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Standard Symbols Used

The following symbols are used in this publication:

c	Corrected
FY	Fiscal Year (Apr.1 - Mar.31)
n.a	Not available
p	Provisional
p.a	Provisional actual
r	Revised
-	Nil or negligible
#	Less than half the unit employed

CHAPTER 1
FOREIGN TRADE

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FOREIGN TRADE | ANALYSIS

Foreign Trade is the exchange of capital, goods and services between different countries or territories. The pattern of foreign trade in a country changes along with its economic growth and development. The extent of foreign trade taking place depends upon the comparative advantage of a country. Foreign trade consists of export and import of goods and services.

In 2017-2018 October to September, the total trade was \$35,895.4 million in which export was \$16,446.7 million and import was \$19,448.7 million. The trade balance had a deficit of \$3,002.0 million.

In 2018-2019 October to March, the total trade was \$17,050.5 million in which export was \$8,254.2 million and import was \$8,796.3 million. The trade balance had a deficit of \$542.1 million.

The most important exports in Myanmar are manufactured products whereas the non-electric machinery and transport equipment are the major products of imports.

Not only a large majority of Myanmar exports but also the main origin of Myanmar imports goes to China.

■ VALUE OF FOREIGN TRADE

In 2017-2018 (October-September), total foreign trade in Myanmar amounted to \$35,895.4 million, an increase of 11.1% compared to the previous year. Over the same period, domestic exports increased by 11.1% and general imports increased by 3.6%.

In 2016-2017 (October-September), total trade increased by 18.0% compared to the previous year. Over this period, domestic exports increased by 10.2% and general imports increased by 11.3%.

The share of domestic exports in all exports was 63.2% in 2017-2018 (October-September), a decrease compared to its share of 69.6% in 2016-2017 (October-September). The share of general imports in all imports was 89.7% in 2017-2018 (October-September), an increase compared to its share of 89.3% in 2016-2017 (October-September).

When comparing March 2018 and March 2019, total trade decreased by 0.9%, domestic exports increased by 12.3% and general imports decreased by 20.3%.

In March 2019, the share of domestic exports in all exports was 63.7% and for general imports it was 89.5%.

■ NORMAL AND BORDER TRADE

In 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September), normal exports increased by 23.4%, border exports increased by 20.8% and normal imports increased by 2.9%; and border imports increased by 4.2%.

In 2016-2017 (October-September) compared to 2015-2016 (October-September), normal exports and normal imports increased by 31.4% and 2.4%; border trade of imports and exports have increased; border exports by 19.5% and border imports by 5.9%.

The share of normal exports in total exports was 64.0% in 2017-2018 (October-September), an increase compared to its share of 63.5% in 2016-2017 (October-September). The share of normal imports in total imports was 84.4% in 2017-2018 (October-September), a decrease compared to its share of 84.6% in 2016-2017 (October-September).

TRADE BY SECTOR

In 2017-2018 (October-September), both government exports (10.5%) and imports (31.8%) increased compared to the previous year. Over this period, private exports (27.9%) and imports (1.0%) also increased compared to the previous year.

In 2016-2017 (October-September), both government exports and imports decreased compared to the previous year, by 7.6% and 62.2 % respectively. Over the same period, private exports and imports increased by 37.0% and 21.6% respectively.

The share of government exports in total exports was 28.2% in 2017-2018 (October-September), a decrease compared to its share of 31.2% in 2016-2017 (October-September). The share of government imports in total imports was 6.8% in 2017-2018 (October-September), an increase compared to its share of 6.7% in 2016-2017 (October-September).

TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

China is, by far, the main destination for Myanmar exports: it represented 37.2% of total exports in 2017-2018 (October-September) and 38.9% in 2016-2017 (October-September). In 2017-2018 (October-September), the next four largest destinations are Thailand (18.3%), Japan (7.7%), Hongkong (3.4%) and Singapore (2.9%).

China is the main origin for Myanmar imports: imports from China represented 31.6% of total Myanmar imports in 2017-2018 (October-September) and 32.7% in 2016-2017 (October-September). In 2017-2018 (October-September) the next four main origins for imports are Singapore (18.9% of total imports), Thailand (13.2%), India (5.0%) and Indonesia (4.9%). The previous year, main partners for imports were Singapore (13.8%), Thailand (11.5%), Japan (5.9%) and India (4.9%).

TRADE BY COMMODITY GROUP

Exports are presented according to seven main groups of commodities. In 2017-2018 (October-September), the most important exports were manufactured products, agricultural products and mineral products. Within these groups, the major products are rice, matpe, maize, green mung bean, raw rubber and sesame seeds for agricultural products; gas and garment for manufactured products; and, jade for mineral products.

Imports are presented for three main groups, of which, the two main ones in 2017-2018 (October-September) are capital goods and intermediate goods. The major products are non-electric machinery and transport equipment, base metals and manufactures, electric machinery and apparatus for capital goods, and refined mineral oil, edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oil for intermediate goods.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES BY COUNTRY

In March 2019, major commodities exported to China are gas, base metal and ores, green mung bean, raw rubber and rice and broken rice and main exports to Thailand are gas, fish and fish product, base metal and ores, garment and maize.

Main commodities imported from China are base metals and manufactures, non-electric machinery and transport equipment, fabric of artificial and synthetics fabric and electrical machinery and apparatus. While major imports from Singapore are refined mineral oil, chemical elements and compounds, milk condensed and non-electric machinery and transport equipment.

1.1 VALUE OF FOREIGN TRADE

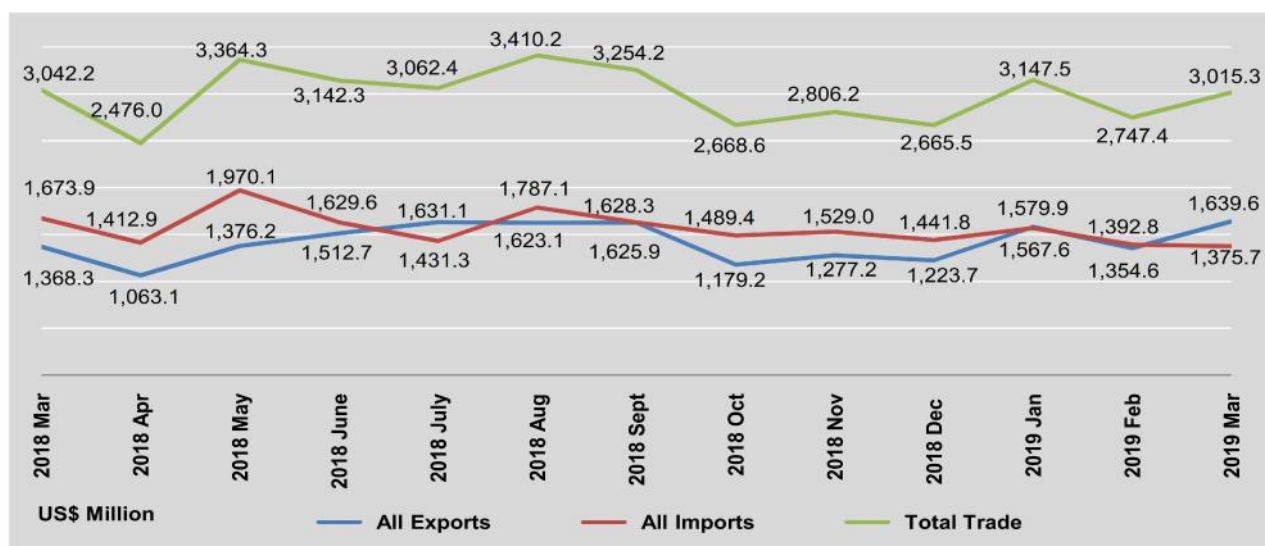
Include border trade, US\$ Million

FY	Total Trade	Exports		Imports		Trade Balance
		Domestic Exports	All Exports *	General Imports	All Imports **	
2016-2017 (October-September)	32,296.5	9,352.9	13,432.2	16,838.1	18,864.3	-5,432.1
2017-2018 (October-September)	35,895.4	10,391.5	16,446.7	17,447.7	19,448.7	-3,002.0
2018-2019 (October-March)	17,050.5	5,125.0	8,254.2	7,538.4	8,796.3	-542.1
2018						
March	3,042.2	929.2	1,368.3	1,544.8	1,673.9	-305.6
April	2,476.0	674.2	1,063.1	1,263.4	1,412.9	-349.8
May	3,364.3	902.5	1,376.2	1,753.1	1,970.1	-593.9
June	3,142.3	954.6	1,512.7	1,430.6	1,629.6	-116.9
July	3,062.4	921.0	1,631.1	1,280.6	1,431.3	199.8
August	3,410.2	782.7	1,623.1	1,617.5	1,787.1	-164.0
September	3,254.2	794.7	1,625.9	1,464.5	1,628.3	-2.4
October	2,668.6	685.8	1,179.2	1,249.8	1,489.4	-310.2
November	2,806.2	791.0	1,277.2	1,332.1	1,529.0	-251.8
December	2,665.5	760.1	1,223.7	1,276.0	1,441.8	-218.1
2019						
January	3,147.5 (r)	1,023.0	1,579.9	1,313.6	1,567.6 (r)	12.3 (r)
February	2,747.4	821.3	1,354.6	1,136.1	1,392.8	-38.2
March	3,015.3	1,043.8	1,639.6	1,230.8	1,375.7	263.9

* All exports include re-exports.

Source: Customs Department.

** All imports include draw-back items.



1.2 NORMAL AND BORDER TRADE

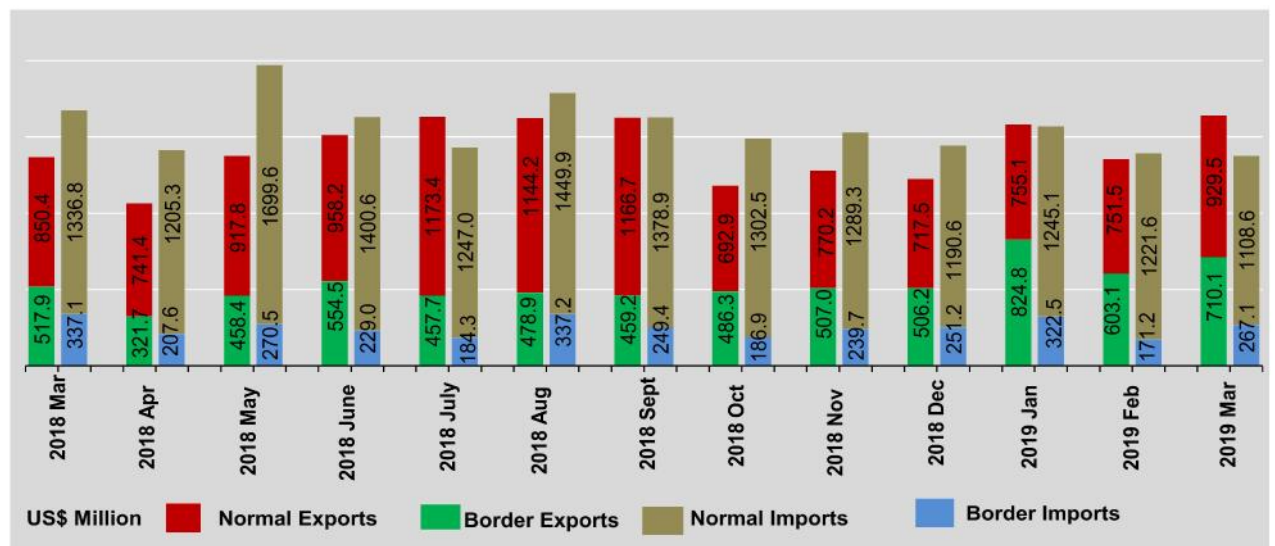
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FY	Total Trade	Exports *			Imports **			Trade Balance
		Total	Normal	Border	Total	Normal	Border	
2016-2017 (October-September)	32,296.5	13,432.2	8,532.5	4,899.7	18,864.3	15,951.7	2,912.6	-5,432.1
2017-2018 (October-September)	35,895.4	16,446.7	10,525.7	5,921.0	19,448.7	16,413.4	3,035.3	-3,002.0
2018-2019 (October-March)	17,050.5	8,254.2	4,616.7	3,637.5	8,796.3	7,357.7	1,438.6	-542.1
2018								
March	3,042.2	1,368.3	850.4	517.9	1,673.9	1,336.8	337.1	-305.6
April	2,476.0	1,063.1	741.4	321.7	1,412.9	1,205.3	207.6	-349.8
May	3,346.3	1,376.2	917.8	458.4	1,970.1	1,699.6	270.5	-593.9
June	3,142.3	1,512.7	958.2	554.5	1,629.6	1,400.6	229.0	-116.9
July	3,062.4	1,631.1	1,173.4	457.7	1,431.3	1,247.0	184.3	199.8
August	3,410.2	1,623.1	1,144.2	478.9	1,787.1	1,449.9	337.2	-164.0
September	3,254.2	1,625.9	1,166.7	459.2	1,628.3	1,378.9	249.4	-2.4
October	2,668.6	1,179.2	692.9	486.3	1,489.4	1,302.5	186.9	-310.2
November	2,806.2	1,277.2	770.2	507.0	1,529.0	1,289.3	239.7	-251.8
December	2,665.5	1,223.7	717.5	506.2	1,441.8	1,190.6	251.2	-218.1
2019								
January	3,147.5 (r)	1,579.9	755.1	824.8	1,567.6 (r)	1,245.1 (r)	322.5	12.3 (r)
February	2,747.4	1,354.6	751.5	603.1	1,392.8	1,221.6	171.2	-38.2
March	3,015.3	1,639.6	929.5	710.1	1,375.7	1,108.6	267.1	263.9

* All exports include re-export

Source: Customs Department.

** All imports include draw-back items



1.3 TRADE BY SECTOR

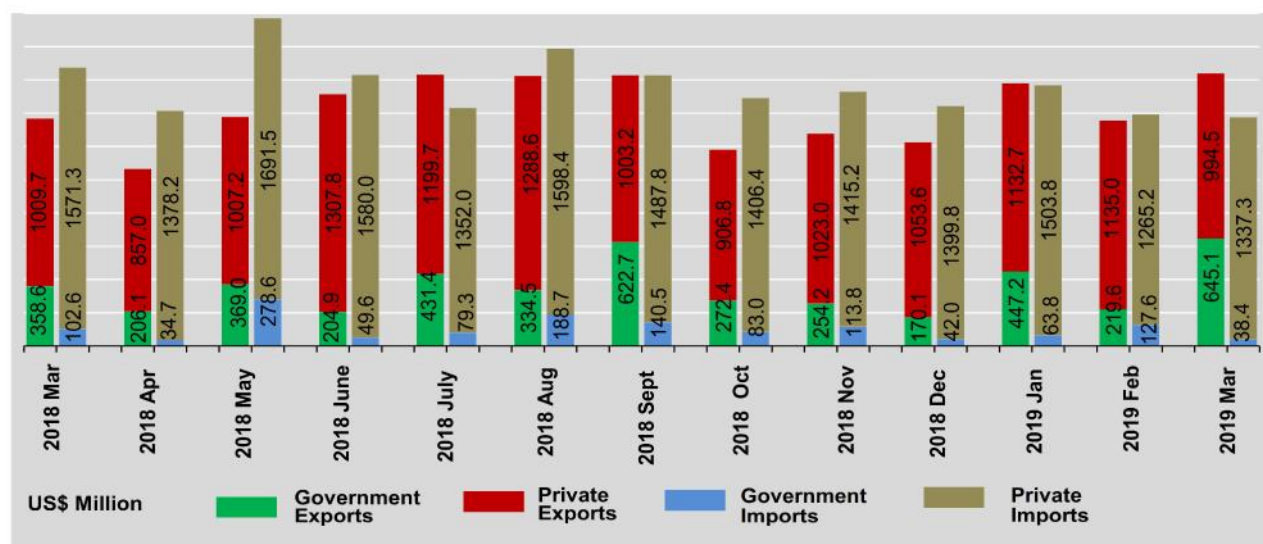
Include border trade, US\$ Million

FY	Exports *			Imports **		
	Total	Government	Private	Total	Government	Private
2016-2017 (October-September)	13,432.2	4,197.5	9,234.7	18,864.3	1,276.7	17,587.6
2017-2018 (October-September)	16,446.7	4,637.6	11,809.1	19,448.7	1,326.1	18,122.6
2018-2019 (October-March)	8,254.2	2,008.6	6,245.6	8,796.3	468.6	8,327.7
2018						
March	1,368.3	358.6	1,009.7	1,673.9	102.6	1,571.3
April	1,063.1	206.1	857.0	1,412.9	34.7	1,378.2
May	1,376.2	369.0	1,007.2	1,970.1	278.6	1,691.5
June	1,512.7	204.9	1,307.8	1,629.6	49.6	1,580.0
July	1,631.1	431.4	1,199.7	1,431.3	79.3	1,352.0
August	1,623.1	334.5	1,288.6	1,787.1	188.7	1,598.4
September	1,625.9	622.7	1,003.2	1,628.3	140.5	1,487.8
October	1,179.2	272.4	906.8	1,489.4	83.0	1,406.4
November	1,277.2	254.2	1,023.0	1,529.0	113.8	1,415.2
December	1,223.7	170.1	1,053.6	1,441.8	42.0	1,399.8
2019						
January	1,579.9	447.2	1,132.7	1,567.6 (r)	63.8	1,503.8 (r)
February	1,354.6	219.6	1,135.0	1,392.8	127.6 (r)	1,265.2 (r)
March	1,639.6	645.1	994.5	1,375.7	38.4	1,337.3

* All exports include re-export

Source: Customs Department.

** All imports include draw-back items

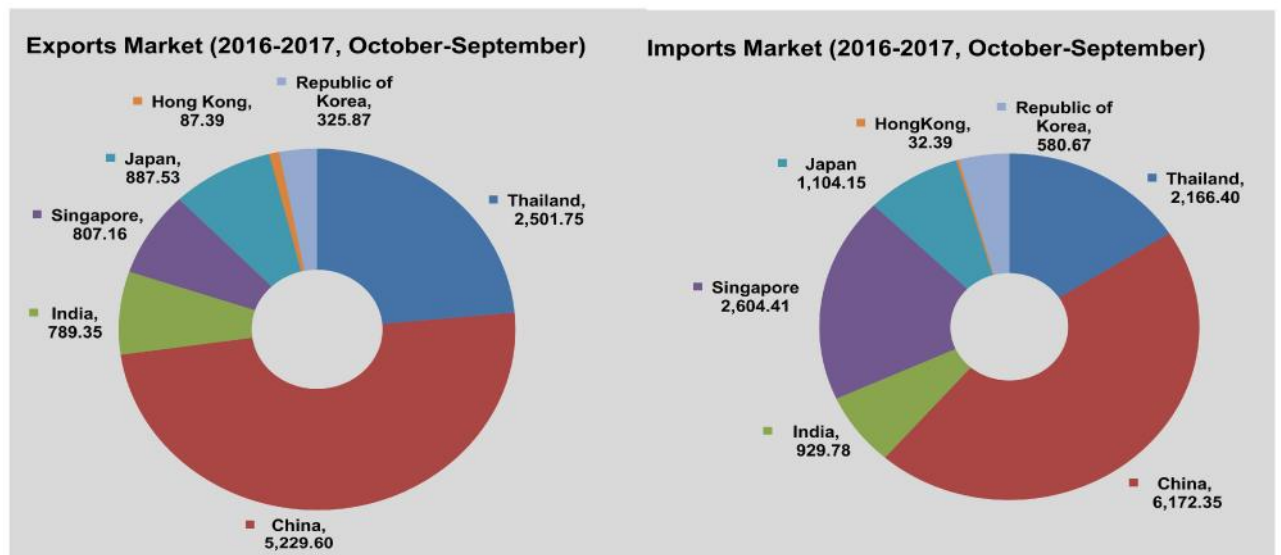


1.4 TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

Include border trade for Thailand, China and India, US\$ Million

FY	Thailand		China		Malaysia		India	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	2,501.75	2,166.40	5,229.60	6,172.35	190.42	955.09	789.35	929.78
2017-2018 (October-September)	3,017.30	2,561.74	6,124.89	6,137.27	247.41	908.64	441.98	981.81
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,581.48	1,042.10	2,555.28	3,012.29	105.24	316.67	337.47	444.67
2018								
March	266.85	269.62	524.38	492.12	36.98	50.98	34.42	60.13
April	235.91	160.73	312.56	477.08	19.95	65.82	23.37	66.33
May	244.13	189.40	481.75	621.87	21.34	258.45	28.89	64.99
June	238.46	192.40	580.44	579.12	27.40	43.35	54.18	63.03
July	248.56	261.20	524.49	469.81	12.08	40.44	74.75	79.88
August	265.59	354.19	505.77	518.73	18.99	42.28	57.85	136.59
September	337.29	240.67	499.46	448.65	22.22	28.11	52.99	97.58
October	308.88	173.28	299.23	499.70	13.33	36.97	58.49	94.87
November	257.47	199.37	352.75	512.90	30.88	72.52	72.79	74.50
December	220.46	160.07	345.29	502.10	10.74	58.57	67.82	69.76
2019								
January	244.28	171.36	609.29	611.64	14.25	47.12	70.37	77.20
February	254.53	154.84	433.82	447.47	17.76	39.78	29.76	64.67
March	295.86	183.18	514.90	438.48	18.28	61.71	38.24	63.67

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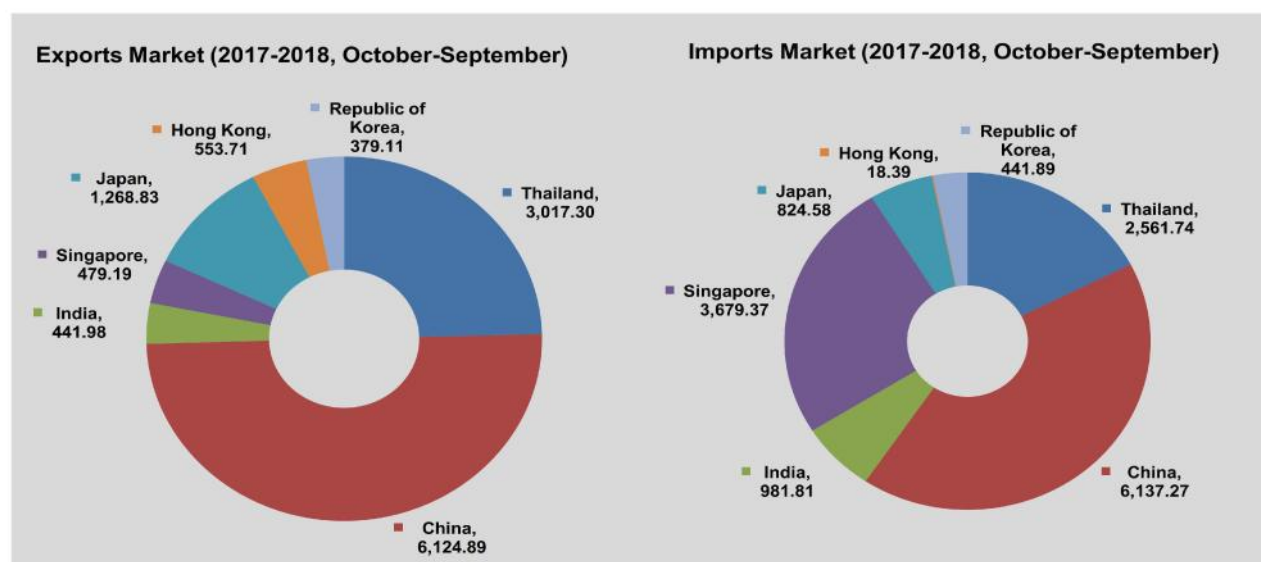


1.4 TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

US\$ Million

FY	Singapore		Japan		Republic of Korea		Germany	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	807.16	2,604.41	887.53	1,104.15	325.87	580.67	321.67	196.07
2017-2018 (October-September)	479.19	3,679.37	1,268.83	824.58	379.11	441.89	471.65	188.41
2018-2019 (October-March)	239.97	1,644.15	716.13	249.68	274.73	218.33	263.87	85.31
2018								
March	23.82	344.28	116.14	86.73	34.96	51.21	26.70	17.29
April	76.63	281.43	97.43	53.26	19.40	27.39	21.44	14.15
May	29.24	353.47	118.00	80.65	24.43	38.16	42.26	23.52
June	24.30	298.81	101.93	65.66	38.49	39.04	56.67	12.92
July	22.52	245.99	135.28	44.46	44.08	27.48	66.02	10.30
August	23.10	278.53	174.14	46.22	57.74	30.74	58.71	15.78
September	198.80	348.60	134.20	44.62	46.70	31.11	37.72	13.80
October	16.93	309.12	113.30	38.53	37.71	36.89	30.02	13.85
November	26.90	255.94	102.90	40.53	35.22	35.00	50.98	15.62
December	14.85	266.29	110.10	40.10	48.29	41.03	49.71	11.85
2019								
January	16.23	270.77	133.59	38.08	43.32	39.30	51.08	17.18
February	18.21	263.15	135.97	64.32	68.28	35.93	46.36	15.83
March	146.85	278.88	120.27	28.12	41.91	30.18	35.72	10.98

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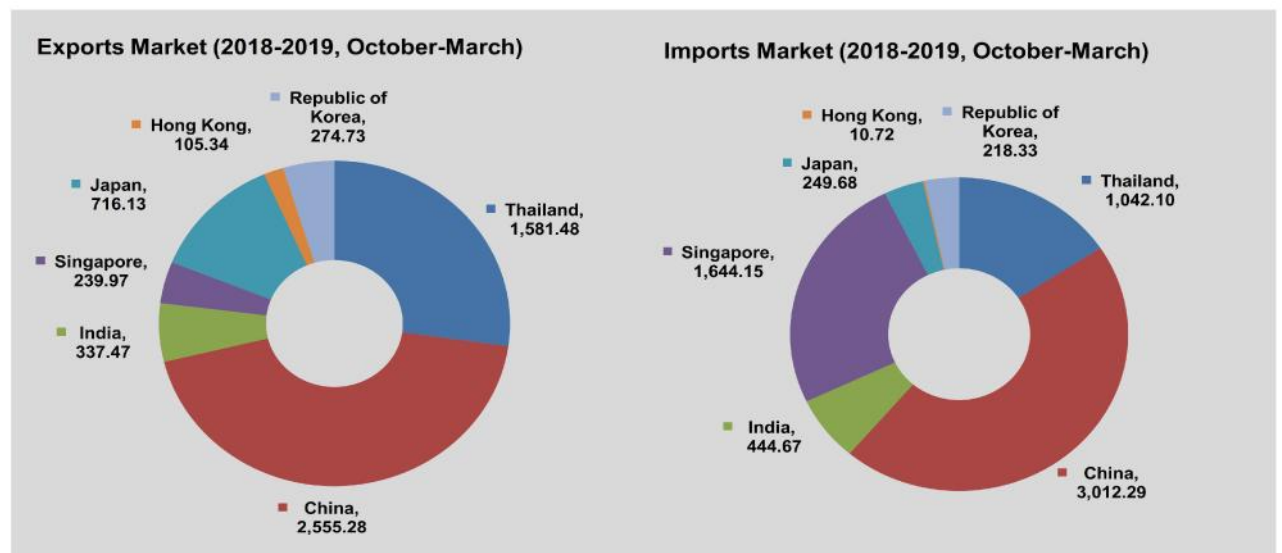


1.4 TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

US\$ Million

FY	Hong Kong		Indonesia		United States		United Kingdom	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	87.39	32.39	127.24	857.82	254.42	736.85	250.56	49.23
2017-2018 (October-September)	553.71	18.39	128.59	958.48	433.86	287.96	394.47	60.32
2018-2019 (October-March)	105.34	10.72	64.22	466.13	289.99	161.86	207.36	33.82
2018								
March	12.87	1.33	14.83	84.26	30.33	29.70	33.69	3.73
April	10.35	1.19	10.88	63.97	54.94	18.83	26.26	12.61
May	55.41	2.42	8.17	83.30	57.13	41.62	34.17	6.04
June	11.51	1.07	16.40	84.65	44.87	26.68	45.61	5.60
July	100.13	1.09	10.69	53.27	48.73	27.70	45.64	4.32
August	34.14	1.70	9.21	83.79	51.73	24.56	46.69	6.35
September	18.52	1.08	7.47	91.34	35.74	23.20	34.73	3.91
October	8.41	0.81	8.68	82.75	33.18	30.11	31.16	3.75
November	8.33	2.11	6.43	79.82	36.21	29.51	32.57	3.29
December	11.10	1.39	7.18	79.76	51.98	24.24	28.41	12.72
2019								
January	8.72	1.69	8.46	71.40	54.62	29.18	42.70	6.65
February	9.34	1.86	14.10	72.40	56.05	22.39	39.44	4.60
March	59.44	2.86	19.37	80.00	57.95	26.43	33.08	2.81

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1.4 TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

Include border trade for Bangladesh, US\$ Million

FY	Vietnam		United Arab Emirates		Bangladesh		Spain	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	138.86	532.56	65.89	110.23	66.37	23.27	133.57	29.20
2017-2018 (October-September)	179.59	583.97	71.48	77.43	151.87	24.64	257.44	20.86
2018-2019 (October-March)	141.87	278.94	45.47	59.04	32.70	14.83	215.47	7.63
2018								
March	11.00	44.98	6.18	3.93	17.29	1.87	19.04	1.84
April	9.12	55.88	4.70	6.85	5.30	2.00	10.53	1.65
May	12.11	46.67	5.09	11.82	8.57	2.56	18.74	1.75
June	13.85	44.22	5.04	7.13	5.19	2.26	31.82	3.64
July	49.07	43.55	5.01	7.27	3.29	1.44	38.45	1.30
August	35.67	51.98	6.70	5.74	8.33	2.70	42.13	1.29
September	13.89	50.24	5.62	6.44	4.72	1.68	27.58	0.70
October	11.68	45.56	12.24	7.37	7.01	2.09	30.79	0.80
November	17.60	51.67	7.66	8.88	2.87	2.37	27.18	1.53
December	18.60	50.37	8.05	3.11	3.42	4.35	38.82	1.66
2019								
January	16.88	48.31	6.01	16.14	3.84	2.34	46.85	1.58
February	19.62	34.17	4.84	10.40	2.91	1.55	46.84	1.13
March	57.49	48.86	6.67	13.14	12.65	2.13	24.99	0.93

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1.4 TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

US\$ Million

FY	Netherlands		Sweden		Saudi Arabia		Pakistan	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	149.28	57.26	25.48	43.48	31.14	118.18	60.87	68.02
2017-2018 (October-September)	306.79	35.98	51.08	43.67	21.43	144.78	56.00	98.61
2018-2019 (October-March)	192.41	17.08	38.97	25.26	10.52	71.17	14.02	14.37
2018								
March	21.39	3.42	3.07	1.56	1.49	15.07	7.21	5.36
April	20.79	2.74	2.00	3.61	0.16	10.58	5.78	5.37
May	36.46	1.99	5.32	0.67	0.57	10.76	5.19	6.29
June	46.13	1.85	7.36	10.03	0.78	10.30	5.49	11.91
July	36.47	2.62	8.37	3.72	1.27	10.69	2.18	16.04
August	40.14	2.98	6.74	0.40	1.11	12.68	2.70	20.30
September	33.00	4.78	5.27	14.39	1.44	9.76	2.88	11.16
October	35.41	2.07	6.40	12.04	1.07	11.16	3.33	3.91
November	29.41	3.89	5.54	8.31	1.61	10.69	0.99	2.37
December	28.05	2.79	7.36	0.50	1.50	11.77	1.97	2.57
2019								
January	40.18	3.36	7.47	2.55	1.77	11.95	1.83	2.48
February	30.08	1.75	5.74	0.37	1.89	9.89	1.82	1.77
March	29.28	3.22	6.46	1.49	2.68	15.71	4.08	1.27

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1.4 TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

US\$ Million

FY	Italy		Australia		France		Taiwan		Iran	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	84.69	118.56	26.08	151.32	61.11	194.91	22.48	123.45	1.04	38.46
2017-2018 (October-September)	155.55	125.41	20.81	125.41	106.76	231.67	31.01	184.45	0.50	64.97
2018-2019 (October-March)	90.58	38.66	12.98	78.84	119.41	82.99	17.41	72.70	0.17	26.62
2018										
March	7.30	20.43	1.64	11.64	7.02	9.48	4.21	20.78	0.08	2.20
April	13.64	4.98	1.40	10.49	5.84	7.94	3.03	13.43	0.06	5.87
May	19.59	6.74	2.51	7.52	15.10	33.64	2.39	20.94	0.07	6.50
June	20.61	6.27	1.96	9.63	12.16	34.57	1.79	13.11	0.06	5.11
July	23.85	6.89	2.02	8.38	18.69	5.04	3.40	16.34	0.04	4.47
August	18.13	5.84	2.39	14.69	10.63	47.82	4.74	14.66	-	6.75
September	9.65	39.74	1.78	11.92	8.26	29.58	3.27	15.55	0.02	5.61
October	13.30	5.28	1.77	10.53	13.95	3.83	2.30	10.82	-	9.71
November	19.60	5.44	2.19	13.85	58.15	7.75	2.89	15.38	0.05	1.60
December	15.15	6.06	2.09	16.65	13.02	5.62	2.10	12.03	0.06	2.26
2019										
January	16.71	6.48	2.07	16.14	17.70	6.64	3.32	11.55	0.02	3.68
February	16.09	11.20	2.16	11.33	9.78	52.49	3.27	12.79	-	4.97
March	9.73	4.20	2.70	10.34	6.81	6.66	3.53	10.13	0.04	4.40

Source: Customs Department.

1.5 TRADE BY COMMODITY GROUP

Include border trade, US\$ Million

Commodity	2015-2016 (October-September)	2016-2017 (October-September)	2017-2018 (October-September)	2018-2019 (October-March)
Exports				
Agricultural Products	2,721.6	3,043.1	2,882.3	1,696.3
Animal Products	8.4	10.6	229.2	277.9
Marine Products	500.4	634.6	709.9	430.1
Mineral Products	673.3	1,187.2	2,153.4	550.4
Forest Products	232.3	242.8	209.1	92.0
Manufactured Products	5,550.1	6,036.0	7,285.9	4,080.6
Others	1,595.4	2,277.9	2,976.9	1,126.9
Total Exports	11,281.5	13,432.2	16,446.7	8,254.2
Imports				
Capital goods	7,527.0	7,206.4	6,438.8	2,543.5
Intermediate goods	5,377.6	6,773.4	7,771.1 (r)	3,952.9
Consumer goods	3,191.4	4,884.5	5,238.8	2,299.9
Total Imports	16,096.0	18,864.3	19,448.7 (r)	8,796.3

Percentage Changes from previous year

Exports				
Agricultural Products	-12.5	11.8	-5.3	7.0
Animal Products	-12.5	26.2	2062.3	435.5
Marine Products	16.4	26.8	11.9	4.3
Mineral Products	-52.5	76.3	81.4	-50.4
Forest Products	44.6	4.5	-13.9	-7.2
Manufactured Products	-8.0	8.8	20.7	27.1
Others	64.2	42.8	30.7	-1.8
Total Exports	-7.0	19.1	22.4	8.4
Imports				
Capital goods	-7.3	-4.3	-10.7	-20.1
Intermediate goods	15.3	26.0	14.7	8.1
Consumer goods	-9.7	53.1	7.3	-16.4
Total Imports	-1.4	17.2	3.1	-8.3

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1.5 TRADE BY COMMODITY GROUP

Include border trade, US\$ Million

Commodity	2017-2018							2018-2019					
	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
Exports													
Agricultural Products	330.8	235.1	272.7	210.8	214.9	194.0	169.8	196.0	237.6	307.3	354.2	244.5	356.7
Animal Products	20.2	19.1	23.3	29.0	34.4	36.9	34.5	41.0	61.1	71.1	72.0	23.2	9.5
Marine Products	72.7	58.7	56.8	39.0	39.5	48.0	55.7	75.1	78.9	68.7	70.5	65.8	71.1
Mineral Products	117.3	75.1	130.8	120.3	331.7	172.4	217.6	96.4	117.7	76.6	35.9	80.6	143.2
Forest Products	17.9	15.3	15.4	16.8	14.2	32.8	15.5	18.0	12.2	17.0	14.0	14.1	16.7
Manufactured Products	615.0	395.9	676.5	900.6	717.6	745.0	637.0	569.5	617.0	561.9	861.0	768.8	702.4
Others	194.4	263.9	200.7	196.2	278.8	394.0	495.8	183.2	152.7	121.1	172.3	157.6	340.0
Total Exports	1,368.3	1,063.1	1,376.2	1,512.7	1,631.1	1,623.1	1,625.9	1,179.2	1,277.2	1,223.7	1,579.9	1,354.6	1,639.6
Imports													
Capital goods	572.0	435.5	785.2	524.0	422.6	584.6	505.1	439.0	459.4	408.1	428.8 (r)	450.6 (r)	357.6
Intermediate goods	665.2	590.0	759.5	626.4	639.4	742.0	687.8	674.5 (r)	685.4 (r)	656.0	671.6	566.3 (r)	666.1
Consumer goods	436.7	387.4	425.4	479.2	369.3	460.5	435.4	375.9 (r)	384.2 (r)	377.7	467.2	342.9	352.0
Total Imports	1,673.9	1,412.9	1,970.1	1,629.6	1,431.3	1,787.1	1,628.3	1,489.4	1,529.0	1,441.8	1,567.6 (r)	1,359.8	1,375.7

Percentage Changes from previous month

Exports													
Agricultural Products	41.5	-28.9	16.0	-22.7	1.9	-9.7	-12.5	15.4	21.2	29.3	15.3	-31.0	45.9
Animal Products	132.2	-5.4	22.0	24.5	18.6	7.3	-6.5	18.8	49.0	16.4	1.3	-67.8	-59.1
Marine Products	8.3	-19.3	-3.2	-31.3	1.3	21.5	16.0	34.8	5.1	-12.9	2.6	-6.7	8.1
Mineral Products	-71.3	-36.0	74.0	-8.0	175.7	-48.0	26.2	-55.7	22.1	-34.9	-53.1	124.5	77.7
Forest Products	22.6	-14.5	0.7	9.1	-15.5	131.0	-52.7	16.1	-32.2	39.3	-17.6	0.7	18.4
Manufactured Products	-11.1	-35.6	70.8	33.1	-20.3	3.8	-14.5	-10.6	8.3	-8.9	53.2	-10.7	-8.6
Others	49.2	35.8	-23.9	-2.2	42.1	41.3	25.8	-63.0	-16.6	-20.7	42.3	-8.5	115.7
Total Exports	-12.0	-22.3	29.5	9.9	7.8	-0.5	0.2	-27.5	8.3	-4.2	29.1	-14.3	21.0
Imports													
Capital goods	4.3	-23.9	80.3	-33.3	-19.4	38.3	-13.6	-13.1	4.6	-11.2	5.1	5.1	-20.6
Intermediate goods	5.1	-11.3	28.7	-17.5	2.1	16.0	-7.3	-1.9 (r)	1.6 (r)	-4.3 (r)	2.4	-10.8	11.1
Consumer goods	2.0	-11.3	9.8	12.6	-22.9	24.7	-5.5	-13.7 (r)	2.2 (r)	-1.7 (r)	23.7	-26.6	2.7
Total Imports	4.0	-15.6	39.4	-17.3	-12.2	24.9	-8.9	-8.5	2.7	-5.7	8.7	-11.2	-1.2

Source: Customs Department.

