



Economic

and

Social Indicators

Issue No 1720

External Trade

1st Quarter 2023

Released online : 26 May 2023

https://statsmauritius.govmu.org

Price: Rs 40.00

Statistics Mauritius Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning and Development Port Louis

Note: Readers are invited to make the distinction between official data which are published in the Economic and Social indicators and the analysis presented for the benefit of general readers. Differences of opinion may arise regarding the analytical part but these do not in any way, undermine the quality of the data. The Editors welcome constructive critical comments.

1. Introduction

This issue of Economic and Social Indicators presents external merchandise trade statistics for the first quarter of 2023 and the years 2021 and 2022. These statistics have been compiled from declarations lodged by importers and exporters at Customs Department. Some of these declarations are at times revised at a later period and corrections are made accordingly on the computerised database of the Customs Department of the Mauritius Revenue Authority (MRA).

Thus, while revised figures for 2022 are published in this indicator, those for 2023 are still provisional and will be revised, as and when latest amendments are obtained from the Customs Department of the MRA.

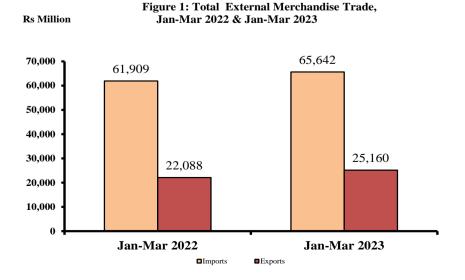
Data on external merchandise trade are compiled as per the recommendations of the United Nations General Trade System. According to this system, all goods entering and leaving the national frontier, including trading activities of the Freeport Zone should be accounted for.

2. Total value of trade and trade balance

Total external merchandise trade for the first quarter of 2023 was valued at Rs 90,802 million, i.e. 14.3% lower than the value of Rs 105,923 million of the previous quarter and 8.1% higher than the value of Rs 83,997 million of the corresponding quarter of 2022.

For the first quarter of 2023, total exports (inclusive of ship's stores & bunkers) were valued at Rs 25,160 million against total imports of Rs 65,642 million. In the previous quarter, total (inclusive of ship's and bunkers) exports stores amounted to Rs 28,269 million against total imports of Rs 77,654 million while for the corresponding quarter of 2022, total exports (inclusive of ship's stores & bunkers) amounted to Rs 22,088 million against total imports of Rs 61,909 million. In the first quarter of 2023, total exports and total imports were lower by 11.0% and 15.5% respectively compared to the previous quarter. Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022, total exports and total imports were higher by 13.9% and 6.0% respectively.

The resulting trade deficit for the first quarter of 2023 worked out to Rs 40,482 million, 18.0% lower than the deficit of Rs 49,385 million of the previous quarter and 1.7% higher than the deficit of Rs 39,821 million of the corresponding quarter of 2022.



3. Exports

3.1 Total exports – 1st Quarter 2023

For the first quarter of 2023, total exports proceeds, including domestic exports¹, re-exports² and ship's stores and bunkers amounted to Rs 25,160 million, showing a decrease of 11.0% compared to the previous quarter. This is mainly explained by decreases in the exports of "Ship's Stores and Bunkers" (-26.0%), "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-13.6%). "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-11.1%) and "Food and live animals" (-2.1%), partly offset by an increase in the exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (+57.3%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022, total exports for the first quarter of 2023 increased by 13.9%. This is mainly explained by increases in exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (+138.2%)"and "Food and live animals" (+44.4%), partly offset by decreases in the exports of "Ship's Stores and Bunkers" (-7.6%), "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-6.8%) and "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-1.2%).

For the first quarter of 2023, domestic exports amounted to Rs 15,309 million, accounting for 60.8% of total exports proceeds. Compared to the previous quarter, domestic exports which amounted to Rs 16,620 million, showed a decrease of 7.9%. This is mainly explained by decreases in the exports of "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-12.2%), "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-7.8%) and "Food and live animals" (-0.8%) (*Table 4*).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022, domestic exports were higher by 17.2%, mainly explained by increases in the exports of "Food and live animals" (+48.3%) and "Crude materials, inedible, except fuels" (+1.2%), partly offset by decreases in the exports of "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-11.0%) and "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-2.9%) (*Table 4*).

For the first quarter of 2023, re-exports stood at Rs 5,778 million, i.e. lower by 6.0% compared to the previous quarter, mainly due to decreases in exports of "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-19.0%), Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-15.4%) and "Food and live animals" (-13.5%), partly offset by an increase in the exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (+60.5%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022, re-exports were higher by 25.0%, mainly due to increases in the exports of "Machinery and transport equipment" (+150.5%), "Food and live animals" (+14.8%), "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (+6.3%) and "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (+0.3%) (*Table 5*).

3.2 Exports by SITC section (Tables 1 & 3) – 1st Quarter 2023

Around 33.3% of total exports for the first quarter of 2023 consisted of "Food and live animals" (Rs 8,389 million), 25.2% of "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (Rs 6,340 million), 16.2% of "Ship's Stores & Bunkers" (Rs 4,073 million) and 10.9% of "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (Rs 2,751 million).

¹ Domestic exports are defined as goods of national origin

 $^{^{2}}$ Re-exports are goods which are exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged.

Compared to the first quarter of 2022, the main changes by section were as follows:

- "Food and live animals" increased by 44.4%, mainly due to increases in the exports of "Live Primates" (+69.8%), "Cane Sugar" (+56.3%) and "Fish and fish preparations" (+40.1%).
- "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" decreased by 6.8%, mainly explained by decreases in the exports of "Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles" (-16.4%), partly offset by an increase in the exports of "Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones" (+7.5%).
- "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" registered a decrease of 1.2%, mainly due to a decrease in the exports of "Articles of apparel and clothing accessories" (-5.4%), partly offset by an increase in the exports of "Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes" (+20.1%).

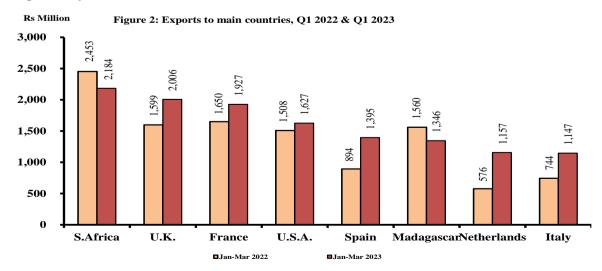
3.3 Exports of Export Oriented Enterprises (EOE) – 1st Quarter 2023

For the first quarter of 2023, exports of EOE amounted to Rs 11,996 million, compared to Rs 10,925 million for the corresponding quarter of 2022 (*Table 1*). Further details on these transactions will be presented in the issue of the Economic and Social Indicator on Export Oriented Enterprises, to be released on 29 June 2023.

3.4 Exports by country of destination (Table 7) – 1^{st} Quarter 2023

Analysis of exports figures by country of destination for the first quarter of 2023 showed that the European countries were our main buyers, purchasing some 46.4% of our exports excluding ship's stores and bunkers, for a value of Rs 9,791 million. Among countries, the major destinations for our exports were South Africa (10.4%), U.K (9.5%), France (9.1%), U.S.A (7.7%), Spain (6.6%), Madagascar (6.4%), Netherlands (5.5%) and Italy (5.4%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022, exports to Netherlands, Spain, Italy, U.K, France and U.S.A went up by 100.9%, 56.0%, 54.2%, 25.5%, 16.8% and 7.9% respectively. On the other hand, exports to Madagascar & South Africa dropped by 13.7% and 11.0% respectively.



4. Imports

4.1 Total imports (Table 10) – 1st Quarter 2023

Total imports for the first quarter of 2023 amounted to Rs 65,642 million, showing a decrease of 15.5% compared to the previous quarter. This is mainly due to decreases in the imports of "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (-29.5%), "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-20.9%), "Food and live animals" (-17.9%), "Chemicals & related products, n.e.s." (-14.1%), "Machinery and transport equipment" (-12.5%) and "Mineral fuels, lubricants & related products" (-3.9%).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022, total imports for the first quarter of 2023 increased by 6.0%. This is mainly due to increases in imports of "Machinery & transport equipment" (+13.7%), "Mineral fuels, lubricants & related products" (+11.7%), "Food and live animals" (+7.2%), "Chemicals and related products n.e.s" (+3.6%) and "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (+2.0%), partly offset by a decrease in the imports "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (-10.1%).

