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SUMMARY**November, 2012**

Exports
Imports
Balance of Trade

(Rupees in Million)
(U.S. Dollars in Million)

Series	November, 2012		October, 2012		% Change	
					<u>November, 2012</u> <u>October, 2012</u>	
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
Exports	181,960.30	1,895.57	192,115.16	2,014.87	-5.29	-5.92
Imports	346,228.90	3,606.83	361,404.74	3,790.35	-4.20	-4.84
*Balance of Trade	-164,268.60	-1,711.26	-169,289.58	-1,775.48	-4.97	-3.62

Series	November, 2012		November, 2011		% Change	
					<u>November, 2012</u> <u>November, 2011</u>	
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
Exports	181,960.30	1,895.57	133,278.53	1,533.14	36.53	23.64
Imports	346,228.90	3,606.83	321,054.75	3,693.19	7.84	-2.34
*Balance of Trade	-164,268.60	-1,711.26	-187,776.22	-2,160.05	-12.52	-20.78

Series	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011		% Change	
					<u>July – Nov, 2012</u> <u>July – Nov, 2011</u>	
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
Exports	954,614.90	10,054.99	811,092.56	9,347.63	17.69	7.57
Imports	1,732,942.09	18,249.80	1,598,529.60	18,416.60	8.41	-0.91
* Balance of Trade	-778,327.19	-8,194.81	-787,437.04	-9,068.97	-1.16	-9.64

Note: * Balance of Trade dose not included Re-Exports & Re-Imports.

Review of Foreign Trade November, 2012

EXPORTS

The total Exports of Pakistan during November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 181,960.30 million as against Rs. 192,115.16 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 133,278.53 million during November, 2011 showing a decrease of 5.29% over October, 2012 while higher by 36.53% November, 2011.

Exports during July – November 2012 totalled Rs. 954,614.90 million as against Rs. 811,092.56 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 17.69 percent.

In terms of U.S dollars, the exports during November, 2012 amounted to \$ 1,895.57 million as against \$ 2,014.87 million in October, 2012 and \$1,533.14 million during November, 2011 showing a decrease of 5.92% over October, 2012 while higher by 23.64% over November, 2011.

In terms of U.S. dollars, the exports during Exports during July –November, 2012 totaled \$ 10,054.99 million as against \$ 9,347.63 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 7.57 percent.

IMPORTS

Imports into Pakistan during November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 346,228.90 million as against the imports of Rs. 361,404.74 million in the previous month and Rs. 321,054.75 million during the corresponding month of last year showing a decrease of 4.20% over previous month while higher by 7.84% over the corresponding month of last year.

Imports during July – November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 1,732,942.09 million as against Rs. 1,598,529.60 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 8.41 percent.

In terms of US dollars, the imports during November 2012 amounted to \$ 3,606.83 million as against \$ 3,790.35 million in October 2012 and \$ 3,693.19 million during showing a decrease of 4.84% over October 2012 and by 2.34% over November 2012.

In term of U.S. dollars, the imports during July – November, 2012 amounted \$ 18,249.80 million as against \$ 18,416.60 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 0.91 percent.

Based on the above figures of exports & imports the balance of trade in November, 2012 was unfavourable for Pakistan to the tune of 778,327.19 million rupees equal to US \$ 8,194.81 million, and the balance of trade during July – November, 2012 was also unfavourable to the tune of 787,437.04 million rupees equal to U.S. \$ 9,068.97 million.

I - Exports by Group/Commodities

The total Exports of Pakistan during November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 181,960.30 million as against Rs. 192,115.16 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 133,278.53 million during November, 2011 showing a decrease of 5.29% over October, 2012 while an increase by 36.53% November, 2011.

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Comparative figure of exports by group/commodities during November, 2012 compared to October, 2012 and November, 2011 are given in table-1 and cumulative exports for the period July – November, 2012 of current financial year compared to the corresponding period of last year are given in table-2.

Primary Commodities

During November, 2012 the 6 selected commodities of Primary Commodities contributed 11.19% of total exports in which the share of Rice was (7.15%), Fruit, vegetables & preparation thereof (1.81%) and Fish & fish preparation (1.46%).

During July – November, 2012 these 6 commodities contributed 9.41% of total exports showing a decrease of 21.65% as against their combined share of 12.01% during the corresponding period of last year.

Textile Manufactures

During November, 2012 the 9 selected commodities of Textile Manufactures contributed 50.50% of total exports in which the share of Cotton fabrics was (10.58%), Cotton yarn (10.32%), Knitwear (7.69%), Articles of apparel & clothing accessories (excl. knitwear) (7.65%) and Bed-wear (6.97%).

During July – November, 2012 these 9 commodities contributed 50.82% of total exports showing a decrease of 0.10% as against their combined share of 50.87% during the corresponding period of last year.

Other Manufactures

During November, 2012 the 7 selected commodities of Other Manufactures contributed 8.17% of total exports in which the share of Leather clothes & accessories was (2.22%), Leather (2.11%), surgical instrument (1.28%), Sports goods (1.26%) and Carpets, carpets rugs & mats (0.80%).

During July – November, 2012 these 7 commodities contributed 7.68% of total exports showing a decrease of 43.82% as against their combined share of 13.67% during the corresponding period of last year.

Table - 1
Monthly Exports by Group/Commodities

(MillionRs.)

Commodities	November, 2012	October, 2012	November, 2011	% Change	
				Nov, 2012 Oct, 2012	Nov, 2012 Nov, 2011
Total	181,960.30	192,115.16	133,115.16	-5.29	+36.53
A. Primary Commodities	20,368.37	21,026.56	20,710.74	-3.13	-1.65
1. Rice	13,001.30	11,980.73	11,821.00	+8.52	+9.98
2. Fruits, vegetables & preparation thereof	3,292.97	2,519.99	2,496.48	+30.67	+31.90
3. Fish & fish preparation	2,651.87	3,366.74	2,482.03	-21.23	+6.84
4. Raw cotton (excl. linters)	1,126.26	3,059.70	3,754.06	-63.19	-70.00
5. Tobacco un-manufactured	270.44	74.81	150.39	+261.50	+79.83
6. Raw wool	25.53	24.59	6.78	+3.82	+276.55
B. Textile Manufactures	91,881.40	99,029.91	65,459.38	-7.22	+40.36
1. Cotton fabric	19,247.64	20,591.04	12,868.70	-6.52	+49.57
2. Cotton Yarn	18,777.18	16,356.68	11,840.38	+14.80	+58.59
3. Knitwear	13,992.06	16,907.46	9,677.23	-17.24	+44.59
4. Articles of apparel and clothing accessories (excl. knitwear)	13,924.37	14,736.15	10,984.33	-5.51	+26.77
5. Bed-wear	12,677.93	14,531.61	9,741.83	-12.76	+30.14
6. Towels	5,235.41	6,634.69	3,091.78	-21.09	+69.33
7. Textile made up (excl. towels & bedwear)	4,017.20	4,785.26	3,221.28	-16.05	+24.72
8. Synthetic textile fabrics	3,223.42	3,656.09	3,263.90	-11.83	-1.24
9. Tarpaulin & other canvas goods	786.19	830.93	770.47	-5.38	+2.05
C. Other Manufactures	14,874.57	14,996.52	17681.11	-0.81	-15.87
1. Petroleum products	4,031.37	4,972.55	6,037.20	-18.93	+23.61
2. Leather clothes & accessories	3,831.56	3,316.77	3,261.44	+15.52	+21.01
3. Leather	2,333.23	2,660.54	3,166.36	-12.30	+20.26
4. Surgical instruments	2,296.43	2,581.81	1,940.08	-11.05	+33.83
5. Sports goods (excl. toys)	1,460.40	899.43	1,715.90	+62.37	+27.56
6. Carpets, carpeting, rugs & mats	854.76	564.85	1,144.85	+51.33	+105.74
7. Footwear	66.82	0.57	421.00	11622.81	-98.89
Others	54,835.96	57,062.17	29427.30	-3.90	+86.34

