

**GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
PAKISTAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS
KARACHI**

SUMMARY (PRAL) ON MERCHANDISE TRADE STATISTICS

May, 2023

Exports
Imports
Balance of Trade

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

Table-1: Monthly Trend (MoM)

Series	May, 2023 (P)		April, 2023 (R)		% Change in May, 2023 over April, 2023	
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
		(1 \$=Rs.286.002277)		(1 \$=Rs.284.945659)		
Exports	625,170	2,186	608,863	2,137	2.68	2.29
Imports	1,222,680	4,275	854,112	2,997	43.15	42.64
Balance of Trade (Trade Deficit)	-597,510	-2,089	-245,249	-860	143.63	142.91

Table-2: Yearly Trend (YoY)

Series	May, 2023 (P)		May, 2022 (F)		% Change in May, 2023 over May, 2022	
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
		(1 \$=Rs.286.002277)		(1 \$=Rs.195.500402)		
Exports	625,170	2,186	512,962	2,624	21.87	-16.69
Imports	1,222,680	4,275	1,321,609	6,760	-7.49	-36.76
Balance of Trade (Trade Deficit)	-597,510	-2,089	-808,647	-4,136	-26.11	-49.49

Table-3: Cumulative Trend

Series	July - May, 2022 - 2023		July - May, 2021 - 2022		% Change in July - May, 2022 - 2023 over July - May, 2021 - 2022	
	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$	Rs.	\$
Exports	6,184,644	25,366	5,066,143	28,871	22.08	-12.14
Imports	12,314,636	51,157	12,667,725	72,280	-2.79	-29.22
Balance of Trade (Trade Deficit)	-6,129,992	-25,791	-7,601,582	-43,409	-19.36	-40.59

NOTE:-

- 1- Data from DRS, FBR Islamabad for the month of May, 2023 is still awaited.
- 2- Current month Rupee Value has been converted into US Dollar on weighted average customer exchange rate (Selling) published by S.B.P.
- 3 Whereas Banks' Floating average exchange rates provided by S.B.P for the months of April, 2023 & May, 2022 have been used.
- 4- Due to roundings effects some totals and percentages may not tally.

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