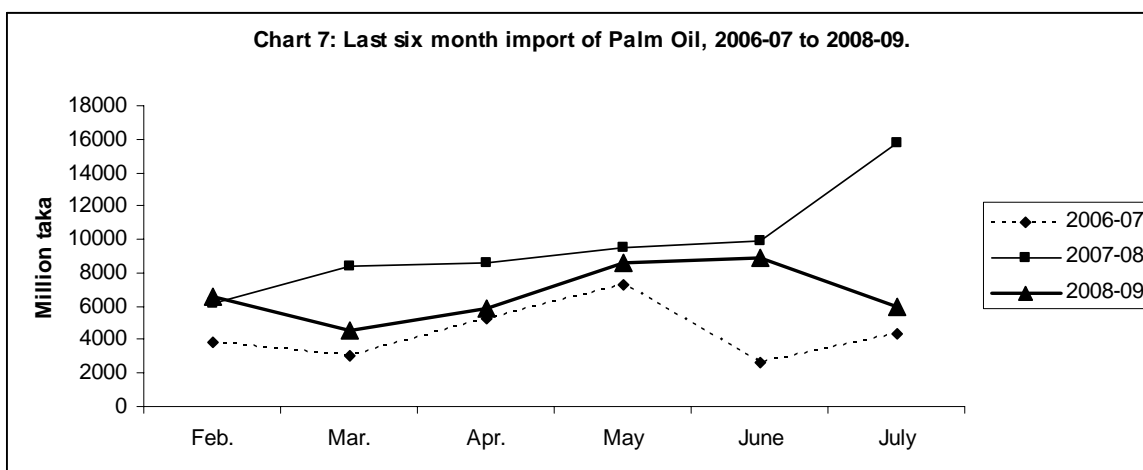
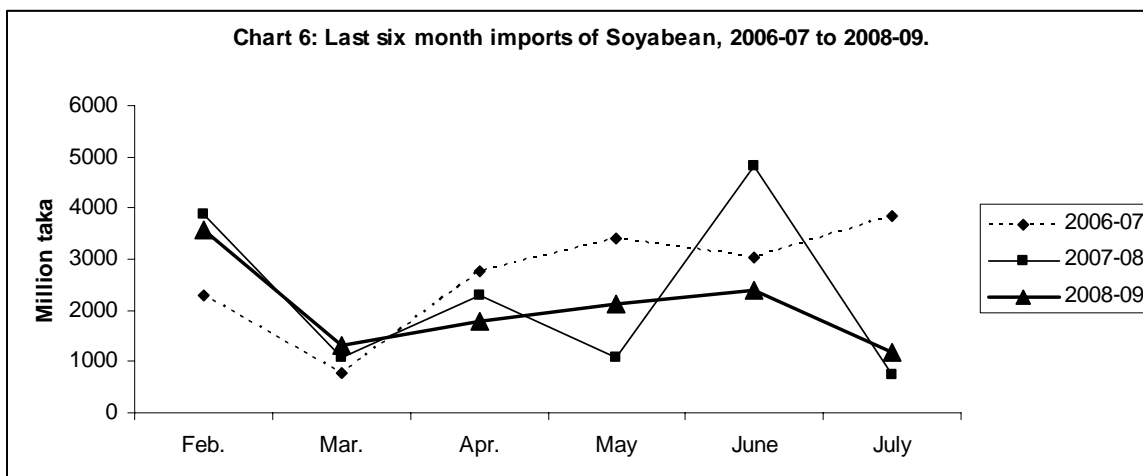


**Table 6: Last six month import of Machinery & Parts and Electrical Machinery during 2006-07 to 2008-09.**

Month	Machinery & Parts			Electrical Machinery		
	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
February	9485	11533	9149	9897	7139	8942
March	12014	10366	7476	11575	7740	6313
April	11427	12861	9171	11822	10687	7772
May	11903	12198	12706	10026	10018	6830
June	8770	12102	11451	8649	9290	6358
July	9386	17400	6795	9507	14208	8456

