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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 specially for October, 2021.

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 October, 2021 total export and import of goods and services is recorded at increased by Tk. 468.99 and increased by Tk. 876.37 billion respectively resulting in a trade deficit at goods and services of Tk. 407.38 billion. The growth of export and import in October, 2021 increased by 8.95 and increased by 11.77 percent respectively comparing to September, 2021 and it is increased by 55.60 and increased by 70.48 percent respectively comparing to October, 2020.

For the three months ending in October, 2021 the moving average of export of goods and services was Tk. 413.75 billion, while the moving average of import of goods and services was Tk. 798.32 billion resulting in an average trade deficit of Tk. 384.57 billion. For the three months ending in September, 2021 the average trade deficit was Tk. 326.72 billion, reflecting average exports of Tk. 370.50 billion and average imports of Tk. 697.22 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
2019-20	4318.29	3735.44	582.85	6310.04	5441.66	868.38	-1991.75	-1706.22	-285.53
2020-21	4253.85	3279.88	773.97	7566.77	6633.04	933.73	-3309.92	-3153.16	-159.69
2021-22									
Nov-20	323.58	272.78	50.80	567.59	491.78	75.81	-244.01	-219.00	-25.01
Dec-20	379.52	297.77	81.75	624.91	554.19	70.72	-242.39	-256.42	11.03
Jan-21	390.12	300.40	89.72	814.14	697.96	116.18	-424.02	-397.56	-26.46
Feb-21	318.05	275.15	42.90	635.20	565.33	69.87	-317.15	-290.18	-26.90
Mar-21	344.13	282.06	62.07	722.42	638.98	83.44	-378.29	-356.92	-21.37
Apr-21	408.48	270.17	138.31	698.99	629.20	69.79	-290.51	-359.03	68.52
May-21	338.63	266.89	71.74	706.42	619.16	87.26	-367.79	-352.27	-15.52
Jun-21	362.15	303.90	58.25	787.63	689.00	98.63	-425.48	-385.10	-40.38
Jul-21	339.26	295.53	43.73	573.08	514.80	58.28	-233.82	-219.27	-14.55
Aug-21	341.79	287.72	54.07	734.48	645.61	88.87	-392.69	-357.89	-34.80
Sep-21	430.46	359.36	71.10	784.11	698.54	85.57	-353.65	-339.18	-14.47
Oct-21	468.99	404.59	64.40	876.37	697.53	178.84	-407.38	-292.94	-114.44

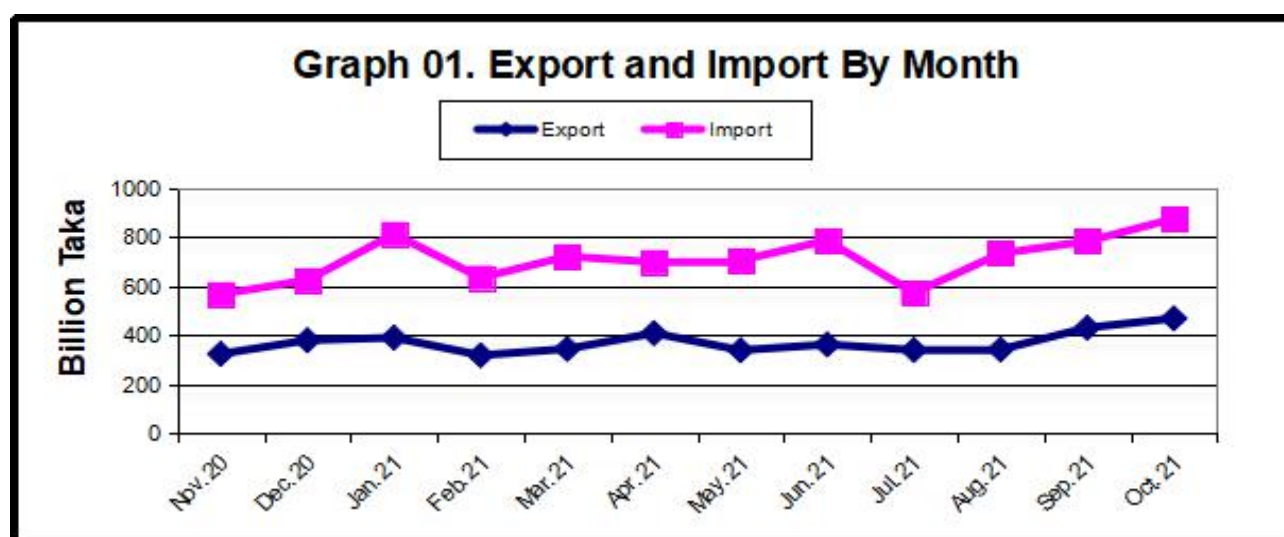


Table 2: Export, import and trade deficits

(In million US \$)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service
2019-20	44529	43948	581	65023	64155	868	-20494	-20209	-287
2020-21	41801	41026	775	79132	78197	935	-37331	-37171	-182
2021-22									
Nov-20	3268	3217	51	5875	5799	76	-2607	-2582	-25
Dec-20	3593	3511	82	6606	6535	71	-3013	-3024	-11
Jan-21	3632	3542	90	8347	8231	116	-4715	-4689	-26
Feb-21	3288	3245	43	6737	6667	70	-3449	-3422	-27
Mar-21	3388	3326	62	7618	7535	83	-4230	-4209	-21
Apr-21	3324	3186	138	7490	7420	70	-4166	-4234	68
May-21	3219	3147	72	7388	7301	87	-4169	-4154	-15
Jun-21	3632	3574	58	8202	8103	99	-4570	-4529	-41
Jul-21	3477	3433	44	6038	5980	58	-2561	-2547	-14
Aug-21	3411	3357	54	7622	7533	89	-4211	-4176	-35
Sep-21	4266	4195	71	8226	8155	86	-3960	-3959	-15
Oct-21	4745	4681	64	8249	8070	179	-3504	-3389	-115

