

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 2022.

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 , 2022 total export and import of goods and services is recorded at increased by Tk. 501.23 and decreased by Tk.881.18 billion respectively resulting in a trade deficit at goods and services of Tk. 379.95 billion. The growth of export and import in October , 2022 increased 11.77 by and decreased by 5.39 percent respectively comparing to September 2022 and it is increased by 6.88 and increased by 0.55 percent respectively comparing to ,October 2021.

For the three months ending in October , 2022 the moving average of export of goods and services was Tk 488.77 billion, while the moving average of import of goods and services was 916.48 billion resulting in an average trade deficit of Tk.427.72 billion. For the three months ending in September, 2022 the average trade deficit was Tk .414.61, reflecting average exports of Tk. 472.06 billion and average imports of Tk.886.67billion.

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
2020-21	4253.85	3279.88	773.97	7566.77	6633.04	933.73	-3309.92	-3153.16	-159.69
2021-22	5427.42	4571.35	856.12	10235.39	8939.51	1295.88	-4717.92	-4367.79	-439.76
2022-23									
Nov-21	423.54	355.18	68.41	879.71	776.16	103.55	-366.12	-420.98	-35.14
Dec-21	514.91	431.21	83.70	927.43	816.84	110.59	-412.52	-385.63	-26.89
Jan-22	493.95	421.08	72.87	917.94	815.57	102.37	-423.99	-394.49	-29.50
Feb-22	433.50	371.18	62.32	939.87	841.98	97.89	-506.37	-470.80	-35.57
Mar-22	502.84	421.84	81.00	885.70	777.34	108.36	-382.86	-355.50	-27.36
Apr-22	511.47	424.15	87.32	900.77	784.68	116.09	-389.30	-360.53	-28.77
May-22	408.15	337.86	70.29	844.89	740.44	104.45	-436.74	-402.58	-34.16
Jun-22	558.56	461.65	96.91	971.04	830.02	141.02	-412.48	-368	-44.11
Jul-22	451.13	382.19	68.94	791.76	696.02	95.74	-340.63	-313.83	-26.28
Aug-22	516.62	442.23	74.39	936.86	825.14	111.72	-420.24	-382.91	-37.33
Sep-22	448.44	375.67	72.77	931.40	822.06	109.34	-482.96	-446.39	-36.57
Oct-22	501.24	432.83	68.41	881.18	783.59	97.59	-379.95	-359.77	-30.18

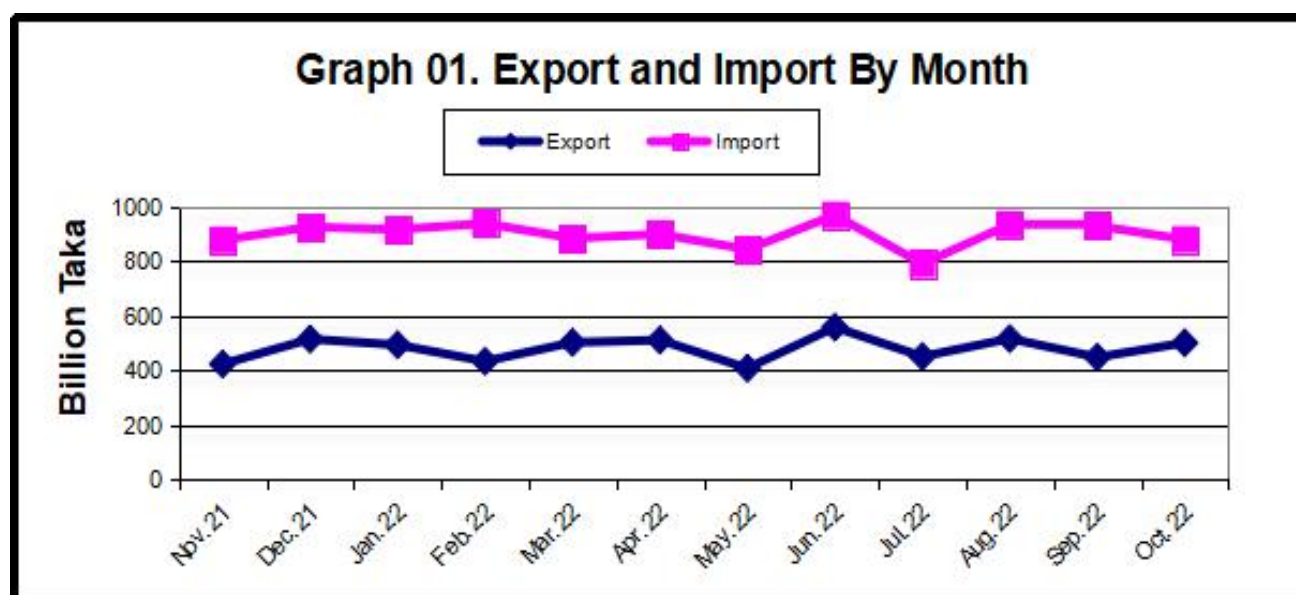


Table 2: Export, import and trade deficits

(In million US \$)

Period	Export			Import			Trade balance		
	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service	Total	Goods	Service
2020-21	41801	41026	775	79132	78197	935	-37331	-37171	-182
2021-22	52792	52048	854	103096	101816	1295	-50214	-49787	-441
2021-22									
Nov-21	4202	4154	68	9180	9077	103	-4978	-4943	-35
Dec-21	5169	5085	84	9743	9632	111	-4574	-4547	-27
Jan-22	4956	4883	73	9559	9457	102	-4603	-4574	-29
Feb-22	4362	4300	62	9852	9754	98	-5490	-5454	-36
Mar-22	4935	4854	81	9053	8945	108	-4118	-4091	-27
Apr-22	4672	4585	87	8599	8483	116	-3927	-3898	-29
May-22	3561	3581	70	7952	7848	104	-4301	-4267	-34
Jun-22	5036	4940	96	9023	8882	141	-3987	-3942	-45
Jul-22	4105	4036	69	7446	7350	96	-3341	-3314	-27
Aug-22	4729	4655	74	8798	8686	112	-4069	-4031	-38
Sep-22	3986	3913	73	8672	8563	109	-4686	-4650	-36
Oct-22	4548	4480	68	8208	8110	98	-3660	-3630	-30

