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External Merchandise Trade Statistics – 2nd Quarter 2024

1. Introduction

This issue of Economic and Social Indicators presents external merchandise trade statistics for the first and second quarters of 2024 and the years 2022 and 2023. These statistics are compiled from declarations lodged at the Customs Department of the Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA), by importers and exporters. Some of these declarations are usually revised at a later period and corrections are made accordingly on the computerised database of the Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA).

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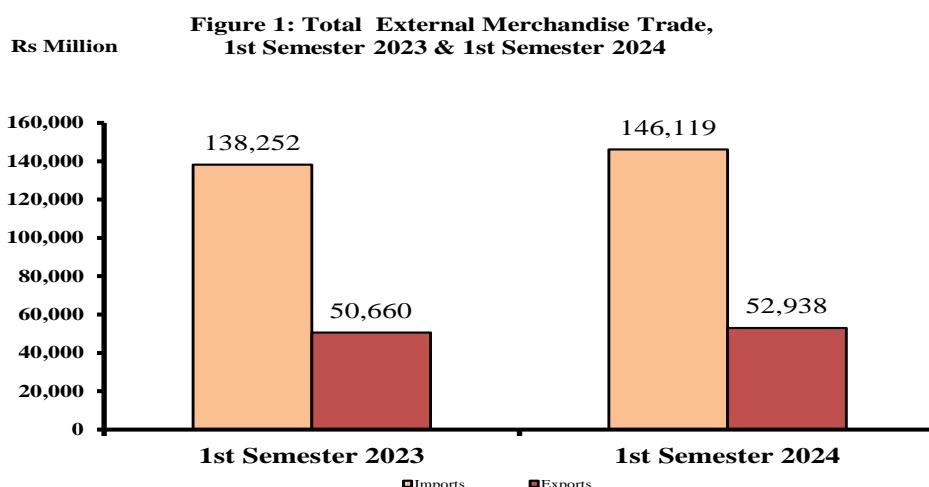
Data on external merchandise trade are compiled as per the recommendations of the United Nations General Trade System. According to this system, all goods entering and leaving the national frontier, including trading activities of the Freeport zone should be accounted for.

2. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total external merchandise trade for the second quarter of 2024 was valued at Rs 106,291 million, i.e. 14.6% higher than the value of Rs 92,766 million of the previous quarter and 8.7 % higher than the value of Rs 97,791 million of the corresponding quarter of 2023.

For the second quarter of 2024, total exports (inclusive of ship's stores & bunkers¹) were valued at Rs 29,579 million against total imports of Rs 76,712 million. In the first quarter of 2024, total exports (inclusive of ship's stores and bunkers) amounted to Rs 23,359 million against total imports of Rs 69,407 million while for the second quarter of 2023, total exports (inclusive of ship's stores & bunkers) amounted to Rs 25,149 million against total imports of Rs 72,642 million. Compared to the previous quarter, total exports and total imports in the second quarter of 2024 were higher by 26.6% and by 10.5% respectively. While compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, total exports and total imports were higher by 17.6% and 5.6% respectively.

The resulting trade deficit for the second quarter of 2024 worked out to Rs 47,133 million, 2.4% higher than the deficit of Rs 46,048 million of the previous quarter and 0.8% lower than the deficit of Rs 47,493 million of the corresponding quarter of 2023.



¹ Ships stores and bunkers, which consist of jet fuel and victuals supplied to foreign vessels and aircraft, are included in total exports and are shown separately

Compared to the first semester of 2023, total exports (inclusive of ship's stores & bunkers) rose from Rs 50,660 million to Rs 52,938 million in the first semester of 2024, showing an increase of around 4.5% (Fig 1). Total imports went up from Rs 138,252 million in first semester of 2023 to Rs 146,119 million in the first semester of 2024, representing an increase of 5.7%. Consequently, the trade deficit for first semester of 2024 worked out to around Rs 93,181 million, 6.4% higher than the deficit of Rs 87,592 million in the first semester of 2023.

3. Total Exports

3.1 Total exports (Tables 1 & 3) – 2nd Quarter & 1st Semester 2024

Total exports proceed for the second quarter of 2024, including domestic exports², re-exports³ and ship's stores and bunkers amounted to Rs 29,579 million, showing an increase of 26.6% compared to the previous quarter. This is mainly explained by increases in exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (+79.4%), "Ships' stores & bunkers" (+59.5%), "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (+42.0%), "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (+17.5%), "Food and live animals" (+5.8%) and "Chemicals and related products, n.e.s" (+2.7%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, total exports for the second quarter of 2024 increased by 17.6%. This is mainly explained by increases in the exports of "Ships' stores & bunkers" (+91.4%), "Food and live animals" (+9.0%) and "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (+0.1%), partly offset by decreases in the exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (-12.9%), "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-6.2%) and "Chemicals and related products, n.e.s." (-1.4%).

Total exports for the first semester of 2024, amounting to Rs 52,938 million increased by 4.5%, from Rs 50,660 million in the corresponding semester of 2023. This is mainly explained by increases in the exports of "Ships' stores & bunkers" (+57.1%), "Chemicals and related products" (+5.4%) and "Food and live animals" (+2.2%), partly offset by decreases in the exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (-44.8%), "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-13.7%) and "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-10.3%).

Domestic exports, amounting to Rs 15,551 million, accounted for 52.6% of total exports in the second quarter of 2024. Compared to a value of Rs 13,626 million recorded in the first quarter of 2024, domestic exports increased by 14.1%. This is mainly explained by increases in domestic exports of "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (+29.8%), "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (+17.0%), "Food and live animals" (+8.7%) and "Chemicals and related products, n.e.s." (+0.7%), partly offset by a decrease in the exports of "Crude materials, inedible, except fuels" (-0.3%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, domestic exports for the second quarter of 2024 were higher by 6.2%, mainly explained by increases in exports of "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (+28.3%) and "Food and live animals" (+12.1%), partly offset by decreases in the exports of "Crude materials, inedible, except fuels" (-20.2%), "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-7.3%) and "Chemicals and related products, n.e.s." (-1.6%).

² Domestic exports are defined as goods of national origin.

³ Re-exports are goods which are exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.

Domestic exports for the first semester of 2024, valued at Rs 29,177 million were lower by 2.3%, from Rs 29,874 million in the corresponding semester of 2023. This decline was mainly due to decreases in the exports of “Crude materials, inedible, except fuels” (-20.9%), “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (-12.5%) and “Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.” (-0.2%), partly offset by increases in the exports of “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (+17.4%) and “Food and live animals” (+1.2%) (*Table 4*).

For the second quarter of 2024, re-exports stood at Rs 5,260 million, i.e. higher by 24.2% compared to the previous quarter, mainly due to increases in re-exports of “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (+123.2%), “Machinery and transport equipment” (+79.1%), “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (+19.0%) and “Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.” (+3.5%), partly offset by a decrease in the exports of “Food and live animals” (-12.8%) (*Table 5*).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, re-exports for second quarter of 2024 for merchandise goods declined by 11.3%, mainly explained by decreases in re-exports “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (-45.9%), “Machinery and transport equipment” (-17.9%), “Food and live animals” (-11.1%), “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (-2.5%) and “Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.” (-1.4%).

Re-exports amounting to Rs 9,495 million in the first semester of 2024 decreased by 18.9% from Rs 11,706 million in the first semester of 2023. This decline was mainly due to decreases in the re-exports of “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (-61.7%), “Machinery and transport equipment” (-47.4%) and “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (-2.4%), partly offset by increases in the re-exports of “Food and live animals” (+9.4%) and “Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.” (+7.6%).

3.2 Exports of Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) – 2nd Quarter & 1st Semester 2024

For the second quarter of 2024, exports of EOE amounted to Rs 11,435 million, compared to Rs 9,469 million in the previous quarter (+20.8%) and to Rs 11,986 million in the corresponding quarter of 2023 (-4.6%) (*Table 1*).

Compared to the first semester of 2023, exports of EOE decreased by 12.6%, from Rs 23,923 million to Rs 20,904 million in the first semester of 2024.

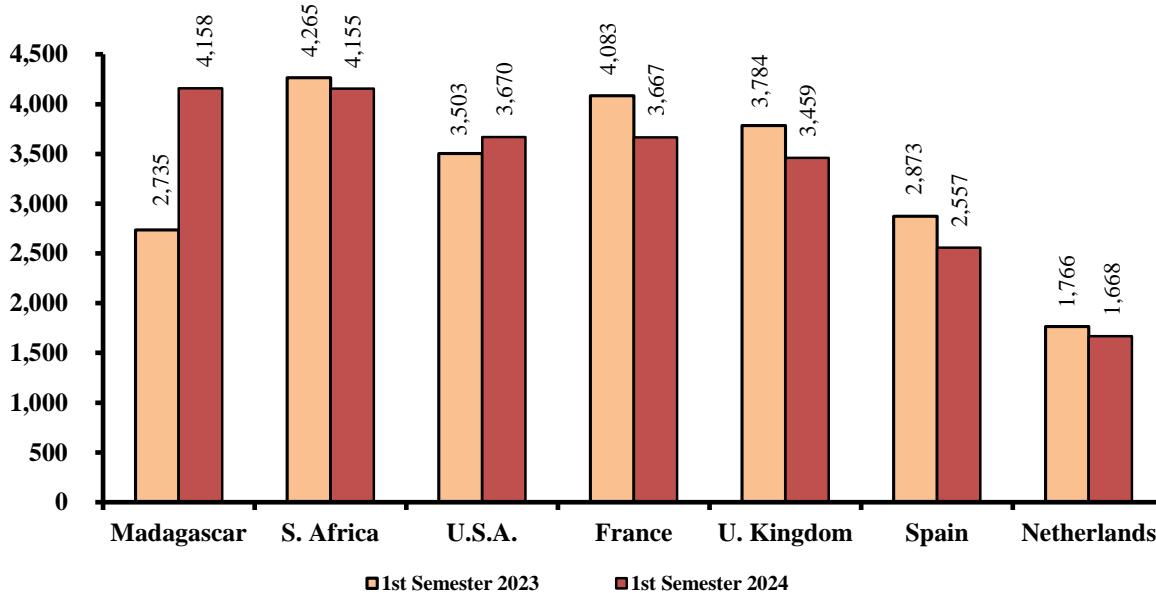
Further details on these transactions will be presented in the issue of the Economic and Social Indicator on Export Oriented Enterprises, to be released on 27 September 2024.