1.6 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

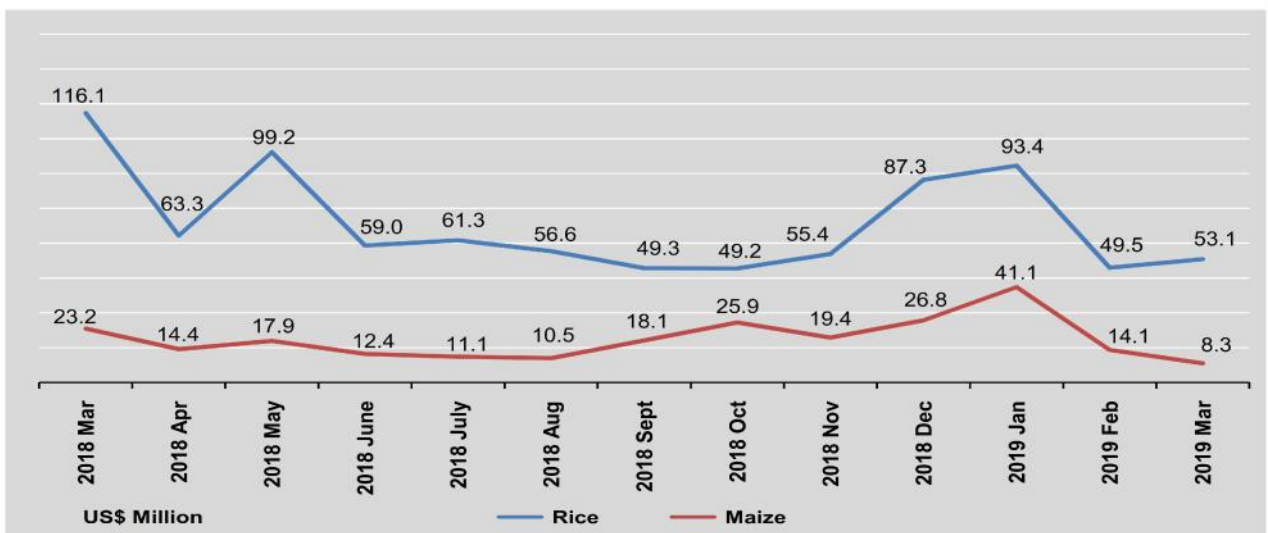
Include border trade

Value = US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand metric ton

FY	Total	Rice *		Maize	
	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	13,432.2	2,833.7	847.7	1,472.3	272.2
2017-2018 (October-September)	16,446.7	3,090.0	1,051.1	1,333.9	284.5
2018-2019 (October-March)	8,254.2	1,254.1	387.9	675.3	135.6
2018					
March	1,368.3	339.7	116.1	102.2	23.2
April	1,063.1	182.5	63.3	63.8	14.4
May	1,376.2	290.8	99.2	79.1	17.9
June	1,512.7	170.6	59.0	55.7	12.4
July	1,631.1	171.6	61.3	51.2	11.1
August	1,623.1	162.5	56.6	49.6	10.5
September	1,625.9	142.6	49.3	85.8	18.1
October	1,179.2	145.7	49.2	123.5	25.9
November	1,277.2	177.5	55.4	91.5	19.4
December	1,223.7	280.4	87.3	133.7	26.8
2019					
January	1,579.9	307.5	93.4	205.9	41.1
February	1,354.6	161.8	49.5	72.9	14.1
March	1,639.6	181.2	53.1	47.8	8.3

* Include Broken Rice

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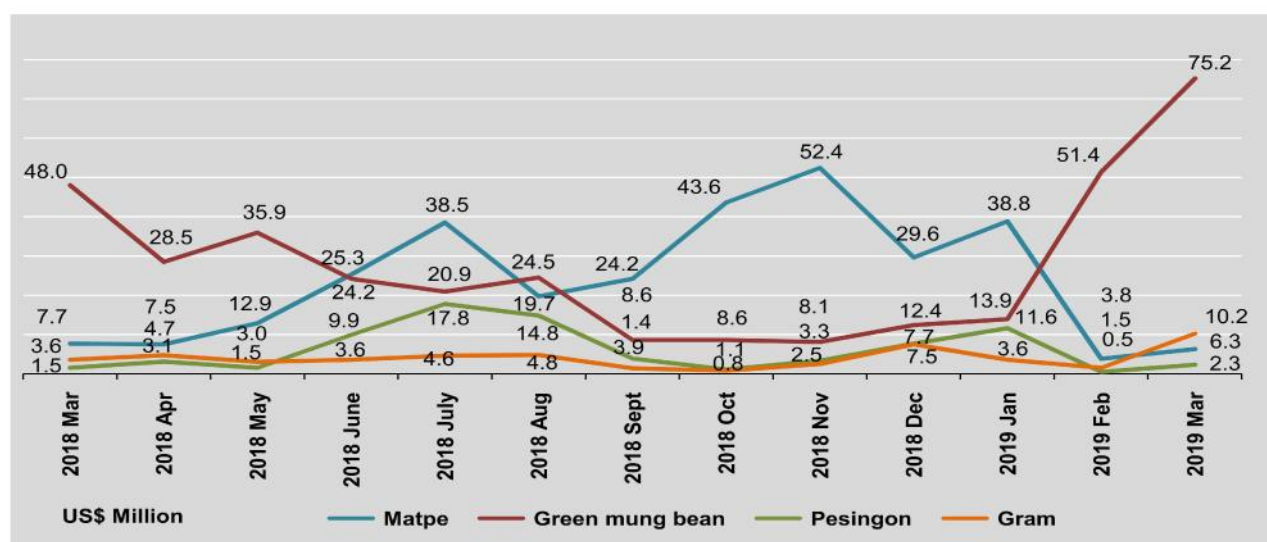
1.6 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade

Value = US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand metric ton

FY	Matpe		Green mung bean		Pesingon		Gram	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	603.5	489.9	376.3	292.2	275.9	146.4	50.7	43.8
2017-2018 (October-September)	489.6	205.8	319.7	252.8	206.3	66.9	56.2	28.9
2018-2019 (October-March)	354.7	174.5	238.5	169.6	55.5	26.5	51.1	26.1
2018								
March	15.7	7.7	64.7	48.0	4.4	1.5	6.3	3.6
April	17.1	7.5	37.6	28.5	10.4	3.1	8.0	4.7
May	32.2	12.9	46.0	35.9	4.2	1.5	5.8	3.0
June	54.2	25.3	31.5	24.2	27.6	9.9	7.5	3.6
July	96.6	38.5	28.1	20.9	51.1	17.8	10.2	4.6
August	54.2	19.7	19.2	24.5	43.9	14.8	11.6	4.8
September	70.0	24.2	12.1	8.6	13.4	3.9	2.9	1.4
October	114.1	43.6	11.9	8.6	3.3	1.1	1.6	0.8
November	100.9	52.4	12.2	8.1	9.1	3.3	5.8	2.5
December	47.7	29.6	18.6	12.4	13.9	7.7	15.5	7.5
2019								
January	72.2	38.8	19.7	13.9	23.3	11.6	7.8	3.6
February	7.4	3.8	71.9	51.4	1.1	0.5	3.4	1.5
March	12.4	6.3	104.2	75.2	4.8	2.3	17.0	10.2

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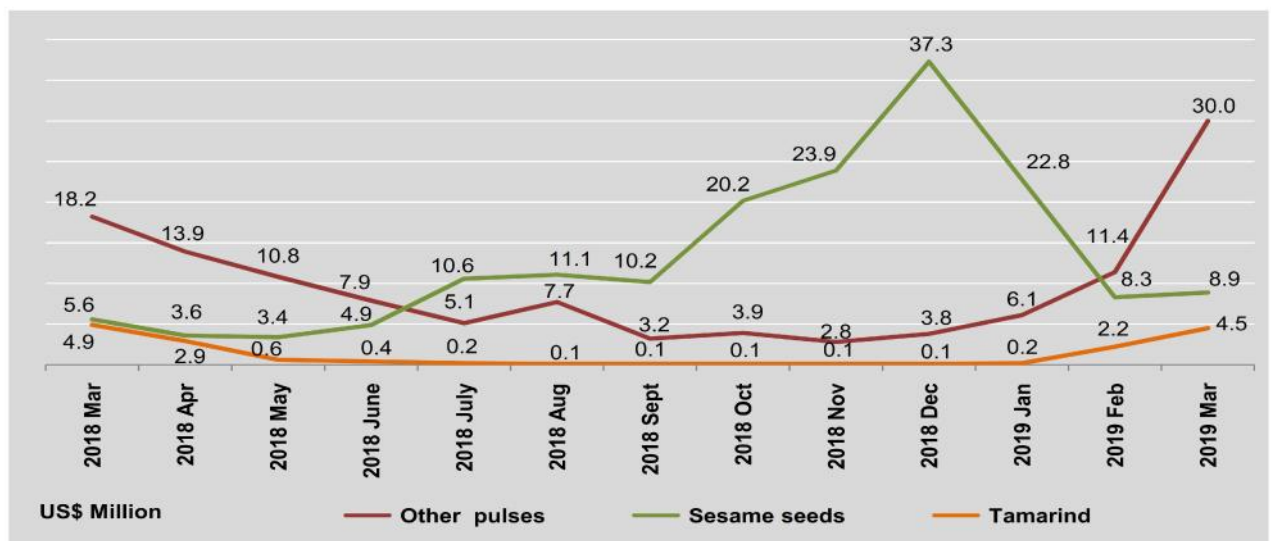
1.6 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade

Value = US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand metric ton

FY	Other pulses		Sesame seeds		Onion		Tamarind	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	111.7	64.2	116.6	150.7	30.0	10.8	23.5	9.4
2017-2018 (October-September)	130.3	80.8	103.6	129.9	39.6	12.8	23.2	10.2
2018-2019 (October-March)	100.9	58.0	75.0	121.4	22.7	4.6	23.3	7.2
2018								
March	28.6	18.2	4.2	5.6	5.1	2.1	10.7	4.9
April	23.1	13.9	2.6	3.6	6.1	2.1	6.9	2.9
May	16.9	10.8	2.7	3.4	4.8	1.5	1.7	0.6
June	12.1	7.9	3.8	4.9	6.3	1.8	1.0	0.4
July	9.0	5.1	8.5	10.6	5.0	1.4	0.6	0.2
August	14.7	7.7	8.8	11.1	7.0	1.9	0.2	0.1
September	6.3	3.2	7.5	10.2	4.2	1.3	0.3	0.1
October	7.5	3.9	14.4	20.2	1.2	0.5	0.6	0.1
November	5.2	2.8	15.5	23.9	1.0	0.4	0.4	0.1
December	6.7	3.8	22.1	37.3	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.1
2019								
January	11.6	6.1	13.6	22.8	2.3	0.5	0.4	0.2
February	18.8	11.4	4.5	8.3	6.9	1.2	7.4	2.2
March	51.1	30.0	4.9	8.9	10.7	1.8	14.2	4.5

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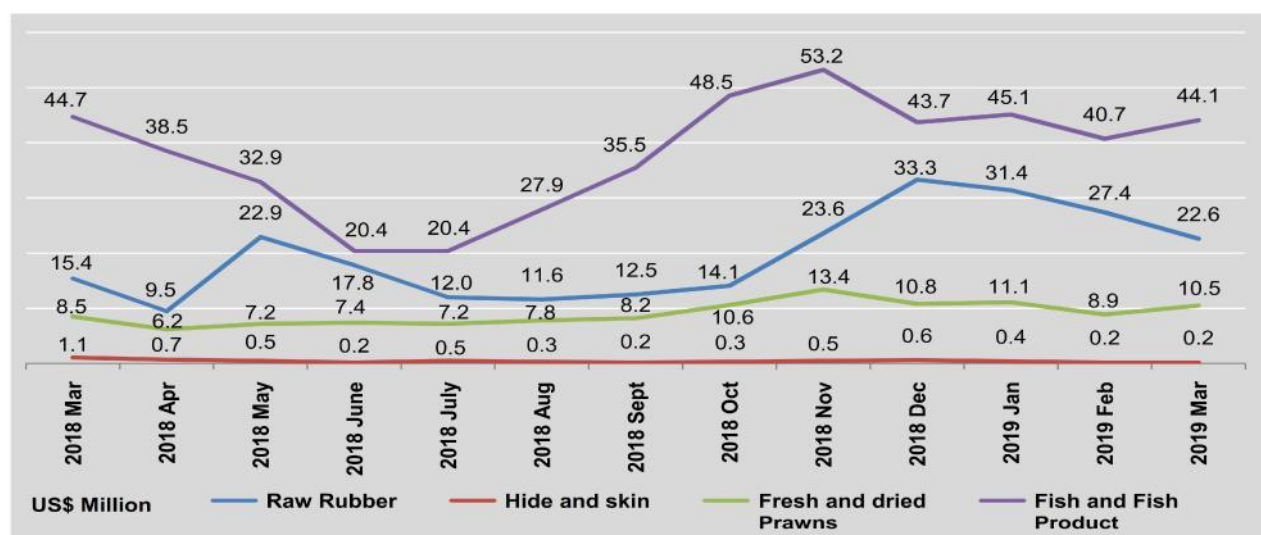
1.6 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade

Value = US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand metric ton

FY	Raw rubber		Hide and skin		Fresh and dried Prawns		Fish and Fish Product	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	153.1	227.3	8.5	5.7	33.7	83.3	387.4	397.7
2017-2018 (October-September)	161.9	196.4	13.4	8.2	42.3	89.8	466.0	440.4
2018-2019 (October-March)	122.4	152.4	3.8	2.2	32.7	65.3	294.0	275.3
2018								
March	13.5	15.4	1.8	1.1	5.0	8.5	50.1	44.7
April	8.1	9.5	1.0	0.7	4.8	6.2	57.0	38.5
May	19.3	22.9	0.8	0.5	4.3	7.2	33.9	32.9
June	14.3	17.8	0.3	0.2	2.2	7.4	17.4	20.4
July	9.4	12.0	0.8	0.5	2.5	7.2	17.4	20.4
August	9.0	11.6	1.3	0.3	3.0	7.8	24.6	27.9
September	9.6	12.5	0.2	0.2	2.6	8.2	32.2	35.5
October	11.0	14.1	0.5	0.3	4.4	10.6	50.0	48.5
November	19.0	23.6	0.7	0.5	6.2	13.4	53.0	53.2
December	27.3	33.3	1.1	0.6	4.7	10.8	46.3	43.7
2019								
January	25.3	31.4	0.7	0.4	5.6	11.1	49.1	45.1
February	21.9	27.4	0.5	0.2	3.5	8.9	44.5	40.7
March	17.9	22.6	0.3	0.2	8.3	10.5	51.1	44.1

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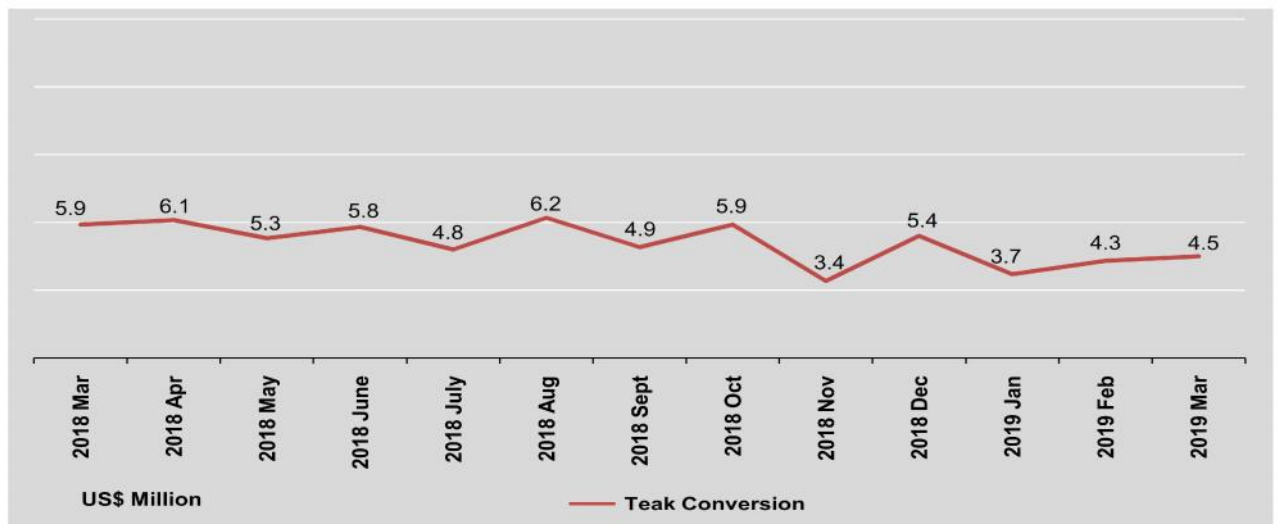
1.6 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade

Value = US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand metric ton

FY	Crab		Teak Log		Teak Conversion		Hardwood Log	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	19.9	71.9	-	-	41.9	78.5	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	21.1	77.5	-	-	37.1	63.3	-	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	9.3	38.5	-	-	16.1	27.2	-	-
2018								
March	1.4	6.2	-	-	2.6	5.9	-	-
April	1.4	5.3	-	-	3.8	6.1	-	-
May	1.9	7.3	-	-	4.6	5.3	-	-
June	1.7	6.2	-	-	2.9	5.8	-	-
July	2.0	7.1	-	-	2.5	4.8	-	-
August	2.0	6.7	-	-	3.4	6.2	-	-
September	1.7	5.7	-	-	2.6	4.9	-	-
October	1.5	4.7	-	-	2.9	5.9	-	-
November	1.6	5.6	-	-	3.0	3.4	-	-
December	1.9	6.9	-	-	3.1	5.4	-	-
2019								
January	1.5	7.3	-	-	2.1	3.7	-	-
February	1.5	6.9	-	-	2.4	4.3	-	-
March	1.3	7.1	-	-	2.6	4.5	-	-

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1.6 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

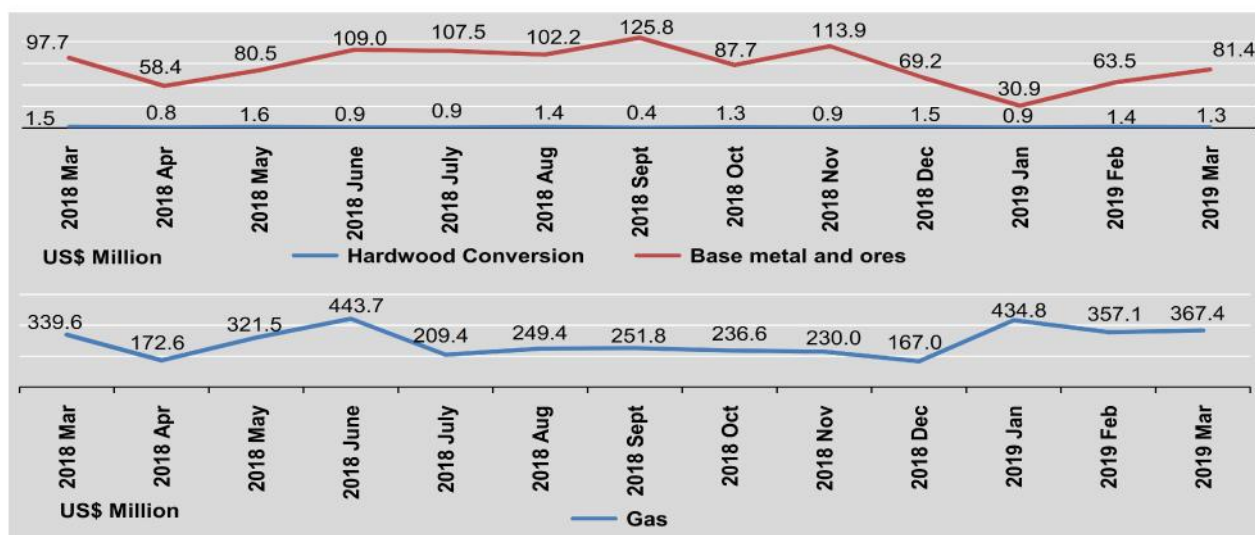
Include border trade

Value = US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand metric ton

FY	Hardwood Conversion		Plywood and Veneer	Base metal and ores		Gas	
	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity (thousand kilogram)	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	33.0	37.5	98.5	211.3	782.8	11,648,091.8	3,116.3
2017-2018 (October-September)	19.2	15.7	70.8	231.4	1,082.0	439,344.7 *	3,513.2
2018-2019 (October-March)	8.8	7.3	31.5	93.0	446.6	198,621.4 *	1,792.9
2018							
March	1.8	1.5	8.7	23.3	97.7	42,327.8 *	339.6
April	1.1	0.8	4.1	11.7	58.4	23,110.9 *	172.6
May	2.0	1.6	4.5	17.3	80.5	41,601.4 *	321.5
June	1.1	0.9	5.2	23.9	109.0	54,182.7 *	443.7
July	1.1	0.9	4.9	21.3	107.5	26,099.5 *	209.4
August	1.8	1.4	5.5	21.2	102.2	30,867.4 *	249.4
September	0.5	0.4	5.8	24.7	125.8	30,534.3 *	251.8
October	1.8	1.3	5.7	18.6	87.7	27,542.0 *	236.6
November	1.1	0.9	4.0	24.1	113.9	26,608.8 *	230.0
December	1.8	1.5	6.5	14.1	69.2	19,599.8 *	167.0
2019							
January	1.2	0.9	4.8	8.2	30.9	46,520.2 *	434.8
February	1.6	1.4	4.9	10.8	63.5	37,301.4 *	357.1
March	1.3	1.3	5.6	17.2	81.4	41,049.2 *	367.4

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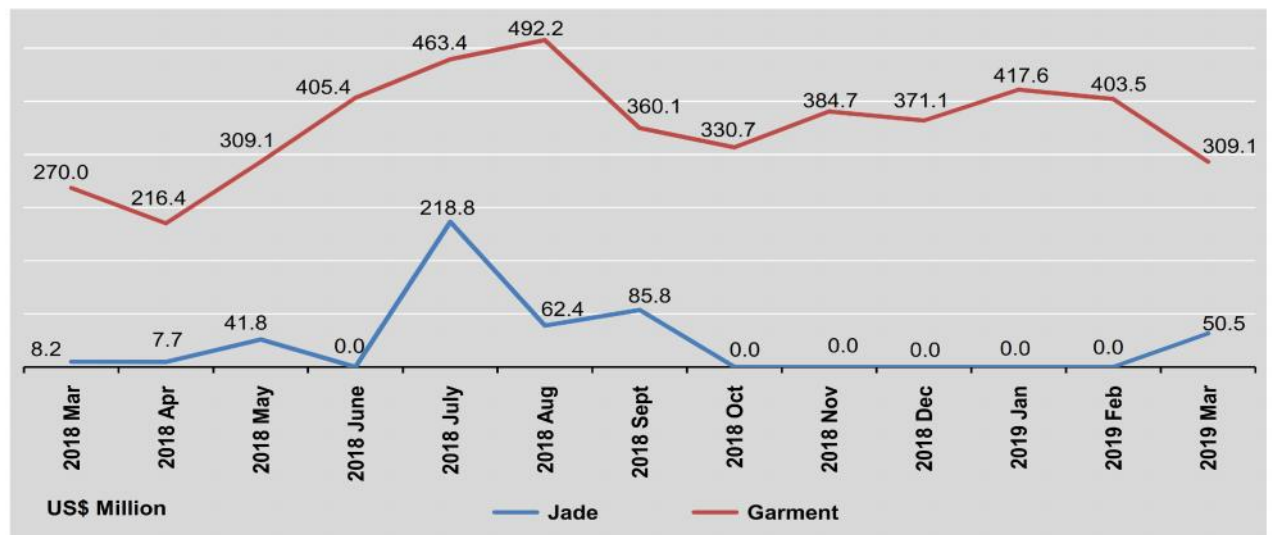
1.6 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade

Value = US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand metric ton

FY	Jade	Sugar		Garment		Others
	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity (thou.number)	Value	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	347.1	846.5	522.5	480,406.6	2,318.8	3,017.0
2017-2018 (October-September)	971.8	241.7	154.3	618,891.1	3,553.7	4,085.9
2018-2019 (October-March)	50.5	63.7	37.0	392,765.8	2,216.7	1,999.4
2018						
March	8.2	0.1	0.1	55,630.1	270.0	329.8
April	7.7	5.5	3.5	38,448.7	216.4	389.3
May	41.8	66.9	43.7	51,155.8	309.1	310.7
June	-	75.4	48.7	69,339.8	405.4	292.6
July	218.8	71.2	43.3	73,851.7	463.4	359.4
August	62.4	1.1	0.9	71,023.4	492.2	496.9
September	85.8	9.9	6.4	57,214.9	360.1	602.5
October	#	0.2	0.2	54,257.6	330.7	279.0
November	-	0.3	0.2	58,588.9	384.7	275.5
December	-	38.9	20.9	63,576.6	371.1	274.1
2019						
January	-	10.4	6.7	77,122.6	417.6	353.2
February	-	10.5	6.8	74,101.5	403.5	285.1
March	50.5	3.4	2.2	65,118.6	309.1	532.5

Source: Customs Department.



1.7 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES BY COUNTRY

March 2019, include border trade for Bangladesh, China and India

Value=US\$ Million, Quantity = thousand

Commodity	Unit	Australia	United Arab Emirates	Bangladesh	Belgium	China	Hong Kong	India
Rice*	US \$	-	0.03	1.46	6.22	8.98	-	-
	MT	-	0.01	5.00	23.47	29.46	-	-
Maize	US \$	-	0.02	-	-	2.05	0.04	0.02
	MT	-	0.09	-	-	10.60	0.18	0.12
Matpe	US \$	0.03	0.33	0.32	-	0.21	-	-
	MT	0.05	0.68	0.72	-	0.48	-	-
Green mung bean	US \$	-	1.34	0.20	-	54.60	-	0.11
	MT	-	2.23	0.36	-	74.86	-	0.12
Pesingon	US \$	0.02	0.17	-	-	-	-	1.62
	MT	0.02	0.37	-	-	-	-	3.35
Gram	US \$	-	0.07	6.97	-	0.05	-	2.89
	MT	-	0.14	13.30	-	0.10	-	5.61
Sesame seeds	US \$	-	-	-	-	5.23	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	2.97	-	-
Tamarind	US \$	-	0.02	0.17	-	0.30	-	-
	MT	-	0.05	0.60	-	1.07	-	-
Raw rubber	US \$	-	-	0.03	-	12.46	-	1.27
	MT	-	-	0.02	-	10.23	-	0.89
Hide and skin	US \$	-	-	-	-	0.02	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	0.01	-	-
Fresh and dried Prawns	US \$	0.23	0.04	-	-	5.04	0.80	-
	MT	0.04	0.01	-	-	7.06	0.09	-
Fish and Fish Product	US \$	0.10	2.11	1.10	0.07	7.90	#	0.73
	MT	0.06	2.03	1.14	0.05	7.81	#	0.40
Teak Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teak Conversion	US \$	-	-	-	-	0.57	-	1.87
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	0.31	-	1.14
Hardwood Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hardwood Conversion	US \$	-	-	-	-	0.10	-	0.59
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	0.06	-	0.71
Base metal and ores	US \$	-	-	-	-	58.93	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	13.30	-	-
Gas	US \$	-	-	-	-	134.43	-	-
	mil.cu.ft	-	-	-	-	13645.06	-	-
Jade	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	50.47	-
Garment	US \$	1.14	1.01	-	8.70	3.13	0.38	0.26
	NMB	316.54	272.53	-	2266.74	444.08	77.58	211.29

* include Broken Rice.

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1.7 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES BY COUNTRY

March 2019

Value=US\$ Million, Quantity =thousand

Commodity	Unit	Indonesia	Italy	Japan	Korea Rep:	Malaysia	Pakistan	Philippines	Russia
Rice*	US \$	5.23	0.55	-	-	-	-	3.06	0.43
	MT	19.34	1.53	-	-	-	-	10.44	1.13
Maize	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.57	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.56	-
Matpe	US \$	0.08	0.01	0.11	-	0.90	2.08	-	-
	MT	0.16	0.01	0.18	-	1.73	4.07	-	-
Green mung bean	US \$	4.53	-	0.09	-	0.79	0.37	0.93	0.03
	MT	6.29	-	0.09	-	1.06	0.64	1.30	0.03
Pesingon	US \$	-	-	#	-	0.30	0.01	-	-
	MT	-	-	#	-	0.70	0.06	-	-
Gram	US \$	-	-	0.01	0.02	0.04	0.06	-	-
	MT	-	-	0.02	0.02	0.07	0.19	-	-
Sesame seeds	US \$	-	-	0.07	2.58	-	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	0.04	1.32	-	-	-	-
Tamarind	US \$	0.06	-	-	-	1.05	1.10	-	-
	MT	0.18	-	-	-	2.92	3.62	-	-
Raw rubber	US \$	-	-	0.79	0.59	6.09	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	0.59	0.44	4.77	-	-	-
Hide and skin	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fresh and dried Prawns	US \$	-	-	2.05	#	0.44	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	0.31	#	0.17	-	-	-
Fish and Fish Product	US \$	-	0.10	0.66	0.26	1.70	-	-	-
	MT	-	0.07	0.41	0.11	1.14	-	-	-
Teak Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teak Conversion	US \$	-	0.66	-	-	0.12	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	0.23	-	-	0.13	-	-	-
Hardwood Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hardwood Conversion	US \$	-	-	0.07	0.02	0.03	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	0.09	0.05	0.04	-	-	-
Base metal and ores	US \$	4.12	-	-	-	1.26	-	-	-
	MT	0.70	-	-	-	0.20	-	-	-
Gas	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	mil.cu.ft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jade	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment	US \$	0.14	5.21	95.55	31.20	0.86	-	0.25	0.79
	NMB	43.16	894.90	13720.00	5632.23	308.40	-	76.69	251.56

* include Broken Rice.

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1.7 EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES BY COUNTRY

March 2019, include border trade for Thailand

Value=US\$ Million, Quantity= thousand

Commodity	Unit	Saudi Arabia	Singapore	Spain	Thailand	United Kingdom	United States	Vietnam
Rice*	US \$	-	0.36	0.69	0.10	0.63	-	0.26
	MT	-	1.17	2.06	0.39	2.30	-	0.88
Maize	US \$	-	-	-	5.29	-	0.05	0.17
	MT	-	-	-	33.19	-	0.01	0.82
Matpe	US \$	-	1.08	-	0.25	0.07	0.06	0.04
	MT	-	2.05	-	0.47	0.13	0.09	0.07
Green mung bean	US \$	0.01	6.50	0.05	0.23	0.29	0.08	3.31
	MT	0.01	8.42	0.05	0.29	0.33	0.09	4.65
Pesingon	US \$	-	#	-	-	-	0.04	-
	MT	-	#	-	-	-	0.07	-
Gram	US \$	-	0.02	-	-	-	0.01	0.01
	MT	-	0.03	-	-	-	0.03	0.03
Sesame seeds	US \$	-	0.73	-	0.33	-	-	-
	MT	-	0.43	-	0.18	-	-	-
Tamarind	US \$	-	0.36	-	0.23	-	-	1.15
	MT	-	1.10	-	0.69	-	-	3.46
Raw rubber	US \$	-	-	-	0.09	-	-	1.30
	MT	-	-	-	0.07	-	-	1.00
Hide and skin	US \$	-	0.14	-	0.01	-	-	-
	MT	-	0.31	-	0.03	-	-	-
Fresh and dried Prawns	US \$	#	0.09	-	1.51	0.08	0.08	0.12
	MT	#	0.02	-	0.43	0.02	0.02	0.01
Fish and Fish Product	US \$	2.38	1.02	-	21.24	1.59	0.48	-
	MT	1.19	0.96	-	31.59	0.75	0.30	-
Teak Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teak Conversion	US \$	-	0.21	-	0.88	-	0.16	0.01
	Cu.Ton	-	0.12	-	0.57	-	0.06	0.01
Hardwood Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hardwood Conversion	US \$	-	-	-	0.36	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	0.39	-	-	-
Base metal and ores	US \$	-	-	-	8.91	-	-	8.13
	MT	-	-	-	1.60	-	-	1.37
Gas	US \$	-	-	-	232.99	-	-	-
	mil.cu.ft	-	-	-	27404.12	-	-	-
Jade	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment	US \$	0.11	0.21	23.47	5.46	27.78	15.79	0.09
	NMB	25.27	91.43	5244.69	739.23	5730.26	5959.12	435.12

* include Broken Rice.

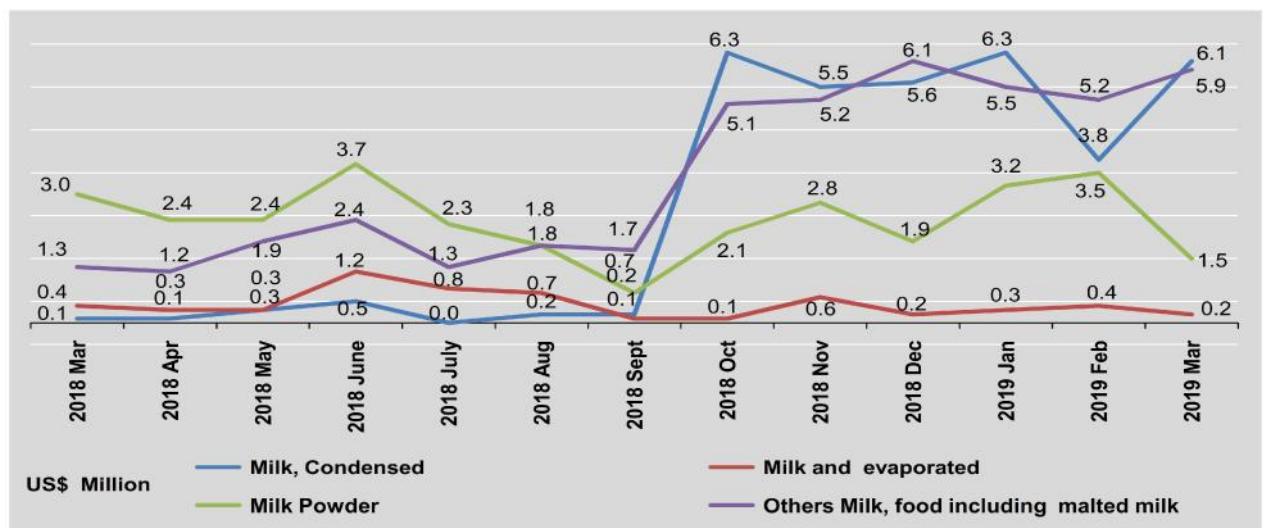
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1.8 IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade, US\$ Million

FY	Total	Milk, Condensed	Milk and evaporated	Milk Powder	Others Milk, food including malted milk
2016-2017 (October-September)	18,864.3	6.5	8.2	37.6	27.3
2017-2018 (October-September)	19,448.7	2.7	7.4	31.5	18.8
2018-2019 (October-March)	8,796.3	33.6	1.8	15.0	33.0
2018					
March	1,673.9	0.1	0.4	3.0	1.3
April	1,412.9	0.1	0.3	2.4	1.2
May	1,970.1	0.3	0.3	2.4	1.9
June	1,629.6	0.5	1.2	3.7	2.4
July	1,431.3	0.0	0.8	2.3	1.3
August	1,787.1	0.2	0.7	1.8	1.8
September	1,628.3	0.2	0.1	0.7	1.7
October	1,489.4	6.3	0.1	2.1 (r)	5.1
November	1,529.0	5.5	0.6	2.8 (r)	5.2
December	1,441.8	5.6	0.2	1.9 (r)	6.1
2019					
January	1,567.6 (r)	6.3	0.3	3.2	5.5
February	1,392.8	3.8	0.4	3.5	5.2
March	1,375.7	6.1	0.2	1.5	5.9

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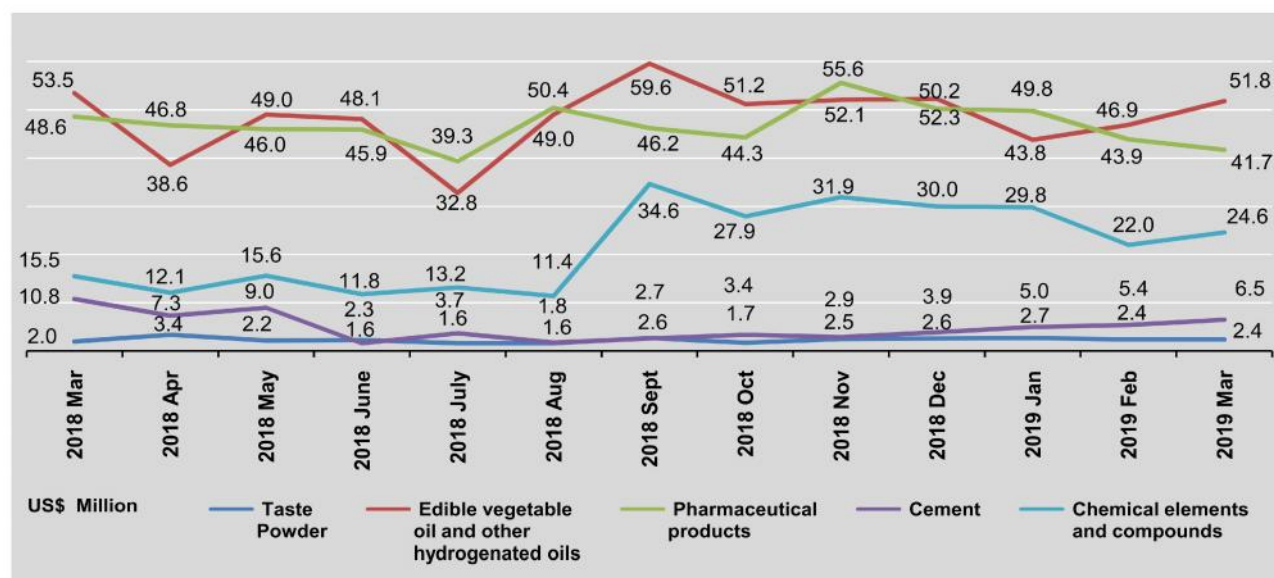


1.8 IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade, US\$ Million

FY	Taste Powder	Spices	Edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils	Pharmaceutical products	Cement	Dyeing tanning and colouring materials	Chemical elements and compounds
2016-2017 (October-September)	39.0	9.4	696.9	517.7	126.1	34.3	258.0
2017-2018 (October-September)	24.5	13.8	601.6	539.2	55.9	40.9	169.7
2018-2019 (October-March)	14.3	4.0	298.1	285.5	27.1	18.9	166.2
2018							
March	2.0	0.8	53.5	48.6	10.8	4.0	15.5
April	3.4	1.1	38.6	46.8	7.3	3.4	12.1
May	2.2	1.6	49.0	46.0	9.0	4.3	15.6
June	2.3	1.1	48.1	45.9	1.6	3.7	11.8
July	1.6	1.3	32.8	39.3	3.7	2.6	13.2
August	1.6	0.9	49.0	50.4	1.8	3.6	11.4
September	2.7	2.2	59.6	46.2	2.6	2.8	34.6
October	1.7	1.6	51.2	44.3	3.4	2.1	27.9
November	2.5	0.5	52.1	55.6	2.9	3.8	31.9
December	2.6 (r)	0.3	52.3	50.2	3.9	2.9 (r)	30.0
2019							
January	2.7 (r)	0.7	43.8	49.8	5.0	3.6	29.8 (r)
February	2.4	0.5	46.9	43.9	5.4	3.2 (r)	22.0 (r)
March	2.4	0.4	51.8	41.7	6.5	3.3	24.6

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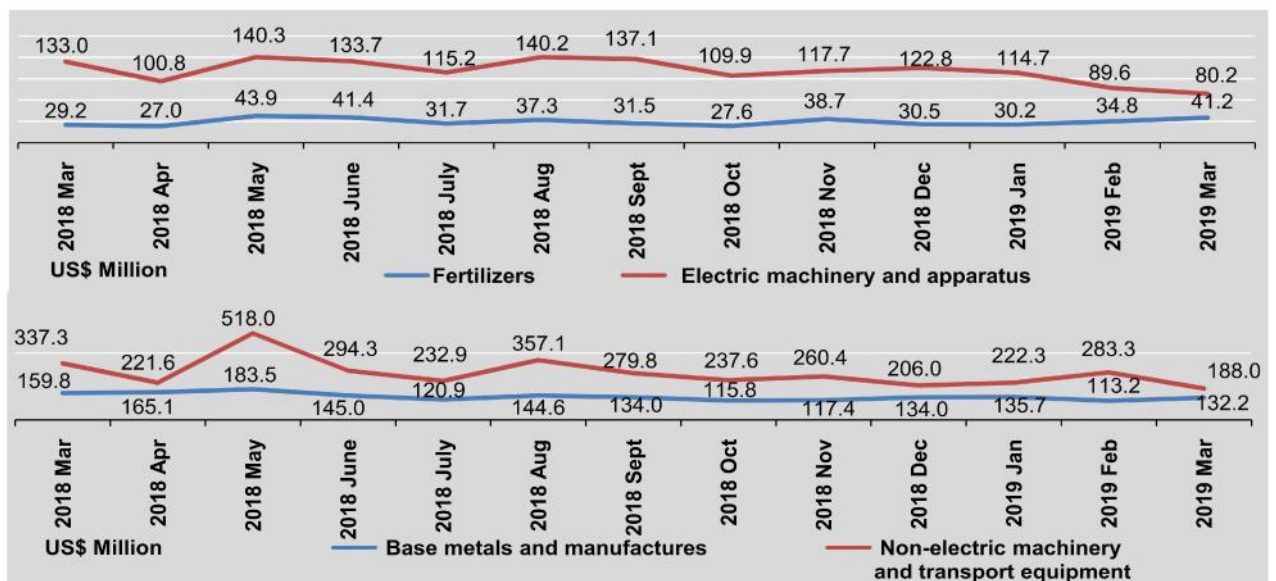