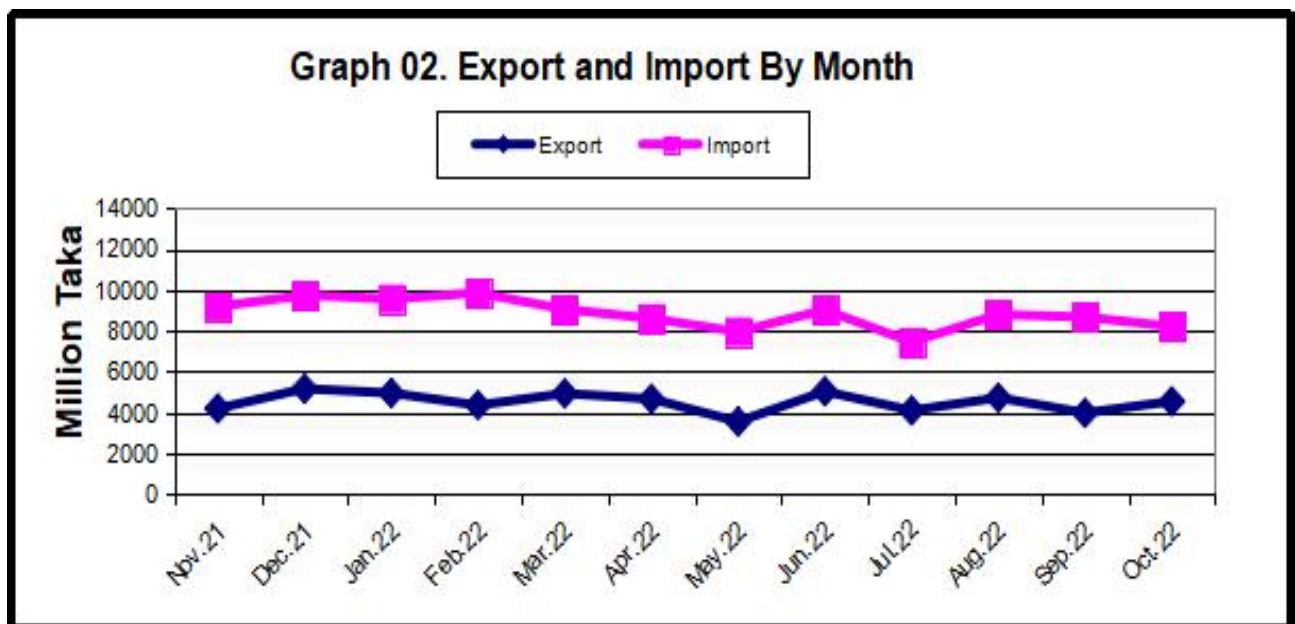


Table 3. Percent change from the previous month (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	2021-22		
	Sep'22	Oct'22	Percent change from the previous month
1. Export (Commodities)	375667	432829	15.22
1. Readymade Garments	301166	360449	19.68
2. Shrimps and prawn	3079	3165	2.79
3. Vegetable textiles fiber/ yarn	7251	6662	-8.12
4. Made-up textiles articles	9399	9200	-2.12
5. Raw hides, skins & leathers	1096	1010	-7.85
6. Raw jute	2099	1900	-9.48
7. Footwear Special woven fabrics	10879	9988	-8.19
8. Fertilizer	-	-	-
9. Hats and other head gear	3713	3861	3.99
10. Special woven fabrics	634	588	-7.26
11. Others	36351	36006	-0.95
2. Import (Commodities)	822064	783587	-4.68
1. Machinery & parts	70033	64260	-8.24
2. Petroleum product and oil	114617	100471	-12.34
3. Electric Machinery	35178	35888	2.02
4. Soya bean and Palm oil	64931	53910	-16.97
5. Raw cotton	43579	44664	2.49
6. Textile fabrics	504	300	-40.48
7. Iron and steel	42896	37553	-12.46
8. Plastics and articles	27763	28504	2.67
9. Wheat	15761	10201	-35.28
10. Fertilizer	71046	64541	-9.16
11. Others	335756	343295	2.25
3. Trade balance (1-2)	-446397	-350758	-21.42

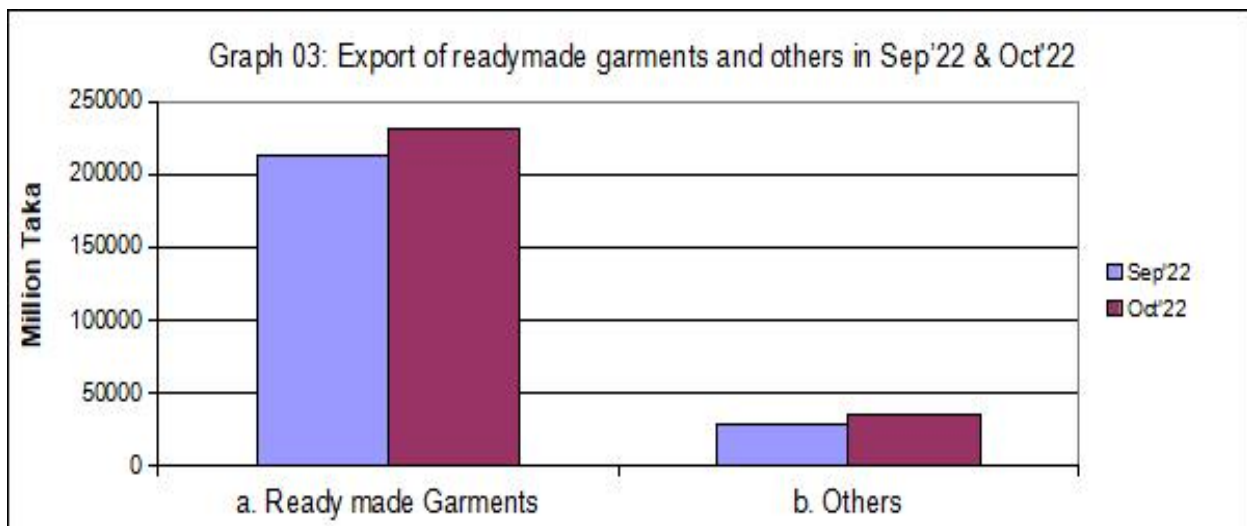


Table 4. Import of Essential Commodities Quantity

(In M. Ton)

Items	2021-22			
	Sep'22	Oct'22	Percent change from the previous month	Cumulative (Oct -22)
Import (Commodities)				
1. Raw sugar	263796	154959	-41.26	997068
2. Palm oil	212000	286103	34.95	962474
3. Soya bean oil	81555	159028	94.99	453315
4. Milk & Cream	11423	9147	-19.92	41724
5. Ginger	-	-	-	-
6. Chillies	-	-	-	-
7. Wheat	53058	156344	194.67	331950
8. Rice	21042	1888403	8874.45	1995011
9. Lentil & other	41564	77182	85.69	194390
10. Onion	107755	177686	64.90	543533
11. Garlic	6664	5891	-11.60	26038
12. Tea	13	98	653.85	139
13. Oil seed	563503	64937	-88.48	1359987
14. Gram/Anchor	-	370	-	-
15. Turmeric	1387	2407	73.54	7518

Table 5: Twelve months export of readymade garments during 2020-21 to 2022-23.

(In million taka)

Month	Ready made Garments (Knitted)			Ready made Garments (Not Knitted)		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
July	148425	140660	175290	126746	104214	142679
August	159561	135975	195288	136445	97954	158932
September	118835	162372	165780	92672	128967	135386
October	113478	175012	204138	83588	129679	156311
November	117069	152286		96243	125082	
December	121823	186536		108965	160055	
January	126302	182230		119882	169627	
February	115745	154362		108514	147341	
March	111493	176349		96898	161643	
April	113787	183216		99656	156394	
May	115959	152618		101061	123951	
June	135506	204361		110002	170870	

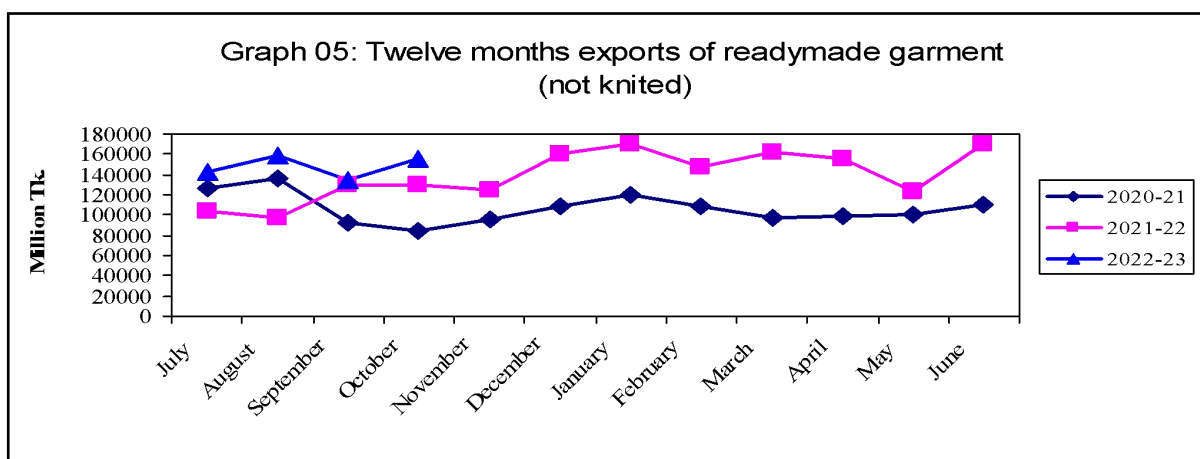
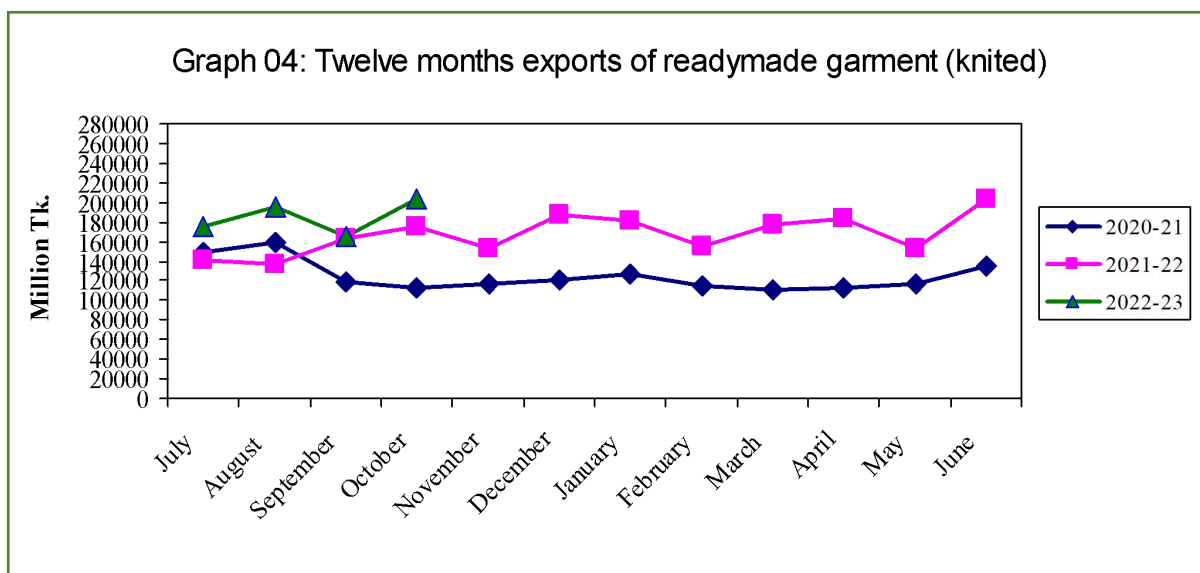


