# Monthly Review of FOREIGN TRADE June, 2018

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# TRADE SUMMARY JUNE, 2018

#### **EXPORTS**

The total exports of Pakistan during June, 2017 amounted to Rs. 223,785.78 million showing a decrease of 9.36% over May, 2018 but increased by 12.04% over June, 2017.

In terms of US dollar the export during June, 2018 amounted to \$1,882.05 million showing a decrease of 12.00% over May, 2018 and by 1.28% over June, 2017.

Export during July-June, 2017-18 totaled Rs. 2,555,043.29 million showing an increase of 19.50% over the corresponding period of last year. In terms of US dollars, exports during July-June, 2017-18 amounted to \$23,212.01 million showing an increase of 13.66%.

#### **IMPORTS**

The total imports of Pakistan during June, 2018 amounted to Rs. 672,111.94 million showing an increase of 0.68% over May, 2018 and by 42.18% over June, 2017.

In terms of US dollar the import during June, 2018 amounted to \$5,652.49 million showing a decrease of 2.25% over May, 2018 but increased by 25.28% over June, 2017.

Import during July-June, 2017-18 totaled Rs. 6,039,364.41million showing an increase of 19.40% over the corresponding period of last year. In terms of US dollars, exports during July-June, 2017-18 amounted to \$60,794.73 million showing an increase of 14.90%.

#### **TOTAL TRADE**

The total trade of Pakistan during June, 2018 amounted to Rs. 895,897.72 million showing a decrease of 2.03% over May, 2018 but increased by 33.23% over June, 2017.

In terms of US dollar the total trade during June, 2018 amounted to \$7,534.54 million showing a decrease of 4.88% over May, 2018 but increased by 17.39% over June, 2017.

Total trade during July-June, 2017-18 totaled Rs. 9,249,939.96 million showing an increase of 20.47% over the corresponding period of last year. In terms of US dollars, total trade during July-June, 2017-18 amounted to \$84,006.74 million showing an increase of 14.56%.

# **BALANCE OF TRADE**

Balance of trade in June, 2018 was unfavorable to Pakistan to the tune of 448,326.16 million in rupees equal to US \$3,770.44 million, whereas during the period of July-June, 2018 it was unfavorable to the tune of 4,139,853.39 million rupees equal to US \$37,582.72 million.

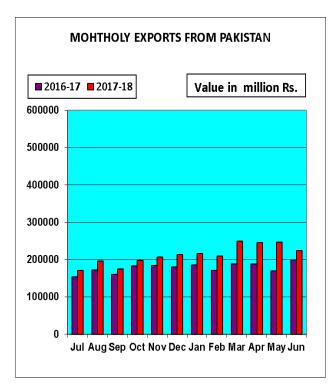
**Table 1: Trade Summary** 

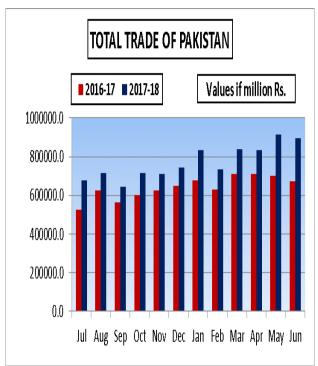
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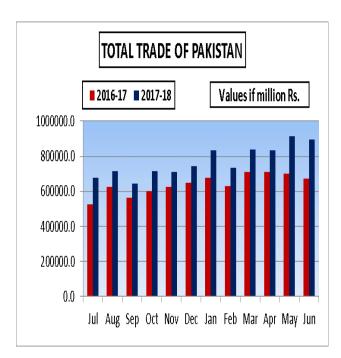
VALUES           DESCRIPTION         JUNE-2018         MAY-2018           Rs.         \$         Rs.         \$					% CHANGE					
DESCRIPTION	JUNE-2018		MAY-2	2018	JUNE-	2017	JUN-2018 OV	ER MAY-2018	JUN-2018 OV	ER JUN-2017
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
Export	223,785.78	1,882.05	246,906.76	2,138.70	199,730.11	1,906.36	-9.36	-12.00	12.04	-1.28
Import	672,111.94	5,652.49	667,561.94	5,782.41	472,727.44	4,512.04	0.68	-2.25	42.18	25.28
Total Trade	895,897.72	7,534.54	914,468.70	7,921.11	672,457.55	6,418.40	-2.03	-4.88	33.23	17.39
Balance of Trade	-448,326.16	-3,770.44	-420,655.18	-3,643.71	-272,997.33	-2,605.68	6.58	3.48	64.22	44.70