3.3 Exports by country of destination (Table 7) – 2nd Quarter & 1st Semester 2024

Analysis of exports figures by country of destination for the second quarter of 2024 showed that the European countries were our main buyers, purchasing some 40.8% of our exports for a value of Rs 8,498 million. Among countries, the major destinations for our exports were South Africa (11.4%), Madagascar (10.3%), U.S.A. (9.4%), France (9.0%), United Kingdom (9.0%), Spain (6.0%), Reunion (4.4%) and Netherlands (3.9%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, changes in exports to main markets were Madagascar (+55.0%), Netherlands (+32.8%), South Africa (+13.7%), Reunion (+9.9%), U.S.A. (+5.0%), United Kingdom (+2.3%), Spain (-15.6%) and France (-13.9%).

Figure 2: Exports to main countries, 1st Semester 2023 & 1st Semester 2024



From Figure 2, compared to the corresponding semester of 2023, changes in exports to main markets in the first semester of 2024 were Spain (-11.0%), France (-10.2%), United Kingdom (-8.6%), Netherlands (-5.5%), South Africa (-2.6%), Madagascar (+52.0%) and U.S.A. (+4.8%).

4. Total Imports

4.1 Total imports (Table 10) – 2nd Quarter & 1st Semester 2024

Total imports for the second quarter of 2024 amounted to Rs 76,712 million, showing an increase of 10.5%, compared to the previous quarter. This is mainly due to increases in imports of “Beverages and tobacco” (+71.6%), “Chemicals and related products” (+21.1%), “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (+15.6%), “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials” (+9.4%), “Food and live animals” (+7.1%), “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (+5.0%) and “Machinery and transport equipment” (+2.9%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, total imports for the second quarter of 2024 increased by 5.6%. This is mainly due to increases in the imports of “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials” (+40.4%) and “Chemicals and related products” (+12.6%), partly offset by decreases in the imports of “Beverages and tobacco” (-39.3%), “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (-6.5%), “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (-2.7%), “Food and live animals” (-2.1%) and “Machinery and transport equipment” (-0.7%).

Total imports, amounting to Rs 146,119 million in the first semester of 2024 increased by 5.7% from Rs 138,252 million in the first semester of 2023. This rise was mainly explained by increases in the imports of “Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products” (+25.7%), “Machinery & transport equipment” (+7.6%), “Chemicals and related products” (+7.2%), “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (+0.7%) and “Food and live animals” (+0.6%), partly offset by decreases in the imports of “Beverages and tobacco” (-36.5%) and “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (-5.4%).

4.2 Imports by SITC section (Table 10) – 2nd Quarter 2024

Around 24.8% of imports in the second quarter of 2024 consisted of “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials” (Rs 19,054 million), 22.6% of “Machinery and transport equipment” (Rs 17,363 million), 17.4% of “Food and live animals” (Rs 13,362 million), 12.3% of “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” (Rs 9,463 million), 8.8% of “Chemicals and related products” (Rs 6,714 million) and 8.2% of “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (Rs 6,269 million).

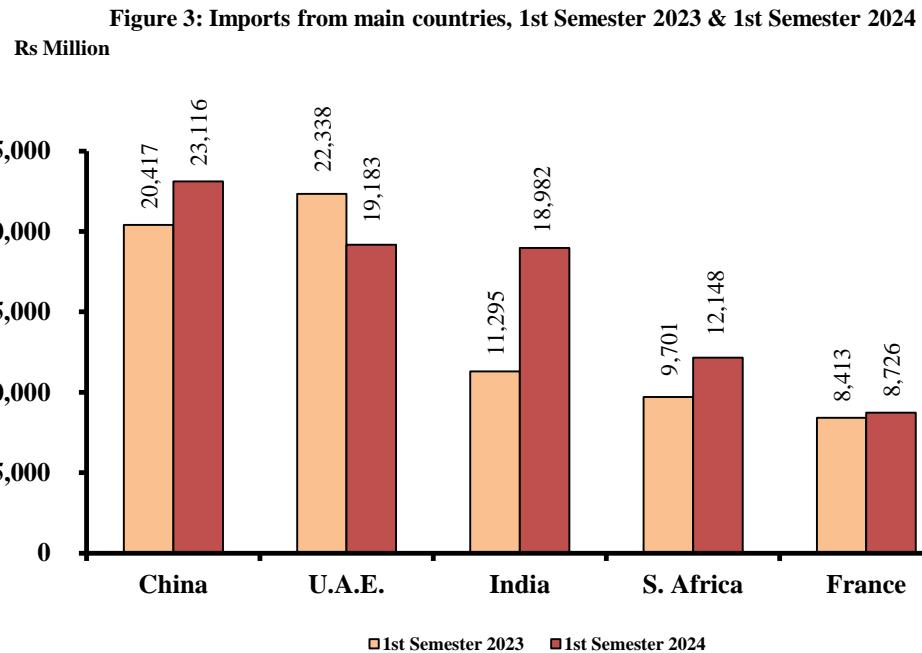
Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, total imports for the second quarter 2024 increased by 5.6%. Main changes by section are as follows:

- “Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials” increased by 40.4%, mainly due to an increase in the imports of “Refined petroleum products” (+48.9%).
- “Chemicals and related products” increased by 12.6%, mainly due to increases in the imports of “Plastics in primary forms” (+17.9%) and “Medicinal & pharmaceutical products” (+0.9%).
- “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” decreased by 6.5%, mainly due to decreases in the imports of “Footwear” (-13.6%), “Articles n.e.s, of plastic” (-1.8%) and “Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s” (-0.7%), partly offset by an increase in the imports of “Articles of apparel and clothing” (+1.6%).
- “Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material” decreased by 2.7%, mainly due to decreases in the imports of “Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones” (-61.9%), partly offset by increases in the imports of “Other textile fabrics” (+32.5%), “Textile yarn” (+11.3%), “Iron and Steel” (+4.2%) and “Manufactures of metal, n.e.s” (+2.9%).
- “Food and live animals” decreased by 2.1%, mainly due to a decrease in the imports “Fish and fish preparations” (-14.6%), partly offset by increases in the imports of “Vegetables and fruits” (+40.3%), “Meat and meat preparations” (+35.1%) and “Dairy products and bird’s eggs” (+6.0%).
- “Machinery and transport equipment” decreased by 0.7%, mainly due to decreases in the imports of “Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type” (-13.7%), “Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment” (-0.4%), partly offset by increases in the imports of “General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s” (+6.7%) and “Road vehicles” (+1.8%).

4.3 Imports by country of origin – 2nd Quarter & 1st Semester 2024

During the second quarter of 2024, our imports originated from five main countries, namely: China (14.6%), U.A.E. (13.7%), India (11.4%), South Africa (8.4%) and France (6.3%) (*Table 13*). Among continents Asia was our main supplier with a share of Rs 41,107 million, representing 53.6% of total imports.

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023, total imports from India, South Africa, France and U.A.E. rose by 52.1%, 25.4%, 17.8% and 15.4% respectively, while imports from China declined by 0.4%.



From Figure 3, compared to the corresponding semester of 2023, total imports for the first semester of 2024 from India, South Africa, China and France have witnessed increases of 68.1%, 25.2%, 13.2% and 3.7% respectively, while imports from U.A.E. declined by 14.1%.

5. Trade with Member States of Regional Organizations – 2nd Quarter 2024

During the second quarter of 2024, total exports to African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States stood at Rs 6,006 million against imports of Rs 9,774 million (*Table 14*). The trade deficit with ACP countries worked out to Rs 3,768 million. The main buyers were South Africa and Madagascar with shares of 39.4% and 35.9% and our main supplier was South Africa with a share of 66.2%.

Exports for the second quarter of 2024 to COMESA member states attained Rs 3,200 million while imports from these countries amounted to around Rs 2,719 million, resulting in a trade surplus of Rs 481 million. Madagascar was the main buyer with a share of 67.3%, followed by Kenya (19.4%). Our main suppliers were Seychelles (27.9%), Kenya (25.0%) and Egypt (24.9%) (*Table 15*).

Trade with SADC countries showed a deficit of Rs 2,979 million, resulting from imports of Rs 8,019 million against exports worth Rs 5,040 million for the second quarter of 2024. The main suppliers were South Africa (80.6%) and Seychelles (9.5%) and our main buyers were South Africa (47.0%) and Madagascar (42.7%) (*Table 16*).

6. Trade in Freeport Zone – 2nd Quarter 2024

During the second quarter of 2024, total imports of the Freeport Zone stood at Rs 2,685 million, higher by 4.5% compared to the corresponding quarter of 2023 and lower by 0.4% compared to the previous quarter – (*Table 12*). Compared to corresponding semester of 2023, freeport imports rose by 7.6% and for this period, the main items imported were “Chemicals and related products, n.e.s” (26.1%), “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (23.2%) and “Food and live animals” (21.4%).

Re-exports for the second quarter of 2024 were valued at Rs 3,395 million, representing a decrease of 7.4% compared to the corresponding period of 2023 (*Table 6*), but higher by 4.7% compared to the previous quarter. Compared to the corresponding semester of 2023, a decrease of 5.8% was recorded in the first semester of 2024, the main items re-exported were “Miscellaneous manufactured articles” (34.9%), “Food and live animals” (27.6%) and “Chemicals and related products” (16.1%).

7. Forecast 2024

Based on trends and information from various sources, the forecast for year 2024 for both total exports and total imports have been maintained at the previous forecast figures.

Total exports for 2024 will be around Rs 105 billion, slightly higher than Rs 104 billion in year 2023, and total imports for 2024, including one-off items such as machinery for metro terminals, will be around Rs 300 billion, 5.6% higher than the total imports of around Rs 284 billion in 2023.