Table 6: Twelve months export of raw hides, skins & leather, 2020-21 to 2022-23.

(In million taka)

Month	Raw hides, skins & leather		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
July	775	940	1218
August	4486	727	994
September	949	1065	1096
October	819	899	1010
November	1244	1203	
December	948	1155	
January	752	1324	
February	848	1329	
March	854	1337	
April	1093	1358	
May	1081	740	
June	874	1066	

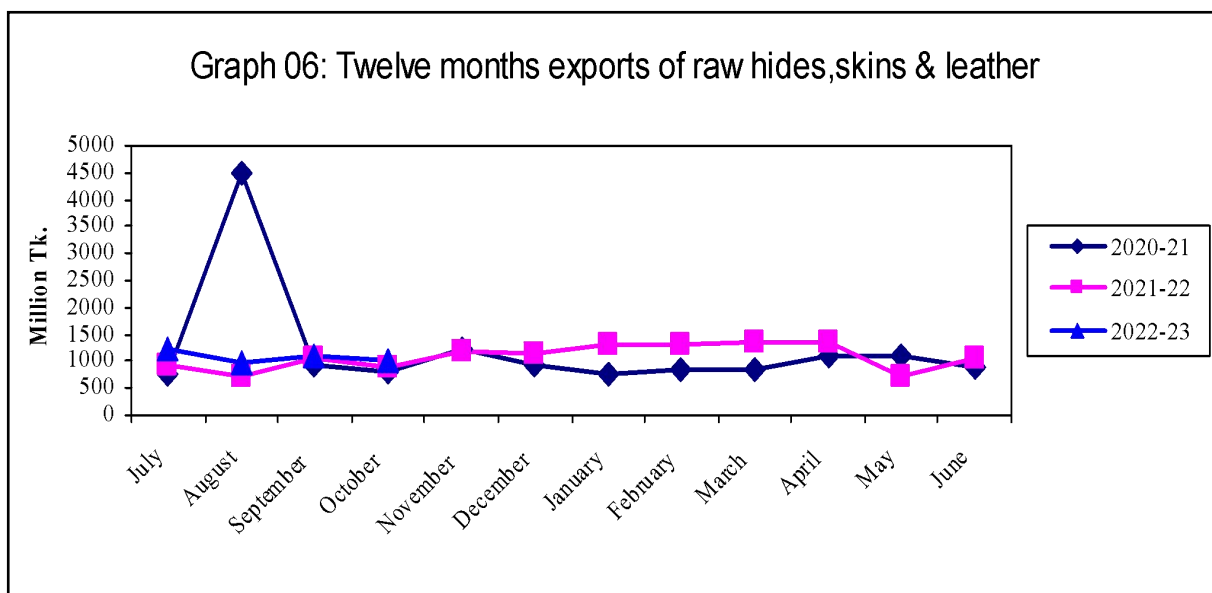


Table 7: Twelve months export of shrimps and prawn, 2020-21 to 2022-23.

(In million taka)

Month	Shrimps and prawn		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
July	2977	2625	2948
August	2490	3817	3737
September	3313	4240	3079
October	3507	5128	3165
November	2492	4414	
December	2867	3307	
January	1350	2345	
February	1306	1620	
March	1570	1767	
April	1663	1783	
May	2433	1967	
June	3405	3173	

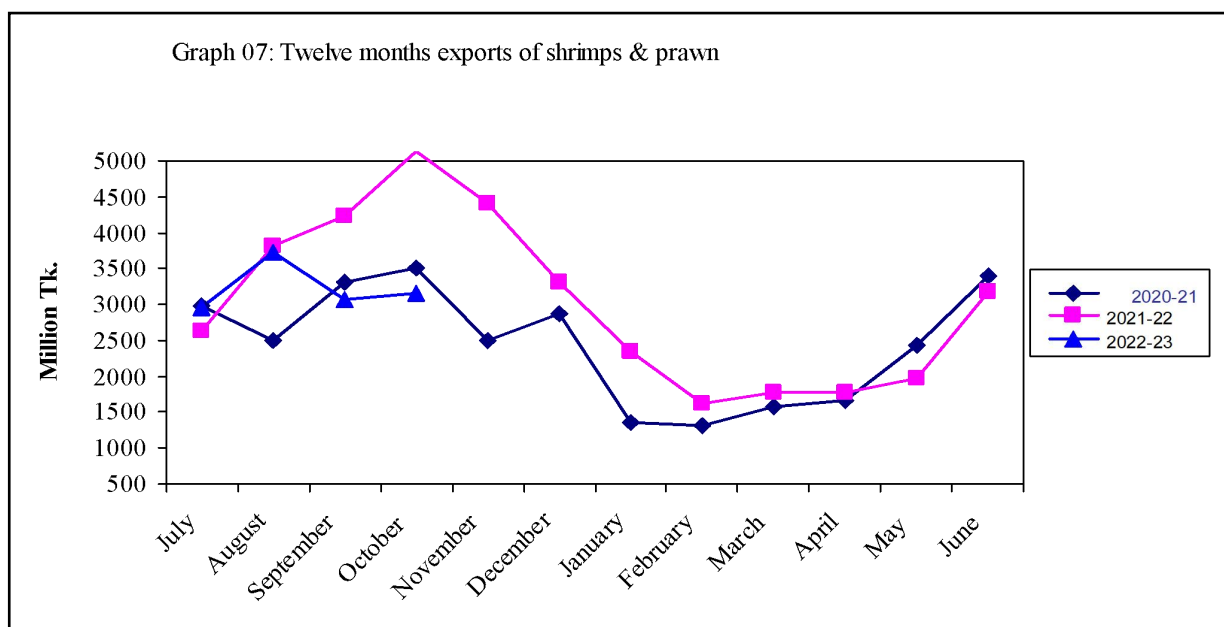


Table 8: Twelve months import of machinery & parts and electrical machinery during 2020-21 to 2022-23.