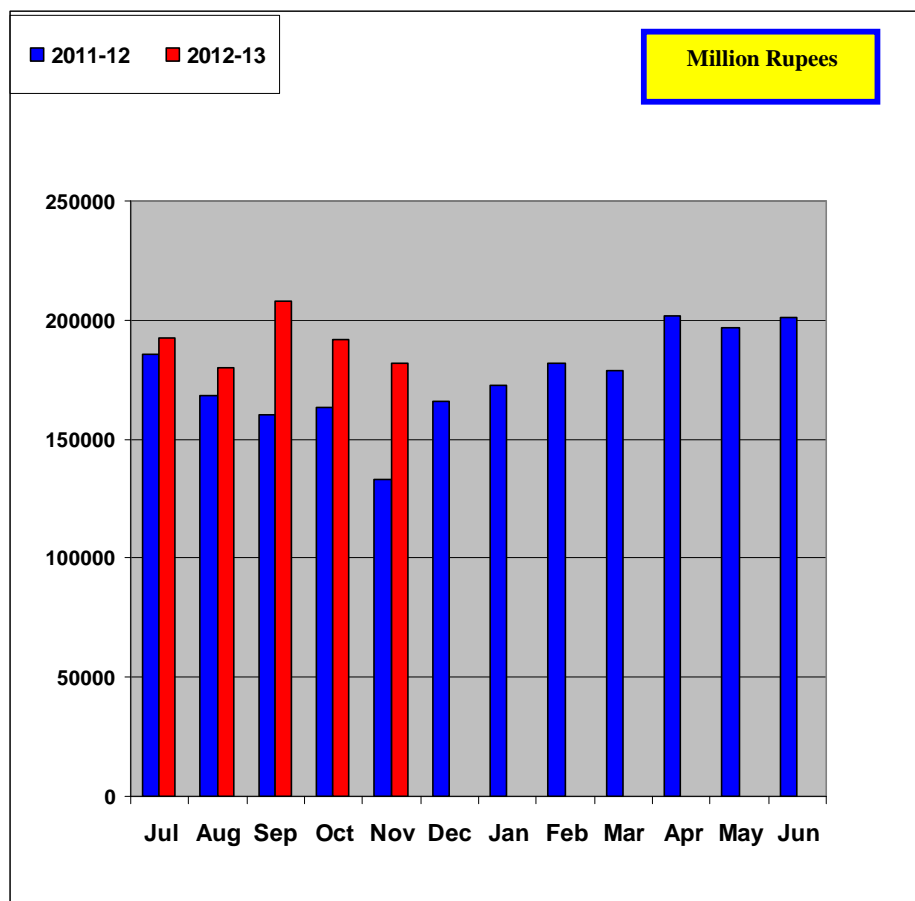
MONTHLY EXPORTS FROM PAKISTAN

Table - 2

Cumulative Exports by Group/Commodities

(Million Rs.)

Commodities	July – November, 2012	July – November, 2011	% Change
			July – November, 2012 July – November, 2011
<i>Total</i>	<i>954,614.90</i>	<i>811,092.56</i>	<i>+17.69</i>
<i>A. Primary Commodities</i>	<i>89,821.82</i>	<i>97,408.09</i>	<i>-7.79</i>
1. Rice	55,008.34	62,015.46	-11.30
2. Fruits, Vegetables and Preparation thereof	15,661.93	12,949.22	+20.95
3. Fish & fish preparation	12,012.09	10,923.02	+9.97
4. Raw Cotton (excl. linters)	6,534.21	10,746.28	-39.20
5. Tobacco un-manufactured	476.16	664.92	-28.39
6. Raw wool	129.09	109.19	+18.23
<i>B. Textile Manufactures</i>	<i>485,104.22</i>	<i>412,625.87</i>	<i>+17.57</i>
1. Cotton fabrics	104,454.90	84,570.32	+23.51
2. Cotton yarn	86,278.13	56,428.17	+52.90
3. Knitwear	85,238.54	78,040.63	+9.22
4. Bed-wear	69,562.00	69,985.96	-0.61
5. Articles of apparel & clothing accessories (excl. knitwear)	68,380.73	56,685.11	+20.63
6. Towels	29,908.35	23,800.29	+25.66
7. Textile made up (excl. towels & bedwear)	22,562.93	20,652.26	+9.25
8. Synthetic textile fabrics	14,834.22	19,418.31	-23.61
9. Tarpaulin & other canvas goods	3,884.42	3,044.26	+27.60
<i>C. Other Manufactures</i>	<i>73,283.09</i>	<i>110,905.90</i>	<i>-33.92</i>
1. Leather clothes & accessories	22,728.86	21,430.63	+6.06
2. Leather	17,491.06	15,319.49	+14.18
3. Surgical instruments	12,052.16	10,709.21	+12.54
4. Sports goods (excl. toys)	11,944.01	10,765.69	+10.95
5. Carpets, carpeting, rugs & mats	5,210.50	4,664.38	+11.71
6. Footwear	3,771.15	3,396.27	+11.22
7. Petroleum Products	85.35	44,622.43	-99.81
<i>Others</i>	<i>306,405.77</i>	<i>190,152.70</i>	<i>+61.13</i>

II – Analysis of Selected Commodities of Exports

Cotton Fabrics

Cotton fabrics maintained its first position in its group during November, 2012 as the position in the previous month. During this month its exports amounted to Rs. 19,247.64 million as against Rs. 20,591.04 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 12,868.70 million during November, 2011 showing a decrease of 6.52% over October, 2012 while higher by 49.57% over November, 2011.

During July – November, 2012 of current financial year 763,084 thousand sq. meters of cotton fabrics valued at Rs. 104,454.90 million were exported as against 817,951 thousand sq. meters valued at Rs. 84,570.32 million during the same period of last year showing a decrease of 6.71% in terms of quantity while higher by 23.51% in terms of value. During July – November, 2012 the average unit price of cotton fabrics increased to Rs.110.83 per sq. meter from Rs. 96.45 per sq. meter during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 14.91 percent. Main buyers of cotton fabrics during July – November, 2012 of current financial year were Bangladesh (Rs.17,661.69 million), China (Rs.13,621.29 million), Turkey (Rs.6,145.06 million) Italy (Rs.4,855.40million),U.S.A(Rs.4,263.65million),Sri Lanka (Rs.3,605.20million), Egypt (UAR)(Rs.3,421.23million), Germany (Rs.3,321.09million), Russian Federation (Rs.3,250.31million), Korea Rep.of (Rs.2,789.65million), Spain (Rs.2,772.69million), United Kingdom (Rs.2,693.60million) and South Africa (Rs.2,451.25million). Their total take-off accounted for 67.83% of total exports of cotton cloth as compared to their combined share of 65.40% during the same period of last year.