The trade deficit for 2024 is forecasted at around Rs 195 billion, 8.3% higher as compared to around Rs 180 billion in 2023.

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Notes

(1) Scope and coverage

External merchandise trade statistics are compiled according to the General Trade System as recommended by the United Nations. Using the national boundary as the statistical frontier, the General Trade System is a record of all goods entering (imports) and leaving the country (exports).

Imports include goods brought in directly for domestic consumption plus goods imported into customs bonded warehouses.

Exports cover:

- Domestic exports defined as goods of national origin, that is goods produced in the exporting country.
- Re-exports which are exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged and include re-exports from customs bonded warehouses.
- Ship's Stores and Bunkers (SSB) are included in total exports and are shown separately.

Trade by parcel post is also included in imports and exports.

(2) Valuation

Imports are valued on a C.I.F. (Cost, Insurance and Freight) basis, whilst exports on a F.O.B. (Free on Board) basis.

Cost, Insurance and Freight (C.I.F) value is the value of a country's imports of goods, including all charges for transporting and insuring the goods from the country of exports to the given country but excluding the cost of unloading from the ship, aircraft unless it is borne by the carrier.

Free on Board (F.O.B) value is the value of a country's exports of goods, including all costs of transporting the goods to the customs frontier, export duties.

(3) Classification of commodities

Commodities are coded according to the **Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System Nomenclature (HS 2017)**. However, for the purposes of economic analysis and to facilitate international comparison of trade by commodity data, the commodities are also classified according to **the Standard International Trade Classification (Revision 4) (SITC Rev. 4)**. The HS and the SITC Rev. 4 are six- and five-digit codes respectively but have been extended to eight and seven digits to accommodate national requirements.

(4) Symbols used

- Nil or negligible
- , - Not applicable
- ... Not available

Table 1 - Summary of External Merchandise Trade, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value: Rs Million

	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Exports of goods	83,110	83,750	21,011	20,569	41,580	22,278	19,892	17,861	20,811	38,672
Domestic exports	61,002	60,532	15,234	14,640	29,874	15,991	14,667	13,626	15,551	29,177
Re-exports	22,108	23,218	5,777	5,929	11,706	6,288	5,224	4,235	5,260	9,495
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	22,414	20,145	4,500	4,580	9,080	5,129	5,936	5,498	8,768	14,266
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	105,524	103,895	25,511	25,149	50,660	27,407	25,828	23,359	29,579	52,938
of which:										
Export Oriented Enterprises	49,918	47,247	11,937	11,986	23,923	12,598	10,726	9,469	11,435	20,904
B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)	292,112	283,871	65,610	72,642	138,252	72,197	73,422	69,407	76,712	146,119
of which:										
Export Oriented Enterprises	33,466	26,781	6,809	7,346	14,155	6,273	6,353	5,507	6,128	11,635
Total Value of Trade (A+B)	397,636	387,766	91,121	97,791	188,912	99,604	99,250	92,766	106,291	199,057
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-186,588	-179,976	-40,099	-47,493	-87,592	-44,790	-47,594	-46,048	-47,133	-93,181

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

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Table 2 - Imports and Re-Exports of the Freeport Zone, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value: Rs Million

	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
IMPORTS										
Value (c.i.f)	12,903	10,816	2,429	2,570	4,999	3,481	2,336	2,696	2,685	5,381
Volume (tonne)	69,299	67,560	14,155	13,990	28,145	22,974	16,441	20,805	18,028	38,833
RE-EXPORTS										
Value (f.o.b)	13,112	14,454	3,380	3,668	7,048	4,052	3,354	3,242	3,395	6,637
Volume (tonne)	79,584	83,919	16,463	17,093	33,556	24,162	26,201	19,292	22,349	41,641

¹ Provisional

Table 3 - Exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C. section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ²		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
All sections	83,110	83,750	21,011	20,569	41,580	22,278	19,892	17,861	20,811	38,672
0 - Food and live animals	29,004	33,928	8,370	7,788	16,158	9,408	8,362	8,019	8,488	16,507
of which:										
Cane sugar										
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	335	297	79	61	140	79	78	74	73	147
Value	8,801	10,449	2,625	2,096	4,721	2,834	2,894	2,812	2,755	5,567
Fish and fish preparations										
Quantity: (Tonne)	85,978	92,974	22,424	21,063	43,487	29,599	19,888	20,310	19,342	39,652
Value	14,920	16,158	4,171	3,946	8,117	4,288	3,753	3,716	3,763	7,479
Live Primates										
Quantity: (Unit)	11,878	15,097	4,053	3,187	7,240	4,528	3,329	2,811	3,094	5,905
Value	2,137	3,999	912	775	1,687	1,427	885	830	973	1,803
1 - Beverages & Tobacco	887	957	216	246	462	208	287	187	285	472
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	2,918	2,445	671	577	1,248	631	566	463	552	1,015
of which:										
Cut flowers and foliage										
Quantity: (Tonne)	20	73	24	24	48	18	7	5	4	9
Value	12	95	30	33	63	27	5	4	3	7
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	23	11	1	2	3	6	2	1	3	4
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	377	307	69	74	143	103	61	98	88	186
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	4,700	4,115	935	1,104	2,039	1,058	1,018	1,060	1,089	2,149

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 3 (cont'd) - Exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C. section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ²		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	12,964	11,267	2,752	2,818	5,570	3,141	2,556	1,987	2,822	4,809
of which:										
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	5,906	5,234	1,191	1,285	2,476	1,455	1,303	1,404	1,778	3,182
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	4,704	4,188	1,047	1,038	2,085	1,231	872	231	551	782
Corks & wood manufactures	79	113	21	35	56	35	22	29	25	54
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,225	3,951	1,490	1,022	2,512	625	814	496	890	1,386
of which:										
Electrodiagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes, and radiological apparatus	33	20	3	4	7	7	6	12	4	16
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	28,606	25,842	6,281	6,711	12,992	6,890	5,960	5,358	6,293	11,651
of which:										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	18,774	15,581	3,963	3,914	7,877	4,239	3,465	3,226	3,530	6,756
Optical goods n.e.s.	340	418	79	149	228	92	98	90	87	177
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	738	814	171	228	399	213	202	158	226	384
Watches & clocks	1,479	1,459	361	431	792	353	314	315	328	643
Toys, games & sporting goods	1,113	1,086	231	338	569	291	226	254	289	543
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	838	919	210	254	464	273	182	180	205	385
Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	1,868	2,159	470	615	1,085	573	501	405	652	1,057
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	381	397	112	110	222	89	86	85	139	224
9 - Commodities, n.e.s	406	927	226	227	453	208	266	192	301	493

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 4 - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
All sections	<u>61,002</u>	<u>60,532</u>	<u>15,234</u>	<u>14,640</u>	<u>29,874</u>	<u>15,991</u>	<u>14,667</u>	<u>13,626</u>	<u>15,551</u>	<u>29,177</u>
0 - Food and live animals	25,390	29,312	7,602	6,755	14,357	7,718	7,237	6,966	7,570	14,536
of which :										
Cane Sugar										
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	335	297	78	61	139	79	79	74	72	146
Value	8,801	10,431	2,607	2,096	4,703	2,834	2,894	2,812	2,724	5,536
Fish and fish preparations										
Quantity: (Tonne)	54,211	50,560	15,119	12,786	27,905	11,444	11,211	11,199	12,067	23,266
Value	12,024	12,347	3,573	3,287	6,860	2,779	2,708	2,761	3,000	5,761
Live primates										
Quantity: (Unit)	11,878	15,097	4,053	3,187	7,240	4,528	3,329	2,811	3,094	5,905
Value	2,137	3,999	912	775	1,687	1,427	885	830	973	1,803
1 - Beverages and tobacco	377	284	87	83	170	63	51	57	74	131
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,788	1,707	420	411	831	451	425	329	328	657
of which :										
Cut flowers and foliage										
Quantity: (Tonne)	20	73	24	24	48	18	7	5	4	9
Value	12	95	30	33	63	27	5	4	3	7
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	236	258	69	69	138	59	61	56	87	143
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	1,611	1,210	294	305	599	298	313	298	300	598

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 4 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	7,983	6,912	1,636	1,750	3,386	1,832	1,694	1,729	2,245	3,974
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	5,386	4,710	1,052	1,145	2,197	1,320	1,193	1,303	1,658	2,961
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	961	1,006	242	285	527	237	242	228	278	506
Corks & wood manufactures	64	100	17	32	49	32	19	27	19	46
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	324	421	98	48	146	78	197	50	90	140
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	23,286	20,396	5,024	5,211	10,235	5,478	4,683	4,129	4,831	8,960
of which :										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	17,535	14,210	3,621	3,487	7,108	3,875	3,227	2,896	3,169	6,065
Optical goods, n.e.s.	264	332	62	120	182	69	81	69	63	132
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	551	604	116	163	279	165	160	101	168	269
Watches & clocks	1,432	1,424	354	418	772	344	308	307	323	630
Toys, games & sporting goods	119	122	22	31	53	39	30	17	29	46
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	805	878	206	235	441	256	181	171	203	374
Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	1,713	1,935	432	548	980	496	459	367	591	958
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	318	314	82	89	171	73	70	70	124	194
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	7	31	4	8	12	13	6	12	26	38

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 5 - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
<u>All sections</u>	<u>22,108</u>	<u>23,218</u>	<u>5,777</u>	<u>5,929</u>	<u>11,706</u>	<u>6,288</u>	<u>5,224</u>	<u>4,235</u>	<u>5,260</u>	<u>9,495</u>
0 - Food and live animals	3,615	4,617	768	1,033	1,801	1,690	1,126	1,053	918	1,971
of which :										
Fish and fish preparations	2,896	3,811	598	659	1,257	1,509	1,045	955	763	1,718
1 - Beverages and tobacco	510	672	129	163	292	145	235	129	211	340
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,130	738	251	167	418	179	141	133	224	357
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	23	10	1	2	3	5	2	1	3	4
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	141	49	-	5	5	44	-	42	1	43
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	3,089	2,905	642	800	1,442	760	703	762	789	1,551
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	4,981	4,355	1,116	1,068	2,184	1,310	861	259	578	837
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	520	524	139	140	279	135	110	101	120	221
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	3,743	3,188	806	754	1,560	995	633	3	272	275
Corks & wood manufactures	15	13	4	4	8	3	2	3	6	9