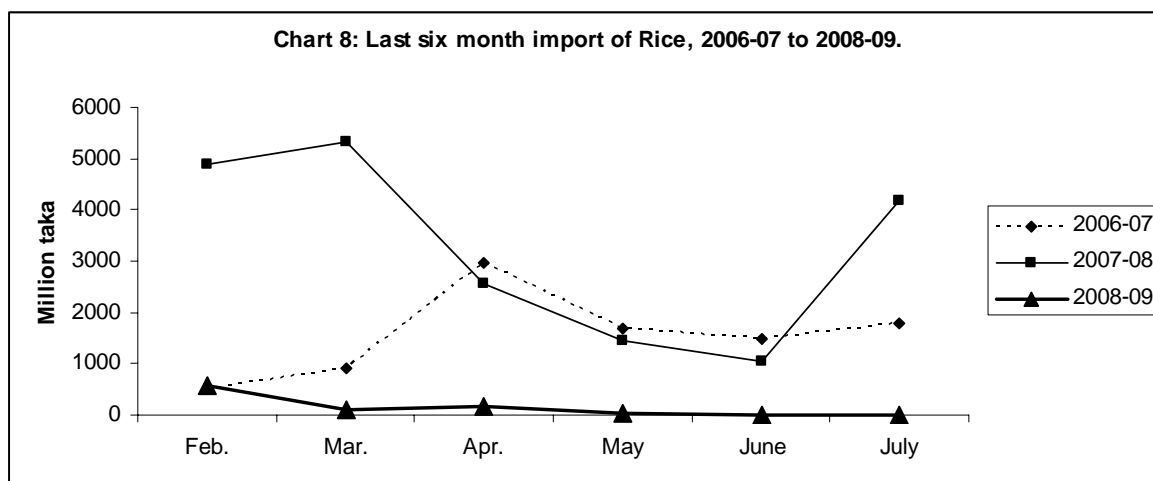
**Table 7: Last six month imports of Soya bean and Palm Oil during 2006-07 to 2008-09.**

Month	Soya bean			Palm Oil		
	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
February	2282	3890	3560	3801	6195	6526
March	792	1076	1310	3077	8414	4547
April	2780	2305	1783	5269	8596	5829
May	3420	1071	2112	7285	9496	8641
June	3037	4826	2387	2582	9893	8920
July	3843	731	1185	4319	15822	5921



**Table 8: Last six month import of Rice and Wheat during 2006-07 to 2008-09.**

Month	Rice			Wheat		
	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
February	490	4895	585	2005	3496	4166
March	917	5328	92	779	647	4209
April	2957	2562	162	1734	944	5386
May	1700	1435	40	4402	2355	4963
June	1477	1054	3	2702	3389	2288
July	1790	4164	-	623	263	1



**Table 9: Last six month import of Iron & Steel and Plastics & articles during 2006-07 to 2008-09.**

Month	Iron & Steel			Plastics & articles		
	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
February	5645	1122	5808	3923	4372	3439
March	3782	4540	5458	4190	4268	2904
April	4186	4716	11093	4344	5444	5006
May	3932	7258	8469	3733	4473	4019
June	3858	5786	7622	3260	4882	4294
July	4355	8930	1805	3660	6991	3038

