

## **REVIEW OF IMPORT PAYMENTS OF GOODS AND SERVICES, 2017-2018**

**Import of Goods:** The total merchandise Import Payments of Bangladesh (including imports of EPZ) during the years 2017-2018 and 2016-17 amounted to Taka 435041.5 crore (or US\$ 52939.6 Million) and Taka 344577.1 crore (or US\$ 43540.8 Million) respectively, reflecting a 21.6% increase in dollar terms.

**Import of Services:** The total Import Payments of Services during the years 2017-18 and 2016-17 amounted to taka 50017.6 crore (or US\$ 6086.6 Million) and taka 35995.9 crore (or US\$ 4548.5 Million) respectively, reflecting a 33.8 % increase in dollar terms.

The overall position of Import Payments of Goods and Services in Taka and US dollar for the years 2017-18 and 2016-17 are shown in Table –I(A) and Table-I (B) respectively:

TABLE-I(A)

(Taka in crore)

Import by mode of financing	2017-18		2016-17		Changes
	Amount	% of Total C	Amount	% of Total C	(1) - (3)
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>A. Import Payments of Goods</b>	<b>405819.1</b>	<b>93.3</b>	<b>320080.1</b>	<b>92.9</b>	<b>85739.0</b> <b>(26.8%)</b>
Cash	278733.9	64.1	226006.7	65.6	52727.2 (23.3 %)
Buyer's Credits	118599.3	27.3	86710.1	25.2	31889.2 (36.8%)
Loans & Grants	2254.0	0.5	1464.3	0.4	789.7 (53.9 %)
IDB/ITFC Loan (short term)	4889.9	1.1	4769.9	1.4	120.0 (2.5%)
Other Unclassified Imports	1342.0	0.3	1129.1	0.3	212.9 (18.9%)
<b>B. Imports of EPZ</b>	<b>29222.4</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>24497.0</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>4725.4</b> <b>(19.3%)</b>
<b>C.Total Import Payments of Goods (A+B)</b>	<b>435041.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>344577.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>90464.4</b> <b>(26.3 %)</b>
<b>D. Import Payments of Services</b>	<b>50017.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>35995.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14021.7</b> <b>(38.9%)</b>
<b>Total Import Payments of Goods and Services ( C+D)</b>	<b>485059.1</b>		<b>380573.0</b>		

TABLE-I(B)

(In Million USD)

Import by mode of financing	2017-18		2016-17		Changes
	Amount	% of Total C	Amount	% of Total C	(1) - (3)
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>A. Import Payments of Goods</b>	<b>49383.7</b>	<b>93.3</b>	<b>40443.7</b>	<b>92.9</b>	<b>8940.0</b> <b>(22.1%)</b>
Cash	33923.1	64.1	28558.8	65.6	5364.3 (18.8%)
Buyer's Credits	14431.8	27.3	10953.0	25.2	3478.8 (31.8%)
Loans & Grants	272.5	0.5	185.9	0.4	86.6 (46.6%)
IDB/ITFC Loan (short term)	592.7	1.1	603.1	1.4	-10.4 (-1.7%)
Other Unclassified Imports	163.6	0.3	142.9	0.3	20.7 (14.5%)
<b>B. Imports of EPZ</b>	<b>3555.9</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>3097.1</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>458.8</b> <b>(14.8%)</b>
<b>C.Total Import Payments of Goods (A+B)</b>	<b>52939.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>43540.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9398.8</b> <b>(21.6%)</b>
<b>D. Import Payments of Services</b>	<b>6086.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4548.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1538.1</b> <b>(33.8%)</b>
<b>Total Import Payments of Goods and Services ( C+D)</b>	<b>59026.2</b>		<b>48089.3</b>		

- Note: 1. Figures in parentheses indicate percentage of change.  
2. Buyer's credits on import payments data have been separated from 01-07-2013.  
3. Other Unclassified Imports by FDI (Source: CCI&E and BEPZA).

Source: Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank.

## **Major Commodity-wise Import Payments under (Cash+Buyer's Credit+ IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans & Grants):**

Import payments during the financial year 2017-18 amounted to Taka 404477.1 crore as against Taka 318951 crore during the previous year. The major commodities imported under (Cash+Buyer's Credit+ IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans & Grants) basis were: cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics Taka 54825.0 crore, nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances, parts thereof; Taka 48085.9 crore.

Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation, bituminous substances; mineral waxes Taka 41089.7 crore, cereals 26503.1 crore, electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts accessories of such articles Taka 23628.9 crore, iron and steel 19810.3 crore, plastics and articles thereof Taka 15453.0 crore, animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products, prepared edible fats, animal or vegetable waxes Taka 14641.3 crore, vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling - stock, and parts and accessories thereof Taka 13831.9 crore.

Ships, boats and floating structures Taka 9404.0 crore, man-made staple fibres Taka 8454.8 crore, sugar and sugar confectionery Taka 7912.1 crore, salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement Taka 7379.2 crore, fertilizers Taka 7141.9 crore, man-made filaments Taka 6972.1 crore.

Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers Taka 6509.7 crore, organic chemicals Taka 6473.1 crore, knitted or crocheted fabrics Taka 6173.3 crore, residues and waste from the food industries; prepared animal fodder Taka 6059.3 crore, miscellaneous chemical products Taka 5142.2 crore, tannings or dyeing extracts; tannins and their derivatives; dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; paints and varnishes; putty and other mastics; inks Taka 5078.1 crore, oil seeds and oleaginous grain, seeds and fruits; miscellaneous grains, seeds and fruits; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder Taka 4788.7 crore, paper and paperboard, articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard Taka 4535.6 crore, articles of iron and steel Taka 4100.4 crore.

Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof Taka 3665.1 crore, inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes Taka 2904.3 crore, edible fruit and nuts, peel of citrus fruit or melons Taka 2684.2 crore, aluminium and articles thereof Taka 2669.4 crore.

Dairy produce, birds' eggs natural honey, edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included Taka 2476.9 crore, coffee, tea, mate and spices Taka 2390.2 crore, rubber and articles thereof Taka 2320.4 crore, Copper and Articles Thereof Taka 2070.2 crore, Special woven fabrics; tufted text. Fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery Taka 2000.7 crore, and others Taka 27302.1 crore.

Table-II(A) (Taka in crore) and II(B) (in Million US\$) shows the comparative position of major commodities imported during the year 2017-18 and 2016-17 respectively.

TABLE-II(A)

(Taka in crore)

MAJOR COMMODITIES	2017-18		2016-17		Changes (1) - (3)
	Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	
	1	2	3	4	
<b>A. Import under (Cash+Buyer's Credit + IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans &amp; Grants):</b>	<b>404477.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>318951.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+85526.1</b>
1 Cotton (all types),cotton yarn/thread and cotton fabrics	54825.0	13.6	47880.3	15.0	+6944.7
2 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	48085.9	11.9	40271.2	12.6	+7814.7
3 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	41089.7	10.2	27921.8	8.8	+13167.9
4 Cereals	26503.1	6.6	10285.4	3.2	+16217.7
5 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television imageand sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	23628.9	5.8	16425.0	5.1	+7203.9
6 Iron and Steel	19810.3	4.9	16681.1	5.2	+3129.2
7 Plastics and articles thereof	15453.0	3.8	13158.7	4.1	+2294.3
8 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	14641.3	3.6	12037.2	3.8	+2604.1
9 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	13831.9	3.4	10883.8	3.4	+2948.1
10 Ships, boats and floating structures	9404.0	2.3	7937.2	2.5	+1466.8
11 Man-made staple fibres	8454.8	2.1	7466.0	2.3	+988.8
12 Sugars and sugar confectionery	7912.1	2.0	6759.3	2.1	+1152.8
13 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	7379.2	1.8	6395.6	2.0	+983.6
14 Fertilisers	7141.9	1.8	5742.5	1.8	+1399.4
15 Man-made filaments	6972.1	1.7	5722.2	1.8	+1249.9
16 Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers	6509.7	1.6	6688.9	2.1	-179.2
17 Organic chemicals	6473.1	1.6	5715.5	1.8	+757.6
18 Knitted or crocheted fabrics	6173.3	1.5	4782.9	1.5	+1390.4
19 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	6059.3	1.5	4929.3	1.5	+1130.0
20 Miscellaneous chemical products	5142.2	1.3	3936.0	1.2	+1206.2

TABLE-II(A)

(Taka in crore)

MAJOR COMMODITIES	2017-18		2016-17		Changes (1) - (3)
	Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	
	1	2	3	4	
21 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	5078.1	1.3	4436.5	1.4	+641.6
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and	4788.7	1.2	3804.2	1.2	+984.5
23 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	4535.6	1.1	3950.5	1.2	+585.1
24 Articles of Iron and Steel	4100.4	1.0	2710.6	0.8	+1389.8
25 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	3665.1	0.9	3530.1	1.1	+135.0
26 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	2904.3	0.7	2458.2	0.8	+446.1
27 Edible fruit nuts; peel of citrus fruit or	2684.2	0.7	2222.8	0.7	+461.4
28 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	2669.4	0.7	2297.1	0.7	+372.3
29 Dairy produce; bird's eggs; natural honey; Edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included.	2476.9	0.6	2103.9	0.7	+373.0
30 Coffee, tea, mate and spices	2390.2	0.6	2135.1	0.7	+255.1
31 Rubber and articles thereof	2320.4	0.6	2171.6	0.7	+148.8
32 Copper and Articles Thereof	2070.2	0.5	1652.9	0.5	+417.3
33 Special woven fabrics; tufted text. Fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery	2000.7	0.5	1312.2	0.4	+688.5
34 Others	27302.1	6.6	22545.4	7.3	4756.7
<b>B. Other unclassified imports</b>	<b>1342</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1129.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+212.9</b>
<b>C. Imports of EPZ</b>	<b>29222.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24497.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+4725.4</b>
<b>Grand Total : (A+B+C)</b>	<b>435041.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>344577.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+90464.4</b>

**TABLE-II (B)**

(In Million USD)