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 5 (cont'd) - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	2,901	3,530	1,392	973	2,365	547	618	446	799	1,245
of which :										
Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.	344	593	148	153	301	144	148	115	128	243
Electrodiagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes, and radiological apparatus	29	20	3	4	7	7	6	12	4	16
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	5,319	5,446	1,257	1,500	2,757	1,412	1,277	1,229	1,462	2,691
of which :										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	1,239	1,371	342	427	769	364	238	331	361	692
Optical goods, n.e.s.	76	86	17	28	45	23	18	21	24	45
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	187	210	54	65	119	48	43	57	58	115
Watches & clocks	47	35	7	13	20	9	6	7	4	11
Toys, games & sporting goods	993	964	209	307	516	252	196	237	260	497
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	33	42	4	19	23	17	2	9	2	11
Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	155	224	38	67	105	77	42	38	61	99
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	63	82	30	22	52	16	14	16	16	32
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	399	896	221	219	440	196	260	180	275	455

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 6 - Freeport re-exports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Total freeport re-exports	<u>13,112</u>	<u>14,454</u>	<u>3,380</u>	<u>3,668</u>	<u>7,048</u>	<u>4,052</u>	<u>3,354</u>	<u>3,242</u>	<u>3,395</u>	<u>6,637</u>
0 - Food and live animals	3,303	3,900	673	654	1,327	1,512	1,061	1,003	832	1,835
of which :										
Fish and fish preparations										
Quantity: (Tonne)	31,322	41,408	7,213	7,672	14,885	17,899	8,624	9,066	7,217	16,283
Value	2,849	3,687	581	589	1,170	1,483	1,034	945	750	1,695
1 - Beverages and tobacco	435	615	112	150	262	137	216	119	194	313
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,022	656	230	147	377	167	112	113	207	320
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	15	7	1	2	3	4	-	-	-	-
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	79	43	-	-	-	43	-	42	-	42
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	2,246	2,275	536	597	1,133	600	542	561	506	1,067
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	801	730	190	196	386	202	142	149	189	338
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	1,093	1,568	572	626	1,198	193	177	181	224	405
of which :										
Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s. & parts, n.e.s., accessories etc.	229	174	82	39	121	41	12	35	66	101
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	4,118	4,660	1,066	1,296	2,362	1,194	1,104	1,074	1,243	2,317
of which :										
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	1,165	1,294	327	406	733	349	212	317	341	658
Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	14	21	3	8	11	4	6	2	4	6
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 7 - Exports¹ by country of destination, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

Country of destination	2022	2023	2023					2024 ³		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
All countries	83,110	83,750	21,011	20,569	41,580	22,278	19,892	17,861	20,811	38,672
Europe	34,020	36,292	9,724	9,387	19,111	8,837	8,344	7,962	8,498	16,460
Austria	117	115	31	21	52	47	16	30	21	51
Belgium	1,897	1,491	381	361	742	350	399	308	368	676
Czech Republic	64	90	21	24	45	28	17	19	59	78
France	7,205	7,933	1,897	2,186	4,083	1,868	1,982	1,785	1,882	3,667
Germany	1,345	1,654	437	422	859	498	297	372	522	894
Italy	2,817	3,895	1,147	1,327	2,474	715	706	678	641	1,319
Netherlands	3,218	3,091	1,157	609	1,766	636	689	859	809	1,668
Portugal	693	405	207	69	276	93	36	117	16	133
Spain	5,501	5,686	1,385	1,488	2,873	1,457	1,356	1,301	1,256	2,557
Asia	1,250	1,195	314	314	628	303	264	256	308	564
United Kingdom	7,123	7,728	1,962	1,822	3,784	2,105	1,839	1,595	1,864	3,459
Other countries	2,790	3,009	785	744	1,529	737	743	642	752	1,394
13,621	14,278	3,405	3,348	6,753	4,406	3,119	2,548	3,236	5,784	
China	684	1,191	242	195	437	547	207	180	205	385
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ²	194	203	83	68	151	24	28	18	40	58
India	2,584	2,477	654	623	1,277	624	576	355	686	1,041
Japan	613	906	234	171	405	312	189	246	232	478
Malaysia	113	129	17	36	53	45	31	23	30	53
Phillipines	8	17	12	3	15	1	1	-	-	-
Singapore	633	785	155	236	391	230	164	244	219	463
Thailand	734	857	158	165	323	352	182	222	175	397
United Arab Emirates	1,114	1,179	251	322	573	298	308	351	481	832
Other countries	6,944	6,534	1,599	1,529	3,128	1,973	1,433	909	1,168	2,077

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Special Administrative Region of China³ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 7 (cont'd)- Exports¹ by country of destination, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

Country of destination	2022	2023	2023					2024 ³		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Africa	27,610	24,344	6,007	5,737	11,744	6,082	6,518	5,527	6,917	12,444
Comoros Islands	250	292	89	47	136	66	90	55	74	129
Ghana	27	20	5	7	12	4	4	10	13	23
Kenya	2,537	1,964	296	198	494	495	975	460	620	1,080
Madagascar	7,451	6,149	1,346	1,389	2,735	1,756	1,658	2,005	2,153	4,158
Mayotte	477	1,357	504	554	1,058	127	172	93	125	218
Mozambique	237	404	75	125	200	108	96	77	173	250
Reunion	3,025	3,007	722	827	1,549	758	700	667	909	1,576
Seychelles	1,216	1,111	242	318	560	270	281	218	241	459
South Africa	11,090	9,016	2,183	2,082	4,265	2,400	2,351	1,788	2,367	4,155
Zambia	18	20	3	11	14	6	-	3	1	4
Other countries	1,282	1,004	542	179	721	92	191	151	241	392
America	7,283	8,358	1,729	1,968	3,697	2,837	1,824	1,758	2,066	3,824
Canada	294	174	58	43	101	45	28	29	34	63
U.S.A.	6,686	7,928	1,630	1,873	3,503	2,655	1,770	1,704	1,966	3,670
Panama	41	64	4	7	11	49	4	7	1	8
Other countries	262	192	37	45	82	88	22	18	65	83
Oceania	577	478	146	129	275	116	87	66	94	160
Australia	524	432	141	126	267	96	69	58	86	144
New Zealand	51	45	5	2	7	20	18	7	7	14
Other countries	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	2

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Special Administrative Region of China³ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 8 - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

Country of destination	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
All countries	<u>61,002</u>	<u>60,532</u>	<u>15,234</u>	<u>14,640</u>	<u>29,874</u>	<u>15,991</u>	<u>14,667</u>	<u>13,626</u>	<u>15,551</u>	<u>29,177</u>
Europe	30,279	32,395	8,956	8,437	17,393	7,796	7,206	7,065	7,554	14,619
Austria	100	111	29	21	50	45	16	28	16	44
Belgium	1,442	919	243	214	457	196	266	181	264	445
Czech Republic	33	43	10	13	23	16	4	5	43	48
France	6,058	6,597	1,566	1,818	3,384	1,574	1,639	1,523	1,533	3,056
Germany	1,148	1,485	386	368	754	453	278	325	398	723
Italy	2,799	3,819	1,133	1,269	2,402	712	705	674	637	1,311
Netherlands	3,152	2,946	1,141	572	1,713	588	645	778	698	1,476
Portugal	592	353	207	68	275	49	29	75	16	91
Spain	4,855	4,943	1,368	1,427	2,795	1,207	941	1,092	1,165	2,257
Switzerland	1,187	1,146	309	298	607	286	253	246	302	548
United Kingdom	6,672	7,489	1,869	1,775	3,644	2,059	1,786	1,570	1,814	3,384
Other countries	2,241	2,544	695	594	1,289	611	644	568	668	1,236
Asia	4,312	4,202	988	1,088	2,076	1,080	1,046	840	1,104	1,944
China	528	550	86	119	205	160	185	111	133	244
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ²	77	139	37	62	99	18	22	12	25	37
India	2,290	2,111	523	556	1,079	565	467	316	543	859
Japan	137	238	63	76	139	64	35	43	40	83
Malaysia	14	8	1	2	3	2	3	3	9	12
Phillipines	7	15	11	2	13	1	1	-	-	-
Singapore	149	98	31	23	54	20	24	30	27	57
Thailand	15	16	12	1	13	1	2	2	3	5
United Arab Emirates	228	261	48	61	109	77	75	104	107	211
Other countries	867	766	176	186	362	172	232	219	217	436

¹ Provisional² Special Administrative Region of China

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 8 (cont'd) - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

Country of destination	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Africa	19,681	16,741	3,611	3,637	7,248	4,683	4,810	4,098	5,084	9,182
Comoros Islands	186	224	57	34	91	62	71	52	60	112
Ghana	16	19	4	7	11	4	4	10	13	23
Kenya	2,163	1,571	143	146	289	427	855	388	512	900
Madagascar	5,243	4,910	1,042	1,082	2,124	1,419	1,367	1,702	1,695	3,397
Mayotte	300	318	85	76	161	78	79	50	73	123
Mozambique	56	67	5	49	54	11	2	9	90	99
Reunion	958	1,040	230	279	509	268	263	195	276	471
Seychelles	639	596	131	164	295	134	167	109	123	232
South Africa	9,690	7,664	1,791	1,747	3,538	2,207	1,919	1,508	2,115	3,623
Zambia	1	5	1	1	2	2	1	1	-	1
Other countries	429	327	122	52	174	71	82	74	127	201
America	6,323	6,848	1,562	1,378	2,940	2,364	1,544	1,578	1,757	3,335
Canada	289	144	30	42	72	43	29	29	33	62
U.S.A.	5,885	6,543	1,498	1,310	2,808	2,237	1,498	1,540	1,663	3,203
Panama	34	14	3	7	10	1	3	5	1	6
Other countries	115	147	31	19	50	83	14	4	60	64
Oceania	407	345	116	100	216	68	61	46	52	98
Australia	388	329	112	97	209	63	57	39	49	88
New Zealand	18	15	4	2	6	5	4	6	3	9
Other countries	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	1