Variety-wise exports of cotton fabrics during July – November, 2012 of current financial year and the corresponding period of last year are given below.

(Quantity in '000' Sq. M.)
(Value in million Rs.)

Commodity	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total	838,845	104,454.90	763,084	84,570.32
1. Cotton fabrics grey	353,079	40,520.05	312,581	34,253.17
2. Cotton prints	98,343	13,325.13	95,534	10,350.81
3. Cotton sheetings	43,646	5,352.88	38,443	4,235.75
4. Canvas cloth water proof	141,658	18,106.85	161,169	18,096.70
5. Drill & Jeans (Denime)	145,497	20,500.51	120,632	13,930.75
Other cotton fabrics	56,623	6,649.48	34,725	3,703.14

Cotton Yarn

Cotton yarn came up to second position in its group during November, 2012 from its third position in the previous month. Its exports in this month amounted to Rs. 18,777.18 million as against Rs. 16,356.68 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 11,840.38 million in November, 2011 showing an increase of 14.80% over October, 2012 and by 58.59% over November, 2011.

During July – November, 2012 exports of cotton yarn amounted to Rs. 86,278.13 million as against Rs. 56,428.17 million in the corresponding period of last year depicting a rise of 52.90 percent. In terms of quantity 197,935 thousand Kg. of cotton yarn was exported during July – November, 2012 of current financial year as against 219,740 thousand Kg. during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 9.92 percent. The average unit price of cotton yarn for the period July – November, 2012 of current financial year was Rs. 285.08 per Kg. as against Rs. 288.61 per Kg. in the same period of last year showing an increase of 1.22 percent.

China (Rs. 60,118.58 million), Hong Kong (Rs. 6,614.57 million), Bangladesh (Rs. 4,512.34million), Korea Rep.of (Rs. 2,174.99 million), Japan (Rs. 1,841.81 million) Portugal (Rs. 1,522.10 million) and Turkey (Rs. 1,426.36 million), were major buyers of cotton yarn during this period. Their combined share accounted for 90.65% of total exports of cotton yarn as compared to their combined share of 82.15% during the same period of last year.

Variety-wise exports of cotton yarn in terms of quantity and value during July–November, 2012 of the current financial year and corresponding period of last year are given below:-

Commodity	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total	303,778	86,278.13	197,935	56,428.17
1. Cotton yarn single Combed/uncombed	263,642	73,720.06	166,138	46,274.25
2. Cotton yarn multiple Combed/uncombed	40,034	12,516.79	31,674	10,110.33
Cotton yarn N.S.	102	41.28	123	43.59

(Quantity in '000' Kg.)
(Value in million Rs.)

Rice

Rice maintained its first position in its group during November, 2012 as in the previous month. In this month it fetched Rs. 13,001.30 million as against Rs. 11,980.73 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 11,821.00 million in November, 2011 showing an increase of 8.52% over October, 2012 and by 9.98% over November, 2011.

During July – November, 2012 its exports amounted to Rs. 55,008.34 million as against the exports of Rs. 62,015.46 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 11.30 percent. U.A.E. was the leading buyer of rice during July – November, 2012 with its share of 15.01% in the total exports of this item. Other major buyers were Afghanistan (9.88%), Kenya (7.02%), Oman (5.96%), Qatar (4.50%), Somalia (4.41%) and Iran (Islamic Rep.) (3.91%). These seven countries accounted for 50.69% of total exports of rice during this period.

Exports of rice to major countries during July – November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below.

Commodity	(Quantity in 'tonnes) (Value in million Rs.)			
	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
<i>Total</i>	964,069	55,008.34	1,114,960	62,015.46
1. China	190,993	7,975.22	1,627	75.01
2. U.A.E.	70,765	5,979.19	127,699	9,310.22
3. Afghanistan	73,173	5,236.39	105,005	6,124.89
4. Kenya	99,991	4,351.55	107,961	4,352.71
5. Oman	46,560	4,016.63	46,359	3,695.89
6. Saudi Arabia	41,481	3,106.66	36,535	2,426.75
7. Mozambique	44,166	2,096.49	38,934	1,765.35
Others	396,940	22,264.21	650,837	34,264.63

Unit price of rice basmati for November, 2012 was Rs. 78,090.64 per tonne as against Rs. 70,016.77 in November, 2011 showing a rise of 11.53 percent. Average unit price of this variety for July – November, 2012 of current financial year was Rs. 77,254.72 per tonne as against Rs. 68,278.52 for the same period of last year showing a rise of 13.15 percent.

Unit price of rice "Other Varieties" increased to Rs. 43,192.49 per tonne in November, 2012 from Rs. 43,099.78 in November, 2011 showing a rise of 0.22 percent. The average unit price of rice "Other Varieties" for July – November, 2012 at Rs. 43,285.34 per tonne was also rise of 13.13% compared to average unit price of Rs. 38,261.24 per tonne for the same period of last year.

Variety-wise exports of rice in terms of quantity and value are given below:-

(Quantity in tonnes.)
(Value in million Rs.)

Variety/period	Quantity	Value	Unit value
			(Rs. Per tonne)
Rice Basmati			
November, 2012	38,362	3,496.81	91,152.88
November, 2011	52,237	4,079.22	78,090.64
July – November, 2012	251,559	22,906.01	91,056.19
July – November, 2011	404,895	31,280.05	77,254.72
Rice other varieties			
November, 2012	214,314	9,504.49	44,348.43
November, 2011	179,239	7,741.78	43,192.49
July – November, 2012	712,510	32,102.33	45,055.28
July – November, 2011	710,065	30,735.41	43,285.34

Petroleum Products

Petroleum products maintained its seventh position in its group during November, 2012 as in the previous month. In this month its exports amounted to Rs. 66.82 million as against Rs. 0.57 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 6,037.20 million in November, 2011 showing an increase of 11,622.81% over October, 2012 but a decrease of 98.89% over November, 2011.

Exports of this item during July – November, 2012 of current financial year stood at Rs. 85.35 million as against exports of Rs. 44,622.43 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 99.81 percent.

In terms of quantity 486,131 tonnes of petroleum products were exported during July – November, 2012 of current financial year as against 622,709 tonnes exported during the corresponding period of last year showing a decrease of 21.93 percent.

The main buyers of petroleum products during July – November, 2012 were Afghanistan (Rs. 49.60 million) Tanzania (Rs. 24.25 million) and Bangladesh (Rs. 6.44 million). These three countries accounted for 94.07% of total exports of petroleum products during July – November, 2012 as against their combined share of 50.55% during the same period of last year.

Quantity and value of exports of petroleum products during July–November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below:-

Commodity	(Quantity in tonnes) (Value in million Rs.)			
	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total	1,114	85.35	486,131	44,622.43
Petroleum Top-Neptha	–	–	247,720	21,651.31
Other petroleum products	1,114	85.35	238,411	22,971.12

(–) Indicate nil.

Leather

Leather maintained its second position in its group during November, 2012 as in the previous month. Its exports in this month amounted to Rs. 3,831.56 million as against Rs. 3,316.77 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 3,166.32 million in November, 2011 showing an increase of 15.52% over October, 2012 and by 21.01% over November, 2011.