**Table 10. Point to Point Percent change in External Trade (Goods)**

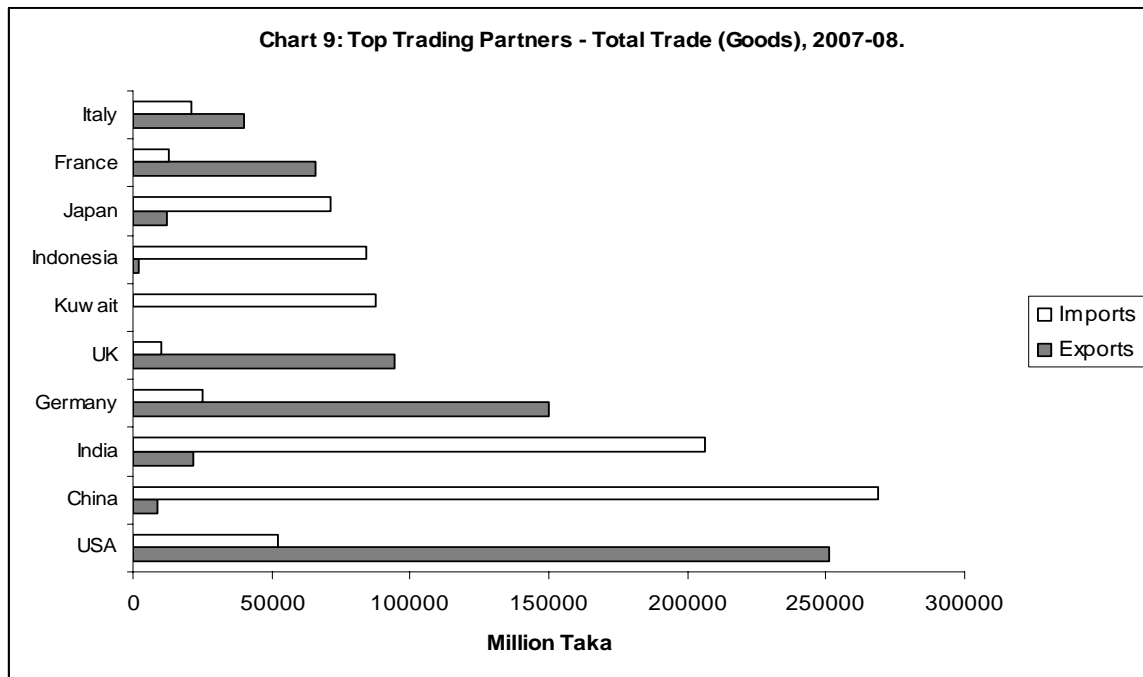
(Million Taka)

Items	May-July			July		
	2007-08	2008-09	Change in Percent	2008	2009	Change in Percent
1. Export(Commodities )	291586	291925	0.11	104228	100425	-3.65
2. Import (Commodities)	474612	359660	-24.22	165867	84267	-49.20
3. Trade balance(1-2)	-183026	-67735	-62.99	-61639	16158	-73.79

**Table11. Top Trading Partners – Total Trade (Goods), 2007-08**

(Million Taka)

Country	Exports	Imports	Total	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
USA	251465	52084	303549	1	12.23
China	8573	268890	277463	2	11.18
India	21556	206664	225526	3	9.08
Germany	149852	25338	175190	4	7.06
UK	94579	9888	104467	5	4.21
Kuwait	668	87264	87932	6	3.54
Indonesia	2173	84083	86256	7	3.47
Japan	12511	71236	83747	8	3.37
France	66126	13067	79193	9	3.19
Italy	40009	21191	61200	10	2.47



**Table 12. Top Trading Partners – Exports (Goods), 2007-08**

(Million Taka)

Country	Export	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
USA	251465	1	25.50
Germany	149852	2	15.20
UK	94579	3	9.59
France	66126	4	6.71
Netherlands	45231	5	4.59
Spain	41153	6	4.17
Italy	40009	7	4.06
Belgium	36896	8	3.74
Canada	36771	9	3.73
India	21556	10	2.19

**Table 13. Top Trading Partners – Imports (Goods), 2007-08**

(Million Taka)

Country	Import	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
China	268890	1	17.97
India	206664	2	13.81
Kuwait	87264	3	5.83
Indonesia	84083	4	5.62
Japan	71236	5	4.76
Rep. of Korea	54461	6	3.64
USA	52084	7	3.48
Malaysia	48820	8	3.26
Thailand	45689	9	3.05
Uzbekistan	44196	10	2.95

**Table 14. Monthly Merchandise Exports (2 digit HS code)**

HS Chapter	Commodities	(Million Taka)		
		2008-2009		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
1	Live animals	-	-	-
2	Meat and edible meat offal	-	-	-
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	2216.99	2225.26	0.37
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	16.16	20.41	26.30
5	Products of animal origin	22.24	25.57	14.97
6	Live tree and other plants etc.	218.38	239.4	9.63
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	337.22	383.16	13.62
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	111.66	109.44	-1.99
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	39.97	40.54	1.43
10	Cereals	5.84	135.58	2221.58
11	Product of milling industry : malt etc.	0.18	0.5	177.78
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	9.51	16.15	69.82
13	Lac, gum resin vegetable sap/ extract	0.79	-	-
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	0.19	0.53	178.95
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	22.52	32.04	42.27
16	Prepared of meat or fish etc.	19.91	6.47	-67.50
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	55.63	66.01	18.66
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparations	0.04	0.03	-25.00
19	Prepared of cereals, flour, starch etc.	129.5	182.01	40.55
20	Prepared of vegetable fruits, nuts, etc.	100.81	92.06	-8.68
21	Misc. edible preparations	2.01	0.18	-91.04
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	7.86	7.17	-8.78
23	Residues & waste from the food industry	12.65	6.48	-48.77
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	332.71	385.48	15.86
25	Salt, sulphur, etc. and plastering metals stone cement	11.26	10.16	-9.77
26	Ores, slag and ash	54.13	3.87	-92.85
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	2027.39	1120.2	-44.75
28	Inorganic. chem.: compounds of specious metals etc.	174.79	55.96	-67.98
29	Organic chemicals	7.24	5.4	-25.41
30	Pharmaceutical products	193.67	248.33	28.22
31	Fertilizers	672.15	1205.57	79.36
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	3.25	1.64	-49.54
33	Essential oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	9.19	1.04	-88.68