4.2 Imports by SITC section (Table 10) – 1st Quarter 2023

Around 23.5% of imports in the first quarter of 2023 consisted of "Mineral fuels, lubricants & related products" (Rs 15,433 million), 21.8% of "Machinery & transport equipment" (Rs 14,326 million), 18.4% of "Food and live animals" (Rs 12,050 million), 13.6% of "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" (Rs 8,931 million), 8.3% of "Chemicals & related products, n.e.s." (Rs 5,472 million) and 8.3% of "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (Rs 5,446 million).

Compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022, total imports increased by 6.0%. Main changes by section were as follows:

- "Machinery and transport equipment" increased by 13.7%, mainly due to increases in the imports of "Road vehicles" (+22.1%), "General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s" (+6.7%), "Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment" (+6.3%) and "Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type" (+5.7%).
- "Mineral fuels, lubricants & related products" increased by 11.7%, mainly due to an increase of 36.6% in the imports of "Refined petroleum products".
- "Food and live animals" increased by 7.2%, mainly due to higher imports of "Vegetables and fruits" (+17.2%), "Fish and fish preparations" (+12.6%) and "Dairy products and bird's eggs" (+10.7%).
- "Chemicals and related products, n.e.s." increased by 3.6%, mainly due to increases in the imports of "Plastics in non-primary forms" (+6.0%) and "Medicinal & pharmaceutical products" (+5.5%), partly offset by a decrease in the imports of "Plastics in primary forms" (-6.3%).

- "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" increased by 2.0%, mainly due to increases • in the imports of "Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s" (+24.5%) and "Articles n.e.s, of plastic" (+9.7%), partly offset by a decrease in the imports of "Articles of apparel and clothing" (-2.1%).
- "Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material" decreased by 10.1%, mainly • due to decreases in the imports of "Iron and Steel" (-28.8%), "Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones" (-16.4%) and "Manufactures of metals, n.e.s" (-11.0%), partly offset by an increase in the imports of "Textile yarn" (+5.0%).

4.3 Imports by country of origin (Table 13) – 1st Quarter 2023

During the first quarter of 2023, our imports originated from five main countries, namely: U.A.E (20.2%), China (14.0%), India (8.5%), South Africa (6.9%) and France (6.6%). Among continents, Asia was our main supplier with a share of Rs 36,387 million, representing 55.4% of total imports followed by Europe, with a share of Rs 16,056 million, representing 24.5% of total imports and Africa, with a share of Rs 7,973 million, representing 12.1% of total imports.

Compared to the corresponding period of 2022, total imports from United Arab Emirates, France and India rose by 92.8%, 37.3% and 32.0% respectively, while imports from South Africa and China decreased by 39.8% and 14.5% respectively.

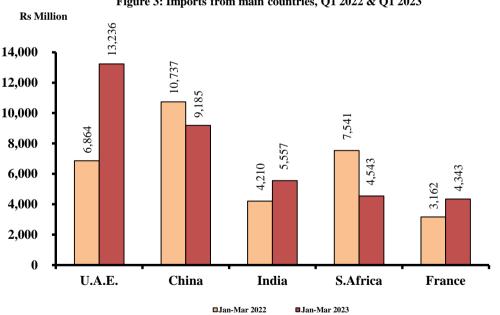


Figure 3: Imports from main countries, Q1 2022 & Q1 2023

5. Trade with Member States of Regional Organisations – 1st Quarter 2023

For the first quarter of 2023, exports¹ to African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States stood at Rs 5,290 million against total imports of Rs 7,152 million. The trade deficit with ACP countries worked out to Rs 1,862 million. South Africa was the main supplier with a value of Rs 4,543 million, representing 63.5% of the total imports from ACP states as well as the main buyer with a value of Rs 2,184 million, representing 41.3% of the exports¹ to ACP states (Table 14).

Exports to COMESA member states for the first quarter of 2023 attained Rs 2,056 million, while total imports from these countries amounted to Rs 2,624 million, resulting in a trade deficit of Rs 568 million. Madagascar was the main buyer with a share of 65.4% followed by Kenya (14.4%). The main suppliers were Seychelles (32.0%), Egypt (21.3%), Kenya (20.4%) and Madagascar (20.2%) (*Table 15*).

Trade with SADC countries showed a deficit of Rs 1,826 million, as a result of total imports of Rs 6,183 million against exports worth Rs 4,357 million. The main supplier was South Africa (73.5%) and main buyers were South Africa (50.1%) and Madagascar (30.9%) (*Table 16*).

6. Trade in Freeport Zone – 1st Quarter 2023

During the first quarter of 2023, total imports of the Freeport Zone stood at Rs 2,458 million, lower by 23.6% compared to the corresponding quarter of 2022 (*Table 12*). The main items imported were "Food and live animals" (27.9%) and "Chemicals & related products, n.e.s." (22.8%).

Re-exports were valued at Rs 3,380 million, representing an increase of 19.0% compared to the corresponding period of 2022 (*Table 6*). The main items re-exported were "Miscellaneous manufactured articles" (31.6%) and "Food and live animals" (19.9%).

7. Forecast 2023

Based on trends and information from various sources, the forecast of total exports for 2023 will be around Rs 110 billion, 3.8% higher than the total exports of around Rs 106 billion in 2022. Total imports for 2023 including one-off items such as machinery for metro terminals, will be around Rs 320 billion, 9.6% higher than the total imports of around Rs 292 billion in 2022.

The trade deficit for 2023 is forecasted at around Rs 210 billion, 12.3% higher as compared to around Rs 187 billion in 2022.

Statistics Mauritius Ministry of Finance, Economic Planning and Development Port Louis 26 May 2023

Contact Persons Ms. V. Rama-Lahootan Statistician Ms. B. Ramjus Senior Statistical Officer Statistics Mauritius L.I.C Centre, J. Kennedy Street, Port Louis Telephone: (230) 208 1800 Fax: (230) 211 4150 Email: cso_trade@govmu.org

Notes

(1) Scope and coverage

External merchandise trade statistics are compiled according to the General Trade System as recommended by the United Nations. Using the national boundary as the statistical frontier, the General Trade System is a record of all goods entering (imports) and leaving the country (exports).

Imports include goods brought in directly for domestic consumption plus goods imported into customs bonded warehouses.

Exports cover:

- Domestic exports defined as goods of national origin, that is goods produced in the exporting country.
- Re-exports which are exported in the same condition as imported or after undergoing minor operations which leave them essentially unchanged and include re-exports from customs bonded warehouses.
- Ship's Stores and Bunkers (SSB) are included in total exports and are shown separately.

Trade by parcel post is also included in imports and exports.

(2) Valuation

Imports are valued on a C.I.F. (Cost, Insurance and Freight) basis, whilst exports on a F.O.B. (Free on Board) basis.

Cost, Insurance and Freight (C.I.F) value is the value of a country's imports of goods, including all charges for transporting and insuring the goods from the country of exports to the given country but excluding the cost of unloading from the ship, aircraft unless it is borne by the carrier.

Free on Board (F.O.B) value is the value of a country's exports of goods, including all costs of transporting the goods to the customs frontier, export duties.

(3) Classification of commodities

Commodities are coded according to the **Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System Nomenclature (HS 2022)**. However, for the purposes of economic analysis and to facilitate international comparison of trade by commodity data, the commodities are also classified according to **the Standard International Trade Classification (Revision 4) (SITC Rev. 4)**. The HS and the SITC Rev. 4 are six- and five-digit codes respectively but have been extended to eight and seven digits to accommodate national requirements.