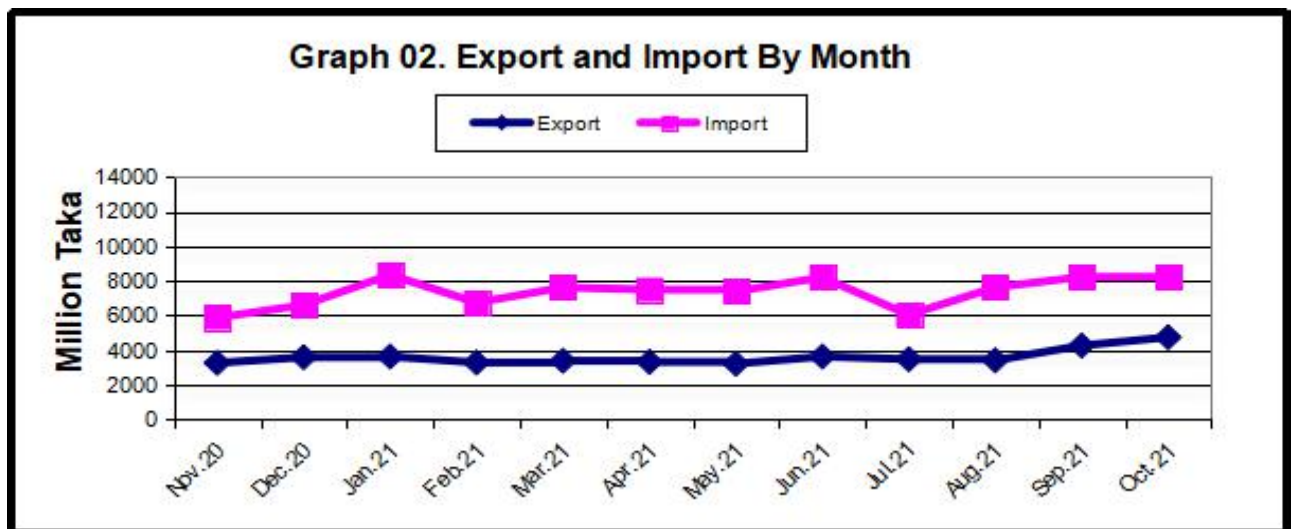


Table 3. Percent change from the previous month (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	2021-22		
	Sep'21	Oct'21	Percent change from the previous month
1. Export (Commodities)	359359	404593	12.59
1. Readymade Garments	291338	304691	4.58
2. Shrimps and prawn	4240	5128	20.94
3. Vegetable textiles fiber/ yarn	6308	9058	43.60
4. Made-up textiles articles	9781	12679	29.63
5. Raw hides, skins & leathers	1064	899	-15.51
6. Raw jute	1627	2241	37.74
7. Footwear Special woven fabrics	7847	8405	7.11
8. Fertilizer	-	-	-
9. Hats and other head gear	2220	2730	22.97
10. Special woven fabrics	584	538	-7.88
11. Others	34350	58224	69.50
2. Import (Commodities)	698540	697533	-0.14
1. Machinery & parts	52533	52725	0.37
2. Petroleum product and oil	92686	112147	21.00
3. Electric Machinery	32696	30345	-7.19
4. Soya bean and Palm oil	31732	32379	2.04
5. Raw cotton	32631	23232	-28.80
6. Textile fabrics	265	319	20.38
7. Iron and steel	33906	35093	3.50
8. Plastics and articles	26599	26248	-1.32
9. Wheat	9038	27143	200.32
10. Fertilizer	44049	26970	-38.77
11. Others	342405	33932	-90.09
3. Trade balance (1-2)	-339181	-292940	-13.63

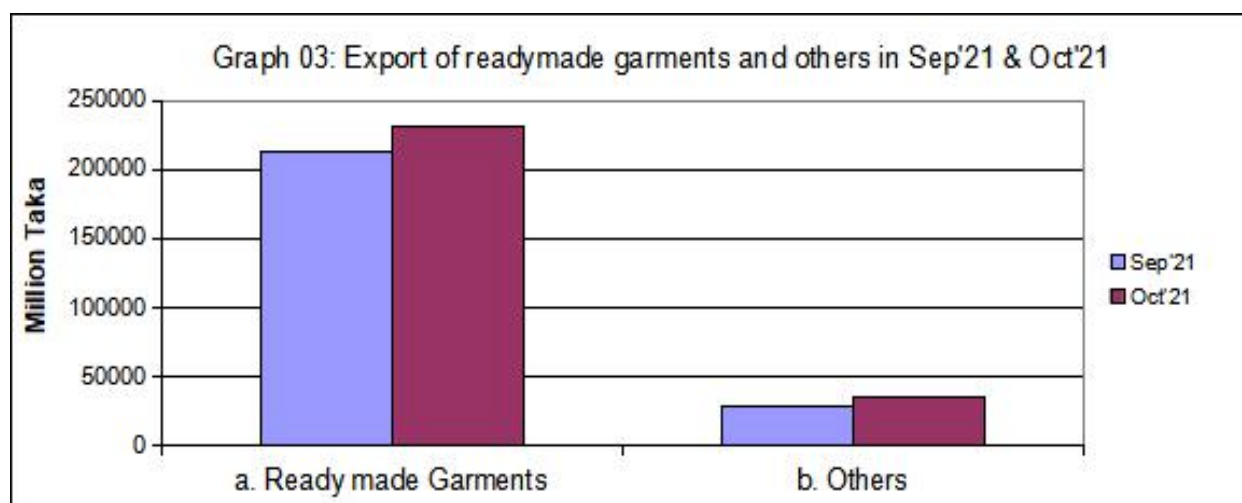


Table 4. Import of Essential Commodities Quantity

(In M. Ton)

Items	2021-22			
	Sep'21	Oct'21	Percent change from the previous month	Cumulative (Oct -21)
Import (Commodities)				
1. Raw sugar	537038	362840	-32.44	1437222
2. Palm oil	271211	252211	-7.01	1006809
3. Soya bean oil	58341	61136	4.79	257337
4. Milk & Cream	16334	7931	-51.44	49643
5. Ginger	-	-	-	-
6. Chillies	-	-	-	-
7. Wheat	164087	438271	167.10	946949
8. Rice	314406	263158	-16.30	827940
9. Lentil & other	24625	35062	42.38	166148
10. Onion	106714	79715	-25.30	446092
11. Garlic	4761	4057	-14.79	19631
12. Tea	100	101	1.00	432
13. Oil seed	145427	-	-100.00	-
14. Gram/Anchor	2	-	-	1754
15. Turmeric	1175	1034	-12.00	6681

Table 5: Twelve months export of readymade garments during 2019-20 to 2021-22.

(In million taka)

Month	Ready made Garments (Knitted)			Ready made Garments (Not Knitted)		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
July	141802	148425	140660	137932	126746	104214
August	105007	159561	135975	98262	136445	97954
September	105579	118835	162372	92260	92672	128967
October	115841	113478	175012	97515	83588	129679
November	109081	117069		106306	96243	
December	117175	121823		129314	108965	
January	120067	126302		137840	119882	
February	108603	115745		127799	108514	
March	89688	111493		101925	96898	
April	15379	113787		16605	99656	
May	51674	115959		52826	101061	
June	99140	135506		91566	110002	

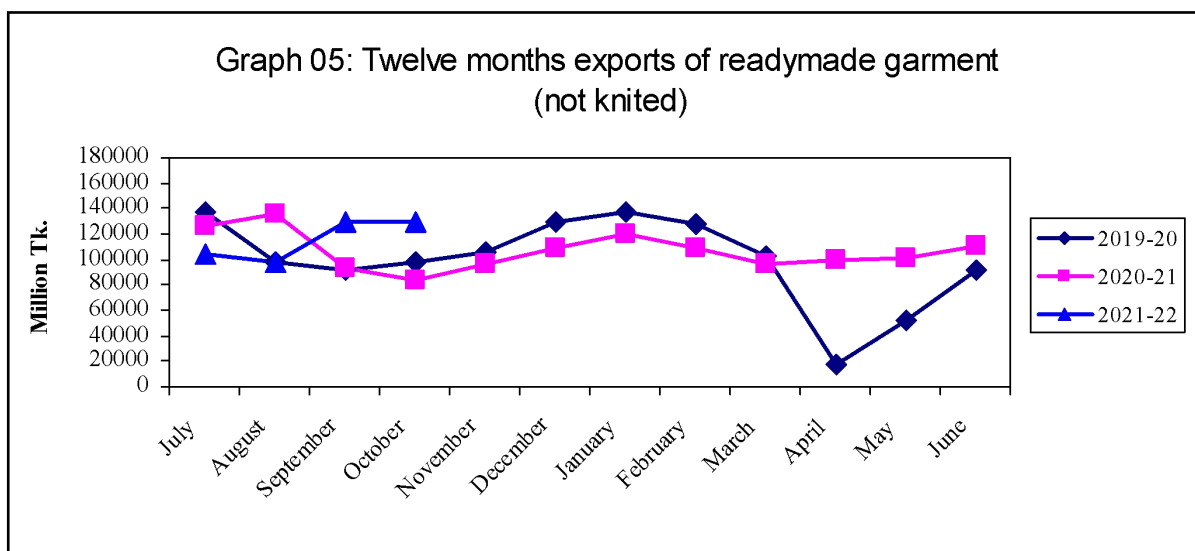
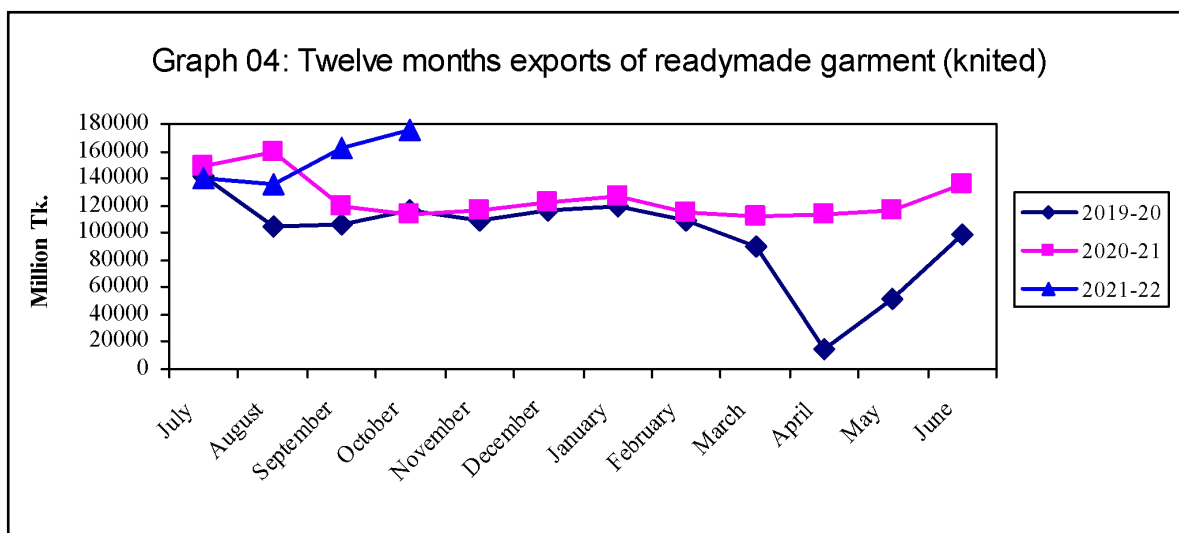