1.8 IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade, US\$ Million

FY	Fertilizers	Scientific instrument	Base metals and manufactures	Non-electric machinery and transport equipment	Electric machinery and apparatus	Paper, paperboard and manufactures
2016-2017 (October-September)	296.0	194.4	1,590.4	4,013.6	1,547.4	263.9
2017-2018 (October-September)	354.2	271.9	1,763.6	3,783.3	1,510.3	295.1
2018-2019 (October-March)	203.0	72.5	748.3	1,397.6	634.9	167.4
2018						
March	29.2	25.4	159.8	337.3	133.0	25.5
April	27.0	12.2	165.1	221.6	100.8	25.6
May	43.9	20.8	183.5	518.0	140.3	25.8
June	41.4	18.6	145.0	294.3	133.7	18.7
July	31.7	25.1	120.9	232.9	115.2	18.2
August	37.3	13.2	144.6	357.1	140.2	28.6
September	31.5	17.5	134.0	279.8	137.1	24.8
October	27.6 (r)	10.6	115.8	237.6	109.9	26.7
November	38.7	11.6	117.4 (r)	260.4	117.7	30.0
December	30.5 (r)	10.3	134.0	206.0	122.8	24.7
2017						
January	30.2	13.9	135.7 (r)	222.3 ®	114.7	28.8
February	34.8	13.1	113.2	283.3 (r)	89.6	26.8
March	41.2	13.0	132.2	188.0	80.2	30.4

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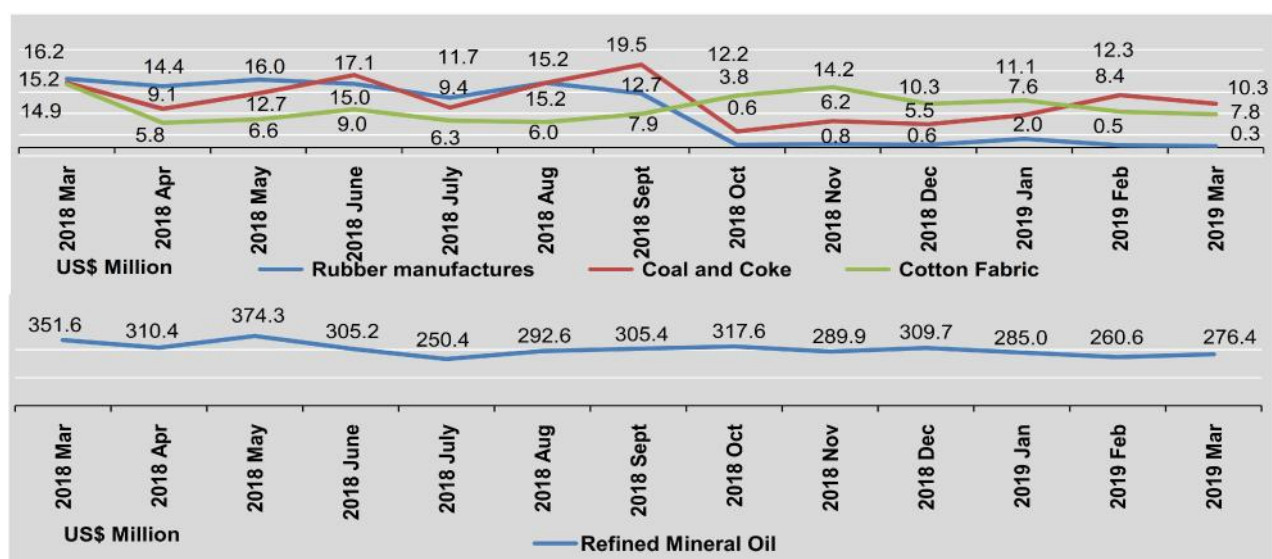


1.8 IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade, US\$ Million

FY	Rubber Manufactures	Crude Oil	Coal and Coke	Refined Mineral Oil	Wheat Flour	Tobacco and Tobacco Manufactures	Cotton Fabric
2016-2017 (October-September)	139.1	-	121.4	2,924.0	10.6	66.0	68.7
2017-2018 (October-September)	157.9	#	191.1	3,887.6	13.9	61.4	102.4
2018-2019 (October-March)	4.8	-	45.7	1,739.2	14.1	37.5	64.0
2018							
March	16.2	#	15.2	351.6	1.1	7.2	14.9
April	14.4	-	9.1	310.4	1.1	5.2	5.8
May	16.0	-	12.7	374.3	1.1	5.4	6.6
June	15.0	-	17.1	305.2	1.6	7.8	9.0
July	11.7	-	9.4	250.4	0.4	3.7	6.3
August	15.2	-	15.2	292.6	1.7	7.0	6.0
September	12.7	-	19.5	305.4	0.6	1.2	7.9
October	0.6	-	3.8	317.6 (r)	1.7	5.9	12.2
November	0.8	-	6.2	289.9 (r)	2.4	7.0	14.2
December	0.6	-	5.5	309.7	2.4	6.6	10.3
2019							
January	2.0	-	7.6	285.0	3.6	7.4	11.1
February	0.5	-	12.3	260.6	1.9	4.8	8.4
March	0.3	-	10.3	276.4	2.1	5.8	7.8

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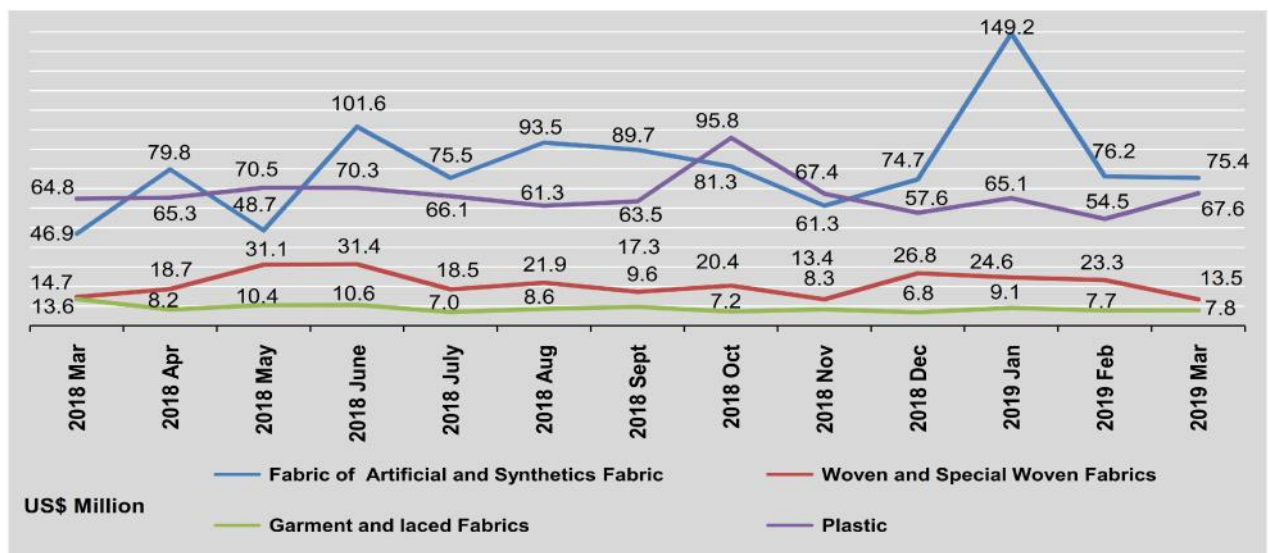


1.8 IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES

Include border trade, US\$ Million

FY	Fabric of Artificial and Synthetics Fabric	Woven and Special Woven Fabrics	Garment and laced Fabrics	Plastic	Others
2016-2017 (October-September)	715.6	189.9	152.5	674.3	4,135.5
2017-2018 (October-September)	951.5	240.7	131.4	741.7	3485.7
2018-2019 (October-March)	518.1	122.0	46.9	408.0	1674.8
2018					
March	46.9	14.7	13.6	64.8	277.5
April	79.8	18.7	8.2	65.3	225.8
May	48.7	31.1	10.4	70.5	328.5
June	101.6	31.4	10.6	70.3	284.7
July	75.5	18.5	7.0	66.1	339.4
August	93.5	21.9	8.6	61.3	419.8
September	89.7	17.3	9.6	63.5	322.8
October	81.3	20.4	7.2	95.8	268.9 (r)
November	61.3	13.4	8.3	67.4 (r)	318.9 (r)
December	74.7	26.8	6.8	57.6	256.5 (r)
2019					
January	149.2	24.6 (r)	9.1	65.1 (r)	306.6 (r)
February	76.2	23.3 (r)	7.7	54.5 (r)	244.8 (r)
March	75.4	13.5	7.8	67.6	279.1

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1.9 IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES BY COUNTRY

March 2019, include border trade for Bangladesh, China and India, US\$ Million

Commodity	Bangladesh	China	Germany	Hong Kong	India	Indonesia	Japan	Korea
Milk, Condensed	-	-	-	-	-	0.01	-	-
Edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils	-	0.03	-	-	-	44.06	-	#
Pharmaceutical products	1.30	2.27	2.44	-	15.23	2.13	0.46	1.68
Cement	-	0.17	-	-	0.01	-	-	-
Dyeing tanning and colouring materials	#	0.36	0.06	-	0.09	#	0.06	0.04
Chemical elements and compounds	0.27	8.24	0.29	#	1.84	0.81	0.27	0.91
Fertilizers	-	13.77	0.76	-	1.85	0.38	0.44	2.23
Scientific instrument	#	5.84	0.54	0.02	0.49	0.04	1.43	0.34
Base metals and manufactures	#	91.71	0.12	#	2.85	0.07	4.99	4.22
Non-electric machinery and transport equipment	0.01	87.67	3.19	#	8.47	4.88	7.93	5.77
Electric machinery and apparatus	0.12	41.11	1.14	1.56	3.95	0.41	2.70	1.78
Paper, paperboard and manufactures	0.02	8.69	0.17	0.04	0.31	10.02	0.96	0.88
Rubber manufactures	-	0.13	#	-	-	-	0.01	0.12
Refined Mineral Oil	-	0.36	0.08	0.01	0.25	0.02	0.27	0.88
Tobacco and Tobacco Manufactures	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.05	
Cotton Fabric	0.06	4.81	-	-	0.09	0.14	0.34	0.24
Fabric of Artificial and Synthetics Fabric	0.09	66.35	0.03	0.55	0.28	0.39	1.61	1.60
Woven and Special Woven Fabrics	0.05	8.72	0.08	0.13	0.26	0.10	0.64	1.59
Garment and laced Fabrics	0.08	3.58	0.02	#	0.10	0.04	0.19	0.03
Plastic	0.01	19.67	0.22	0.16	1.36	0.49	1.00	3.30

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1.9 IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES BY COUNTRY

March 2019, include border trade for Thailand, US\$ Million

Commodity	Malaysia	Philippines	Singapore	Taiwan	Thailand	United Arab Emirates	United States	Vietnam
Milk, Condensed	1.40	-	4.62	-	0.03	-	-	-
Edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils	5.01	0.05	0.03	-	1.21	-	-	-
Pharmaceutical products	0.08	0.43	0.17	0.24	4.18	-	0.48	0.92
Cement	-	-	-	-	6.32	-	-	-
Dyeing tanning and colouring materials	0.69	0.05	0.35	0.02	1.31	-	#	0.08
Chemical elements and compounds	1.47	-	4.87	0.41	2.40	0.01	0.52	1.10
Fertilizers	12.90	-	#	#	2.25	0.47	0.16	0.05
Scientific instrument	0.05	0.07	0.33	0.46	1.04	-	0.68	0.42
Base metals and manufactures	7.04	0.10	1.57	0.88	7.46	0.06	0.07	7.56
Non-electric machinery and transport equipment	2.36	0.07	3.39	1.46	43.28	#	3.51	7.20
Electric machinery and apparatus	1.96	0.01	3.34	0.37	6.27	0.04	2.77	9.57
Paper, paperboard and manufactures	0.53	0.62	0.27	0.63	4.01	#	0.04	1.35
Rubber manufactures	#	-	#	#	0.05	-	#	0.02
Refined Mineral Oil	8.54	-	247.70	0.10	14.19	2.76	0.23	0.16
Tobacco and Tobacco Manufactures	0.04	0.96	0.27	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton Fabric	0.21	-	-	0.01	1.07	-	0.01	0.75
Fabric of Artificial and Synthetics Fabric	0.04	-	#	1.52	1.27	-	0.25	0.48
Woven and Special Woven Fabrics	0.07	-	0.01	0.48	0.73	-	#	0.39
Garment and laced Fabrics	0.03	0.04	0.01	0.07	2.91	#	#	0.29
Plastic	3.87	0.02	1.93	0.92	13.39	0.95	2.71	2.57

Source: Customs Department.

CHAPTER 2
PRODUCTION





PRODUCTION | ANALYSIS

Production statistics represent the volume of production of selected manufacturing commodities, electric power generation, precious minerals and pearls, non - metallic minerals and production of meat, fish, milk and egg.

In 2017-2018 October to September, electric power generation and sales increased, while the average price of electricity increased. Production of precious minerals decreased for most of gems, whereas production of minerals mainly decreased. Production of meat rose for all types of meat and fish, as well as the production of egg.

PRODUCTION BY THE STATE-OWNED ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

Among selected commodities produced by the State-owned Enterprises, the volume of production of most of these commodities in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September).

Table 2.1 indicates that the most important increases were recorded for the production of Fertilizer (Urea) (metric ton) increased by 24.88%, Kerosene increased by 143.24% (thousand gal.), the production of biological products (in thousand dosage) increased by 798.85% and Wood Veneer (sq.ft) increased by 108.61% in 2017-2018 (October-September).

PRODUCTION BY THE PRIVATE ENTERPRISES

Table 2.2 indicates that the production of the selected commodities by Private Enterprises increased in 2016-2017 compared to 2017-2018. The most important increases were recorded for the production of Cooking Oil, Cement and Fertilizer. The production of Cooking Oil (in thousand viss) increased by 7.19%. The production of cement (in metric ton) increased by 143.64% and the production of fertilizer (in metric ton) increased by 8.87%.

PRODUCTION OF ELECTRIC POWER

Table 2.3 presents electric power generation and sales in Myanmar. Since 2017-2018 (October-September), the installed capacity is 5,651 megawatts. The generation increased by 11.38% between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September). The total volume of electricity sales increased by 10.59% over the same period. Volume of sale to households (General) increased by 26.82%, volume of sales to bulk (hotels, schools, hospitals and offices) increased by 18.66% and volume of sales to industrial increased by 30.76% . The category of "Others" were increasing due to the fact that volume of sales by private companies are included since August 2012.

The price of 1 kwh (unit sold) was 69.78 kyats in 2016-2017, and this unit price has increased to 71.21 kyats in 2017-2018 (October-September). In 2016-2017 (October-September), the share of generation that was not sold (unit loss) was 14.34% and it has increased to 14.95% in 2017-2018 (October-September).

Table 2.4 presents electric power generation by type of energy. Between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September), thermal increased by 164.57%, diesel

increased by 7.35%, hydroelectricity (hydel) increased by 14.86% and gas increased by 1.49%. Hydroelectricity was by far the main type of energy in Myanmar: it represented 56.10% of the total in 2016-2017 (October-September) and increased to a share of 56.72% in 2017-2018 (October-September).

■ PRODUCTION OF PRECIOUS MINERALS AND PEARLS

The production of pearls decreased by 8.96% in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September). Moreover, the production of jade decreased by 32.67% between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September). Jade and gems production include private and joint venture while pearls production include public and joint venture production.

■ PRODUCTION OF MINERALS

Table 2.7 presents the production of non-metallic minerals by the State-owned economic enterprises. The production of Coal increased by 73.75% and Barytes decreased by 60.49% in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September). Since August 2013, coal production included joint venture. The production of lime stone increased by 52.53%.

■ PRODUCTION OF MEAT, FISH, MILK AND EGG

The number of slaughtered for sheep/goat and pig has increased by 16.45% and 15.38% and has decreased for cattle by 0.86% in March 2019 compared to March 2018.

The production of meat has increased for mutton, pork, chicken, duck and fish by 16.50%, 15.40%, 11.65%, 0.81% and 0.71% and has decreased for beef by 0.97% in March 2019 compared to March 2018. The number of slaughtered for pig, cattle and sheep/goat has increased by 7.10%, 6.59% and 2.73% respectively in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September).

The production of meat has increased for all type of meat in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September): duck, pork, beef, fish, chicken and mutton has increased by 12.09%, 7.09%, 6.64%, 6.10%, 6.00% and 2.72%. The production of duck egg and hen egg has risen by 9.14% and 3.04% respectively in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September).

The consumption of meat and fish by households remains comparable to the last year. Most of Myanmar people usually eat meat and fish when looking at yearly data, the increase was even higher.

Production data for meat is collected from the Livestock Breeding and Veterinary Department of the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation which is recorded from the private sector. (1 viss = 1.6329 Kilogram)

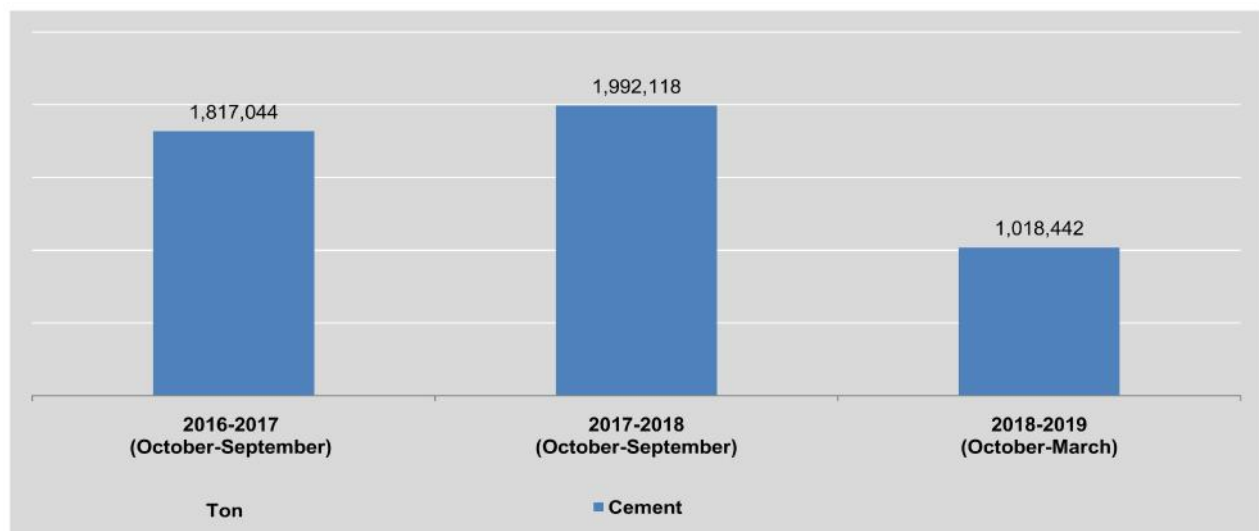
2.1 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE STATE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

FY	Cement (ton)	Hardwood (no. of sheet)	Wood Veneer (sq.ft)	Fertilizer (Urea) (metric ton)	Alcohol (gallon)
2016-2017 (October-September)	1,817,044	19,900	96,964,134	90,407	3,327,209
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,992,118	3,407	202,274,852	112,902	2,313,218
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,018,442	2,984	34,385,500	73,787	3,380,565
2018					
March	235,517	2,150	14,135,952	3,857	212,593
April	81,881	-	-	-	91,056
May	203,441	-	12,765,640	3,205	174,033
June	151,138	-	12,731,559	10,983	234,637
July	129,533	-	16,998,933	14,865	266,402
August	121,285	-	13,799,385	16,691	290,001
September	123,267	-	7,322,752	8,411	252,495
October	138,006	-	1,324,838	11,534	186,903
November	106,279	-	6,587,143	13,077	322,057
December	208,856	-	5,668,124	14,084	362,727
2019					
January	173,355	-	7,218,841	16,896	395,623
February	152,674	-	6,363,184	18,085	1,707,724
March	239,272	2,984	7,223,370	111	405,531

Since 2014-2015, cement production includes State-owned and joint venture.

Since January 2012, production data for alcohol are included in the private sector and joint venture.

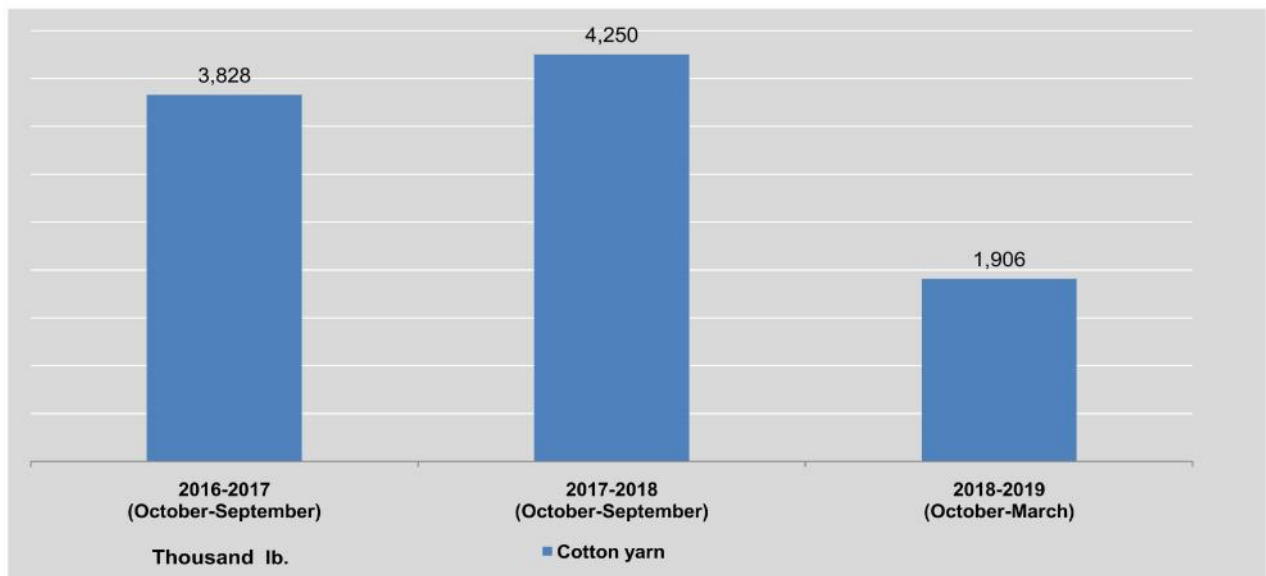
Note: 1 sheet = 32 sq ft



2.1 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE STATE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

FY	Cotton yarn (thousand lb.)	Cotton fabrics (thousand yd.)	Cotton Longyi (Men's) (thousand No.)
2016-2017 (October-September)	3,828	2,093	138
2017-2018 (October-September)	4250	1861	141
2018-2019 (October-March)	1906	870	49
2018			
March	439	31	41
April	238	4	16
May	450	64	21
June	452	138	3
July	404	150	3
August	245	302	-
September	291	453	1
October	78	221	2
November	244	67	3
December	438	126	15
2019			
January	391	200	4
February	365	134	10
March	390	122	15

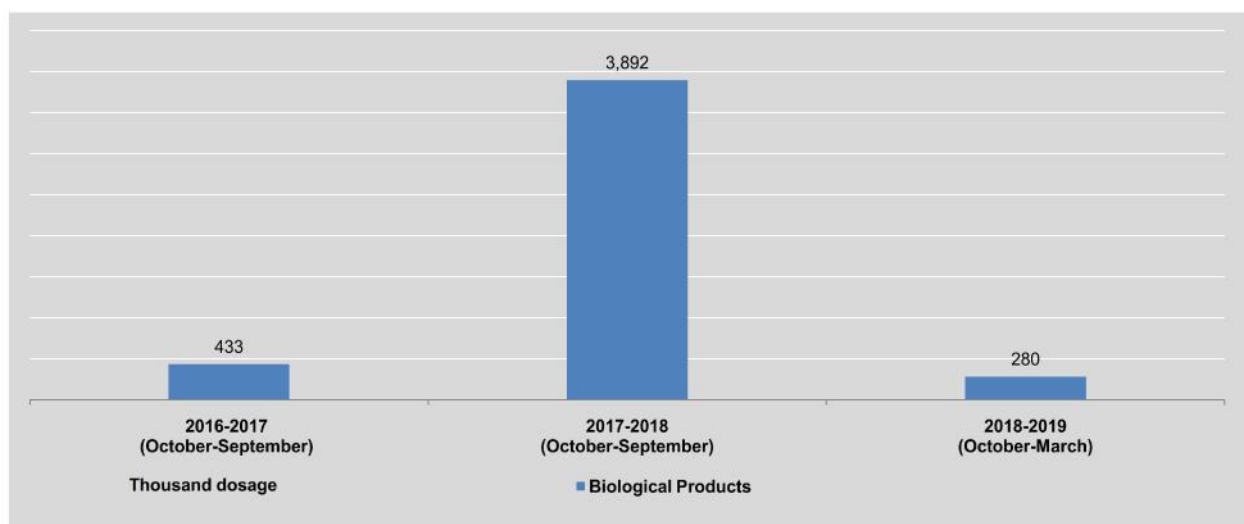
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2.1 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE STATE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

FY	Pharmaceutical Products					
	Solids (kg)	Liquids (litres)	Ointment and Similar Preparations (kg)	Tablets (Million tabs)	Sterile Products (thousand amp)	Biological Products (thousand dosage)
2016-2017 (October-September)	967,510	611,359	44,596	1,061	28,605	433
2017-2018 (October-September)	764,292	933,767	57,493	844	40,000	3,892
2018-2019 (October-March)	414,411	412,143	37,417	452	17,620	280
2018						
March	39,144	9,574	6,463	26	1,910	1,230
April	66,712	81,976	5,902	61	3,161	2,285
May	38,232	81,744	4,889	56	2,575	29
June	41,724	80,409	3,068	47	2,720	30
July	55,167	76,756	247	120	3,189	52
August	77,975	49,642	7,846	67	2,129	135
September	98,453	97,512	12,954	62	1,594	13
October	77,100	58,523	13,741	63	2,434	50
November	109,350	85,924	5,920	43	2,743	65
December	69,881	15,124	7,440	119	2,670	66
2019						
January	27,210	74,644	8,347	77	3,614	50
February	46,812	98,871	-	59	3,862	26
March	84,058	79,057	1,969	91	2,297	23

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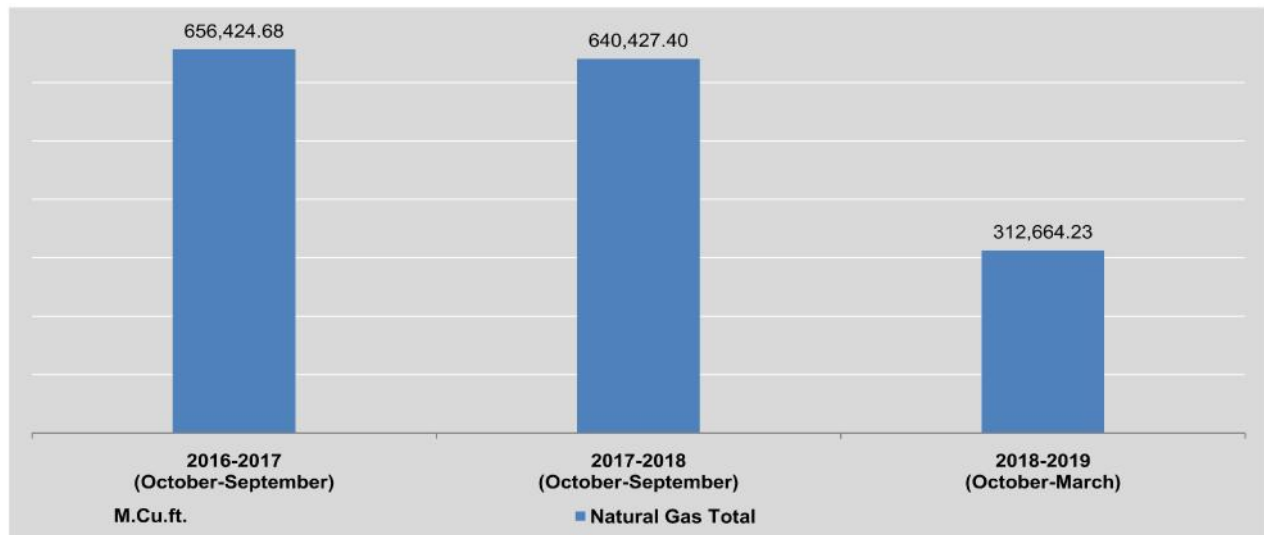


2.1 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE STATE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

FY	Crude Oil * (000) U.S. Barrels	Natural Gas			Petroleum coke (M.T)
		Pipeline Gas (M.Cu.ft.)	As Compressed (M.Cu.ft)	Total (M.Cu.ft.)	
2016-2017 (October-September)	4,167	649,811.33	6,613.35	656,424.68	13,640
2017-2018 (October-September)	3,602	633,325.75	7,101.65	640,427.40	11,205
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,639	308,956.01	3,708.22	312,664.23	5,960
2018					
March	309	61,599.56	648.28	62,247.84	1,006
April	249	52,824.95	570.54	53,395.49	22
May	299	61,563.71	653.06	62,216.77	302
June	293	49,094.70	613.29	49,707.99	1,121
July	299	44,319.27	624.65	44,943.92	1,828
August	297	43,289.15	620.34	43,909.49	621
September	281	42,146.17	624.18	42,770.35	1,444
October	291	43,127.65	642.50	43,770.15	1,118
November	277	49,306.20	619.09	49,925.29	1,781
December	265	53,270.60	646.28	53,916.88	76
2019					
January	279	52,245.41	656.27	52,901.68	1,609
February	255	53,794.06	593.03	54,387.09	192
March	272	57,212.09	551.05	57,763.14	1,184

* Includes joint venture offshore production.

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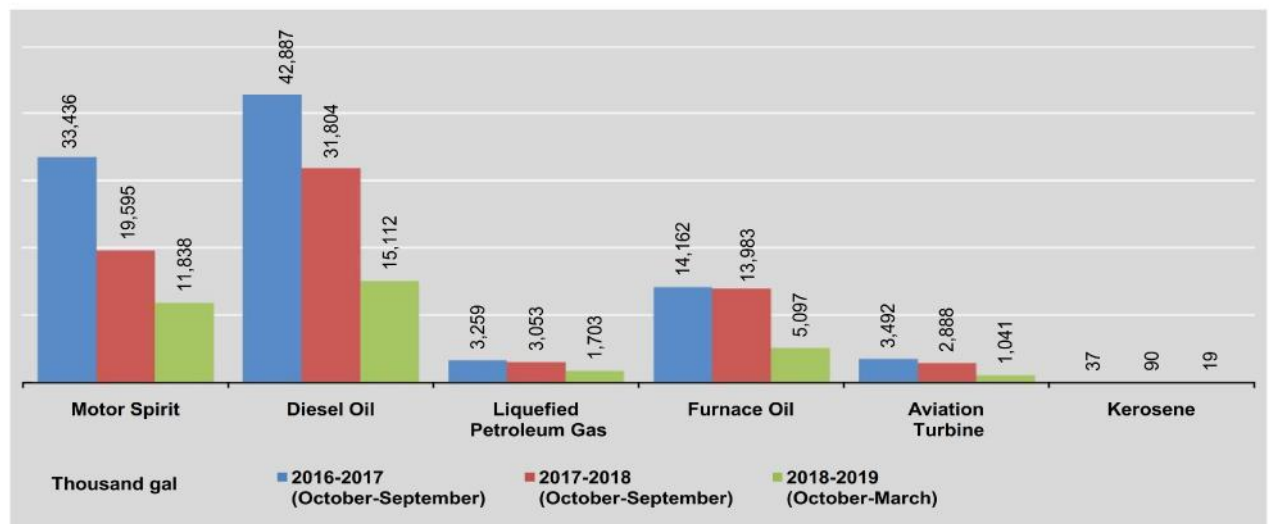


2.1 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE STATE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

Thousand gallon

FY	Motor Spirit	Diesel Oil	Liquefied Petroleum Gas	Furnace Oil	Aviation Turbine	Kerosene
2016-2017 (October-September)	33,436	42,887	3,259	14,162	3,492	37
2017-2018 (October-September)	19,595	31,804	3,053	13,983	2,888	90
2018-2019 (October-March)	11,838	15,112	1,703	5,097	1,041	19
2018						
March	1,769	3,180	163	914	299	4
April	322	21	232	267	2	1
May	639	945	269	563	61	5
June	506	3,923	310	1,620	485	3
July	3,997	4,429	357	669	553	4
August	1,811	1,747	305	1,674	116	3
September	2,638	3,556	368	3,347	262	53
October	2,352	1,808	329	1,374	98	2
November	2,959	4,034	352	1,181	249	3
December	493	954	254	405	38	4
2019						
January	2,680	4,080	319	736	302	4
February	1,245	1,082	232	246	80	3
March	2,109	3,154	217	1,155	274	3

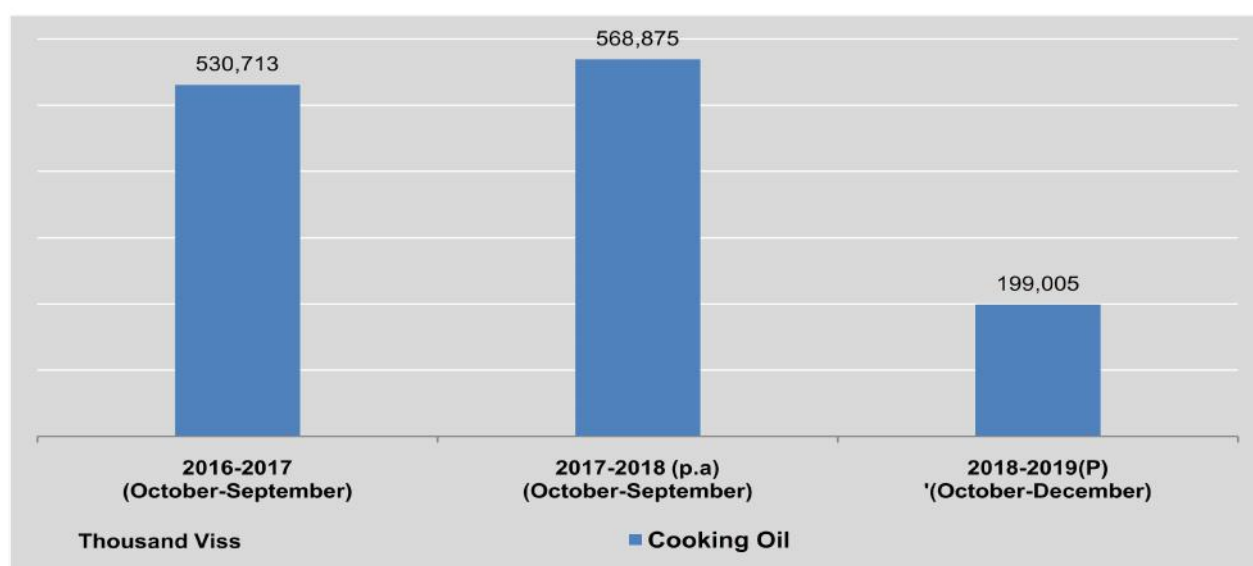
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2.2 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE PRIVATE ENTERPRISES

FY	Cooking Oil (thousand viss)	Instant Noodles (thousand pack)	Cement (metric ton)	Ready Made Garment (thousand no.)	Fertilizer (metric ton)
2016-2017 (October-September)	530,713	334,730	1,907,185	1,709,522	1,944,172
2017-2018 (p.a) (October-September)	568,875	247,953	4,646,633	1,167,924	2,116,583
2018-2019(P) '(October-December)	199,005	40,133	1,111,042	315,309	684,747
2017-2018 (p.a)					
1st Quarter (October-December)	180,252	35,978	1,118,967	305,040	609,342
2nd Quarter (January-March)	165,261	93,085	2,424,640	243,492	799,129
3rd Quarter (April-June)	92,016	72,981	634,223	202,651	346,530
4th Quarter (July-September)	131,346	45,909	468,803	416,741	361,582
2018-2019 (p)					
1st Quarter (October-December)	199,005	40,133	1,111,042	315,309	684,747

Source: Planning Department.



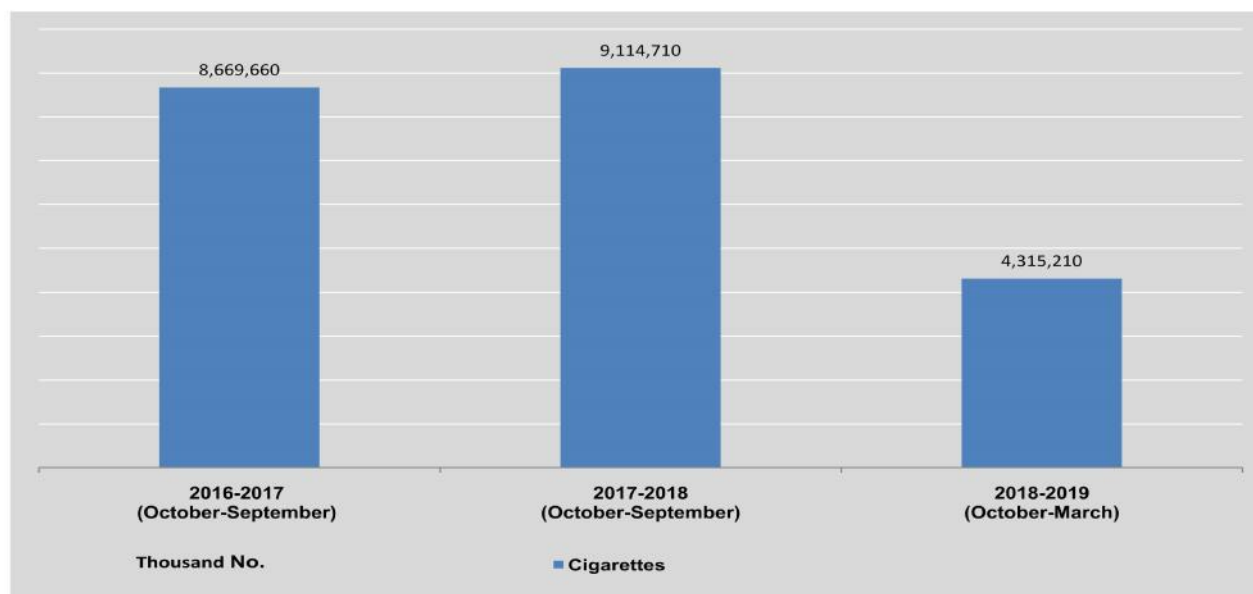
2.2 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE PRIVATE ENTERPRISES

FY	Beer (gallon)	Cigarettes (thousand No.)	Vest (thousand No.)
2016-2017 (October-September)	55,700,890	8,669,660	120
2017-2018 (October-September)	59,832,183	9,114,710	171
2018-2019 (October-March)	37,747,046	4,315,210	53
2018			
March	5,734,001	838,550	71
April	5,435,106	623,850	15
May	5,583,251	821,580	20
June	5,583,550	786,100	-
July	4,239,406	729,140	5
August	2,569,745	830,210	6
September	4,908,254	763,270	3
October	4,827,817	737,390	17
November	5,686,556	670,880	8
December	7,532,711	712,100	8
2019			
January	6,390,946	765,780	5
February	6,684,617	712,420	7
March	6,624,399	716,640	8

Since 2015-2016, production of vest is halted for privatization.

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Since 2009-2010, production data for Beer and Cigarettes are included in the private sector.



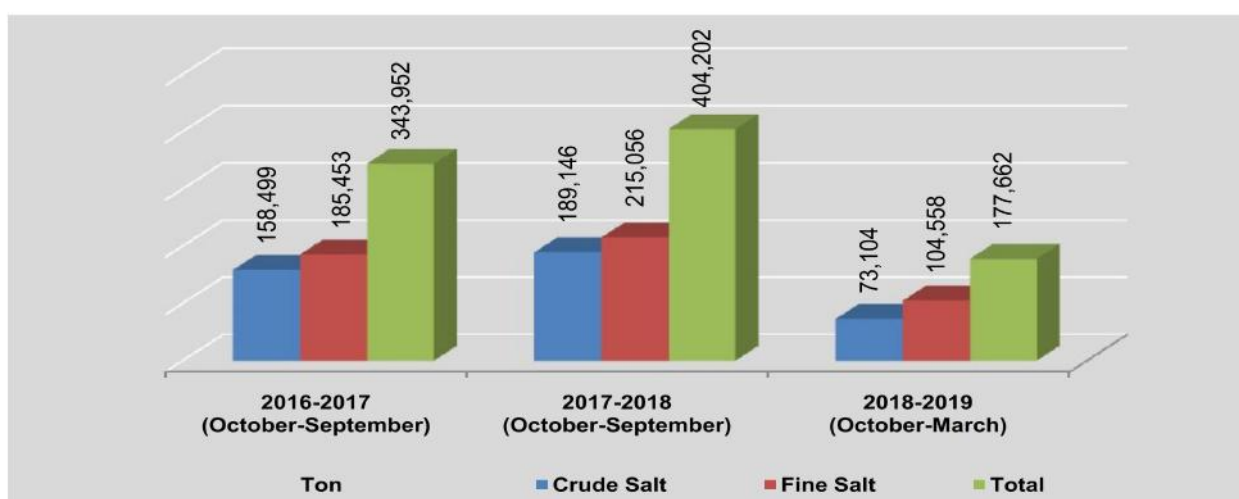
2.2 PRODUCTION OF SELECTED COMMODITIES BY THE PRIVATE ENTERPRISES

FY	Sugar (ton)	Salt		
		Crude Salt (ton)	Fine Salt (ton)	Total (ton)
2016-2017 (October-September)	2,755	158,499	185,453	343,952
2017-2018 (October-September)	3,149	189,146	215,056	404,202
2018-2019 (October-March)	3,918	73,104	104,558	177,662
2018				
March	-	55,974	30,967	86,941
April	-	89,524	20,318	109,842
May	-	11,210	18,174	29,384
June	-	-	10,862	10,862
July	-	-	11,288	11,288
August	-	-	12,358	12,358
September	-	-	19,949	19,949
October	-	-	13,025	13,025
November	-	-	18,618	18,618
December	1,046 (r)	-	18,762	18,762
2019				
January	3,053	1,690	17,821	19,511
February	15	14,123	16,706	30,829
March	63	57,291	19,626	76,917

Since January 2012, production data for sugar is included in the private sector.