MAJOR COMMODITIES	2017-18		2016-17		Changes (1) - (3)
	Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	
	1	2	3	4	5
<b>A. Import under (Cash+Buyer's Credit + IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans &amp; Grants):</b>	<b>49220.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>40300.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+8919.3</b>
1 Cotton (all types),cotton yarn/thread and cotton fabrics	6670.7	13.6	6048.1	15.0	+622.6
2 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	5850.0	11.9	5089.6	12.6	+760.4
3 Mineral fuels, mineral oilsand products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	4989.2	10.1	3526.5	8.8	+1462.7
4 Cereals	3231.5	6.6	1300.4	3.2	+1931.1
5 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television imageand sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	2871.3	5.8	2076.1	5.2	+795.2
6 Iron and Steel	2409.9	4.9	2109.7	5.2	+300.2
7 Plastics and articles thereof	1880.6	3.8	1662.2	4.1	+218.4
8 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1784.7	3.6	1520.1	3.8	+264.6
9 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	1683.5	3.4	1374.7	3.4	+308.8
10 Ships, boats and floating structures	1142.7	2.3	1003.1	2.5	+139.6
11 Man-made staple fibres	1028.8	2.1	943.6	2.3	+85.2
12 Sugars and sugar confectionery	968.3	2.0	854.6	2.1	+113.7
13 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	896.9	1.8	807.8	2.0	+89.1
14 Fertilisers	869.7	1.8	727.2	1.8	+142.5
15 Man-made filaments	848.0	1.7	723.1	1.8	+124.9
16 Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers	790.8	1.6	844.3	2.1	-53.5
17 Organic chemicals	787.8	1.6	722.0	1.8	+65.8
18 Knitted or crocheted fabrics	752.0	1.5	604.8	1.5	+147.2
19 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	739.0	1.5	622.5	1.5	+116.5
20 Miscellaneous chemical products	626.2	1.3	497.6	1.2	+128.6

**TABLE-II (B)**

(In Million USD)

MAJOR COMMODITIES	2017-18		2016-17		Changes (1) - (3)
	Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	
	1	2	3	4	
21 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	618.3	1.3	560.7	1.4	+57.6
22 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and	583.0	1.2	479.9	1.2	+103.1
23 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	552.1	1.1	499.3	1.2	+52.8
24 Articles of Iron and Steel	498.6	1.0	342.4	0.8	+156.2
25 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	446.6	0.9	445.7	1.1	0.9
26 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	353.6	0.7	310.8	0.8	+42.8
27 Edible fruit nuts; peel of citrus fruit or	326.6	0.7	280.8	0.7	+45.8
28 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	325.2	0.7	290.0	0.7	+35.2
29 Dairy produce; bird's eggs; natural honey; Edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included.	301.0	0.6	265.4	0.7	+35.6
30 Coffee, tea, mate and spices	290.8	0.6	269.6	0.7	+21.2
31 Rubber and articles thereof	282.6	0.6	274.4	0.7	+8.2
32 Copper and Articles Thereof	252.2	0.5	208.7	0.5	+43.5
33 Special woven fabrics; tufted text. Fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery	243.1	0.5	165.9	0.4	+77.2
34 Others	3324.8	6.7	2849.2	7.2	475.6
<b>B. Other unclassified imports</b>	<b>163.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>142.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+20.7</b>
<b>C. Imports of EPZ</b>	<b>3555.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3097.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+458.8</b>
<b>Grand Total : (A+B+C)</b>	<b>52939.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>43540.8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+9398.8</b>

## **Commodity group-wise Import Payments under (Cash+Buyer's Credit+ IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans & Grants):**

The Import Payments during the year 2017-2018 amounted to Tk. 404477.1 crore as against Tk. 318951.0 crore during the previous year showing an increase of Taka 85526.1 crore (or 26.81%). Commodity-wise classification revealed increases over the previous year under textiles and textile articles (+Taka 11638.0 crore), machinery and mechanical appliances, electrical equipment, parts thereof, sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles (+Taka 15018.4 crore), mineral products (+Taka 14346.5 crore), vegetable products (+Taka 17852.6 crore), base metals and articles of base metal (+Taka 5606.4 crore), Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries (+Taka 4888 crore), Vehicles, aircraft, vessels and associated transport equipment. (+Taka 6188.5 crore), plastics and rubber and articles thereof (+Taka 2443.1 crore), prepared food stuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar, tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes (+Taka 2462.7 crore), Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products, prepared edible fats, animal or vegetable waxes (+Taka 2604 crore), pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard, paper and paperboard and articles thereof (+Taka 1044.4 crore), optical, photographic, cinematographic measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; clock and watches, musical instruments, parts and accessories thereof (+Taka 150.2 crore), live animals, animal products (+Taka 305.2 crore), miscellaneous manufactured articles (+Taka 217 crore), articles of stone, plaster, cement asbestos, mica or similar materials, ceramic products; glass and glassware (+Taka 28.2 crore), wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal, cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto or of other plating materials; basketware and wicker-work (+Taka 190.4 crore), raw hides and skins, leather, furskins and articles thereof; saddlery and harness; travel goods; handbags and similar containers; articles of animals gut (other than silk-worm gut) (+Taka 139.6 crore), arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof (+Taka 409 crore), foot wear, headgear, umbrellas, sun umbrellas, walking sticks, seat-sticks, whips, riding crops and parts thereof; (+Taka 56.9 crore),

On the other hand, Commodity-wise classification revealed decreases over the previous year were recorded under: natural or cultured pearls, precious or semi-precious stones, precious metal, metals clad with precious metal and articles thereof, imitation jewellery, coin (-Taka 38.5 crore) and Works of Art, Collectors Pieces and Antiques (-Taka 24.5 crore).

Table-III (A) (Taka in crore) and III (B) (In Million US\$) shows the comparative position of commodity group wise import during the year 2017-2018 and 2016-2017 respectively.



TABLE-III ( A)

(Taka in crore)

SL. No.	COMMODITY GROUP	2017-18		2016-17		Changes (1) - (3)
		Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	
		1	2	3	4	5

<b>A.</b>	<b>Import under (Cash+Buyer's Credit+IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans &amp; Grants):</b>	<b>404477.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>318951.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+85526.1</b>
1	Textiles & Textile Articles	83105.1	20.6	71467.1	22.4	+11638.0
2	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; soundrecorders and reproducers, television image and soundrecorders and reproducers; and parts and accessories of such articles	71714.7	17.7	56696.3	17.8	+15018.4
3	Mineral Products	49239.7	12.2	34893.2	10.9	+14346.5
4	Vegetable Products	43338.6	10.7	25486.0	8.0	+17852.6
5	Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal	31461.0	7.8	25854.6	8.1	+5606.4
6	Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	31019.7	7.7	26131.7	8.2	+4888.0
7	Vehicales, Aircraft, Vessels and Associated Transport Equipment	25750.8	6.4	19562.3	6.1	+6188.5
8	Plastics & Rubber Articles Thereof	17773.4	4.4	15330.3	4.8	+2443.1
9	Prepared foodstuffs; Beverages, Spirits and vineger; Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitues	15677.9	3.9	13215.2	4.1	+2462.7
10	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	14641.3	3.6	12037.3	3.8	+2604.0
11	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	6589.5	1.6	5545.1	1.8	+1044.4
12	Optical, Photographic, Cinematographic, Measuring, Checking, Precision, Medical Orsurgical Instruments and Apparatus; Clocks and Watches; Musical Instruments; Parts and Accessories Thereof	3735.1	0.9	3584.9	1.1	+150.2
13	Live Animals and Animal Products	2978.2	0.7	2673.0	0.9	+305.2

TABLE-III ( A)

(Taka in crore)

SL. No.	COMMODITY GROUP	2017-18		2016-17		Changes (1) - (3)
		Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	
		1	2	3	4	5
14	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	2627.9	0.6	2410.9	0.8	+217.0
15	Articles of Stone, Plaster, Cement, Asbestos, Mica or Similar Materials; Ceramic Products; Glass and Glassware	1422.7	0.4	1394.5	0.5	+28.2
16	Wood and Articles of Wood; Wood Charcoal; Cork and Articles of Cork; Manufactures of Straw, of Esparto or Other Plaiting Materials; Basketware & Wickerwork	932.5	0.2	742.1	0.2	+190.4
17	Raw Hides and Skins, Leather and Articles Thereof; Saddlery and Harness; Travel Goods, Handbags and Similar Containers; Articles of Animal Gut	912.2	0.2	772.6	0.2	+139.6
18	Arms and Ammunition; Parts and Accessories Thereof	781.3	0.2	372.3	0.1	+409.0
19	Footwear, Hradgear, Umbrellas, Sun Umbrellas, Walking Sticks, Seat-Sticks, Whips, Riding-Crops and Parts Thereof Etc	740.0	0.2	683.1	0.2	+56.9
20	Natural or Cultured Pearls, Precious or Semiprecious Stones, Precious Metals, Metals Clad with Precious Metal and Articles Thereof; Imitation Jewellery; Coin	28.3	0.0	66.8	0.0	-38.5
21	Works of Art, Collectors Pieces and Antiques	7.2	0.0	31.7	0.0	-24.5
<b>B.</b>	<b>Other unclassified imports</b>	<b>1342.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1129.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+212.9</b>
<b>C.</b>	<b>Imports of EPZ</b>	<b>29222.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24497.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+4725.4</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL : (A+B+C)</b>		<b>435041.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>344577.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+90464.4</b>

TABLE-III (B)

(In Million USD)

SL. No.	COMMODITY GROUP	2017-18		2016-17		Changes
		Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	(1) - (3)
		1	2	3	4	5
<b>A.</b>	<b>Import under (Cash+Buyer's Credit+IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans &amp; Grants):</b>	<b>49220.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>40300.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>+8919.3</b>
1	Textiles & Textile Articles	10113.1	20.6	9029.7	22.4	+1083.4
2	Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts thereof; soundrecorders and reproducers, television image and soundrecorders and reproducers; and parts and accessories of such articles	8721.3	17.7	7165.7	17.8	+1555.6
3	Mineral Products	5979.7	12.2	4407.0	10.9	+1572.7
4	Vegetable Products	5279.3	10.7	3219.2	8.0	+2060.1
5	Base Metals & Articles of Base Metal	3827.9	7.8	3268.3	8.1	+559.6
6	Products of the Chemical or Allied Industries	3776.6	7.7	3303.8	8.2	+472.8
7	Vehicle, Aircraft, Vessels and Associated Transport Equipment	3132.3	6.4	2471.3	6.2	+661.0
8	Plastics & Rubber Articles Thereof	2163.2	4.4	1936.6	4.8	+226.6
9	Prepared foodstuffs; Beverages, Spirits and vineger; Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes	1915.2	3.9	1669.9	4.2	+245.3
10	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1784.6	3.6	1520.1	3.8	+264.5
11	Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard; paper and paperboard and articles thereof	802.1	1.6	701.0	1.8	+101.1
12	Optical, Photographic, Cinematographic, Measuring, Checking, Precision, Medical Orsurgical Instruments and Apparatus; Clocks and Watches; Musical Instruments; Parts and Accessories Thereof	455.1	0.9	452.7	1.1	+2.4

TABLE-III (B)

(In Million USD)