Table 6: Twelve months export of raw hides, skins & leather, 2019-20 to 2021-22.

(In million taka)

Month	Raw hides, skins & leather		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
July	887	775	940
August	1025	4486	727
September	759	949	1065
October	1019	819	899
November	1171	1244	
December	804	948	
January	1014	752	
February	555	848	
March	390	854	
April	141	1093	
May	279	1081	
June	446	874	

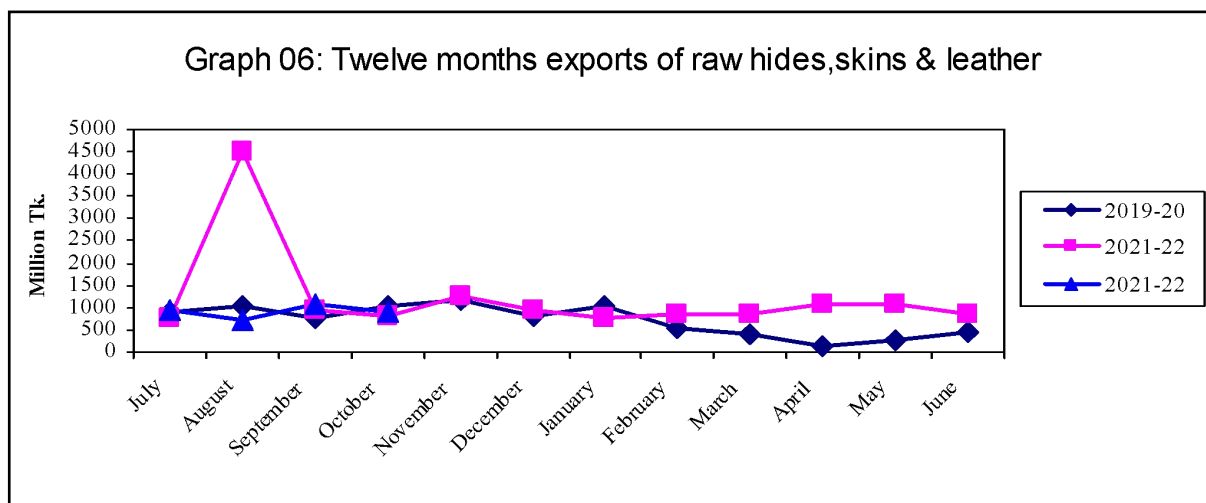


Table 7: Twelve months export of shrimps and prawn, 2019-20 to 2021-22.

(In million taka)

Month	Shrimps and prawn		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
July	3072	2977	2625
August	3137	2490	3817
September	3082	3313	4240
October	3658	3507	5128
November	3520	2492	
December	3408	2867	
January	2881	1350	
February	2362	1306	
March	1469	1570	
April	542	1663	
May	966	2433	
June	2279	3405	

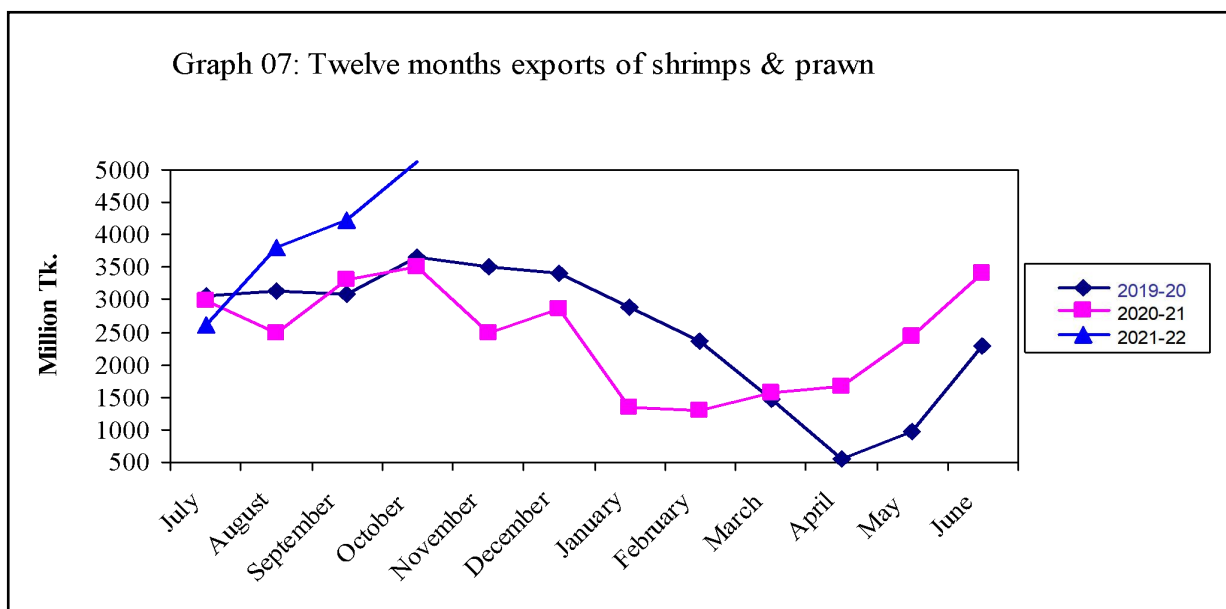


Table 8: Twelve months import of machinery & parts and electrical machinery during 2019-20 to 2021-22.