(4) Symbols used

- Nil or negligible
- -. Not applicable
- ... Not available

 ∞

							value. Rs minio
	2021	2022 ²		202	22 ²		2023 ¹
	2021	2022 -	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Exports of goods	69,880	83,110	17,680	20,455	22,211	22,764	21,087
Domestic exports	52,152	61,002	13,057	14,852	16,473	16,620	15,309
Re-exports	17,728	22,108	4,623	5,603	5,738	6,144	5,778
Ship's Stores and Bunkers	12,112	22,414	4,408	6,973	5,528	5,505	4,073
A. Total Exports (f.o.b.)	81,992	105,524	22,088	27,428	27,739	28,269	25,160
of which:							
Export Oriented Enterprises	42,657	49,918	10,925	12,503	13,524	12,966	11,996
B. Total Imports (c.i.f.)	214,836	292,112	61,909	75,534	77,015	77,654	65,642
of which:							
Export Oriented Enterprises	25,673	33,466	7,478	8,226	8,793	8,969	6,811
Total Value of Trade (A+B)	296,828	397,636	83,997	102,962	104,754	105,923	90,802
Balance of Visible Trade (A-B)	-132,844	-186,588	-39,821	-48,106	-49,276	-49,385	-40,482

¹ Provisional ² Revised

FREEPORT STATISTICS

 Table 2 - Imports and Re-Exports of the Freeport Zone, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value: Rs Million

9

	2021	2022 ²		202	22 ²		2023 ¹
	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
IMPORTS							
Value (c.i.f)	13,471	12,903	3,217	3,380	3,516	2,790	2,458
Volume (tonne)	68,705	69,299	14,901	17,733	22,757	13,908	14,592
RE-EXPORTS							
Value (f.o.b)	10,865	13,112	2,841	3,084	3,627	3,560	3,380
Volume (tonne)	74,715	79,584	15,693	19,821	21,905	22,165	16,469
Provisional ² Revised							

Provisional² F

Revised

10

S.I.T.C. section/description	2021	2022 ³		20	22 ³		2023 ²
S.I. I.C. Section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
All sections	69,880	83,110	17,680	20,455	22,211	22,764	21,087
0 - Food and live animals	23,584	29,004	5,808	6,862	7,768	8,566	8,389
of which:							
Cane sugar							
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	318	335	71	82	83	99	80
Value	7,029	8,801	1,691	1,951	2,217	2,942	2,643
Fish and fish preparations							
Quantity: (Tonne)	77,205	85,978	17,224	21,695	24,656	22,403	22,437
Value	12,210	14,920	2,977	3,567	4,201	4,175	4,171
Live Primates							
Quantity: (Unit)	14,639	11,878	3,174	2,780	2,829	3,095	4,053
Value	2,024	2,137	537	490	534	576	912
1 - Beverages & Tobacco	708	887	178	227	205	277	216
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	2,344	2,918	602	760	862	694	669
of which:							
Cut flowers and foliage							
Quantity: (Tonne)	25	20	6	5	4	5	24
Value	10	12	3	3	3	3	30
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	18	23	17	3	2	1	1
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	263	377	68	63	161	85	69
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	3,494	4,700	1,004	953	1,142	1,601	935

¹Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

² Provisional ³ Revised

Table 3 (cont'd) - Exports¹ of main commodities by section, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

11

S.I.T.C section/description	2021	2022 ³		20	22 ³		2023 ²
S.I. I.C section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	10,970	12,964	2,953	3,322	3,596	3,093	2,751
of which:							
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	5,623	5,906	1,424	1,443	1,681	1,358	1,191
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	3,170	4,704	974	1,228	1,295	1,207	1,047
Corks & wood manufactures	107	79	16	23	16	24	21
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	3,017	3,225	626	1,003	648	948	1,491
of which:							
Electrodiagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical,							
dental or veterinary purposes, and radiological	33	33	5	17	3	8	3
apparatus							
3 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	25,433	28,606	6,415	7,138	7,712	7,341	6,340
of which:							
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	17,236	18,774	4,256	4,528	5,336	4,654	4,025
Optical goods n.e.s.	407	340	97	104	66	73	79
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	512	738	155	183	209	191	171
Watches & clocks	1,330	1,479	383	382	372	342	361
Toys, games & sporting goods	1,067	1,113	271	283	256	303	231
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	737	838	196	214	223	205	210
Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	1,855	1,868	389	582	465	432	467
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	309	381	88	100	101	92	112
0 - Commodities, n.e.s	49	406	9	124	115	158	226

Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers

Provisional ³ Revised

S.I.T.C section/description	2021	2022 ²		20	22 ²		2023 ¹	
S.I. I.C section/description	2021	2022 -	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr	
<u>All sections</u>	52,152	61,002	13,057	14,852	16,473	16,620	15,309	
0 - Food and live animals	20,618	25,390	5,138	5,972	6,600	7,680	7,621	
of which :								
Cane Sugar								
Quantity: (Thousand tonne)	318	335	71	82	83	99	79	
Value	7,023	8,801	1,691	1,951	2,217	2,942	2,625	
Fish and fish preparations								
Quantity: (Tonne)	50,370	54,211	11,142	13,132	14,377	15,560	15,130	
Value	9,907	12,024	2,433	2,877	3,262	3,452	3,572	12
Live primates								
Quantity: (Unit)	14,639	11,878	3,174	2,780	2,829	3,095	4,053	
Value	2,024	2,137	537	490	534	576	912	
1 - Beverages and tobacco	264	377	67	91	91	128	87	
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	1,437	1,788	413	475	482	418	418	
of which :								
Cut flowers and foliage								
Quantity: (Tonne)	25	20	6	5	4	5	24	
Value	10	12	3	3	3	3	30	
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	211	236	50	62	67	57	69	
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	1,077	1,611	248	332	340	691	294	

¹ Provisional ² Revised

Table 4 (cont'd) - Domestic exports of main commodities by section, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

SITC section (description	2021	2022 ²		20	22 ²		2023 ¹
S.I.T.C section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	6,989	7,983	1,839	2,077	2,292	1,775	1,636
of which :							
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	4,871	5,386	1,299	1,349	1,572	1,166	1,052
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	653	961	186	255	278	242	241
Corks & wood manufactures	92	64	13	19	12	20	17
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	182	324	70	79	96	79	98
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	21,371	23,286	5,232	5,764	6,502	5,788	5,082
of which :							
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	16,103	17,535	3,928	4,176	5,033	4,398	3,682
Optical goods, n.e.s.	330	264	67	85	51	61	62
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	399	551	116	137	150	148	116
Watches & clocks	1,252	1,432	372	368	363	329	354
Toys, games & sporting goods	176	119	21	35	27	36	22
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for	642	805	192	202	213	198	206
medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	1,627	1,713	339	555	428	391	429
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	264	318	74	82	88	74	82
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	3	7	-		3	4	4

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

13

14

S.I.T.C section/description	2021	2022 ²		202	22 ²		2023 ¹
	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
<u>All sections</u>	17,728	22,108	4,623	<u>5,603</u>	<u>5,738</u>	<u>6,144</u>	<u>5,778</u>
0 - Food and live animals	2,965	3,615	669	890	1,168	888	768
of which :							
Fish and fish preparations	2,304	2,896	544	690	939	723	598
1 - Beverages and tobacco	445	510	111	136	115	148	130
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	907	1,130	190	284	380	276	251
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	18	23	17	3	2	1	1
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	53	141	19	1	94	27	-
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	2,418	3,089	756	621	801	911	641
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	3,981	4,981	1,113	1,245	1,304	1,319	1,116
of which :							
Textile yarns, fabrics, made up articles	752	520	125	94	109	192	139
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	2,516	3,743	788	973	1,017	965	806
Corks & wood manufactures	16	15	3	4	4	4	4

¹ Provisional ² Revised

Table 5 (cont'd) - Re-exports of main commodities by section, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2021	2022 ²		20:	22 ²		2023 ¹
S.I.I.C section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	2,836	2,901	556	925	552	868	1,393
of which :							
Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.	437	344	53	116	55	120	148
Electrodiagnostic apparatus for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes, and radiological apparatus	14	29	5	13	3	8	3
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	4,062	5,319	1,183	1,374	1,210	1,552	1,257
of which :							
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	1,133	1,239	328	352	303	256	342
Optical goods, n.e.s.	78	76	30	19	15	12	17
Travel goods, handbags & similar containers	112	187	39	46	59	43	54
Watches & clocks	78	47	11	14	9	13	7
Toys, games & sporting goods	891	993	250	248	229	266	209
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares	94	33	4	12	9	8	4
Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	228	155	51	28	37	39	38
Miscellaneous manufactured articles n.e.s.	45	63	14	18	13	18	30
9 - Commodities & transactions not elsewhere classified	43	399	9	124	112	154	221