Exports of this item during July – November, 2012 totaled Rs. 17,491.06 million as against Rs. 15,319.44 million during the corresponding period of last year showing a rise of 14.18 percent. In terms of quantity 10,446,967 sq. meter of leather was exported during July – November, 2012 as against 10,225,693 sq. meters exported during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 2.16 percent.

The main buyers of leather during July – November, 2012 were Hong Kong (Rs. 5,337.40 million), China (Rs. 2,484.00 million), Italy (Rs.1,794.38 million), Korea Rep. of (Rs. 1,443.04 million), Viet Nam (Rs. 991.63 million), Germany (Rs.599.11 million) Spain (Rs.455.96 million) Turkey (Rs. 436.26 million) and India (Rs. 383.75 million), whose combined share in total exports of leather was 79.62% as against their combined share of 78.21% during the same period of last year.

Quantity and value of exports of leather during July – November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below: -

(Quantity in sq. meters)
(Value in million Rs.)

Commodity	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total	10,446,967	17,491.06	10,225,693	15,319.44
Tanned/curst hide/skin bovine ani.	321,543	465.46	165,292	251.96
Tanned/curst dress bovine ani.	4,899,224	8,310.81	3,826,329	5,853.42
Tanned/curst hide/skin sheep/lamb	23,396	31.59	54,727	84.44
Tanned/curst dress sheep/lamb	1,495,596	2,526.79	1,402,991	2,140.25
Tanned/curst hide/skin goat/kids	3,626	5.72	2,131	3.39
Tanned/curst dress goat/kids	3,158,645	5,244.58	3,489,440	4,948.15
Leather ns	544,937	906.10	1,284,783	2,037.88

Carpets, Carpeting, Rugs & Mats

Carpets, carpeting, rugs and mats maintained its fifth position in its group during November, 2012 as in the previous month. Its exports in November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 1,460.40 million as against Rs. 899.43 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 1,144.85 million in November, 2011 showing an increase of 62.37% over October, 2012 and by 27.56% over November, 2011.

Exports of this item for July – November, 2012 of current financial year amounted to Rs. 5,210.50 million as against Rs. 4,664.38 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 11.71 percent.

In terms of quantity 1,491,004 sq. meters of carpets, carpeting, rugs & mats were exported during July – November, 2012 of current financial year as against 864,789 sq. meters exported during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 72.41 percent.

The average unit price of carpets of wool hand knotted was Rs. 4,112.52 per sq. meter during July– November, 2012 as against Rs. 5,706.08 per sq. meter in the corresponding period of last year showing a fall of 27.93 percent. U.S.A. (Rs. 2,132.77 million), Turkey (Rs. 388.26 million), Germany (Rs.323.51 million), Italy (Rs. 316.34 million), Japan (Rs. 300.41 million), United Kingdom (Rs. 255.78 million), France (Rs. 218.27 million), South Africa (Rs.215.89 million) and Canada (Rs. 107.78 million), were the main buyers of carpets, carpeting, rugs & mats during July – November, 2012. They together accounted for 81.74% during July – November, 2012 as compared to their combined share of 74.57% during the same period of last year.

Quantity and value of exports of carpets, carpeting, rugs & mats during July-November, 2012 and corresponding period of last year are given below.

Commodity	(Quantity in sq. meters) (Value in million Rs.)			
	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Total	1,405,145	5,210.50	1,495,846	4,664.38
Carpets of wool (hand knotted)	971,007	4,917.61	1,051,119	4,322.75
Other carpets, carpeting, rugs & mats	434,138	292.89	444,727	341.63

Raw Cotton

Raw Cotton came down to fourth position in its group during November, 2012 from its third position in the previous month. Its exports in this month amounted to Rs. 1,126.26million as against Rs. 3,059.70 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 3,754.06 million in November, 2011 showing a decrease of 63.19% over October, 2012 and by 70.00% over November, 2011.

Exports of this item during July – November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 6,534.21 million as against Rs. 10,746.28 million showing a decrease of 39.20% compared to the same period of last year. In terms of quantity 59,900 tonnes of raw cotton was exported during July – November, 2012 as against 66,659 tonnes exported during the same period of last year showing a decrease of 10.14 percent.

The main buyers of raw cotton during July – November, 2012 were Viet Nam (Rs. 1,898.26 million), Bangladesh (Rs. 1,610.94 million), Indonesia (Rs. 919.31million), India (Rs. 896.05 million) and China (Rs. 884.32 million). They together accounted for 95.02% of total exports of raw cotton during July – November, 2012 as against their combined share of 81.05% during the corresponding period of last year.

Quantity and value data of exports of raw cotton during July – November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below: -

(Quantity in `Tonnes'.)
(Value in million Rs.)

Commodity	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
<i>Total</i>	<i>40,613</i>	<i>6,534.21</i>	<i>59,900</i>	<i>10,746.28</i>
1. Cotton American	–	–	–	–
2. Cotton Egyptian	–	–	48	16.47
Others	40,613	6,534.21	59,852	10,729.81

(–) Indicate nil.

III - Direction of Exports

Exports by Territories/Regions and Major countries during November, 2012 compared with November, 2011 are given in table 3 & 4 and cumulative Exports by Territories/Regions and Major countries for the period July – November, 2012 of the current financial year compared with the same period of last year are given in table 5 & 6 respectively.

During the month of November, 2012, (22.28%) of total exports went to European Union as against 23.38% in November, 2011. The share of North America during November, 2012 was 15.06% as against 13.46% in November, 2011. The share of Middle East during November, 2012 was 17.25% as against 17.38% in November, 2011. Country-wise, U.S.A. was at the top of the exports list for November, 2012 followed by China, Afghanistan, U.A.E United Kingdom and Germany. The share of these six countries in total exports for November, 2012 was 55.60% as against their combined share of 53.49% in November, 2011.

During July – November, 2012 the share of European Union in total Exports was 21.50% as against 24.91% in November, 2011. The share of North America decreased to 16.54% from 16.89% during the same period of last year. The share of Middle East increased to 20.91% from 17.08% during the same period of last year.

Country-wise, U.S.A. was at the top of the exports list for July – November, 2012 followed by U.A.E., China, Afghanistan, United Kingdom and Germany. The share of these six countries in total exports for July –November, 2012 of the current financial year was 56.55% as against their combined share of 53.15% in the same period of last year.

Table - 3**Monthly Exports by Territories/Regions**

(Million Rs.)

Territories/Regions	November, 2012		November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	<i>181,960.30</i>	<i>100.00</i>	<i>133,278.53</i>	<i>100.00</i>
1. Latin & Central America	1,476.37	0.81	947.32	0.71
2. South America	2,564.73	1.41	1,707.12	1.28
3. North America	27,402.05	15.06	17,944.32	13.46
4. Eastern Europe	1,818.34	1.00	1,941.66	1.46
5. European Union	40,556.45	22.29	31,161.57	23.38
6. E.F.T.A	449.83	0.25	335.24	0.25
7. Other Europe	160.06	0.09	97.42	0.07
8. Middle East	31,390.30	17.25	23,169.15	17.38
i) Asian Countries	28,469.94	15.65	20,944.47	15.71
ii) African Countries	2,920.36	1.61	2,224.68	1.67
9. Other Asia	65,022.12	35.74	48,714.18	36.55
10. Other Africa	9,484.76	5.21	5,890.12	4.42
11. Oceania	1,635.30	0.90	1,370.45	1.03

Table - 4

Monthly Exports to Major Countries

(Million Rs.)