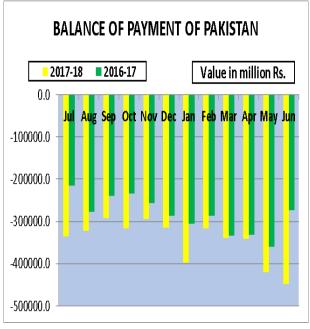
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		VAL	UES		% CHA	NGE
DESCRIPTION	JUL-JUN;	2017-18	JUL-JUN;	2016-17	JUL-JUN, 2017 JUN, 20	
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
Export	2,555,043.29	23,212.01	2,138,185.63	20,422.24	19.50	13.66
Import	6,694,896.67	60,794.73	5,539,720.59	52,909.95	20.85	14.90
Total Trade	9,249,939.96	84,006.74	7,677,906.22	73,332.19	20.47	14.56
Balance of Trade	-4,139,853.38	-37,582.72	-3,401,534.96	-32,487.71	21.71	15.68









#### I – EXPORTS BY GROUP/COMMODITIES

#### **Food Group**

During June, 2018 export of goods belonging to Food Group decreased by 30.83% over May, 2018 but increased by 13.63% over June, 2017. Food Group contributed 11.09% of total exports in July, 2018.

The export of food group during July-June, 2017-18 increased by 28.45% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 13.71% of total export during July-June, 2017-18.

### **Textile Group**

During June, 2018 export of Textile goods increased by 2.81% over May, 2018 and by 13.06% over June, 2017. Textile Group contributed 61.54% of total exports in June, 2018.

The export of textile group increased by 31.21% for the period of July-June, 2017-18 compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 64.54% of total export during July-June, 2017-18.

#### Manufactures Group

During June, 2018 export of manufactured goods decreased by 4.16% over May, 2018 but increased by 6.94% over June, 2017. Other Manufactures Group contributed 8.66% of total exports in June, 2018.

Export for manufacturer group during July-June, 2017-18 increased by 16.27% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 8.44% of total export during July-June, 2017-18.

TABLE – 2

Monthly Exports by Group/Commodities

					% Cha	ange
	Commodities	Jun, 2018	May, 2018	Jun, 2017	Jun, 2018	Jun, 2018
					May, 2018	Jun, 2017
То	tal	223,785.78	246,906.76	199,730.11	-9.36	12.04
A.	Food Group	24,809.16	35,864.82	21,832.57	-30.83	13.63
1	Rice	17,328.51	24,232.09	15,036.10	-28.49	15.25
2	Fruits, vegetables & preparation thereof	4,182.08	5,550.94	3,732.62	-24.66	12.04
3	Fish & fish preparation	3,215.61	6,052.79	3,057.30	-46.87	5.18
4	Tobacco un-manufactured	82.96	29.00	6.55	186.07	1166.56
В.	Textile Group	137,716.99	133,949.83	121,804.73	2.81	13.06
1	Knitwear	30,633.06	28,870.53	26,711.73	6.10	14.68
2	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories (excl. knitwear)	27,881.46	25,718.18	25,439.30	8.41	9.60
3	Bedwear	24,435.13	23,092.64	22,046.76	5.81	10.83
4	Cotton fabrics	22,386.49	22,128.87	18,331.93	1.16	22.12
5	Cotton yarn	14,747.38	15,037.01	11,458.61	-1.93	28.70
6	Towels	7,161.69	7,990.60	7,931.72	-10.37	-9.71
7	Textile made up (excl. towels & bed wear	6,387.04	6,888.03	6,191.07	-7.27	3.17
8	Synthetic textile fabrics	3,340.32	3,183.00	2,663.81	4.94	25.40
9	Tarpaulin &other canvas goods	647.60	902.01	998.58	-28.20	-35.15
10	Raw cotton (excl. linters)	82.44	111.66	20.21	-26.17	307.92
11	Raw wool	14.38	27.30	11.01	-47.33	30.61
<b>C.</b>	Manufacture Grooup	19,372.54	20,213.39	18,115.01	-4.16	6.94
1	Leather clothes & accessories	5,231.58	5,065.91	4,999.88	3.27	4.63
2	Surgical instruments	3,607.52	3,445.27	3,358.42	4.71	7.42
3	Sports goods (excl. toys)	3,489.52	4,287.79	2,952.49	-18.62	18.19
4	Leather	3,078.13	3,863.25	3,206.61	-20.32	-4.01
5	Petroleum products	1,965.96	1,773.43	2,006.44	10.86	-2.02
6	Footwear	1,268.47	1,073.90	881.36	18.12	43.92
7	Carpets, carpeting, rugs &	731.36	703.84	709.81	3.91	3.04
Ot	hers	41,887.09	56,878.72	37,977.80	-26.36	10.29