16

S.I.T.C section/description	2021	2022 ²		202	22 ²		2023 ¹
3.1.1.C section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Total freeport re-exports	10,865	13,112	2,841	3,084	3,627	3,560	3,380
0 - Food and live animals	2,581	3,303	606	807	1,058	832	673
of which :							
Fish and fish preparations							
Quantity: (Tonne)	26,136	31,322	5,902	8,449	10,236	6,735	7,215
Value	2,233	2,849	529	678	934	708	581
1 - Beverages and tobacco	410	435	109	114	93	119	112
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	690	1,022	151	257	358	256	231
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	13	15	15	-	-	-	-
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	53	79	18	-	43	18	-
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	1,925	2,246	441	460	630	715	535
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	696	801	227	163	194	217	190
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	1,207	1,093	288	283	222	300	572
of which :							
Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, accessories etc.	350	229	38	90	38	63	82
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	3,290	4,118	986	1,000	1,029	1,103	1,067
of which :							
Articles of apparel & clothing accessories	1,075	1,165	316	330	280	239	327
Instruments and appliances, n.e.s for medical, surgical, dental or veterinary purposes	12	14	4	3	3	4	3
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Provisional ² Revised

Table 7 - Exports¹ by country of destination, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

	Country of destination	2021	2022 ⁴		20	22 ⁴		2023 ²
	Country of destination	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
	All countries	<u>69,880</u>	<u>83,110</u>	<u>17,680</u>	<u>20,455</u>	<u>22,211</u>	22,764	<u>21,087</u>
Europe		28,348	34,020	6,988	8,321	8,440	10,271	9,791
	Austria	97	117	30	42	26	19	16
	Belgium	1,349	1,897	325	380	452	740	381
	Czech Republic	133	64	7	10	12	35	21
	France	5,921	7,205	1,650	1,971	1,725	1,859	1,927
	Germany	1,208	1,345	300	305	293	447	437
	Italy	3,311	2,817	744	640	514	919	1,147
	Netherlands	2,882	3,218	576	696	941	1,005	1,157
	Portugal	427	693	68	218	153	254	205
	Spain	3,599	5,501	894	1,084	1,451	2,072	1,395
	Switzerland	1,052	1,250	276	354	312	308	314
	United Kingdom	6,376	7,123	1,599	1,957	1,782	1,785	2,006
	Other countries	1,993	2,790	519	664	779	828	785
sia		11,634	13,621	2,800	3,579	3,745	3,497	3,401
	China	1,072	684	216	153	210	105	242
	Hong Kong (S.A.R) ³	279	194	21	27	45	101	83
	India	1,858	2,584	585	759	629	611	650
	Japan	593	613	164	163	177	109	234
	Malaysia	66	113	13	38	34	28	17
	Phillipines	4	8	1	5	1	1	12
	Singapore	556	633	90	110	177	256	154
	Thailand	552	734	64	151	296	223	158
	United Arab Emirates	1,016	1,114	290	320	194	310	251
	Other countries	5,638	6,944	1,356	1,853	1,982	1,753	1,600

Table 7 (cont'd) - Exports¹ by country of destination, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

		2021	4		202	22 ⁴		2023 ²
•	Country of destination	2021	2022 4	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Africa		22,881	27,610	6,136	6,530	7,749	7,195	6,008
	Comoros Islands	278	250	55	57	62	76	89
	Ghana	29	27	6	9	4	8	5
	Kenya	2,114	2,537	552	505	807	673	296
	Madagascar	5,393	7,451	1,560	2,032	1,908	1,951	1,346
	Mayotte	413	477	121	99	109	148	504
	Mozambique	164	237	44	62	75	56	75
	Reunion	3,028	3,025	679	723	843	780	722
	Seychelles	984	1,216	302	355	272	287	242
	South Africa	9,677	11,090	2,453	2,516	3,510	2,611	2,184
	Zambia	1	18	1	-	9	8	3
	Other countries	800	1,282	363	172	150	597	542
merica		6,482	7,283	1,658	1,822	2,113	1,690	1,726
	Canada	189	294	99	63	74	58	58
	U.S.A.	5,868	6,686	1,508	1,685	1,888	1,605	1,627
	Panama	20	41	8	24	6	3	4
	Other countries	405	262	43	50	145	24	37
)ceania		535	577	98	203	165	111	161
	Australia	449	524	92	196	136	100	156
	New Zealand	46	51	6	7	28	10	5
	Other countries	40 ² Provisional	2 ³ Special Administrati	-	- ⁴ Revised	1	1	-

Table 8 - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

	Country of destination	2021	2022 ³		20	22 ³		2023 ¹
	Country of desunation	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
	<u>All countries</u>	52,152	61,002	13,057	14,852	16,473	16,620	15,309
Europe		25,941	30,279	6,391	7,308	7,400	9,180	9,023
	Austria	74	100	23	36	23	18	14
	Belgium	980	1,442	219	290	311	622	243
	Czech Republic	132	33	4	7	10	12	10
	France	5,344	6,058	1,482	1,601	1,446	1,529	1,595
	Germany	1,104	1,148	251	267	231	399	386
	Italy	3,263	2,799	741	636	509	913	1,133
	Netherlands	2,850	3,152	558	681	918	995	1,141
	Portugal	346	592	46	214	110	222	204
	Spain	3,228	4,855	788	912	1,381	1,774	1,378
	Switzerland	981	1,187	270	310	304	303	309
	United Kingdom	5,961	6,672	1,562	1,800	1,586	1,724	1,914
	Other countries	1,678	2,241	447	554	571	669	696
Asia		4,181	4,312	966	1,191	1,127	1,028	984
	China	938	528	157	134	147	90	86
	Hong Kong (S.A.R) ²	97	77	20	15	21	21	37
	India	1,674	2,290	506	670	571	543	519
	Japan	119	137	13	51	42	31	63
	Malaysia	6	14	1	1	8	4	1
	Phillipines	4	7	1	4	1	1	11
	Singapore	250	149	46	28	25	50	31
	Thailand	18	15	2	4	5	4	12
	United Arab Emirates	195	228	67	52	49	60	48
	Other countries	880	867	153	232	258	224	176

² Special Administrative Region of China ³ Revised

Table 8 (cont'd) - Domestic exports by country of destination, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

	Country of Lotherstory	2021	2022.3		202	22 ³		2023 ¹
	Country of destination	2021	2022 ³	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Africa		16,315	19,681	4,323	4,556	6,028	4,774	3,612
	Comoros Islands	188	186	36	38	53	59	57
	Ghana	16	16	2	2	4	8	4
	Kenya	1,906	2,163	504	455	742	462	143
	Madagascar	3,588	5,243	1,171	1,278	1,453	1,341	1,042
	Mayotte	264	300	65	69	68	98	85
	Mozambique	66	56	11	32	13	-	5
	Reunion	935	958	190	265	246	257	230
	Seychelles	460	639	131	185	160	163	131
	South Africa	8,438	9,690	2,077	2,165	3,191	2,257	1,791
	Zambia	-	1	-	-	1	-	1
	Other countries	454	429	136	67	97	129	123
America		5,384	6,323	1,299	1,680	1,796	1,548	1,559
	Canada	177	289	97	62	73	57	30
	U.S.A.	5,041	5,885	1,164	1,551	1,695	1,475	1,495
	Panama	10	34	4	24	4	2	3
	Other countries	156	115	34	43	24	14	31
Oceania		331	407	78	117	122	90	131
	Australia	311	388	72	111	120	85	127
	New Zealand	19	18	6	6	2	4	4
	Other countries ² Special Administrative Region of China	³ Revised	1	-	-	-	1	-

¹ Provisional ² Special Administrative Region of China ³ Revised

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

20

Table 9 - Re-exports by country of destination, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