Countries	November, 2012		November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	<i>181,960.30</i>	<i>100.00</i>	<i>133,278.53</i>	<i>100.00</i>
1. U.S.A.	25,837.66	14.20	16,639.54	12.48
2. China	22,160.35	12.18	12,945.40	9.71
3. Afghanistan	18,386.44	10.10	14,527.52	10.90
4. U.A.E.	17,481.71	9.61	12,921.05	9.69
5. United Kingdom	10,214.84	5.61	6,538.24	4.91
6. Germany	7,092.73	3.90	7,726.60	5.80
7. Bangladesh	5,155.82	2.83	3,576.17	2.68
8. Belgium	3,916.06	2.15	2,628.84	1.97
9. Spain	3,816.13	2.10	2,799.75	2.10
10. Saudi Arabia	3,777.64	2.08	2,001.35	1.50
11. Italy	3,700.27	2.03	3,246.82	2.44
12. Netherlands	3,441.12	1.89	2,553.44	1.92
13. Hong Kong	3,388.57	1.86	2,632.46	1.98
14. France	2,675.00	1.47	1,876.99	1.41
15. Turkey	2,586.85	1.42	1,767.07	1.33
16. Indonesia	2,221.22	1.22	1,432.22	1.07
17. India	2,168.73	1.19	1,492.47	1.12
18. Viet Nam	2,121.06	1.17	2,346.42	1.76
19. Korea, Rep of	2,106.75	1.16	2,398.42	1.80
20. Sri Lanka	2,081.99	1.14	1,651.22	1.24
Others	37,629.35	20.68	29,576.55	22.19

Table - 5**Cumulative Exports by Territories/Regions**

(Million Rs.)

Territories/Regions	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	<i>954,614.90</i>	<i>100.00</i>	<i>811,092.56</i>	<i>100.00</i>
1. Latin & Central America	7,819.15	0.82	6,715.90	0.83
2. South America	13,944.42	1.46	11,266.66	1.39
3. North America	157,889.49	16.54	136,966.28	16.89
4. Eastern Europe	10,099.52	1.06	8,769.17	1.08
5. European Union	205,254.44	21.50	202,082.85	24.91
6. E.F.T.A.	2,376.59	0.25	2,393.61	0.30
7. Other Europe	585.31	0.06	472.33	0.06
8. Middle East	199,566.25	20.91	138,502.12	17.08
i) Asian Countries	185,340.36	19.42	126,433.71	15.59
ii) African Countries	14,225.89	1.49	12,068.41	1.49
9. Other Asia	306,557.76	32.11	256,730.95	31.65
10. Other Africa	42,314.22	4.43	40,500.61	4.99
11. Oceania	8,207.73	0.86	6,692.10	0.83

Table - 6

Cumulative Exports to Major Countries

(Million Rs.)

Countries	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	954,614.90	100.00	811,092.56	100.00
1. U.S.A.	148,692.75	15.58	129,182.16	15.93
2. U.A.E.	126,556.42	13.26	71,781.63	8.85
3. China	99,958.66	10.47	57,759.93	7.12
4. Afghanistan	77,708.18	8.14	86,513.74	10.67
5. United Kingdom	50,002.27	5.24	43,792.43	5.40
6. Germany	36,819.96	3.86	42,022.53	5.18
7. Bangladesh	27,774.03	2.91	21,142.53	2.61
8. Spain	20,569.86	2.15	17,861.91	2.20
9. Belgium	20,070.93	2.10	21,094.06	2.60
10. Italy	19,004.82	1.99	22,225.60	2.74
11. Saudi Arabia	17,326.95	1.82	13,450.43	1.66
12. Netherlands	16,958.43	1.78	17,732.15	2.19
13. Hong Kong	15,096.53	1.58	12,550.67	1.55
14. Turkey	14,048.71	1.47	14,408.82	1.78
15. France	12,492.93	1.31	13,003.20	1.60
16. India	12,360.59	1.29	9,615.09	1.19
17. Viet Nam	11,282.87	1.18	9,635.42	1.19
18. South Africa	11,158.86	1.17	9,871.82	1.22
19. Sri Lanka	10,842.93	1.14	10,372.92	1.28
20. Malaysia	9,882.22	1.04	8,375.79	1.03
Others	196,005.96	20.53	178,699.73	22.03

IV - Exports by Economic Categories

Performance of exports by economic categories during November, 2012 and July – November, 2012 of the current financial year compared to the same period of last year are shown in table-7.

During November, 2012 exports of primary commodities increased by 13.68%, semi-manufactures by 68.44%, manufactured goods by 35.38% during the current month as compared to the same month of last year.

During July – November, 2012 exports of primary commodities were lower by 2.72%, while of Semi manufactures goods higher by 68.44% and manufactured good by 35.38% of as compared to the same period of last year.

Table - 7

Exports by Economic Categories

(Million Rs.)

Economic Category	November, 2012	November, 2011	July–November, 2012	July–November, 2011
Total:	181,960.30	133,278.53	954,614.90	811,092.56
1. Primary Commodities	25,040.66	22,028.07	118,876.82	122,205.85
% share in total exports	13.76	16.53	12.45	15.07
2. Semi- manufactures	32,153.63	19,089.32	143,768.27	94,162.31
% share in total exports	17.67	14.32	15.06	11.61
3. Manufactured goods	124,766.01	92,161.14	691,969.80	594,724.40
% share in total exports	68.57	69.15	72.49	73.32

I – Imports by Group/Commodities

Imports into Pakistan during November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 346,228.90 million as against the imports of Rs. 361,404.74 million in the previous month and Rs. 321,054.75 million during the corresponding month of last year showing a decrease of 4.20% over previous month while an increase of 20.10% over the corresponding month of last year.

Imports during July – November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 1,732,942.09 million as against Rs. 1,598,529.60 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 8.41 percent.

Comparative figures of imports by group/commodities during November, 2012, October, 2012 and November, 2011 are given in Table-8 and cumulative imports for July – November, 2012 of current financial year and the previous year are given in Table-9.

Food Group

During November, 2012 the 5 selected commodities of Food Group contributed 6.68% of total imports in which the share of Palm oil and Tea were 4.74% and 1.06% respectively.

During July – November, 2012 this group contributed 6.97% of total imports showing a decrease of 10.41% as against their combined share of 7.78% during the corresponding period of last year.

Machinery & Transport Group

During November, 2012 Machinery & Transport Group contributed 21.76% of total imports in which the share of Machinery and Transport equipment were 16.06% and 5.70% respectively.

During July – November, 2012 this Group contributed 18.70% of the total imports showing an increase of 21.43% as against their combined share of 15.40% during the corresponding period of last year.

Petroleum Group

During November, 2012 Petroleum Group contributed 32.79% of total imports in which the share of Petroleum products and Petroleum crude were 20.48% and 12.31% respectively.

During July – November, 2012 this group contributed 35.37% of total imports showing an increase of 3.36% as against their combined share of 34.22% during the corresponding period of last year.

Textile Group

During November, 2012 Textile Group contributed 2.31% of total imports in which the share of Synthetic & artificial silk yarn and Synthetic fiber were 1.40% and 0.91% respectively.