(In million taka)

Month	Machinery & Parts			Electrical Machinery		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
July	35766	42971	62085	29204	35148	28567
August	36056	59146	67253	30551	39574	37476
September	41367	52533	70033	30102	32696	35178
October	39088	52725	64260	23546	30345	35888
November	36819	74109		28234	29805	
December	38843	89824		27469	38252	
January	46465	68322		28765	41964	
February	52868	72283		24293	43746	
March	54713	66053		30982	43604	
April	45012	58831		33196	37305	
May	62248	55948		34347	34348	
June	69079	72321		41375	46054	

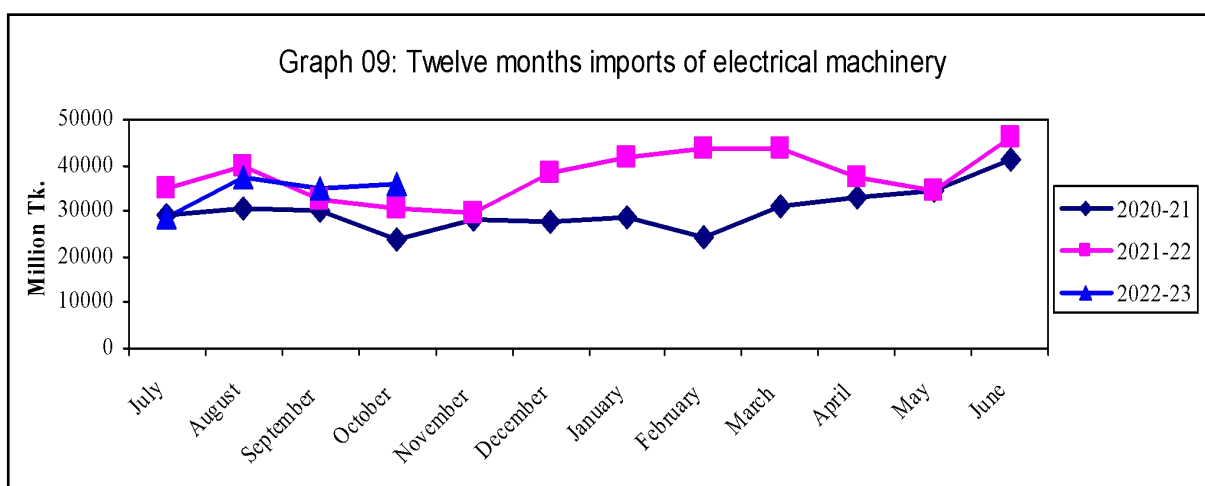
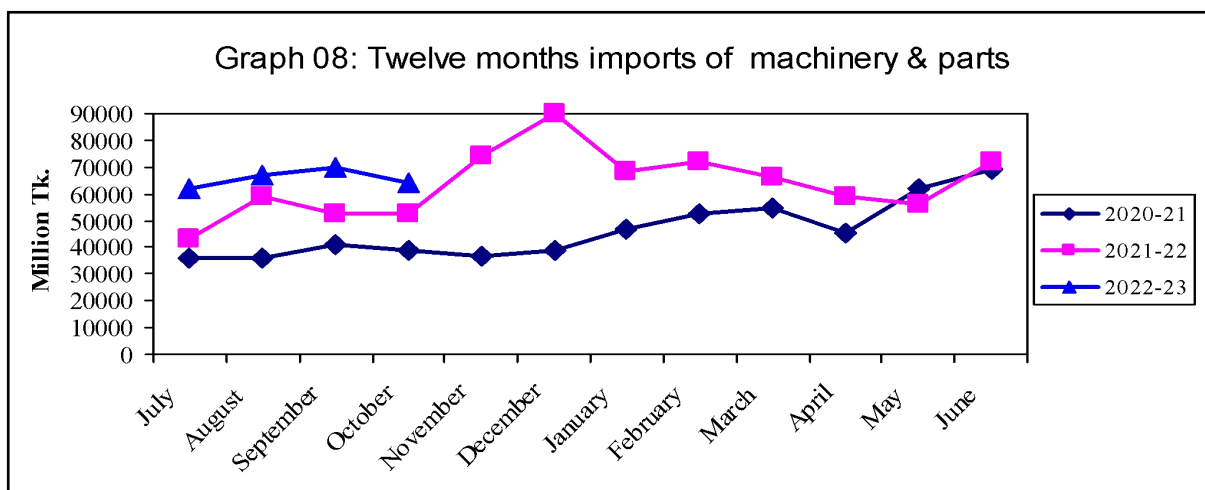


Table 9: Twelve months imports of Soya bean and Palm oil during 2020-21 to 2022-23.

(In million taka)

Month	Soya bean			Palm Oil		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
July	6625	6817	13155	10189	22906	29916
August	6501	8508	21130	5651	19976	31181
September	5121	6163	20195	13704	25569	44736
October	5345	6916	23984	12679	25463	29906
November	8221	19916		15877	27639	
December	8923	20470		16497	15457	
January	5926	15694		6724	17617	
February	11495	15904		25579	28118	
March	10558	13913		21473	30519	
April	16611	15559		26329	28512	
May	15675	8988		19142	11045	
June	10818	31008		12979	30855	

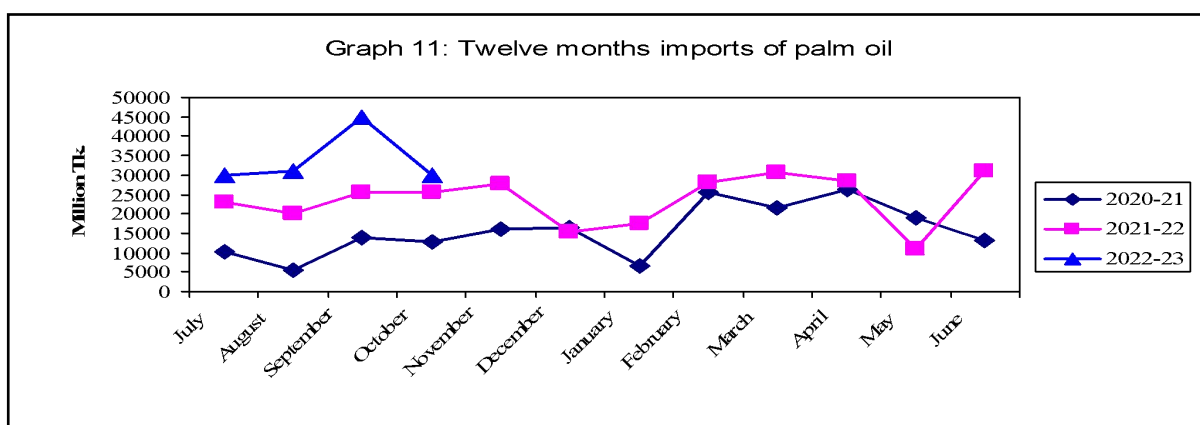
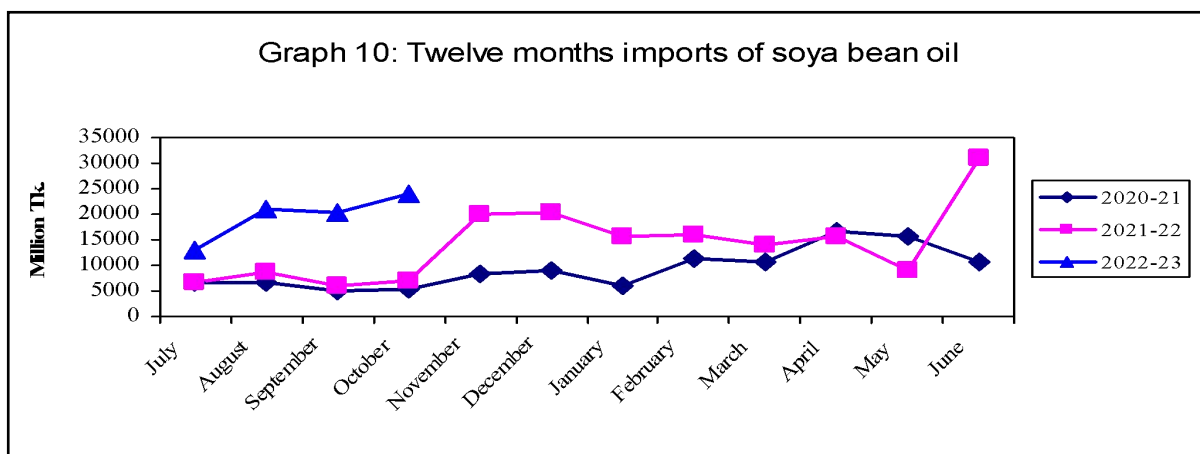


Table 10: Twelve months import of rice and wheat during 2020-21 to 2022-23.