<u>TABLE - 3</u> <u>Cumulative Exports by Group/Commodities</u>

				% Change
	Commodities	Jul-Jun, 2017-18	Jul-Jun, 2016-17	Jul-Jun, 2017-18
				Jul-Jun, 2016-17
Tot	tal	2,555,043.29	2,138,185.63	19.50
<b>A.</b>	Food Group	350,258.69	272,674.29	28.45
1	Rice	224,739.47	168,243.99	33.58
2	Fruits, vegetables & preparation thereof	73,207.18	61,911.56	18.24
3	Fish & fish preparation	49,755.50	41,213.86	20.73
4	Tobacco un-manufactured	2,556.54	1,304.88	95.92
В.	Textile Group	1,648,965.03	1,256,697.42	31.21
1	Bedwear	376,996.29	223,811.63	68.44
2	Knitwear	298,374.17	247,242.03	20.68
3	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories (excl. knitwear)	283,497.64	242,782.48	16.77
4	Cotton fabrics	242,374.42	223,675.40	8.36
5	Cotton yarn	151,063.37	130,215.94	16.01
6	Tarpaulin &other canvas goods	93,383.39	14,006.91	566.70
7	Towels	87,633.18	83,819.12	4.55
8	Textile made up (excl. towels & bed wear	75,243.34	66,820.75	12.60
9	Synthetic textile fabrics	34,069.34	19,638.34	73.48
10	Raw cotton (excl. linters)	6,183.56	4,558.98	35.63
11	Raw wool	146.33	125.84	16.28
C. I	Manufacture Grooup	215,645.15	185,466.75	16.27
1	Leather clothes & accessories	57,422.44	51,421.07	11.67
2	Surgical instruments	41,617.69	35,573.99	16.99
3	Sports goods (excl. toys)	37,710.20	32,285.07	16.80
4	Leather	36,329.90	36,182.79	0.41
5	Petroleum products	22,334.91	11,760.88	89.91
6	Footwear	11,912.93	10,024.16	18.84
7	Carpets, carpeting, rugs & mats	8,317.08	8,218.79	1.20
Otl	hers	340,174.42	423,347.17	-19.65

#### **II – DIRECTION OF EXPORTS**

During the month of June, 2018 the share of European Union in total exports was 37.26% as against 36.57% in June, 2017. The share of North America during June, 2018 was 18.18% as against 20.04% in June, 2017. The share of Middle East during June, 2018 was 9.14% as against 10.98% in June, 2017. Country-wise U. S. A. was at the top of the export list for June, 2018 followed by China, United Kingdom, Germany, Afghanistan and Netherlands. The share of these six countries in total exports for June, 2018 was 48.37% as against 46.71% in June, 2017.

During July-June, 2017-18 the share of European Union in total export was 33.86%. The share of North America decreased to 16.77% from 18.02% during the same period of last year. The share of Middle East decreased to 10.10% from 10.25% during the same period of last year.

Country-wise, U.S.A. was at the top of the export list for July-June, 2017-18 followed by United Kingdom, China, Afghanistan, Germany and Spain. The share of these six countries in total export for July-June, 2017-18 was 46.55% as against 47.78% in the same period of last year.