SL. No.	COMMODITY GROUP	2017-18		2016-17		Changes
		Amount	% of Total (A)	Amount	% of Total (A)	(1) - (3)
		1	2	3	4	5
13	Live Animals and Animal Products	362.0	0.7	337.3	0.8	+24.7
14	Miscellaneous Manufactured Articles	319.8	0.6	304.7	0.8	+15.1
15	Articles of Stone, Plaster, Cement, Asbestos, Mica or Similar Materials; Ceramic Products; Glass and Glassware	173.3	0.4	176.4	0.4	-3.1
16	Wood and Articles of Wood; Wood Charcoal; Cork and Articles of Cork; Manufactures of Straw, of Esparto or Other Plaiting Materials; Basketware & Wickerwork	113.7	0.2	93.8	0.2	+19.9
17	Raw Hides and Skins, Leather and Articles Thereof; Saddlery and Harness; Travel Goods, Handbags and Similar Containers; Articles of Animal Gut	111.0	0.2	97.6	0.2	+13.4
18	Arms and Ammunition; Parts and Accessories Thereof	95.4	0.2	47.1	0.1	+48.3
19	Footwear, Hradgear, Umbrellas, Sun Umbrellas, Walking Sticks, Seat-Sticks, Whips, Riding-Crops and Parts Thereof Etc	90.1	0.2	86.2	0.2	+3.9
20	Natural or Cultured Pearls, Precious or Semiprecious Stones, Precious Metals, Metals Clad with Precious Metal and Articles Thereof; Imitation Jewellery; Coin	3.5	0.0	8.4	0.0	-4.9
21	Works of Art, Collectors Pieces and Antiques	0.9	0.0	4.0	0.0	-3.1
<b>B. Other unclassified imports</b>		<b>163.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>142.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+20.7</b>
<b>C. Imports of EPZ</b>		<b>3555.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3097.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+458.8</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL : (A+B+C)</b>		<b>52939.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>43540.8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>+9398.8</b>

**Country/Commodity wise Import Payments under (Cash+Buyer's Credit+ IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans & Grants):**

TABLE- IV(A)

(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
<b>A. Import under (Cash+Buyer's Credit+ IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans &amp; Grants):</b>	<b>404477.1</b>		<b>49220.1</b>		<b>318951</b>		<b>40300.8</b>	
	<i>100.0</i>		<i>100.0</i>		<i>100.0</i>		<i>100.0</i>	
<b>1 CHINA PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC (P.R)</b>	<b>96227.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>11706.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>80649.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>10193.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(23.8)</b>		<b>(23.8)</b>		<b>(25.3)</b>		<b>(25.3)</b>	
1 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	18072.2	18.8	2196.9	18.8	15853.1	19.7	2003.3	19.7
2 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	16866.0	17.5	2053.1	17.5	14473.6	17.9	1829.9	18.0
3 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	11634.7	12.1	1414.5	12.1	9354.5	11.6	1182.8	11.6
4 Knitted or crocheted fabrics	5017.9	5.2	611.1	5.2	3546.3	4.4	448.6	4.4
5 Man-made staple fibres	4765.0	5.0	580.1	5.0	4286.9	5.3	542.0	5.3
6 Man-made filaments	4492.2	4.7	546.3	4.7	3289.4	4.1	415.7	4.1
7 Iron and Steel	3887.1	4.0	473.0	4.0	3328.0	4.1	420.6	4.1
8 Plastics and articles thereof	2451.4	2.5	297.9	2.5	1891.3	2.3	238.7	2.3
9 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	2437.3	2.5	294.9	2.5	1559.6	1.9	197.0	1.9
10 Organic chemicals	1941.6	2.0	236.3	2.0	1843.4	2.3	232.7	2.3
11 Articles of Iron and Steel	1933.4	2.0	235.1	2.0	1254.0	1.6	158.6	1.6
12 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	1427.5	1.5	173.9	1.5	1031.1	1.3	130.3	1.3
13 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	1307.6	1.4	159.3	1.4	1027.4	1.3	129.8	1.3

TABLE- IV(A)

(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
14 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	1214.5	1.3	147.8	1.3	1101.6	1.4	139.4	1.4
15 Fertilisers	1166.8	1.2	142.2	1.2	968.4	1.2	123.2	1.2
16 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	1137.9	1.2	138.4	1.2	935.0	1.2	118.2	1.2
17 Special woven fabrics; tufted text. Fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery	1122.1	1.2	136.6	1.2	870.7	1.1	110.1	1.1
18 Miscellaneous chemical products	1117.7	1.2	136.2	1.2	980.5	1.2	123.9	1.2
19 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	1004.9	1.0	122.7	1.0	995.5	1.2	125.6	1.2
20 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	1003.4	1.0	122.2	1.0	917.2	1.1	115.9	1.1
21 Ships, boats and floating structures	977.6	1.0	118.4	1.0	952.5	1.2	119.2	1.2
22 Articles of apparel & cloth accessories, not knitted/crocheted	910.4	0.9	110.8	0.9	1020.9	1.3	129.2	1.3
23 Edible fruit nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons	785.2	0.8	95.6	0.8	656.9	0.8	83.3	0.8
24 Impregnated, coated, covered textile fabrics etc.	686.1	0.7	83.5	0.7	595.7	0.7	75.3	0.7
25 Other vegetable textile fibres; paper yarn etc.	661.9	0.7	80.2	0.7	531.7	0.7	67.1	0.7
26 Rubber and articles thereof	614.0	0.6	74.7	0.6	504.4	0.6	63.8	0.6
27 Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	533.2	0.6	65.2	0.6	209.5	0.3	26.5	0.3
28 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	461.2	0.5	56.1	0.5	716.3	0.9	90.6	0.9
29 Ceramic products	438.2	0.5	53.4	0.5	407.9	0.5	51.6	0.5
30 Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	409.4	0.4	49.7	0.4	338.9	0.4	42.8	0.4
31 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	387.1	0.4	47.1	0.4	339.2	0.4	42.8	0.4
32 Glass and glassware	373.5	0.4	45.5	0.4	382.6	0.5	48.4	0.5
33 Aircraft, spacecraft and parts thereof	372.5	0.4	44.8	0.4	168.0	0.2	21.2	0.2

TABLE- IV(A)

(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
34 Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers	323.3	0.3	39.4	0.3	416.6	0.5	52.8	0.5
35 Miscellaneous articles of base metal	316.9	0.3	38.6	0.3	238.6	0.3	30.1	0.3
36 Others	3975.6	4.2	484.5	4.2	3662.2	4.5	462.8	4.4
<b>2 INDIA</b>	<b>70902.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8621.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>48662.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6146.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(17.5)</b>		<b>(17.5)</b>		<b>(15.3)</b>		<b>(15.3)</b>	
1 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	14242.4	20.1	1729.9	20.1	12556.7	25.8	1585.7	25.8
2 Cereals	10924.7	15.4	1330.1	15.4	883.6	1.8	111.4	1.8
3 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	8086.7	11.4	983.8	11.4	5830.5	12.0	736.5	12.0
4 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	5348.2	7.5	649.8	7.5	3664.6	7.5	463.1	7.5
5 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	3043.6	4.3	371.1	4.3	2249.0	4.6	283.6	4.6
6 Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers	2811.2	4.0	341.9	4.0	1588.5	3.3	200.9	3.3
7 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television imageand sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	2326.3	3.3	282.1	3.3	1634.9	3.4	206.6	3.4
8 Iron and Steel	2297.6	3.2	279.4	3.2	2385.7	4.9	301.6	4.9
9 Plastics and articles thereof	1816.9	2.6	221.0	2.6	1534.7	3.2	193.9	3.2
10 Organic chemicals	1755.1	2.5	213.4	2.5	1619.5	3.3	204.7	3.3
11 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	1634.9	2.3	199.0	2.3	1355.9	2.8	171.3	2.8
12 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	1496.3	2.1	181.5	2.1	824.9	1.7	103.9	1.7
13 Miscellaneous chemical products	1455.0	2.1	176.8	2.1	884.2	1.8	111.9	1.8
14 Coffee, tea, mate and spices	1274.6	1.8	154.9	1.8	1367.8	2.8	172.6	2.8

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
15 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	1240.1	1.7	151.1	1.8	1256.2	2.6	158.8	2.6
16 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	1159.9	1.6	141.3	1.6	701.7	1.4	88.5	1.4
17 Man-made filaments	834.1	1.2	101.4	1.2	784.3	1.6	99.0	1.6
18 Edible fruit nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons	765.4	1.1	93.0	1.1	767.0	1.6	96.9	1.6
19 Man-made staple fibres	737.1	1.0	89.7	1.0	832.7	1.7	105.2	1.7
20 Articles of Iron and Steel	728.6	1.0	88.4	1.0	338.3	0.7	42.7	0.7
21 Rubber and articles thereof	690.7	1.0	84.2	1.0	662.6	1.4	83.8	1.4
22 Railway or tramway locomotives, rollingstock and parts thereof; railway or tramway track fixtures and fittings and parts thereof; mechanical (including electromechanical) trafficsignalling equipment of all kinds	573.3	0.8	69.5	0.8	21	0.0	2.7	0.0
23 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	460.9	0.7	56.0	0.6	276.0	0.6	34.9	0.6
24 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	392.9	0.6	47.8	0.6	343.0	0.7	43.3	0.7
25 Ores, slag and ash	368.8	0.5	44.8	0.5	304.7	0.6	38.4	0.6
26 Essential oils & resinoids; Perfum, cosmetic or toilet preparations	337.8	0.5	41.1	0.5	290.5	0.6	36.7	0.6
27 Soap, organic surf-active agents, lubricating etc.	335.8	0.5	40.9	0.5	308.2	0.6	38.9	0.6
28 Sugars and sugar confectionery	325.5	0.5	39.3	0.5	26.9	0.1	3.4	0.1
29 Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastry cooks' products	298.8	0.4	36.4	0.4	261.7	0.5	33.1	0.5
30 Others	3138.8	4.3	381.9	4.3	3106.9	6.4	392.2	6.4
<b>3 SINGAPORE</b>	<b>22141.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2697.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>19375.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2447.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(5.5)</b>		<b>(5.5)</b>		<b>(6.1)</b>		<b>(6.1)</b>	
1 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	14664.3	66.2	1783.8	66.1	12275.4	63.4	1550.2	63.4