¹ Provisional² Special Administrative Region of China

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 9 - Re-exports by country of destination, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

Country of destination	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
All countries	22,108	23,218	5,777	5,929	11,706	6,288	5,224	4,235	5,260	9,495
Europe	3,740	3,897	768	951	1,719	1,041	1,137	896	944	1,840
Austria	17	4	2	-	2	2	-	2	5	7
Belgium	455	572	137	147	284	154	134	128	104	232
Czech Republic	30	47	10	10	20	13	14	14	16	30
France	1,146	1,336	332	368	700	294	342	262	350	612
Germany	197	169	51	54	105	45	19	47	124	171
Italy	18	76	15	58	73	3	-	4	4	8
Netherlands	66	144	17	37	54	48	42	81	111	192
Portugal	100	53	1	1	2	44	7	41	-	41
Spain	646	743	17	61	78	250	415	209	90	299
Switzerland	64	48	6	16	22	17	9	10	6	16
United Kingdom	451	239	93	47	140	46	53	25	50	75
Other countries	550	466	87	152	239	125	102	73	84	157
Asia	9,309	10,076	2,417	2,259	4,676	3,326	2,074	1,708	2,132	3,840
China	155	641	156	77	233	387	21	68	72	140
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ²	117	65	46	6	52	7	6	6	15	21
India	294	366	131	67	198	59	109	39	143	182
Japan	476	668	171	95	266	247	155	203	192	395
Malaysia	100	121	15	34	49	43	29	19	21	40
Phillipines	1	2	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Singapore	484	687	123	212	335	209	143	214	192	406
Thailand	719	841	145	164	309	350	182	220	172	392
United Arab Emirates	887	918	203	261	464	221	233	247	374	621
Other countries	6,076	5,767	1,426	1,342	2,768	1,803	1,196	692	951	1,643

¹ Provisional² Special Administrative Region of China

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 9 (cont'd) - Re-exports by country of destination, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

Country of destination	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Africa	7,929	7,603	2,395	2,101	4,496	1,398	1,709	1,429	1,831	3,260
Comoros Islands	65	67	32	13	45	4	18	3	14	17
Ghana	12	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Kenya	374	393	154	52	206	68	119	72	108	180
Madagascar	2,208	1,239	304	307	611	337	291	303	459	762
Mayotte	177	1,040	420	477	897	49	94	44	52	96
Mozambique	181	338	70	76	146	96	96	67	83	150
Reunion	2,067	1,967	492	548	1,040	490	437	472	633	1,105
Seychelles	576	515	111	155	266	135	114	109	118	227
South Africa	1,400	1,353	392	335	727	193	433	280	252	532
Zambia	17	16	2	10	12	4	-	2	1	3
Other countries	852	674	417	128	545	22	107	77	111	188
America	960	1,510	167	589	756	474	280	180	310	490
Canada	5	30	27	1	28	2	-	-	1	1
U.S.A.	802	1,385	132	562	694	418	273	164	303	467
Other countries	153	95	8	26	34	54	7	16	6	22
Oceania	170	132	30	29	59	48	25	20	42	62
Australia	136	102	29	29	58	33	11	19	38	57
New Zealand	33	30	1	-	1	15	14	1	4	5
Other countries	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Provisional² Special Administrative Region of China

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 10 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

SITC section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
All sections	292112	283,871	65,610	72,642	138,252	72,197	73,422	69,407	76,712	146,119
0 - Food and live animals	52,609	54,332	12,022	13,653	25,675	13,930	14,727	12,475	13,362	25,837
Meat and meat preparations	4,357	3,887	947	854	1,801	1,044	1,042	861	1,154	2,015
Dairy products and bird's eggs	6,210	5,765	1,470	1,322	2,792	1,438	1,535	1,464	1,401	2,865
Fish and fish preparations	11,875	12,834	2,727	3,041	5,768	3,416	3,650	2,983	2,596	5,579
Wheat	2,653	2,370	510	626	1,136	625	609	375	752	1,127
Rice	2,750	2,778	526	539	1,065	562	1,151	1,050	613	1,663
Wheaten flour	16	18	4	5	9	3	6	6	6	12
Cereal preparations	3,012	3,195	711	744	1,455	855	885	737	923	1,660
Vegetables and fruits	5,823	5,828	1,581	1,438	3,019	1,326	1,483	1,971	2,017	3,988
Other	15,913	17,657	3,546	5,084	8,630	4,661	4,366	3,028	3,900	6,928
1 - Beverages and tobacco	5,953	6,850	1,563	3,034	4,597	838	1,415	1,074	1,843	2,917
Beverages	2,830	3,241	822	938	1,760	633	848	577	1,051	1,628
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	3,123	3,609	741	2,096	2,837	205	567	497	792	1,289
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	7,463	4,926	1,648	1,165	2,813	1,093	1,020	1,114	1,311	2,425
Cork and wood	1,267	1,233	325	311	636	309	288	313	313	626
Textile fibres	3,780	2,216	757	514	1,271	471	474	488	591	1,079
Other	2,416	1,477	566	340	906	313	258	313	407	720
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products	66,735	58,065	15,433	13,570	29,003	14,664	14,398	17,409	19,054	36,463
Refined petroleum products	55,631	50,567	13,637	11,524	25,161	13,172	12,234	15,296	17,155	32,451
Gas, natural and manufactured	3,016	2,629	647	525	1,172	546	911	692	631	1,323
Other	8,088	4,869	1,149	1,521	2,670	946	1,253	1,421	1,268	2,689

¹ Provisional

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Table 10 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

SITC section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
4 - Animal & vegetable oils and fats	3,526	2,581	385	898	1,283	707	591	342	845	1,187
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	3,263	2,401	357	876	1,233	600	568	275	817	1,092
Other	263	180	28	22	50	107	23	67	28	95
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	24,838	24,349	5,471	5,964	11,435	6,463	6,451	5,545	6,714	12,259
Dyeing & tanning materials	1,691	1,478	320	381	701	395	382	356	436	792
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	7,668	8,497	1,862	2,201	4,063	2,297	2,137	1,825	2,220	4,045
Fertilisers	1,000	726	198	141	339	211	176	83	118	201
Plastics in primary forms	3,202	2,775	608	652	1,260	805	710	637	769	1,406
Plastics in non-primary forms	1,997	1,873	422	452	874	526	473	521	505	1,026
Other	9,280	9,000	2,061	2,137	4,198	2,229	2,573	2,123	2,666	4,789
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	46,451	37,911	8,929	9,725	18,654	9,720	9,537	8,186	9,463	17,649
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	4,025	3,330	865	799	1,664	780	886	769	826	1,595
Textile yarn	3,998	2,528	669	708	1,377	594	557	678	788	1,466
Cotton fabrics	1,898	1,586	372	476	848	394	344	331	416	747
Other textile fabrics	4,165	3,810	780	917	1,697	1,025	1,088	804	1,215	2,019
Cement	2,645	2,336	519	669	1,188	677	471	518	636	1,154
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	5,084	3,809	972	1,058	2,030	910	869	268	403	671
Iron and steel	6,851	4,917	1,278	1,224	2,502	1,215	1,200	1,123	1,276	2,399
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	7,165	6,212	1,362	1,542	2,904	1,637	1,671	1,599	1,587	3,186
Other	10,620	9,383	2,112	2,332	4,444	2,488	2,451	2,096	2,316	4,412

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Table 10 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

SITC section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	56,547	66,933	14,325	17,492	31,817	17,814	17,302	16,872	17,363	34,235
Power generating machinery & equipment	1,785	1,826	454	470	924	449	453	444	637	1,081
Machinery specialised for particular industries	3,965	4,621	959	1,174	2,133	1,484	1,004	1,016	1,029	2,045
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	7,711	8,693	1,794	2,167	3,961	2,334	2,398	2,205	2,313	4,518
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	4,108	4,341	981	1,158	2,139	1,191	1,011	797	1,034	1,831
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	10,388	9,956	2,775	2,325	5,100	2,023	2,833	2,487	2,315	4,802
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	8,723	9,594	1,813	2,612	4,425	2,702	2,467	2,177	2,253	4,430
Road vehicles	18,338	25,395	4,452	7,357	11,809	7,343	6,243	6,338	7,489	13,827
Aircraft , marine vessels and parts	875	2,220	1,033	141	1,174	225	821	1,318	223	1,541
Other	654	287	64	88	152	63	72	90	70	160
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	26,554	26,261	5,445	6,706	12,151	6,523	7,587	5,970	6,269	12,239
Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s	1,343	1,641	282	494	776	415	450	346	305	651
Articles of apparel and clothing	5,786	5,788	1,089	1,532	2,621	1,405	1,762	1,230	1,557	2,787
Footwear	2,397	2,222	462	588	1,050	527	645	477	508	985
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s	2,805	2,994	701	764	1,465	736	793	778	759	1,537
Watches and clocks & optical goods	1,672	1,785	390	457	847	432	506	372	385	757
Printed matter	676	741	146	169	315	243	183	135	123	258
Articles n.e.s., of plastic	2,667	2,630	588	682	1,270	672	688	597	670	1,267
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares, n.e.s	1,148	773	210	182	392	178	203	111	149	260
Other	8,060	7,687	1,577	1,838	3,415	1,915	2,357	1,924	1,813	3,737
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	1,436	1,663	389	435	824	444	395	420	488	908

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 11 - Imports of selected commodities, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

