

**COMPARATIVE IMPORTS OF SELECTED COMMODITIES  
DURING JULY-SEPTEMBER 2016-17 AND 2017-18\***

Value in Million US\$  
Unit value in \$ per unit

Groups/Commodities	Unit	July-September, 2016-17			July-September, 2017-18*			% change 2017-18* (July-Sep) /2016-17 (July-Sep)		
		Quantity	Value	Unit Value	Quantity	Value	Unit Value	Quantity	Value	Unit Value
<b>A. Food Group</b>			<b>1,359.5</b>			<b>1,622.5</b>			<b>19.35</b>	
% share			<b>11.6</b>			<b>11.4</b>				
1 Milk Cream Incl milk food for infants	M.T	21,985	64.5	2935.3	19,898	58.8	2956.5	-9.49	-8.84	0.72
2 Wheat unmilled	M.T	0	0.0			0.0	0.0			
3 Dry Fruit	M.T	32,160	38.5	1196.0	48,894	50.4	1031.3	52.03	31.09	-13.77
4 Tea	M.T	54,962	134.4	2446.2	48,794	137.1	2810.6	-11.22	2.00	14.90
5 Spices	M.T	34,322	30.6	892.5	49,330	46.4	941.4	43.73	51.61	5.48
6 Soyabean oil	M.T.	29,485	43.3	1468.4	101,094	77.1	762.8	242.87	78.11	-48.05
7 Palm oil	M.T.	542,145	368.4	679.5	721,097	510.3	707.7	33.01	38.53	4.15
8 Sugar	M.T.	1,954	1.0	516.9	3,209	1.6	485.2	64.23	54.16	-6.13
9 Pulses	M.T.	209,860	183.4	874.1	169,821	137.3	808.3	-19.08	-25.17	-7.53
10 All other food items			495.3		-	603.4			21.84	
<b>B. Machinery Group</b>			<b>2,730.1</b>			<b>2,779.7</b>			<b>1.82</b>	
% share			<b>23.4</b>			<b>19.5</b>				
11 Power Generating Machinery		-	836.3		-	697.3			-16.63	
12 Office Machinery(Incl.data processing equip.)		-	148.3		-	99.7			-32.80	
13 Textile Machinery		-	115.7		-	146.4			26.53	
14 Construction & mining machinery		-	117.7		-	100.5			-14.57	
15 Electrical machinery & apparatus			448.8		-	467.7			4.19	
16 Telecom		-	273.9		-	333.7			21.84	
i) Mobile phone		-	146.6		-	190.8			30.18	
ii) Other Apparatus		-	127.3		-	142.9			12.23	
17 Agricultural machinery & implement		-	23.6		-	32.4			37.26	
18 Other machinery		-	765.7		-	902.0			17.80	
<b>C. Transport Group</b>			<b>695.1</b>			<b>960.9</b>			<b>38.24</b>	
% share			<b>6.0</b>			<b>6.7</b>				
19 Road motor veh. (Build unit, CKD/SKD)		-	574.4		-	725.2			26.26	
19.1 CBU		-	142.5		-	206.0			44.57	
i) Buses, trucks & oth.heavy vehicles		-	68.6		-	57.2			-16.62	
ii) Motor cars		-	73.4		-	146.3			99.38	
iii) Motor cycles		-	0.5		-	2.5			395.60	
19.2 CKD/SKD		-	254.5		-	314.3			23.49	
i) Buses, trucks & oth.heavy vehicles		-	76.3		-	103.5			35.65	
ii) Motor cars		-	159.9		-	185.0			15.69	
iii) Motor cycles		-	18.3		-	25.8			40.92	
19.3 Parts		-	110.2		-	143.4			30.10	
19.4 Others		-	67.2		-	61.5			-8.39	
20 Aircraft, ships & boats		-	75.7		-	145.8			92.71	
21 Others transport equipments		-	45.0		-	89.8			99.56	