(In million taka)

Month	Machinery & Parts			Electrical Machinery		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
July	56286	35766	42971	30816	29204	35148
August	43688	36056	59146	19742	30551	39574
September	51314	41367	52533	23295	30102	32696
October	59290	39088	52725	27627	23546	30345
November	39450	36819		19515	28234	
December	47198	38843		20462	27469	
January	50762	46465		23837	28765	
February	41781	52868		21104	24293	
March	28468	54713		19349	30982	
April	17215	45012		8121	33196	
May	30549	62248		16702	34347	
June	34398	69079		24785	41375	

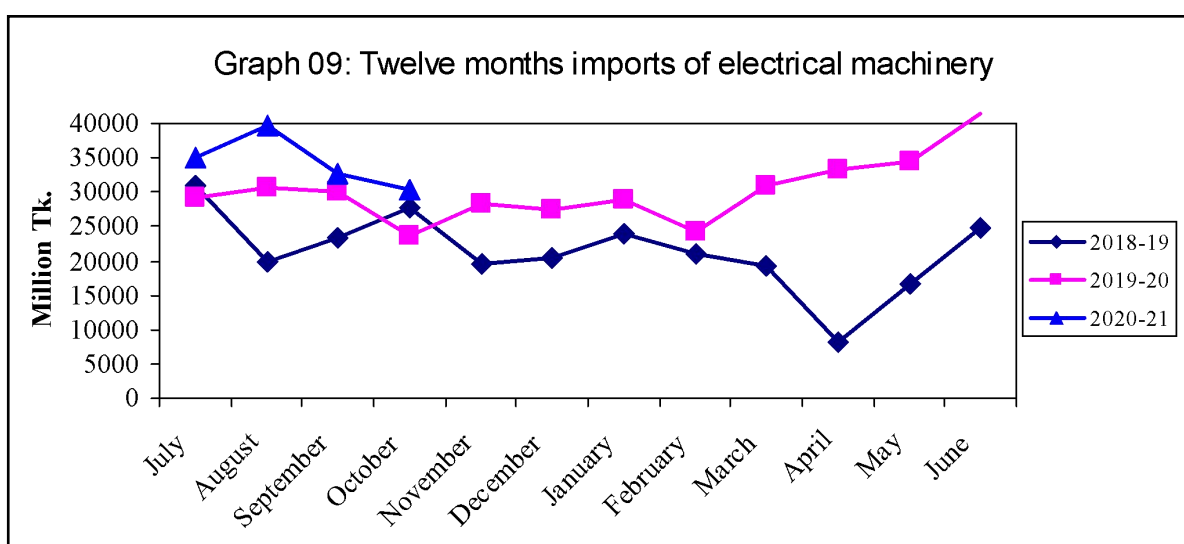
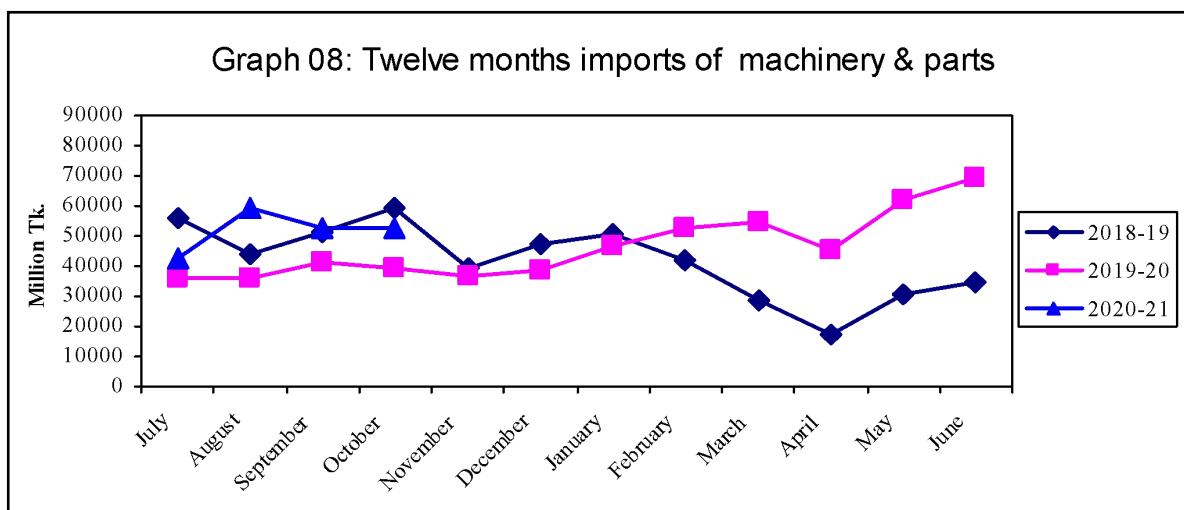


Table 9: Twelve months imports of Soya bean and Palm oil during 2019-20 to 2021-22.

(In million taka)

Month	Soya bean			Palm Oil		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
July	3682	6625	6817	13144	10189	22906
August	3893	6501	8508	8555	5651	19976
September	5953	5121	6163	11098	13704	25569
October	5340	5345	6916	14897	12679	25463
November	4262	8221		12382	15877	
December	5039	8923		13038	16497	
January	6689	5926		10703	6724	
February	7382	11495		13995	25579	
March	9734	10558		22879	21473	
April	11493	16611		15489	26329	
May	8069	15675		6659	19142	
June	9682	10818		10042	12979	

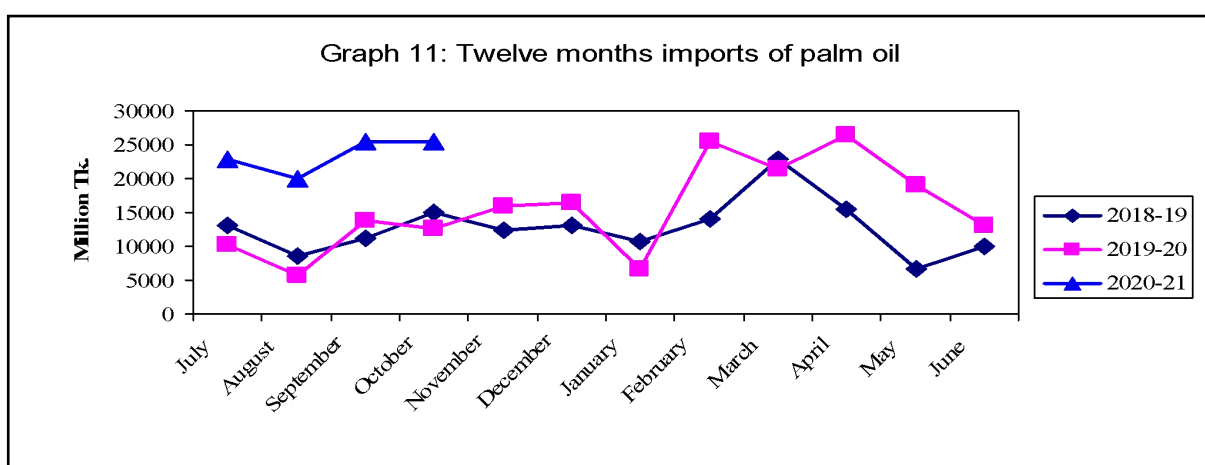
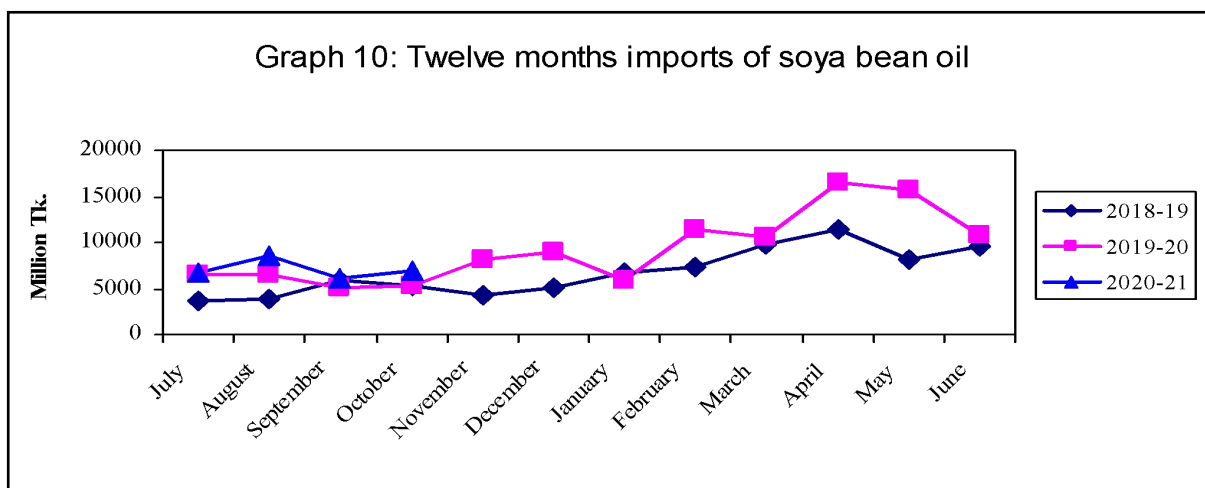


Table 10: Twelve months import of rice and wheat during 2019-20 to 2021-22.