Since 2009-2010, production data for Salt is included in the private sector.

Source: No.(3) Heavy Industries Enterprise, Department of Mines, Myanmar Economic Holdings Public Company Limited. Myanmar Pharmaceutical Industries.

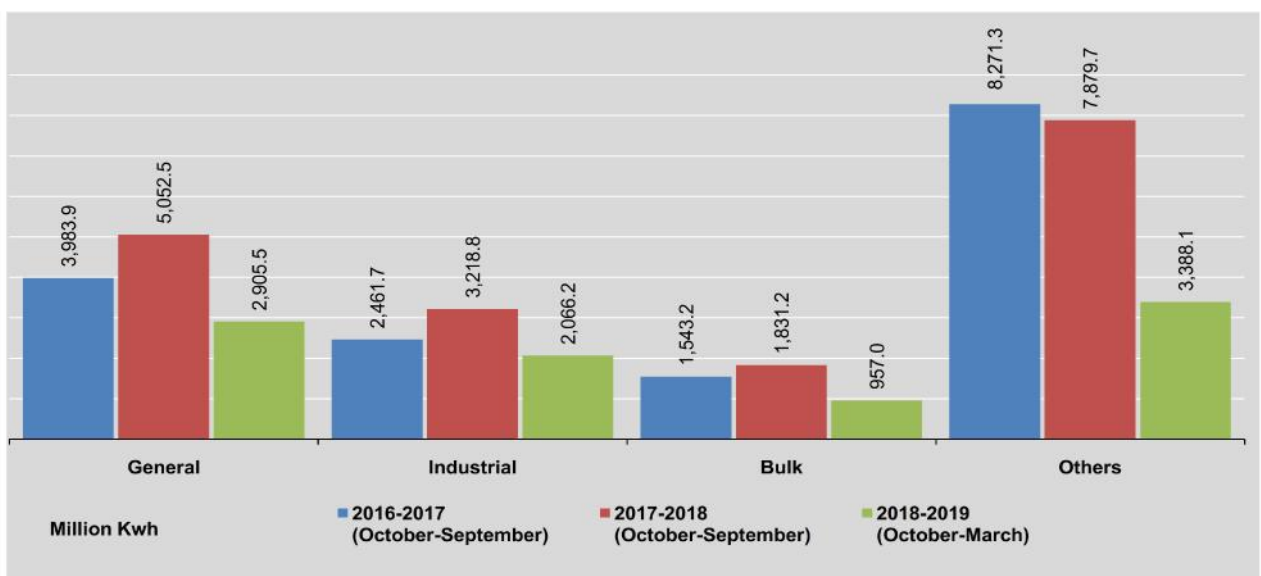


2.3 ELECTRIC POWER GENERATION AND SALES

FY	Installed Capacity (Megawatts)	Generation (Million kwh)	Volume of Sale (Million kwh)					Value of Sale (Kyat Million)
			General	Industrial	Bulk	Others*	Total	
2016-2017 (October-September)	5,389	18,982.73	3,983.9	2,461.7	1,543.2	8,271.3	16,260.1	1,134,656.8
2017-2018 (October-September)	5,651	21,143.88	5,052.5	3,218.8	1,831.2	7,879.7	17,982.2	1,280,544.1
2018-2019 (October-March)	5,651	11,133.62	2,905.50	2,066.20	957.00	3,388.10	9,316.70	674,995.00
2018 (p)								
March	5,642	1,845.49	405.9	277.9	156.7	704.2	1,544.7	110,712.5
April	5,667	1,790.18	450.6	243.9	158.6	683.1	1,536.2	108,001.0
May	5,667	1,913.83	448.6	272.8	161.8	752.7	1,635.9	115,833.4
June	5,565	1,777.31	422.8	260.2	153.8	688.0	1,524.8	108,469.5
July	5,565	1,860.31	438.9	270.2	163.1	713.4	1,585.5	112,762.9
August	5,647	1,888.13	492.0	372.9	167.2	548.7	1,580.8	114,223.7
September	5,651	1,899.47	485.3	332.8	169.3	632.1	1,609.5	115,867.0
October	5,651	1,930.69	483.2	335.2	158.0	610.1	1,586.5	114,571.7
November	5,651	1,849.20	490.9	341.2	168.8	606.8	1,607.7	115,913.6
December	5,656	1,846.28	491.9	330.4	161.4	568.4	1,552.2	111,953.2
2019								
January	5,746	1,796.68	487.7	315.2	157.4	568.4	1,528.7	109,305.2
February	5,651	1,700.19	482.9	377.9	154.9	516.3	1,531.9	112,556.7
March	5,651	2,010.58	468.9	366.3	156.5	518.1	1,509.7	110,694.6

* Since August 2012, volume of sale by private companies are included under 'Others'.

Source: Ministry of Electricity and Energy.

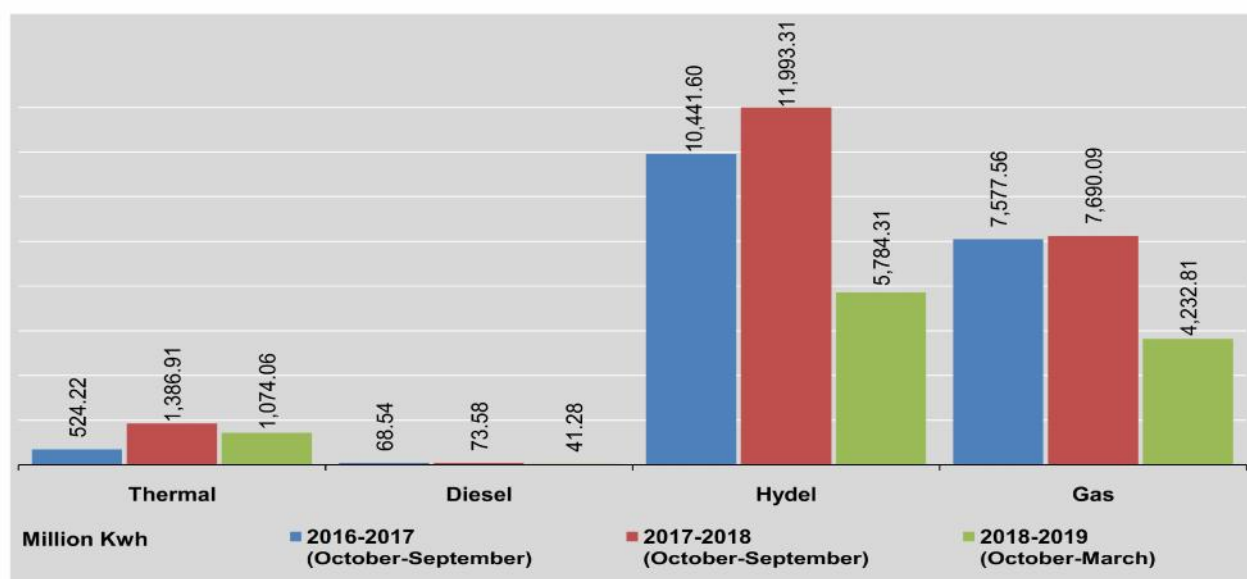


2.4 ELECTRIC POWER GENERATION BY TYPE OF ENERGY

Million Kwh

FY	Thermal	Diesel	Hydel	Gas	Total
2016-2017 (October-September)	524.22	68.54	10,441.60	7,577.56	18,611.92
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,386.91	73.58	11,993.31	7,690.09	21,143.88
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,074.06	41.28	5,784.31	4,232.81	11,132.46
2018 (p)					
March	142.22	6.00	908.50	788.77	1,845.49
April	120.00	6.91	923.41	739.86	1,785.06
May	118.62	7.42	967.20	820.59	1,908.54
June	97.87	6.48	1,008.76	664.20	1,772.42
July	104.39	6.46	1,209.43	540.03	1,855.54
August	127.24	6.47	1,240.14	514.28	1,883.62
September	151.23	6.44	1,225.87	515.93	1,897.76
October	171.99	6.62	1,187.65	564.43	1,930.69
November	122.87	6.56	1,116.13	603.64	1,849.20
December	178.48	6.79	887.11	773.99	1,846.37
2019					
January	200.10	7.05	828.56	760.97	1,796.68
February	195.06	6.36	773.15	725.62	1,700.19
March	205.56	7.90	991.71	804.16	2,009.33

Source: Ministry of Electricity and Energy.

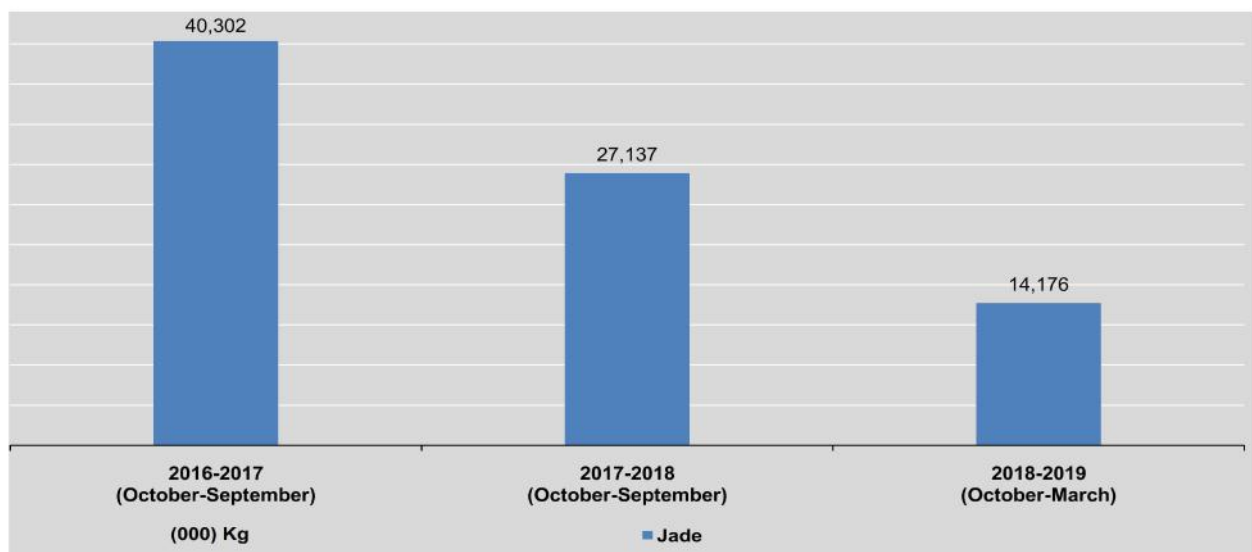


2.5 PRODUCTION OF PRECIOUS MINERALS AND PEARLS

FY	Jade (000) Kg			Gems (Carat)			Pearls** (Momme)
	Private	Joint	Total	Private	Joint	Total	
2016-2017 (October-September)	21,097	19,205	40,302	7,088,541	600,050	7,688,591	481,457.42
2017-2018 (October-September)	20,062	7,075	27,137	7,198,930	148,671	7,347,601	438,298.45
2018-2019 (October-March)	12,060	2,116	14,176	1,658,460	25,150	1,683,610	336,955.32
2018							
March	2,616	1,127	3,743	411,929	15,350	427,279	-
April	3,460	1,945	5,405	463,375	8,360	471,735	1,020.87
May	4,262	1,077	5,339	801,503	13,270	814,773	33,692.90
June	2,936	528	3,464	515,708	6,600	522,308	43,888.60
July	350	107	457	685,502	3,670	689,172	13,160.50
August	1,092	29	1,121	899,761	5,680	905,441	-
September	583	28	611	358,370	4,900	363,270	31,037.60
October	356	42	398	369,163	3,400	372,563	37,092.00
November	1,116	267	1,383	257,703	6,350	264,053	65,875.33
December	1,797	257	2,054	449,892	3,000	452,892	1,484.95
2019							
January	2,585	375	2,960	326,190	5,200	331,390	18,341.50
February	1,719	629	2,348	205,403	3,200	208,603	214,161.54
March	4,487	546	5,033	50,109	4,000	54,109	-

** Pearls include joint venture production.

Sources: Myanmar Pearl Enterprise,
Myanmar Gems Enterprise.



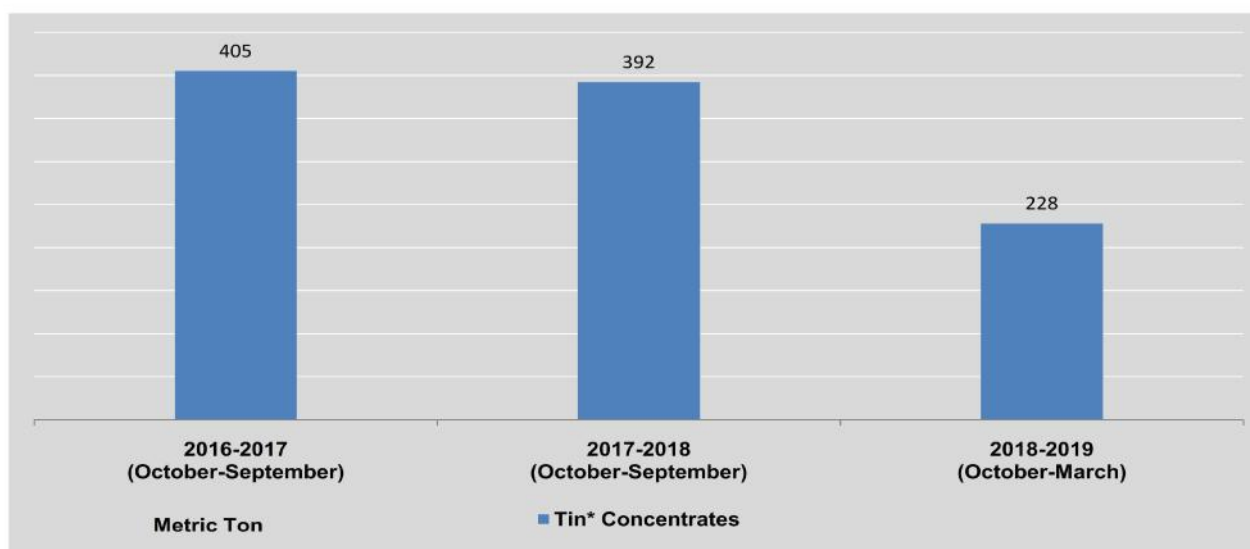
2.6 MINERAL EXTRACTION BY THE STATE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

Metric Ton

FY	Tin* Concentrates	Tungsten* Concentrates	Tin* Tungsten and Scheelite
2016-2017 (October-September)	405	3	296
2017-2018 (October-September)	392	5	534
2018-2019 (October-March)	228	3	220
2018			
March	59	-	49
April	25	-	42
May	22	-	43
June	46	-	41
July	14	3	42
August	38	-	42
September	10	-	38
October	30	3	41
November	25	-	43
December	54	-	42
2019			
January	24	-	46
February	49	-	48
March	46	-	-

* Include joint venture production.

Source: No.(2) Mining Enterprise.



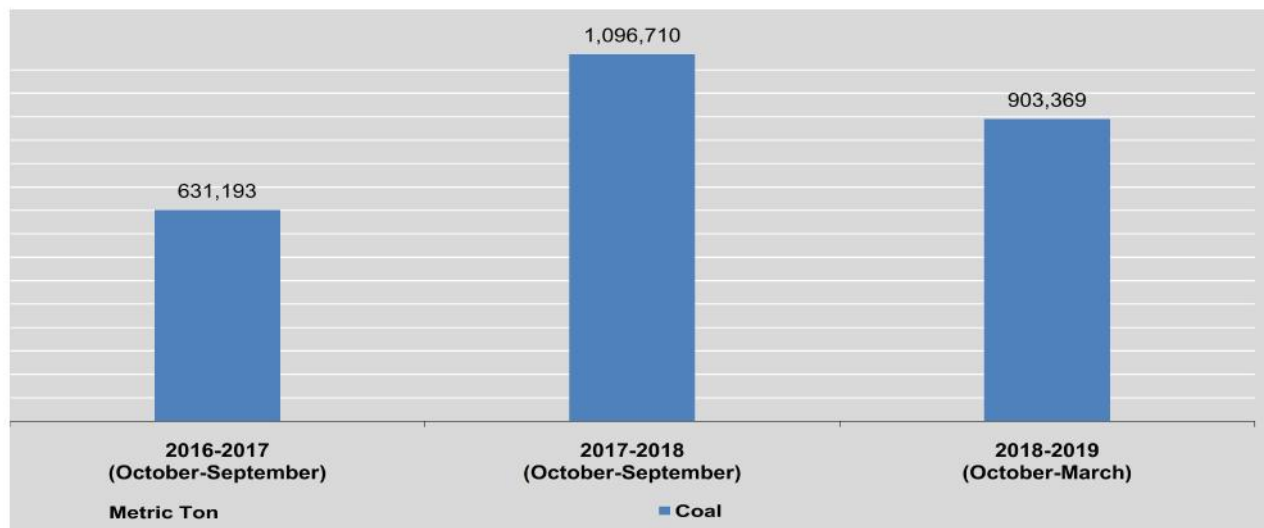
2.7 PRODUCTION OF NON-METALLIC MINERALS BY THE STATE-OWNED ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

Metric Ton

FY	Coal	Barytes	Gypsum	Dolomite	Lime stone
2016-2017 (October-September)	631,193 *	3,561	337,085	2,200	6,443,328
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,096,710 *	1,407	345,716	2,200	9,828,209
2018-2019 (October-March)	903,369 *	3,335	163,785	1,300	5,576,216
2018					
March	103,266	58	30,302	250	1,790,558
April	92,038	60	23,251	250	866,721
May	96,998	105	27,039	250	842,398
June	109,618	112	38,452	100	934,541
July	122,886	100	31,858	100	791,626
August	85,135	108	26,045	100	788,070
September	133,801	70	22,812	100	706,419
October	81,828	640	18,004	100	821,347
November	86,968	745	17,347	200	796,637
December	107,437	720	24,712	250	757,846
2019					
January	213,486	720	41,961	-	1,016,023
February	211,784	510	29,413	500	1,141,230
March	201,866	-	32,348	250	1,043,133

* Include joint Co-operative production.

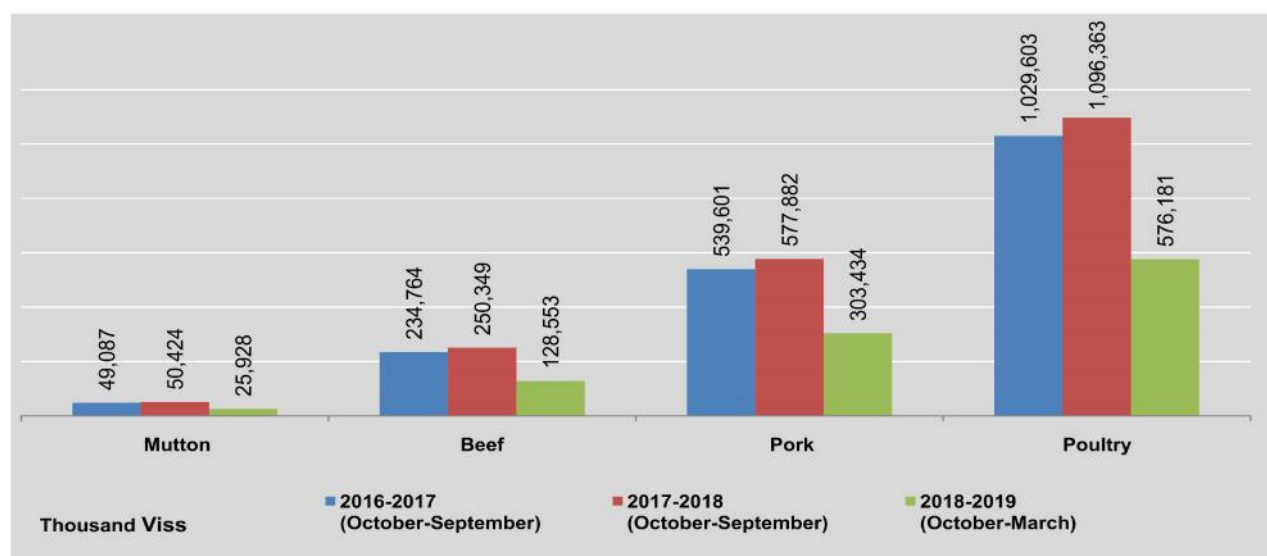
Source: No.(1) Mining Enterprise.



2.8 PRODUCTION OF MEAT, FISH, MILK AND EGG

FY	Sheep/Goat		Cattle		Pig		Poultry	
	Number Slaughtered (thou.No)	Mutton production (thou. Viss)	Number Slaughtered (thou.No)	Beef production (thou. Viss)	Number Slaughtered (thou.No)	Pork production (thou. Viss)	Chicken Production (thou. Viss)	Duck Production (thou. Viss)
2016-2017 (October-September)	8,181	49,087	2,610	234,764	15,417	539,601	947,848	81,755
2017-2018 (October-September)	8,404	50,424	2,782	250,349	16,511	577,882	1,004,727	91,636
2018-2019 (October-March)	4,321	25,928	1,428	128,553	8,670	303,434	528,247	47,934
2018								
March	608	3,648	232	20,893	1,248	43,666	77,152	7,939
April	700	4,199	229	20,568	1,423	49,788	84,417	7,759
May	716	4,298	231	20,793	1,349	47,229	84,046	7,597
June	715	4,290	246	22,111	1,480	51,810	87,730	8,319
July	713	4,279	233	20,977	1,390	48,650	85,731	7,700
August	716	4,296	229	20,649	1,420	49,699	85,846	7,512
September	711	4,267	233	20,966	1,417	49,578	86,531	7,969
October	723	4,336	237	21,331	1,431	50,101	87,378	7,953
November	752	4,512	247	22,199	1,498	52,421	91,929	8,059
December	718	4,310	235	21,192	1,440	50,394	87,907	7,988
2019								
January	712	4,274	240	21,622	1,399	48,958	86,918	7,967
February	708	4,246	239	21,519	1,462	51,170	87,977	7,964
March	708	4,250	230	20,690	1,440	50,390	86,138	8,003

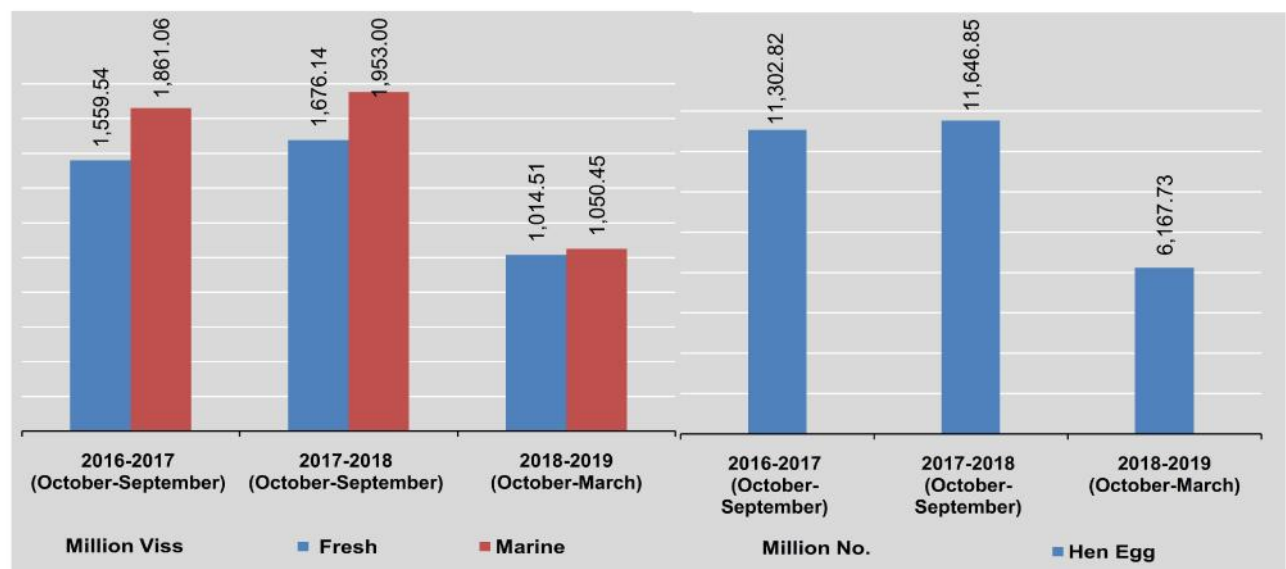
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2.8 PRODUCTION OF MEAT, FISH, MILK AND EGG

FY	Fish		Milk	Egg	
	Fresh production (thou. Viss)	Marine production (thou.Viss)	production (thou. Viss)	Hen Egg (thou. No.)	Duck Egg (thou. No.)
2016-2017 (October-September)	1,559,540	1,861,061	1,501,383	11,302,817	1,016,037
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,676,135	1,953,000	1,557,278	11,646,846	1,108,866
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,014,508	1,050,450	819,937	6,167,730	581,163
2018					
March	133,933	163,051	119,208	873,344	106,620
April	75,185	132,140	132,864	991,242	91,012
May	112,189	132,030	132,041	972,427	89,987
June	95,872	135,047	132,962	1,024,720	97,914
July	105,733	151,017	138,172	995,895	94,353
August	116,346	153,488	134,207	999,365	94,258
September	182,138	182,834	134,992	1,008,470	94,825
October	181,277	181,652	136,566	1,024,297	96,730
November	204,413	189,053	136,695	1,061,756	98,597
December	190,043	185,783	137,738	1,031,714	96,547
2019					
January	154,543	166,046	135,961	987,975	94,695
February	149,668	163,387	137,213	1,040,396	96,112
March	134,564	164,529	135,764	1,021,592	98,482

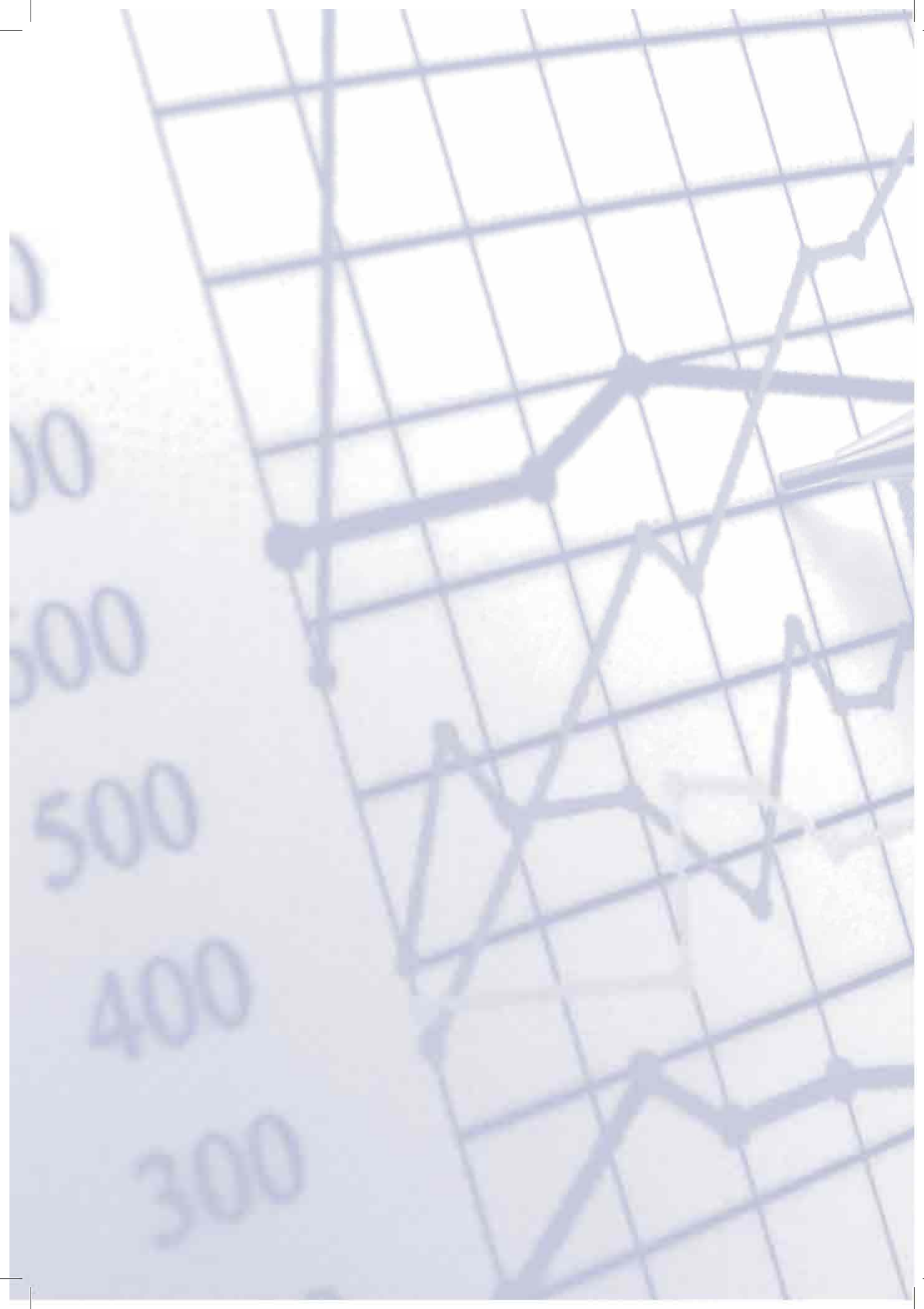
Source: Livestock Breeding and veterinary Department.



CHAPTER 3
PRICES



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PRICES | ANALYSIS

■ CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND RATE OF INFLATION

The Central Statistical Organization conducted the Household Income and Expenditure Survey in 2012. The weights based on Household Income and Expenditure.

Weights and composition grouped into twelve major categories of goods and services in the 2012 base. For computing, the respective CPI groups selected the basis of their importance and representativeness. The CPI computation based on 274 commodities, which are commonly used by most of the households.

In Myanmar, the Central Statistical Organization produced the Consumer Price Index (CPI) and the rate of inflation by Monthly.

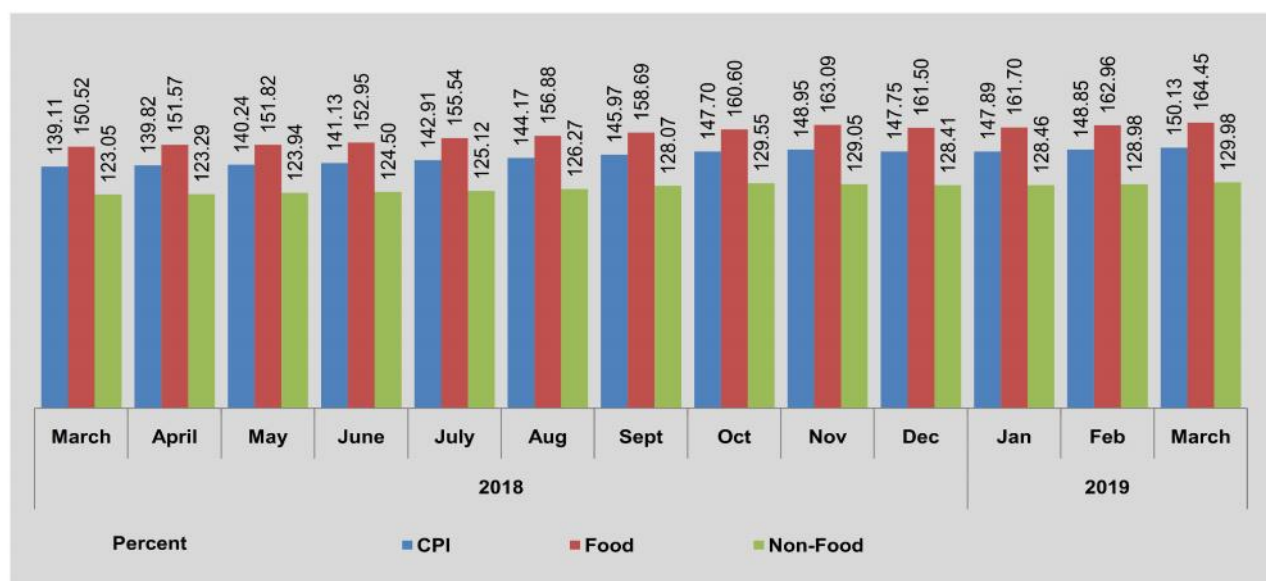
In March 2019, according to the 2012 base, the rate of consumer price for the food group is 164.45, the non-food group is 129.98 and all the group is 150.13. The consumer price index increased which is comparing with last month was 148.85 and the Year on Year inflation is 7.92%.

3.1 CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (UNION) AND RATE OF INFLATION

Base : 2012=100

FY	CPI	Food_Index	Non_Food_Index	Annual Rate of Inflation	Year on Year Inflation
2018					
March	139.11	150.52	123.05	4.03	5.42
April	139.82	151.57	123.29	4.12	5.87
May	140.24	151.82	123.94	4.29	5.90
June	141.13	152.95	124.50	4.58	6.45
July	142.91	155.54	125.12	5.02	7.56
August	144.17	156.88	126.27	5.50	8.18
September	145.97	158.69	128.07	5.94	8.59
October	147.70	160.60	129.55	6.34	8.85
November	148.95	163.09	129.05	6.66	8.33
December	147.75	161.50	128.41	6.86	6.85
2019					
January	147.89	161.70	128.46	6.94	6.14
February	148.85	162.96	128.98	7.07	6.69
March	150.13	164.45	129.98	7.28	7.92

Source: Central Statistical Organization.



3.2 CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AT UNION LEVEL

Base : 2012=100

FY		All Items	FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO	CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD	HEALTH	
Period	Weights	100.00	58.51	1.65	3.23	8.07	2.34	2.13	
2018	March	139.11	150.52	154.73	118.83	145.52	117.53	139.32	
	April	139.82	151.57	147.37	119.28	146.18	117.69	139.24	
	May	140.24	151.82	142.80	119.47	146.65	117.81	139.25	
	June	141.13	152.95	138.66	120.14	146.96	118.08	139.80	
	July	142.91	155.54	143.34	120.24	147.19	118.77	140.25	
	August	144.17	156.88	143.85	121.04	147.96	120.08	141.98	
	September	145.97	158.69	139.22	121.71	150.37	121.02	143.71	
	October	147.70	160.60	141.03	122.47	151.38	122.75	144.53	
	November	148.95	163.09	141.88	122.86	151.49	123.75	145.18	
	December	147.75	161.50	144.12	123.52	151.43	124.83	146.19	
	2019	January	147.89	161.70	148.26	124.15	152.41	125.61	146.95
		February	148.85	162.96	145.27	124.55	152.37	125.84	149.65
March		150.13	164.45	141.93	124.93	154.13	126.65	150.45	

FY		TRANSPORT	COMMUNICATION	RECREATION AND CULTURE	EDUCATION	RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS	MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	Non-Food	
Period	Weights	10.13	1.62	1.02	2.15	5.95	3.21	41.49	
2018	March	103.63	102.57	106.22	122.67	123.06	125.00	123.05	
	April	104.68	102.55	106.43	125.23	122.62	125.44	123.29	
	May	107.04	102.54	106.74	127.13	122.81	125.57	123.94	
	June	108.63	102.43	107.47	130.68	121.94	126.92	124.50	
	July	109.71	102.43	107.67	130.83	121.96	127.49	125.12	
	August	111.40	102.10	108.30	133.10	123.02	128.43	126.27	
	September	115.19	102.15	108.93	133.15	123.56	132.24	128.07	
	October	118.78	102.08	109.14	133.15	123.92	133.30	129.55	
	November	115.45	102.02	109.28	133.52	124.09	134.53	129.05	
	December	110.42	101.94	109.59	133.52	126.19	134.96	128.41	
	2019	January	108.13	101.78	110.04	133.63	126.56	135.79	128.46
		February	109.28	101.75	110.05	133.88	126.83	137.44	128.98
March		111.93	101.76	110.06	133.89	126.93	137.61	129.98	

Source: Central Statistical Organization.