	Country of destination	2021	2022 ³		202	22 ³		2023 ¹
	Country of desunation	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
	All countries	<u>17,728</u>	22,108	4,623	<u>5,603</u>	<u>5,738</u>	<u>6,144</u>	<u>5,778</u>
Europe		2,407	3,740	597	1,013	1,041	1,089	767
	Austria	23	17	8	6	3	-	2
	Belgium	369	455	106	90	141	118	137
	Czech Republic	1	30	3	3	3	21	10
	France	577	1,146	167	370	279	330	332
	Germany	104	197	49	38	62	48	51
	Italy	48	18	2	4	6	6	15
	Netherlands	33	66	18	15	23	10	17
	Portugal	81	100	22	3	43	32	1
	Spain	370	646	106	173	70	297	17
	Switzerland	70	64	6	43	8	7	6
	United Kingdom	416	451	37	157	195	62	93
	Other countries	315	550	73	111	208	158	86
sia		7,453	9,309	1,834	2,387	2,617	2,471	2,417
	China	134	155	59	19	63	14	156
	Hong Kong $(S.A.R)^2$	183	117	1	12	23	81	46
	India	184	294	79	89	59	67	131
	Japan	475	476	151	113	135	77	171
	Malaysia	60	100	12	37	26	25	15
	Phillipines	-	1	-	1	-	-	1
	Singapore	306	484	44	81	152	207	123
	Thailand	534	719	62	147	291	219	145
	United Arab Emirates	821	887	223	268	144	252	203
	Other countries	4,756	6,076	1,203	1,620	1,724	1,529	1,426

 Table 9 (cont'd) - Re-exports by country of destination, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (f.o.b) : Rs Million

		2021	2022 3		20	22 ³		2023 ¹
	Country of destination	2021	2022 ³	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Africa		6,566	7,929	1,813	1,975	1,720	2,421	2,397
	Comoros Islands	91	65	19	20	9	17	32
	Ghana	13	12	4	8	-	-	1
	Kenya	208	374	48	50	65	211	154
	Madagascar	1,804	2,208	389	754	456	609	304
	Mayotte	149	177	56	30	41	50	420
	Mozambique	98	181	33	30	62	56	70
	Reunion	2,093	2,067	489	458	597	523	492
	Seychelles	524	576	171	170	111	124	111
	South Africa	1,239	1,400	376	350	319	355	394
	Zambia	-	17	1	-	8	8	2
	Other countries	347	852	227	105	52	468	417
America		1,098	960	359	142	317	142	167
	Canada	12	5	2	2	-	1	27
	U.S.A.	827	802	343	134	193	132	132
	Other countries	259	153	14	6	124	9	8
Oceania		204	170	20	86	43	21	30
	Australia	138	136	20	85	16	15	29
	New Zealand	27	33	-	1	26	6	1
	Other countries	39	1	_	-	1	_	_

¹ Provisional

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

22

Table 10 - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

23

	2021	2022 2		202	22 ²		2023 ¹
SITC section/description	2021	2022 ²	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
<u>All sections</u>	214,836	292,112	61,909	75,534	77,015	77,654	65,642
0 - Food and live animals	39,733	52,609	11,240	12,318	14,379	14,672	12,050
Meat and meat preparations	3,232	4,357	919	983	1,153	1,302	947
Dairy products and bird's eggs	4,409	6,210	1,329	1,691	1,588	1,602	1,471
Fish and fish preparations	9,342	11,875	2,447	2,443	2,999	3,986	2,755
Wheat	2,251	2,653	452	477	1,129	595	510
Rice	1,949	2,750	494	737	813	706	526
Wheaten flour	20	16	3	7	2	4	4
Cereal preparations	2,382	3,012	659	665	764	924	711
Vegetables and fruits	4,337	5,823	1,349	1,530	1,463	1,481	1,581
Other	11,811	15,913	3,588	3,785	4,468	4,072	3,545
1 - Beverages and tobacco	3,973	5,953	1,195	1,403	1,420	1,935	1,563
Beverages	1,604	2,830	542	572	834	882	823
Tobacco & tobacco manufactures	2,369	3,123	653	831	586	1,053	740
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	5,032	7,463	1,591	1,808	2,039	2,025	1,648
Cork and wood	993	1,267	305	263	322	377	325
Textile fibres	2,131	3,780	878	824	1,017	1,061	757
Other	1,908	2,416	408	721	700	587	566
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants, & related products	37,053	66,735	13,813	21,602	15,261	16,059	15,433
Refined petroleum products	30,323	55,631	9,981	18,955	13,263	13,432	13,637
Gas, natural and manufactured	2,059	3,016	931	811	606	668	647
Other ¹ Provisional ² Powied Note: Prockdowns may no	4,671	8,088	2,901	1,836	1,392	1,959	1,149

¹ Provisional ² Revised

24

SITC section/description	2021	2022 ²		20	22 ²		2023 ¹
SITC section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
4 - Animal & vegetable oils and fats	2,331	3,526	738	752	1,338	698	384
Fixed vegetables oils & fats	2,125	3,263	680	699	1,238	646	357
Other	206	263	58	53	100	52	27
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	24,746	24,838	5,281	6,144	7,044	6,369	5,472
Dyeing & tanning materials	1,561	1,691	394	419	483	395	320
Medicinal & pharmaceutical products	10,159	7,668	1,765	1,851	2,006	2,046	1,862
Fertilisers	950	1,000	147	226	364	263	198
Plastics in primary forms	2,638	3,202	649	846	1,059	648	608
Plastics in non-primary forms	1,656	1,997	398	531	594	474	422
Other	7,782	9,280	1,928	2,271	2,538	2,543	2,062
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	37,699	46,451	9,938	11,617	13,606	11,290	8,931
Paper, paperboard & articles thereof	2,863	4,025	807	978	1,067	1,173	865
Textile yarn	3,603	3,998	639	1,413	981	965	671
Cotton fabrics	1,274	1,898	362	564	544	428	372
Other textile fabrics	3,585	4,165	867	1,021	1,213	1,064	781
Cement	1,986	2,645	519	834	662	630	519
Pearls, precious & semi-precious stones	3,505	5,084	1,163	1,335	1,363	1,223	972
Iron and steel	6,260	6,851	1,796	1,389	2,408	1,258	1,278
Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	5,741	7,165	1,531	1,566	2,163	1,905	1,362
Other	8,882	10,620	2,254	2,517	3,205	2,644	2,111

¹ Provisional ² Revised

Table 10 (cont'd) - Total imports of main commodities by section, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

25

SITC section/description	2021	2022 ²		202	22 ²		2023 ¹
STTC section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
7 - Machinery & transport equipment	42,094	56,547	12,600	13,048	14,524	16,375	14,326
Power generating machinery & equipment	1,134	1,785	344	330	427	684	454
Machinery specialised for particular industries	2,683	3,965	916	962	1,169	918	959
General industrial machinery & equipment, n.e.s., & machine parts, n.e.s	6,387	7,711	1,682	1,607	2,084	2,338	1,795
Office machines & automatic data processing machines	4,039	4,108	1,176	987	960	985	981
Telecommunications & sound recording & reproducing apparatus & equipment	7,003	10,388	2,611	2,423	2,219	3,135	2,775
Electrical machinery, apparatus & appliances, n.e.s., & electrical parts of household type	6,633	8,723	1,716	2,108	2,317	2,582	1,813
Road vehicles	13,141	18,338	3,645	4,318	4,995	5,380	4,452
Aircraft, marine vessels and parts	268	875	412	199	114	150	1,033
Other	806	654	98	114	239	203	64
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	21,192	26,554	5,339	6,394	7,094	7,727	5,446
Prefabricated buildings; sanitary plumbing, heating & lighting fixtures & fittings, n.e.s	1,241	1,343	266	273	337	467	282
Articles of apparel and clothing	4,680	5,786	1,113	1,529	1,485	1,659	1,090
Footwear	1,602	2,397	425	534	700	738	462
Professional, scientific & controlling instruments & apparatus, n.e.s	2,496	2,805	563	772	746	724	701
Watches and clocks & optical goods	1,406	1,672	417	379	404	472	390
Printed matter	604	676	112	149	232	183	146
Articles n.e.s., of plastic	2,114	2,667	536	668	757	706	588
Jewellery, goldsmiths' & silversmiths' wares, n.e.s	837	1,148	316	282	198	352	210
Other	6,212	8,060	1,591	1,808	2,235	2,426	1,577
9 - Commodities & transactions, n.e.s.	983	1,436	174	448	310	504	389

¹ Provisional ² Revised

Table 11 - Imports of selected commodities, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