During July – November, 2012 this group contributed 2.12% of total import showing a decrease of 24.56% as against their combined share of 2.81% during the corresponding period of last year.

Chemical Group

During November, 2012 Chemical Group contributed 13.59% of total imports in which the share of Chemical (excl. fertilizer, medicines & insecticide) were (10.33%), Fertilizer manufactured (1.78%), Medical products (1.30%) and Insecticide (0.19%).

During July – November, 2012 chemical group contributed 14.86% of the total imports showing a decrease of 11.97% as against their combined share of 16.88% during the corresponding period of last year.

Metal Group

During November, 2012 Metal Group contributed 4.78% of total imports in which the share of Iron & steel and Iron & steel scrap were 3.42% and 1.35% respectively.

During July – November, 2012 this group contributed 4.85% of total imports showing an increase of 16.59% as against their combined share of 4.16% during the corresponding period of last year.

Miscellaneous Group

During November, 2012 Miscellaneous Group contributed 1.39% of total imports in which the share of Paper & paper products and Tyres & tubes were 0.91% and by 0.49% respectively.

During July – November, 2012 this group contributed 1.25% of total imports showing a decrease of 10.71% as against their combined share of 1.40% during the corresponding period of last year.

Table - 8

Monthly Imports by Group/Commodities

(Million Rs.)

Commodities	November, 2012	October, 2012	November, 2011	% Change	
				November, 2012 October, 2012	November, 2012 November, 2011
Total	346,228.90	361,404.74	321,054.75	-4.20	+7.84
A-Food Group	23,136.92	17,141.32	23,514.55	+34.98	-1.61
1. Palm oil	16,409.51	10,235.10	18,369.53	+60.33	-10.67
2. Tea	3,668.56	3,910.68	2,087.62	-6.19	+75.73
3. Pulses	1,962.37	1,737.22	2,486.17	+12.96	-21.07
4. Milk & milk food for infants	661.61	1,040.32	421.22	-36.40	+57.07
5. Soyabean oil	434.87	218.00	150.01	+99.48	+189.89
B- Machin. & Transport Group	75,326.74	61,844.00	50,343.13	+21.80	+49.63
1. Machinery	55,605.71	45,976.07	36,779.56	+20.94	+51.19
2. Transport equipment	19,721.03	15,867.93	13,563.57	+24.28	+45.40
C-Petroleum Group	113,526.28	120,675.01	112,005.08	-5.92	+1.36
1. Petroleum Products	70,898.82	68,535.16	79,179.67	+3.45	-10.46
2. Petroleum Crude	42,627.46	52,139.85	32,825.41	-18.24	+29.86
D-Textile Group	7,992.67	7,840.96	7,934.39	+1.93	+0.73
1. Synthetic & artificial silk yarn	4,849.52	4,674.61	4,674.61	+3.74	+16.72
2. Synthetic fibre	3,143.15	3,166.35	3,779.69	-0.73	-16.84
E-Chemical Group	47,053.26	63,569.40	51,864.73	-25.98	-9.28
1. Chemicals (excl. 2, 3&4)	35,748.54	43,176.66	38,505.56	-17.20	-7.16
2. Fertilizer manufactured	6,176.26	11,497.71	7,905.81	-46.28	-21.88
3. Medicinal products	4,485.64	8,602.56	4,395.66	-47.86	+2.05
4. Insecticide	642.82	292.47	1,057.70	+119.79	-39.22
F-Metal Group	16,545.14	2,756.36	13,364.97	-20.29	+23.79
1. Iron & steel	11,855.25	12,897.11	9,628.15	-8.08	+23.13
2. Iron & steel scrap	4,689.89	7,859.25	3,736.82	-40.33	+25.50
G-Miscellaneous Group	4,823.25	4,775.86	4,679.07	+0.99	+3.08
1. Paper & paper products	3,139.01	2,855.97	2,886.28	+9.91	+8.76
2. Tyres & tubes	1,684.24	1,919.89	1,792.79	-12.27	-6.05
Others	57,824.64	64,801.83	57,348.83	-10.77	+0.83

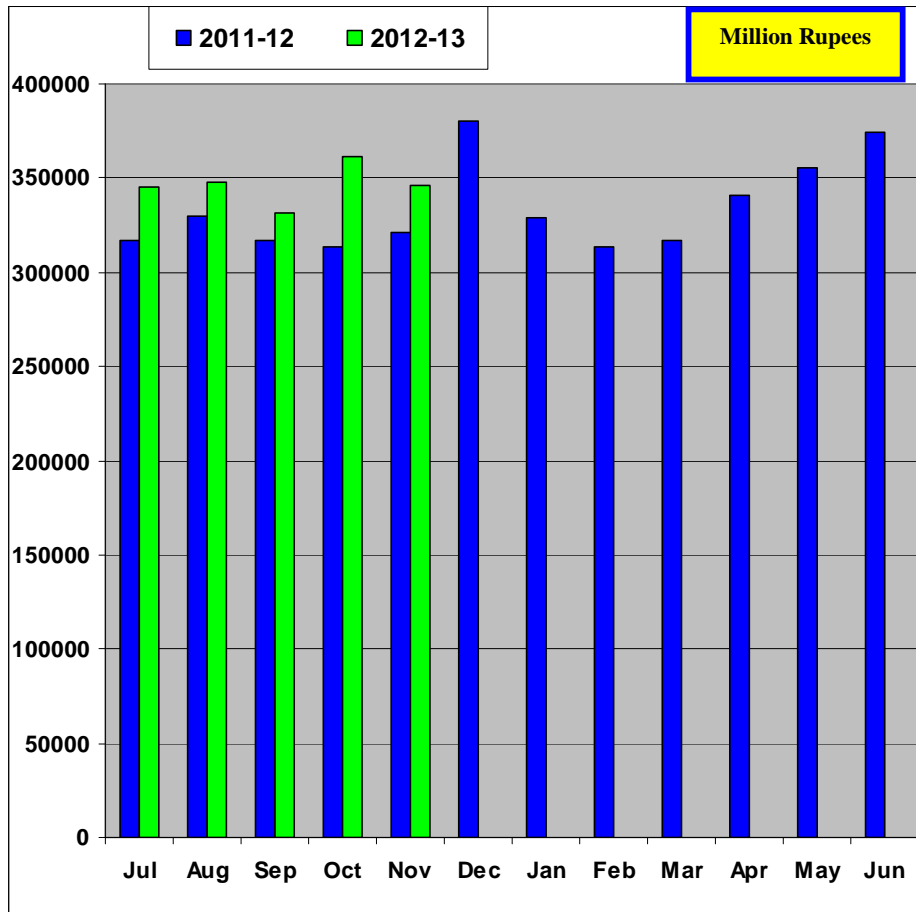
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Table - 9