**Table 14. Monthly Merchandise Exports (2 digit HS code)**

(Million Taka)

HS Chapter	Commodities	2008-2009		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	6.12	11.09	81.21
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	4	10.83	170.75
36	Explosive Pyrotechnic Products	7.08	0.07	-99.01
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	0.08	-	-
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	1.7	3.98	134.12
39	Plastics and articles thereof	210.13	261.69	24.54
40	Rubber and articles thereof	71.41	16.38	-77.06
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1004.4	1032.98	2.85
42	Art of saddlery & harness etc.	100.51	98.97	-1.53
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	-	-	-
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	5.29	8.47	60.11
45	Cork and articles of cork	-	-	-
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	41.8	25.15	-39.83
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulose materials etc.	-	-	-
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	118.42	141.29	19.31
49	Printed books, news papers, pictures etc.	357.58	8.96	-97.49
50	Silk	0.34	0.05	-85.29
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	0.17	-	-
52	Cotton	446.62	499.49	11.84
53	Other vegetable, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	2741.5	2386.22	-12.96
54	Man-made filaments	103.9	99.29	-4.44
55	Man-made staple fibres	124.97	122.25	-2.18
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	161.06	164.5	2.14
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	26.58	34.35	29.23
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted tex.fabrics etc.	705.98	848.56	20.20
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	33.2	37.16	11.93
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	104.56	93.72	-10.37
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crocht.	42704.61	45009.31	5.40
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/ crocht.	36122.28	36101.78	-0.06
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	2375.64	2591.1	9.07
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	1195.19	1466.72	22.72
65	Headgear and parts thereof	219.52	199.34	-9.19

**Table 14. Monthly Merchandise Exports (2 digit HS code)**

HS Chapter	Commodities	(Million Taka)		
		2008-2009		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	-	-	
67	Prepared feathers & down/articles etc.	11.06	2.3	-79.20
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	6.97	-	-
69	Ceramic products	136.96	193.56	41.33
70	Glass and glassware	18.09	5.87	-67.55
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones etc.	-	0.81	-
72	Iron or steel	223.51	191.39	-14.37
73	Articles of iron or steel	40.19	97.06	141.50
74	Copper and articles thereof	235.73	141.36	-40.03
75	Nickel and articles thereof	4.07	1.8	-55.77
76	Aluminum and article thereof	7.25	3.37	-53.52
78	Lead and articles thereof	0.39	-	-
79	Zinc and articles thereof	9.19	7.74	-15.78
80	Tin and articles thereof	-	2.19	-
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	-	-	-
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	0.67	5.75	758.21
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	0.19	5.64	2868.42
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	194.48	123.31	-36.60
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	135.84	82.6	-39.19
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	2.25	206.6	9082.22
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	656.52	1246.97	89.94
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	2.64	1.64	-37.88
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	7.76	12.2	57.22
90	Optical, photograph, cinematgph. Medical inst. etc.	123.41	60.95	-50.61
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	2.45	0.88	-64.08
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	-	0.85	-
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	2.35	-	-
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	46.4	38.75	-16.49
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	52.66	58.62	11.32
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	43.45	29.99	-30.98
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	2.49	2.15	-13.65
98	Miscellaneous national provisions	0.05	0.12	140.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>97777.5</b>	<b>100425</b>	<b>2.71</b>