Commodity	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Rice :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	63	62	13	10	23	11	28	27	11	38
Value	2,750	2,778	526	539	1,065	562	1,151	1,050	613	1,663
Wheat :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	147	129	27	33	60	33	36	25	48	73
Value	2,653	2,370	510	626	1,136	625	609	375	752	1,127
Fish and fish preparations :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	128	132	30	30	60	37	35	32	27	59
Value	11,875	12,834	2,727	3,041	5,768	3,416	3,650	2,983	2,596	5,579
Dairy products and bird's eggs :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	30	26	7	6	13	6	7	7	6	13
Value	6,210	5,765	1,470	1,322	2,792	1,438	1,535	1,464	1,401	2,865
Meat and meat preparations :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	19	17	4	4	8	4	5	4	5	9
Value	4,357	3,887	947	854	1,801	1,044	1,042	861	1,154	2,015
Fixed vegetable edible oils and fats :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	40	35	4	13	17	9	9	4	13	17
Value	3,263	2,401	357	876	1,233	600	568	275	817	1,092
Refined petroleum products :										
Quantity: --	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Value	55,631	50,567	13,637	11,524	25,161	13,172	12,234	15,296	17,155	32,451
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	6	7	2	2	4	2	1	1	2	3
Value	7,668	8,497	1,862	2,201	4,063	2,297	2,137	1,825	2,220	4,045
Cotton fabrics :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	4	4	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2
Value	1,898	1,586	372	476	848	394	344	331	416	747
Cement :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	1,317	1,164	259	333	592	338	234	259	318	577
Value	2,645	2,336	519	669	1,188	677	471	518	636	1,154
Iron and steel :										
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	164	110	26	26	52	28	30	28	33	61
Value	6,851	4,917	1,278	1,224	2,502	1,215	1,200	1,123	1,276	2,399
Motor cars and other motor vehicles										
principally designed for the transport of persons:										
Quantity: (Thousand Number)	18	24	4	7	11	6	7	6	7	13
Value	11,760	18,051	3,260	5,201	8,461	5,333	4,257	4,509	5,772	10,281

¹ Provisional

Table 12 - Freeport imports of main commodities by section, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Total freeport imports	<u>12,903</u>	<u>10,816</u>	<u>2,429</u>	<u>2,570</u>	<u>4,999</u>	<u>3,481</u>	<u>2,336</u>	<u>2,696</u>	<u>2,685</u>	<u>5,381</u>
0 - Food and live animals	2,186	3,043	658	357	1,015	1,254	774	647	504	1,151
of which :										
Fish and fish preparations										
Quantity: (Tonne)	22,098	38,964	8,411	4,907	13,318	18,895	6,751	8,110	6,119	14,229
Value	1,755	2,790	456	346	802	1,246	742	594	478	1,072
1 - Beverages and tobacco	469	557	121	227	348	137	72	82	108	190
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	878	487	250	69	319	119	49	122	183	305
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	7	6	1	2	3	1	2	4	2	6
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	80	87	-	-	-	87	-	41	-	41
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	2,472	2,720	560	797	1,357	746	617	695	710	1,405
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	991	649	150	178	328	195	126	184	184	368
of which :										
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	265	211	37	60	97	77	37	67	55	122
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	1,986	1,263	341	275	616	362	285	340	325	665
of which :										
Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.	214	235	70	36	106	68	61	62	84	146
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	3,834	2,004	349	664	1,013	580	411	580	669	1,249
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 13 - Imports by country of origin, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

Country of origin	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
All countries	292,112	283,871	65,610	72,642	138,252	72,197	73,422	69,407	76,712	146,119
Europe	63,910	70,627	16,052	18,381	34,433	18,656	17,538	14,986	19,205	34,191
Austria	825	692	225	211	436	167	89	119	133	252
Belgium	6,534	5,113	1,320	1,408	2,728	1,224	1,161	422	529	951
Denmark	499	534	134	141	275	131	128	214	138	352
Finland	129	185	39	39	78	68	39	19	31	50
France	16,286	17,230	4,337	4,076	8,413	4,599	4,218	3,923	4,803	8,726
Germany	6,399	9,426	1,848	2,423	4,271	2,788	2,367	2,115	2,715	4,830
Hungary	441	518	113	178	291	124	103	87	111	198
Ireland	683	748	241	139	380	137	231	207	130	337
Israel	209	288	65	96	161	67	60	43	37	80
Italy	6,201	6,252	1,528	1,749	3,277	1,493	1,482	1,209	2,035	3,244
Netherlands	1,414	2,281	477	435	912	888	481	498	1,372	1,870
Poland	1,068	1,338	342	317	659	339	340	247	380	627
Portugal	1,218	967	220	208	428	205	334	286	258	544
Russian Federation	107	31	6	11	17	6	8	7	29	36
Spain	5,638	6,778	1,206	1,889	3,095	1,671	2,012	2,077	1,560	3,637
Sweden	424	515	80	99	179	141	195	93	124	217
Switzerland	1,779	2,210	492	549	1,041	604	565	513	610	1,123
Turkey	5,475	4,700	1,086	1,277	2,363	1,182	1,155	812	1,070	1,882
United Kingdom	4,203	5,136	1,235	1,424	2,659	1,200	1,277	984	1,766	2,750
Other countries	4,378	5,685	1,058	1,712	2,770	1,622	1,293	1,111	1,374	2,485
Asia	163,842	152,933	36,358	37,286	73,644	39,246	40,043	41,677	41,107	82,784
China	47,083	44,948	9,181	11,236	20,417	11,674	12,857	11,921	11,195	23,116
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ²	1,055	583	119	150	269	175	139	128	216	344
India	28,419	29,086	5,556	5,739	11,295	5,382	12,409	10,254	8,728	18,982
Indonesia	5,179	3,910	986	1,092	2,078	945	887	948	774	1,722
Iran	12	21	4	9	13	5	3	4	2	6
Japan	5,942	8,681	1,717	2,375	4,092	2,197	2,392	2,096	2,394	4,490
Korea, Republic of	2,424	2,849	692	834	1,526	654	669	475	916	1,391
Malaysia	5,180	4,751	962	917	1,879	1,662	1,210	1,855	1,176	3,031
Myanmar	48	48	13	17	30	8	10	11	11	22
Pakistan	1,522	1,160	213	308	521	198	441	427	209	636
Philippines	155	189	44	40	84	49	56	32	41	73
Saudi Arabia	549	825	55	251	306	268	251	87	108	195

¹ Provisional² Special Administrative Region of China³ Formerly Swaziland

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 13 (cont'd)- Imports by country of origin, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

Country of origin	2022	2023	2023					2024 ¹		
			1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	1 st Semester
Asia (cont'd)										
Singapore	1,741	1,233	491	253	744	260	229	277	283	560
Thailand	4,648	4,135	946	901	1,847	1,095	1,193	1,131	1,274	2,405
United Arab Emirates	26,300	31,497	13,236	9,102	22,338	5,117	4,042	8,677	10,506	19,183
Viet Nam	3,379	3,610	679	963	1,642	951	1,017	1,153	1,251	2,404
Other countries	30,206	15,407	1,464	3,099	4,563	8,606	2,238	2,201	2,023	4,224
Africa	39,632	36,022	7,974	9,291	17,265	8,193	10,564	9,386	10,599	19,985
Cameroon	113	103	63	23	86	-	17	6	3	9
Congo	12	1,752	4	20	24	2	1,726	869	889	1,758
Egypt	2,174	2,283	558	489	1,047	589	647	449	677	1,126
Kenya	2,244	2,566	535	1,292	1,827	153	586	458	680	1,138
Madagascar	1,796	1,966	530	665	1,195	452	319	339	388	727
Mali	185	113	63	21	84	29	-	21	19	40
Morocco	542	390	111	118	229	81	80	85	93	178
Mozambique	638	224	72	34	106	4	114	2	170	172
Reunion	112	130	42	21	63	37	30	52	23	75
Seychelles	3,032	3,959	841	994	1,835	847	1,277	920	759	1,679
South Africa	26,475	20,550	4,543	5,158	9,701	5,565	5,284	5,682	6,466	12,148
Kingdom of Eswatini ³	49	46	13	10	23	13	10	96	51	147
Tanzania	217	271	83	8	91	107	73	72	10	82
Zambia	144	103	17	18	35	7	61	36	17	53
Zimbabwe	598	202	60	-	60	2	140	124	120	244
Other countries	1,301	1,364	439	420	859	305	200	175	234	409
America	15,977	16,889	3,543	5,893	9,436	3,947	3,506	1,930	3,944	5,874
Argentina	4,545	3,831	1,083	1,229	2,312	936	583	25	972	997
Brazil	3,013	5,583	267	2,561	2,828	1,464	1,291	293	1,239	1,532
Canada	364	257	66	71	137	65	55	57	156	213
Chile	75	81	30	8	38	18	25	34	10	44
Mexico	366	396	120	87	207	112	77	107	83	190
U. S. A.	6,202	5,311	1,865	1,550	3,415	978	918	830	1,080	1,910
Other countries	1,412	1,430	112	387	499	374	557	584	404	988
Oceania	8,751	7,400	1,683	1,791	3,474	2,155	1,771	1,428	1,857	3,285
Australia	5,057	4,234	888	1,088	1,976	1,262	996	608	1,039	1,647
New Zealand	3,692	3,159	794	701	1,495	891	773	818	815	1,633
Other countries	2	7	1	2	3	2	2	2	3	5

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Table 14 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value : Rs Thousand