Cumulative Imports by Group/Commodities

Commodities	(Million Rs.)		
	July – November, 2012	July – November, 2011	% Change
			July – November, 2012 July – November, 2011
Total	1,732,942.09	1,598,529.60	+8.41
A-Food Group	120,784.47	124,314.91	-2.84
1. Palm oil	82,005.87	89,917.31	-8.80
2. Pulses	15,296.97	15,285.68	+0.07
3. Tea	14,051.11	12,285.87	+14.37
4. Milk & milk food for infants	5,263.47	4,065.81	+4,167.05
5. Soyabean oil	4,167.05	2,760.24	+50.97
B-Machinery & Transport Group	324,123.46	246,232.37	+31.63
1. Machinery	231,961.71	178,545.84	+29.90
2. Transport equipment	92,161.75	67,686.53	+36.16
C-Petroleum Group	612,984.13	547,052.07	+12.05
1. Petroleum products	396,454.85	367,018.02	+8.02
2. Petroleum crude	216,529.28	180,034.05	+20.27
D-Textile Group	36,817.49	44,972.93	-18.13
1. Synthetic & artificial silk yarn	21,656.32	23,990.06	-9.73
2. Synthetic fibre	15,161.17	20,982.87	-27.75
E-Chemical Group	257,446.03	269,833.19	-4.59
1. Chemicals (excl. 2, 3&4)	185,244.32	189,028.94	-2.00
2. Fertilizer manufactured	40,863.71	51,554.36	-20.74
3. Medicinal products	28,794.13	23,924.58	+20.35
4. Insecticide	2,543.87	5,325.31	-52.23
F-Metal Group	83,991.03	66,448.57	+26.40
1. Iron & steel	54,897.22	47,239.36	+16.21
2. Iron & steel scrap	29,093.81	22,306.15	+51.46
G-Miscellaneous Group	21,581.43	22,306.15	-3.25
1. Paper & paper products	13,443.42	13,265.62	+1.34
2. Tyres & tubes	8,138.01	9,040.53	-9.98
Others	275,214.05	277,369.41	-0.78

II – Analysis of Selected Commodities of Imports

POL

Imports of POL during November, 2012 valued at Rs. 113,526.28 million was lower by 5.92% compared to October, 2012 Rs. 120,675.01 million while higher by 1.36% compared to November, 2011 Rs. 112,005.08 million. Cumulative imports of POL during the period July – November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 612,984.13 million as against Rs. 547,052.10 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 12.05%.

The share of POL in total imports in November, 2012 was 33.79% as against 33.39% in October, 2012 and by 34.89% in November, 2011. During July – November, 2012 its share was 35.37% as against 34.22% in the corresponding period of last year.

Variety wise details of imports of POL during July – November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below:-

(Million Rs.)		
Commodity	July – November, 2012	July – November, 2011
<i>Total</i>	<i>612,984.13</i>	<i>547,052.07</i>
Petroleum Crude	216,529.28	180,034.05
Motor spirit	64,670.64	54,109.18
Kerosene oil	5,295.18	16,662.17
Diesel oil	1.64	0.07
Lubricating Oils, Greases	4,421.69	3,534.54
Mineral Jelly, Wax	397.05	243.74
Other Petroleum and Petroleum Products	321,668.65	292,468.31

Chemicals (Excluding fertilizer, insecticide & medicines)

Imports of chemicals (Excluding fertilizer, insecticide & medicines) during November, 2012 valued at Rs. 35,748.54 million was lower by 17.20% compared to October, 2012 Rs. 43,176.66million and by 7.16% compared to November, 2011 Rs. 38,505.56 million. During July – November, 2012 its imports amounted to Rs. 185,244.32 million which was lower by 2.00% compared to imports of Rs. 189,028.94 million during the corresponding period of last year.

The share of chemicals (Excluding fertilizer, insecticide & medicines) in total imports in November, 2012 was 10.33% as against 11.95% in October, 2012 and by 11.99% in November, 2011. During July – November, 2012 its share was 10.69% as against 11.83% in the corresponding period of last year.

Details of imports of chemicals by type during July – November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below:-

(Million Rs.)

Commodity	July – November, 2012	July – November, 2011
Total	185,244.32	189,028.94
Organic chemicals	73,255.63	75,690.38
Inorganic chemicals	20,680.90	20,108.34
Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	11,926.51	11,468.16
Essential oil perfume and flavour materials	7,733.46	7,080.02
Plastic materials etc.	52,532.17	57,220.66
Other chemical materials and products	19,115.63	17,461.38

Machinery

Imports of machinery during November, 2012 valued at Rs. 36,779.56million was higher by 0.75% compared to October, 2012 Rs. 36,505.22 million and by 9.94% compared to November, 2011 Rs. 33,453.76 million. Cumulative imports of machinery during the period July – November, 2012 amounted to Rs. 231,961.71million as against Rs. 178,545.84 million during the corresponding period of last year showing an increase of 29.92 percent.

The share of machinery in total imports in November, 2012 was 16.06% as against 12.72% in October, 2012 and by 11.46% in November, 2011. During July – November, 2012 its share was 13.39% as against 11.17% in the corresponding period of last year.

Details of imports of machinery during July – November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below:-

(Million Rs.)		
Type of Machinery	July – November, 2012	July – November, 2011
<i>Total</i>	<i>231,961.71</i>	<i>178,545.84</i>
1. Power generating machinery and equipment	36,444.45	28,625.02
2. Agricultural machinery and implements excluding tractors	3,747.65	2,326.82
3. Tractors all sorts	1,684.94	3,262.96
4. Textile and leather machinery	16,616.41	15,064.03
5. Construction and mining machinery	7,003.59	4,024.44
6. Metal working machinery	1,542.13	2,745.18
7. Office machines and automatic data processing machines	9,345.19	9,222.85
8. Equipment for distributing electricity	2,469.40	2,502.95
9. Telecommunication apparatus	3,177.80	3,889.88
Other machinery and apparatus	149,930.13	106,881.73

Transport Equipment

Transport equipment worth Rs. 13,563.57 million was imported during November, 2012 as against its imports of Rs. 13,429.79 million in October, 2012 and Rs. 12,283.55 million in November, 2011 showing an increase of 1.00% over October, 2012 and by 10.42% over November, 2011. The imports of this item during July – November, 2012 totalled Rs. 92,161.75 million which was higher by 36.16% as compared to its imports of Rs. 67,686.53 million during the corresponding period of last year.

The share of transport equipment in total imports in November, 2012 was 5.70% as against 4.39% in October, 2012 and by 4.22% in November, 2011. During July – November, 2012 its share was 5.32% as against the share of 4.23% in the corresponding period of last year.

Details of imports of transport equipment during July – November, 2012 and the corresponding period of last year are given below:-

(Million Rs.)		
Transport Equipment	July – November, 2012	July – November, 2011
<i>Total</i>	<i>92,161.75</i>	<i>67,686.53</i>
Passenger motor vehicles excl. buses	34,354.40	29,407.45
Buses and their chassis with engine	2,384.82	2,163.03
Lorries & trucks (incl. special lorries and their chassis with engine)	1,820.73	1,084.67
Aircrafts	3,372.34	3,795.26
Ships & boats	25,781.53	12,071.48
Railway vehicles	5,551.81	56.7
Motor cycles, scooters	2,838.59	3,452.45
Others	16,057.53	13,218.06

III - Direction of Imports

Imports by Territories/Regions and major countries during November, 2012 and July – November, 2012 of current financial year compared with the corresponding month and corresponding period of last year are given in table 10, 11, 12 and 13 respectively.

During November, 2012, (14.23%) of total imports were from European Union. The share of imports of Middle East was 36.24% and North America 3.84 percent. Country-wise, China was at the top of imports list during November, 2012 followed by U.A.E., Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, United Kingdom and Japan. The combined share of these six countries during November, 2012 was 56.62% as against their combined share of 54.81% during November, 2011.