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MONTHLY & CUMMULATIVE EXPORTS BY TERRITORIES/REGIONS

	Tannitanias/Dagians	Jun, 20	18	Jun, 20	)17	Jul-Jun, 2017-18 Jul-Jur		Jul-Jun, 2	016-17
	Territories/Regions	Value	% Share	Value	% Share	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
	TOTAL	223,785.78	100.00	199,730.11	100.00	2,555,043.29	100.00	2,138,185.63	100.00
1	Latin & Central America	2,521.64	1.13	1,345.09	0.67	19,047.05	0.75	16,414.76	0.77
2	South America	3,098.37	1.38	2,417.95	1.21	30,638.90	1.20	25,325.89	1.18
3	North America	40,683.50	18.18	40,022.06	20.04	428,509.24	16.77	385,256.63	18.02
4	Eastern Europe	1,681.91	0.75	1,306.60	0.65	26,423.13	1.03	21,273.04	0.99
5	European Union	83,372.86	37.26	73,031.40	36.57	865,065.12	33.86	721,907.00	33.76
6	E.F.T.A	950.21	0.42	626.14	0.31	7,555.33	0.30	5939.89	0.28
7	Other Europe	1278.49	0.57	192.93	0.10	5120.94	0.20	4042.88	0.19
8	Middle East	20,464.39	9.14	21,936.05	10.98	258,079.37	10.10	219,066.09	10.25
	Asian Countries	18,654.69	8.34	20,509.42	10.27	233,600.26	9.14	198,841.19	9.30
	African Countries	1,809.70	0.81	1,426.63	0.71	24,479.11	0.96	20,224.90	0.95
9	Other Asia	58,235.04	26.02	44,858.47	22.46	735,128.71	28.77	591,560.40	27.67
10	Other Africa	9,456.59	4.23	11,895.84	5.96	147,870.57	5.79	116,451.02	5.45
11	Oceania	2,042.77	0.91	2,097.56	1.05	31,604.94	1.24	30,948.02	1.45

TABLE – 5

MONTHLY EXPORTS TO MAJOR COUNTRIES

	Countries	Jun, 20	18	Jun, 20	Jun, 2017			
	Countries	Value	% Share	Value	% Share			
	TOTAL	223,785.78	100.00	199,730.11	100.00			
1	U.S.America	37,964.72	16.96	37,582.50	18.82			
2	China	18,555.05	8.29	11,496.36	5.76			
3	United Kingdom	17,294.06	7.73	15,655.96	7.84			
4	Germany	14,758.90	6.60	11,651.64	5.83			
5	Afghanistan	9,890.29	4.42	8,591.81	4.30			
6	Netherlands	9,788.71	4.37	8,314.37	4.16			
7	Spain	8,883.49	3.97	8,444.93	4.23			
8	United Arab Emirates	8,090.67	3.62	9,874.81	4.94			
9	Italy	7,727.17	3.45	6,885.33	3.45			
10	Belgium	7,564.27	3.38	6,955.50	3.48			
11	Bangladesh	4,912.19	2.20	4,542.62	2.27			
12	France	4,489.51	2.01	4,179.59	2.09			
13	Indonesia	3,573.87	1.60	523.31	0.26			
14	Korea, Republic of	3,380.85	1.51	5,006.02	2.51			
15	Sri Lanka	3,040.66	1.36	2,000.96	1.00			
16	Turkey	2,976.23	1.33	3,072.90	1.54			
17	Poland	2,805.95	1.25	2,169.38	1.09			
18	Canada	2,716.99	1.21	2,439.15	1.22			
19	India	2,629.52	1.18	2,566.09	1.28			
20	Saudi Arabia	2,390.00	1.07	2,696.58	1.35			
	* O T H E R S	50,352.69	22.50	45,080.27	22.57			

TABLE – 5

CUMMULATIVE EXPORTS TO MAJOR COUNTRIES

	Countries	Jul-Jun, 20	17-18	Jul-Jun, 20	16-17
	Countries	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
	TOTAL	2,555,043.29	100.00	2,138,185.63	100.00
1	U.S.America	400,447.89	15.67	361,137.18	16.89
2	United Kingdom	186,736.06	7.31	163,087.13	7.63
3	China	185,722.53	7.27	153,808.22	7.19
4	Afghanistan	165,152.95	6.46	133,088.10	6.22
5	Germany	146,726.01	5.74	125,067.55	5.85
6	Spain	104,485.68	4.09	85,502.63	4.00
7	United Arab Emirates	103,559.95	4.05	83,041.07	3.88
8	Netherlands	95,198.35	3.73	71,759.29	3.36
9	Italy	84,476.21	3.31	68,578.91	3.21
10	Bangladesh	80,689.86	3.16	65,429.04	3.06
11	Belgium	78,245.77	3.06	66,299.20	3.10
12	France	45,548.86	1.78	38,810.39	1.82
13	India	39,247.60	1.54	37,600.15	1.76
14	Turkey	36,871.99	1.44	28,879.99	1.35
15	Korea, Republic of	35,680.29	1.40	35,399.92	1.66
16	Sri Lanka	35,230.76	1.38	26,112.00	1.22
17	Indonesia	34,651.29	1.36	14,634.06	0.68
18	Saudi Arabia	33,241.67	1.30	35,685.52	1.67
19	Viet Nam	33,220.26	1.30	28,067.64	1.31
20	Kenya	31,596.47	1.24	32,082.43	1.50
	* O T H E R S	598,312.84	23.42	484,115.22	22.64