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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
2 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	2097.7	9.5	256.8	9.5	1753.2	9.0	221.6	9.1
3 Plastics and articles thereof	754.4	3.4	92.1	3.4	613.5	3.2	77.5	3.2
4 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	580.3	2.6	71.1	2.6	229.7	1.2	28.8	1.2
5 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	519.3	2.3	63.4	2.4	678.9	3.5	86.0	3.5
6 Iron and Steel	388.0	1.8	47.3	1.8	605.3	3.1	76.7	3.1
7 Organic chemicals	385.9	1.7	47.1	1.7	268.9	1.4	33.9	1.4
8 Miscellaneous chemical products	291.4	1.3	35.6	1.3	307.9	1.6	38.8	1.6
9 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	249.7	1.1	30.5	1.1	263.6	1.4	33.3	1.4
10 Essential oils & resinoids; Perfum, cosmetic or toilet preparations	196.9	0.9	23.9	0.9	122.3	0.6	15.4	0.6
11 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	160.2	0.7	19.6	0.7	143.8	0.7	18.1	0.7
12 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	140.3	0.6	17.1	0.6	129	0.7	16.3	0.7
13 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	123.3	0.6	15.0	0.6	24.5	0.1	3.1	0.1
14 Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; Recovered (Waste and scrap) paper or paperboard	111.1	0.5	13.6	0.5	58.2	0.3	7.4	0.3
15 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	104.6	0.5	12.9	0.5	121.5	0.6	15.3	0.6
16 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	103.1	0.5	12.6	0.5	149.9	0.8	19.0	0.8
17 Fertilisers	94.5	0.4	11.7	0.4	32.0	0.2	4.1	0.2
18 Miscellaneous edible preparations	87.6	0.4	10.6	0.4	33.1	0.2	4.2	0.2
19 Man-made filaments	74.2	0.3	9.0	0.3	103.5	0.5	13.1	0.5

TABLE- IV(A)

(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
20 Others	1014.8	4.7	123.8	4.7	1460.8	7.5	184.2	7.4
<b>4 JAPAN</b>	<b>15383.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1870.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13726.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1735.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(3.8)</b>		<b>(3.8)</b>		<b>(4.3)</b>		<b>(4.3)</b>	
1 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	3894.4	25.3	473.2	25.3	3371.2	24.6	426.6	24.6
2 Iron and Steel	3492.8	22.7	425.4	22.7	3184.3	23.2	402.8	23.2
3 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	3271.8	21.3	397.9	21.3	3261.3	23.8	411.7	23.7
4 Ships, boats and floating structures	2635.4	17.1	319.0	17.1	1898.4	13.8	240.0	13.8
5 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical orsurgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	334.0	2.2	40.7	2.2	289.0	2.1	36.5	2.1
6 Man-made staple fibres	233.0	1.5	28.3	1.5	201.6	1.5	25.5	1.5
7 Plastics and articles thereof	182.6	1.2	22.3	1.2	192.3	1.4	24.3	1.4
8 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television imageand sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	182.2	1.2	22.2	1.2	143.4	1.0	18.2	1.0
9 Zinc and articles thereof	161.8	1.1	19.7	1.1	202.9	1.5	25.6	1.5
10 Ores, slag and ash	106.3	0.7	12.9	0.7	63.8	0.5	8.0	0.5
11 Photographic or cinematographic goods	83.9	0.5	10.2	0.5	88.8	0.6	11.2	0.6
12 Organic chemicals	80.3	0.5	9.8	0.5	67.4	0.5	8.5	0.5
13 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	59.5	0.4	7.3	0.4	100.2	0.7	12.7	0.7
14 Other	665.0	4.3	81.1	4.3	662.3	4.8	83.6	4.9
<b>5 INDONESIA</b>	<b>14593.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1773.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9108.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1150.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(3.6)</b>		<b>(3.6)</b>		<b>(2.9)</b>		<b>(2.9)</b>	
1 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	6763.7	46.3	823.5	46.4	4550.7	50.0	574.2	49.9

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
2 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	2895.9	19.8	349.7	19.7	1030.4	11.3	130.2	11.3
3 Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; Recovered (Waste and scrap) paper or paperboard	1228.4	8.4	149.3	8.4	662.3	7.3	83.8	7.3
4 Man-made staple fibres	866.0	5.9	105.1	5.9	587.5	6.5	74.2	6.5
5 Plastics and articles thereof	467.8	3.2	57.0	3.2	326.6	3.6	41.3	3.6
6 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	334.0	2.3	40.5	2.3	307.6	3.4	38.9	3.4
7 Miscellaneous chemical products	251.3	1.7	30.7	1.7	171.8	1.9	21.7	1.9
8 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	228.3	1.6	27.8	1.6	61.7	0.7	7.7	0.7
9 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	210.5	1.4	25.5	1.4	122.5	1.3	15.5	1.3
10 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	151.1	1.0	18.4	1.0	280.7	3.1	35.5	3.1
11 Organic chemicals	113.9	0.8	13.9	0.8	120.7	1.3	15.2	1.3
12 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	92.6	0.6	11.3	0.6	87.2	1.0	11.0	1.0
13 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	81.8	0.6	9.9	0.6	39.0	0.4	4.9	0.4
14 Edible fruit nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons	80.9	0.6	10.0	0.6	23.5	0.3	3.0	0.3
15 Others	827.2	5.8	100.6	5.8	735.9	7.9	92.9	8.0
<b>6 U.S.A.</b>	<b>14010.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1704.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8966.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1130.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(3.5)</b>		<b>(3.5)</b>		<b>(2.8)</b>		<b>(2.8)</b>	
1 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	3150.3	22.5	383.7	22.5	2477.8	27.6	312.0	27.6

TABLE- IV(A)

(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
2 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	2556.9	18.3	310.7	18.2	1789.2	20.0	224.6	19.9
3 Iron and Steel	2031.4	14.5	247.0	14.5	712.8	7.9	90.1	8.0
4 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television imageand sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	1399.4	10.0	169.3	9.9	382.5	4.3	48.3	4.3
5 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	1141.4	8.1	138.9	8.1	678.6	7.6	85.8	7.6
6 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	652.3	4.7	79.7	4.7	591.7	6.6	74.7	6.6
7 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	485.3	3.5	59.1	3.5	468.0	5.2	59.2	5.2
8 Cereals	457.0	3.3	56.3	3.3	444.3	5.0	56.2	5.0
9 Ships, boats and floating structures	344.7	2.5	41.9	2.5	5.9	0.1	0.7	0.1
10 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	192.8	1.4	23.4	1.4	177.3	2.0	22.4	2.0
11 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	175.6	1.3	21.4	1.3	37.9	0.4	4.8	0.4
12 Others	1423.1	9.9	173.3	10.1	1200.2	13.3	151.8	13.3
<b>7 BRAZIL</b>	<b>11797.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1442.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9331.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1181.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(2.9)</b>		<b>(2.9)</b>		<b>(2.9)</b>		<b>(2.9)</b>	
1 Sugars and sugar confectionery	7017.4	59.5	859.5	59.6	6333.2	67.9	801.0	67.8
2 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	1347.6	11.4	163.4	11.3	676.2	7.2	85.7	7.3
3 Cereals	1275.5	10.8	156.4	10.8	691.6	7.4	88.1	7.5
4 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	921.9	7.8	112.3	7.8	591.4	6.3	74.8	6.3
5 Iron and Steel	451.4	3.8	55.2	3.8	252.7	2.7	31.9	2.7
6 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	254.9	2.2	31.2	2.2	360.5	3.9	45.9	3.9

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
7 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	80.1	0.7	9.6	0.7	68.3	0.7	8.7	0.7
8 Man-made staple fibres	67.6	0.6	8.2	0.6	34.0	0.4	4.3	0.4
9 Others	380.6	3.2	46.3	3.2	323.8	3.5	40.9	3.4
<b>8 MALAYSIA</b>	<b>11586.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1410.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8047.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1017.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(2.9)</b>		<b>(2.9)</b>		<b>(2.5)</b>		<b>(2.5)</b>	
1 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	5304.8	45.8	644.5	45.7	1472.7	18.3	186.0	18.3
2 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	1738.1	15.0	212.3	15.1	2473.9	30.7	313.4	30.8
3 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	1018.8	8.8	124.2	8.8	849.4	10.6	107.3	10.5
4 Plastics and articles thereof	742.8	6.4	90.6	6.4	661.2	8.2	83.6	8.2
5 Organic chemicals	357.1	3.1	43.4	3.1	224.7	2.8	28.4	2.8
6 Iron and Steel	320.1	2.8	39.2	2.8	288.8	3.6	36.5	3.6
7 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	297.4	2.6	36.2	2.6	236.2	2.9	29.8	2.9
8 Rubber and articles thereof	210.7	1.8	25.7	1.8	155.1	1.9	19.6	1.9
9 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	203.0	1.8	24.7	1.8	259.2	3.2	32.8	3.2
10 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	163.6	1.4	19.9	1.4	178.7	2.2	22.6	2.2
11 Miscellaneous chemical products	163.1	1.4	19.9	1.4	145.1	1.8	18.3	1.8
12 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	157.1	1.4	19.2	1.4	280.6	3.5	35.4	3.5
13 Articles of Iron and Steel	79.7	0.7	9.7	0.7	26.9	0.3	3.4	0.3
14 Man-made staple fibres	75.1	0.6	9.1	0.6	47.4	0.6	6.0	0.6
15 Others	755.5	6.4	91.8	6.4	747.2	9.4	94.4	9.4

TABLE- IV(A)

(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
<b>9 REPUBLIC OF KOREA</b>	<b>10465.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1273.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>9851.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1245.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	(2.6)		(2.6)		(3.1)		(3.1)	
1 Ships, boats and floating structures	2699.6	25.8	328.3	25.8	2164.9	22.0	273.9	22.0
2 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	1185.0	11.3	144.3	11.3	1225.9	12.4	154.9	12.4
3 Iron and Steel	1095.6	10.5	133.2	10.5	1505.1	15.3	190.3	15.3
4 Plastics and articles thereof	1026.3	9.8	124.9	9.8	980.2	9.9	123.8	9.9
5 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	610.0	5.8	74.3	5.8	562.6	5.7	71.1	5.7
6 Copper and Articles Thereof	447.6	4.3	54.6	4.3	385.5	3.9	48.7	3.9
7 Zinc and articles thereof	440.3	4.2	53.7	4.2	422.0	4.3	53.2	4.3
8 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	327.6	3.1	39.9	3.1	229.6	2.3	29.2	2.3
9 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	297.1	2.8	36.2	2.8	264.9	2.7	33.5	2.7
10 Organic chemicals	278.9	2.7	33.9	2.7	240.0	2.4	30.3	2.4
11 Miscellaneous chemical products	268.0	2.6	32.7	2.6	114.6	1.2	14.5	1.2
12 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	217.6	2.1	26.4	2.1	143.9	1.5	18.2	1.5
13 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	213.5	2.0	26.0	2.0	219.8	2.2	27.7	2.2
14 Man-made filaments	189.0	1.8	23.0	1.8	136.7	1.4	17.3	1.4
15 Others	1169.0	11.2	142.4	11.2	1255.7	12.8	158.8	12.8
<b>10 THAILAND</b>	<b>9815.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1194.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6187.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>781.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	(2.4)		(2.4)		(1.9)		(1.9)	
1 Cereals	1866.8	19.0	227.0	19.0	12.8	0.2	1.6	0.2
2 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	1214.3	12.4	147.3	12.3	1202.1	19.4	151.9	19.4
3 Plastics and articles thereof	1184.3	12.1	144.2	12.1	949.8	15.4	120.0	15.4
4 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	774.6	7.9	93.8	7.9	444.8	7.2	56.2	7.2
5 Articles of Iron and Steel	677.5	6.9	82.4	6.9	452.5	7.3	57.1	7.3