Commodity	2021	2022 ²		20	22 ²		2023 ¹
Commonity	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Rice :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	55	63	12	16	17	18	13
Value	1,949	2,750	494	737	813	706	526
Wheat :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	163	147	26	26	63	32	27
Value	2,251	2,653	452	477	1,129	595	510
Fish and fish preparations :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	121	128	28	26	33	41	30
Value	9,342	11,875	2,447	2,443	2,999	3,986	2,755
Dairy products and bird's eggs :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	25	30	7	8	7	8	7
Value	4,409	6,210	1,329	1,691	1,588	1,602	1,471
Meat and meat preparations :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	17	19	4	4	5	6	4
Value	3,232	4,357	919	983	1,153	1,302	947
Fixed vegetable edible oils and fats :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	42	40	9	8	15	8	4
Value	2,125	3,263	680	699	1,238	646	357
Refined petroleum products :							
Quantity:	-,-		-,-	-,-			
Value	30,323	55,631	9,981	18,955	13,263	13,432	13,637
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	4	6	1	2	2	1	2
Value	10,159	7,668	1,765	1,851	2,006	2,046	1,862
Cotton fabrics :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	3	4	1	1	1	1	1
Value	1,274	1,898	362	564	544	428	372
Cement :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	989	1,317	258	415	329	315	259
Value	1,986	2,645	519	834	662	630	519
Iron and steel :							
Quantity: (Thousand tonnes)	244	164	45	29	64	26	26
Value	6,260	6,851	1,796	1,389	2,408	1,258	1,278
Motor cars and other motor vehicles		<i>,</i>	·		·		
principally designed for the transport of persons:							
Quantity: (Thousand Number)	14	18	3	4	5	6	4
Value	8,426	11,760	2,125	2,622	3,365	3,648	3,261

Table 12 - Freeport imports of main commodities by section, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

S.I.T.C section/description	2021	2022 ²		20	22 ²		2023 ¹
S.I.I.C section/description	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Total freeport imports	<u>13,471</u>	<u>12,903</u>	<u>3,217</u>	<u>3,380</u>	<u>3,516</u>	<u>2,790</u>	<u>2,458</u>
0 - Food and live animals	1,909	2,186	401	677	494	614	686
of which :							
Fish and fish preparations							
Quantity: (Tonne)	25,062	22,098	4,496	5,969	7,378	4,255	8,575
Value	1,574	1,755	329	414	486	526	484
1 - Beverages and tobacco	286	469	115	115	93	146	121
2 - Crude materials, inedible, except fuels	572	878	128	238	312	200	250
3 - Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials	5	7	-	-	4	3	1
4 - Animals and vegetable oils, fats & waxes	82	80	19	-	44	17	-
5 - Chemicals and related products, n.e.s.	5,099	2,472	607	499	699	667	560
6 - Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material	809	991	277	219	279	216	150
of which :							
Textile yarns, fabrics, and made up articles	258	265	79	67	81	38	37
7 - Machinery and transport equipment	1,662	1,986	483	522	490	491	341
of which :							
Telecommunications equipment, n.e.s; & parts, n.e.s, & accessories etc.	315	214	36	66	52	60	70
8 - Miscellaneous manufactured articles	3,047	3,834	1,187	1,110	1,101	436	349
9 - Commodities not elsewhere classified	-			-		-	-

¹ Provisional ² Revised

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

27

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

	2021	4		20)22 4		2023 ¹
Country of origin	2021	2022 4	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
All countries	214,836	292,112	61,909	75,534	77,015	77,654	65,642
Europe	51,499	63,910	13,491	15,377	17,370	17,672	16,056
Austria	623	825	156	207	191	271	225
Belgium	4,372	6,534	1,579	1,613	1,775	1,567	1,320
Denmark	353	499	112	93	100	194	134
Finland	104	129	18	32	39	40	39
France	14,208	16,286	3,162	4,234	4,337	4,553	4,343
Germany	5,820	6,399	1,461	1,616	1,594	1,728	1,848
Hungary	486	441	83	103	152	103	113
Ireland	505	683	151	145	173	214	241
Israel	206	209	64	36	68	41	65
Italy	4,834	6,201	1,341	1,525	1,552	1,783	1,528
Netherlands	1,258	1,414	288	327	337	462	477
Poland	815	1,068	236	248	294	290	342
Portugal	891	1,218	309	302	303	304	220
Russian Federation	111	107	30	41	18	18	6
Spain	4,543	5,638	1,173	1,005	1,739	1,721	1,203
Sweden	365	424	76	65	83	200	80
Switzerland	1,492	1,779	406	373	459	541	492
Turkey	5,146	5,475	1,107	1,254	1,798	1,316	1,086
United Kingdom	3,304	4,203	783	1,266	1,070	1,084	1,235
Other countries	2,063	4,378	956	892	1,288	1,242	1,059
Asia	119,689	163,842	31,897	45,165	43,699	43,081	36,387
China	38,099	47,083	10,737	10,587	12,843	12,916	9,185
Hong Kong (S.A.R) ²	754	1,055	261	291	236	267	119
India	33,534	28,419	4,210	10,856	6,326	7,027	5,557
Indonesia	4,022	5,179	1,101	1,310	1,393	1,375	986
Iran	13	12	3	1	3	5	4
Japan	5,202	5,942	1,168	1,381	1,593	1,800	1,718
Korea, Republic of	1,898	2,424	504	559	761	600	692
Malaysia	3,757	5,180	1,083	1,086	1,694	1,317	962
Myanmar	38	48	8	11	10	19	13
Pakistan	915	1,522	261	437	421	403	213
Philippines	93	155	39	21	49	46	44
Saudi Arabia	283	549	109	122	98	220	55

¹ Provisional ² S₁

² Special Administrative Region of China ³ Formerly S

³ Formerly Swaziland ⁴ Revised

Table 13 - Imports by country of origin, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (c.i.f) : Rs Million

Country of origin	2021	2022 ⁴		20)22 ⁴		2023 ¹
	2021	2022	1 st Qtr	2 nd Qtr	3 rd Qtr	4 th Qtr	1 st Qtr
Asia (cont'd)							
Singapore	1,296	1,741	244	309	618	570	490
Thailand	3,480	4,648	1,065	917	1,241	1,425	946
United Arab Emirates	18,994	26,300	6,864	10,555	4,221	4,660	13,236
Viet Nam	2,222	3,379	685	981	829	884	679
Other countries	5,089	30,206	3,555	5,741	11,363	9,547	1,488
frica	26,209	39,632	10,445	9,697	8,315	11,175	7,973
Cameroon	127	113	30	69	2	12	63
Congo	5	12	4	4	2	2	4
Egypt	1,366	2,174	583	587	459	545	558
Kenya	1,834	2,244	419	632	443	750	535
Madagascar	1,159	1,796	310	609	352	525	530
Mali	51	185	38	38	38	71	63
Morocco	260	542	73	167	96	206	111
Mozambique	214	638	86	187	152	213	72
Reunion	110	112	23	40	21	28	42
Seychelles	2,731	3,032	722	599	536	1,175	840
South Africa	17,173	26,475	7,541	6,250	5,528	7,156	4,543
Kingdom of Eswatini ³	24	49	9	12	14	14	13
Tanzania	6	217	6	3	65	143	83
Zambia	154	144	106	-	18	20	17
Zimbabwe	209	598	301	196	16	85	60
Other countries	786	1,301	194	304	573	230	439
nerica	12,260	15,977	4,176	3,463	5,100	3,238	3,543
Argentina	2,834	4,545	1,015	1,224	1,732	574	1,083
Brazil	2,809	3,013	1,036	209	1,243	525	267
Canada	351	364	73	76	125	90	66
Chile	33	75	12	21	14	28	30
Mexico	283	366	83	61	101	121	120
U. S. A.	4,938	6,202	1,626	1,496	1,527	1,553	1,865
Other countries	1,012	1,412	331	376	358	347	112
eeania	5,179	8,751	1,900	1,832	2,531	2,488	1,683
Australia	2,595	5,057	1,136	730	1,562	1,629	888
New Zealand	2,580	3,692	764	1,102	968	858	794
Other countries	4	2	-	-	1	1	1

¹ Provisional

² Special Administrative Region of China

Table 14 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value : Rs Thousand