(In million taka)

Month	Rice			Wheat		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
July	55	64	4557	3732	6347	11652
August	145	157	3480	8403	12095	8751
September	57	96	11158	12252	20864	9038
October	542	340	9534	14631	13081	27143
November	321	195		10371	7260	
December	128	20114		14794	19655	
January	43	2847		26047	8365	
February	104	9179		12968	15907	
March	153	13820		11989	17327	
April	19	15083		10314	18827	
May	249	7719		8034	11914	
June	176	5937		9339	11288	

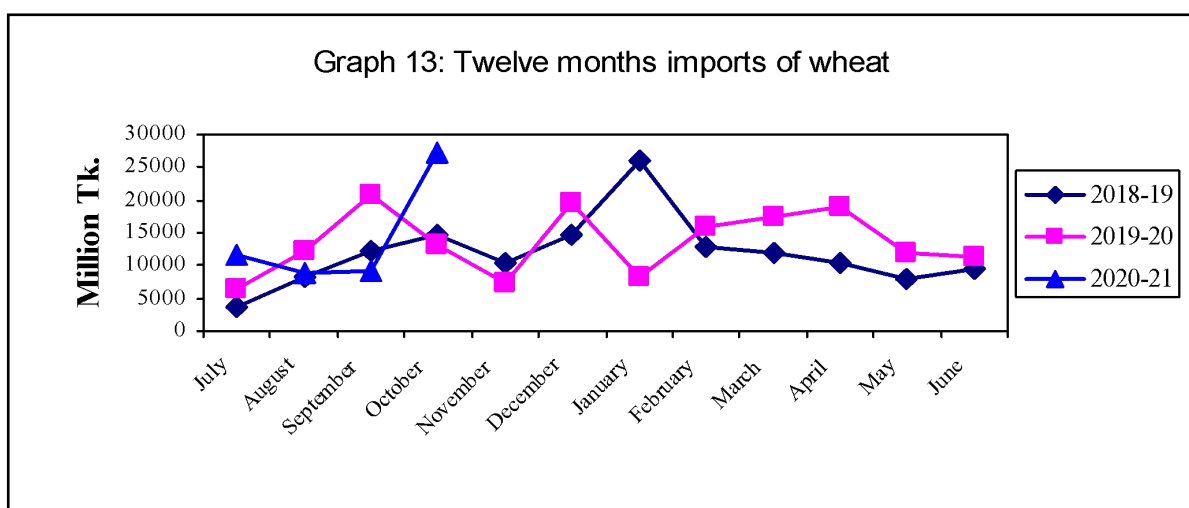
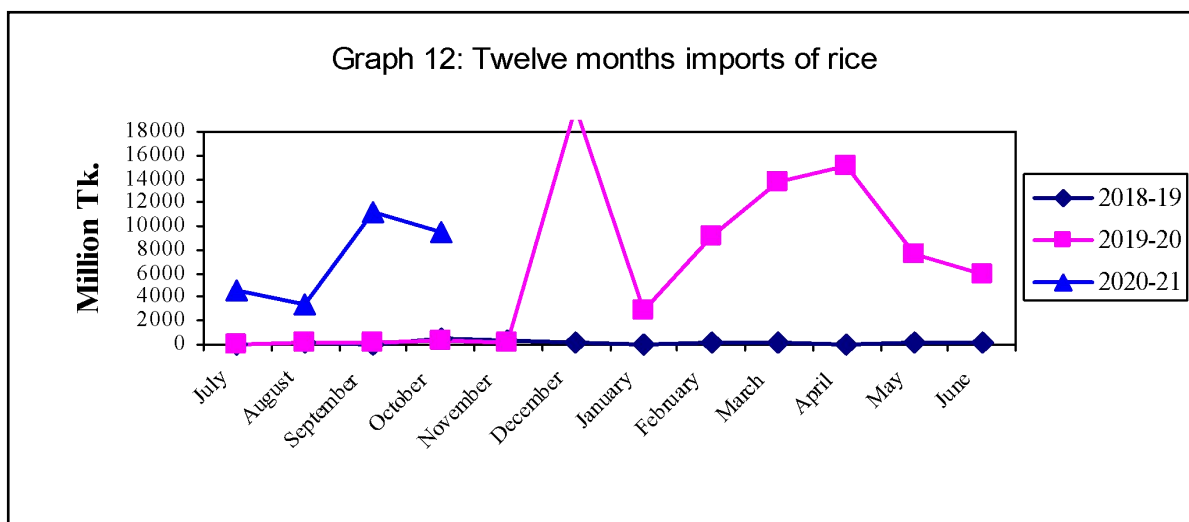


Table 11: Twelve months import of iron & steel and plastics & articles during 2019-20 to 2021-22.

(In million taka)

Month	Iron & Steel			Plastics & articles		
	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
July	31190	18733	29056	22201	17072	22268
August	25056	15583	33867	17877	16419	27350
September	26772	19138	33906	20723	19947	26599
October	30350	19605	35093	21262	18516	26248
November	22858	25652		20109	20427	
December	27642	22715		20413	20412	
January	23475	21952		19388	22942	
February	22278	19920		16878	24491	
March	21491	28993		18831	26647	
April	17555	26731		12657	24752	
May	19207	22906		15559	26185	
June	27155	34150		16690	28836	

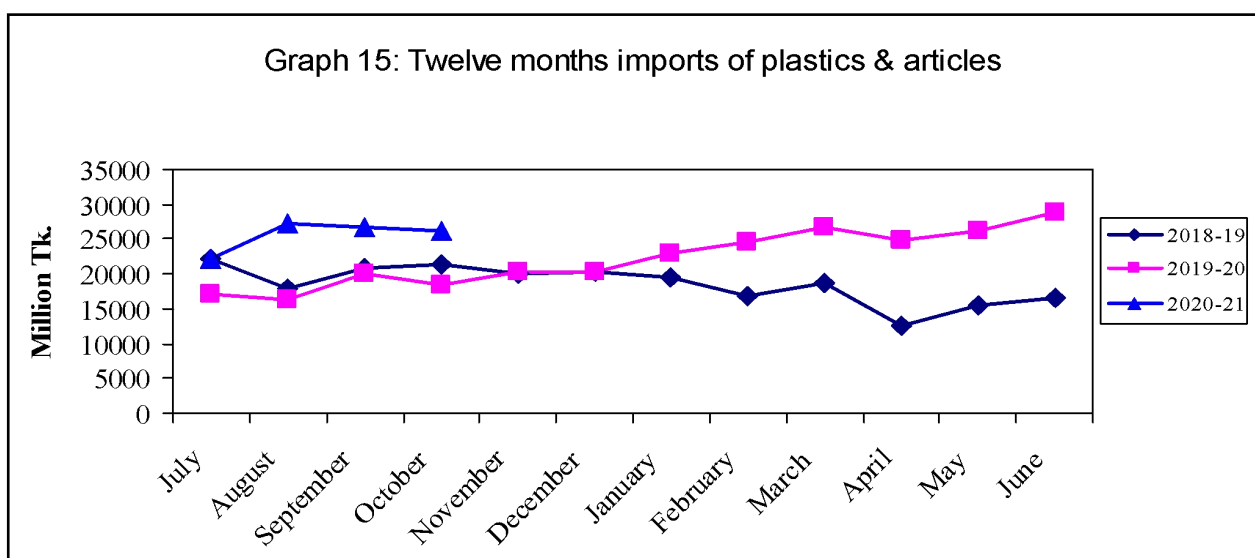
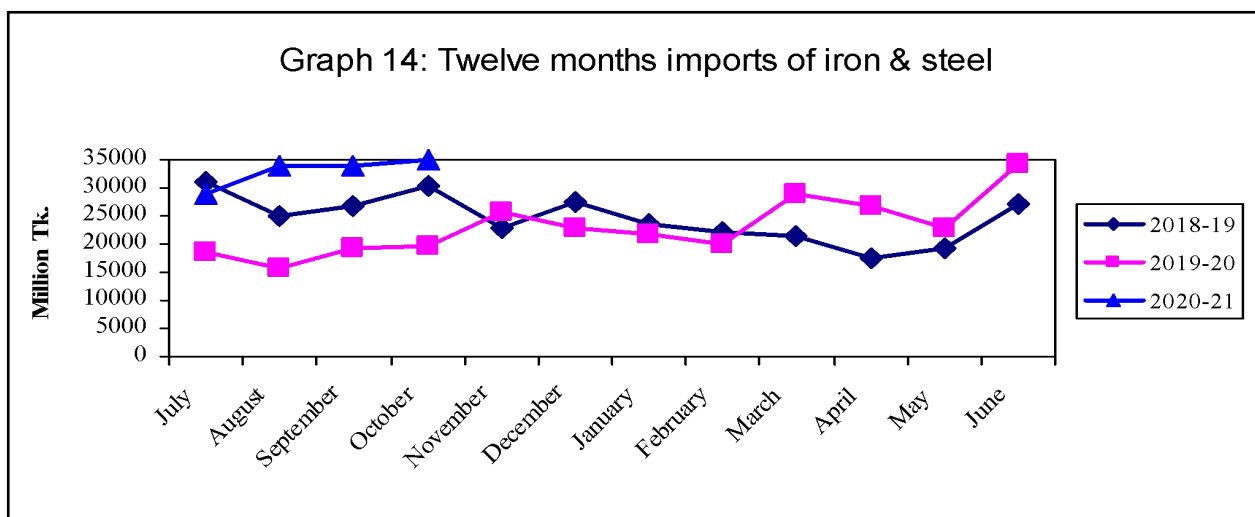