ACP States	2022		2023		2023										2024 ³					
					1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester		3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester	
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)						
Total	36,516,727	24,595,484	32,917,989	21,247,839	7,153,264	5,288,541	8,622,640	4,809,683	15,775,904	10,098,224	7,407,826	5,329,572	9,734,259	5,820,043	8,762,970	4,864,075	9,773,834	6,006,167	18,536,804	10,870,242
Antigua & Barbuda	2,931	-	7,762	-	56	-	7	-	63	-	7,382	-	317	-	7,129	-	81	-	7,210	-
Bahamas	37	-	1,147	22	-	22	-	-	-	22	1,147	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	519	-	220	-	-	-	159	-	159	-	-	-	61	-	10	40	149	45	159	85
Belize	1,849	-	1,595	-	-	-	1,593	-	1,593	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Benin	372,058	7,286	571,396	-	211,270	-	290,745	-	502,015	-	21,431	-	47,950	-	63	-	-	-	63	-
Botswana	6,706	43,439	10,683	1,809	448	-	1,616	1,467	2,064	1,467	339	342	8,280	-	30,018	69	16,164	1,325	46,182	1,394
Burkina Faso	65,985	31	61,305	-	152	-	-	-	152	-	61,151	-	2	-	20,861	60	21,632	15	42,493	75
Burundi	-	4,640	-	11,696	-	871	-	1,884	-	2,755	-	2,493	-	6,448	-	196	-	2,461	-	2,657
Cameroon	113,194	20,557	102,572	4,482	62,750	-	23,157	78	85,907	78	98	4,404	16,567	-	5,970	21,599	3,330	22,417	9,300	44,016
Chad	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	1,639	250,183	158	291,715	13	89,312	-	46,753	13	136,065	-	66,138	145	89,512	-	55,260	-	74,187	-	129,447
Congo	11,823	8,700	1,752,088	15,589	4,094	6,896	19,876	1,164	23,970	8,060	2,233	-	1,725,885	7,529	868,763	9,296	888,798	10,958	1,757,561	20,254
Cook Islands	12,802	20,725	4,785	29,296	2,702	9,958	844	4,381	3,546	14,339	684	5,743	555	9,214	1,392	12,515	10,932	14,115	12,324	26,630
Côte D'Ivoire	52,802	12,858	15,324	27,500	5,940	13,146	4,424	2,117	10,364	15,263	2,320	5,958	2,640	6,279	8,509	101	28,011	4,733	36,520	4,834
Cuba	6,145	131	4,676	215	2,350	179	1,706	36	4,056	215	23	-	597	-	173	-	820	-	993	-
Ethiopia	5,232	529	20,055	53	344	3	363	-	707	3	18,330	50	1,018	-	324	-	1,811	-	2,135	-
Fiji	76	-	1,436	29	-	-	683	-	683	-	753	5	-	24	909	-	1,952	-	2,861	-
Gabon	12,316	162	20,085	408	-	210	8,176	198	8,176	408	2,705	-	9,204	-	42	11	405	11	447	
Gambia	-	-	17	-	6	-	-	-	6	-	11	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	13	-
Ghana	16,729	27,484	7,390	20,293	359	4,912	4,018	7,037	4,377	11,949	213	4,049	2,800	4,295	262	10,268	-	13,329	262	23,597
Guinea	1,110	20	5,312	130	56	-	3,342	-	3,398	-	27	130	1,887	-	25	-	151	-	176	-
Kenya	2,244,304	2,536,767	2,565,901	1,964,204	535,170	296,146	1,292,209	198,220	1,827,379	494,366	153,219	494,594	585,303	975,244	457,831	460,183	679,686	620,286	1,137,517	1,080,469
Lesotho	14,073	14,354	1,889	319	712	184	450	59	1,162	243	398	76	329	-	386	60	1,107	64	1,493	124
Liberia	10,780	1,019	6,997	10,688	4,150	-	1,694	74	5,844	74	1,153	-	-	10,614	866	-	-	27,928	866	27,928
Madagascar	1,795,553	7,450,638	1,966,364	6,149,128	530,427	1,345,770	664,857	1,389,005	1,195,284	2,734,775	451,571	1,756,319	319,509	1,658,034	339,271	2,004,768	388,030	2,153,492	727,301	4,158,260

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Formerly Swaziland³ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 14 (cont'd)- Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value : Rs Thousand

ACP States	2022		2023		2023												2024 ³				
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester		3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester		
					Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)															
Malawi	157,660	9,235	56,139	4,236	6,012	740	208	464	6,220	1,204	23,274	1,002	26,645	2,030	147	872	115	610	262	1,482	
Mali	185,230	-	112,641	1,790	63,350	-	20,851	816	84,201	816	28,411	-	29	974	20,775	-	18,682	-	39,457	-	
Micronesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mozambique	637,879	236,793	223,902	404,333	71,655	75,010	34,242	125,090	105,897	200,100	3,562	107,686	114,443	96,547	2,330	76,659	170,195	172,517	172,525	249,176	
Namibia	56,154	102,854	47,726	63,132	13,060	26,638	16,363	13,002	29,423	39,640	12,337	10,480	5,966	13,012	16,262	16,579	9,840	20,185	26,102	36,764	
Nigeria	5,903	3,004	1,967	1,686	101	83	154	7	255	90	1,060	973	652	623	1,479	316	180	104	1,659	420	
Niue	91	-	1,639	-	10	-	880	-	890	-	-	-	749	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Rwanda	4,515	34,984	2,180	7,255	2,172	3,141	-	469	2,172	3,610	8	2,317	-	1,328	1,376	39,255	-	40,113	1,376	79,368	
Samoa	76	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Senegal	102,994	6,647	222	497	130	2	-	364	130	366	38	131	54	-	843	-	-	-	843	-	
Seychelles	3,032,127	1,215,749	3,959,050	1,111,085	840,794	242,149	994,189	318,388	1,834,983	560,537	846,939	269,736	1,277,128	280,812	920,121	218,134	759,090	241,173	1,679,211	459,307	33
Sierra Leone	2,081	827	5,274	1,466	634	1,030	1,139	-	1,773	1,030	2,594	-	907	436	625	386	1,606	-	2,231	386	
Solomon Islands	2,441	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
South Africa	26,474,573	11,089,581	20,550,264	9,016,383	4,542,675	2,182,883	5,157,544	2,082,065	9,700,219	4,264,948	5,565,009	2,400,439	5,285,036	2,350,996	5,682,238	1,788,473	6,465,617	2,367,035	12,147,855	4,155,508	
Sudan	-	-	129	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	113	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Kingdom of Eswatini ²	48,841	167,549	45,549	111,870	12,865	41,856	9,911	20,269	22,776	62,125	13,135	27,147	9,638	22,598	95,924	9,747	51,310	48,762	147,234	58,509	
Tanzania, United Republic Of	216,991	557,023	270,643	471,779	83,491	397,565	7,793	10,511	91,284	408,076	107,331	4,240	72,028	59,463	71,741	19,742	10,196	21,745	81,937	41,487	
Togo	92	26	171	-	-	-	149	-	149	-	7	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Trinidad & Tobago	424	1,951	1,551	-	480	-	380	-	860	-	674	-	17	-	712	-	-	-	712	-	
Uganda	34,912	67,951	111,343	20,106	62,598	350	12,069	1,844	74,667	2,194	36,407	4,276	269	13,636	552	2,773	21,408	1,005	21,960	3,778	
Vanuatu	-	314	12	137	-	-	12	76	12	76	-	-	-	61	-	84	-	-	-	84	
Zambia	143,588	17,735	102,567	20,467	17,442	3,006	17,865	11,098	35,307	14,104	6,860	5,748	60,400	615	36,142	2,770	16,649	1,260	52,791	4,030	
Zimbabwe	598,029	92,775	201,664	75,051	59,656	28,035	45	9,356	59,701	37,391	1,689	17,762	140,274	19,898	124,013	3,654	119,984	11,870	243,997	15,524	
Other	63,463	590,963	94,194	1,408,990	15,135	518,444	28,927	563,391	44,062	1,081,835	33,188	137,334	16,944	189,821	44,915	110,174	86,297	134,028	131,212	244,202	

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Formerly Swaziland³ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 15 - Trade with COMESA States, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value : Rs Thousand

COMESA States	2022		2023		2023										2024 ²					
	2022		2023		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester		3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester	
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)						
Total	10,243,739	11,906,804	11,316,002	9,807,866	2,625,639	2,056,230	3,481,428	2,007,334	6,107,067	4,063,564	2,140,270	2,654,892	3,068,665	3,089,410	2,424,759	2,799,102	2,718,727	3,200,197	5,143,486	5,999,299
Burundi	-	4,640	-	11,696	-	871	-	1,884	-	2,755	-	2,493	-	6,448	-	196	-	2,461	-	2,657
Comoros	1,639	250,183	158	291,715	13	89,312	-	46,753	13	136,065	-	66,138	145	89,512	-	55,260	-	74,187	-	129,447
Djibouti	294	46,091	-	30,015	-	2,243	-	8,115	-	10,358	-	5,340	-	14,317	-	729	-	-	-	729
D. R. Congo	2,627	1,188	2,112	4,451	-	-	170	1,377	170	1,377	-	333	1,942	2,741	-	-	3,820	-	3,820	-
Egypt	2,174,414	10,788	2,282,728	6,535	558,146	2,608	489,478	94	1,047,624	2,702	588,726	1,638	646,378	2,195	449,052	552	676,824	4,704	1,125,876	5,256
Eritrea	-	-	62	-	-	-	62	-	62	-	-	-	-	-	4	210	-	274	4	484
Ethiopia	5,232	529	20,055	53	344	3	363	-	707	3	18,330	50	1,018	-	324	-	1,811	-	2,135	-
Kenya	2,244,304	2,536,767	2,565,901	1,964,204	535,170	296,146	1,292,209	198,220	1,827,379	494,366	153,219	494,594	585,303	975,244	457,831	460,183	679,686	620,286	1,137,517	1,080,469
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Madagascar	1,795,553	7,450,638	1,966,364	6,149,128	530,427	1,345,770	664,857	1,389,005	1,195,284	2,734,775	451,571	1,756,319	319,509	1,658,034	339,271	2,004,768	388,030	2,153,492	727,301	4,158,260
Malawi	157,660	9,235	56,139	4,236	6,012	740	208	464	6,220	1,204	23,274	1,002	26,645	2,030	147	872	115	610	262	1,482
Rwanda	4,515	34,984	2,180	7,255	2,172	3,141	-	469	2,172	3,610	8	2,317	-	1,328	1,376	39,255	-	40,113	1,376	79,368
Seychelles	3,032,127	1,215,749	3,959,050	1,111,085	840,794	242,149	994,189	318,388	1,834,983	560,537	846,939	269,736	1,277,128	280,812	920,121	218,134	759,090	241,173	1,679,211	459,307
Sudan	-	-	129	-	-	-	-	-	-	113	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kingdom of Eswatini ³	48,841	167,549	45,549	111,870	12,865	41,856	9,911	20,269	22,776	62,125	13,135	27,147	9,638	22,598	95,924	9,747	51,310	48,762	147,234	58,509
Uganda	34,912	67,951	111,343	20,106	62,598	350	12,069	1,844	74,667	2,194	36,407	4,276	269	13,636	552	2,773	21,408	1,005	21,960	3,778
Zambia	143,588	17,735	102,567	20,467	17,442	3,006	17,865	11,098	35,307	14,104	6,860	5,748	60,400	615	36,142	2,770	16,649	1,260	52,791	4,030
Zimbabwe	598,029	92,775	201,664	75,051	59,656	28,035	45	9,356	59,701	37,391	1,689	17,762	140,274	19,898	124,013	3,654	119,984	11,870	243,997	15,524