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<b>D. Petroleum Group</b>		-	<b>2,356.0</b>		-	<b>3,167.7</b>			<b>34.45</b>	
% share			<b>20.2</b>			<b>27.1</b>				
22 Petroleum products	M.T	2,979,261	1500.4	503.6	4,797,030	1884.6	392.9	61.01	25.61	-21.99
23 Petroleum crude	M.T	1,975,475	562.4	284.7	2,693,348	811.0	301.1	36.34	44.20	5.76
24 Natural gas, Liquified			253.2			397.4			56.96	
25 Petroleum gas, Liquified			40.0			74.8			87.09	
26 Others			0.1			0.03				
<b>E. Textile Group</b>			<b>689.2</b>		-	<b>667.0</b>			<b>-3.22</b>	
% share			<b>5.9</b>			<b>4.7</b>				
27 Raw cotton	M.T	43,178	71.6	1657.6	19,727	35.0	1774.7	-54.31	-51.09	7.06
28 Synthetic Fibre	M.T	63,671	125.7	1974.2	73,009	137.0	1876.4	14.67	8.98	-4.95
29 Synthetic & artificial silk yarn	M.T	72,085	151.3	2099.4	77,054	160.8	2087.4	6.89	6.28	-0.57
30 Worn clothing	M.T	99,730	39.9	399.6	104,869	38.6	368.0	5.15	-3.16	-7.90
31 Other textile items			300.7			295.5			-1.72	
<b>F. Chemical Group</b>			<b>1,763.4</b>			<b>2,101.4</b>			<b>19.17</b>	
% share			<b>15.1</b>			<b>14.7</b>				
32 Fertilizer manufactured	M.T.	410,768	156.3	380.4	923,593	230.1	249.1	124.85	47.25	-34.51
33 Insecticides	M.T.	4,823	45.1	9348.3	4,474	42.5	9496.9	-7.24	-5.76	1.59
34 Plastic material	M.T.	278,654	434.8	1560.3	310,178	558.5	1800.5	11.31	28.44	15.39
35 Medicinal products	M.T.	5,150	247.0	47969.1	3,969	239.2	60264.8	-22.93	-3.18	25.63
36 Others			880.2		-	1031.1			17.15	
<b>G. Metal group</b>		-	<b>927.2</b>		-	<b>1,343.5</b>			<b>44.90</b>	
% share			<b>7.9</b>			<b>9.4</b>				
37 Gold	KG	97	3.5	35969.1	145	5.7	39075.9	49.48	62.40	8.64
38 Iron & steel Scrap	M.T	735,043	193.1	262.7	1,282,979	413.9	322.6	74.54	114.36	22.81
39 Iron & steel	M.T	694,968	444.9	640.2	1,027,824	595.4	579.2	47.90	33.80	-9.53
40 Aluminium wrought & worked			44.3			48.2			8.73	
41 All other metals & articles			241.3			280.3			16.17	
<b>H. Miscellaneous group</b>		-	<b>282.7</b>		-	<b>338.9</b>			<b>19.86</b>	
% share			<b>2.4</b>			<b>2.4</b>				
42 Rubber crude incl. Synth/reclaimed	M.T	17,341	36.8	2120.8	19,021	48.7	2562.9	9.69	32.55	20.84
43 Rubber tyers & tubes	NO.	1,589,133	96.0	60.4	2,554,698	101.7	39.8	60.76	5.93	-34.11
44 Wood & cork			25.3	-		32.1	-	-	26.84	-
45 Jute	M.T	6,640	5.0	745.8	12,709	7.8	614.7	91.40	57.75	-17.58
46 Paper & paper Board	M.T	132,383	119.7	904.1	174,599	148.5	850.7	31.89	24.10	-5.91
<b>Other items</b>			<b>867.2</b>			<b>1,278.9</b>			<b>47.47</b>	
% share			<b>7.4</b>			<b>9.0</b>				
<b>Total</b>			<b>11,670.4</b>			<b>14,260.4</b>			<b>22.19</b>	