(In million taka)

Month	Rice			Wheat		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
July	64	4557	889	6347	11652	5854
August	157	3480	2676	12095	8751	10317
September	96	11158	4998	20864	9038	15761
October	340	9534	8265	13081	27143	10201
November	195	3504		7260	29583	
December	20114	1692		19655	21899	
January	2847	1456		8365	15231	
February	9179	171		15907	15312	
March	13820	189		17327	17621	
April	15083	166		18827	14917	
May	7719	479		11914	15395	
June	5937	316		11288	7232	

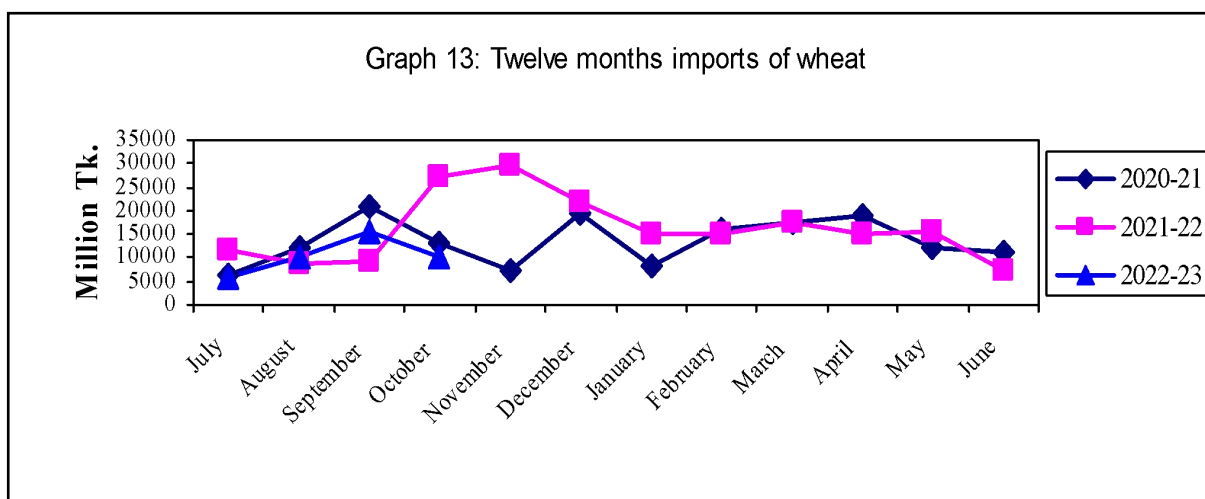
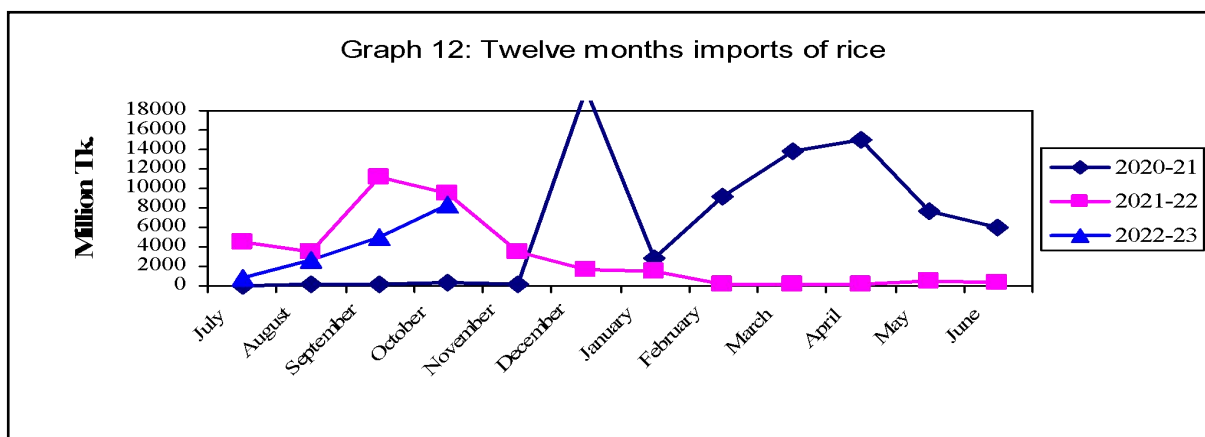


Table 11: Twelve months import of iron & steel and plastics & articles during 2020-21 to 2022-23.

(In million taka)

Month	Iron & Steel			Plastics & articles		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
July	18733	29056	39219	17072	22268	29175
August	15583	33867	42921	16419	27350	32745
September	19138	33906	42896	19947	26599	27763
October	19605	35093	37553	18516	26248	28504
November	25652	32710		20427	26707	
December	22715	43555		20412	30981	
January	21952	41357		22942	32490	
February	19920	41186		24491	27498	
March	28993	50454		26647	32414	
April	26731	47981		24752	32224	
May	22906	34827		26185	31558	
June	34150	48233		28836	34975	

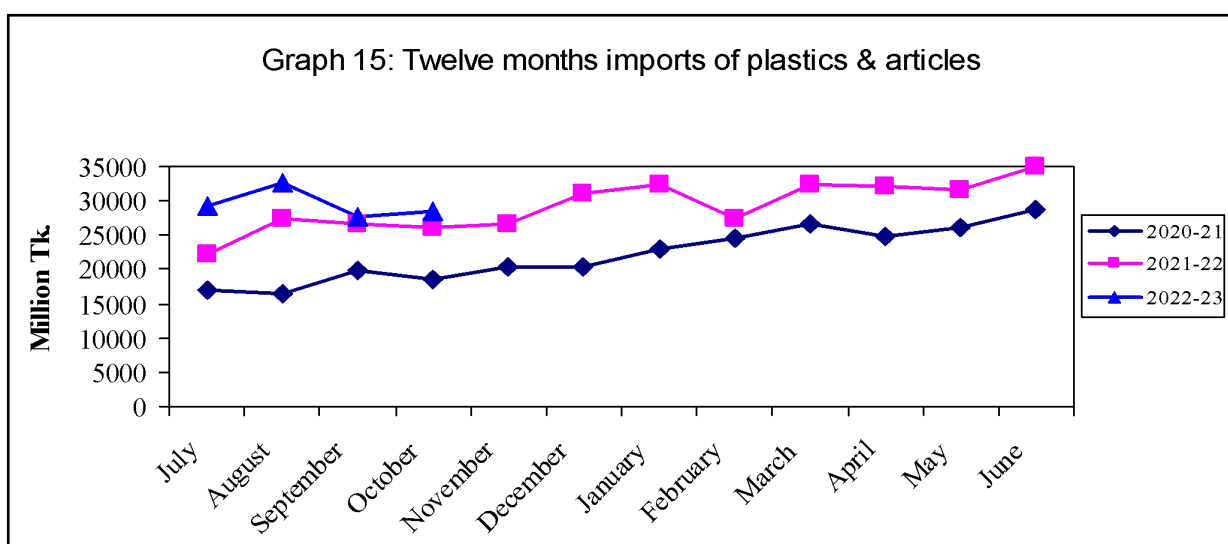
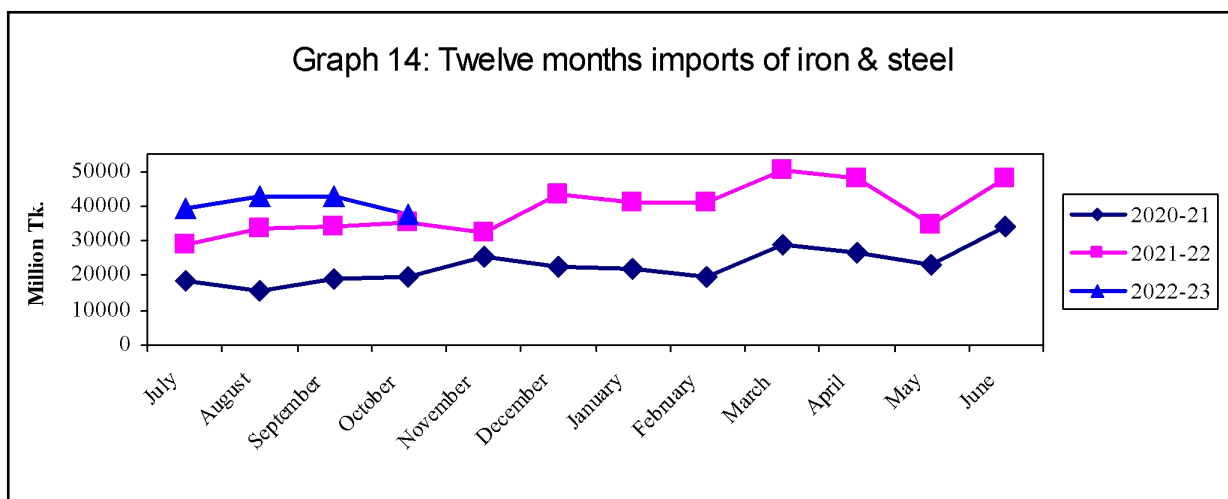