## **III – EXPORT BY ECONOMIC CATEGORIES**

Export of Primary Commodities during June, 2018 increased by 17.56%, Semi-Manufactures by 34.25% and Manufactured Goods by 8.22%. Whereas, their share in total export stands at 13.61%, 12.03% and 74.36% respectively.

During July-June, 2017-18 export of Primary Commodities increased by 37.25%, Semi-Manufactures by 24.87% and Manufactured Goods by 14.88% over the corresponding period of last year. Whereas the share of primary commodities in total export for the period of July-June, 2017-18 stood at 17.78, 12.04 for semi-manufacturer and 70.18% for manufactured goods.

Table - 6

<u>Export by Economic Categories</u>

Economic Category	Jun, 2018	Jun, 2017	Jul-Jun, 2017-18	Jul-Jun, 2016-17
TOTAL	223,785.78	199,730.11	2,555,043.29	2,138,185.63
1. PRIMARY COMMODITIES.	30,459.86	25,910.23	454,350.71	331,040.12
% SHARE IN TOTAL EXPORTS.	13.61	12.97	17.78	15.48
2. SEMI-MANUFACTURES.	26,928.68	20,058.54	307,567.34	246,319.20
% SHARE IN TOTAL EXPORTS.	12.03	10.04	12.04	11.52
3. MANUFACTURED GOODS.	166,397.24	153,761.33	1,793,125.24	1,560,826.30
% SHARE IN TOTAL EXPORTS.	74.36	76.98	70.18	73.00

### I – IMPORTS BY GROUP/COMMODITIES

#### **Food Group**

During June, 2018 import of goods belonging to Food Group increased by 5.11% over May, 2018 and by 9.87% over June, 2017. This group contributed 4.66% of total imports in June, 2018.

The import of food group during July-June, 2017-18 decreased by 1.49% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 5.74% of total imports during July-June, 2017-18.

#### **Machinery & Transport Group**

During June, 2018 import of Machinery & Transport items increased by 8.10% over May, 2018 and by 39.63% over June, 2017. This group contributed 26.46% of total imports in June, 2018.

The import of machinery & transport group during July-June, 2017-18 increased by 11.02% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 26.07% of total imports during July-June, 2017-18.

#### **Petroleum Group**

During June, 2018 import of Petroleum and its products decreased by 0.98% over May, 2018 but increased by 56.91% over June, 2017. This group contributed 20.50% of total imports in June, 2018.

The import of petroleum group during July-June, 2017-18 increased by 31.20% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 19.26% of total imports during July-June, 2017-18.

#### **Textile Group**

During June, 2018 import of textile products increased by 2.82% over May, 2018 and by 28.39% over June, 2017. This group contributed 1.98% of total imports in June, 2018.

The import of textile group during July-June, 2017-18 increased by 13.32% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 1.98% of total imports during July-June, 2017-18.

#### **Chemical Group**

During June, 2018 import of Chemical goods decreased by 12.44% over May, 2018 but increased by 35.17% over June, 2017. This group contributed 13.85% of total imports in June, 2018.

The import of chemical group during July-June, 2018 increased by 23.51% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 14.69% of total imports during July-June, 2017-18.

# **Metal Group**

During June, 2018 export of Metal products decreased by 4.39% over May, 2018 but increased by 25.21% over June, 2017. This group contributed 5.61% of total imports in June, 2018.

The import of metal group during July-June, 2018 increased by 30.37% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 6.61% of total imports during July-June, 2017-18.

## **Miscellaneous Group**

During June, 2018 exports of miscellaneous commodities decreased by 5.44% over May, 2018 but increased by 3.82% over June, 2017. This group contributed 1.21% of total imports in June, 2018.

The import of miscellaneous group during July-June, 2017-18 increased by 5.86% compared to the same period of last year. This group contributed 1.46% of total imports during July-June, 2017-18.