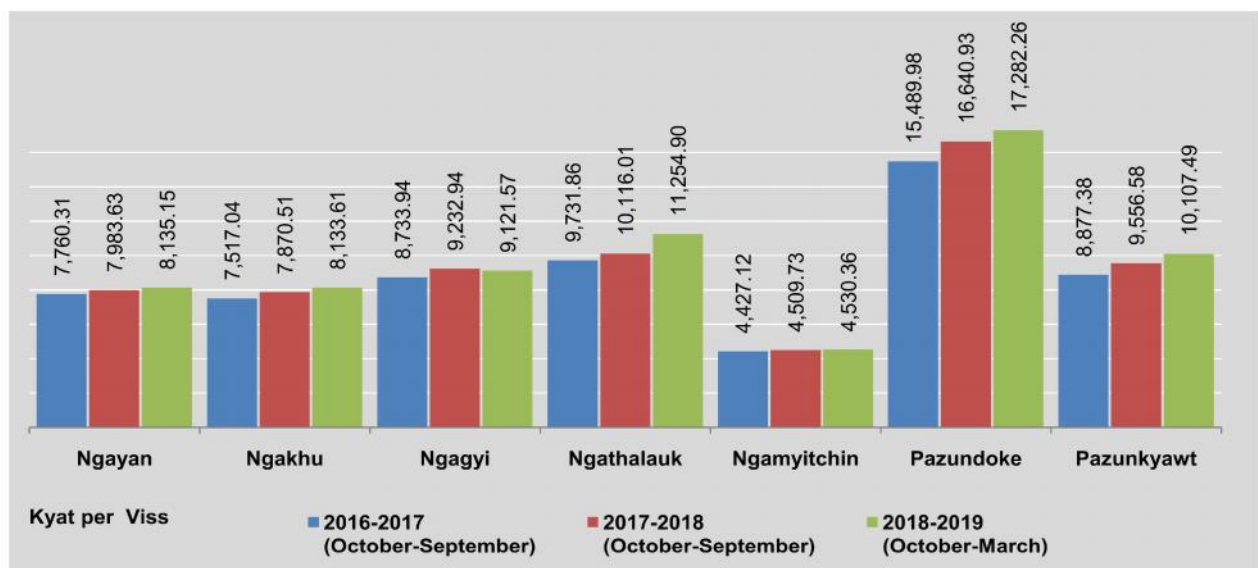
3.3 RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Kyat per viss

FY	Rice Emata * (per pyi)	Fresh Fish						
		Ngayan	Ngakhu	Ngagyi	Ngathalauk	Ngamyitchin	Pazundoke	Pazun- kyawt
2016-2017 (October-September)	1,305.14	7,760.31	7,517.04	8,733.94	9,731.86	4,427.12	15,489.98	8,877.38
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,402.49	7,983.63	7,870.51	9,232.94	10,116.01	4,509.73	16,640.93	9,556.58
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,499.61	8,135.15	8,133.61	9,121.57	11,254.90	4,530.36	17,282.26	10,107.49
2018								
March	1,381.73	7,834.02	7,648.62	8,941.18	9,672.55	4,532.44	16,727.98	9,612.30
April	1,393.36	7,892.75	7,780.00	9,117.65	9,986.27	4,535.27	16,805.70	9,684.49
May	1,392.80	7,984.97	8,016.11	9,420.00	10,362.75	4,558.48	17,093.26	9,762.03
June	1,397.60	8,292.23	8,326.11	9,814.12	10,052.94	4,461.61	16,913.99	9,791.98
July	1,433.39	8,462.18	8,811.67	10,090.59	10,207.84	4,453.13	16,745.08	9,729.41
August	1,468.30	8,559.07	8,623.89	9,988.24	10,725.49	4,432.14	16,963.21	9,808.02
September	1,492.39	8,349.22	8,233.33	9,588.24	10,990.20	4,458.48	16,864.77	9,709.09
October	1,510.69	8,183.42	8,145.00	8,964.71	10,892.16	4,474.55	16,838.86	9,624.06
November	1,509.56	8,074.61	8,093.33	8,782.35	10,823.53	4,461.16	16,947.40	9,829.41
December	1,505.51	8,041.45	7,950.56	8,888.24	11,058.82	4,460.27	16,973.44	9,985.03
2019								
January	1,481.62	8,004.15	8,045.00	9,088.24	11,009.80	4,529.02	17,348.44	10,188.77
February	1,490.26	8,149.22	8,178.33	9,358.82	11,490.20	4,609.82	17,683.33	10,439.04
March	1,500.00	8,358.03	8,389.44	9,647.06	12,254.90	4,647.32	17,902.08	10,578.61

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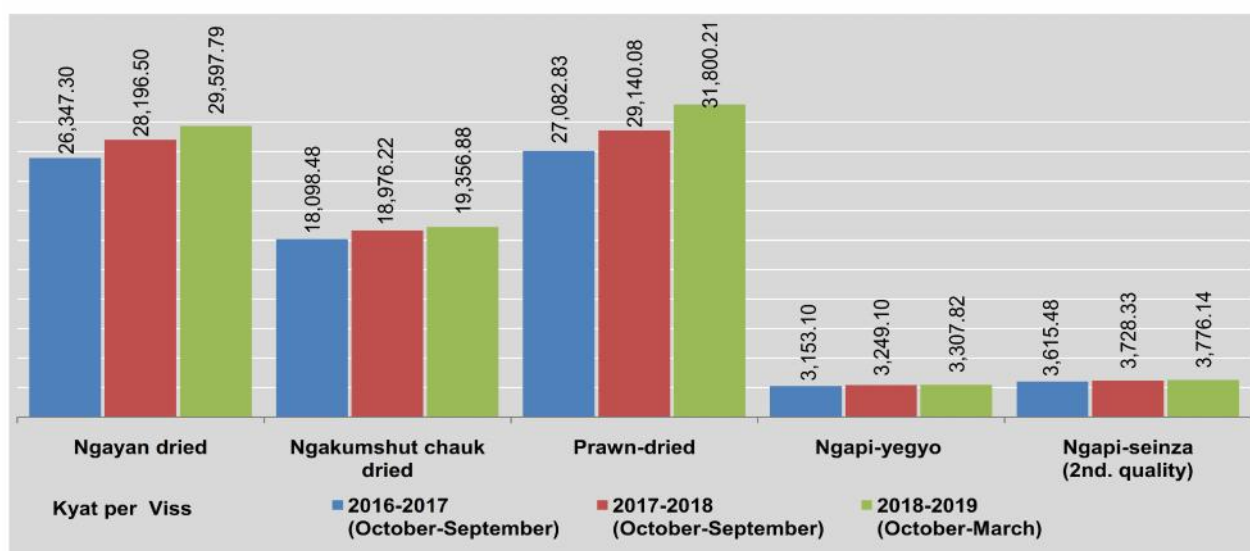


3.3 RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Kyat per viss

FY	Fish product				
	Ngayan dried	Ngakumshut chauk dried	Prawn dried	Ngapi yegyo	Ngapi-seinza (2nd. quality)
2016-2017 (October-September)	26,347.30	18,098.48	27,082.83	3,153.10	3,615.48
2017-2018 (October-September)	28,196.50	18,976.22	29,140.08	3,249.10	3,728.33
2018-2019 (October-March)	29,597.79	19,356.88	31,800.21	3,307.82	3,776.14
2018					
March	27,667.00	18,864.13	28,582.63	3,262.39	3,716.92
April	28,235.96	18,885.87	29,141.70	3,297.79	3,717.95
May	28,521.67	18,918.48	29,569.36	3,300.00	3,747.18
June	28,870.44	19,179.35	30,054.47	3,300.00	3,770.26
July	28,978.82	19,679.35	30,405.53	3,306.64	3,770.26
August	29,284.24	19,777.17	30,744.68	3,308.85	3,759.90
September	29,425.00	19,070.65	31,034.04	3,308.85	3,771.07
October	29,478.92	18,983.70	31,325.53	3,308.85	3,777.66
November	29,562.25	19,418.48	31,559.57	3,297.79	3,764.97
December	29,564.71	19,266.30	31,861.70	3,306.64	3,770.05
2019					
January	29,567.16	19,222.83	31,870.21	3,306.19	3,774.11
February	29,537.75	19,364.13	31,903.40	3,313.72	3,779.19
March	29,875.98	19,885.87	32,280.85	3,313.72	3,790.86

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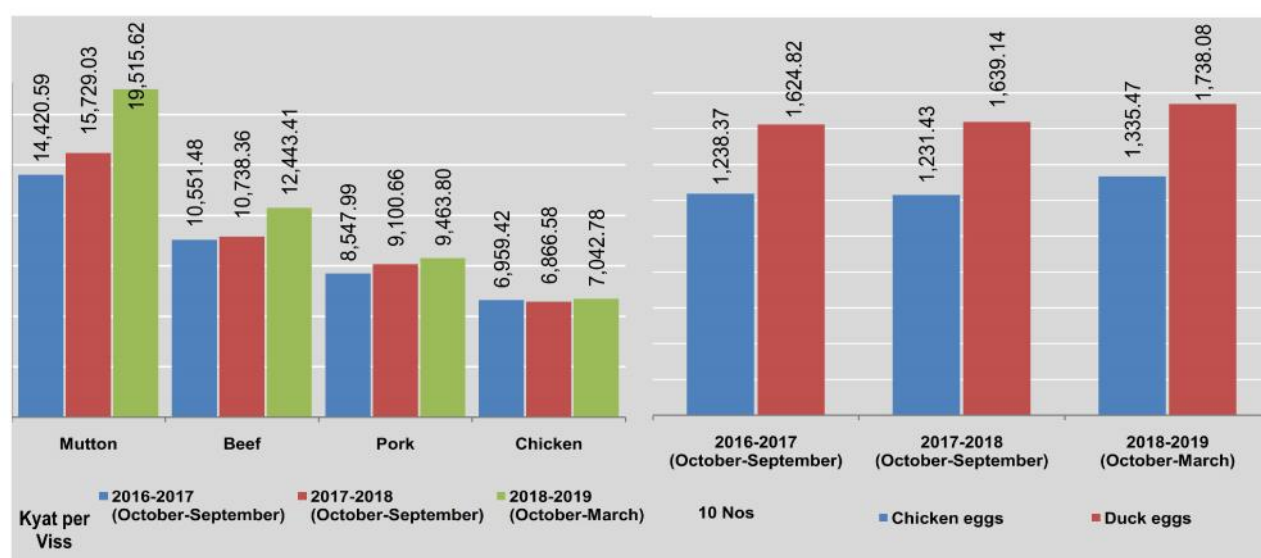


3.3 RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Kyat per viss

FY	Meat, Poultry and Eggs					
	Mutton	Beef	Pork	Chicken	Chicken eggs (10.Nos)	Duck eggs (10.Nos)
2016-2017 (October-September)	14,420.59	10,551.48	8,547.99	6,959.42	1,238.37	1,624.82
2017-2018 (October-September)	15,729.03	10,738.36	9,100.66	6,866.58	1,231.43	1,639.14
2018-2019 (October-March)	19,515.62	12,443.41	9,463.80	7,042.78	1,335.47	1,738.08
2018						
March	15,341.04	10,721.60	9,135.59	6,873.48	1,165.94	1,610.34
April	15,786.71	10,672.17	9,156.46	6,996.58	1,211.60	1,610.99
May	16,038.73	10,728.77	9,208.50	7,004.18	1,254.60	1,641.59
June	16,449.13	10,827.83	9,269.39	6,956.65	1,254.28	1,611.64
July	16,660.12	10,865.57	9,313.61	6,955.13	1,290.84	1,627.37
August	17,095.43	11,100.00	9,370.61	7,016.73	1,353.16	1,690.73
September	17,646.86	11,332.56	9,395.95	6,965.40	1,373.96	1,745.47
October	18,175.43	11,609.77	9,401.01	6,941.83	1,344.28	1,722.84
November	18,746.29	12,042.79	9,460.14	6,960.08	1,340.08	1,748.06
December	19,225.14	12,493.95	9,483.45	6,989.73	1,319.80	1,747.63
2019						
January	19,950.86	12,661.40	9,533.11	7,057.03	1,336.08	1,808.84
February	20,356.57	12,789.30	9,556.76	7,145.63	1,341.88	1,833.41
March	20,639.43	13,063.26	9,348.31	7,162.36	1,330.68	1,837.72

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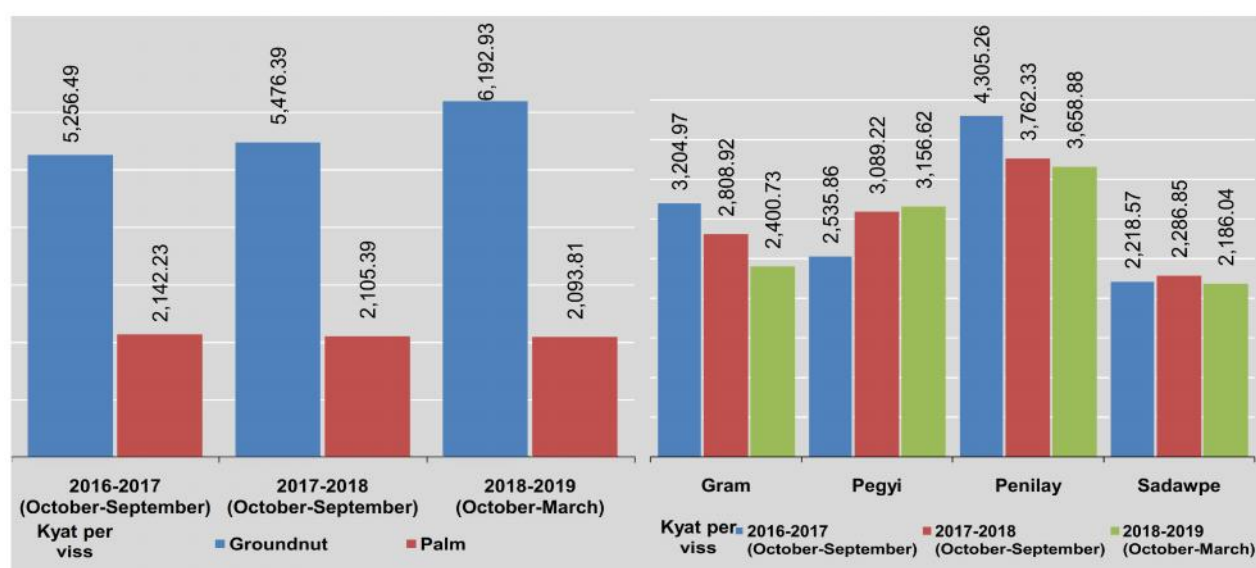


3.3 RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Kyat per viss

FY	Edible Oils		Pulses			
	Groundnut	Palm	Gram (split)	Peygi (whole)	Penilay (whole)	Sadawpe (lonethay)
2016-2017 (October-September)	5,256.49	2,142.23	3,204.97	2,535.86	4,305.26	2,218.57
2017-2018 (October-September)	5,476.39	2,105.39	2,808.92	3,089.22	3,762.33	2,286.85
2018-2019 (October-March)	6,192.93	2,093.81	2,400.73	3,156.62	3,658.88	2,186.04
2018						
March	5,371.56	2,097.69	2,859.04	3,283.82	3,743.50	2,364.20
April	5,367.09	2,109.29	2,748.53	3,311.76	3,636.50	2,260.49
May	5,519.45	2,075.95	2,618.36	3,276.47	3,606.00	2,212.35
June	5,604.89	2,052.11	2,447.18	3,175.00	3,528.50	2,198.77
July	5,666.18	2,042.21	2,386.89	3,133.82	3,513.00	2,213.09
August	5,808.70	2,119.41	2,464.50	3,104.41	3,559.50	2,190.60
September	5,934.78	2,148.52	2,494.24	3,102.94	3,607.00	2,209.28
October	6,057.97	2,160.97	2,474.58	3,151.47	3,640.00	2,218.92
November	6,121.01	2,111.81	2,440.13	3,151.47	3,682.50	2,221.93
December	6,173.19	2,070.04	2,406.09	3,164.71	3,728.30	2,203.86
2019						
January	6,239.86	2,055.70	2,374.16	3,188.24	3,656.30	2,168.67
February	6,261.23	2,085.32	2,352.90	3,129.41	3,612.30	2,165.78
March	6,304.35	2,079.03	2,356.51	3,154.41	3,633.90	2,137.11

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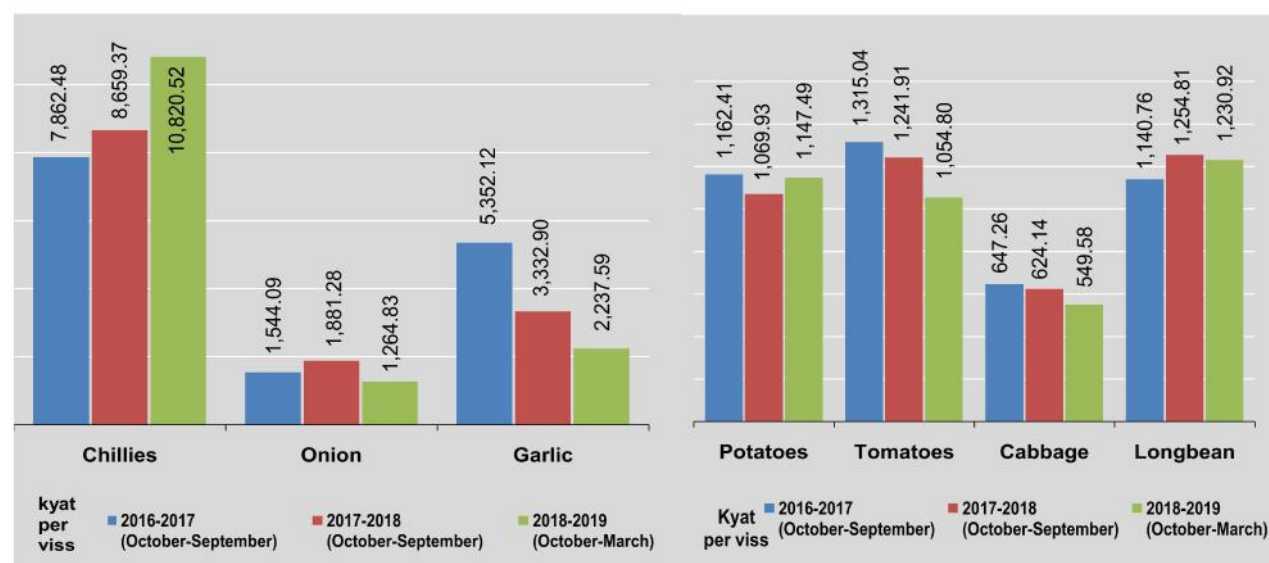


3.3 RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Kyat per viss

FY	Spices			Fresh Vegetables and Fruits			
	Chillies (short)	Onion (big)	Garlic (single)	Potatoes (medium)	Tomatoes	Cabbage	Longbean
2016-2017 (October-September)	7,862.48	1,544.09	5,352.12	1,162.41	1,315.04	647.26	1,140.76
2017-2018 (October-September)	8,659.37	1,881.28	3,332.90	1,069.93	1,241.91	624.14	1,254.81
2018-2019 (October-March)	10,820.52	1,264.83	2,237.59	1,147.49	1,054.80	549.58	1,230.92
2018							
March	8,423.75	1,844.05	3,482.21	1,019.68	951.88	508.61	1,238.45
April	8,616.25	1,368.20	3,046.24	1,035.28	1,076.47	520.17	1,285.71
May	8,647.50	1,118.20	2,696.24	1,028.23	966.39	507.35	1,297.27
June	8,906.88	1,049.80	2,634.21	1,031.25	1,285.50	566.39	1,333.19
July	9,193.71	998.00	2,491.35	1,061.90	1,721.22	771.01	1,329.62
August	9,317.50	977.20	2,345.86	1,096.18	1,242.44	717.65	1,318.91
September	9,895.63	1,422.40	2,330.83	1,117.67	920.38	689.08	1,297.06
October	10,358.13	1,479.60	2,265.41	1,119.68	1,021.43	682.14	1,327.31
November	10,620.63	1,456.20	2,283.46	1,146.99	1,739.92	608.61	1,235.92
December	10,730.00	1,335.40	2,224.44	1,145.98	1,004.41	551.26	1,181.72
2019							
January	11,019.38	1,272.20	2,173.68	1,159.04	737.18	495.38	1,182.35
February	11,097.50	1,066.60	2,141.73	1,186.95	750.42	474.37	1,199.37
March	11,097.50	979.00	2,336.84	1,126.31	1,075.42	485.71	1,258.82

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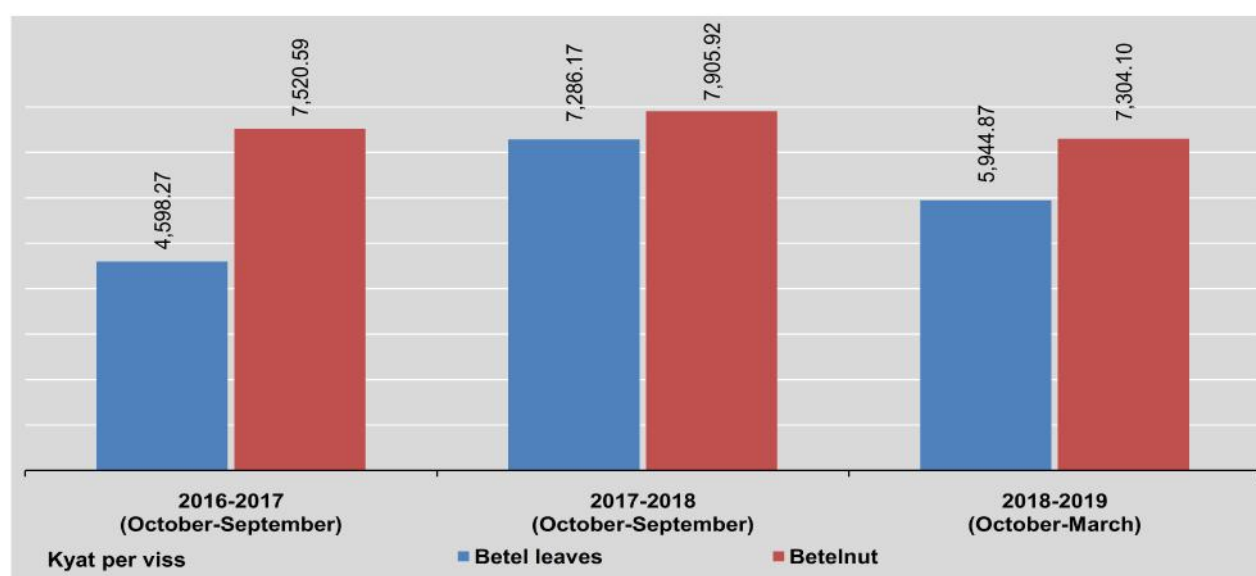


3.3 RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Kyat per viss

FY	Tobacco			Beverages	
	Betel leaves	Betelnut (split)	Cheroots (per 100)	Sugar	Tea, Shan
2016-2017 (October-September)	4,598.27	7,520.59	1,514.44	1,565.47	6,279.80
2017-2018 (October-September)	7,286.17	7,905.92	1,610.47	1,501.82	6,367.69
2018-2019 (October-March)	5,944.87	7,304.10	1,801.46	1,473.53	6,617.37
2018					
March	9,420.21	8,032.79	1,578.80	1,496.44	6,331.45
April	7,945.60	7,696.72	1,606.47	1,491.00	6,334.98
May	6,683.33	7,601.64	1,614.52	1,480.54	6,346.29
June	5,339.58	7,514.75	1,676.60	1,483.05	6,452.30
July	6,175.00	7,524.59	1,677.11	1,482.98	6,455.83
August	5,954.87	7,418.03	1,692.60	1,492.23	6,466.78
September	4,920.51	7,408.20	1,717.60	1,494.96	6,555.12
October	5,355.90	7,480.33	1,737.81	1,507.56	6,597.88
November	5,779.49	7,368.85	1,747.56	1,503.36	6,606.71
December	6,370.26	7,257.38	1,762.68	1,486.76	6,613.78
2019					
January	7,094.87	7,273.77	1,830.72	1,463.66	6,619.08
February	6,183.08	7,232.79	1,845.50	1,457.77	6,634.28
March	4,885.64	7,211.48	1,884.50	1,422.06	6,632.51

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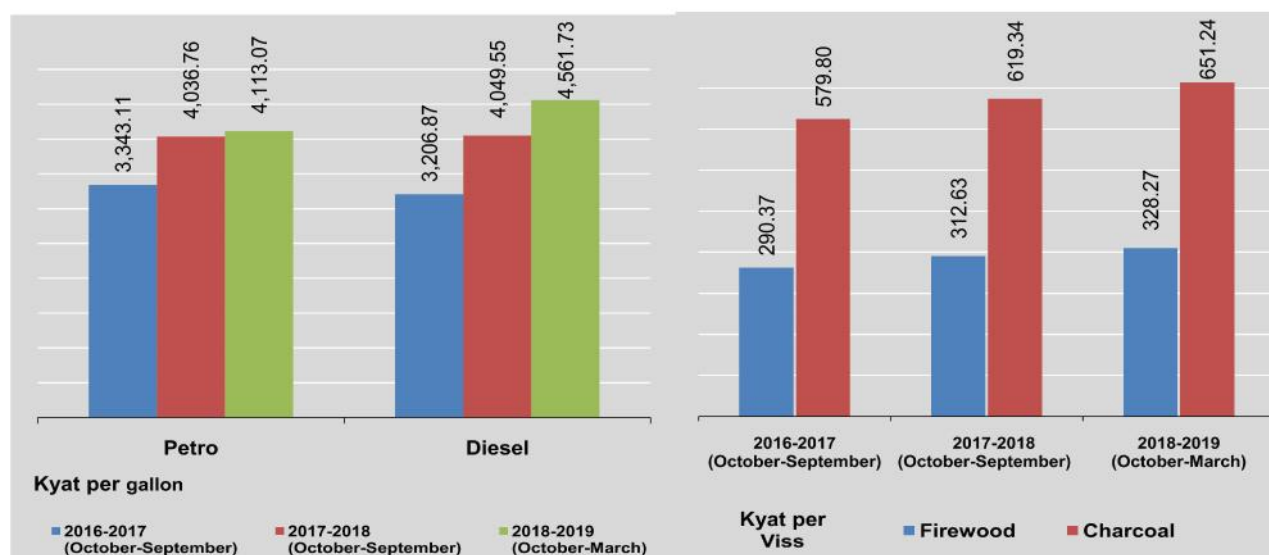


3.3 RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Kyat per viss/gallon

FY	Fuel				Miscellaneous		
	Firewood	Charcoal	Petro	Diesel	Washing Soap (Each)	Body Soap (Each)	Tooth Paste
2016-2017 (October-September)	290.37	579.80	3,343.11	3,206.87	226.33	442.99	532.21
2017-2018 (October-September)	312.63	619.34	4,036.76	4,049.55	230.08	450.45	557.31
2018-2019 (October-March)	328.27	651.24	4,113.07	4,561.73	238.38	468.83	619.25
2018							
March	318.25	620.13	3,814.92	3,816.23	229.60	448.28	549.83
April	319.35	620.13	3,905.48	3,938.80	230.00	451.24	553.45
May	319.35	624.59	4,138.92	4,185.96	230.99	451.24	554.30
June	319.85	625.90	4,196.61	4,244.05	231.11	452.04	569.58
July	320.85	628.73	4,254.41	4,333.57	231.11	452.04	572.52
August	320.85	637.90	4,415.90	4,470.86	231.11	455.94	573.99
September	323.87	649.78	4,764.11	4,868.52	235.08	462.39	586.56
October	325.13	650.00	5,010.15	5,101.24	237.38	471.26	602.49
November	325.13	651.75	4,532.40	4,890.15	237.38	470.86	605.01
December	326.13	650.44	3,948.07	4,464.90	239.52	465.12	611.74
2019							
January	329.65	650.44	3,601.95	4,173.46	239.52	465.12	627.42
February	328.64	651.09	3,657.82	4,237.56	237.94	466.06	631.62
March	334.92	653.71	3,928.06	4,503.06	238.53	474.56	637.23

Source: Central Statistical Organization.

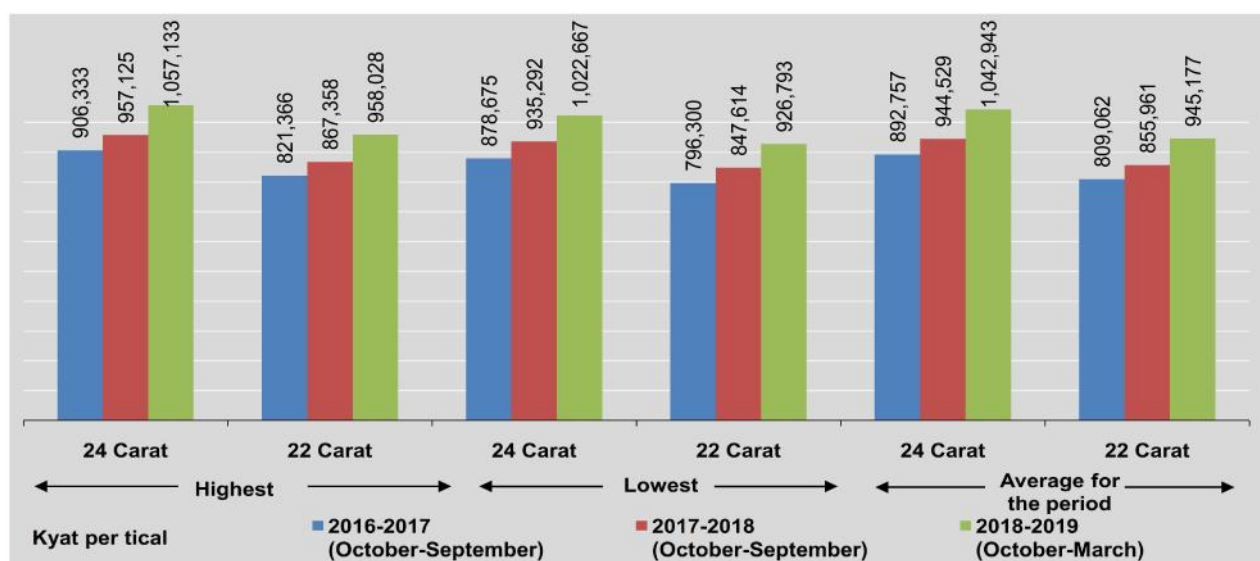


3.4 SPOT PRICE OF GOLD AT YANGON

Kyat per tical, 1 tical = 0.525 troy ounce

FY	Highest		Lowest		Average for the period	
	24 Carat	22 Carat	24 Carat	22 Carat	24 Carat	22 Carat
2016-2017 (October-September)	906,333	821,366	878,675	796,300	892,757	809,062
2017-2018 (October-September)	957,125	867,358	935,292	847,614	944,529	855,961
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,057,133	958,028	1,022,667	926,793	1,042,943	945,177
2018						
March	947,000	858,220	936,000	848,250	940,042	851,913
April	948,000	859,125	934,000	846,440	942,633	854,262
May	941,500	852,780	931,500	844,170	936,326	848,365
June	939,000	850,970	932,000	844,625	935,169	847,497
July	950,000	860,940	934,000	846,440	944,133	855,621
August	984,500	892,205	948,000	859,125	955,892	866,278
September	1,046,000	947,940	970,000	879,065	994,244	901,034
October	1,037,000	939,780	970,000	879,065	1,009,813	915,181
November	1,042,000	944,315	1,026,000	929,815	1,034,817	937,804
December	1,043,800	945,945	992,000	899,000	1,031,979	935,233
2019						
January	1,061,000	961,530	1,044,000	946,125	1,050,948	952,434
February	1,088,000	986,000	1,058,000	958,815	1,070,978	970,575
March	1,071,000	970,595	1,046,000	947,940	1,059,125	959,832

Source: Central Statistical Organization.



CHAPTER 4
FINANCE



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FINANCE | ANALYSIS

This Chapter deals with Money Supply, People's Savings, Treasury Bonds, Domestic Interest Rates, International currency exchange, Customs Duties and Revenue from taxes. The transferable deposits in Foreign Banks are counted in Money Supply. It was starting from October of 2016. The fiscal year of 2017-2018 (October-September), Money Supply raised to 17.43% over the previous year. People's savings are increasing and most of these savings are from the Private Bank in 2017-2018 (October-September). Starting from 20th September of 2016, Government Treasury Bonds are sold by Auction System. In March 2019, the exchange rate with the US dollar has been reached at 1,514.9 kyats per one US dollar. According to the effectiveness of rules and regulations in the Customs Department, Total Duties increase at 23.4% in 2017-2018 (October-September). It was 39% of Total Revenue from taxes came from income taxes.

■ MONEY SUPPLY

The total money supply in the country increased by 17.43% in 2017-2018 (October-September) over the previous year. State owned banks represented 28% of total transferable deposits in 2016-2017 (October-September) and 27.1% in 2017-2018 (October-September) respectively. Currency in circulation has reached to 15.36% in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September). Over the same period, the total of transferable deposits have increased and transferable deposits in state owned banks also increased by 18.20%.

■ PEOPLE'S SAVINGS

In March 2015, the Central Bank of Myanmar revised people's savings data series from January 2011 to present according to the IMF's Standardized Report Forms. The total people's savings reached to 19.13% in 2017-2018 (October-September) over the previous year. Private Banks represented 76.28% of total savings deposits and 86.82% of total time deposits in 2016-2017 (October-September). The private banks represented 75.43% of total savings deposits and 81.17% of total time deposits in 2017-2018 (October-September). The foreign banks were permitted to open in the banking sector by Government since 2015. Except for "Other deposits", people's savings in Private Banks are higher than in State owned banks. Most people choose savings deposits.

■ TREASURY BONDS

There are three types of treasury bonds; two-year government treasury bonds, three-year treasury bonds and five-year treasury bonds. The Central Bank of Myanmar has issued two-year government treasury bonds started from 1st January 2010. Issuing of two-year government treasury bonds were ended in November 2015. Therefore the terms of bonds were ended in November 2017. Three-year treasury bonds and five-year treasury bonds are issued since 1st December 1993. These bonds are giving an opportunity of investment for the public and private enterprises. In February 2019 auction time, the coupon rate was kyats 9.5% per annum and the term of Government treasury bond was 1 year 8 months 25 days, 2 years 8 months 25 days. In March 2019, the total sale was kyats 25.00 billion and outstanding was kyats 5,384.27 billion.

■ DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES

Over the period 2012 to 2014, the domestic interest rates did not change, except for agriculture to farmers where the interest rates decreased from 8.50% to 5% on 1st June 2014 in the private sector.

■ INTERNATIONAL CURRENCY EXCHANGE

Table 4.6 shows foreign exchange rates for a selection of countries. The reference rate for the last day of the month is presented. Between March 2018 and March 2019, the exchange rate with the US dollar has fluctuated and reached at 1,514.9 kyats per one US dollar at the end of March 2019.

■ REVENUE FROM TAXES

The total revenue from taxes increased by 0.3% between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September). The taxes on production and expenditure increased by 6.3% between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September).

■ CUSTOMS DUTIES

Import duties are divided into two parts, normal and border trade. Normal trade duty is by far the most important one: the share of normal trade was 77.67% in 2016-2017 (October-September) and 78.56% in 2017-2018 (October-September). Total duties have increased 23.38% between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September).

4.1 MONEY SUPPLY

Kyat in Million

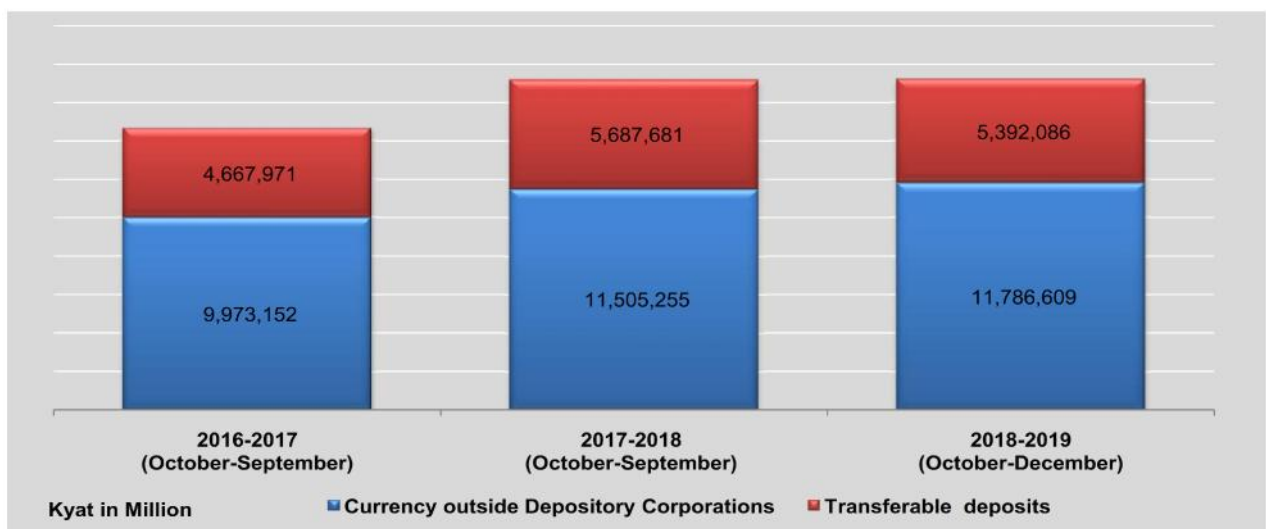
FY	Currency outside Depository Corporations	Transferable deposits			Total	Percent change from previous year or month earlier
		State Owned Banks	Private Banks	Foreign Banks		
2016-2017 (October-September)	9,973,152	1,304,870	2,551,519	811,582	14,641,123	7.36
2017-2018 (October-September)	11,505,255	1,542,296	2,860,339	1,285,046	17,192,936	17.43
2018-2019 (October-December)	11,786,609	1,405,944	3,017,413	968,729	17,178,695	8.68
2017						
December	10,390,906	1,591,582	2,815,989	1,008,787	15,807,264	5.00
2018						
January	10,605,785	1,289,753	2,686,109	859,390	15,441,037	-2.32
February	10,955,819	1,356,623	2,664,045	966,838	15,943,325	3.25
March	11,603,765	1,570,703	2,726,405	990,201	16,891,074	5.94
April	11,222,405	1,305,286	2,755,744	963,640	16,247,075	-3.81
May	10,882,525	1,344,381	2,660,239	906,156	15,793,301	-2.79
June	10,490,624	1,669,177	2,766,740	1,068,134	15,994,675	1.28
July	10,771,920	1,437,275	2,775,513	1,091,248	16,075,956	0.51
August	10,888,878	1,472,412	2,886,422	1,191,158	16,438,870	2.26
September	11,504,279 (r)	1,542,295 (r)	2,860,350 (r)	1,285,046	17,191,970 (r)	4.58 (r)
October	11,239,442	1,471,608	3,031,921	1,284,786	17,027,757	-0.96
November	11,482,953	1,470,047	3,008,747	984,445	16,946,192	-0.48
December	11,786,609	1,405,944	3,017,413	968,729	17,178,695	1.37

Notes: 1. M₁: Money Supply covers Currency outside Depository Corporations + Demand Deposits (Transferable Deposits).

2. Currency outside depository corporations is the currency liabilities of the depository corporations including central bank and is defined as the currency in circulation (CIC) less the other depository corporations' holdings of national currency.

3. ^(r) Revised Data

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.



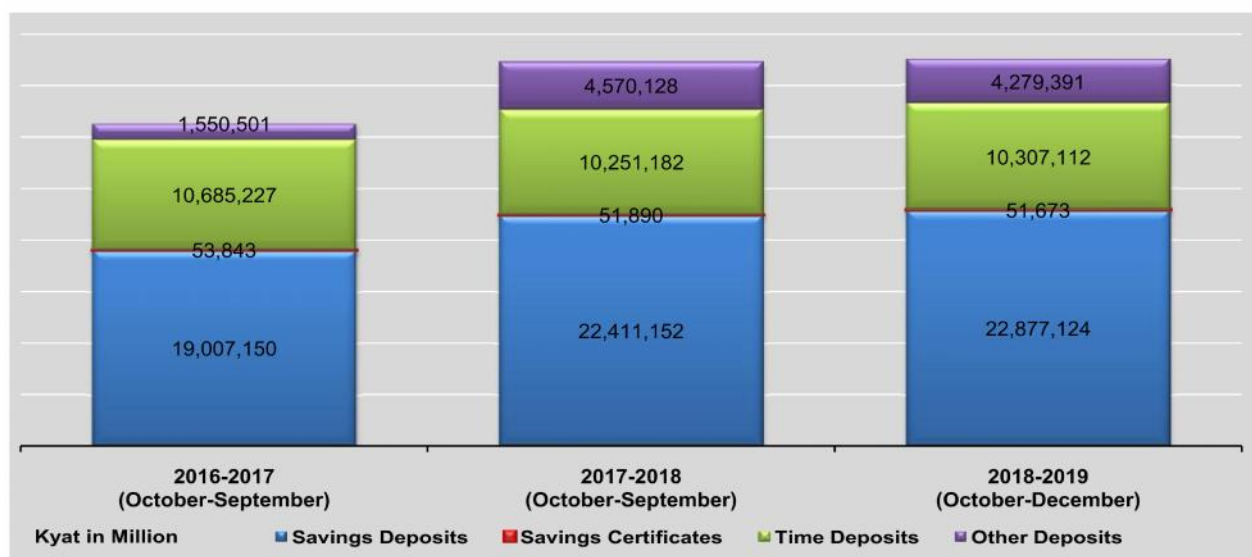
4.2 PEOPLE'S SAVINGS

Kyat in Million

FY	Total	Savings Deposits			Savings Certificates	Time Deposits			Other Deposits	
		State Owned Banks	Private Banks	Foreign Banks	State Owned Banks	State Owned Banks	Private Banks	Foreign Banks	State Owned Banks	Private Banks
2016-2017 (October-September)	31,296,721	4,015,310	14,498,954	492,886	53,843	332,062	9,276,894	1,076,271	1,079,519	470,982
2017-2018 (October-September)	37,284,352	4,854,266	16,904,153	652,733	51,890	508,863	8,321,211	1,421,108	1,034,692	3,535,436
2018-2019 (October-December)	37,515,300	4,902,048	17,335,125	639,951	51,673	536,170	8,394,951	1,375,991	751,987	3,527,404
2017										
December	31,931,100	3,975,126	14,983,135	503,945	53,643	394,794	9,328,429	935,002	1,184,158	572,868
2018										
January	32,100,575	3,998,581	14,388,496	519,980	53,564	406,280	10,214,590	845,705	1,125,848	547,531
February	32,111,989	4,016,287	14,668,939	484,016	53,476	419,080	7,554,440	931,787	931,217	3,052,747
March	33,880,873	4,331,615	15,304,162	782,924	53,418	431,228	7,712,229	642,801	1,407,833	3,214,663
April	33,931,739	4,315,315	15,432,842	693,670	53,497	457,481	7,929,346	800,661	1,118,199	3,130,728
May	34,115,387	4,370,662	15,249,341	751,252	52,884	455,381	7,974,690	962,963	871,663	3,426,551
June	34,898,108	4,424,603	15,629,676	895,293	52,663	473,527	8,069,270	978,332	809,115	3,565,629
July	35,403,107	4,530,849	15,910,367	707,624	52,303	478,305	8,165,714	1,189,051	862,474	3,506,420
August	36,004,728	4,625,184	16,330,461	696,674	52,011	484,607	8,312,879	1,330,447	765,959	3,406,506
September	37,288,411 (r)	4,854,266	16,904,211 (r)	652,733	51,890	508,863	8,321,363 (r)	1,421,108	1,034,692	3,539,285
October	37,204,739	4,915,716	16,911,363	729,676	51,950	516,742	8,343,271	1,412,392	640,858	3,682,771
November	37,103,586	4,904,775	16,933,287	615,260	51,825	525,592	8,395,946	1,495,178	711,513	3,470,210
December	37,515,300	4,902,048	17,335,125	639,951	51,673	536,170	8,394,951	1,375,991	751,987	3,527,404

Note: (r) Revised Data

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.