**Table 15. Monthly Export of major commodities (4 digits)**

(Million Taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2008-09		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
0303	Fish frozen	188.24	173.64	-7.76
0304	Fish fillet, other fish meal	-	-	-
0305	Fish dried	16.81	17.03	1.31
0306	Shrimps & prawns frozen	1911.99	1960.12	2.52
0307	Molluscs	25.93	4.28	-83.49
0506	Bone and horn- cores	45.33	-	-
0709	Vegetable fresh, chilled other	309.02	340.36	10.14
0902	Tea	8.94	5.45	-39.04
1006	Rice	5.84	76.41	1208.39
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	315.6	370.18	17.29
2710	Naphtha	1382.59	1085.7	-21.47
3003,3004	Pharmaceutical product	180.27	236.43	31.15
3901-3926	Plastic & articles thereof	210.13	261.69	24.54
4102	Raw hides & skin of sheep's or lambs	-	-	-
4103	Raw hides and skin other	4.15	2.74	-33.98
4104	Tanned or crust hides and skin of bobbin	42.9	509.98	1088.76
4105	Tanned or crust skins of sheep or lambs	50.81	12.69	-75.02
4106	Tanned or crust hides and skins or other animals	77.94	52.83	-32.22
4107	Leather hole hides and skins or crusting	378.02	411.89	8.96
4113	Leather further prepared after tanning or crusting including parchment-dressed leather of other animals	67.7	42.69	-36.94
4202	Trunks, suit-case, vanity-cases, brief cases, and other	45.99	41.94	-8.81
4602	Basket work, wicker work, and other articles	41.8	25.15	-39.83
5303	Jute and other textile bast fibres, raw or retted	969.31	444.79	-54.11
5307	Jute yarn	1485.36	1605.66	8.10
5310	Woven fabrics and jutes or of other textile bast fibres	266.83	335.77	25.84
5607	Jute twine, cordage, roofs and cables	100.09	101.3	1.21
6101-6117	Readymade garments men's women's and girls knitted and crocheted	42704.61	45009.04	5.40
6201-6217	Readymade garments men's women's and girls not knitted and crocheted	36122.28	36101.78	-0.06
6305	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods	545.77	648.27	18.78
6401-6406	Foot ware with outer soles and uppers of rubber or of plastics and other	1195.19	1466.72	22.72
6505	Heads and other headgear, knitted or crocheted	215.91	195.15	-9.62
	<b>Total</b>	<b>88915.4</b>	<b>91539.7</b>	<b>2.95</b>

**Table 16. Monthly Merchandise import (2 digit HS Code)**

(Million Taka)

HS Chapter	Commodities	2008-09		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
1	Live animals	85.07	7.4	-91.30
2	Meat and edible meat offal	1.22	0.98	-19.67
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	196.29	131.47	-33.02
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	1176.15	586.18	-50.16
5	Products of animal origin	62.47	57.88	-7.35
6	Live tree and other plants etc.	8.81	0.97	-88.99
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	2718.71	1425.1	-47.58
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	440.69	157.87	-64.18
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	328.64	255.1	-22.38
10	Cereals	2322.81	110.95	-95.22
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	221.58	98.42	-55.58
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	1904.94	193.51	-89.84
13	Lac, gums, resins , vegetable saps & extra	24.89	15.04	-39.57
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	15.52	6.81	-56.12
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	11488.05	7209.25	-37.25
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	4.81	3.47	-27.86
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	3344.01	2039.27	-39.02
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparation	8.77	3.3	-62.37
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	159.87	146.21	-8.54
20	Preparations of vegetable, fruits, nuts, etc.	23.68	33	39.36
21	Misc. edible preparations	291.56	110.88	-61.97
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	82.44	14.4	-82.53
23	Residues & waste from the food industries	726.74	275.19	-62.13
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	119.1	79.33	-33.39
25	Salt, sulphur, etc. and plastering metals stone cement	2375.57	968.99	-59.21
26	Ores, slag and ash	163.06	79.12	-51.48
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	23112.08	5212.54	-77.45
28	Inorganic. Chem.: compounds of specious metals etc.	1330.59	1030.66	-22.54
29	Organic Chemicals	2354.23	1655.45	-29.68
30	Pharmaceutical products	963.08	739.16	-23.25
31	Fertilizers	56.82	901.91	1487.31
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	1711.01	1486.21	-13.14
33	Essential Oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	247.26	193.09	-21.91