	20	21	202	22 ⁴	, et	0	and)22 ⁴	Q.	, th	0	202	
ACP States	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	1 st Imports:	Qtr Exports ¹ :	2 nd Imports:	Qtr Exports ¹ :	3 rd Imports:	Qtr Exports ¹ :	4 th Imports:	Qtr Exports ¹ :	l ^{3*} Imports:	Qtr Exports ¹ :
	value(c.i.f.)		value(c.i.f.)		value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b)		value(f.o.b)	-	value(f.o.b)	*	value(f.o.b)	*	value(f.o.b)
Total	24,211,522	20,098,861	36,516,727	24,595,484	9,691,151	5,454,304	8,835,533	5,808,766		6,905,068		6,427,346	7,152,229	5,289,987
Antigua & Barbuda	11	-	2,931	-	1,204	-	34	-	1,675	-	18	-	56	-
Bahamas	-	17	37	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22
Barbados	11	-	519	-	301	-	-	-	202	-	16	-	-	-
Belize	549	-	1,849	-	-	-	-	-	1,843	-	6	-	-	-
Benin	241	2,805	372,058	7,286	31,733	-	94,492	7,286	245,833	-	-	-	211,270	-
Botswana	826	11,457	6,706	43,439	765	5,347	511	36,437	644	197	4,786	1,458	448	-
Burkina Faso	57,732	8	65,985	31	22	-	56,553	-	9,410	-	-	31	152	-
Burundi	14	4,615	-	4,640	-	-	-	2,564	-	1,240	-	836	-	87
Cameroon	126,843	27,883	113,194	20,557	30,124	12,727	68,866	3,810	1,832	584	12,372	3,436	62,750	-
Chad	31,289	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Comoros	6,375	278,246	1,639	250,183	589	55,399	996	57,323	54	62,008	-	75,453	13	89,32
Congo	5,160	11,122	11,823	8,700	4,361	1,465	4,181	783	1,605	5,259	1,676	1,193	4,094	6,89
Cook Islands	1,443	2	12,802	20,725	-	-	283	-	12,011	149	508	20,576	2,702	9,95
Côte D'Ivoire	28,853	17,595	52,802	12,858	529	7,242	1,549	99	48,423	4,927	2,301	590	5,940	13,14
Cuba	4,902	-	6,145	131	1,001	-	1,984	131	115	-	3,045	-	2,350	17
Ethiopia	3,330	203	5,232	529	688	129	24	400	240	-	4,280	-	344	
Fiji	-	-	76	-	-	-	-	-	76	-	-	-	-	-
Gabon	1,547	557	12,316	162	5,403	-	-	162	-	-	6,913	-	-	21
Gambia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-
Ghana	808	29,493	16,729	27,484	8,261	5,598	4,234	9,395	3,924	3,764	310	8,727	359	4,91
Guinea	2,992	-	1,110	20	251	20	208	-	212	-	439	-	56	-
Kenya	1,834,085	2,114,263	2,244,304	2,536,767	418,672	551,937	632,072	504,810	442,856	806,515	750,704	673,505	535,170	296,14
Lesotho	51,973	60,623	14,073	14,354	12,372	13,192	520	157	674	85	507	920	712	18
Liberia	28,764	5,444	10,780	1,019	8,515	1,019	30	-	1,740	-	495	-	4,150	-
Madagascar	1,159,383	5,392,663	1,795,553	7,450,638	309,505	1,559,809	608,891	2,031,658	352,237	1,908,395	524,920	1,950,776	530,458	1,345,80

Table 14 - Trade with African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) States, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

31

			Value : Rs Thousand 2023 ²											
	20	21	2022 ⁴		1 st Qtr		2. nd	Qtr 202	22 ⁴	Qtr	4 th	Qtr		23 Otr
ACP States	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	Imports:	Exports ¹ :	Imports:	Exports ¹ :
	value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b)	value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b)	value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b)	value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b)	value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b)	value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b)	value(c.i.f.)	value(f.o.b
Malawi	36,248	11,414	157,660	9,235	1,298	373	1,267	4,432	51,771	2,969	103,324	1,461	6,012	740
Mali	51,481	51	185,230	-	37,918	-	38,277	-	37,890	-	71,145	-	63,350	-
Micronesia	479	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mozambique	213,632	163,639	637,879	236,793	85,709	43,523	186,808	62,337	151,909	74,892	213,453	56,041	71,655	75,010
Namibia	32,300	14,065	56,154	102,854	6,624	84,527	17,957	1,971	20,842	4,992	10,731	11,364	13,060	26,638
Nigeria	1,426	6,795	5,903	3,004	439	119	1,702	2,561	846	183	2,916	141	101	83
Niue	-	-	91	-	41	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	10	-
Rwanda	66	87,174	4,515	34,984	2,885	3,504	223	5,998	233	5,462	1,174	20,020	2,173	3,141
Samoa	-	38,033	76	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76	-	-	-
Senegal	488	29	102,994	6,647	-	6,354	27,175	-	75,818	67	1	226	130	2
Seychelles	2,730,849	983,955	3,032,127	1,215,749	722,043	301,892	599,177	355,052	535,538	271,763	1,175,369	287,042	839,604	242,149
Sierra Leone	3,638	-	2,081	827	728	797	384	29	719	-	250	1	634	1,030
Solomon Islands	5,430	-	2,441	-	1,264	-	1,177	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
South Africa	17,172,969	9,677,052	26,474,573	11,089,581	7,540,856	2,452,766	6,250,268	2,515,648	5,528,496	3,509,838	7,154,953	2,611,329	4,542,799	2,184,282
Sudan	-	9,787	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kingdom of Eswatini ³	23,829	203,895	48,841	167,549	9,049	47,164	12,039	23,326	13,515	55,220	14,238	41,839	12,865	41,856
Tanzania, United Republic Of	5,787	101,730	216,991	557,023	6,052	78,717	3,221	28,274	64,623	5,367	143,095	444,665	83,491	397,565
Togo	30,015	843	92	26	-	-	-	-	-	5	92	21	-	-
Trinidad & Tobago	242	-	424	1,951	-	-	-	1,951	-	-	424	-	480	-
Uganda	124,865	16,705	34,912	67,951	19,930	58,164	-	2,864	12,267	2,405	2,715	4,518	62,598	350
Vanuatu	-	572	-	314	-	168	-	-	-	146	-	-	-	-
Zambia	154,166	680	143,588	17,735	105,628	1,117	-	415	18,400	8,595	19,560	7,608	17,442	3,000
Zimbabwe	209,057	98,527	598,029	92,775	300,629	31,030	195,552	18,139	15,812	28,263	86,036	15,343	59,656	28,03
Other	67,424	726,919	63,463	590,963	15,725	130,205	24,878	130,754	8,968	141,778	13,892	188,226	15,134	518,44

32

													vait	e : Rs Thousand
		021		2022 4				20	022 ⁴				202	
COMESA States		021	202	.2	1 st	Qtr	2 nd	^d Qtr	3 rd (Qtr	4 th Qtr		1 st	Qtr
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)												
Total	7,648,555	9,219,326	10,243,739	11,906,804	2,473,900	2,619,525	2,637,170	3,007,724	1,902,184	3,159,031	3,230,485	3,120,524	2,624,480	2,056,276
Burundi	14	4,615	-	4,640	-	-	-	2,564	-	1,240	-	836	-	871
Comoros	6,375	278,246	1,639	250,183	589	55,399	996	57,323	54	62,008	-	75,453	13	89,327
Djibouti	-	10,229	294	46,091	6	5,439	288	699	-	5,010	-	34,943	-	2,243
D. R. Congo	-	7	2,627	1,188	-	2	-	-	-	1,186	2,627	-	-	-
Egypt	1,366,287	6,963	2,174,414	10,788	582,979	3,567	586,637	43	459,261	-	545,537	7,178	558,146	2,608
Eritrea	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ethiopia	3,330	203	5,232	529	688	129	24	400	240	-	4,280	-	344	3
Kenya	1,834,085	2,114,263	2,244,304	2,536,767	418,672	551,937	632,072	504,810	442,856	806,515	750,704	673,505	535,170	296,146
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	-	-	4	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-		-
Madagascar	1,159,383	5,392,663	1,795,553	7,450,638	309,505	1,559,809	608,891	2,031,658	352,237	1,908,395	524,920	1,950,776	530,458	1,345,802
Malawi	36,248	11,414	157,660	9,235	1,298	373	1,267	4,432	51,771	2,969	103,324	1,461	6,012	740
Rwanda	66	87,174	4,515	34,984	2,886	3,504	223	5,998	233	5,462	1,173	20,020	2,173	3,141
Seychelles	2,730,849	983,955	3,032,127	1,215,749	722,043	301,892	599,177	355,052	535,538	271,763	1,175,369	287,042	839,604	242,149
Sudan	-	9,787	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kingdom of Eswatini ³	23,829	203,895	48,841	167,549	9,049	47,164	12,039	23,326	13,515	55,220	14,238	41,839	12,865	41,856
Uganda	124,865	16,705	34,912	67,951	19,930	58,164	-	2,864	12,267	2,405	2,715	4,518	62,598	350
Zambia	154,166	680	143,588	17,735	105,628	1,117	-	415	18,400	8,595	19,560	7,608	17,442	3,006
Zimbabwe	209,057	98,527	598,029	92,775	300,629	31,030	195,552	18,139	15,812	28,263	86,036	15,343	59,656	28,035