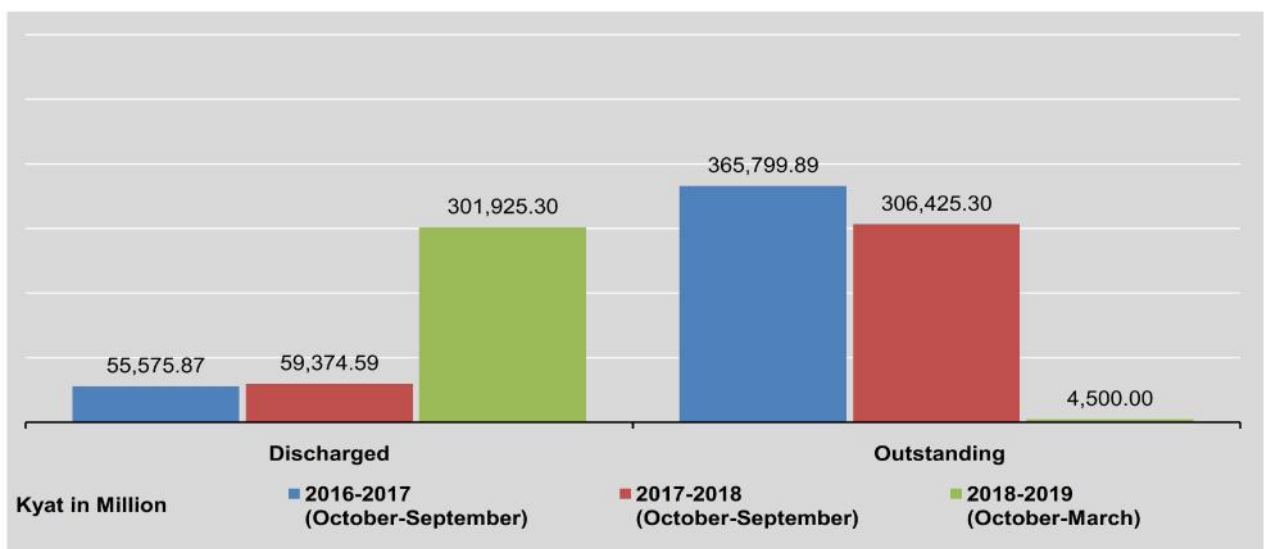
4.3 THREE-YEAR GOVERNMENT TREASURY BONDS

Kyat in Million

FY	Total Sales	Discharged	Outstanding	Amount held by	
				Public	Private Enterprises
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	55,575.87	365,799.89	9,099.89	356,700.00
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	59,374.59	306,425.30	1,125.30	305,300.00
2018-2019 (October-March)	-	301,925.30	4,500.00	-	4,500.00
2018					
March	-	235.79	325,412.80	5,112.80	320,300.00
April	-	60.00	325,352.80	5,052.80	320,300.00
May	-	15,340.00	310,012.80	4,712.80	305,300.00
June	-	0.50	310,012.30	4,712.30	305,300.00
July	-	640.00	309,372.30	4,072.30	305,300.00
August	-	1,637.00	307,735.30	2,435.30	305,300.00
September	-	1,310.00	306,425.30	1,125.30	305,300.00
October	-	984.00	305,441.30	141.30	305,300.00
November	-	300,941.30	4,500.00	-	4,500.00
December	-	-	4,500.00	-	4,500.00
2019					
January	-	-	4,500.00	-	4,500.00
February	-	-	4,500.00	-	4,500.00
March	-	-	4,500.00	-	4,500.00

Annual interest rate: 9%

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.



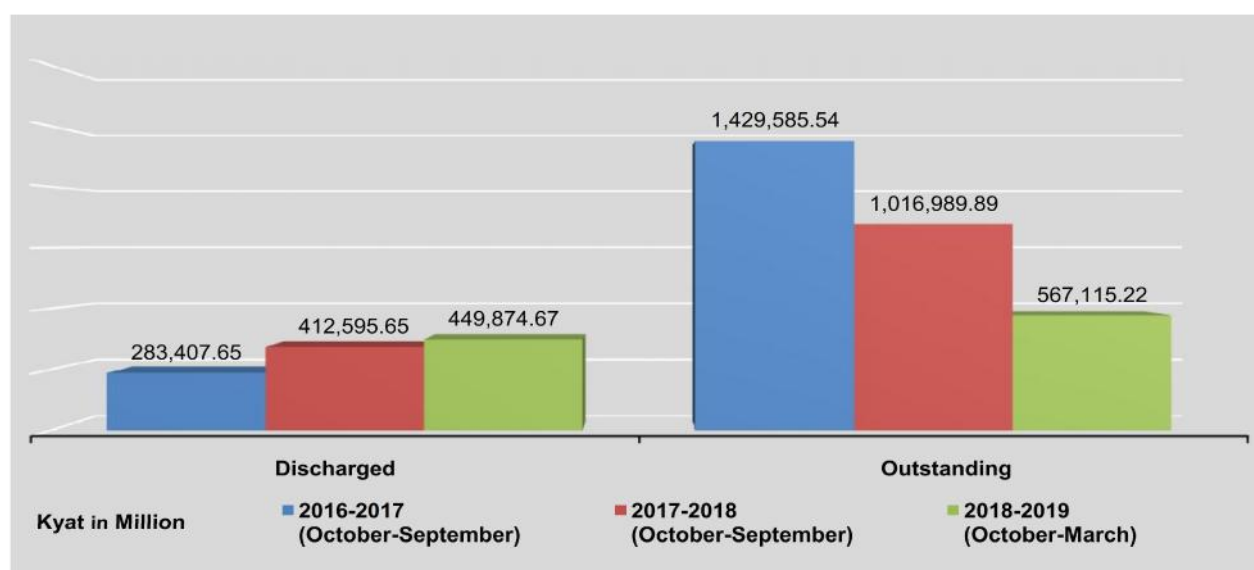
4.4 FIVE-YEAR GOVERNMENT TREASURY BONDS

Kyat in Million

FY	Total Sales	Discharged	Outstanding	Amount held by	
				Public	Private Enterprises
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	283,407.65	1,429,585.54	24,735.54	1,404,850.00
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	412,595.65	1,016,989.89	13,219.89	1,003,770.00
2018-2019 (October-March)	-	449,874.67	567,115.22	11,165.22	555,950.00
2018					
March	-	4,653.43	1,199,553.01	17,323.01	1,182,230.00
April	-	526.00	1,199,027.01	16,797.01	1,182,230.00
May	-	179,129.12	1,019,897.89	16,127.89	1,003,770.00
June	-	851.30	1,019,046.59	15,276.59	1,003,770.00
July	-	366.10	1,018,680.49	14,910.49	1,003,770.00
August	-	1,270.50	1,017,409.99	13,639.99	1,003,770.00
September	-	420.10	1,016,989.89	13,219.89	1,003,770.00
October	-	328.30	1,016,661.59	12,891.59	1,003,770.00
November	-	448,258.62	568,402.97	12,452.97	555,950.00
December	-	229.62	568,173.35	12,223.35	555,950.00
2019					
January	-	256.10	567,917.25	11,967.25	555,950.00
February	-	82.50	567,834.75	11,884.75	555,950.00
March	-	719.53	567,115.22	11,165.22	555,950.00

Annual interest rate : 9.5%

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.



4.5 DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES

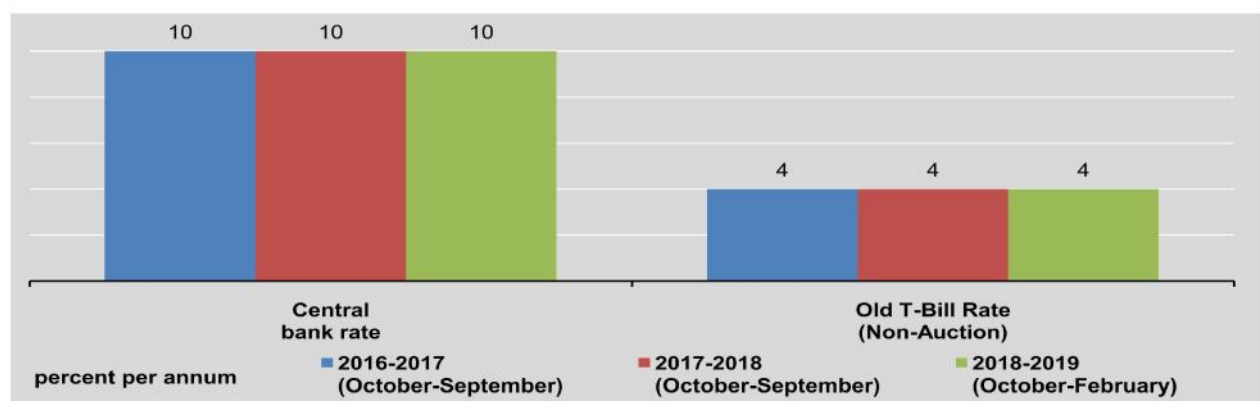
Percent per annum

End of FY	Central Bank Rate	Treasury Bills							
		Non-Auction		Auction					
		Old T-Bill Rate	Market Average Auction Rate	Auction Market Weighted Average Rate					
				Three Months		Six Months		12 Months	
2016-2017 (October-September)	10.00	4.00	-	7.65	(13.9.2017)	8.48	(13.9.2017)	8.82	(13.9.2017)
2017-2018 (October-September)	10.00	4.00	-	3.10	(12.9.2018)	5.05	(12.9.2018)	6.89	(12.9.2018)
2018-2019 (October-September)				5.21	(26.9.2018)	7.39	(26.9.2018)	8.38	(26.9.2018)
2018-2019 (October-February)	10.00	4.00	-	8.08	(13.2.2019)	8.99	(13.2.2019)	9.50	(13.2.2019)
				8.06	(27.2.2019)	9.00	(27.2.2019)	-	
2018									
February	10.00	4.00	-	7.07	(14.2.2018)	8.47	(14.2.2018)	8.70	(14.2.2018)
March	10.00	4.00	7.33	7.31	(7.3.2018)	7.80	(21.3.2018)	-	
				7.35	(21.3.2018)	7.81	(21.3.2018)	-	
April	10.00	4.00	7.29	7.29	(25.4.2018)	7.92	(25.4.2018)	8.68	(25.4.2018)
May	10.00	4.00	-	7.03	(2.5.2018)	-	-	-	
				6.57	(16.5.2018)	7.42	(16.5.2018)	8.17	(16.5.2018)
				5.60	(30.5.2018)	6.80	(30.5.2018)	8.00	(30.5.2018)
June	10.00	4.00	-	5.25	(13.6.2018)	6.50	(13.6.2018)	7.51	(13.6.2018)
July	10.00	4.00	-	5.09	(4.7.2018)	6.35	(4.7.2018)	7.29	(4.7.2018)
				5.05	(11.7.2018)	6.12	(11.7.2018)	6.87	(11.7.2018)
August	10.00	4.00	-	4.00	(1.8.2018)	5.98	(1.8.2018)	6.95	(1.8.2018)
				3.10	(15.8.2018)	5.00	(15.8.2018)	6.89	(15.8.2018)
September	10.00	4.00	-	3.10	(12.9.2018)	5.05	(12.9.2018)	6.89	(12.9.2018)
				5.21	(26.9.2018)	7.39	(26.9.2018)	8.38	(26.9.2018)
October	10.00	4.00	6.08	6.02	(10.10.2018)	7.62	(10.10.2018)	8.62	(10.10.2018)
				6.14	(17.10.2018)	7.50	(17.10.2018)	8.84	(17.10.2018)
November	10.00	4.00	-	7.09	(14.11.2018)	7.93	(14.11.2018)	8.85	(14.11.2018)
				7.96	(28.11.2018)	7.75	(28.11.2018)	9.13	(28.11.2018)
December	10.00	4.00	-	7.99	(12.12.2018)	8.20	(12.12.2018)	9.09	(12.12.2018)
				8.00	(26.12.2018)	8.20	(26.12.2018)	-	
2019									
January	10.00	4.00	-	7.96	(9.1.2019)	-	(9.1.2019)	9.50	(9.1.2019)
				8.02	(23.1.2019)	8.99	(23.1.2019)	9.50	(23.1.2019)
				8.10	(30.1.2019)	8.97	(30.1.2019)	9.50	(30.1.2019)
February	10.00	4.00	-	8.08	(13.2.2019)	8.99	(13.2.2019)	9.50	(13.2.2019)
				8.06	(27.2.2019)	9.00	(27.2.2019)	-	

Notes : 1. The rate of Treasury Bonds is reflected by Auction Market and it is effective from October, 2016. (Cont'd)

2. The rate of Treasury Bills is reflected by auction Market and it is effective from January, 2015.

3. The rate of Treasury Bills is changed from the Auction Market Rate derived from the single price system to the Auction Market Average Rate derived from the Multiple price system which is effective from 5th June,

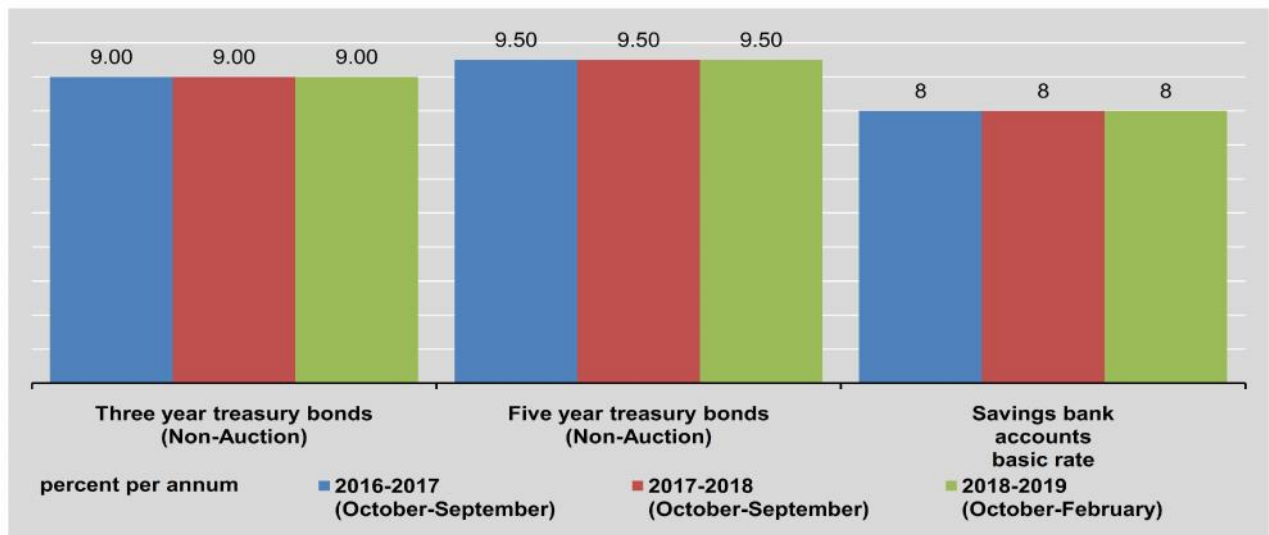


4.5 DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES

Percent per annum

End of FY	Treasury Bonds (Non-Auction)			Fixed deposits		
	Two year treasury bonds	Three year treasury bonds	Five year treasury bonds	Three months	Six months	Nine months
2016-2017 (October-September)	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
2017-2018 (October-September)	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
2018-2019 (October-February)	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
2018						
February	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
March	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
April	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
May	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
June	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
July	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
August	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
September	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
October	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
November	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
December	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
2019						
January	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00
February	8.75	9.00	9.50	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00	8.00-10.00

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4.5 DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES

Percent per annum

End of FY	Savings bank accounts		Lending rates		Private sector	
	Basic rate	Savings certificates (12 year maturity)	Maximum Bank Lending Rate (Secured Loans)	Maximum Bank Lending Rate (Unsecured Loans)	Agriculture to farmers	Small personal loans
2016-2017 (October-September)	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00 ^{2/}	30.00 ^{1/}
2017-2018 (October-September)	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
2018-2019 (October-February)	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00 ^{3/}	16.00 ^{4/}	8.00	30.00
2018						
February	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
March	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
April	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
May	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
June	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
July	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
August	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
September	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
October	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
November	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
December	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
2019						
January	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00	-	8.00	30.00
February	8.00-10.00	9.00	13.00 ^{3/}	16.00 ^{4/}	8.00	30.00

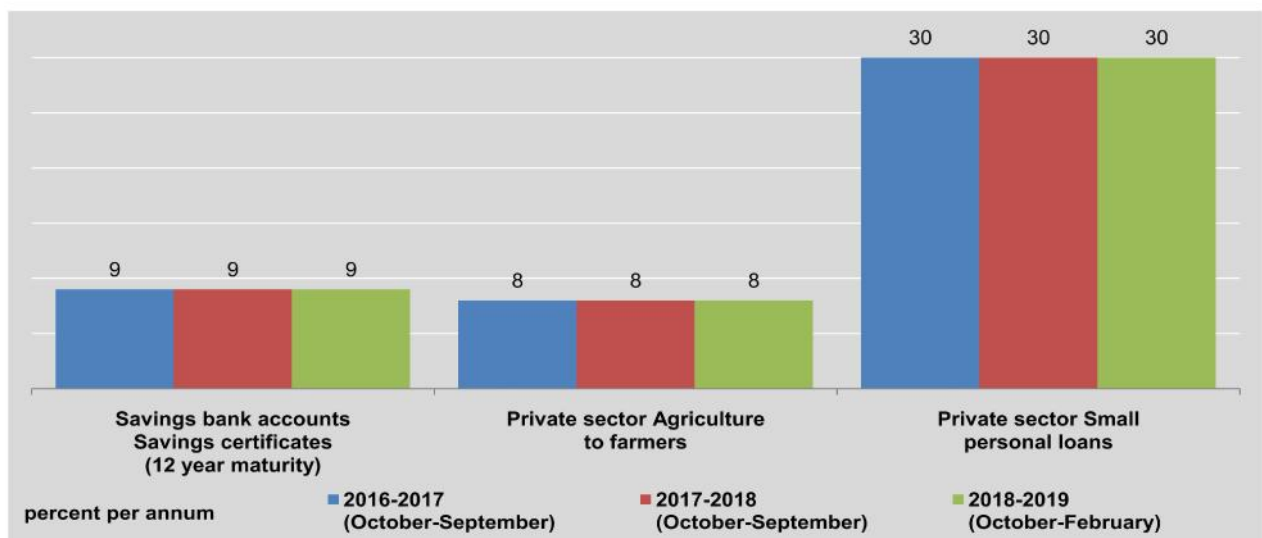
^{1/} Lending rate of Microfinance Institutions is effective from September 1, 2014.

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

^{2/} Lending Rate of Myanmar Agricultural Development Bank is effective from April 1, 2016.

^{3/} Maximum bank lending rate for secured loans is effective from February 1, 2019.

^{4/} Maximum bank lending rate for unsecured loans is effective from February 1, 2019.

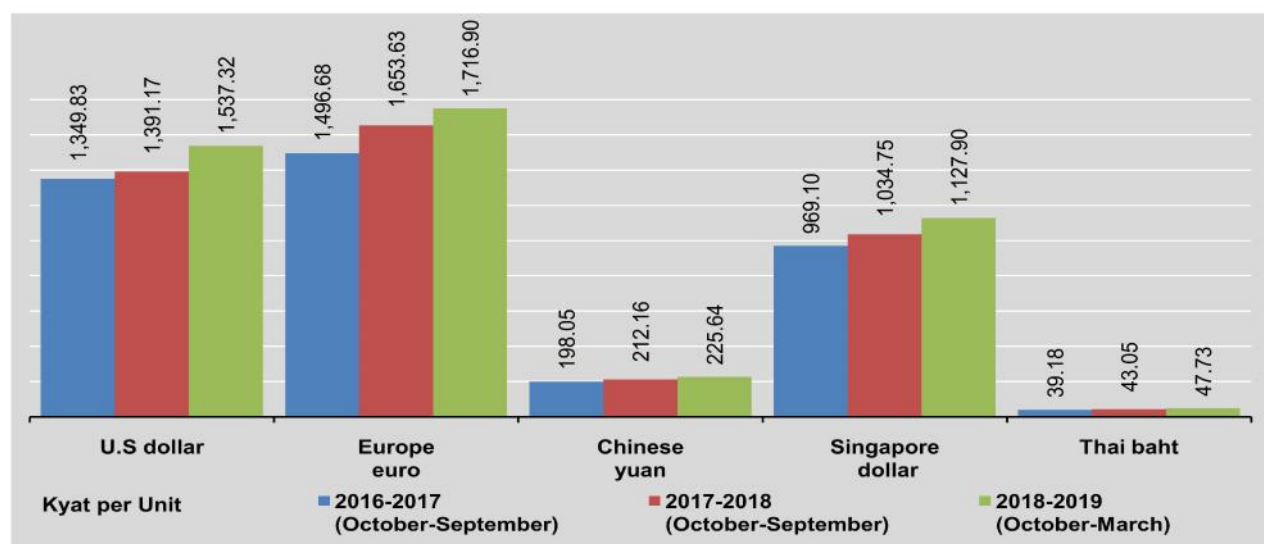


4.6 INTERNATIONAL CURRENCY EXCHANGE

Kyat per unit

FY	Australian dollar	Canadian dollar	Chinese yuan	Europe euro	English pound	Hong Kong dollar	Indian rupee
2016-2017 (October-September)	1,029.79	1,028.97	198.05	1,496.68	1,716.83	173.46	20.53
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,052.40	1,082.04	212.16	1,653.63	1,870.26	177.63	20.82
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,100.03	1,156.72	225.64	1,749.62	1,987.12	196.08	21.70
2018							
March (30-3-2018)	1,025.90	1,036.00	212.25	1,642.40	1,870.80	170.11	20.50
April (30-4-2018)	1,015.20	1,044.00	211.58	1,625.30	1,847.50	170.74	20.11
May (31-5-2018)	1,017.10	1,051.90	211.14	1,580.00	1,796.20	172.70	20.09
June (29-6-2018)	1,032.40	1,060.30	212.01	1,626.10	1,837.90	179.02	20.41
July (31-7-2018)	1,058.80	1,096.90	209.68	1,673.30	1,876.90	182.07	20.83
August (31-8-2018)	1,096.80	1,164.20	220.91	1,763.70	1,968.10	192.63	21.37
September (28-9-2018)	1,124.60	1,197.10	226.41	1,816.30	2,040.30	199.54	21.50
October(31-10-2018)	1,105.40	1,188.90	223.91	1,769.50	1,982.30	198.85	21.17
November (30-11-2018)	1,152.00	1,184.40	226.58	1,792.20	2,010.40	201.11	22.54
December (28-12-2018)	1,091.00	1,138.20	225.74	1,773.30	1,960.50	197.89	22.03
2019							
January (31-1-2019)	1,101.10	1,155.20	226.51	1,744.60	1,991.20	193.51	21.31
February (28-2-2019)	1,076.60	1,145.10	225.54	1,716.90	2,005.90	192.11	21.22
March (29-3-2019)	1,074.10	1,128.50	225.53	1,701.20	1,972.40	192.98	21.91

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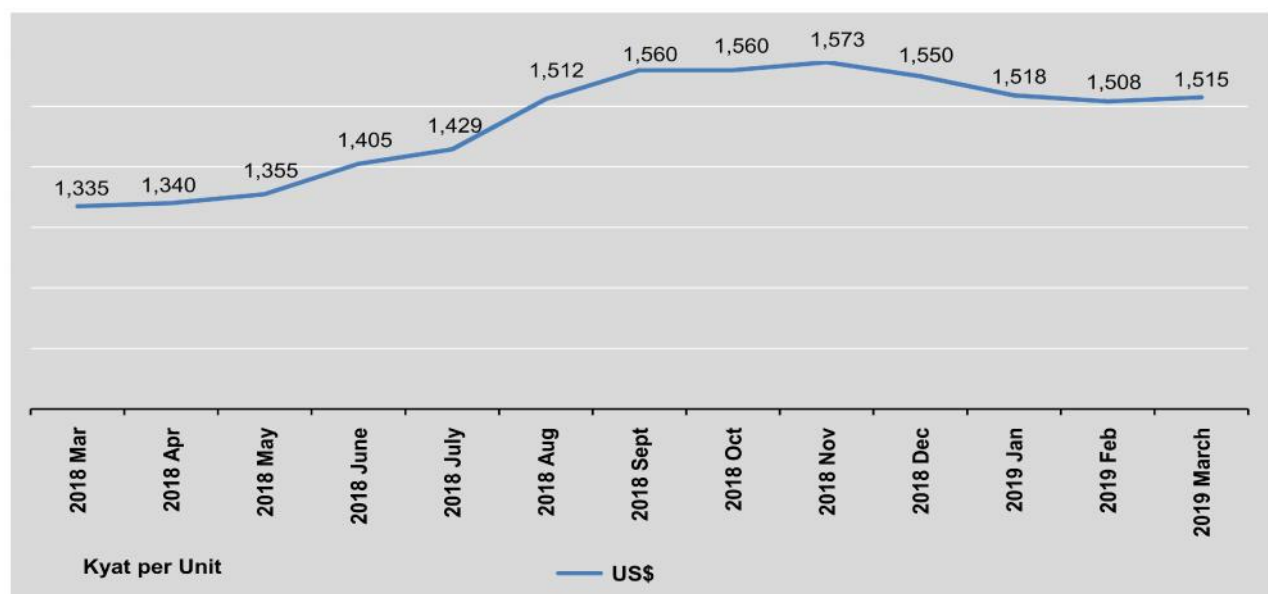


4.6 INTERNATIONAL CURRENCY EXCHANGE

Kyat per unit

FY	Japanese	Malaysian	Pakistan	Singapore	Thai	U.S	C.I.S
	100 yen	ringgit	rupee	dollar	baht	dollar	roubles
2016-2017 (October-September)	1,209.47	310.82	12.86	969.10	39.18	1,349.83	22.79
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,260.43	345.45	12.11	1,034.75	43.05	1,391.17	22.96
2018-2019 (October-March)	1,380.90	372.21	11.14	1,127.90	47.73	1,537.32	23.21
2018							
March (30-3-2018)	1,254.30	345.59	11.54	1,018.00	42.71	1,335.00	23.20
April (30-4-2018)	1,228.50	342.14	11.57	1,012.20	42.56	1,340.00	21.55
May (31-5-2018)	1,247.50	340.20	11.70	1,006.70	42.21	1,355.00	21.71
June (29-6-2018)	1,272.50	347.47	11.54	1,027.70	42.41	1,405.00	22.28
July (31-7-2018)	1,287.70	352.19	11.75	1,049.90	42.94	1,429.00	22.81
August (31-8-2018)	1,362.80	367.93	12.29	1,105.50	46.12	1,512.00	22.19
September (28-9-2018)	1,375.40	376.40	12.66	1,140.50	48.12	1,560.00	23.74
October (31-10-2018)	1,378.60	372.89	11.67	1,126.00	46.87	1,560.00	23.74
November (30-11-2018)	1,387.20	375.64	11.70	1,148.00	47.79	1,573.00	23.64
December (28-12-2018)	1,397.70	372.33	11.08	1,130.70	47.66	1,550.00	22.38
2019							
January (31-1-2019)	1,393.70	370.92	10.86	1,126.80	48.56	1,518.00	23.19
February (28-2-2019)	1,360.80	370.65	10.78	1,118.20	47.80	1,508.00	22.90
March (29-3-2019)	1,367.40	370.84	10.76	1,117.70	47.71	1,514.90	23.38

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

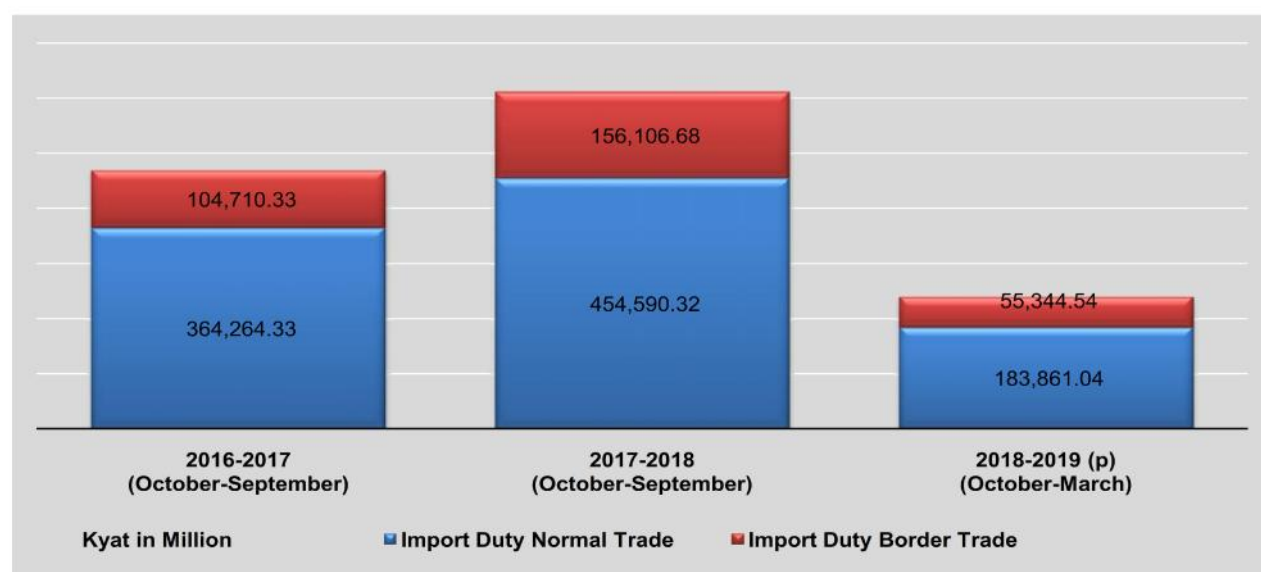


4.7 CUSTOMS DUTIES

Kyat in Million

FY	Total Duties	Import Duty	
		Normal Trade	Border Trade
2016-2017 (October-September)	468,974.66	364,264.33	104,710.33
2017-2018 (October-September)	578,625.31	454,590.32	156,106.68
2018-2019 (p) (October-March)	239,205.58	183,861.04	55,344.54
2018			
March	56,164.27	43,704.35	12,459.92
April	40,787.83	31,640.34	9,147.49 (r)
May	49,361.83	38,228.56	11,133.27
June	44,858.83	35,553.85	9,304.98
July	40,144.10	32,470.85	7,673.25
August	48,630.78	39,194.00	9,436.78
September	41,913.84	32,071.69	9,842.15
October (p)	40,836.56	32,118.99	8,717.57
November (p)	45,701.77	35,546.04	10,155.73
December (p)	39,158.15	28,705.17	10,452.98
2019			
January (p)	48,580.22	38,847.98	9,732.24
February (p)	30,968.84	24,915.26	6,053.58
March (p)	33,960.04	23,727.60	10,232.44

Source: Customs Department.

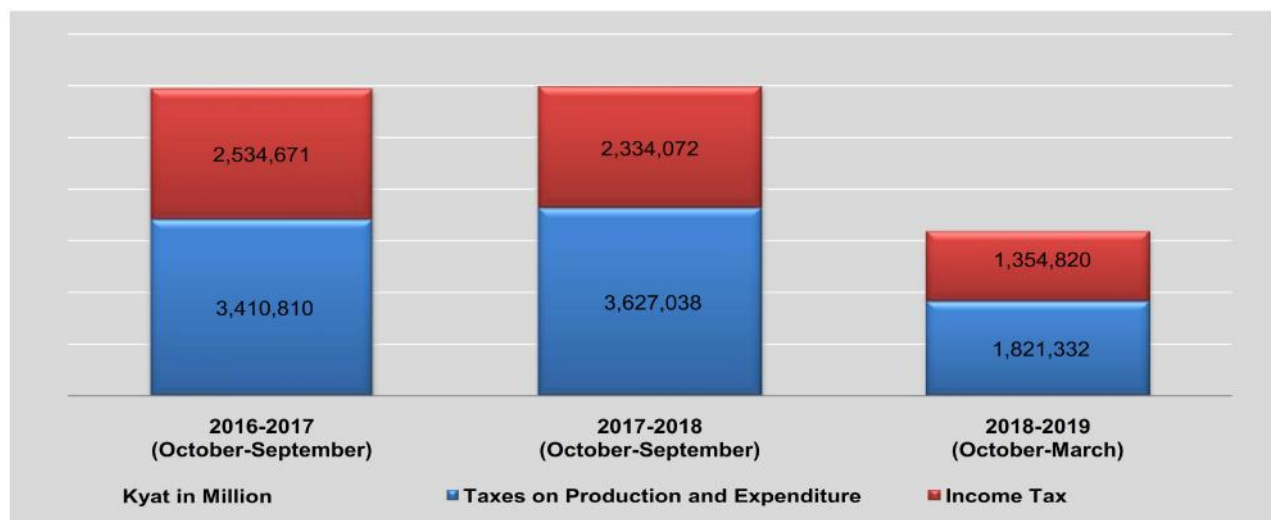


4.8 REVENUE FROM TAXES

Kyat in Million

FY	Total	Taxes on Production and Expenditure				Income Tax
		Commodities and Services Tax and Commercial Tax	State Lottery	Stamp Duties	Specific Goods Tax	
2016-2017 (October-September)	5,945,482	2,182,059	67,149	65,031	1,096,571	2,534,671
2017-2018 (October-September)	5,961,110	2,078,554	99,770	63,353	1,385,361	2,334,072
2018-2019 (October-March)	3,176,152	1,059,156	67,889	29,817	664,470	1,354,820
2018						
March	1,091,405	404,913	8,898	6,739	184,507	486,348
April	208,003	63,043	7,933	2,684	32,386	101,957
May	377,023	152,410	8,526	7,060	105,463	103,564
June	576,480	210,519	8,221	3,813	118,144	235,783
July	371,641	112,610	8,209	4,688	106,625	139,509
August	381,043	145,825	8,691	4,311	106,855	115,361
September	682,077	242,603	8,644	6,781	135,452	288,597
October	290,037	81,650	9,584	3,803	40,953	154,047
November	460,302	163,744	9,423	4,482	108,281	174,372
December	619,619	216,625	9,314	5,737	121,088	266,855
2019						
January	404,633	125,870	9,797	5,941	86,012	177,013
February	462,924	195,556	15,912	4,832	130,002	116,622
March	938,637	275,711	13,859	5,022	178,134	465,911

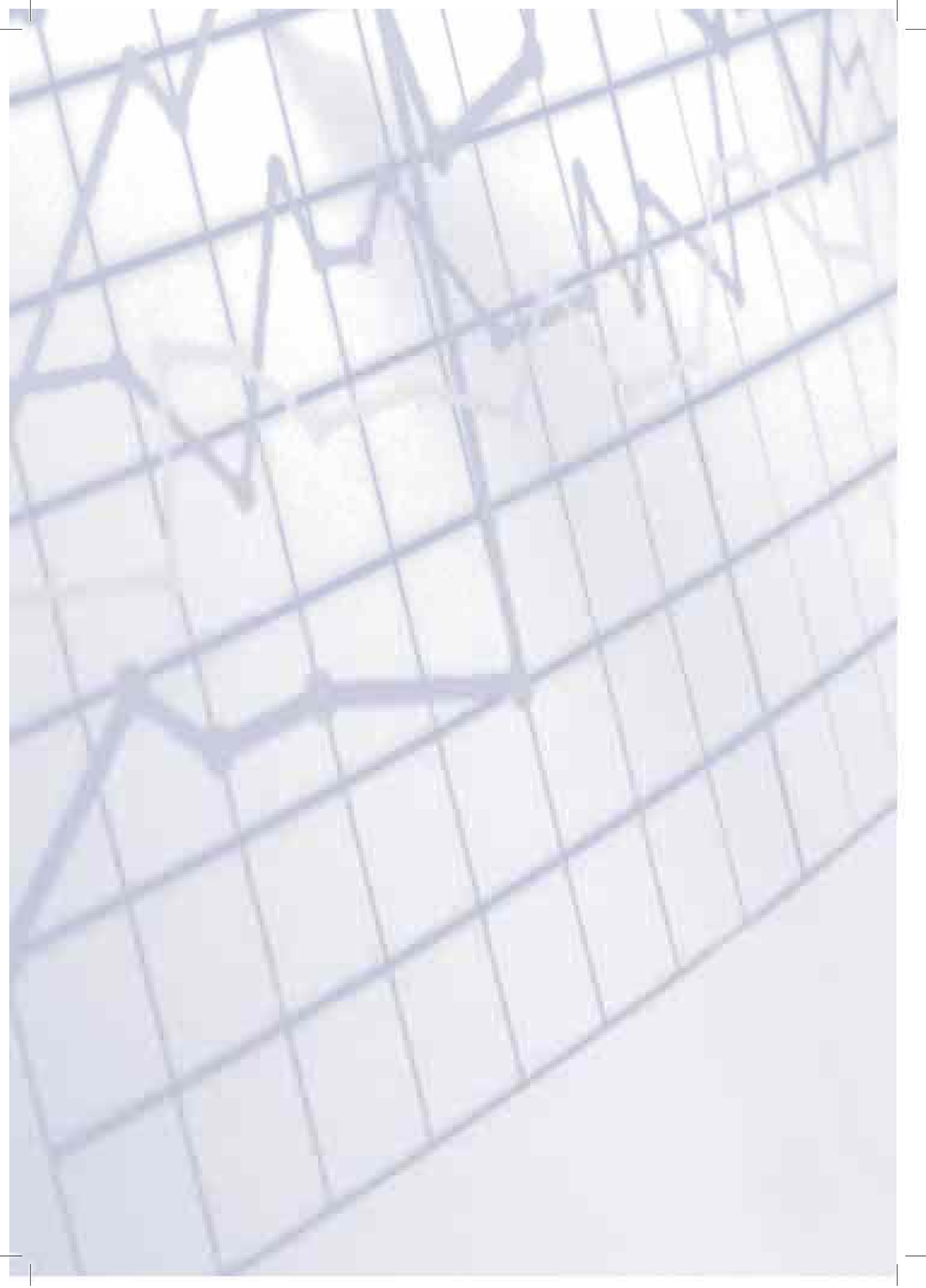
Source: Internal Revenue Department.



CHAPTER 5
INVESTMENT



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INVESTMENT | ANALYSIS

Investment is an important factor to sustain economic growth. Thus, Myanmar has encouraged domestic and foreign investors to invest in various economic sectors. In 2016-2017 (October-September), 79 citizen enterprises and 223 foreign enterprises were permitted to invest. During 2017-2018 (October-September), 173 citizen enterprises and 175 foreign enterprises were permitted to invest. Since 1988 up to March 2019, a total pledge amount of 79,604.79 million US\$ in Foreign Direct Investments was recorded.

■ MYANMAR CITIZENS INVESTMENT AND INDUCEMENT

Since 1994, a total of 1,549 citizen enterprises were permitted in Myanmar with a total amount of 18,609,187.36 Kyats Million invested until the end of March 2019. Among the investments in eleven sectors of the economy, the leading sectors in 2017-2018 (October-September) were real estate development with 43.74%, manufacturing with 12.88% and hotel & tourism with 11.95% of the total amount of permitted Myanmar Citizens Investment. Myanmar Citizens Investment of permitted enterprises by sector are shown in table 5.1.

■ FOREIGN INVESTMENT

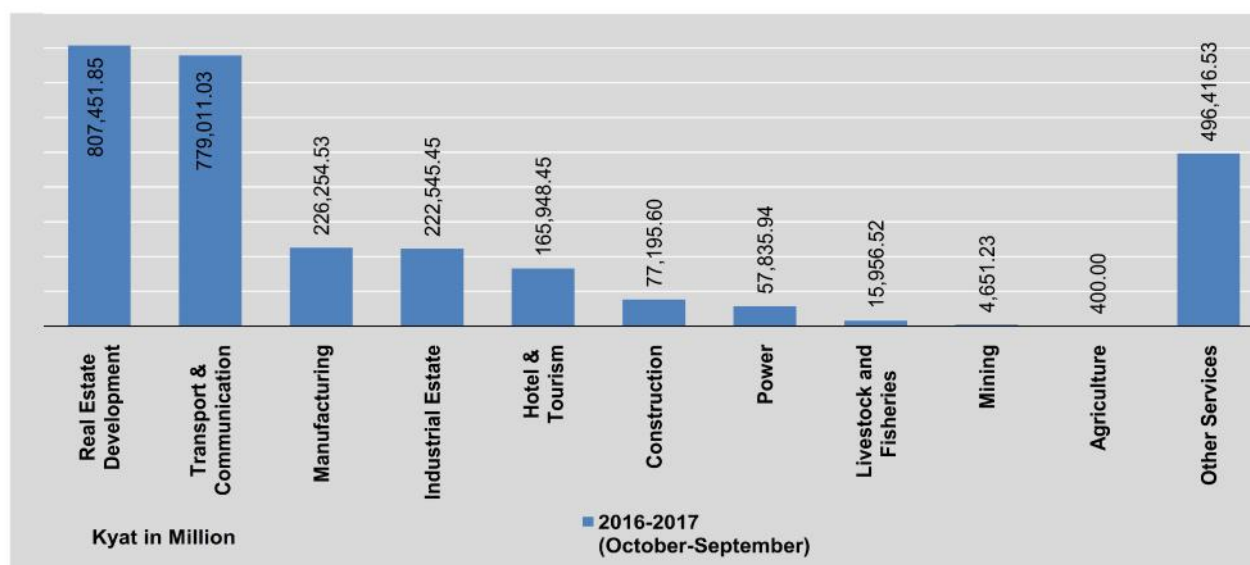
Since 1988, a total of 1,694 foreign enterprises from 49 countries of the economy were permitted with a total pledge amount of US\$ 79,604.79 million invested until the end of March 2019. Among the investments in 12 sectors of the economy, the leading sectors in 2017-2018 (October-September) were manufacturing with 30.64% and transport & communication with 23.67% and real estate development with 14.35% of the total permitted amount of foreign investments. The leading investors were Singapore that accounted for 35.32%, China for 25.96% and Japan for 14.76% in 2017-2018 (October-September). Since 1988, the main foreign investors were China, Singapore and Thailand.