Table 12. Point to point percent change in external trade (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	August - October			October		
	2020-21	2021-22	Change in percent	2020-21	2021-22	Change in percent
1. Export(Commodities)	872179	1051670	20.58	250858	404593	61.28
2. Import (Commodities)	1310473	2041686	55.80	447084	697533	56.02
3.Trade balance(1-2)	-438294	-990016	-35.22	-196226	-292940	5.26

Table13. Top trading partners – total trade (goods), October -2021

(In million taka)

Country	Exports	Imports	Total	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
China	6784	136813	143597	1	13.03
India	17280	111151	128431	2	11.65
United States	73633	13706	87339	3	7.92
Singapore	701	67560	68261	4	6.19
Germany	54966	6823	61789	5	5.61
Indonesia	707	41854	42561	6	3.86
United Kingdom	37759	3629	41388	7	3.76
Japan	9275	26744	30619	8	2.78
Hong Kong	996	27321	28317	9	2.57
Spain	23265	1732	24997	10	2.27

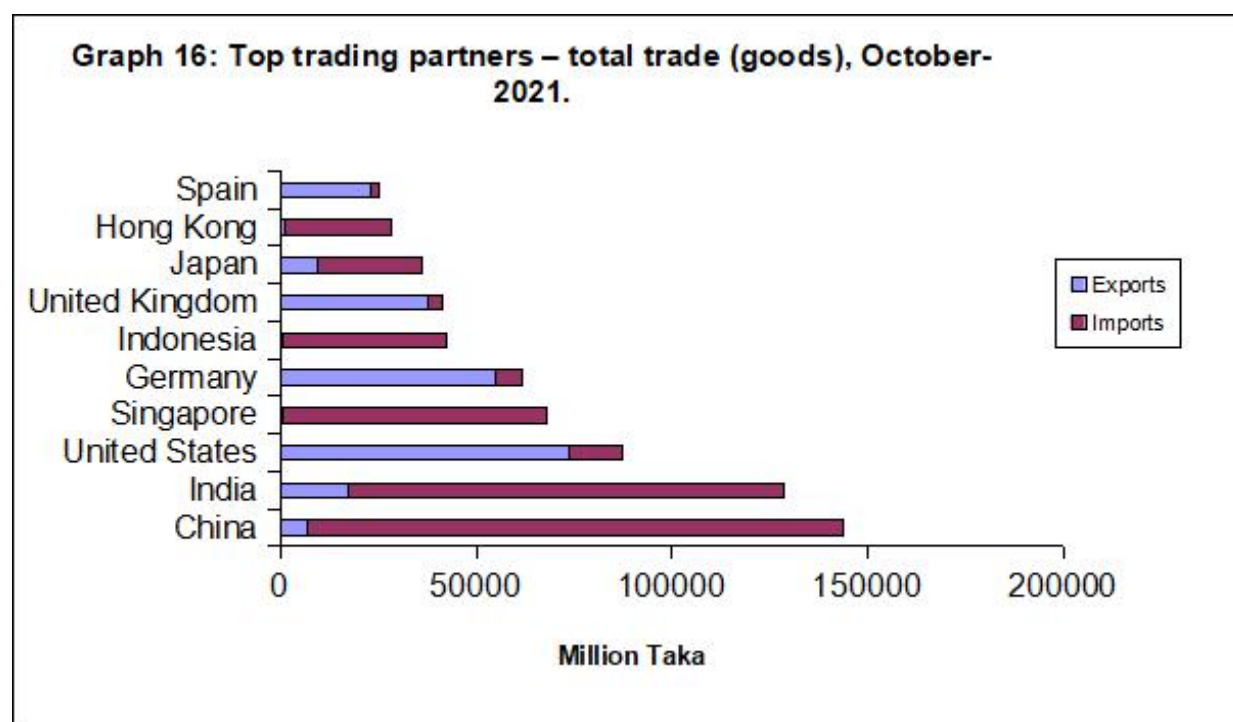


Table 14. Top trading partners – exports (goods), October -2021

(In million taka)

Country	Export	Rank	Percent of Total Export
United States	73633	1	18.20
Germany	54966	2	13.59
United Kingdom	37759	3	9.33
Other CONTRI	30599	4	7.56
Spain	23265	5	5.75
France	20322	6	5.02
India	17280	7	4.27
Poland	14665	8	3.62
Netherlands	12836	9	3.17
Italy	11876	10	2.94

Table 15. Top trading partners – imports (goods), October -2021

(In million taka)

Country	Import	Rank	Percent of Total Import
China	136813	1	19.61
India	111151	2	15.93
Singapore	67560	3	9.69
Indonesia	41854	4	6.00
Hong Kong	27321	5	3.92
Japan	26744	6	3.83
Malaysia	21547	7	3.09
United Arab EM	20611	8	2.95
Qatar	20378	9	2.92
Brazil	16055	10	2.30

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

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
1	Live animals	0.01	-	-
2	Meat and edible meat offal	0.85	12.63	1385.88
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	5504.04	6195.53	12.56
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	0.41	16.24	3860.98
5	Products of animal origin	90.69	168.70	86.02
6	Live tree Plant bulbroot etc.	-	1.87	-
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	555.41	337.39	-39.25
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	101.46	58.63	-42.21
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	224	269.39	20.26
10	Cereals	41.34	36.36	-12.05
11	Product of milling industry : malt etc.	11.51	26.69	131.89
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	1045.59	252.49	-75.85
13	Lac, gum resin vegetable sap/ extract	30.38	25.98	-14.48
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	77.89	73.71	-5.37
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	2644.34	1791.67	-32.25
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	28.76	5.94	-79.35
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	171.06	206.8	20.89
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparations	21.5	45.71	112.60
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1609.18	1681.22	4.48
20	Preparations of vegetable fruits, nuts, etc.	462.58	556.44	20.29
21	Misc. edible preparations	6.47	5.12	-20.87
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	141.64	85.56	-39.59
23	Residues & waste from the food industry	3828.86	3313.98	-13.45
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	610.84	1275.53	108.82
25	Salt, sulphr etc. & plastering metals stone cement	70.09	68.89	-1.71
26	Ores, slag and ash	261.35	450.65	72.43
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	483.04	219.90	-54.48
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	297.38	1042.59	250.59
29	Organic chemicals	53.98	39.93	-26.03
30	Pharmaceutical products	1641.77	1527.12	-6.98
31	Fertilizers	-	-	-
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	7.96	50.32	532.16
33	Essential oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	10.81	11.28	4.35