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
6 Man-made staple fibres	508.2	5.2	61.8	5.2	519.5	8.4	65.6	8.4
7 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	499.9	5.1	61.4	5.1	116.4	1.9	14.7	1.9
8 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	254.7	2.6	31.0	2.6	271.2	4.4	34.3	4.4
9 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	245.1	2.5	29.8	2.5	60.3	1.0	7.6	1.0
10 Man-made filaments	244.4	2.5	29.8	2.5	149.8	2.4	18.9	2.4
11 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	207.4	2.1	25.3	2.1	155.9	2.5	19.7	2.5
12 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	205.7	2.1	25.1	2.1	156.4	2.5	19.8	2.5
13 Lead and articles thereof	176.6	1.8	21.5	1.8	76.0	1.2	9.6	1.2
14 Miscellaneous chemical products	158.8	1.6	19.4	1.6	122.2	2.0	15.4	2.0
15 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	155.5	1.6	19.0	1.6	151.0	2.4	19.1	2.4
16 Iron and Steel	148.7	1.5	18.1	1.5	121.3	2.0	15.3	2.0
17 Rubber and articles thereof	133.7	1.4	16.3	1.4	139.7	2.3	17.7	2.3
18 Organic chemicals	116.8	1.2	14.2	1.2	97.8	1.6	12.4	1.6
19 Others	1042.6	10.5	126.8	10.6	988.1	15.9	124.7	15.9
<b>11 GERMANY</b>	<b>8123.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>988.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6663.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>842.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(2.0)</b>		<b>(2.0)</b>		<b>(2.1)</b>		<b>(2.1)</b>	
1 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	3367.2	41.5	409.2	41.4	3412.4	51.2	431.6	51.2
2 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	1459.9	18.0	177.5	18.0	445.1	6.7	56.2	6.7

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Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
3 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical orsurgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	341.3	4.2	41.5	4.2	433.0	6.5	54.9	6.5
4 Miscellaneous chemical products	309.7	3.8	37.7	3.8	299.6	4.5	37.9	4.5
5 Articles of apparel & cloth accessories, not knitted/crocheted	270.4	3.3	33.5	3.4	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.0
6 Iron and Steel	239.3	2.9	29.0	2.9	169.9	2.5	21.6	2.6
7 Organic chemicals	214.7	2.6	26.1	2.6	179.5	2.7	22.7	2.7
8 Plastics and articles thereof	187.7	2.3	22.8	2.3	171.5	2.6	21.7	2.6
9 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	185.3	2.3	22.5	2.3	142.8	2.1	18.0	2.1
10 Soap, organic surf-active agents, lubricating etc.	179.8	2.2	21.9	2.2	143.5	2.2	18.1	2.1
11 Pharmaceutical products	158.3	1.9	19.3	2.0	92.1	1.4	11.6	1.4
12 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	151.5	1.9	18.4	1.9	80.1	1.2	10.1	1.2
13 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	117.1	1.4	14.3	1.4	104.0	1.6	13.1	1.6
14 Ships, boats and floating structures	78.8	1.0	9.6	1.0	210.9	3.2	26.7	3.2
15 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	75.0	0.9	9.2	0.9	104.0	1.6	13.1	1.6
16 Sugars and sugar confectionery	75.0	0.9	9.1	0.9	27.3	0.4	3.5	0.4
17 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	54.1	0.7	6.6	0.7	49.2	0.7	6.2	0.7
18 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	53.7	0.7	6.6	0.7	43.5	0.7	5.5	0.7
19 Albuminoidal substances; modified starches, glues, enzymes	52.3	0.6	6.4	0.6	24.0	0.4	3.0	0.4
20 Rubber and articles thereof	52.2	0.6	6.4	0.6	42.1	0.6	5.3	0.6
21 Fertilisers	41.7	0.5	5.0	0.5	20.9	0.3	2.6	0.3



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Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
22 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	41.6	0.5	5.1	0.5	8.2	0.1	1.0	0.1
23 Copper and Articles Thereof	41.3	0.5	5.1	0.5	2.3	0.0	0.3	0.0
24 Others	375.2	4.8	45.7	4.7	457.2	6.8	57.7	6.8
<b>12 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (UAE)</b>	<b>7385.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>897.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6135.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>774.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.8)</b>		<b>(1.8)</b>		<b>(1.9)</b>		<b>(1.9)</b>	
1 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	3898.1	52.8	473.2	52.7	3235.4	52.7	408.7	52.8
2 Plastics and articles thereof	545.2	7.4	66.5	7.4	523.5	8.5	66.1	8.5
3 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	479.1	6.5	58.2	6.5	483.1	7.9	60.9	7.9
4 Fertilisers	397.3	5.4	48.3	5.4	134.8	2.2	16.7	2.2
5 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	278.1	3.8	34.0	3.8	293.7	4.8	37.1	4.8
6 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	253.5	3.4	30.7	3.4	38.7	0.6	4.9	0.6
7 Sugars and sugar confectionery	198.3	2.7	24.2	2.7	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.0
8 Iron and Steel	195.1	2.6	23.7	2.6	221.5	3.6	28.1	3.6
9 Edible fruit nuts; peel of citrus fruit or melons	192.4	2.6	23.4	2.6	101.9	1.7	12.9	1.7
10 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	105.3	1.4	12.9	1.4	173.7	2.8	21.9	2.8
11 Articles of Iron and Steel	78.3	1.1	9.6	1.1	121.7	2.0	15.4	2.0
12 Copper and Articles Thereof	70.0	0.9	8.5	0.9	85.2	1.4	10.7	1.4
13 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	50.1	0.7	6.1	0.7	76.4	1.2	9.6	1.2
14 Coffee, tea, mate and spices	47.0	0.6	5.8	0.6	17.6	0.3	2.2	0.3
15 Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers	40.9	0.6	4.9	0.5	13.9	0.2	1.8	0.2
16 Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products; prepared edible fats; animal or vegetable waxes	39.7	0.5	4.8	0.5	8.8	0.1	1.1	0.1

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
17 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	37.7	0.5	4.6	0.5	34.2	0.6	4.3	0.6
18 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	35.4	0.5	4.4	0.5	10.3	0.2	1.3	0.2
19 Ships, boats and floating structures	31.8	0.4	3.8	0.4	17.8	0.3	2.2	0.3
20 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	30.9	0.4	3.8	0.4	40.9	0.7	5.2	0.7
21 Cereals	29.1	0.4	3.5	0.4	84.1	1.4	10.7	1.4
22 Organic chemicals	25.3	0.3	3.1	0.3	22.3	0.4	2.8	0.4
23 Ores, slag and ash	25.1	0.3	3.1	0.3	37.6	0.6	4.8	0.6
24 Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal	25.1	0.3	3.1	0.3	10.1	0.2	1.3	0.2
25 Essential oils & resinoids; Perfum, cosmetic or toilet preparations	23.8	0.3	2.9	0.3	19.1	0.3	2.4	0.3
26 Others	253.3	3.6	30.7	3.8	328.4	5.3	41.5	5.2
<b>13 AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>6975.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>851.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5491.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>692.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.7)</b>		<b>(1.7)</b>		<b>(1.7)</b>		<b>(1.7)</b>	
1 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	2164.0	31.0	266.3	31.3	1217.5	22.2	154.4	22.3
2 Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers	1935.7	27.8	234.6	27.6	2178.8	39.7	274.1	39.6
3 Cereals	619.8	8.9	76.0	8.9	594.1	10.8	74.7	10.8
4 Iron and Steel	402.0	5.8	48.9	5.7	297.8	5.4	37.7	5.4
5 Copper and Articles Thereof	367.8	5.3	44.8	5.3	172.1	3.1	21.5	3.1
6 Zinc and articles thereof	335.6	4.8	40.7	4.8	168.6	3.1	21.3	3.1
7 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	251.3	3.6	30.5	3.6	243.5	4.4	30.8	4.4
8 Dairy produce; bird's eggs; natural honey; Edible products of animal origin, not elsewhere specified or included.	215.5	3.1	26.1	3.1	174.5	3.2	22.1	3.2

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
9 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	93.9	1.3	11.5	1.4	33.5	0.6	4.2	0.6
10 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	62.1	0.9	7.6	0.9	24.6	0.4	3.1	0.4
11 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	57.8	0.8	6.9	0.8	28.3	0.5	3.6	0.5
12 Raw hides and skins and leather	55.4	0.8	6.7	0.8	15.2	0.3	1.9	0.3
13 Ships, boats and floating structures	54.1	0.8	6.7	0.8	9.1	0.2	1.2	0.2
14 Lead and articles thereof	53.5	0.8	6.5	0.8	29.8	0.5	3.8	0.5
15 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	48.5	0.7	5.9	0.7	41.9	0.8	5.3	0.8
16 Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastry cooks' products	44.8	0.6	5.4	0.6	23.4	0.4	3.0	0.4
17 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	29.2	0.4	3.5	0.4	10.5	0.2	1.3	0.2
18 Sugars and sugar confectionery	22.6	0.3	2.8	0.3	19.9	0.4	2.5	0.4
19 Others	161.8	2.3	19.8	2.2	208.7	3.8	26.3	3.8
<b>14 SAUDI ARABIA</b>	<b>6646.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>807.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>5404.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>682.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.6)</b>		<b>(1.6)</b>		<b>(1.7)</b>		<b>(1.7)</b>	
1 Plastics and articles thereof	2163.7	32.6	263.1	32.6	2004.8	37.1	253.5	37.1
2 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	1892.7	28.5	229.1	28.4	2087.7	38.6	263.3	38.6
3 Fertilisers	1888.7	28.4	229.5	28.4	969.4	17.9	122.7	18.0
4 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	248.7	3.7	30.4	3.8	76.1	1.4	9.6	1.4
5 Miscellaneous chemical products	127.4	1.9	15.5	1.9	71.4	1.3	9.0	1.3