5.1 MYANMAR CITIZENS INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY SECTOR

Value = Million

FY	Total			Livestock and Fisheries			Mining		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	79	1,274.26 *	2,853,667.15 *	5	5.49	15,956.52 *	1	2.11 *	4,651.23 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	173	831.52 *	3,500,578.84 *	8	22.56	70,857.66	2	6.92	31,586.17 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	83	276.65 *	812,379.74 *	4	88.48	200,700.00	5	0.74 *	23,816.39 *
2018									
March	17	80.62	345,353.52 *	1	-	962.00	-	-	-
April	23	114.55 *	638,785.70 *	1	22.56	66,435.66	-	-	-
May	11	4.93 *	30,084.90 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	12	15.73	35,596.09	-	-	-	1	2.93	5,800.00
July	19	33.59	108,717.13 *	3	-	2,860.00	-	-	19,950.00 *
August	9	9.91	83,288.73 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	31	41.14 *	98,929.46 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	18	1.27	42,189.62	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	18	89.97	224,432.44	-	-	-	3	-	16,096.39
December	13	7.50 *	58,919.33 *	2	-	200.00	-	-	-
2019									
January	14	15.25 *	117,420.29 *	-	-	-	1	-	5,799.50
February	6	137.04 *	293,712.74 *	1	88.48	200,000.00	-	0.63 *	1,500.00 *
March	14	25.62 *	75,705.32 *	1	-	500.00	1	0.11	420.50

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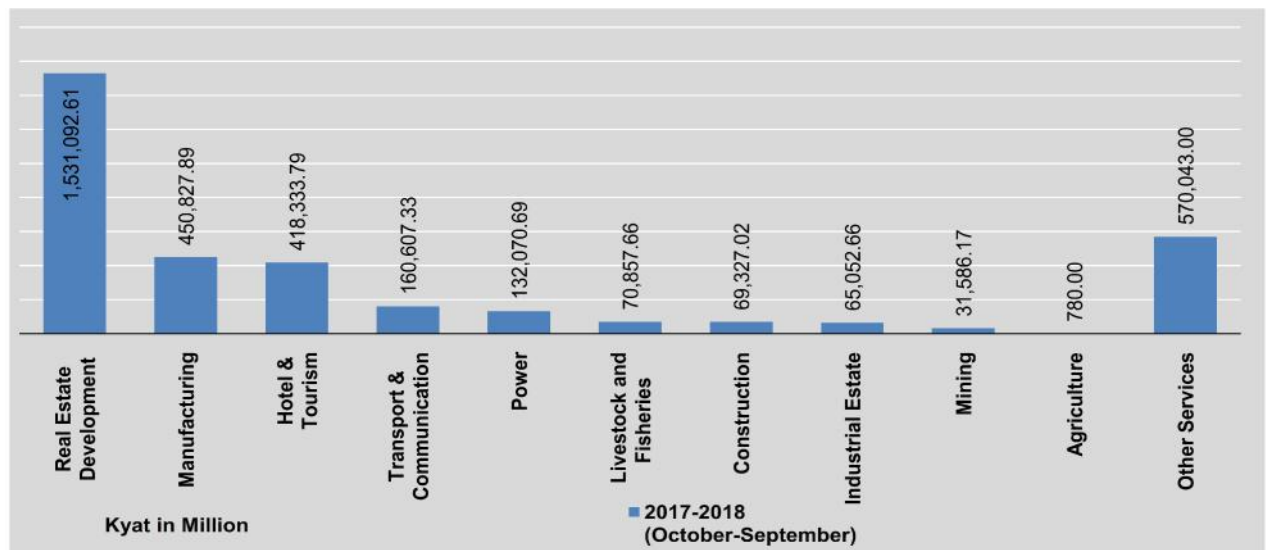


5.1 MYANMAR CITIZENS INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY SECTOR

Value = Million

FY	Manufacturing			Power			Transport & Communication		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	25	125.01 *	226,254.53 *	2	18.64	57,835.94	6	495.60	779,011.03
2017-2018 (October-September)	58	156.22 *	45,087.89 *	5	66.18	132,070.69	4	98.67 *	160,607.33 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	34	116.32 *	281,631.60 *	2	14.84 *	29,538.49 *	-	-	-
2018									
March	8	34.46	110,933.63	-	-	-	1	15.34	36,000.00
April	6	31.73	75,758.37	2	1.18	8,070.03	-	-	-
May	9	4.82 *	18,584.90 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	5	10.03	17,370.09	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	6	33.24	58,335.02	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	3	2.67	7,641.60	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	5	1.78	8,226.11	1	5.49	9,569.31	1	2.48	5,000.00
October	7	0.78 (r)	7,916.94	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	6	81.80	171,831.07	1	2.32	5,900.00	-	-	-
December	7	2.95 *	11,225.09 *	1	4.46	10,752.00	-	-	-
2019									
January	7	4.45 *	24,264.52 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	1	1.25	4,000.00	-	8.06 *	12,886.49 *	-	-	-
March	6	25.09 *	62,393.98 *	-	-	-	-	-	-

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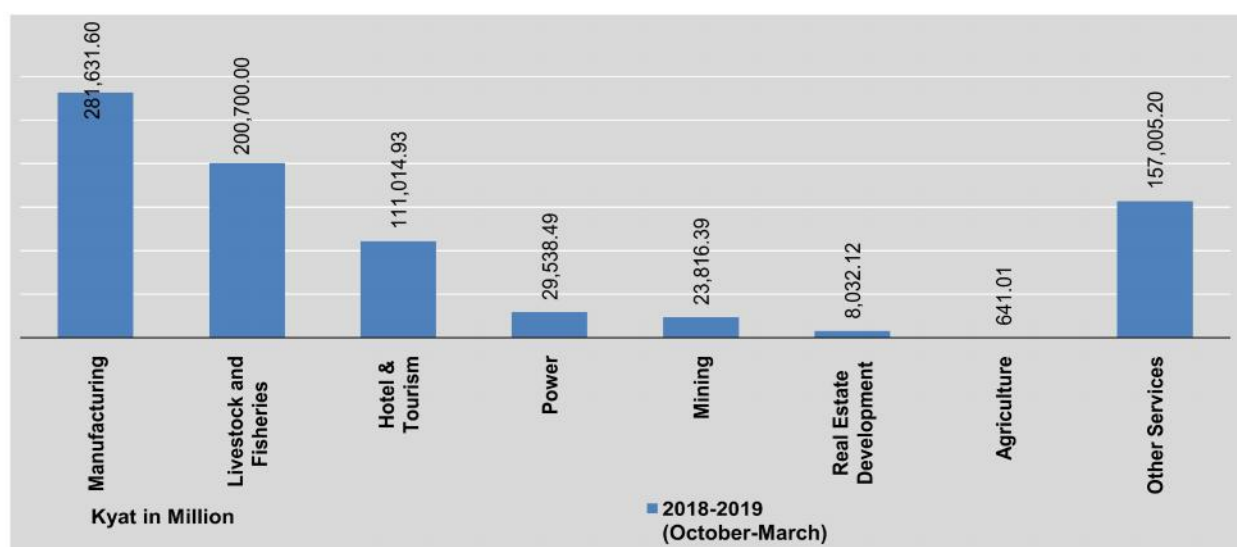


5.1 MYANMAR CITIZENS INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY SECTOR

Value = Million

FY	Hotel and Tourism			Real Estate Development			Construction		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	13	46.74 *	165,948.45 *	9	339.64 *	807,451.85 *	-	14.21 *	77,195.60 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	38	117.74 *	418,333.79 *	9	247.57	1,531,092.61	-	15.72 *	69,327.02 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	15	10.09 *	111,014.93 *	3	-	8,032.12	-	-	-
2018									
March	2	1.53	39,080.00 *	1	-	2,418.64	-	-	-
April	7	6.64 *	41,252.62 *	3	28.18	177,322.11	-	-	-
May	2	0.11 *	11,500.00 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	3	-	1,250.00	1	-	2,076.00	-	-	-
July	5	-	2,833.42	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	4	3.22	59,632.26	1	-	2,490.42	-	-	-
September	4	1.96	13,040.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	6	0.66	21,687.48	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	2	-	800.00	1	-	2,107.53	-	-	-
December	3	0.07	5,350.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019									
January	2	9.36 *	76,427.45 *	1	-	1,467.50	-	-	-
February	2	-	6,750.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	1	-	4,457.09	-	-	-

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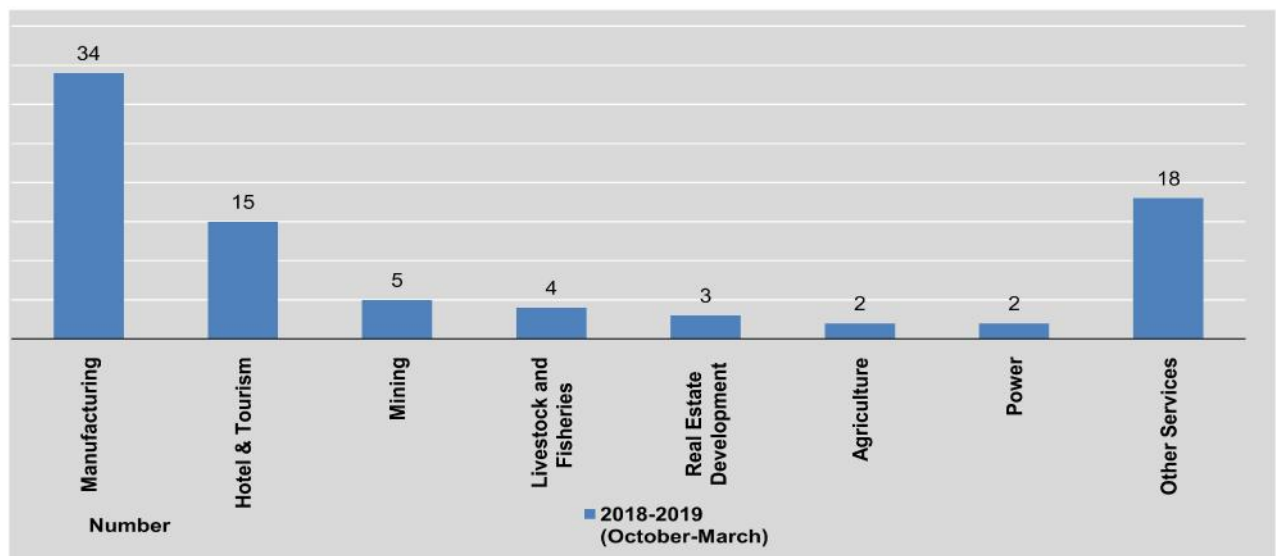
5.1 MYANMAR CITIZENS INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY SECTOR

Value = Million

FY	Agriculture			Industrial Estate			Other Services		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	1	-	400.00	1	-	222,545.45	16	226.83 *	496,416.53 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	2	0.35	780.00	1	-	65,052.66	46	99.95 *	570,043.00 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	2	0.07	641.01	-	-	-	18	46.29 *	157,005.20 *
2018									
March	-	-	-	1	-	65,052.66	3	29.29	90,906.59
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	24.26	269,946.91
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2.77	9,100.00
July	1	0.35	700.00	-	-	-	4	-	24,038.69
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4.02	13,524.45
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	29.42 *	63,094.04 *
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	12,585.20
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5.85	27,697.45
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.03 *	31,392.24 *
2019									
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1.44	9,461.32
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	38.62 *	68,576.25 *
March	2	0.07	641.01	-	-	-	3	0.35	7,292.74

* Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

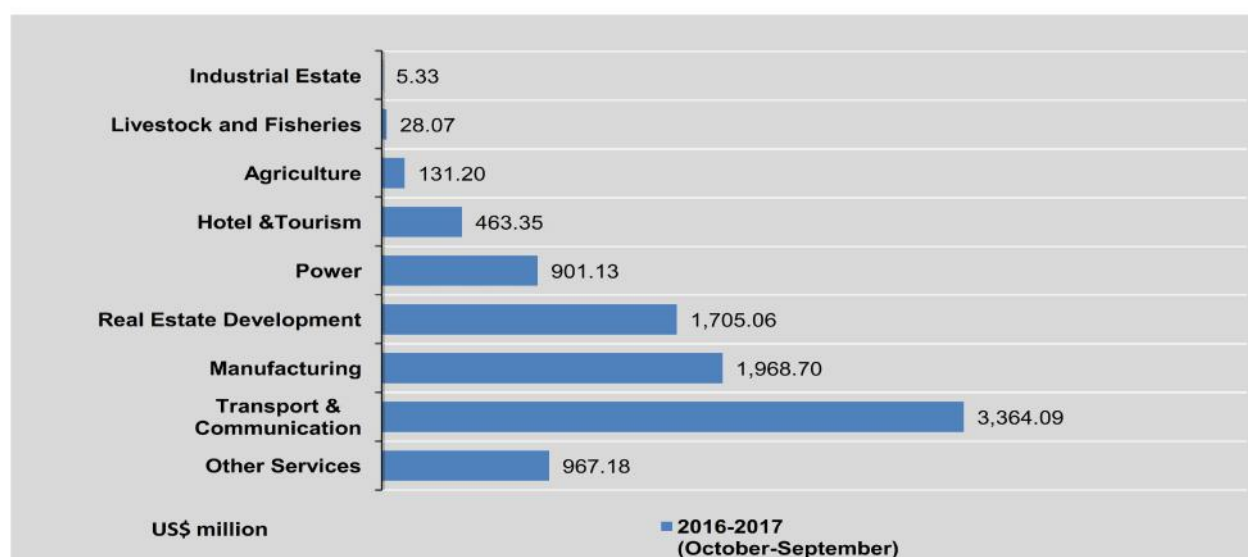


5.2 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY SECTOR

US\$ Million

FY	Total		Agriculture		Livestock and Fisheries		Mining	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	223	9,534.11 *	4	131.20	7	28.07	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	175	3,344.77 *	5	13.94	9	44.20 *	-	7.31 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	139	1,867.61 *	4	14.04	7	33.97 *	-	-
2018								
March	15	410.13 *	-	0.99	1	2.00	-	-
April	4	47.09 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	11	102.10 *	1	5.65	-	-	-	-
June	11	245.67 *	-	-	-	-	-	6.00 *
July	27	434.89 *	1	5.00	1	10.51	-	-
August	12	479.51 *	-	-	1	7.87 *	-	-
September	20	455.43 *	-	-	1	14.57 *	-	-
October	8	37.49 *	1	0.20	1	3.18	-	-
November	26	428.41 *	2	10.42	2	16.38 *	-	-
December	29	333.73 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019								
January	23	454.37 *	-	-	2	4.20	-	-
February	23	447.59 *	1	3.42	2	10.21	-	-
March	30	166.02 *	-	-	-	-	-	-

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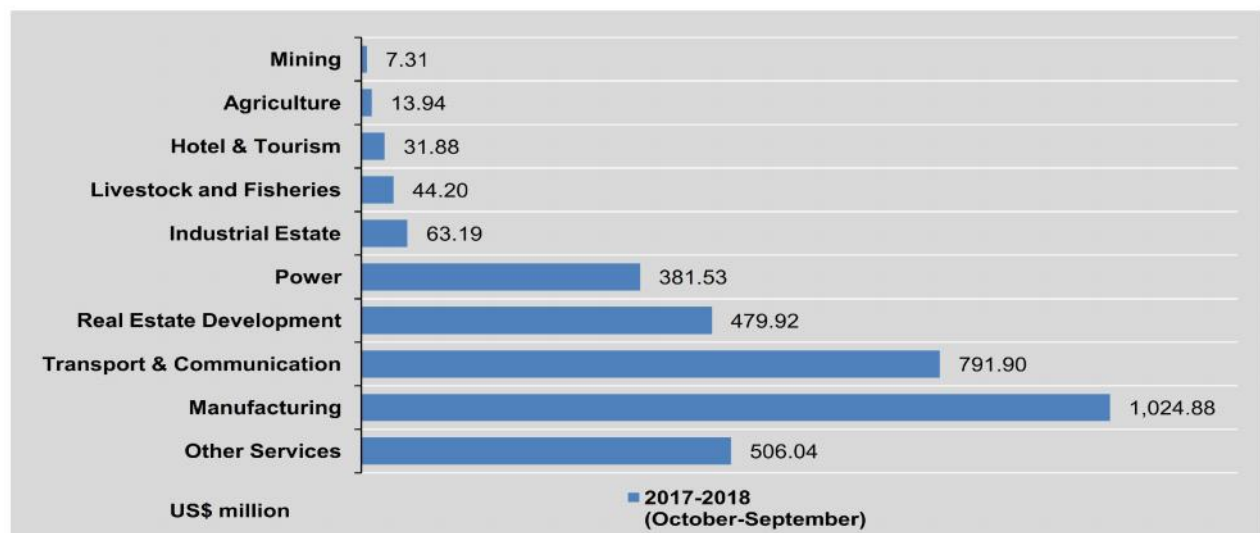


5.2 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY SECTOR

US\$ Million

FY	Oil and Gas		Manufacturing		Transport & Communication		Industrial Estate	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	-	142	1,968.70 *	14	3,364.09 *	-	5.33
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	-	117	1,024.88 *	4	791.90 *	2	63.19 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	-	10.20 *	107	601.32 *	2	680.56 *	1	48.45
2018								
March	-	-	10	97.30 *	1	157.44	-	-
April	-	-	2	21.53 *	-	-	-	5.33 *
May	-	-	9	81.74 *	-	-	-	1.15 *
June	-	-	8	172.38 *	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	20	107.40 *	-	140.05 *	1	28.00
August	-	-	8	113.57 *	-	130.00 *	-	-
September	-	-	13	210.03 *	1	44.11	-	-
October	-	10.20 *	4	13.57 *	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	16	86.50 *	1	171.79	-	-
December	-	-	28	89.50 *	1	243.43 *	-	-
2019								
January	-	-	17	167.15 *	-	149.89 *	-	-
February	-	-	14	164.08 *	-	115.45 *	1	48.45
March	-	-	28	80.52 *	-	-	-	-

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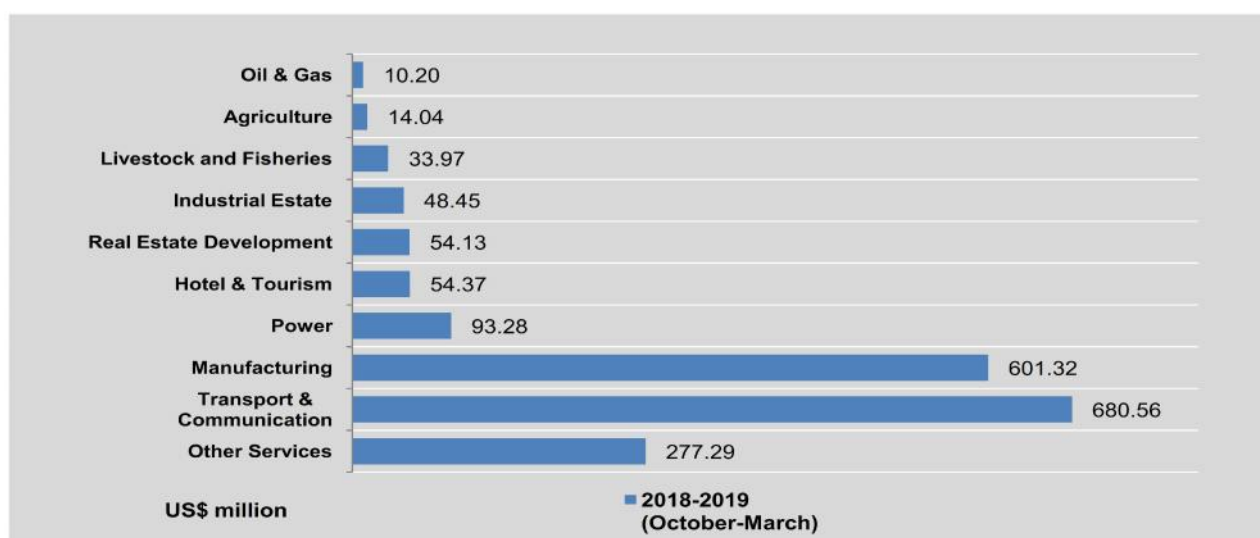
5.2 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY SECTOR

US\$ Million

FY	Hotel and Tourism		Real Estate Development		Power		Other Services	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	6	463.35 *	11	1,705.06 *	3	901.13	35	967.18 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	4	31.88 *	5	479.92 *	5	381.53	24	506.04 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	2	54.37 *	1	54.13	2	93.28	13	277.29 *
2018								
March	1	20.06 *	-	127.54 *	-	-	2	4.80
April	-	0.30 *	1	2.88	-	-	1	17.05 *
May	-	4.34 *	-	-	-	-	1	9.22 *
June	1	4.63	-	-	-	-	2	62.66
July	-	-	1	22.50	-	-	3	121.43 *
August	1	0.27	1	170.20	-	-	1	57.60 *
September	-	-	1	84.80 *	1	92.68	3	9.24 *
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	10.34
November	1	4.37 *	-	-	-	-	4	138.95
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.80 *
2019								
January	-	-	1	54.13	1	28.00	2	51.00
February	-	-	-	-	1	65.28	4	40.70
March	1	50.00	-	-	-	-	1	35.50 *

* Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

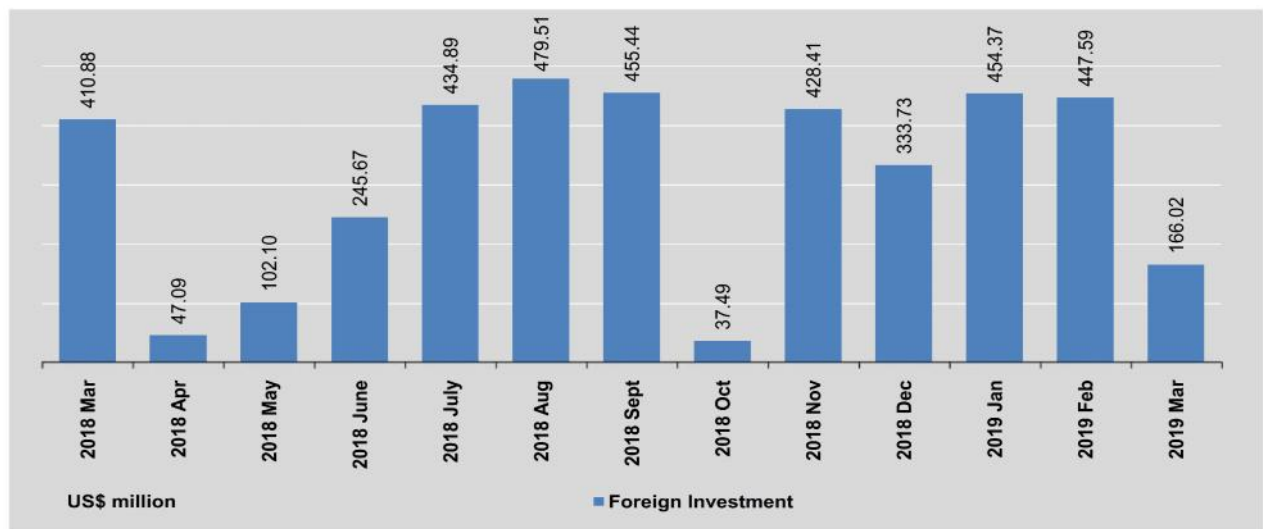


5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Total		Brunei Darussalam		Canada		China		Bangladesh	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	223	9,534.11 *	3	16.87 *	1	5.15	53	891.37 *	2	2.58
2017-2018 (October-September)	175	3,344.77 *	-	3.36 *	1	1.36	62	868.44 *	-	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	139	1,867.61 *	-	-	-	-	67	248.55 *	-	-
2018										
March	16	410.88	-	-	-	-	4	8.45	-	-
April	4	47.09 *	-	-	-	-	2	6.61	-	-
May	11	102.10 *	-	-	-	-	5	56.06	-	-
June	11	245.67 *	-	-	-	-	4	12.66 *	-	-
July	27	434.89 *	-	3.36 *	-	-	10	36.96 *	-	-
August	12	479.51 *	-	-	-	-	2	42.43 *	-	-
September	20	455.43 *	-	-	-	-	5	147.59 *	-	-
October	8	37.49 *	-	-	-	-	3	2.09	-	-
November	26	428.41 *	-	-	-	-	13	51.91 *	-	-
December	29	333.73 *	-	-	-	-	17	52.27 *	-	-
2019										
January	23	454.37 *	-	-	-	-	9	18.61 *	-	-
February	23	447.59 *	-	-	-	-	9	41.05 *	-	-
March	30	166.02 *	-	-	-	-	16	82.62 *	-	-

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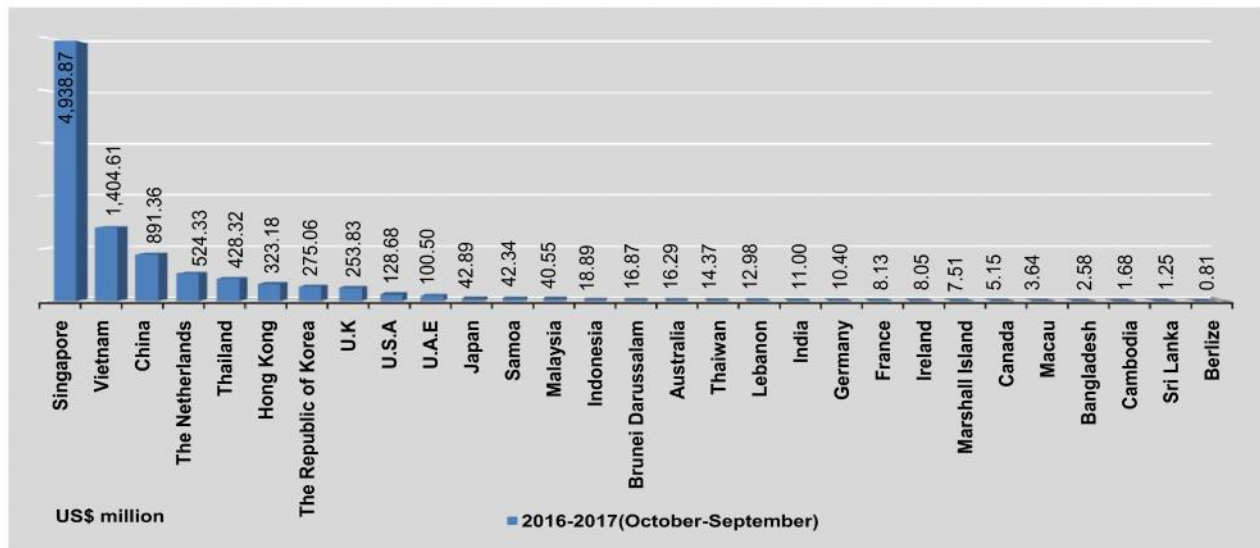


5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Hong Kong		India		Japan		The Republic of Korea		Australia	
	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	23	323.18 *	3	11.00 *	8	42.89	14	275.06 *	1	16.29
2017-2018 (October-September)	18	127.62 *	4	19.91 *	13	493.57 *	20	109.93 *	1	2.40
2018-2019 (October-March)	21	245.33 *	-	-	6	17.65 *	6	71.60 *	-	-
2018										
March	3	20.61 *	-	-	1	157.44	1	3.00	-	-
April	1	8.34 *	-	-	-	0.33 *	1	6.98 *	-	-
May	1	8.51 *	1	1.35	-	4.34 *	-	-	-	-
June	-	6.86 *	-	-	3	80.49 *	1	0.83	-	-
July	2	31.49 *	3	18.57	-	0.20 *	5	36.39	-	-
August	-	0.98 *	-	-	1	42.27	4	30.81 *	-	-
September	4	11.72	-	-	1	6.99 *	1	2.00	1	2.40
October	1	2.46	-	-	-	-	-	0.72 *	-	-
November	-	4.71 *	-	-	2	5.53	1	2.00	-	-
December	5	16.69	-	-	1	7.71 *	-	2.99 *	-	-
2019										
January	5	65.29 *	-	-	1	2.41 *	1	7.69 *	-	-
February	5	100.59	-	-	1	0.33	3	52.59 *	-	-
March	5	55.59 *	-	-	1	1.67 *	1	5.61 *	-	-

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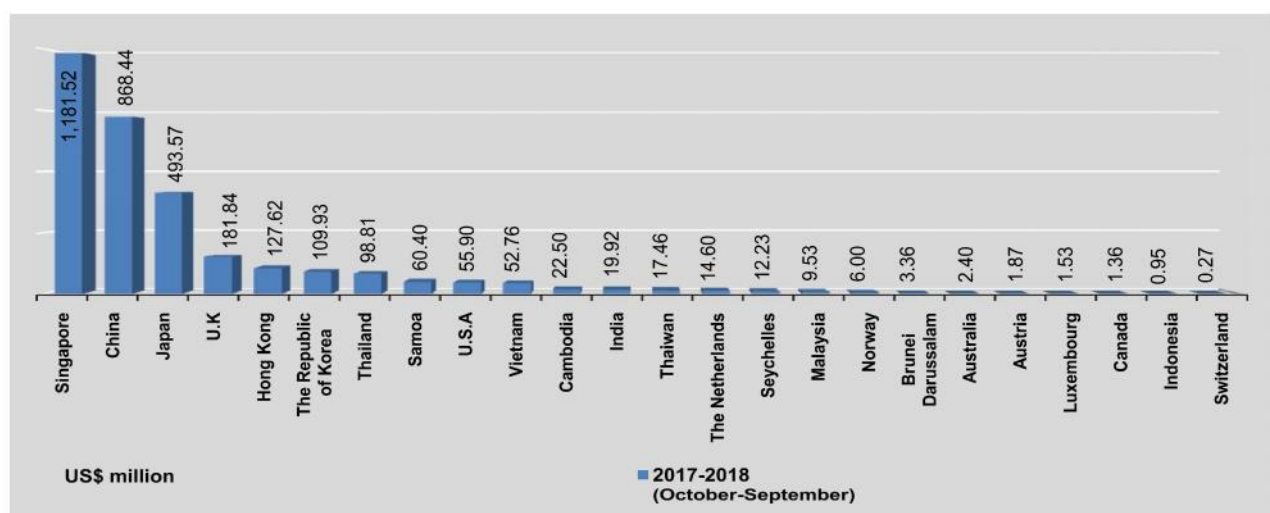


5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Malaysia		The Netherlands		Singapore		France		Thailand	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	6	40.55 *	6	524.33	46	4,938.87 *	16	8.13	13	428.32 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	3	9.53	1	14.60	23	1,181.52 *	-	-	8	98.81 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	2	1.18	3	26.40	16	1,109.34 *	-	-	5	97.04 *
2018										
March	1	0.50	-	-	3	217.85 *	-	-	1	0.74
April	-	-	-	-	-	20.63 *	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	3	29.89 *	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	1	3.20	-	-	-	33.00 *
July	-	-	-	-	3	261.33 *	-	-	1	10.51
August	1	7.34	-	-	1	322.80 *	-	-	-	2.00 *
September	-	-	-	-	2	86.58 *	-	-	2	19.09
October	-	-	1	3.18	1	21.57 *	-	-	-	-
November	2	1.18	-	-	4	336.27 *	-	-	2	12.88
December	-	-	-	-	3	248.80 *	-	-	-	-
2019										
January	-	-	-	-	4	336.39 *	-	-	2	11.09
February	-	-	2	23.22	1	154.65 *	-	-	1	73.07 *
March	-	-	-	-	3	11.66 *	-	-	-	-

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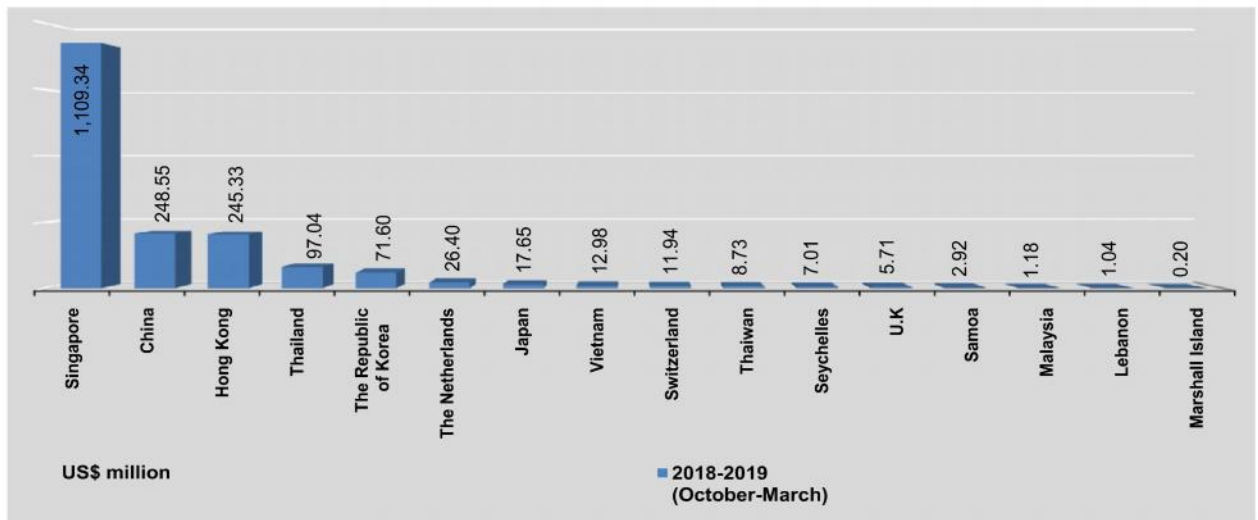
5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

	U.K **		Vietnam		Luxembourg		Liberia		U.A.E	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	4	253.83 *	5	1,404.61 *	-	-	-	-	-	100.50 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	4	181.84 *	5	52.76 *	-	1.53 *	-	-	-	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	2	5.71 *	2	12.98	-	-	-	-	-	-
2018										
March	-	-	1	1.50	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	4.20 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	0.40 *	1	1.55	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	6.00 *	1	4.69	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	2	30.61 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	1	133.49	1	44.11	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	2.05 *	1	10.48	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019										
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	1	2.09 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	1	1.57	1	2.50	-	-	-	-	-	-

** Includes British Virgin Island and Bermuda Island.

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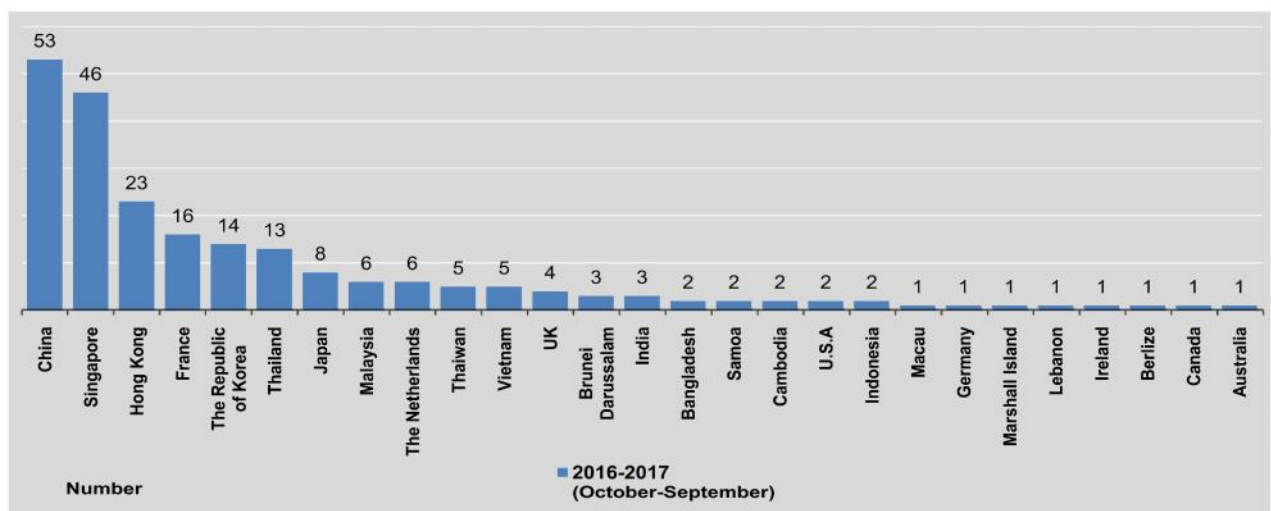


5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Samoa		Sweden		Philippine		Germany		Sri Lanka	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	2	42.34 *	-	-	-	-	1	10.40	-	1.25 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	60.40 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	1	2.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2018										
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	42.04 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019										
January	1	2.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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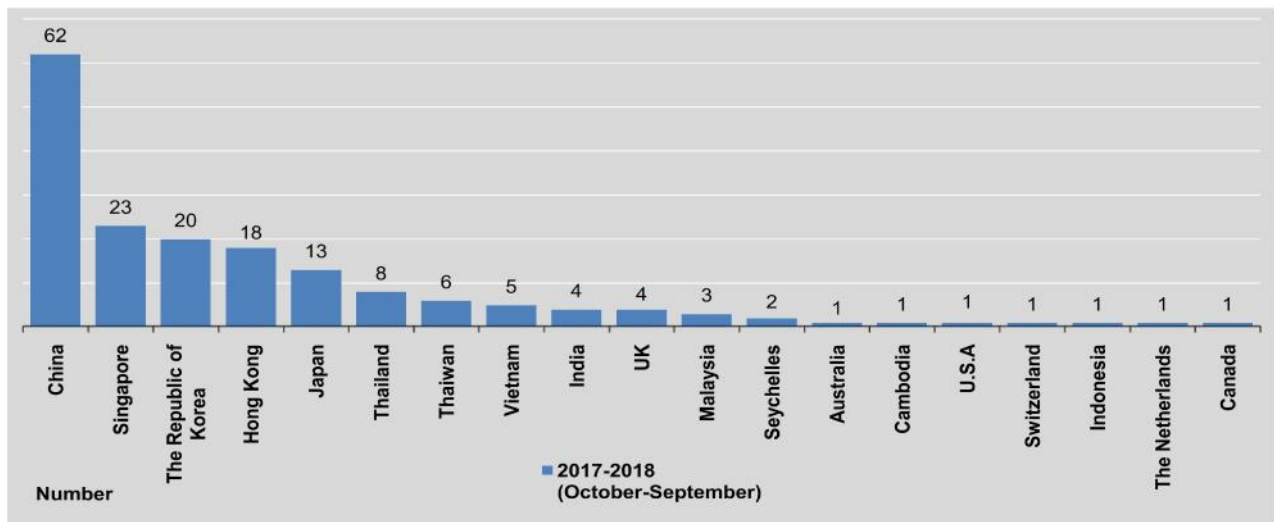


5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Mauritius		U.S.A		Republic of the Marshall Island		Indonesia		South Africa	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	-	2	128.68	1	7.51	2	18.89	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	-	1	55.90 *	-	-	1	0.95 *	-	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	-	-	-	-	-	0.20 *	-	-	-	-
2018										
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	1	55.90	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.95	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	0.20 *	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019										
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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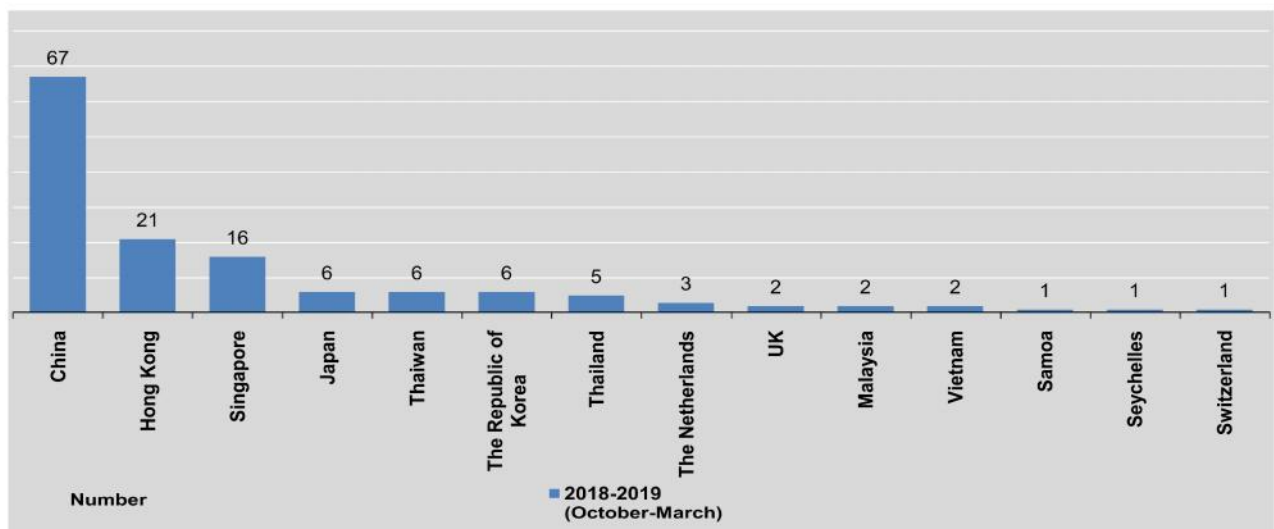


5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Seychelles		Cook Islands		Taiwan		Afghanistan		New Zealand	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	-	-	-	5	14.37 *	-	-	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	2	12.23 *	-	-	6	17.46	-	-	-	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	1	7.01 *	-	-	6	8.73	-	-	-	-
2018										
March	-	-	-	-	1	0.78	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	1	4.05	-	-	1	7.66	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	1	0.51	-	-	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	1	5.50	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	1	1.20	-	-	-	-
December	-	2.50 *	-	-	3	1.73	-	-	-	-
2019										
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	1	4.51	-	-	1	0.30	-	-	-	-

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5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Switzerland		Qatar		Laos		Cambodia		Macau	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1.68	1	3.64
2017-2018 (October-September)	1	0.27	-	-	-	-	1	22.50	-	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	1	11.94 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2018										
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	22.50	-	-
August	1	0.27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	1	1.97	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019										
January	-	9.97 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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5.3 FOREIGN INVESTMENT OF PERMITTED ENTERPRISES BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN

US\$ Million

FY	Lebanon		Norway		Ireland		Berlize		Austria	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	1	12.98	-	-	1	8.05 *	1	0.81	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	-	-	6.00 *	-	-	-	-	-	1.87 *
2018-2019 (October-March)	-	1.04 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2018										
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.87 *
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	1.04 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2019										
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

CHAPTER 6
TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVEL



6



TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVEL | ANALYSIS

Transportation statistics comprises of domestic public transport, road transportation and merchant shipping. Domestic Public Transport described freight ton-miles and passenger-miles for Railways, Road transport, Inland water transport and Airways.