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Provisional³ Formerly Swaziland

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 16 - Trade with SADC States, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value : Rs Thousand

SADC States	2022		2023		2023										2024 ²					
					1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester		3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester	
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)						
Total	33,191,703	21,020,552	27,458,814	17,447,845	6,183,887	4,355,411	6,913,075	3,982,317	13,096,962	8,337,728	7,035,558	4,603,369	7,326,294	4,506,748	7,325,314	4,142,153	8,019,070	5,040,361	15,344,384	9,182,514
Angola	6,900	21,638	20,261	13,802	4,650	11,574	7,821	167	12,471	11,741	3,113	2,061	4,677	-	6,721	625	6,953	322	13,674	947
Botswana	6,706	43,439	10,683	1,809	448	-	1,616	1,467	2,064	1,467	339	342	8,280	-	30,018	69	16,164	1,325	46,182	1,394
D.R Congo	2,627	1,188	2,112	4,451	-	-	170	1,377	170	1,377	-	333	1,942	2,741	-	-	3,820	-	3,820	-
Lesotho	14,073	14,354	1,889	319	712	184	450	59	1,162	243	398	76	329	-	386	60	1,107	64	1,493	124
Madagascar	1,795,553	7,450,638	1,966,364	6,149,128	530,427	1,345,770	664,857	1,389,005	1,195,284	2,734,775	451,571	1,756,319	319,509	1,658,034	339,271	2,004,768	388,030	2,153,492	727,301	4,158,260
Malawi	157,660	9,235	56,139	4,236	6,012	740	208	464	6,220	1,204	23,274	1,002	26,645	2,030	147	872	115	610	262	1,482
Mozambique	637,879	236,793	223,902	404,333	71,655	75,010	34,242	125,090	105,897	200,100	3,562	107,686	114,443	96,547	2,330	76,659	170,195	172,517	172,525	249,176
Namibia	56,154	102,854	47,726	63,132	13,060	26,638	16,363	13,002	29,423	39,640	12,337	10,480	5,966	13,012	16,262	16,579	9,840	20,185	26,102	36,764
Seychelles	3,032,127	1,215,749	3,959,050	1,111,085	840,794	242,149	994,189	318,388	1,834,983	560,537	846,939	269,736	1,277,128	280,812	920,121	218,134	759,090	241,173	1,679,211	459,307
South Africa	26,474,573	11,089,581	20,550,264	9,016,383	4,542,675	2,182,883	5,157,544	2,082,065	9,700,219	4,264,948	5,565,009	2,400,439	5,285,036	2,350,996	5,682,238	1,788,473	6,465,617	2,367,035	12,147,855	4,155,508
Kingdom of Eswatini ³	48,841	167,549	45,549	111,870	12,865	41,856	9,911	20,269	22,776	62,125	13,135	27,147	9,638	22,598	95,924	9,747	51,310	48,762	147,234	58,509
Tanzania, United Republic Of	216,991	557,023	270,643	471,779	83,491	397,565	7,793	10,511	91,284	408,076	107,331	4,240	72,028	59,463	71,741	19,742	10,196	21,745	81,937	41,487
Zambia	143,588	17,735	102,567	20,467	17,442	3,006	17,865	11,098	35,307	14,104	6,860	5,748	60,400	615	36,142	2,770	16,649	1,260	52,791	4,030
Zimbabwe	598,029	92,775	201,664	75,051	59,656	28,035	45	9,356	59,701	37,391	1,689	17,762	140,274	19,898	124,013	3,654	119,984	11,870	243,997	15,524

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers² Provisional³ Formerly Swaziland

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 17 - Exports (excluding ship's stores and bunkers) by currency, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (f.o.b): Rs Thousand

Currency	2022		2023		2023								2024 ¹							
	Year		Year		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester		3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester	
	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share
US Dollar	50,313,739	60.5	47,289,333	56.5	11,234,375	53.5	11,107,764	54.0	22,342,139	53.7	13,277,865	59.6	11,669,329	58.7	9,864,361	55.2	11,535,591	55.4	21,399,952	55.3
Euro	27,702,633	33.3	31,522,074	37.6	8,434,042	40.1	8,212,572	39.9	16,646,614	40.0	7,683,308	34.5	7,192,152	36.2	7,021,490	39.3	7,816,099	37.6	14,837,589	38.4
Pound Sterling	2,335,391	2.8	2,579,217	3.1	732,220	3.5	635,358	3.1	1,367,578	3.3	728,365	3.3	483,274	2.4	435,706	2.4	683,833	3.3	1,119,539	2.9
Rand	1,805,901	2.2	1,503,777	1.8	360,891	1.7	357,758	1.7	718,649	1.7	396,669	1.8	388,459	2.0	385,094	2.2	522,790	2.5	907,884	2.3
Swiss Franc	819,260	1.0	696,262	0.8	207,142	1.0	201,111	1.0	408,253	1.0	153,691	0.7	134,318	0.7	123,904	0.7	208,924	1.0	332,828	0.9
Canadian Dollar	518	0.0	16,687	0.0	13,584	0.1	1,046	0.0	14,630	0.0	2,007	0.0	50	0.0	151	0.0	13,323	0.1	13,474	0.0
Yuan Renminbi	1,101	0.0	9,054	0.0	1,141	0.0	1,205	0.0	2,346	0.0	5,803	0.0	905	0.0	-	0.0	12,157	0.1	12,157	0.0
Other currencies	131,630	0.2	133,337	0.2	27,242	0.1	51,935	0.3	79,177	0.2	30,776	0.1	23,384	0.1	30,123	0.2	18,098	0.1	48,221	0.1
Total	83,110,173	100.0	83,749,741	100.0	21,010,637	100.0	20,568,749	100.0	41,579,386	100.0	22,278,484	100.0	19,891,871	100.0	17,860,829	100.0	20,810,815	100.0	38,671,644	100.0

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Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

Table 18 - Total Imports by currency, 2022 - 2nd Quarter 2024

Value (c.i.f): Rs Thousand

Currency	2022		2023		2023										2024 ¹					
	Year		Year		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester		3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		1 st Semester	
	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share
US Dollar	212,754,119	72.8	193,891,831	68.3	45,566,196	69.5	48,465,990	66.7	94,032,186	68.0	49,095,432	68.0	50,764,213	69.1	48,521,358	69.9	52,272,016	68.1	100,793,374	69.0
Euro	55,840,668	19.1	63,965,235	22.5	14,400,717	21.9	17,072,841	23.5	31,473,558	22.8	16,881,253	23.4	15,610,424	21.3	14,674,430	21.1	16,705,367	21.8	31,379,797	21.5
Rand	9,361,993	3.2	9,345,882	3.3	2,154,227	3.3	2,648,565	3.6	4,802,792	3.5	2,167,106	3.0	2,375,984	3.2	2,208,376	3.2	2,783,157	3.6	4,991,533	3.4
Yen	5,181,896	1.8	7,740,930	2.7	1,424,134	2.2	2,166,459	3.0	3,590,593	2.6	1,922,046	2.7	2,228,291	3.0	2,114,255	3.0	2,362,760	3.1	4,477,015	3.1
Pound Sterling	2,973,571	1.0	2,965,002	1.0	654,608	1.0	816,015	1.1	1,470,623	1.1	763,794	1.1	730,585	1.0	652,582	0.9	1,201,924	1.6	1,854,506	1.3
Australian Dollar	1,633,559	0.6	1,504,751	0.5	376,617	0.6	367,995	0.5	744,612	0.5	354,339	0.5	405,800	0.6	311,856	0.4	402,705	0.5	714,561	0.5
UAE Dirham	525,804	0.2	777,615	0.3	177,449	0.3	176,161	0.2	353,610	0.3	194,835	0.3	229,170	0.3	180,803	0.3	217,478	0.3	398,281	0.3
Swiss Franc	1,014,813	0.3	1,134,527	0.4	262,818	0.4	311,820	0.4	574,638	0.4	242,280	0.3	317,609	0.4	220,158	0.3	196,949	0.3	417,107	0.3
Yuan Renminbi	503,557	0.2	673,085	0.2	102,119	0.2	157,793	0.2	259,912	0.2	138,861	0.2	274,312	0.4	129,203	0.2	160,940	0.2	290,143	0.2
Singapore Dollar	659,601	0.2	557,726	0.2	132,134	0.2	139,597	0.2	271,731	0.2	147,632	0.2	138,363	0.2	135,688	0.2	157,930	0.2	293,618	0.2
Indian Rupee	900,326	0.3	629,237	0.2	174,008	0.3	133,379	0.2	307,387	0.2	147,847	0.2	174,003	0.2	118,264	0.2	131,533	0.2	249,797	0.2
Other Currencies	761,671	0.3	684,701	0.2	184,945	0.3	185,461	0.3	370,406	0.3	141,241	0.2	173,054	0.2	140,049	0.2	118,743	0.2	258,792	0.2
Total	292,111,578	100.0	283,870,522	100.0	65,609,972	100.0	72,642,076	100.0	138,252,048	100.0	72,196,666	100.0	73,421,808	100.0	69,407,022	100.0	76,711,502	100.0	146,118,524	100.0

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