TABLE – 7

Monthly Imports by Group/Commodities

					% Cha	ange
	Commodities	Jun, 2018	May, 2018	Jun, 2017	Jun, 2018	Jun, 2018
					May, 2018	Jun, 2017
	Total	672,111.94	667,561.94	472,727.44	0.68	42.18
A-I	Food Group	31,317.67	29,796.21	28,503.80	5.11	9.87
1	Palm oil	18,001.51	18,369.18	16,661.81	-2.00	8.04
2	Pulses	6,194.78	4,619.72	5,181.16	34.09	19.56
3	Tea	3,315.28	3,582.50	3,451.35	-7.46	-3.94
4	Milk & milk food for infants	2,519.95	2,674.32	2,135.42	-5.77	18.01
5	Soyabean oil	1,286.15	550.49	1,074.06	133.64	19.75
B-I	Machinery & Trans. Group	177,866.90	164,534.72	127,384.07	8.10	39.63
1	Machinery	113,124.74	130,835.68	93,402.15	-13.54	21.12
2	Transport equipment	64,742.16	33,699.04	33,981.92	92.12	90.52
C-F	Petroleum Group	137,751.35	139,115.23	87,789.75	-0.98	56.91
1	Petroleum products	79,399.58	92,351.13	65,208.45	-14.02	21.76
2	Petroleum crude	58,351.77	46,764.10	22,581.30	24.78	158.41
D-	Textile Group	13,332.04	12,965.80	10,384.03	2.82	28.39
1	Synthetic & artificial silk yarn	6,847.34	7,740.95	5,303.22	-11.54	29.12
2	Synthetic fibre	6,484.70	5,224.85	5,080.81	24.11	27.63
E-C	Chemical Group	93,092.11	106,312.89	68,872.02	-12.44	35.17
1	Chemicals (excl. 2, 3 & 4)	74,413.40	75,357.47	53,487.39	-1.25	39.12
2	Medicinal products	10,060.40	10,397.57	7,170.48	-3.24	40.30
3	Fertilizer manufactured	6,023.59	18,587.52	6,852.21	-67.59	-12.09
4	Insecticide	2,594.72	1,970.33	1,361.94	31.69	90.52
F-N	Лetal Group	37,720.42	39,451.06	30,126.11	-4.39	25.21
1	Iron & steel	22,605.11	22,015.77	18,566.30	2.68	21.75
2	Iron & steel scrap	15,115.31	17,435.29	11,559.81	-13.31	30.76
	Miscellaneous Group	8,133.22	8,601.57	7,834.29	-5.44	3.82
1	Paper & paper products	5,739.10	6,044.54	4,784.37	-5.05	19.96
2	Tyres & tubes	2,394.12	2,557.03	3,049.92	-6.37	-21.50
Ot	hers	172,898.23	166,784.46	111,833.37	3.67	54.60

TABLE – 7

<u>Cumulative Imports by Group/Commodities</u>

		(100.0	% Change
Commodities	Jul-Jun, 2017-18	Jul-Jun, 2016-17	
			Jul-Jun, 2016-17
Total	6,694,896.67	5,539,720.59	20.85
A-Food Group	384,017.91	389,843.36	-1.49
1 Palm oil	223,878.67	199,473.33	12.23
2 Tea	60,368.49	54,839.50	10.08
3 Pulses	58,780.21	99,721.32	-41.06
4 Milk & milk food for infants	26,307.04	22,954.76	14.60
5 Soyabean oil	14,683.50	12,854.45	14.23
B-Machinery & Trans. Group	1,745,028.34	1,571,759.16	11.02
1 Machinery	1,282,398.12	1,239,209.85	3.49
2 Transport equipment	462,630.22	332,549.31	39.12
C-Petroleum Group	1,289,222.30	982,619.09	31.20
1 Petroleum products	821,230.42	715,938.77	14.71
2 Petroleum crude	467,991.88	266,680.32	75.49
D-Textile Group	132,840.87	117,227.65	13.32
1 Synthetic & artificial silk yarn	72,995.98	66,478.28	9.80
2 Synthetic fibre	59,844.89	50,749.37	17.92
E-Chemical Group	983,359.58	796,180.56	23.51
1 Chemicals (excl. 2, 3 & 4)	755,196.31	610,327.53	23.74
2 Medicinal products	118,122.37	102,109.50	15.68
3 Fertilizer manufactured	90,878.70	67,063.50	35.51
4 Insecticide	19,162.20	16,680.03	14.88
F-Metal Group	442,504.64	339,410.11	30.37
1 Iron & steel	268,439.24	222,074.33	20.88
2 Iron & steel scrap	174,065.40		
G-Miscellaneous Group	97,445.23	92,053.84	5.86
1 Paper & paper products	63,274.46	55,321.62	
2 Tyres & tubes	34,170.77	36,732.22	
Others	1,620,477.80	-	