During July – November, 2012, the share of imports of European Union was 10.61 percent. The share of imports of Middle East was 39.61% and from North America 4.04% of total imports during this period. Country-wise, U.A.E was at the top of the imports list followed by China, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Malaysia and Japan during July – November, 2012. Combined share of these six countries in total imports during this period was 59.60% as against their combined share of 63.22% during the corresponding period of last year.

Table - 10**Monthly Imports by Territories/Regions**

(Million Rs.)

Territories/Regions	November, 2012		November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	<i>346,228.90</i>	<i>100.00</i>	<i>321,054.75</i>	<i>100.00</i>
1. Latin & Central America	404.61	0.12	201.88	0.06
2. South America	2,944.60	0.85	2,931.48	0.91
3. North America	13,305.58	3.84	15,415.84	4.80
4. Eastern Europe	2,252.90	0.65	5,643.09	1.76
5. European Union	49,263.56	14.23	33,172.80	10.33
6. E.F.T.A.	2,469.23	0.71	1,409.39	0.44
7. Other Europe	66.69	0.02	2.89	0.00
8. Middle East	125,478.36	36.24	128,965.84	40.17
i) Asian Countries	124,272.77	35.89	126,607.93	39.43
ii) African Countries	1,205.59	0.35	2,357.91	0.73
9. Other Asia	132,993.05	38.41	120,679.76	37.59
10. Other Africa	9,353.66	2.70	7,560.03	2.35
11. Oceania	7,696.66	2.22	5,071.74	1.58

Table - 11**Monthly Imports from Major Countries**

(Million Rs.)

Countries	November, 2012		November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	346,228.90	100.00	321,054.75	100.00
1. China	49,821.93	14.39	43,611.95	13.58
2. U.A.E	37,520.22	10.84	39,049.35	12.16
3. Kuwait	36,964.15	10.68	30,263.03	9.43
4. Saudi Arabia	33,993.40	9.82	46,357.68	14.44
5. United Kingdom	20,816.29	6.01	3,734.27	1.16
6. Japan	16,881.75	4.88	12,972.79	4.04
7. Malaysia	16,174.22	4.67	17,749.58	5.53
8. India	13,685.27	3.95	12,781.19	3.98
9. Oman	11,985.40	3.46	4,281.65	1.33
10. U.S.A.	11,330.13	3.27	8,892.16	2.77
11. Indonesia	11,113.75	3.21	6,053.86	1.89
12. Germany	7,497.24	2.17	6,618.59	2.06
13. Australia	7,479.00	2.16	4,810.65	1.50
14. Korea, Rep of	6,766.08	1.95	7,635.78	2.38
15. France	6,150.15	1.78	5,556.90	1.73
16. Thailand	5,132.58	1.48	4,888.59	1.52
17. Singapore	3,827.80	1.11	6,992.91	2.18
18. Italy	3,445.83	1.00	4,055.02	1.26
19. Morocco	3,284.55	0.95	2,124.20	0.66
20. Kenya	2,530.88	0.73	1,207.32	0.38
<i>Others</i>	39,828.30	11.50	51,417.26	16.02

Table - 12

Cumulative Imports by Territories/Regions

(Million Rs.)

Territories/Regions	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,732,942.09</i>	<i>100.00</i>	<i>1,598,529.60</i>	<i>100.00</i>
1. Latin & Central America	2,099.11	0.12	1,950.87	0.12
2. South America	14,682.71	0.85	11,308.98	0.71
3. North America	70,080.00	4.04	67,659.52	4.23
4. Eastern Europe	19,622.71	1.13	19,197.51	1.20
5. European Union	183,946.33	10.61	150,203.46	9.40
6. E.F.T.A.	10,936.88	0.63	11,046.97	0.69
7. Other Europe	620.52	0.04	4,330.53	0.27
8. Middle East	686,335.15	39.61	651,932.25	40.78
i) Asian Countries	679,172.65	39.19	644,644.04	40.33
ii) African Countries	7,162.50	0.41	7,288.21	0.46
9. Other Asia	660,482.04	38.11	615,680.35	38.52
10. Other Africa	43,754.25	2.52	41,805.73	2.62
11. Oceania	40,382.38	2.33	23,413.42	1.46

Table - 13

Cumulative Imports from Major Countries

(Million Rs.)

Countries	July – November, 2012		July – November, 2011	
	Value	% Share	Value	% Share
<i>Total</i>	<i>1,732,942.09</i>	<i>100.00</i>	<i>1,598,529.60</i>	<i>100.00</i>
1. U.A.E	307,720.80	17.76	317,445.77	19.86
2. China	268,267.13	15.48	236,898.58	14.82
3. Kuwait	156,777.26	9.05	115,469.30	7.22
4. Saudi Arabia	135,442.68	7.82	172,776.44	10.81
5. Malaysia	87,759.87	5.06	99,130.00	6.20
6. Japan	76,855.46	4.43	68,949.18	4.31
7. U.S. America	63,527.18	3.67	45,026.59	2.82
8. India	56,016.56	3.23	50,468.44	3.16
9. Indonesia	52,668.84	3.04	30,790.73	1.93
10. Oman	45,432.02	2.62	12,745.39	0.80
11. Germany	40,171.42	2.32	34,450.69	2.16
12. United Kingdom	38,819.62	2.24	20,708.96	1.30
13. Australia	38,605.08	2.23	21,611.90	1.35
14. Thailand	26,660.41	1.54	33,464.25	2.09
15. Singapore	25,400.83	1.47	27,130.61	1.70
16. Korea, Rep. of	25,138.65	1.45	30,158.09	1.89
17. France	18,757.62	1.08	20,007.57	1.25
18. Qatar	16,626.01	0.96	8,570.82	0.54
19. Morocco	15,585.16	0.90	13,329.55	0.83
20. Italy	14,720.97	0.85	16,053.69	1.00
Others	221,988.53	12.81	223,343.06	13.97

IV - Imports by Economic Categories

During November, 2012 imports of consumer goods increased by 11.01% but of raw materials for consumer goods decreased by 6.04% compared to November, 2011. Imports of capital goods during November, 2012 increased by 39.10% and of raw material for capital goods by 22.73% compared to the same month of last year.

During July – November, 2012, imports of consumer goods were higher by 5.81% and of raw material for consumer goods by 5.23% compared to July – November, 2011. Imports of capital goods during July – November, 2012 increased by 16.75% and of raw material for capital goods by 15.17% compared to the corresponding period of last year.

Performance of imports by economic categories is shown in table-14.

Table - 14

Imports by Economic Categories

(Million Rs.)

Economic Category	November, 2012	November, 2011	July-November, 2012	July-November, 2011
Total:	346,228.90	321,054.75	1,732,942.09	1,598,529.60
1. Consumer goods	49,175.33	41,669.35	234,529.71	221,656.30
% share in total imports	14.20	12.98	13.53	13.87
2. Raw material for consumer goods	183,929.65	195,752.93	980,662.42	931,912.74
% share in total imports	53.12	60.97	56.59	58.30
3. Raw material for capital goods	24,034.24	19,583.04	125,842.21	109,266.05
% share in total imports	6.94	6.10	7.26	6.84
4. Capital goods	89,089.68	64,049.43	391,907.74	335,694.51
% share in total imports	25.73	19.95	22.62	21.00