

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

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

Groups/Commodities	Unit	July-October, 2016-17			July-October, 2017-18*			% change 2017-18* (July-Oct) /2016-17 (July-Oct)		
		Quantity	Value	Unit Value	Quantity	Value	Unit Value	Quantity	Value	Unit Value
A. Food Group			1,828.5			2,198.0			20.21	
% share			11.7			11.5				
1 Milk Cream Incl milk food for infants	M.T	26,347	80.1	3041.2	28,760	81.3	2827.8	9.16	1.50	-7.02
2 Wheat unmilled	M.T	0	0.0		0	0.0	0.0			
3 Dry Fruit	M.T	44,449	54.5	1225.4	57,021	64.8	1135.5	28.28	18.88	-7.33
4 Tea	M.T	70,048	172.4	2460.7	64,267	184.2	2866.4	-8.25	6.87	16.49
5 Spices	M.T	42,974	41.7	970.2	58,645	57.4	979.2	36.47	37.72	0.92
6 Soyabean oil	M.T.	36,133	54.2	1501.3	89,857	83.1	925.0	148.68	53.22	-38.39
7 Palm oil	M.T.	744,114	509.4	684.5	947,186	689.0	727.5	27.29	35.27	6.27
8 Sugar	M.T.	2,674	1.4	522.1	4,079	2.1	512.4	52.54	49.71	-1.85
9 Pulses	M.T.	263,019	233.3	886.9	201,544	172.4	855.4	-23.37	-26.09	-3.55
10 All other food items			681.6		-	863.6			26.71	
B. Machinery Group			3,722.7			3,671.2			-1.38	
% share			23.8			19.2				
11 Power Generating Machinery		-	1210.3		-	912.7			-24.58	
12 Office Machinery(Incl.data processing equip.)		-	187.1		-	135.0			-27.85	
13 Textile Machinery		-	151.4		-	200.7			32.54	
14 Construction & mining machinery		-	167.5		-	141.9			-15.28	
15 Electrical machinery & apparatus			581.3		-	653.4			12.40	
16 Telecom		-	378.2		-	450.2			19.03	
i) Mobile phone		-	198.2		-	245.2			23.71	
ii) Other Apparatus		-	180.0		-	205.0			13.87	
17 Agricultural machinery & implemen		-	32.4		-	42.7			31.98	
18 Other machinery		-	1014.6		-	1134.6			11.83	
C. Transport Group			941.6			1,292.7			37.29	
% share			6.0			6.7				
19 Road motor veh. (Build unit, CKD/S		-	787.6		-	988.5			25.50	
19.1 CBU		-	217.8		-	286.6			31.58	
i) Buses, trucks & oth heavy v		-	113.1		-	73.7			-34.82	
ii) Motor cars		-	104.1		-	190.1			82.64	
iii) Motor cycles		-	0.6		-	2.8			349.35	
19.2 CKD/SKD		-	316.0		-	442.7			40.11	
i) Buses, trucks & oth heavy v		-	90.5		-	148.8			64.52	
ii) Motor cars		-	200.7		-	259.0			29.07	
iii) Motor cycles		-	25.8		-	34.9			34.97	
19.3 Parts		-	144.8		-	194.4			34.30	
19.4 Others		-	108.0		-	84.7			-21.59	
20 Aircraft, ships & boats		-	96.8		-	204.9			111.61	
21 Others transport equipments		-	57.1		-	99.3			73.77	

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D. Petroleum Group		-	3,177.9		-	4,431.7			39.46	
% share			20.3			28.3				
22 Petroleum products	M.T	4,029,962	2020.0	501.3	6,128,011	2637.5	430.4	52.06	30.57	-14.13
23 Petroleum crude	M.T	2,671,748	760.9	284.8	3,601,660	1161.9	322.6	34.81	52.69	13.27
24 Natural gas, Liquified			337.4			534.6			58.44	
25 Petroleum gas, Liquified			59.3			97.7			64.64	
26 Others			0.2			0.07				
E. Textile Group			895.3		-	892.1			-0.35	
% share			5.7			4.7				
27 Raw cotton	M.T	60,815	101.1	1662.6	30,129	52.6	1744.7	-50.46	-48.01	4.94
28 Synthetic Fibre	M.T	77,589	155.4	2002.6	84,053	174.0	2069.7	8.33	11.96	3.35
29 Synthetic & artificial silk yarn	M.T	93,965	194.9	2074.5	103,923	215.9	2077.4	10.60	10.75	0.14
30 Worn clothing	M.T	132,587	51.5	388.7	141,209	51.7	366.4	6.50	0.39	-5.74
31 Other textile items			392.3			398.0			1.44	
F. Chemical Group			2,323.3			2,836.1			22.07	
% share			14.8			14.8				
32 Fertilizer manufactured	M.T.	643,612	237.3	368.6	1,107,637	324.2	292.7	72.10	36.63	-20.61
33 Insecticides	M.T.	6,375	58.5	9171.6	6,479	57.1	8819.7	1.63	-2.27	-3.84
34 Plastic material	M.T.	369,794	569.6	1540.3	448,606	758.6	1691.1	21.31	33.19	9.79
35 Medicinal products	M.T.	6,705	312.1	46546.3	5,853	335.2	57271.3	-12.71	7.41	23.04
36 Others			1145.8		-	1361.0			18.77	
G. Metal group		-	1,243.2		-	1,751.0			40.85	
% share			7.9			9.1				
37 Gold	KG	139	5.0	35971.2	185	7.4	40005.4	33.09	48.02	11.22
38 Iron & steel Scrap	M.T	962,016	257.7	267.9	1,723,711	535.7	310.8	79.18	107.88	16.02
39 Iron & steel	M.T	988,885	620.2	627.2	1,256,713	777.6	618.8	27.08	25.37	-1.35
40 Aluminium wrought & worked			57.7			67.7			17.43	
41 All other metals & articals			302.6			362.6			19.83	
H. Miscellaneous group		-	376.0		-	441.1			17.30	
% share			2.4			2.3				
42 Rubber crude incl. Synth/reclaimed	M.T	22,671	47.0	2075.2	26,065	61.1	2343.5	14.97	29.84	12.93
43 Rubber tyers & tubes	NO.	2,101,989	126.8	60.3	3,172,618	134.1	42.3	50.93	5.74	-29.94
44 Wood & cork			34.5	-		43.6	-	-	26.22	-
45 Jute	M.T	11,788	8.8	746.9	18,793	11.9	633.7	59.42	35.28	-15.15
46 Paper & paper Board	M.T	176,329	158.8	900.8	226,873	190.4	839.2	28.66	19.87	-6.84
Other items			1,149.6			1,648.8			43.42	
% share			7.3			8.6				
Total			15,658.0			19,162.7			22.38	