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
6 Aluminium and Articles Thereof	78.6	1.2	9.5	1.2	57.6	1.1	7.3	1.1
7 Organic chemicals	70.9	1.1	8.6	1.1	43.5	0.8	5.5	0.8
8 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	33.7	0.5	4.1	0.5	24.9	0.5	3.2	0.5
9 Man-made staple fibres	33.3	0.5	4.0	0.5	20.3	0.4	2.6	0.4
10 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	20.6	0.3	2.5	0.3	9.6	0.2	1.2	0.2
11 Others	87.7	1.3	10.7	1.3	39.1	0.7	4.8	0.6
<b>15 TAIWAN: PROVINCE OF CHINA</b>	<b>6612.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>805.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6148.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>776.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.6)</b>		<b>(1.6)</b>		<b>(1.9)</b>		<b>(1.9)</b>	
1 Plastics and articles thereof	2088.3	31.6	254.1	31.6	1668.0	27.1	210.6	27.1
2 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	1226.1	18.5	149.4	18.6	1246.3	20.3	157.5	20.3
3 Iron and Steel	452.8	6.8	55.3	6.9	288.5	4.7	36.5	4.7
4 Man-made filaments	376.8	5.7	45.8	5.7	331.9	5.4	41.9	5.4
5 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	346.2	5.2	42.2	5.2	271.0	4.4	34.3	4.4
6 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	288.0	4.4	35.0	4.3	225.8	3.7	28.5	3.7
7 Knitted or crocheted fabrics	194.3	2.9	23.7	2.9	191.6	3.1	24.2	3.1
8 Man-made staple fibres	190.0	2.9	23.1	2.9	174.4	2.8	22.1	2.8
9 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	159.5	2.4	19.4	2.4	184.7	3.0	23.3	3.0
10 Miscellaneous chemical products	154.7	2.3	18.9	2.3	152.5	2.5	19.3	2.5
11 Raw hides and skins and leather	140.5	2.1	17.2	2.1	153.3	2.5	19.3	2.5
12 Organic chemicals	138.5	2.1	16.9	2.1	122.3	2.0	15.5	2.0

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Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
13 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	112.0	1.7	13.6	1.7	105.8	1.7	13.4	1.7
14 Rubber and articles thereof	105.8	1.6	12.9	1.6	92.9	1.5	11.7	1.5
15 Soap, organic surf-active agents, lubricating etc.	73.2	1.1	8.9	1.1	77.7	1.3	9.8	1.3
16 Lead and articles thereof	57.3	0.9	6.9	0.9	53.3	0.9	6.7	0.9
17 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	51.4	0.8	6.3	0.8	39.5	0.6	5.0	0.6
18 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	48.4	0.7	5.9	0.7	60.2	1.0	7.6	1.0
19 Others	408.6	6.3	49.7	6.2	708.7	11.5	89.7	11.5
<b>16 KUWAIT</b>	<b>6543.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>794.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4481.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>566.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.6)</b>		<b>(1.6)</b>		<b>(1.4)</b>		<b>(1.4)</b>	
1 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	6514.7	99.6	791.2	99.6	4473.2	99.8	565.4	99.8
2 Others	28.5	0.4	3.5	0.4	8.6	0.2	1.1	0.2
<b>17 ITALY</b>	<b>5897.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>718.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3823.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>483.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.5)</b>		<b>(1.5)</b>		<b>(1.2)</b>		<b>(1.2)</b>	
1 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	3222.8	54.6	392.6	54.7	2128.1	55.7	269.1	55.7
2 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	772.3	13.1	93.6	13.0	278.3	7.3	35.1	7.3

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Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
3 Railway or tramway locomotives, rollingstock and parts thereof; railway or tramway track fixtures and fittings and parts thereof; mechanical (including electromechanical) trafficsignalling equipment of all kinds	323.8	5.5	39.0	5.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
4 Ships, boats and floating structures	281.7	4.8	34.6	4.8	369.4	9.7	47.1	9.7
5 Organic chemicals	141.0	2.4	17.2	2.4	120.5	3.2	15.2	3.1
6 Plastics and articles thereof	116.2	2.0	14.2	2.0	103.9	2.7	13.1	2.7
7 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	85.7	1.5	10.4	1.4	71.4	1.9	9.0	1.9
8 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical orsurgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	79.8	1.4	9.8	1.4	62.5	1.6	7.9	1.6
9 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	76.3	1.3	9.3	1.3	22.5	0.6	2.8	0.6
10 Arms and ammunition; parts and accessories thereof	70.9	1.2	8.8	1.2	3.3	0.1	0.4	0.1
11 Aircraft, spacecraft and parts thereof	69.6	1.2	8.5	1.2	86.3	2.3	10.8	2.2
12 Miscellaneous chemical products	66.7	1.1	8.1	1.1	47.4	1.2	6.0	1.2
13 Iron and Steel	63.2	1.1	7.7	1.1	48.3	1.3	6.1	1.3
14 Articles of Iron and Steel	61.1	1.0	7.5	1.0	15.5	0.4	2.0	0.4
15 Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles	49.0	0.8	6.0	0.8	55.3	1.4	7.0	1.4
16 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	47.8	0.8	5.9	0.8	42.5	1.1	5.4	1.1
17 Raw hides and skins and leather	44.5	0.8	5.4	0.8	47.5	1.2	6.0	1.2
18 Pharmaceutical products	32.4	0.5	3.9	0.5	29.5	0.8	3.7	0.8
19 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	32.0	0.5	3.9	0.5	92.8	2.4	11.8	2.4
20 Soap, organic surf-active agents, lubricating etc.	30.5	0.5	3.7	0.5	22.6	0.6	2.9	0.6
21 Rubber and articles thereof	25.2	0.4	3.1	0.4	16.0	0.4	2.0	0.4

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(Taka in crore) (In Million US\$)

Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
22 Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation bituminous substances; mineral waxes	20.5	0.3	2.5	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.1	0.0
23 Vehicles other than railway or tramway rollingstock, and parts and accessories thereof	20.4	0.3	2.5	0.3	5.4	0.1	0.7	0.1
24 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	15.0	0.3	1.8	0.3	8.8	0.2	1.1	0.2
25 Others	148.8	2.6	18.2	2.8	145.0	3.8	18.2	4.0
<b>18 HONG KONG: SAR OF CHINA</b>	<b>5744.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>700.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7224.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>912.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.4)</b>		<b>(1.4)</b>		<b>(2.3)</b>		<b>(2.3)</b>	
1 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	985.2	17.2	120.2	17.2	1585.9	22.0	200.5	22.0
2 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television imageand sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	717.6	12.5	87.7	12.5	1331.1	18.4	167.9	18.4
3 Special woven fabrics; tufted text. Fabrics; lace; tapestries; trimmings; embroidery	708.7	12.3	85.8	12.3	294.5	4.1	37.2	4.1
4 Knitted or crocheted fabrics	389.2	6.8	47.6	6.8	495.9	6.9	62.5	6.8
5 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	370.4	6.4	45.2	6.5	420.7	5.8	53.1	5.8
6 Articles of apparel & cloth accessories, not knitted/crocheted	361.5	6.3	44.1	6.3	522.7	7.2	66.2	7.3
7 Miscellaneous manufactured articles	337.5	5.9	41.0	5.9	325.9	4.5	41.2	4.5
8 Man-made staple fibres	318.3	5.5	38.7	5.5	211.6	2.9	26.8	2.9
9 Iron and Steel	200.5	3.5	24.6	3.5	301.2	4.2	38.0	4.2
10 Man-made filaments	165.9	2.9	20.3	2.9	349.0	4.8	44.2	4.8
11 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	159.0	2.8	19.4	2.8	187.3	2.6	23.6	2.6
12 Pulp of wood or of other fibrous cellulosic material; Recovered (Waste and scrap) paper or paperboard	156.9	2.7	19.2	2.7	93.2	1.3	11.8	1.3

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Country/ Commodity group	2017-2018				2016-2017			
	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
13 Plastics and articles thereof	141.9	2.5	17.3	2.5	191.3	2.6	24.2	2.7
14 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	104.4	1.8	12.8	1.8	31.0	0.4	3.9	0.4
15 Impregnated, coated, covered textile fabrics etc.	70.2	1.2	8.6	1.2	141.8	2.0	17.9	2.0
16 Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical orsurgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof	50.7	0.9	6.2	0.9	47.1	0.7	5.9	0.6
17 Wadding, felt and nonwovens; special yarns etc.	36.5	0.6	4.4	0.6	15.3	0.2	1.9	0.2
18 Tanning or dyeing extracts; Tannins and their derivatives; Dyes, pigments and other colouring matter; Paints and varnishes; Putty and other mastics; Inks	35.8	0.6	4.4	0.6	31.5	0.4	4.0	0.4
19 Rubber and articles thereof	33.9	0.6	4.1	0.6	62.7	0.9	7.9	0.9
20 Miscellaneous articles of base metal	33.1	0.6	4.0	0.6	33.6	0.5	4.2	0.5
21 Others	367.3	6.4	44.8	6.3	550.7	7.6	69.8	7.6
<b>19 VIET NAM</b>	<b>5641.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>688.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3303.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>417.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	<b>(1.4)</b>		<b>(1.4)</b>		<b>(1.0)</b>		<b>(1.0)</b>	
1 Salt; sulphur; earths and stone; plastering materials, lime and cement	2293.9	40.7	278.6	40.5	1573.6	47.6	198.5	47.6
2 Cereals	987.0	17.5	122.0	17.7	0.9	0.0	0.1	0.0
3 Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television imageand sound recorders and reproducers and parts and accessories of such articles	452.8	8.0	55.2	8.0	292.9	8.9	37.0	8.9
4 Man-made filaments	291.6	5.2	35.5	5.2	255.6	7.7	32.3	7.7
5 Cotton (all types), cotton yarn / thread and cotton fabrics	284.4	5.0	34.6	5.0	156.5	4.7	19.8	4.7
6 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	119.2	2.1	14.5	2.1	96.3	2.9	12.1	2.9
7 Plastics and articles thereof	110.2	2.0	13.4	1.9	58.6	1.8	7.4	1.8
8 Rubber and articles thereof	106.8	1.9	13.0	1.9	130.9	4.0	16.5	4.0
9 Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder	105.0	1.9	12.8	1.9	67.8	2.1	8.6	2.1