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

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	15.08	20.88	38.46
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	13.9	25.10	80.58
36	Explosive pyrotechnic products	-	-	-
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	-	-	-
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	191.09	181.15	-5.20
39	Plastics and articles thereof	857.66	1308.11	52.52
40	Rubber and articles thereof	339.54	566.36	66.80
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1064.7	899.23	-15.54
42	Articles of Leather/Animal Gut	2399.55	2191.59	-8.67
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	-	-	-
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	16.97	14.76	-13.02
45	Cork and articles of cork	-	-	-
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	288.83	367.67	27.30
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulose materials etc.	-	-	-
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	573.94	595.46	3.75
49	Printed books, news papers, pictures etc.	2.79	17.88	540.86
50	Silk	4.23	1.40	-66.90
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	0.22	4.78	2072.73
52	Cotton	1272.98	1574.81	23.71
53	Other vegetable, Textile fibres, paper/yarn etc	6308.36	9057.82	43.58
54	Man-made filaments	310.73	5335.6	1617.12
55	Man-made staple fibres	266.18	198.18	-25.55
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	419.24	393.23	-6.20
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	217.83	393.72	80.75
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted tex.fabrics etc.	584.1	538.09	-7.88
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	304.01	273.86	-9.92
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	436.98	8691.73	1889.05
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crocht.	162371.58	175012.41	7.79
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	128966.6	129678.81	0.55
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	9781.24	12679.28	29.63
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	7847.04	8405.42	7.12
65	Headgear and parts thereof	2219.59	2730.1	23.00

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

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	2.8	1.62	-42.14
67	Prepared feathers & down/articles etc.	669.81	621.83	-71.63
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	4.7	-	-
69	Ceramic products	327.73	339.97	3.73
70	Glass and glassware	121.3	156.48	29.00
71	Natural/culture pearls precious stones etc.	6.38	20.47	220.85
72	Iron or steel	622.18	2569.97	313.06
73	Articles of iron or steel	275.26	394.48	43.31
74	Copper and articles thereof	602.41	368.17	-38.88
75	Nickel and articles thereof	27.08	14.09	-47.97
76	Aluminum and article thereof	168.84	167.00	-1.09
78	Lead and articles thereof	-	-	-
79	Zinc and articles thereof	51.37	62.63	21.92
80	Tin and articles thereof	-	-	-
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	-	-	-
82	Tools, cutlery Spon base Metl Part	18.20	137.14	653.52
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	8.33	4.1	-50.78
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	1607	12483.77	676.84
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	572.77	1089.21	90.17
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	1.99	2.49	25.13
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	1747.81	1783.21	2.03
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	2.42	0.67	-72.31
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	2678.65	9.55	-99.64
90	Optical,photo,cinematgph.Medical inst.etc.	621.81	965.12	55.21
91	Clocks & watches & parts	1.35	-	-
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	0.06	0.24	300
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	-	-	-
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	689.53	629.04	-8.77
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts	612.55	435.89	-28.84
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	802.51	1313.68	63.7
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	0.28	9.17	3175
98	Goods Commodities NEC	04.1	1.44	-64.88
	Total	359359.37	404593.12	12.59

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

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
303	Fish frozen	205.08	324.17	58.07
304	Fish fillet, other fish meal	3.05	.38	-87.54
305	Fish dried	19.99	17.24	-13.76
306	Shrimps & prawns frozen	4240.05	5127.50	20.93
307	Molluscs	46.4	48.52	4.57
506	Bone and horn- cores	-	-	-
709	Vegetable fresh, chilled other	32.19	27.98	-13.08
902	Tea	15.82	9.53	-39.76
1006	Rice	41.34	36.31	-12.17
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	553.39	1227.32	121.78
2710	Petro oil/oil bitum minrl, nec	482.69	219.45	-54.54
3003-004	Pharmaceutical product	1607.72	1430.31	-11.03
3901-926	Plastic & articles thereof	857.63	1308.13	52.53
4102	Raw hides & skin of sheep's or lambs	-	-	-
4103	Raw hides and skin other	-	4.77	-
4104	Leather Bovine/Equin W/Out hair	831.09	770.29	-7.32
4105	Tanned or crust skins of sheep or lambs	-	-	-
4106	Tanned or crust hides and skins or other animals	53.50	28.60	-46.54
4107	Leather hole hides and skins or crusting	165.03	83.45	-49.43
4113	Leather further prepared after tanning or crusting including parchment-dressed leather of other animals	14.08	11.37	-19.25
4202	Trunks, suit-case, vanity-cases, brief cases, and other	2040.29	1922.02	-5.80
4602	Basket work, wicker work, and other articles	272.69	362.91	33.09
5303	Jute and other textile bast fibres, raw or retted	1626.83	2240.57	37.73
5307	Jute yarn	4074.23	6042.86	48.32
5310	Woven fabrics and jutes or of other textile bast fibres	567.61	706.24	24.42
5607	Jute twine, cordage, roofs and cables	226.66	275.44	21.52
6101-117	Readymade garments men's women's and girls knitted and crocheted	162371.58	175012.43	7.79
6201-217	Readymade garments men's women's and girls not knitted and crocheted	128966.60	129678.81	0.55
6305	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods	1504.18	1909.51	26.95
6401-6406	Foot ware with outer soles and uppers of rubber or of plastics and other	7847.04	8405.42	7.12
6505	Heads and other headgear, knitted or crocheted	2192.90	2715.27	23.82
Total		320859.66	339946.80	5.95

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change From previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
1	Live animals	197.13	344.83	74.93
2	Meat and edible meat offal	234.98	214.73	-8.62
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	266.3	611.21	129.52
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	4380.68	2135.44	-51.25
5	Products of animal origin	557.56	204.77	-63.27
6	Live tree and other plants etc.	04.79	15.72	228.18
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	6770.63	8618.6	27.29
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	3878.43	4660.33	20.16
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	2324.11	2485.16	6.93
10	Cereals	25346.32	40715.40	60.64
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	288.79	306.78	6.23
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	8439.24	8013.62	-5.04
13	Lac, gums, resins , vegetable saps & extra	158.53	191.12	20.56
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	45.69	4.08	-91.07
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	32555.68	32802.44	0.76
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	20.55	12.06	-41.31
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	18548.24	14742.67	-20.52
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparation	155.24	160.54	3.41
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1508.84	900.63	-40.31
20	Preparations of vegetable, fruits, nuts, etc.	124.07	122.38	-1.36
21	Misc. edible preparations	1213.41	646.09	-46.75
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	70.47	57.29	-18.70
23	Residues & waste from the food industries	4622.23	7018.91	51.85
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	102.88	63.93	-37.86
25	Salt, sulphur, etc. and plastering metals stone cement	16734.32	20456.27	22.24
26	Ores, slag and ash	2524.17	2117.59	-16.11
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	92686.05	112147.2	21.00
28	Inorganic. Chem.: compounds of specious metals etc.	5245.63	5672	8.13
29	Organic Chemicals	11186.86	9040.49	-19.19
30	Pharmaceutical products	3167.08	3045.79	-3.83
31	Fertilizers	44049.13	26970.31	-38.77
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	7273.47	6965.27	-4.24
33	Essential Oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	1187.35	1212.99	2.16
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	2076.10	1913.91	-7.81