Table 12. Point to point percent change in external trade (goods)

(In million taka)

Items	August-October			October		
	2020-21	2021-22	Change in percent	2020-21	2021-22	Change in percent
1. Export(Commodities)	1051670	1250726	18.93	404593	432829	6.98
2. Import (Commodities)	2041686	2430789	19.06	697533	783587	1.12
3.Trade balance(1-2)	-990016	-1180063	-0.13	-292940	-350758	5.80

Table13. Top trading partners – total trade (goods),October -2022

(In million taka)					
Country	Exports	Imports	Total	Rank	Percent of Total Trade
China	6181	1655351	171532	1	14.10
India	18022	83600	101622	2	8.35
USA	40017	2249	101437	3	8.34
Germany	55864	11485	67349	4	5.54
Singaore	1577	62332	63909	5	5.25
Indonesia	811	55313	56124	6	4.61
United Kingdom	40017	2249	42266	7	3.47
Japan	15831	26136	41967	8	3.45
Canada	14557	20957	35514	9	2.92
Brazil	917	32961	33878	10	2.79

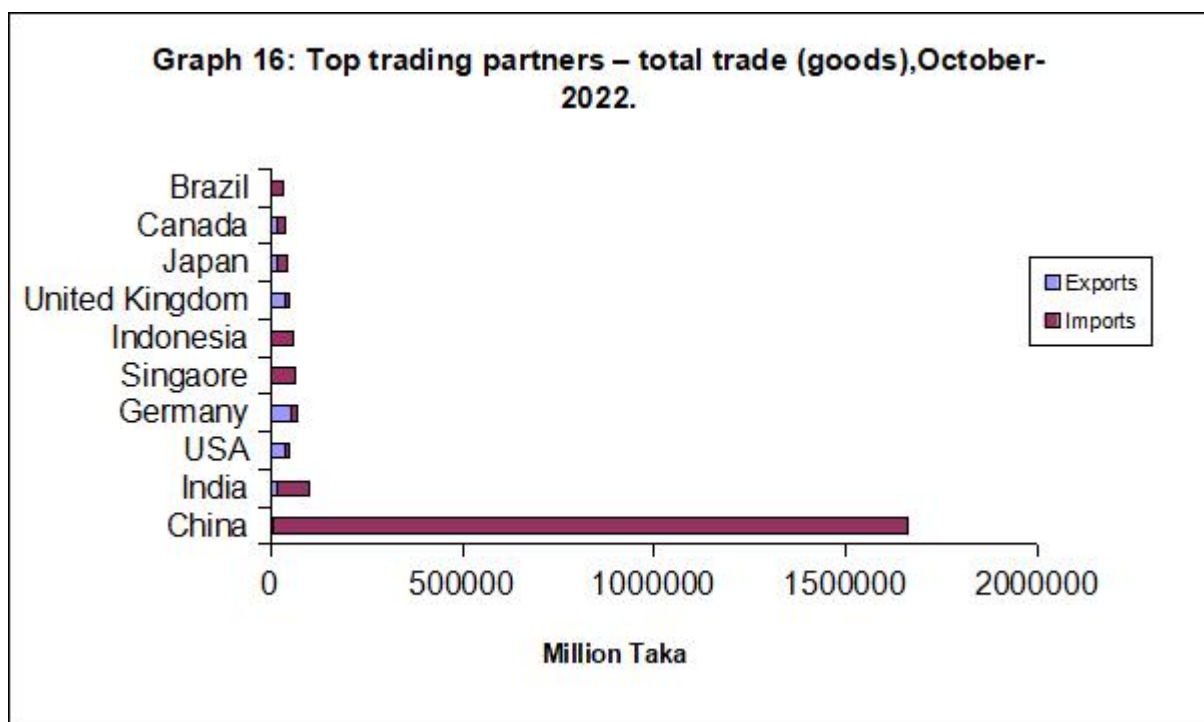


Table 14. Top trading partners – exports (goods),October - 2022

(In million taka)

Country	Export	Rank	Percent of Total Export
United States	74601	1	17.24
Germany	55864	2	12.91
United Kingdom	40017	3	9.25
France	30827	4	7.12
Spain	26663	5	6.16
Italy	18083	6	4.18
India	18022	7	4.16
Japan	15831	8	3.66
Netherlands	14689	9	3.39
Canada	14557	10	3.36

Table 15. Top trading partners – imports (goods),October - 2022

(In million taka)

Country	Import	Rank	Percent of Total Import
China	165351	1	21.10
India	83600	2	10.67
Singapore	62332	3	7.95
Indonesia	55313	4	7.06
Brazil	32961	5	4.21
Unitd States	26836	6	3.42
Japan	26136	7	3.34
Saudi Arabia	24167	8	3.08
Hong Kong	23707	9	3.03
Canda	20957	10	2.67

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

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep,22	Oct'22	
1	Live animals	0.29	0.29	0
2	Meat and edible meat offal	0.38	1.15	202.63
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	4883.51	3784.76	-22.50
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	25.58	18.2	-28.85
5	Products of animal origin	96.54	75.11	-22.20
6	Live tree Plant bulbroot etc.	0.60	3.05	408.33
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	529.40	220.5	-58.35
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	10.75	2.76	-74.33
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	371.71	356.34	-4.13
10	Cereals	0.22	4.01	1722.73
11	Product of milling industry : malt etc.	39.30	29.4	-25.19
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	232.88	88.9	-61.83
13	Lac, gum resin vegetable sap/ extract	33.24	60.41	81.74
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	202.94	3.98	-98.04
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	1542.70	1603.42	3.94
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	12.60	21.28	68.89
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	214.79	256.72	19.52
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparations	34.87	18.98	-45.57
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1637.60	1592.98	-2.72
20	Preparations of vegetable fruits, nuts, etc.	572.99	638.88	11.50
21	Misc. edible preparations	13.56	17.84	31.56
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	288.27	216.9	-24.76
23	Residues & waste from the food industry	473.56	57.93	-87.77
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	2907.39	2339.79	-19.52
25	Salt, sulphr etc. & plastering metals stone cement	50.55	57.2	13.16
26	Ores, slag and ash	195.27	535.55	174.26
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	138.18	173.34	25.45
28	Inorganic chem. comp of specious metals etc.	536.62	658.68	22.75
29	Organic chemicals	144.40	65.92	-54.35
30	Pharmaceutical products	1366.70	1428.89	4.55
31	Fertilizers	-	0	-
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	6.44	8.55	32.76
33	Essential oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	10.43	0.83	-92.04

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

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'22	Oct'22	
34	Soap, organic Surface-active agents etc.	22.05	24.49	11.07
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues etc.	26.79	44.2	64.99
36	Explosive pyrotechnic products	-	-	-
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	-	-	-
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	194.45	133.24	-31.48
39	Plastics and articles thereof	1409.93	1380.87	-2.06
40	Rubber and articles thereof	240.52	166.04	-30.97
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1096	1010.33	-7.82
42	Articles of Leather/Animal Gut	2750.81	3045.48	10.71
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	-	-	-
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	24.02	39.2	63.20
45	Cork and articles of cork	-	-	-
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	211.63	259.99	22.85
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulose materials etc.	-	-	-
48	Paper & paper board; art. P. pulp etc.	1130.06	1836.13	62.48
49	Printed books, news papers, pictures etc.	23.89	51.83	116.95
50	Silk	3.32	9.26	178.92
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	0.01	4.61	46000.00
52	Cotton	2588.66	2903.41	12.16
53	Other vegetable, Textile fibres, paper/yarn etc	7250.77	6661.94	-8.12
54	Man-made filaments	1099.44	1173.28	6.72
55	Man-made staple fibres	315.79	305.79	-3.17
56	Wadding felts nonwovens, special yarn etc.	493.71	520.6	5.45
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	248.79	150.56	-39.48
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted tex.fabrics etc.	634.20	587.82	-7.31
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	329.03	269.59	-18.07
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	943.57	1052.02	11.49
61	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit / crocht.	165780.20	204138.28	23.14
62	Article of appl. clothing accesso. knit/	135385.56	156311.22	15.46
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	9398.53	9200.17	-2.11
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	10878.57	9988.14	-8.19
65	Headgear and parts thereof	3712.90	3861.04	3.99