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	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total	Amount Taka	% of Total	Amount US Dollar	% of Total
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
10 Iron and Steel	101.4	1.8	12.2	1.8	33.5	1.0	4.3	1.0
11 Articles of Iron and Steel	97.8	1.7	11.8	1.7	13.5	0.4	1.7	0.4
12 Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare-earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes	80.4	1.4	9.8	1.4	55.1	1.7	7.0	1.7
13 Paper and paperboard; articles of paper pulp, of paper or of paperboard	67.7	1.2	8.2	1.2	52.7	1.6	6.7	1.6
14 Others	543.2	9.6	66.4	9.7	515.7	15.6	65.0	15.6
<b>20 RUSSIAN FEDERATION</b>	<b>5168.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>629.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3675.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>465.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>
	(1.3)		(1.3)		(1.2)		(1.2)	
1 Cereals	2947.0	57.0	359.1	57.0	2472.3	67.3	313.3	67.3
2 Iron and Steel	478.3	9.3	57.7	9.2	529.6	14.4	67.1	14.4
3 Fertilisers	450.7	8.7	55.1	8.7	246.8	6.7	31.4	6.7
4 Aircraft, spacecraft and parts thereof	426.3	8.2	52.7	8.4	6.0	0.2	0.8	0.2
5 Edible vegetable and certain roots and tubers	221.5	4.3	27.1	4.3	111.1	3.0	14.0	3.0
6 Coffee, tea, mate and spices	175.9	3.4	21.2	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
7 Oil seeds and oleaginous fruits; miscellaneous grains; seeds and fruit; industrial or medicinal plants; straw and fodder	112.3	2.2	13.7	2.2	26.8	0.7	3.4	0.7
8 Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof	65.8	1.3	8.1	1.3	88.2	2.4	11.2	2.4
9 Ships, boats and floating structures	57.6	1.1	6.9	1.1	4.5	0.1	0.6	0.1
10 Others	232.8	4.5	28.2	4.4	190.2	5.2	23.8	5.2
<b>21 OTHER COUNTRIES</b>	<b>62817.7</b>		<b>7645.9</b>		<b>52693.5</b>		<b>6657.3</b>	
	(15.6)		(15.6)		(16.5)		(16.5)	
<b>B. Other unclassified imports</b>	<b>1342</b>	-	<b>163.6</b>	-	<b>1129.1</b>	-	<b>142.9</b>	-
<b>C. Imports of EPZ</b>	<b>29222.4</b>	-	<b>3555.9</b>	-	<b>24497.0</b>	-	<b>3097.1</b>	-
<b>GRAND TOTAL : (A+B+C)</b>	<b>435041.5</b>	-	<b>52939.6</b>	-	<b>344577.1</b>	-	<b>43540.8</b>	-

Note : Figures in parentheses font represent percentage of total (Cash+Buyer's Credit+ IDB/ITFC Loan+ Loans & Grants) Imports

**Country– wise (top ) Import Payments under (Cash+Buyer’s  
Credit+ IDB/ITFC+ Loans & Grants)**

The destinational pattern of imports during the year under review revealed that People’s Republic of China topped the list of suppliers which earned Taka 96227.3 crore (or 23.8%) from export to Bangladesh during the year 2017-18 as compared to Taka 80649.4 crore (or 25.3%) during the preceding year.

The second highest seller was the India which supplied merchandise worth Taka 70902.0 crore (or 17.5%) during the year 2017-18 under review as compared to Taka 48662.2 crore (or 15.3%) during the previous year.

Next to India, the third highest seller was Singapore which supplied merchandise worth Taka 22141.6 crore (or 5.5%) during 2017-18 as compared to Taka 19375 crore (or 6.1%) during the preceding year.

Japan being the fourth supplier in order of rank, sold goods worth Taka 15383 crore (or 3.8%) during 2017-18 as compared to Taka 13726.9 crore (or 4.3%) during the previous year.

Indonesia fifth being the supplier in order of importance, sold goods worth Taka 14593.4 crore (or 3.6%) during 2017-18 as compared to Taka 9108.1 (or 2.9%) during the previous year.

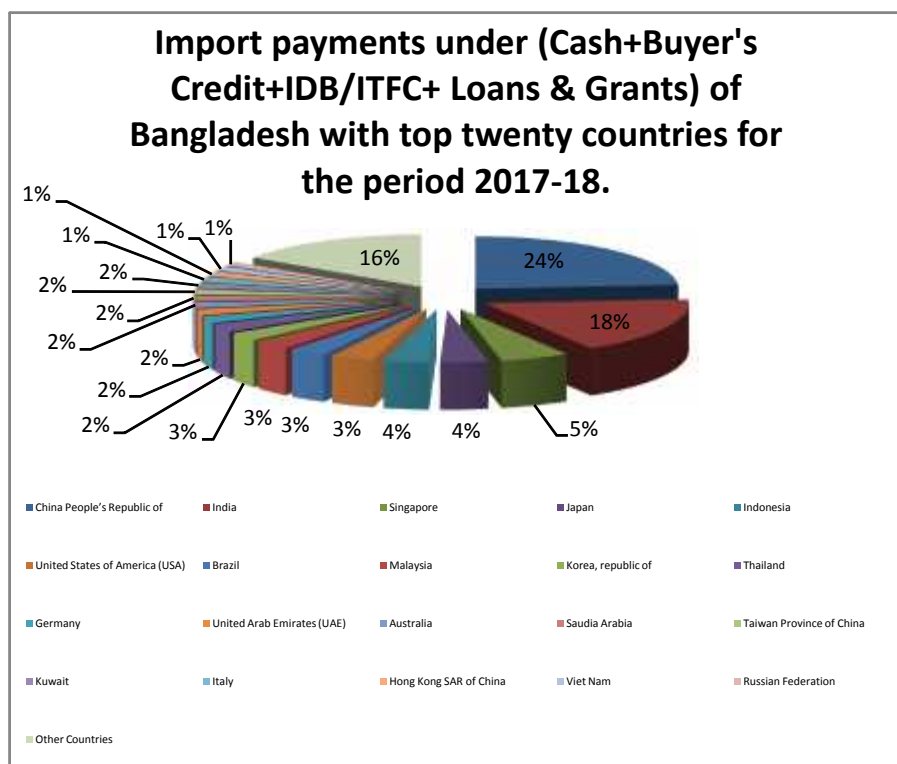
U.S.A., Brazil, Malaysia, Korea, republic of, Thailand, Germany, United Arab Emirates (UAE), Australia, Saudia Arabia, Taiwan: Province of China, Kuwait, Italy, Hongkong: SAR of China, Viet Nam, Russian Federation followed in descending order of magnitude in respect of import payments and accounted for Taka 14010.2 crore (or 3.5%), Taka 11797.0 crore (or 2.9%), Taka 11586.9 crore (or 2.9%), Taka 10465.1 crore (or 2.6%), Taka 9851.6 crore (or 2.4%), Taka 8123.1 crore (or 2%), Taka 7385.9 crore (or 1.8%), Taka 6975.4 crore (or 1.7%), Taka 6646 crore (or 1.6%), Taka 6612.4 crore (or 1.6%) Taka 6543.2 crore (or 1.6%) Taka 5897.2 crore (or 1.5%) Taka 5744.5 crore (or 1.4 %) Taka 5641.4 crore (or 1.4%) and Taka 5168.2 crore (or 1.3%) respectively

The above twenty countries being the 84.4 % supplier of goods worth Taka 341659.4 crore as compared to Taka 266257.5 crore (or 83.5%) during the previous year.

Table shows the import payments to top twenty countries (Taka in crore) and ( In Million US\$) to principal trading partner along with their percentage share during the year 2017-18.

**Import payments under (cash+Buyer's Credit+ IDB/ITFC+ Loans & Grants) of Bangladesh with top twenty countries**

Year		Taka in crore		In million US\$	
		2017-18	% of Total	2017-18	% of Total
Sl.No.	Major Countries				
1	China People's Republic of	96227.3	23.8	11706.0	23.8
2	India	70902.0	17.5	8621.5	17.5
3	Singapore	22141.6	5.5	2697.5	5.5
4	Japan	15383.0	3.8	1870.0	3.8
5	Indonesia	14593.4	3.6	1773.2	3.6
6	United States of America (USA)	14010.2	3.5	1704.7	3.5
7	Brazil	11797.0	2.9	1442.1	2.9
8	Malaysia	11586.9	2.9	1410.4	2.9
9	Korea, republic of	10465.1	2.6	1273.8	2.6
10	Thailand	9815.6	2.4	1194.2	2.4
11	Germany	8123.1	2.0	988.5	2.0
12	United Arab Emirates (UAE)	7385.9	1.8	897.8	1.8
13	Australia	6975.4	1.7	851.2	1.7
14	Saudia Arabia	6646.0	1.6	807.0	1.6
15	Taiwan Province of China	6612.4	1.6	805.2	1.6
16	Kuwait	6543.2	1.6	794.7	1.6
17	Italy	5897.2	1.5	718.2	1.5
18	Hong Kong SAR of China	5744.5	1.4	700.4	1.4
19	Viet Nam	5641.4	1.4	688.0	1.4
20	Russian Federation	5168.2	1.3	629.8	1.3
21	Other Countries	62817.7	15.6	7645.9	15.6
<b>Total</b>		<b>404477.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>49220.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>



## **Import Payments classified by Bloc/Group/Community:**

Import payments under cash, buyer's credit, loans & grants, IDB/ITFC loan and other unclassified imports when classified by countries in a bloc/group/economic community revealed that the Other Asian Countries topped the list, selling goods worth Taka 137671.7 crore (or 33.9 %) of the total import payments during the period under review as compared to Taka 122758.4 crore (or 38.4 %) in The second highest seller were the member countries of Asian Clearing Union (ACU) which accounted for an amount of Taka 77835.4 crore (or 19.2%) during the year under review as against Taka 53550.2 crore (or 16.7 %) during the preceding year.

The third highest seller were the member countries of SAARC which accounted for an amount of Taka 76356.7 crore (or 18.8%) during the year under review as compared to Taka 53243.2 crore (or 16.6%) during the preceding year.

The fourth highest seller were the member countries of Organisation of Islamic Conference (OIC) which accounted for an amount of Taka 69672.5 crore (or 17.2%) during the year under review as against Taka 52584.8 crore (or 16.4 %) during the preceding year.

ASEAN, D-8, EU, OPEC, NAFTA and Other European countries followed in descending order of magnitude in respect of import payments as follows: Taka 65486.2 crore ( or 16.1%), 33450.4 core (8.2%), Taka 29885.2 crore (or 7.4%), Taka 23408.6 crore (or 5.8%), Taka 18350.4 crore (or 4.5%), and Taka 14050.6 crore (or 3.5%) respectively.

Table-V(A) (Taka in crore) and V(B) (In Million US\$) shows the comparative position of import payments to countries classified into bloc/group/community etc.during the year 2017-2018 and 2016-2017 alongwith their relative shares in the total import payments of Bangladesh.