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(Million Taka)

HS Chapter	Commodities	2008-09		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	397.85	360.1	-9.49
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	208.24	154.84	-25.64
36	Explosives pyrotechnic products etc.	6.18	2.1	-66.02
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	132.11	66.19	-49.90
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	1366.48	982.41	-28.11
39	Plastics and articles thereof	4294.25	3038.22	-29.25
40	Rubber and articles thereof	878.37	529.73	-39.69
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	180.48	207.95	15.22
42	Art of saddlery & harness etc.	67.94	48.95	-27.95
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	0.07	3.29	4600.00
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	609.58	127.22	-79.13
45	Cork and articles of cork	1.09	0.03	-97.25
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	0.09	0.22	144.44
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulosic materials etc.	525.35	219.84	-58.15
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	1941.17	1770.48	-8.79
49	Printed Book, News paper & picture	186	261	40.32
50	Silk	57.81	42.32	-26.79
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	380.23	214.69	-43.54
52	Cotton	17562.32	12891.32	-26.60
53	Other vegetable, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	17.83	15.51	-13.01
54	Man-made filaments	2902.02	2223.07	-23.40
55	Man-made staple fibres	4806.24	4254.03	-11.49
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	85.18	82.92	-2.65
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	13.83	4.9	-64.57
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted textile fabrics etc.	474.41	284.9	-39.95
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	349.17	197.54	-43.43
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	1264.85	1099.81	-13.05
61	Article of apparel clothing accessories knit /crocht.	49.46	37.21	-24.77
62	Article of apparel clothing accessories n-knit/crocht.	2849	2368.26	-16.87
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	34.44	36.99	7.40
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	278.4	393.82	41.46
65	Headgear and parts thereof	7.1	21.33	200.42

**Table 16. Monthly Merchandise import (2 digit HS Code)**

(Million Taka)

HS Chapter	Commodities	2008-09		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	62.26	33.24	-46.61
67	Prepared feathers & down/articles etc.	174.25	94.93	-45.52
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	124.13	99.28	-20.02
69	Ceramic products	191.39	103.62	-45.86
70	Glass and glassware	238.63	162.34	-31.97
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones etc/	91.26	143.7	57.46
72	Iron or steel	7622.33	1804.7	-76.32
73	Articles of iron or steel	652.81	442.79	-32.17
74	Copper and articles thereof	263.21	62.04	-76.43
75	Nickel and articles thereof	10.63	8.72	-17.97
76	Aluminum and article thereof	647.66	281.95	-56.47
78	Lead and articles thereof	101.68	110.14	8.32
79	Zinc and articles thereof	456.47	327	-28.36
80	Tin and articles thereof	-	0.69	-
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	8.14	4.19	-48.53
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	189.02	104.25	-44.85
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	171.78	115.68	-32.66
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	11259.58	6794.56	-39.66
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	6357.57	8456.45	33.01
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	12.23	-	-
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	6407.49	3450.72	-46.15
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	169.1	474.98	180.89
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	2176.74	2379.74	9.33
90	Optical, photograph. Cinematograph Medical inst.	1277.36	1011.56	-20.81
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	23.49	13.06	-44.40
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	1.93	3.29	70.47
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	218.48	1.48	-99.32
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	150.45	97.4	-35.26
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	95.41	45	-52.84
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	657.68	468.91	-28.70
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	0.04	0.23	475.00
98	Miscellaneous national provisions	-	0.27	-
	<b>Total</b>	<b>139811.3</b>	<b>84267.21</b>	<b>-39.73</b>