¹ Excluding Ship's stores and Bunkers ² Provisional

³ Formerly Swaziland ⁴ Revised

Table 16 - Trade with SADC States, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value : Rs Thousand

33

	20	21	202	aa 4			202	23 ²						
SADC States	20	21	202	22	1 st	Qtr	2 nd	Qtr	3 rd	Qtr	4^{th}	Qtr	1 st	Qtr
	Imports: value(c.i.f.)	Exports ¹ : value(f.o.b)												
Total	21,801,751	16,777,936	33,191,703	21,020,552	9,102,935	4,621,140	7,878,423	5,082,231	6,755,645	5,883,364	9,454,700	5,433,817	6,182,852	4,356,842
Angola	10,731	58,228	6,900	21,638	2,405	1,680	2,212	4,386	1,185	11,601	1,098	3,971	4,650	11,574
Botswana	826	11,457	6,706	43,439	765	5,347	511	36,437	644	197	4,786	1,458	448	-
D.R Congo	-	7	2,627	1,188	-	2	-	-	-	1,186	2,627	-	-	-
Lesotho	51,973	60,623	14,073	14,354	12,372	13,192	520	157	674	85	507	920	712	184
Madagascar	1,159,383	5,392,663	1,795,553	7,450,638	309,505	1,559,809	608,891	2,031,658	352,237	1,908,395	524,920	1,950,776	530,458	1,345,802
Malawi	36,248	11,414	157,660	9,235	1,298	373	1,267	4,432	51,771	2,969	103,324	1,461	6,012	740
Mozambique	213,632	163,639	637,879	236,793	85,709	43,523	186,808	62,337	151,909	74,892	213,453	56,041	71,655	75,010
Namibia	32,300	14,065	56,154	102,854	6,624	84,527	17,957	1,971	20,842	4,992	10,731	11,364	13,060	26,638
Seychelles	2,730,849	983,955	3,032,127	1,215,749	722,043	301,892	599,177	355,052	535,538	271,763	1,175,369	287,042	839,604	242,149
South Africa	17,172,969	9,677,052	26,474,573	11,089,581	7,540,856	2,452,766	6,250,268	2,515,648	5,528,496	3,509,838	7,154,953	2,611,329	4,542,799	2,184,282
Kingdom of Eswatini ³	23,829	203,895	48,841	167,549	9,049	47,164	12,039	23,326	13,515	55,220	14,238	41,839	12,865	41,856
Tanzania, United Republic Of	5,787	101,730	216,991	557,023	6,052	78,717	3,221	28,274	64,623	5,367	143,095	444,665	83,491	397,565
Zambia	154,166	680	143,588	17,735	105,628	1,117	-	415	18,400	8,595	19,560	7,608	17,442	3,006
Zimbabwe	209,057	98,527	598,029	92,775	300,629	31,030	195,552	18,139	15,812	28,263	86,036	15,343	59,656	28,035

	2021		2022 ² Year				2023 ¹							
Currency	Year	•			1 st Qtr		2 nd Qtr		3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qt	ir
	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share
US Dollar	41,822,610	59.8	50,313,739	60.5	11,046,403	62.5	12,323,263	60.2	13,909,606	62.6	13,034,467	57.3	11,239,070	53.3
Euro	23,625,147	33.8	27,702,633	33.3	5,597,239	31.7	6,737,888	32.9	6,884,314	31.0	8,483,192	37.3	8,461,563	40.1
Pound Sterling	1,832,282	2.6	2,335,391	2.8	508,465	2.9	694,756	3.4	543,335	2.4	588,835	2.6	776,268	3.7
Rand	1,826,587	2.6	1,805,901	2.2	318,473	1.8	455,762	2.2	602,319	2.7	429,347	1.9	360,891	1.7
Swiss Franc	689,021	1.0	819,260	1.0	182,108	1.0	207,204	1.0	235,982	1.1	193,966	0.9	207,142	1.0
Canadian Dollar	1,842	0.0	518	0.0	33	0.0	46	0.0	-	0.0	439	0.0	13,584	0.1
Seychelles Rupee	21,986	0.0	60,168	0.1	7,250	0.0	14,955	0.1	21,342	0.1	16,621	0.1	12,099	0.1
Other currencies	60,524	0.1	72,563	0.1	19,756	0.1	20,829	0.1	14,596	0.1	17,382	0.1	16,283	0.1
Total	69,879,999	100.0	83,110,173	100.0	17,679,727	100.0	20,454,703	100.0	22,211,494	100.0	22,764,249	100.0	21,086,900	100.0

Table 17 - Exports (excluding ship's stores and bunkers) by currency, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

¹ Provisional ²

² Revised

Table 18 - Total Imports by currency, 2021 - 1st Quarter 2023

Value (c.i.f): Rs Thousand

	2021		2022	2				202	22 ²				2023	1
Currency	Year		Year		1 st Qt	r	2 nd Q	tr	3 rd Qtr		4 th Qtr		1 st Qt	r
	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share	Value	% share
US Dollar	153,308,224	71.4	212,754,119	72.8	45,175,055	73.0	56,673,667	75.0	56,555,827	73.4	54,349,570	70.0	45,596,631	69.5
Euro	43,293,989	20.2	55,840,668	19.1	11,904,314	19.2	13,324,535	17.6	14,332,200	18.6	16,279,619	21.0	14,402,008	21.9
Rand	7,669,934	3.6	9,361,993	3.2	1,967,674	3.2	2,131,476	2.8	2,413,346	3.1	2,849,497	3.7	2,154,251	3.3
Yen	4,167,045	1.9	5,181,896	1.8	1,004,556	1.6	1,118,590	1.5	1,364,536	1.8	1,694,214	2.2	1,424,644	2.2
Pound Sterling	2,285,679	1.1	2,973,571	1.0	562,147	0.9	960,932	1.3	741,579	1.0	708,913	0.9	654,565	1.0
Australian Dollar	1,173,104	0.5	1,633,559	0.6	296,304	0.5	380,104	0.5	526,887	0.7	430,264	0.6	376,617	0.6
Swiss Franc	737,184	0.3	1,014,813	0.3	232,803	0.4	199,709	0.3	256,844	0.3	325,457	0.4	262,818	0.4
UAE Dirham	187,395	0.1	525,804	0.2	61,583	0.1	168,082	0.2	124,635	0.2	171,504	0.2	177,576	0.3
Indian Rupee	288,417	0.1	900,326	0.3	323,678	0.5	118,125	0.2	242,399	0.3	216,124	0.3	173,996	0.3
Singapore Dollar	598,568	0.3	659,601	0.2	150,749	0.2	171,026	0.2	158,191	0.2	179,635	0.2	131,975	0.2
Yuan Renminbi	456,362	0.2	503,557	0.2	71,645	0.1	102,618	0.1	122,376	0.2	206,918	0.3	102,119	0.2
Other Currencies	670,268	0.3	761,671	0.3	158,537	0.3	185,482	0.2	176,195	0.2	241,457	0.3	184,946	0.3
Total	214,836,169	100.0	292,111,578	100.0	61,909,045	100.0	75,534,346		77,015,015	100.0	77,653,172	100.0	65,642,146	

¹ Provisional ² Revised

Note: Breakdowns may not add up to totals due to rounding

35

Statistics Mauritius

LIC Centre,

John Kennedy Street, Port Louis, MAURITIUS

T: +230 208 1800

F: +230 211 4150

W: https://statsmauritius.govmu.org

E: statsmauritius@govmu.org