#### II - DIRECTION OF IMPORTS

During the month of June, 2018 the share of European Union in total imports was 9.28% as against 10.04% in June, 2017. The share of North America during June, 2018 was 6.14% as against 5.54% in June, 2017. The share of Middle East during June, 2018 was 30.20% as against 27.16% in June, 2017. Country-wise China was at the top of the import list for June, 2018 followed by United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, U.S. America, Indonesia and Japan. The share of these six countries in total exports for June, 2018 was 59.74% as against 57.98% in June, 2017.

During July-June, 2017-18 the share of European Union in total imports was 10.67%. The share of North America decreased to 5.89% from 6.22% during the same period of last year. The share of Middle East increased to 27.35% from 25.62% during the same period of last year. Country-wise China was top on the import list followed by United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, U.S.A., Indonesia and Japan during July-June, 2017-18. The combined share of these six countries in total imports during this period was 57.41% as against their combined share of 59.80% during the same period of last year.

TABLE – 9

MONTHLY & CUMMULATIVE IMPORTS BY TERRITORIES/REGIONS

	Countries	Jun, 20	)18	Jun, 20	)17	Jul-Jun, 2	017-18	Jul-Jun, 2	016-17
	Countries	Value	% Share	Value	% Share	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
	TOTAL	672,111.94	100.00	472,727.44	100.00	6,694,896.67	100.00	5,539,720.59	100.00
1	Latin & Central America	5,801.05	0.86	811.14	0.17	17,233.75	0.26	9,582.63	0.17
2	South America	11,434.20	1.70	12,995.27	2.75	98,968.62	1.48	78,964.88	1.43
3	North America	41,289.53	6.14	26,183.50	5.54	394,091.57	5.89	344,843.66	6.22
4	Eastern Europe	6,494.39	0.97	7,198.95	1.52	65,999.99	0.99	61,258.79	1.11
5	European Union	62,356.05	9.28	47,483.82	10.04	714,438.16	10.67	593,824.35	10.72
6	E.F.T.A	2163.66	0.32	2741.3	0.58	45558.79	0.68	28,844.91	0.52
7	Other Europe	35.99	0.01	76.84	0.02	558.9	0.01	2,594.45	0.05
8	Middle East	202,994.55	30.20	128,389.79	27.16	1,831,352.93	27.35	1,419,161.65	25.62
	Asian Countries	201,311.78	29.95	126,975.17	26.86	1,810,237.06	27.04	1,396,173.37	25.20
	African Countries	1,682.77	0.25	1,414.62	0.30	21,115.87	0.32	22,988.28	0.41
9	Other Asia	304,183.26	45.26	227,451.71	48.11	3,190,348.69	47.65	2,747,919.08	49.60
10	Other Africa	31,043.25	4.62	14,732.95	3.12	282,598.37	4.22	183,979.39	3.32
11	Oceania	4,316.00	0.64	4,662.17	0.99	53,746.90	0.80	68,746.81	1.24

TABLE – 10

MONTHLY IMPORTS FROM MAJOR COUNTRIES

		Jun, 20	18	Jun, 20	Jun, 2017			
	Countries	Value	% Share	Value	% Share			
	TOTAL	672,111.94	100.00	472,727.44	100.00			
1	China	158,320.09	24.02	130,841.70	28.51			
2	United Arab Emirates	119,950.46	18.19	66,308.75	14.45			
3	Saudi Arabia	38,547.11	5.86	19,539.70	4.25			
4	U.S.America	30,995.23	4.70	21,700.82	4.73			
5	Indonesia	28,127.96	4.27	19,421.90	4.23			
6	Japan	25,560.62	3.88	16,258.15	3.54			
7	India	19,509.23	2.96	12,168.00	2.65			
8	Qatar	16,935.08	2.56	16,042.28	3.49			
9	Thailand	16,637.47	2.52	10,960.44	2.39			
10	Germany	14,896.99	2.26	8,061.38	1.77			
11	Korea, Republic of	14,091.10	2.14	6,253.15	1.36			
12	Malaysia	11,743.59	1.79	10,190.47	2.22			
13	South Africa	11,698.24	1.78	8,948.01	1.95			
14	Kuwait	11,488.33	1.75	11,218.93	2.45			
15	Canada	10,294.06	1.55	4,482.68	0.97			
16	Brazil	10,279.63	1.55	10,424.28	2.27			
17	Singapore	9,609.38	1.45	7,645.13	1.66			
18	Italy	9,489.90	1.43	5,571.25	1.22			
19	United Kingdom	9,050.03	1.37	6,619.45	1.44			
20	Europien Union	6,782.44	1.03	4,838.01	1.06			
	* O T H E R S	91,451.08	13.87	68,242.19	14.88			