**Table 17. Monthly import of major commodities (4 digits) ,( Million taka)**

HS Code	Commodities	2008-09		% change from the previous month
		June	July	
0401	Milk & cream	0.93	0.49	-47.31
0703	Onion & Garlic	306.75	514.67	67.78
0713	Dried leguminous vegetable	2410.24	906.84	-62.38
0804	Dates	123.94	67.01	-45.93
0806	Grapes	93.81	13.03	-86.11
0808	Apples	63.15	21.4	-66.11
0904	Pepper	17.91	54.37	203.57
1001	Wheat	2288.37	105	-95.41
1006	Rice	2.78	0.04	-98.56
1108	Starches	206.75	93.28	-54.88
1201-1212	Oil seeds	1904.94	193.51	-89.84
1507	Soyabean oil	2386.57	1185	-50.35
1511	Palm Oil	8920.22	5921.24	-33.62
1701	Sugar	3272.56	2007.2	-38.67
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	117.73	75.38	-35.97
2523	Cement	1941.12	734.27	-62.17
2709	petroleum oil crud	13524.31	-	-
2710	Petroleum product	9185.28	5081.17	-44.68
2801-2851	In organic Chemicals	1330.8	1030.66	-22.55
2901-2942	Organic Chemicals	2354.23	1655.45	-29.68
3101-3105	Fertilizers	56.82	901.9	1487.29
3201-3215	Tanning & dyeing	1711.01	1486.21	-13.14
3801-3825	Chemical product	1366.48	982.41	-28.11
3901-3926	Plastic & articles thereof	4294.28	3838.22	-10.62
4801-4823	Paper & paper board	1941.17	1770.48	-8.79
5201-5203	Raw cotton	6397.4	3325.92	-48.01
5205-5207	Cotton yarn	2015.77	2123.31	5.33
5208-5212	Cotton fabric	9022.87	7220.94	-19.97
5402-5406	Synthetic yarn	1285.79	816.22	-36.52
5407-5408	Synthetic fabric	1198.2	1097.35	-8.42
5504-5507	Staple fibre	8004.55	94.3	-98.82
5509-5511	Yarn of staple fibre	1674.09	1859.63	11.08
5512-5516	Fabric of staple fibre	1965.2	1474.99	-24.94
7201-7229	Iron & steel	7622.33	1804.7	-76.32
7301-7326	Article of iron & steel	652.81	442.79	-32.17
7601-7616	Aluminum & article thereof	647.66	281.95	-56.47
8402-8485	Machinery & parts	11450.89	6768.03	-40.90
8501-8548	Electrical goods	6357.57	8456.45	33.01
8607-8609	Rail, tramway, locomotive	12.23	-	-
8701-8716	Vehicle	6407.49	3450.72	-46.15
8902,8903,8908	Ships, boat, floating structure	1284.82	1785.05	38.93
9001-9033	Optical, Photo, Cinema etc.	1277.36	1011.56	-20.81
	<b>Total</b>	<b>127099</b>	<b>70653.1</b>	<b>-44.41</b>

**Table 18. Temporary export and Import by 2 digits HS Code.**

<b>HS Code</b>	<b>HS Description</b>	<b>Value (In Taka)</b>
<b>Export</b>		
38.	Miscellaneous Chem Products	25513
39	Plastics and Articles thereof	1873488
40	Rubber and Articles thereof	69400
71	Natural/ /Cultured Pearls, Precious Stones	607932
84	Nuclear React Boiler Machinery parts	8399841
85	Electrical Machinery Equipments	27115186
86	Railway/Tramway locomotives etc.	206603800
87	Vehicles other than Railway/Tramway	622246924
88	Aircraft, Spacecraft parts	873105
90	Optical, Photo, Cinema Surgical Apparatus	1745263
94	Furniture, Bedding, Mattresses	1000
	<b>Total</b>	<b>869561452</b>
<b>Imports</b>		
39	Plastics and Articles thereof	63715
48	Paper Paperboards, Articles of Paper pulps	6031728
	<b>Total</b>	<b>6095443</b>

**Table 19: Re-exports of goods by 2 digits HS Code.**

<b>HS Code</b>	<b>HS Description</b>	<b>Value (In Taka)</b>
03	Fish and Crustaceans other aquatics	4542008
10	Cereals	11926695
27	Mineral Fuels/ Oils etc.	300644360
29	Organic chemicals	1752350
34	Soap, organic surface active agent	174888
39	Plastics and articles thereof	3270128
41	Raw hides and skins leather	1937200
52	Cotton	20487948
54	Man made filaments	7286971
55	Man-made staple fibres	141840
73	Articles of iron or steels	10032464
84	Nuclear reactor, boiler, machinery parts	19837434
85	Electrical machinery and equipments and parts	7050154
87	Vehicles other than rail/ tramway	34292
88	Aircraft, spacecraft parts	770340
90	Optical, Photo, Cinema Surgical Apparatus	25987
95	Toy, games and sports requisites, parts	27066
	<b>Total</b>	<b>389942125</b>