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

(in million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'22	Oct'22	
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	-	2.12	-
67	Prepared feathers & down/articles etc.	1332.50	738.4	-44.59
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	4.49	0.8	-82.18
69	Ceramic products	354.32	338.4	-4.49
70	Glass and glassware	78.43	91.94	17.23
71	Natural/culture pearls precious stones etc.	0.21	1.79	752.38
72	Iron or steel	386.47	338.57	-12.39
73	Articles of iron or steel	409.25	342.34	-16.35
74	Copper and articles thereof	280.07	136.91	-51.12
75	Nickel and articles thereof	12.50	16.72	33.76
76	Aluminum and article thereof	297.35	142.19	-52.18
78	Lead and articles thereof	11.59	-	-
79	Zinc and articles thereof	107.22	-	-
80	Tin and articles thereof	-	-	-
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	0.05	13.57	27040.00
82	Tools, cutlery Spon base Metl Part	189.92	22.32	-88.25
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	7.54	13.79	82.89
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	3013.85	4127.96	36.97
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	1152.95	889.62	-22.84
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	11.37	39.79	249.96
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	1304.61	1606.63	23.15
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	606.89	6.55	-98.92
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	485.68	1831.32	277.06
90	Optical,photo,cinematgph.Medical inst.etc.	708.29	745.81	5.30
91	Clocks & watches & parts	5.10	5.31	4.12
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	-	-	-
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	-	-	-
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	457.35	569.28	24.47
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts	716.53	566.48	-20.94
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	961.98	767.16	-20.25
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	0.20	-	-
98	Goods Commodities NEC	2.51	1.20	-52.19
	Total	375666.68	432829.04	15.22

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

(In million taka)

HS Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'22	Oct'22	
303	Fish frozen	232.78	198.09	-14.90
304	Fish fillet, other fish meal	-	-	-
305	Fish dried	14.72	13.35	-9.31
306	Shrimps & prawns frozen	3078.96	3164.72	2.79
307	Molluscs	39.32	67.89	72.66
506	Bone and horn- cores	-	-	-
709	Vegetable fresh, chilled other	56.02	11.72	-79.08
902	Tea	17.58	16.35	-7.00
1006	Rice	0.22	4.01	1722.73
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	2899.97	2303.24	-20.58
2710	Petro oil/oil bitum minrl, nec	13.13	15.77	20.11
3003-004	Pharmaceutical product	1299.90	1400.76	7.76
3901-926	Plastic & articles thereof	1253.44	1380.87	10.17
4102	Raw hides & skin of sheep's or lambs	-	-	-
4103	Raw hides and skin other	3.49	0.59	-83.09
4104	Leather Bovine/Equin W/Out hair	815.46	907.99	11.35
4105	Tanned or crust skins of sheep or lambs	1.21	-	-
4106	Tanned or crust hides and skins or other animals	38.68	30.91	-20.09
4107	Leather hole hides and skins or crusting	228.11	63.54	-72.15
4113	Leather further prepared after tanning or crusting including parchment-dressed leather of other animals	7.65	5.69	-25.62
4202	Trunks, suit-case, vanity-cases, brief cases, and other	2452.00	2672.77	9.00
4602	Basket work, wicker work, and other articles	205.26	257.88	25.64
5303	Jute and other textile bast fibres, raw or retted	2099.32	1900.26	-9.48
5307	Jute yarn	4381.24	4024.29	-8.15
5310	Woven fabrics and jutes or of other textile bast fibres	761.84	701.70	-7.89
5607	Jute twine, cordage, roofs and cables	232.47	255.96	10.10
6101-117	Readymade garments men's women's and girls knitted and crocheted	165780.19	203434.93	22.71
6201-217	Readymade garments men's women's and girls not knitted and crocheted	135385.58	156311.23	15.46
6305	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods	1672.35	1826.94	9.24
6401-6406	Foot ware with outer soles and uppers of rubber or of plastics and other	10878.57	9988.14	-8.19
6505	Heads and other headgear, knitted or crocheted	3670.34	3807.30	3.73
	Total	337519.80	394766.89	16.96

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change From previous month
		Sep'22	Oct'22	
1	Live animals	951.29	321.85	-66.17
2	Meat and edible meat offal	17.27	2.59	-85.00
3	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	476.36	692.53	45.38
4	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	3055.43	3141.13	2.80
5	Products of animal origin	600.43	734.68	22.36
6	Live tree and other plants etc.	7.08	7.27	2.68
7	Edible vegetables, roots as tubers	5976.70	16329.49	173.22
8	Edible fruits and nuts citrus fruits	3154.48	4623.21	46.56
9	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	3238.02	3385.87	4.57
10	Cereals	28011.93	30601.43	9.24
11	Product of milling industry: malt etc.	244.99	130.07	-46.91
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	4925.36	5025.94	2.04
13	Lac, gums, resins , vegetable saps & extra	179.89	176.4	-1.94
14	Vegetable plaiting materials	17.60	13.76	-21.82
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	65864.03	54467.88	-17.30
16	Preparations of meat or fish etc.	14.56	29.89	105.29
17	Sugar and sugar confectionery	7842.97	6998.63	-10.77
18	Cocoa and cocoa preparation	158.45	206.78	30.50
19	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch etc.	1901.16	1836.42	-3.41
20	Preparations of vegetable, fruits, nuts, etc.	208.22	165.54	-20.50
21	Misc. edible preparations	1299.66	1264.02	-2.74
22	Beverages, spirits and vinegar	73.36	73.87	0.70
23	Residues & waste from the food industries	7974.47	6689.01	-16.12
24	Tobacco mfg tobacco substitutes	97.10	108.72	11.97
25	Salt, sulphur, etc. and plastering metals stone cement	24277.10	20361.81	-16.13
26	Ores, slag and ash	3818.01	2829.22	-25.90
27	Mineral, fuels/oils etc.	114616.69	100470.72	-12.34
28	Inorganic. Chem.: compounds of specious metals etc.	7967.57	5940.04	-25.45
29	Organic Chemicals	10940.48	11183.83	2.22
30	Pharmaceutical products	2343.79	2536.23	8.21
31	Fertilizers	71045.59	64540.57	-9.16
32	Tanning/dyeing ext; dye pigments etc.	7295.19	7307.32	0.17
33	Essential Oils, perfumery/toilet pre.	1208.26	1214.34	0.50
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	1713.73	1883.92	9.93

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'22	Oct'22	
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues e	1301.32	1139.11	-12.47
36	Explosives pyrotechnic products etc.	263.24	108.30	-58.86
37	Photographic/cinematographic goods	359.54	243.04	-32.40
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	8147.37	8397.37	3.07
39	Plastics and articles thereof	27763.24	28504.45	2.67
40	Rubber and articles thereof	3969.97	3491.03	-12.06
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	1870.07	1492.14	-20.21
42	Articles of Leather/Animal gut	212.54	276.67	30.17
43	Fur skins & artificial fur. Mfg.	2.37	2.92	23.21
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	665.10	553.01	-16.85
45	Cork and articles of cork	4.49	10.74	139.20
46	Manufactures of straw etc.	3.20	2.71	-15.31
47	Pulp/ wood/fibrous cellulosic materials etc.	2572.29	1484.53	-42.29
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	9022.37	8740.79	-3.12
49	Printed Book, News paper & picture	776.00	911.68	17.48
50	Silk	5.58	24.16	332.97
51	Wool, fine/coarse animal hair etc.	264.70	298.19	12.65
52	Cotton	89887.45	90093.61	0.23
53	Other vegetabe, textile fibres, paper/yarn etc.	4140.44	7279.82	75.82
54	Man-made filaments	18070.08	19866.20	9.94
55	Man-made staple fibres	17402.30	17398.47	-0.02
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	1500.01	1488.05	-0.80
57	Carpet other text. floor coverings	51.75	55.19	6.65
58	Special woven fabrics, tufted textile fabrics etc.	4306.79	3853.83	-10.52
59	Impregnated, coated, textile fabrics etc.	4734.99	4599.8	-2.86
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	17044.38	16780.14	-1.55
61	Article of apparel. clothing accessor. knit /crocht	215.13	369.76	71.88
62	Articl of apparel.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	2968.40	2757.84	-7.09
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	147.64	108.79	-26.31
64	Footwear, gaiter & like etc.	2395.4	2087.95	-12.84
65	Headgear and parts thereof	114.58	220.59	92.52
66	Umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walk sticks etc.	19.28	19.77	2.54