TABLE – 11

<u>CUMMULATIVE IMPORTS FROM MAJOR COUNTRIES</u>

	-	(value III IIIIIIIII NS.)			
Countries		Jul-Jun, 2017-18		Jul-Jun, 2016-17	
		Value	% Share	Value	% Share
	TOTAL	6,694,896.67	100.00	5,539,720.59	100.00
1	China	1,731,865.40	25.87	1,584,415.90	28.58
2	United Arab Emirates	893,253.05	13.34	774,470.76	13.98
3	Saudi Arabia	356,424.07	5.32	227,705.27	4.11
4	U.S.America	316,416.95	4.73	267,851.44	4.84
5	Indonesia	278,478.92	4.16	240,440.73	4.34
6	Japan	267,102.80	3.99	217,917.95	3.93
7	Qatar	212,240.04	3.17	131,257.54	2.37
8	India	207,520.75	3.10	178,170.46	3.22
9	Kuwait	159,693.82	2.39	141,868.02	2.56
10	Thailand	152,175.98	2.27	116,126.66	2.10
11	Germany	146,426.52	2.19	114,305.94	2.06
12	Malaysia	132,031.44	1.97	100,244.00	1.81
13	South Africa	131,537.68	1.96	84,108.61	1.52
14	Singapore	114,166.38	1.71	80,729.05	1.46
15	Korea, Republic of	106,837.61	1.60	78,403.25	1.42
16	Netherlands	100,222.35	1.50	54,432.34	0.98
17	Oman	90,303.12	1.35	46,427.77	0.84
18	United Kingdom	86,389.15	1.29	71,190.12	1.29
19	Europien Union	81,679.77	1.22	73,523.00	1.33
20	Brazil	75,056.71	1.12	49,080.40	0.89
	* O T H E R S	1,055,074.24	15.76	907,051.78	16.37

## **III – IMPORTS BY ECONOMIC CATEGORIES**

Imports of Consumer Goods during June, 2018 increased by 31.58%, Raw Material for Consumer Goods by 61.53%, Capital Goods by 19.18% and Raw Material for Capital Goods by 49.34% over June, 2017. Their respective share in total imports were 13.53%, 49.12%, 27.34 and 10.01% respectively for June, 2018.

During July-June, 2017-18 Imports of Consumer Goods increased by 9.05%, Raw Material for Consumer Good by 30.90%, Capital Goods by 10.42% and Raw Material Goods by 40.37%. Meanwhile the share of Consumer Goods in total imports for the period July-June, 2017-18 stood at 15.99%, Raw Material for Consumer Good at 43.00%, Capital Goods at 31.14% and Raw Material for Capital Goods at 9.87%.

TABLE – 11

Import by Economic Categories

Economic Category	Jun, 2018	Jun, 2017	Jul-Jun, 2017-18	Jul-Jun, 2016-17
TOTAL	672,111.94	472,727.44	6,694,896.67	5,539,720.59
1. CONSUMER GOODS	90,918.37	69,097.54	1,070,538.97	981,732.90
% SHARE IN TOTAL IMPORTS.	13.53	14.62	15.99	14.66
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2. RAW MATERIAL FOR CONSUMER GOODS	330,118.11	204,368.95	2,878,787.63	2,199,168.85
% SHARE IN TOTAL EXPORTS.	49.12	43.23	43.00	39.70
3. RAW MATERIAL FOR CAPITAL GOODS	67,301.37	45,066.38	660,986.27	470,890.94
% SHARE IN TOTAL IMPORTS.	10.01	9.53	9.87	8.50
4. CAPITAL GOODS	183,774.09	154,194.57	2,084,583.80	1,887,927.91
% SHARE IN TOTAL IMPORTS.	27.34	32.62	31.14	34.08