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues e	1252.87	1050.87	-16.12
36	Explosives pyrotechnic products etc.	0.29	7.64	2534.48
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	197.26	286.32	45.15
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	8211.14	6650.88	-19.00
39	Plastics and articles thereof	26599.21	26247.67	-1.32
40	Rubber and articles thereof	4078.91	4021.11	-1.42
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1482.3	1464.79	-1.18
42	Articles of Leather/Animal gut	199.69	268.31	34.36
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	3.46	5.40	56.07
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	1744.03	711.62	-59.20
45	Cork and articles of cork	8.08	2.92	-63.86
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	01.1	3.18	189.09
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulosic materials etc.	1219.93	1475.34	20.94
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	7136.34	7702.18	7.93
49	Printed Book, News paper & picture	1052.99	402.05	-61.82
50	Silk	1.72	10.44	506.98
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	119.96	296.75	147.37
52	Cotton	94693.84	80133.74	-15.38
53	Other vegetabe, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	1104.12	3086.49	179.54
54	Man-made filaments	17774.83	19704.43	10.86
55	Man-made staple fibres	15398.12	15590.09	1.25
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	1133.48	1026.82	-9.41
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	42.71	61.08	43.01
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted textile fabrics etc.	3224.9	3335.88	3.44
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	3425.39	3291.05	-3.92
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	18521.31	17654.72	-4.68
61	Article of apparel. clothing accessor. knit /crocht	110.85	170.23	53.57
62	Articl of apparel.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	4901.18	4533.61	-7.50
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	267.64	178.17	-33.43
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	1903.17	2114.84	11.12
65	Headgear and parts thereof	50.11	76.65	52.96
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	11.34	16.60	46.38

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
67	Prepared feather & down articles	1301.18	625.09	-51.96
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	1977.48	811.36	-58.97
69	Ceramic products	662.62	790.03	19.23
70	Glass and glassware	888.84	969.64	9.09
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones	162.44	126.61	-22.06
72	Iron or steel	33906.08	35092.84	3.50
73	Articles of iron or steel	11720.85	10001.19	-14.67
74	Copper and articles thereof	3257.95	1832.52	-43.75
75	Nickel and articles thereof	2.43	2.93	20.58
76	Aluminum and article thereof	4105.59	3034.10	-26.10
78	Lead and articles thereof	205.99	393.70	91.13
79	Zinc and articles thereof	1054.86	819.96	-22.27
80	Tin and articles thereof	62.84	26.62	-57.64
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	16.51	71.76	334.65
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	547.63	520.24	-5.00
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	1263.06	1348.62	6.77
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	52532.94	52725	0.37
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	32695.62	30344.86	-7.19
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	845.79	1595.99	88.70
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	14917.57	12444.75	-16.58
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	380.46	489.86	28.75
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	11020.83	17952.11	62.89
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	6495.6	4150.16	-36.11
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	90.35	65.61	-27.38
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	4.95	16.85	240.40
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	71.02	217.51	206.27
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	978.1	894.66	-8.53
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	280.65	411.18	46.51
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	3264.57	3581.40	9.71
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	2.44	2.70	10.66
98	Goods commodities nec	5.08	0.25	-95.08
Total		698539.54	697532.52	-0.14

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change From previous month
		Sep'21	Oct'21	
401	Milk & cream	2.50	10.99	339.60
703	Onion & Garlic	2371.24	2848.84	20.14
713	Dried leguminous vegetable	3713.76	5134.54	38.26
804	Dates	121.08	542.35	347.93
806	Grapes	499.54	822.62	64.68
808	Apples	1475.62	992.41	-32.75
904	Pepper	438.05	455.13	3.90
1001	wheat	9038.31	27143.35	200.31
1006	Rice	11158.28	9534.03	-14.56
1108	Starches	174.05	237.61	36.52
1201-1212	Oil seeds	8439.25	8013.61	-5.04
1507	Soya bean oil	6162.57	6916.32	12.23
1511	Palm Oil	25569.26	25462.54	-0.42
1701	Sugar	18306.75	14545.83	-20.54
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	48.10	47.67	-0.89
2523	Cement	9642.59	12163.55	26.14
2710	Petroleum product	63448.81	66918.09	5.47
2801-2851	In organic Chemicals	5245.48	5672.00	8.13
2901-2942	Organic Chemicals	11186.84	9040.43	-19.19
3101-3105	Fertilizers	44049.13	26970.29	-38.77
3201-3215	Tanning & dyeing	7273.46	6965.25	-4.24
3801-3825	Chemical product	8211.14	6650.78	-19.00
3901-3926	Plastic & articles thereof	26599.20	26247.68	-1.32
4801-4823	Paper & paper board	7136.35	7702.16	7.93
5201-5203	Raw cotton	33006.99	23565.71	-28.60
5205-5207	Cotton yarn	30352.15	24733.78	-18.51
5208-5212	Cotton fabric	31264.43	31754.52	1.57
5402-5406	Synthetic yarn	7993.68	8351.68	4.48
5407-5408	Synthetic fabric	9078.56	10724.62	18.13
5504-5507	Staple fibre	2295.67	1426.32	-37.87
5509-5511	Yarn of staple fibre	3574.60	3409.5	-4.62
5512-5516	Fabric of staple fibre	6637.17	8300.78	25.07
7201-7229	Iron & steel	33906.06	35092.82	3.50
7301-7326	Article of iron & steel	11720.86	10001.17	-14.67
7601-7616	Aluminum & article thereof	4105.60	3034.09	-26.10
8402-8485	Machinery & parts	52229.21	52442.60	0.41
8501-8548	Electrical goods	32695.60	30344.86	-7.19
8607-8609	Rail, tramway, locomotive	51.07	32.16	-37.03
8701-8716	Vehicle	14917.58	12444.75	-16.58
8902,8903,8908	Ships, boat, floating structure	7055.24	7720.00	9.42
9001-9033	Optical, Photo, Cinema etc.	6495.55	4150.14	-36.11
Total		557691.38	538567.57	-3.43

Table 20. Re-export Value, October -2021 by 2 digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re-Exports	230.67
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	0.09
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	0.54
39	Plastics and articles thereof	1.52
40	Rubber and articles thereof	1.78
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	1.24
52	Cotton	1.84
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	2.93
62	Articl of apparel.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	2.93
63	Other made up textile articles etc	11.36
67	Prepared feather & down articles	0.12
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones	0.03
73	Articles of iron & steel	43.13
74	Copper and articles thereof	0.10
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	0.06
84	Nuclear rect boil mach & parts	36.64
85	Electrcl machinery eqipmnt part	91.74
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	29.98

Table 20. Re-import Value,October -2021 by 2 digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Re- Imports	94.54
03	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	28.85
84	Nuclear rect boil mach& parts	65.69

Table 21. Temporary Export Value, October -2021 by 2 digit HS Code

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Temporary- Exports	
		113.70
40	Rubber and article therof	0.12
73	Articles of iron & steel	3.83
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	61.02
84	Nuclear rect boil mach & parts	35.55
85	Electrcl machinery eqipmnt part	3.13
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	1.74
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	0.67
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	7.64

Table 22 . Temporary Import Value October -2021 by 2 digit HS Code

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Temporary- Imports	
		490.78
26	Ores, slag and ash	1.84
29	Organic Chemicals	0.01
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	0.01
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	0.04
39	Plastics and articles thereof	0.67
40	Rubber and articles therof	0.45
42	Articles of Leather/Animal gut	-
56	Wadding felt & nonwovens,rope	0.15
61	Article of apparl. clothing accessor. knit /crocht	0.01
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	0.34
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	0.35
65	Headgear and parts thereof	0.04
68	Article of stone plaster cement	0.14
69	Ceramic products	0.12
73	Articles of iron & steel	125.43
76	Aluminium and article therreof	0.01
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	12.16
83	Miscellaneous art of base metl	0.24
84	Nuclear rect boil mach & parts	310.20
85	Electrcl machinery eqipmnt part	31.48
86	Rail/tramway locomotive parts	0.24
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	4.31
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	2.38
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	0.09
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	0.11