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TABLE-V(A)

(Taka in crore)

Bloc/Group/Community	2017-2018		2016-2017		Changes
	Amount	% of Total	Amount	% of Total	(1) - (3)
	1	2	3	4	5
Other Asian Countries	137671.7	33.9	122758.4	38.4	14913.3
Asian Clearing Union (ACU)	77835.4	19.2	53550.2	16.7	24285.2
SAARC	76356.7	18.8	53243.2	16.6	23113.5
Organization of Islamic Conference (OIC)	69672.5	17.2	52584.8	16.4	17087.7
ASEAN	65486.2	16.1	46485.8	14.5	19000.4
Developing Eight (D-8)	33450.4	8.2	22916.2	7.2	10534.2
European Union (EU)	29885.2	7.4	22404.8	7.0	7480.4
OPEC	23408.6	5.8	18156.7	5.7	5251.9
NAFTA	18350.4	4.5	13899.0	4.3	4451.4
Other European countries	14050.6	3.5	12294.0	3.8	1756.6
<b>Total Import excluding EPZ.</b>	<b>405819.1</b>		<b>320080.1</b>		<b>85739</b>

TABLE-V(B)

(In Million US\$)

Bloc/Group/Community	2017-2018		2016-2017		Changes
	Amount	% of Total	Amount	% of Total	(1) - (3)
	1	2	3	4	5
Other Asian Countries	16748.7	33.9	15515.4	38.4	1233.3
Asian Clearing Union (ACU)	9464.9	19.2	6764.3	16.7	2700.6
SAARC	9284.8	18.8	6725.6	16.6	2559.2
Organization of Islamic Conference (OIC)	8467.5	17.1	6641.5	16.4	1826.0
ASEAN	7971.4	16.1	5871.7	14.5	2099.7
Developing Eight (D-8)	4067.3	8.2	2896.0	7.2	1171.3
European Union (EU)	3638.3	7.4	2833.0	7.0	805.3
OPEC	2843.2	5.8	2293.0	5.7	550.2
NAFTA	2233.6	4.5	1753.7	4.3	479.9
Other European countries	1713.4	3.5	1555.2	3.8	158.2
<b>Total Import excluding EPZ.</b>	<b>49383.7</b>		<b>40443.7</b>		<b>8940.0</b>

Note:

(1) Bloc/group/community total do not agree with the total imports due to inter classification of the individual countries into bloc/group/community. For example, Indonesia is included in OIC as well as ASEAN.

### **Imports of Export Processing Zone (EPZ):**

In order to achieve rapid economic growth of the country by increasing the inflow of foreign investment, particularly through industrialisation, special steps have been taken since 1980 by setting up Export Processing Zone (EPZ) in the country in Chittagong (Haliashahar), Dhaka (Savar) and Khulna (Mongla) where favourable facilities/ assistance are provided to the potential investors, both Bangladeshi and foreigners. The Chittagong Export Processing Zone (CEPZ) started from 1983-84 while the Dhaka Export Processing Zone (DEPZ) started from 1993-94. Later, EPZs have also been established in Mongla of Khulna, Ishurdi of Pabna, Comilla, Uttara of Syedpur in the district of Nilphamary, Adamjee of Narayanganj and Karnaphuli of Chittagong where the investments are classified into three types i.e., A-type (100% foreign investment), B-type (Joint venture investment between Bangladeshi and foreigners) and C-type (100% Bangladeshi entrepreneur's investment).

At the end of June, 2018 type-wise number of functioning enterprises in EPZ area are shown in Table-VI.

**Table-VI**

<b>Name of EPZ Zones</b>	<b>No. of Operation</b>	<b>Investment In million USD</b>	<b>Employment ( Local)</b>	<b>Employment (Foreign)</b>
<b>Total : Type-A</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>3275</b>	<b>342296</b>	<b>2201</b>
Chittagong	88	1043	112822	354
Dhaka	63	1139	81138	591
Mongla	15	36	2560	14
Ishurdi	8	50	6280	51
Comilla	24	184	22838	179
Uttara	9	131	29411	351
Adamiee	27	248	27369	205
Karnaphuli	33	445	59878	456
<b>Total : Type-B</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>53971</b>	<b>133</b>
Chittagong	27	131	24443	29
Dhaka	12	41	1856	24
Mongla	4	2	49	2
Ishurdi	1	25	495	0
Comilla	9	102	5009	18
Uttara	0	0	0	0
Adamjee	12	140	20362	59
Karnaphuli	1	17	1757	1
<b>Total : Type-C</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>948</b>	<b>105751</b>	<b>85</b>
Chittagong	55	469	64523	31
Dhaka	27	181	10000	9
Mongla	7	21	397	0
Ishurdi	8	63	3807	9
Comilla	13	30	3801	3
Uttara	6	28	2736	5
Adamjee	13	84	10481	21
Karnaphuli	14	73	10006	7
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>4681</b>	<b>502018</b>	<b>2419</b>

Source: Bangladesh Export Processing Zones Authority (BEPZA).

**TABLE – VII****IMPORTS OF EXPORT PROCESSING ZONE (EPZ)**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount in crore Taka</b>	<b>Amount in million US \$</b>
1988-89	48.2	15
1989-90	105.3	32
1990-91	142.7	40
1991-92	240.3	63
1992-93	332.7	85
1993-94	484.0	121
1994-95	791.9	197
1995-96	1065.8	261
1996-97	1716.6	402
1997-98	2239.2	493
1998-99	2384.0	496
1999-00	3348.7	665
2000-01	3698.4	685
2001-02	3601.7	627
2002-03	4209.3	727
2003-04	5224.6	886
2004-05	5843.5	952
2005-06	7122.5	1062
2006-07	7901.8	1144
2007-08	8877.5	1294
2008-09	8956.0	1302
2009-10	9774.9	1414
2010-11	15273.1	2140
2011-12	16774.3	2114
2012-13	19975.1	2505
2013-14	23120.8	2975
2014-15	23473.0	3022
2015-16	24413.3	3119
2016-17	24497.0	3097
2017-18	29222.4	3556

Source : Bangladesh Export Processing zones Authority (BEPZA)



Table-IX  
CATEGORY-WISE IMPORTS

In Million USD

Major Commodities	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
<b>1. Food Grains</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>581</b>	<b>1410</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>837</b>	<b>1911</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>726</b>	<b>1465</b>	<b>1574</b>	<b>1034</b>	<b>1107</b>	<b>2973</b>
i. Rice	211	144	262	117	180	874	239	75	830	288	30	347	555	119	76	1746
ii. Wheat	198	287	312	301	401	536	643	762	1081	613	696	1118	1019	915	1031	1227
2. Milk & cream	61	61	86	73	83	137	96	106	161	221	214	289	310	226	252	288
3. Spices	32	30	42	32	76	80	62	109	127	138	118	183	215	204	259	288
4. Oil seeds	64	73	86	90	106	136	159	130	103	177	242	508	354	522	413	509
5. Edible oil	364	471	441	473	583	1006	865	1050	1067	1644	1402	1761	1574	1331	1495	1761
6. Pulses all sorts	145	120	159	164	195	327	234	350	292	243	422	455	394	463	589	406
7. Sugar	104	110	220	124	294	396	413	650	654	1177	731	902	743	661	841	951
8. Clinker	144	139	170	210	240	347	314	333	446	504	487	619	596	443	476	518
9. Crude petroleum	267	252	350	604	524	695	584	535	923	987	1102	929	854	382	533	554
10. POL	620	770	1252	1400	1709	2058	1997	2021	3186	3922	3642	4070	3371	2278	2776	4145
11. Chemical	353	406	510	580	668	890	960	972	1254	1210	1302	1498	1569	1688	1870	2136
12. Pharmaceutical products	44	45	41	50	49	62	80	103	116	119	119	120	112	120	147	152
13. Fertilizer	109	150	332	342	357	632	955	717	1241	1381	1188	1026	1242	1044	727	870
14. Dyeing, tanning etc. materials	86	109	132	148	161	218	259	275	333	375	399	538	555	546	561	618
15. Plastics and rubber articles thereof	281	367	477	523	643	808	840	966	1302	1366	1366	1793	1845	1818	1937	2163
16. Raw cotton	393	583	666	742	858	1212	1291	1439	2689	2084	2005	2426	2275	2152	2612	2949
17. Yarn	270	323	393	501	582	691	792	718	1391	1384	1356	1506	1594	1646	1666	1907
18. Textile and articles thereof	1106	1295	1571	1728	1892	1892	2099	1986	2680	3023	3273	3584	3678	4121	4140	4567
19. Staple fibre	41	57	75	76	97	110	112	118	180	428	455	493	525	602	611	691
20. Iron, steel and other base metals	455	479	680	980	985	1179	1502	1453	2004	2224	2335	2657	2949	2801	3269	3827
21. Capital machinery	568	786	1211	1539	1929	1664	1420	1595	2325	2005	1835	2332	2612	3053	3618	4585
22. Others	3015	2959	2727	2887	3401	4385	5289	5862	7132	7889	6860	8603.55	8616.2	9846.4	10545	12526
<b>Sub total :</b>	<b>8931</b>	<b>10016</b>	<b>12195</b>	<b>13684</b>	<b>16013</b>	<b>20335</b>	<b>21205</b>	<b>22325</b>	<b>31517</b>	<b>33402</b>	<b>31579</b>	<b>37757</b>	<b>37558</b>	<b>36979</b>	<b>40444</b>	<b>49384</b>
Imports of EPZ	727	887	952	1062	1144	1294	1302	1413	2141	2114	2505	2975	3022	3119	3097	3556
<b>Grand Total :</b>	<b>9658</b>	<b>10903</b>	<b>13147</b>	<b>14746</b>	<b>17157</b>	<b>21629</b>	<b>22507</b>	<b>23738</b>	<b>33658</b>	<b>35516</b>	<b>34084</b>	<b>40732</b>	<b>40579.3</b>	<b>40098</b>	<b>43541</b>	<b>52940</b>

Table-X  
**Import Payments of Services**

(In million USD)

Mode of Services	2016-17	2017-18	% change
<b>A. Goods procured in ports by Carriers</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>400.0%</b>
<b>B. Goods acquired under Merchanting</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>60.0%</b>
<b>C. Services</b>	<b>4544.9</b>	<b>6080.5</b>	<b>33.8%</b>
1. Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others	0.0	0.0	0.0%
2. Maintenance and repair services	41.5	31.7	-23.6%
3. Transportation	3000.1	3727.8	24.3%
4. Travel	513.2	714.4	39.2%
5. Construction services	172.9	352.7	104.0%
6. Insurance services	3.2	2.6	-18.8%
7. Financial services (Other than insurance)	89.9	318.2	253.9%
8. Charges for the use of intellectual property n.i.e.	35.4	45.5	28.5%
9. Telecommunications, computer and information services	108.0	74.0	-31.5%
10. Other business services	466.1	655.5	40.6%
11. Personal, cultural & recreational	13.8	15.4	11.6%
12. Government goods and services, n.i.e.	100.7	142.6	41.6%
<b>Total Services (A+B+C)</b>	<b>4548.5</b>	<b>6086.6</b>	<b>33.8%</b>

Note: This figure may differ from services of BOP table due to some adjustments made as per BPM-6