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change from previous month
		Sep'22	Oct'22	
67	Prepared feather & down articles	496.45	462.71	-6.80
68	Art of stone, plastic, cement etc.	1861.45	829.45	-55.44
69	Ceramic products	966.02	982.27	1.68
70	Glass and glassware	912.60	1120.90	22.82
71	Natural/culture pearls & precious stones	65.78	46.03	-30.02
72	Iron or steel	42895.91	37553.21	-12.46
73	Articles of iron or steel	13512.89	12108.27	-10.39
74	Copper and articles thereof	2890.11	2360.64	-18.32
75	Nickel and articles thereof	4.77	8.46	77.36
76	Aluminum and article thereof	5458.18	4416.21	-19.09
78	Lead and articles thereof	327.44	440.97	34.67
79	Zinc and articles thereof	1736.55	1675.88	-3.49
80	Tin and articles thereof	19.79	192.11	870.74
81	Other base metals, cermets etc.	19.07	27.66	45.04
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	486.20	510.26	4.95
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	1763.68	1714.46	-2.79
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	70032.62	64260.39	-8.24
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	35177.69	35887.68	2.02
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	1450.63	1484.31	2.32
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	13007.26	11661.96	-10.34
88	Aircraft, space craft and parts.	3766.9	2451.03	-34.93
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	7338.9	12100.52	64.88
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	6167.02	5738.74	-6.94
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	149.99	112.9	-24.73
92	Musical /instruments and parts etc.	22.24	4.77	-78.55
93	Arms, & ammunition and parts & accessories	2299.34	2.55	-99.89
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	1614.62	1667.38	3.27
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	307.40	419.20	36.37
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	5588.86	5387.06	-3.61
97	Works/ art, collectors & antiques	3.23	2.86	-11.46
98	Goods commodities nec	0.87	0.43	-50.57
Total		822063.69	783586.90	-4.68

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

(In million taka)

H S Code	Commodities	2021-22		% change From previous month
		Sep'22	Oct'22	
401	Milk & cream	7.04	3.95	-43.89
703	Onion & Garlic	3926.28	2889.37	-26.41
713	Dried leguminous vegetable	3713.76	12960.66	248.99
804	Dates	278.68	750.27	169.22
806	Grapes	390.62	666.15	70.54
808	Apples	789.22	1145.37	45.13
904	Pepper	525.69	771.99	46.85
1001	wheat	15760.56	10201.16	-35.27
1006	Rice	4998.31	8264.53	65.35
1108	Starches	201.03	105.71	-47.42
1201-1212	Oil seeds	4925.35	5025.94	2.04
1507	Soya bean oil	20194.72	23983.64	18.76
1511	Palm Oil	44735.73	29905.66	-33.15
1701	Sugar	7628.57	6777.65	-11.15
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco	32.08	81.21	153.15
2523	Cement	14106.20	12154.21	-13.84
2710	Petroleum product	85386.40	70422.07	-17.53
2801-2851	In organic Chemicals	7965.82	5939.43	-25.44
2901-2942	Organic Chemicals	1094.77	11183.8	921.57
3101-3105	Fertilizers	71045.59	64540.57	-9.16
3201-3215	Tanning & dyeing	7295.19	7307.32	0.17
3801-3825	Chemical product	8137.55	8355.4	2.68
3901-3926	Plastic & articles thereof	23063.26	28504.45	23.59
4801-4823	Paper & paper board	9022.36	8740.79	-3.12
5201-5203	Raw cotton	44200.60	45319.9	2.53
5205-5207	Cotton yarn	12549.44	11335.35	-9.67
5208-5212	Cotton fabric	33049.06	33392.63	1.04
5402-5406	Synthetic yarn	5859.65	7204.77	22.96
5407-5408	Synthetic fabric	11445.04	11633.51	1.65
5504-5507	Staple fibre	2020.93	1974.52	-2.30
5509-5511	Yarn of staple fibre	3228.08	2796.33	-13.37
5512-5516	Fabric of staple fibre	8972.03	9703.56	8.15
7201-7229	Iron & steel	42895.90	37253.2	-13.15
7301-7326	Article of iron & steel	13512.89	12108.3	-10.39
7601-7616	Aluminum & article thereof	5458.18	4416.21	-19.09
8402-8485	Machinery & parts	65967.76	57568.47	-12.73
8501-8548	Electrical goods	35177.67	35887.58	2.02
8607-8609	Rail, tramway, locomotive	69.45	67.34	-3.04
8701-8716	Vehicle	13007.27	11661.98	-10.34
8902,8903,8908	Ships, boat, floating structure	10840.50	10457.03	-3.54
9001-9033	Optical, Photo, Cinema etc.	6167.00	5738.75	-6.94
Total		649646.23	619200.73	-4.69

Table 20. Re-export Value, October -2022 by 2 digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total: Re-Exports	5768.51
03	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	22.67
29	Organic Chemicals	0.01
34	Soap, organic surface-active agents etc.	0.23
35	Albuminoidal substitute starches, glues e	0.12
38	Miscellaneous chem. products	1.40
39	Plastics and articles thereof	1.47
40	Rubber and articles thereof	13.69
41	Raw hides & skins, leather	3.92
44	Wood & art. of wood; wood charcoal	3.62
48	Paper & paper board; art. Paper pulps etc.	0.08
52	Cotton	4.60
54	Man-made filaments	1.65
55	Man-made staple fibres	0.93
60	Knitted or crocheted fabrics	4.88
61	Article of apparl. clothing accessor. knit /crocht	25.30
62	Articl of apparl.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	6.01
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	6.70
69	Ceramic products	0.98
72	Iron or steel	0.22
73	Articles of iron or steel	202.32
76	Aluminum and article thereof	0.15
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	19.46
83	Miscellaneous art of base metal.	0.74
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	3026.87
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	113.80
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	25.16
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	421.19
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	1825.38
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	10.66
91	Clocks & watches & parts.	1.12
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	0.08
95	Toys, games & sports requisites & parts etc.	0.92
96	Miscellaneous mfg. articles	22.06

Table 21. Re-import Value, October - 2022 by 2 digit HS Code.

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Re- Imports	47.03
03	Fishes, crustacean and other aquatic	40.29
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	6.12
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	0.62

Table 22. Temporary Export Value, October -2022 by 2 digit HS Code

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Temporary- Exports	665.09
39	Plastics and articles thereof	11.17
40	Rubber and articles thereof	0.30
62	Articl of apparel.clothing accessor.n-knit/ crocht.	4.18
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	604.11
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	28.02
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	0.10
87	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	2.92
88	Vehicles, other than rail/tram way's & parts etc.	6.55
89	Ships, boats & floating structures	2.35
90	Optical, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	5.40

Table 23 . Temporary Import Value, October - 2022 by 2 digit HS Code

(In million taka)

HS CODE	HS DESCRIPTIONS	
	Total : Temporary- Imports	222.24
04	Dairy produces edible product of animal origin.	0.06
09	Coffee, tea, mate and spices	0.30
12	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits	0.18
15	Animal or vegetable fats and oils	1.01
21	Misc. edible preparations	0.75
56	Wadding felts non-wovens, special yarn etc.	0.49
63	Other made up textile articles etc.	6.47
72	Iron or steel	4.93
73	Articles of iron or steel	56.79
76	Aluminum and article thereof	2.13
82	Tools, implements, cutlery etc.	0.16
84	Nuclear reactors, boilers etc.	98.55
85	Electrical mach. & equipment, parts etc.	47.38
86	Rail/tramway locomotives etc.	2.96
90	Optcal, Photograph, Cinematograph,Medical Inst.	0.01
94	Furniture, bedding, mattresses etc.	0.07