For Railways transport, there are 448,352 thousand freight ton-miles and 1,927,696 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 232,354(p) thousand freight ton-miles and 987,686(p) thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to March.

For Road transport, freight ton-miles and passenger-miles are 194,079 thousand freight ton-miles, 399,503 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 111,880 thousand freight ton-miles, 208,731 thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to March.

For Inland water transport, freight ton-miles and passenger-miles are 61,994 thousand freight ton-miles and 38,740 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 32,605 thousand freight ton-miles and 19,429 thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to March.

For Airways transport, freight ton-miles and passenger-miles are 224 thousand freight ton-miles and 350,245 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 201 thousand freight ton-miles and 205,207 thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to March.

There are 6,680,006 registered motor vehicles entire in the country in 2016-2017 October to September and 7,092,843 in 2017-2018, October to September.

DOMESTIC PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Domestic public transport is presented through four indicators: Railways, Road transport, Inland water transport and Airways. Railways transportation is the main transportation in the public sector with a share of 69% of total public transportation in March 2019.

When comparing March 2018 and March 2019, Railways transport increased by 10.7% for freight ton-miles and decreased by 11.4% for passenger-miles. Road transport increased by 23% for freight ton-miles and decreased by 24.8% for passenger-miles when comparing March 2018 and March 2019. Inland water transport decreased by 29.39% for freight ton-miles and 0.72% for passenger-miles when comparing March 2018 and March 2019.

Over the same period, Airways transport increased by 138% for freight ton-miles and 9% for passenger-miles.

ROAD TRANSPORTATION

With the adoption of economic reforms in 2011, the Government emphasized the importance of sustained and inclusive development of its people. The Ministry of Commerce made a policy reform for car import. In consequence, many medium income households could purchase new cars, thus car density increased year after year. Total Registered Motor Vehicles has increased by 12.63% in 2016-2017 and by 6.18% in 2017-2018, compared to the previous year. On the other hand, Public and Private Road Transport has gradually decreased from 2012 to 2017.

Yangon City Private Transport includes bus service. When comparing March 2018 and March 2019, the transport of passengers by Yangon City Private Transport increased by 9.8% for both passengers and passenger-miles, by 3% increased for number of buses and pick-ups in operation per day, by 0.2% increased for number of trips per day and by 9.8% increased for gross earnings.

The transport of Mandalay City Private Transport decreased by 12.6% for both passengers and passenger-miles, by 12.7% for both number of buses and pick-ups in operation per day and number of trips per day, by 12.8% for gross earning when comparing 2016-2017 and 2017-2018. However, the level of passengers using bus service in Mandalay is not very high because people use mainly their owned two-wheeled vehicles such as motorcycles and bicycles rather than private transportation.

MERCHANT SHIPPING (Coastal Trade)

Coastal trade means trading of goods by ship from one port to another in the same country.

When comparing February 2019 and March 2019 for coastal trade, entry increased by 12.9% for vessels and decreased by 13.7% for tonnage, and clearance decreased by 8.8% for vessels and increased by 26.9% for tonnage.

■ TOURISM

This Section presents the tourism industry up to March 2019. The analysis is carried out for the international tourist arrivals and for tourist arrivals at Yangon, Mandalay and Naypyitaw international airports by nationality of tourists.

In March 2019, 388,710 tourists travelled arrival to Myanmar. The number of visitors entered from the border tourism gates is more than that at the entry-gates of Yangon, Mandalay and Naypyitaw international airports. The contribution of tourist arrivals by land to the total was 51.2%, more than the 9.1% of tourist arrivals by sea and 39.7% by air. The largest amount of tourist by land is 198,935.

The growth rate of total international tourist arrivals in 2017-2018 (October-September) increased 2.93% compared with 2016-2017 (October-September). The total tourist arrivals in March 2019 is 388,710 and the tourist arrivals in March 2018 was 321,303 which represents an increased of 21.0% in tourism sector. Over the same period, there has increased in tourist arrivals by land of 30.3%, by air of 22.7% and decreased in tourist arrivals by sea of 17.2%.

Arrivals from Chinese, Taiwanese, Indian and Korean increased by 50.9%, 11.2%, 9.4% and 8.8% respectively in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared with 2016-2017 (October-September).

We find that male represents 56.3% and female 43.7% of the total tourist arrivals in 2017-2018 (October-September) and male represents 56.0% and female 44.0% of the total tourist arrivals in 2016-2017 (October-September). Male tourist arrivals increased and Female tourist arrivals decreased in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared with 2016-2017 (October-September).

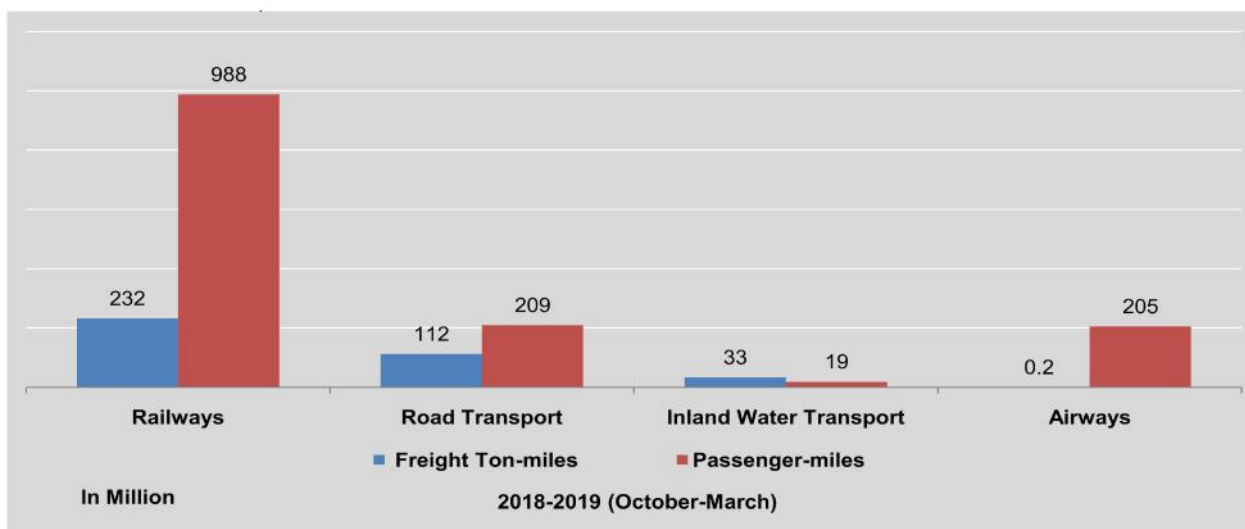
As of 1st August 2018, visa-free travel is only permitted for countries like Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam, Macao and Hongkong. On October, adding on to the visa-free entry are Japan and South Korea. Japanese and South Korean visitors are able to enter by air and land without a visa.

6.1 TRANSPORTATION

Thousand

FY	Domestic Public Transport							
	Railways		Road Transport		Inland Water Transport		Airways	
	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles
2016-2017 (October-September)	424,184	1,971,949	200,633	439,718	77,364	42,988	269	271,100
2017-2018 (October-September)	448,352	1,927,696	194,079	399,503	61,994	38,740	224	350,245
2018-2019 (October-March)	232,354 (p)	987,686 (p)	111,880	208,731	32,605	19,429	201	205,207
2018								
March	40,942	199,872	15,452	32,872	7,720	3,186	21	35,324
April	35,971	195,509	16,286	30,642	5,398	2,673	18	28,855
May	45,139	172,050	16,503	31,662	5,680	3,159	19	32,041
June	39,016	137,753	16,477	32,050	4,919	3,036	18	28,855
July	40,100	136,324	16,206	27,032	5,080	3,179	18	23,710
August	41,163	132,201	16,559	27,283	5,017	3,351	18	28,282
September	24,058	123,570	16,420	32,784	4,759	3,200	18	23,157
October	35,076	170,668	15,200	36,852	5,025	3,413	19	29,967
November	37,446	162,934	18,261	36,580	5,762	3,236	20	31,505
December	38,408	171,973	19,626	37,003	5,748	3,350	20	35,665
2019								
January	40,908	145,892	19,876	36,995	5,809	3,259	44	35,280
February	35,201	159,109	19,906	36,587	4,810	3,008	48	34,311
March	45,315 (p)	177,110 (p)	19,011	24,714	5,451	3,163	50	38,479

Sources: Myanma Railways.
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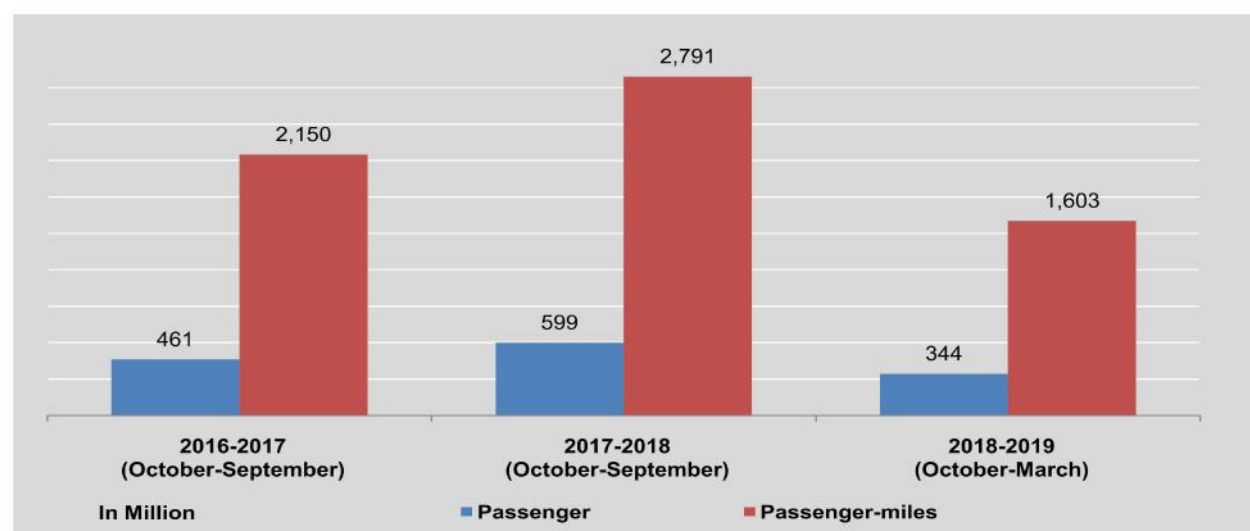


6.2 YANGON CITY PRIVATE TRANSPORT

Includes city buses as well as pick-ups

FY	Yangon City Private Transport (Bus Service)				
	Passenger (Thousand)	Passenger-miles (Thousand)	Number of buses and pick-ups in operation per day	Number of trips per day	Gross Earnings (K million)
2016-2017 (October-September)	461,334	2,150,462	3,074	13,694	75,938.91
2017-2018 (October-September)	598,698	2,790,771	4,262	15,657	120,113.83
2018-2019 (October-March)	343,826	1,602,709	4,585	16,685	70,438.01
2018					
March	52,978	246,954	4,437	16,967	10,793.60
April	40,224	187,501	3,710	13,509	7,911.57
May	51,054	237,981	4,425	16,289	10,122.03
June	51,265	238,965	4,481	15,731	10,241.78
July	55,212	257,363	4,488	16,204	11,007.12
August	55,868	260,421	4,555	16,293	11,223.65
September	56,182	261,889	4,597	16,101	11,509.42
October	57,464	267,864	4,569	17,023	11,747.96
November	56,397	262,887	4,527	16,504	11,676.41
December	58,542	272,886	4,581	17,050	12,075.93
2019					
January	60,284	281,008	4,636	17,040	12,303.48
February	52,982	246,970	4,624	15,496	10,781.16
March	58,157	271,094	4,571	16,999	11,853.07

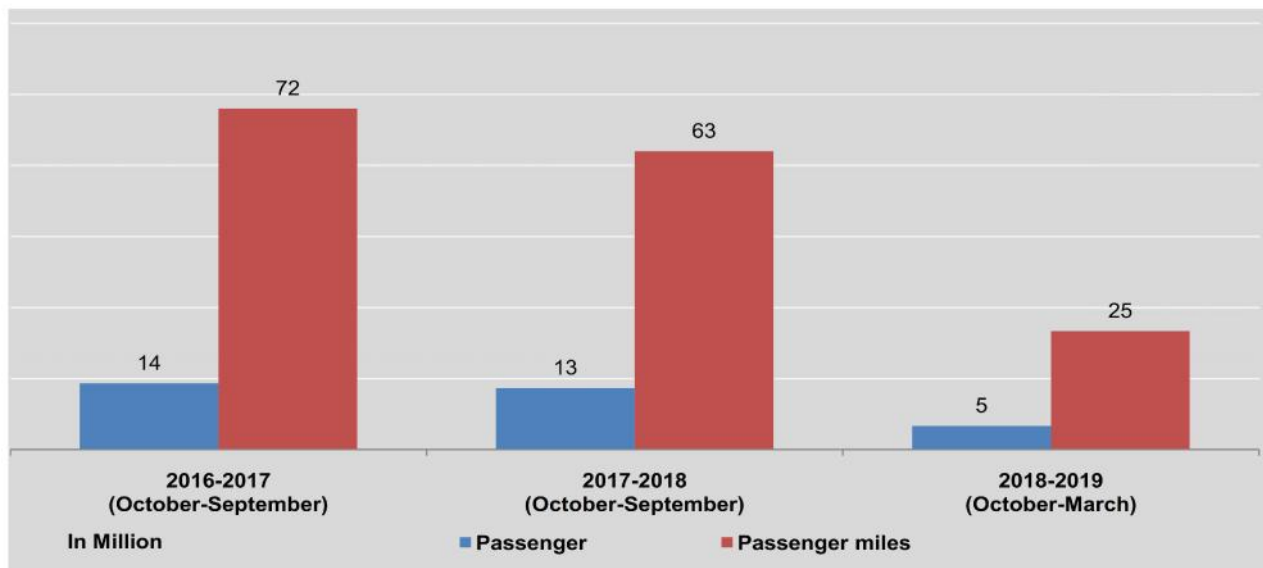
Source: Yangon Region Transport Authority.



6.3 MANDALAY CITY PRIVATE TRANSPORT

FY	Mandalay City Private Transport (Bus Service)				
	Passenger (Thousand)	Passenger-miles (Thousand)	Number of buses and pick-ups in operation per day	Number of trips per day	Gross Earnings (K million)
2016-2017 (October-September)	14,310	71,550	347	1,044	981.90
2017-2018 (October-September)	12,506	62,534	303	911	856.42
2018-2019 (October-March)	5,009	25,041	246	744	345.98
2018					
March	1,103	5,517	311	964	75.53
April	863	4,315	290	754	59.16
May	1,087	5,434	306	949	74.35
June	905	4,523	264	792	62.01
July	1,060	5,299	298	924	72.46
August	1,056	5,282	298	924	72.35
September	979	4,896	285	855	67.02
October	941	4,707	268	830	64.70
November	953	4,764	281	843	65.57
December	880	4,397	251	778	60.53
2019					
January	877	4,383	251	775	60.31
February	834	4,170	264	739	57.44
March	524	2,620	161	499	37.43

Source: Mandalay Region Buses Control Committee.

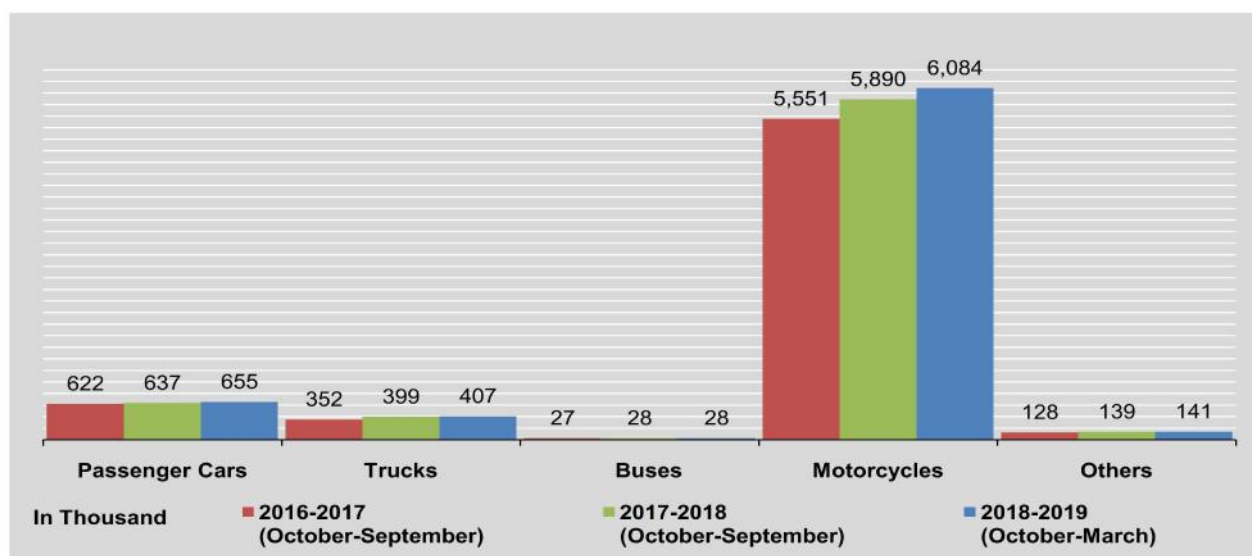


6.4 REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES BY TYPE

Fiscal Year's data refer to the end of September, not only the month of September

FY	Passenger Cars	Trucks	Buses	Motorcycles	Others	Total
2016-2017 (October-September)	622,212	352,090	26,869	5,550,704	128,131	6,680,006
2017-2018 (October-September)	637,405	399,474	27,552	5,889,577	138,835	7,092,843
2018-2019 (October-March)	654,837	406,740	28,260	6,084,080	141,338	7,315,255
2018						
March	628,054	374,287	28,010	5,690,773	132,871	6,853,995
April	627,416	381,545	27,646	5,689,739	133,439	6,859,785
May	625,690	390,267	27,776	5,703,752	135,885	6,883,370
June	628,966	394,403	27,599	5,741,509	137,927	6,930,404
July	632,174	395,416	27,332	5,802,166	138,638	6,995,726
August	634,982	398,233	27,394	5,845,874	139,043	7,045,526
September	637,405	399,474	27,552	5,889,577	138,835	7,092,843
October	640,521	401,847	27,741	5,932,286	139,387	7,141,782
November	643,632	395,527	34,739	5,961,685	140,661	7,176,244
December	646,191	403,393	27,781	5,997,519	140,612	7,215,496
2019						
January	649,440	403,780	29,257	6,022,457	141,008	7,245,942
February	652,901	398,985	34,910	6,052,022	141,334	7,280,152
March	654,837	406,740	28,260	6,084,080	141,338	7,315,255

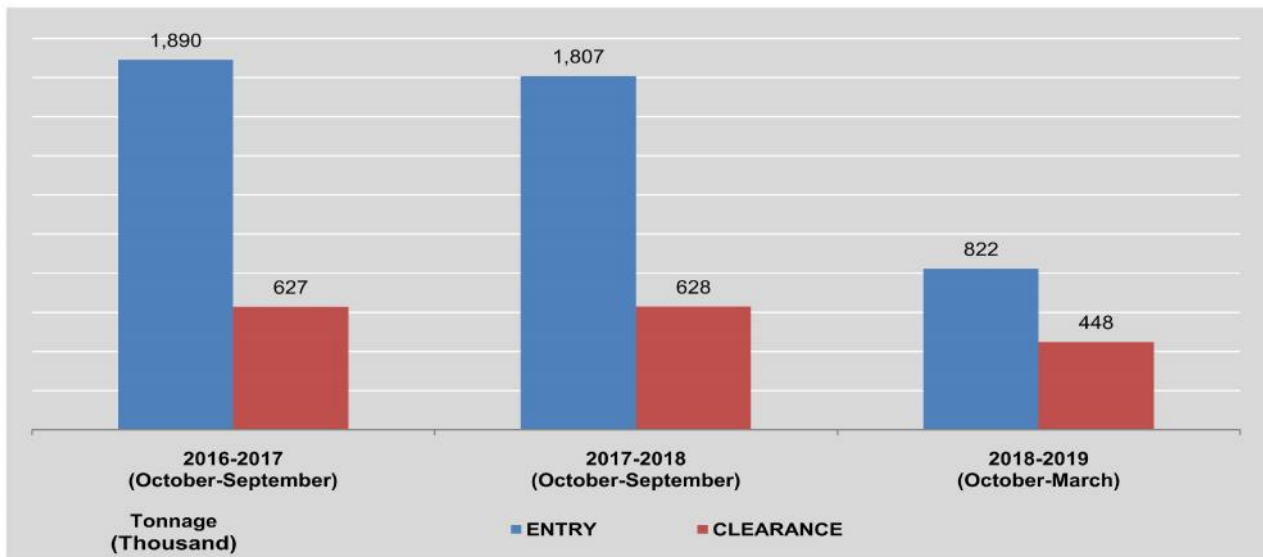
Source: Department of Road Transport Administration.



6.5 MERCHANT SHIPPING (Coastal Trade)

FY	Entry		Clearance	
	Vessels	Tonnage (Thousand)	Vessels	Tonnage (Thousand)
2016-2017 (October-September)	1,659	1,890	1,660	627
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,590	1,807	1,644	628
2018-2019 (October-March)	859	822	895	448
2018				
March	176	210	191	87
April	163	195	156	52
May	155	171	138	46
June	108	110	112	81
July	96	110	82	25
August	114	111	107	58
September	107	108	115	60
October	132	145	139	100
November	131	111	134	66
December	124	101	143	67
2019				
January	174	180	154	63
February	140	153	170	67
March	158	132	155	85

Source: Customs Department.

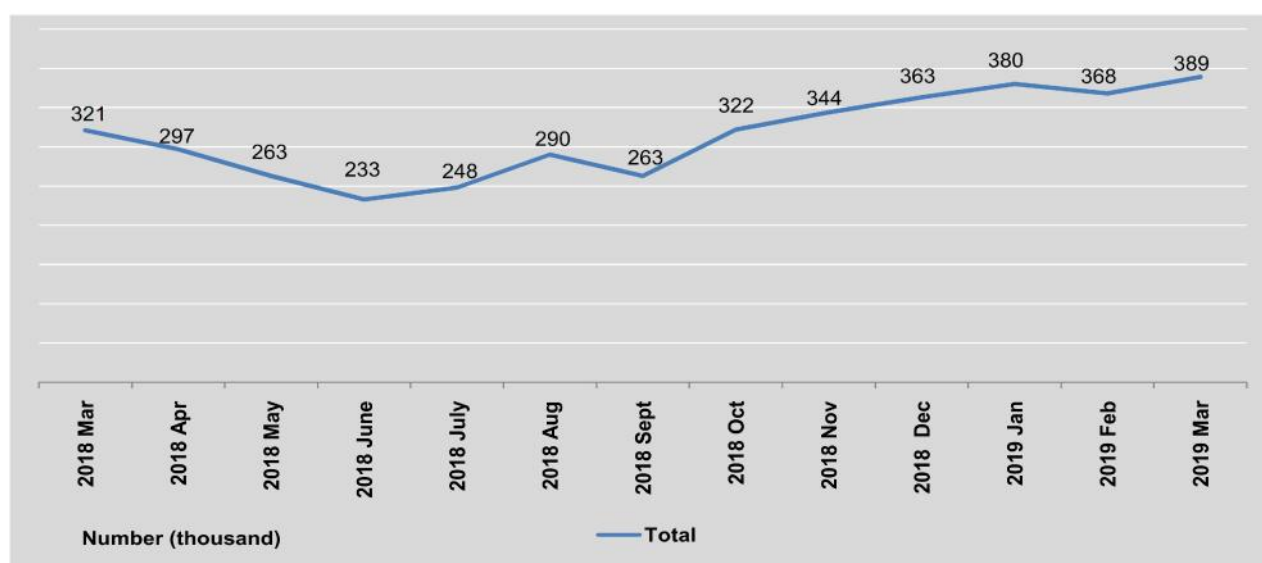


6.6 INTERNATIONAL TOURIST ARRIVAL

Number

FY	Total	by Air	by Sea	by Land
2016-2017 (October-September)	3,345,867	1,297,641	362,452	1,685,774
2017-2018 (October-September)	3,443,957	1,316,616	356,204	1,771,137
2018-2019 (October-March)	2,165,059	878,048	187,507	1,099,504
2018				
March	321,303	125,753	42,824	152,726
April	297,403	93,818	44,239	159,346
May	263,114	93,988	30,822	138,304
June	233,079	86,883	23,436	122,760
July	247,964	93,174	22,902	131,888
August	289,968	90,397	27,945	171,626
September	263,003	88,570	15,442	158,991
October	321,524	118,629	26,113	176,782
November	343,766	143,253	30,755	169,758
December	363,154	149,705	36,175	177,274
2019				
January	380,172	150,229	27,019	202,924
February	367,733	161,930	31,972	173,831
March	388,710	154,302	35,473	198,935

Source: Ministry of Hotels and Tourism.

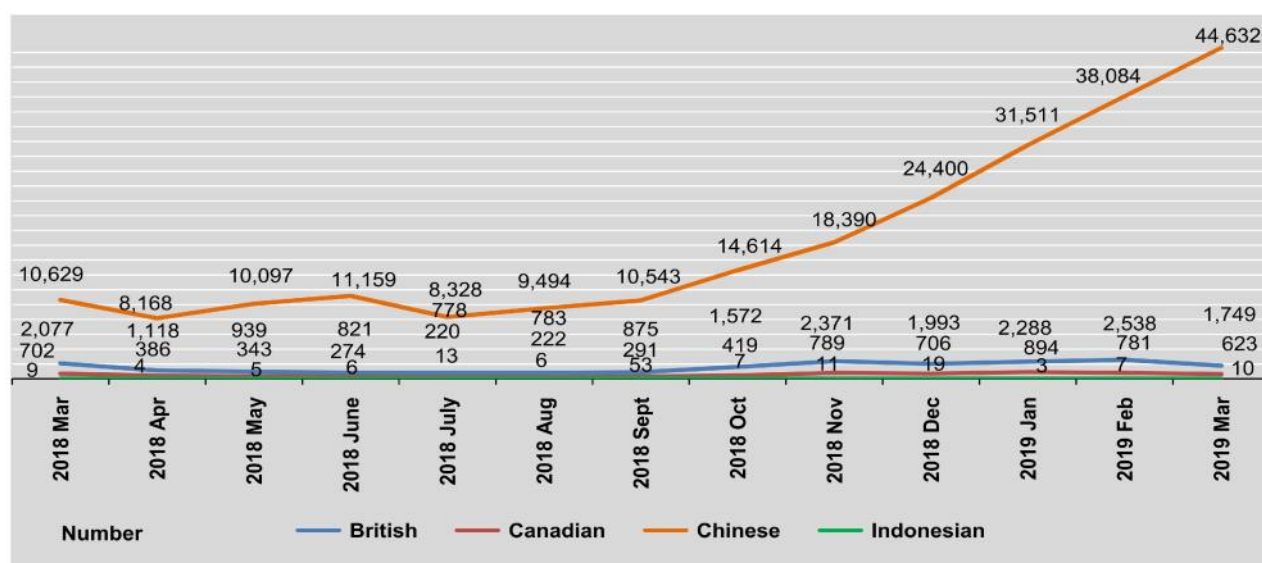


6.7 TOURIST ARRIVAL AT YANGON, MANDALAY AND NAYPYITAW INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS BY TYPE OF NATIONALITY

Number

FY	British		Canadian		Chinese		Indonesian	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	17,354	15,482	4,876	5,016	51,118	28,673	36	51
2017-2018 (October-September)	12,888	10,567	3,795	3,262	68,672	51,728	138	107
2018-2019 (October-March)	7,040	5,471	2,353	1,859	83,855	87,776	23	34
2018								
March	1,134	943	380	322	6,126	4,503	2	7
April	660	458	215	171	4,568	3,600	2	2
May	593	346	195	148	5,777	4,320	4	1
June	509	312	164	110	7,330	3,829	3	3
July	470	308	133	87	4,714	3,614	8	5
August	497	286	131	91	5,420	4,074	2	4
September	555	320	175	116	5,708	4,835	42	11
October	883	689	235	184	7,899	6,715	3	4
November	1,333	1,038	426	363	9,879	8,511	6	5
December	1,158	835	405	301	12,702	11,698	6	13
2019								
January	1,314	974	494	400	14,588	16,923	1	2
February	1,368	1,170	441	340	16,548	21,536	2	5
March	984	765	352	271	22,239	22,393	5	5

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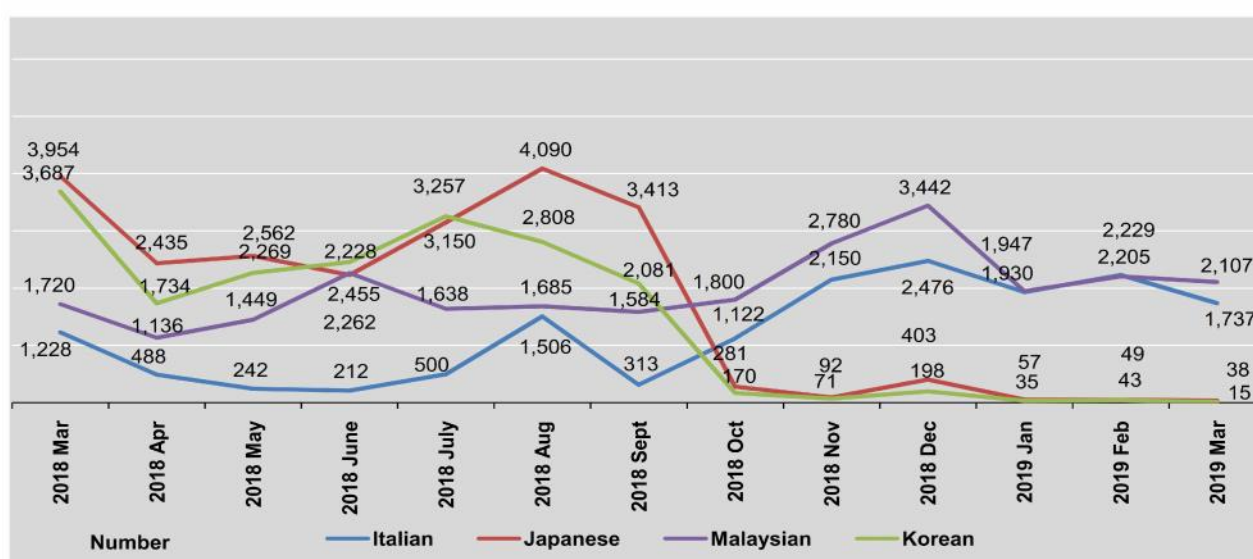


6.7 TOURIST ARRIVAL AT YANGON, MANDALAY AND NAYPYITAW INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS BY TYPE OF NATIONALITY

Number

FY	Italian		Japanese		Korean		Malaysian	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	7,345	7,634	29,943	13,289	21,909	15,145	13,569	8,544
2017-2018 (October-September)	6,347	6,780	30,315	12,285	23,490	16,823	13,001	8,855
2018-2019 (October-March)	5,441	6,203	670	250	363	169	8,055	6,226
2018								
March	566	662	2,658	1,296	2,123	1,564	1,049	671
April	259	229	1,795	640	1,127	607	741	395
May	135	107	2,007	555	1,540	729	909	540
June	128	84	1,744	484	1,556	899	1,326	936
July	270	230	2,405	745	1,835	1,422	1,015	623
August	750	756	2,676	1,414	1,733	1,075	1,026	659
September	185	128	2,477	936	1,345	736	998	586
October	508	614	230	51	127	43	1,135	665
November	975	1,175	68	24	53	18	1,568	1,212
December	1,164	1,312	265	138	118	80	1,706	1,736
2019								
January	955	975	44	13	25	10	1,162	785
February	999	1,230	34	15	31	12	1,176	1,029
March	840	897	29	9	9	6	1,308	799

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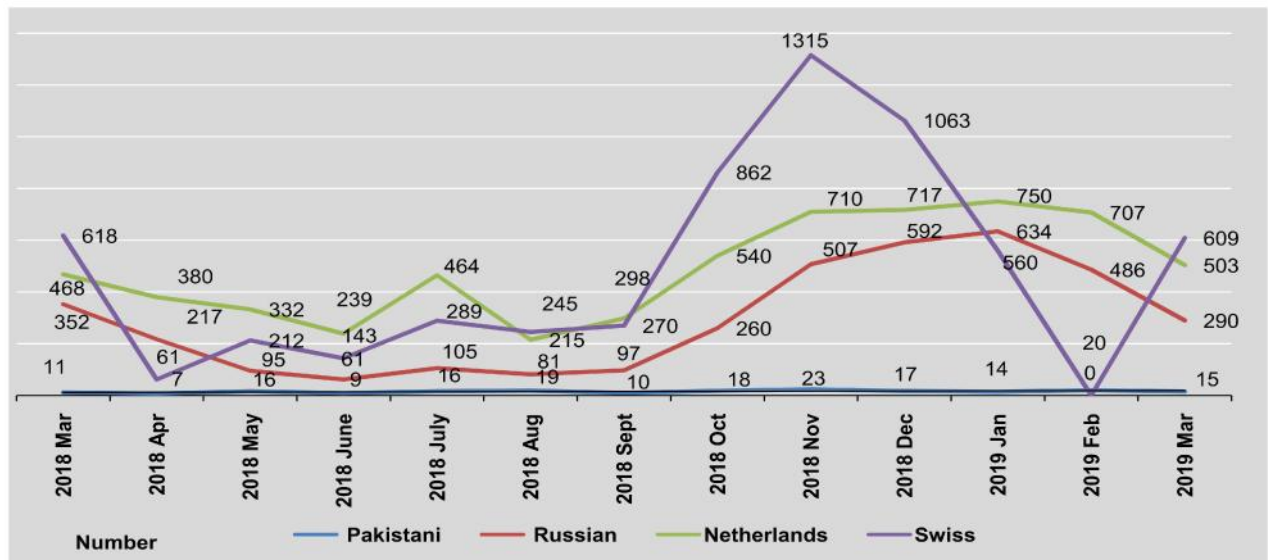


6.7 TOURIST ARRIVAL AT YANGON, MANDALAY AND NAYPYITAW INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS BY TYPE OF NATIONALITY

Number

FY	Pakistani		Russian		Netherlands		Swiss	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	588	198	1,840	1,880	5,342	5,273	5,798	6,402
2017-2018 (October-September)	121	39	1,714	1,758	3,700	3,124	4,196	4,488
2018-2019 (October-March)	88	19	1,359	1,410	2,101	1,826	2,321	2,088
2018								
March	10	1	177	175	244	224	323	295
April	2	5	107	110	213	167	30	31
May	13	3	59	36	191	141	111	101
June	9	-	38	23	144	95	83	60
July	12	4	60	45	261	203	153	136
August	16	3	45	36	125	90	120	125
September	9	1	62	35	184	114	138	132
October	16	2	122	138	284	256	396	466
November	16	7	251	256	399	311	630	685
December	14	3	297	295	407	310	542	521
2019								
January	12	2	320	314	387	363	461	99
February	20	0	225	261	365	342	0	0
March	10	5	144	146	259	244	292	317

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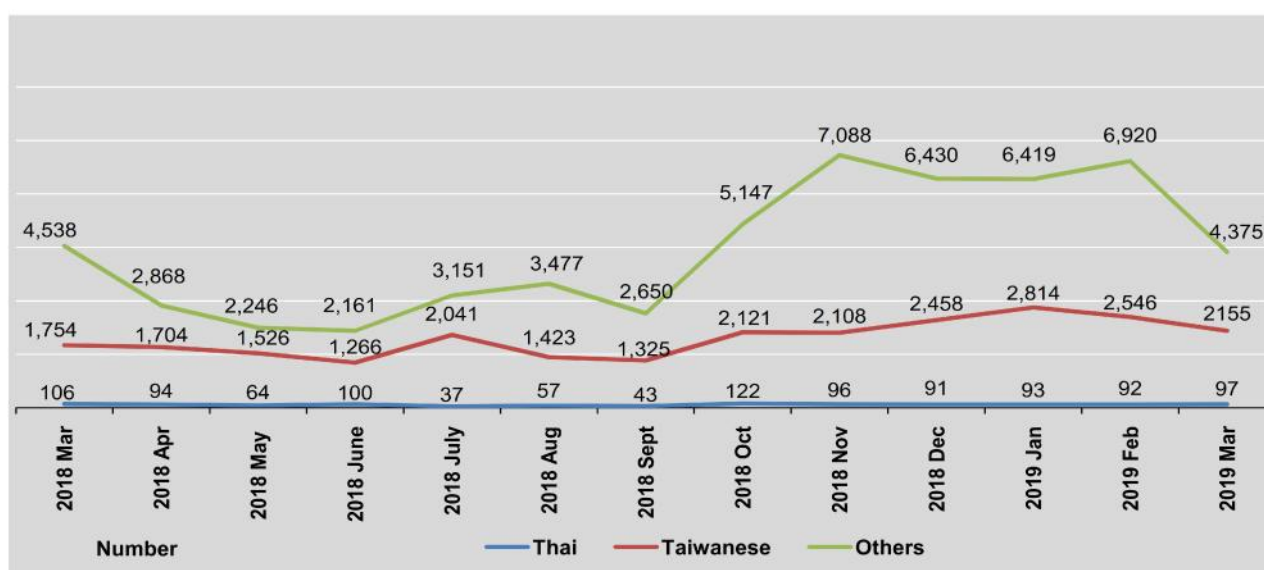
6.7 TOURIST ARRIVAL AT YANGON, MANDALAY AND NAYPYITAW INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS BY TYPE OF NATIONALITY

Number

FY	Thai		Taiwanese		Others *	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	611	571	11,229	6,762	34,206	33,949
2017-2018 (October-September)	500	447	11,735	8,277	27,221	26,074
2018-2019 (October-March)	308	283	7,670	6,532	18,297	18,082
2018						
March	49	57	1,095	659	2,365	2,173
April	44	50	985	719	1,543	1,325
May	33	31	988	538	1,268	978
June	59	41	822	444	1,302	859
July	24	13	1,083	958	1,663	1,488
August	30	27	866	557	1,737	1,740
September	22	21	797	528	1,412	1,238
October	71	51	1,215	906	2,478	2,669
November	54	42	1,190	918	3,532	3,556
December	42	49	1,371	1,087	3,278	3,152
2019						
January	45	48	1,383	1,431	3,318	3,101
February	53	39	1,249	1,297	3,427	3,493
March	43	54	1,262	893	2,264	2,111

* Includes Hong Kong , Denmark, Nepal, Singapore, Mexican, New Zealand, Philippines, Spanish, Swedish, etc Including Naypyitaw International Airport since April 2016.

Source: Immigration Department.



CHAPTER 7
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT



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LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT | ANALYSIS

Labour and Employment is a critical factor in the production of goods and services for both domestic and international use. Thus, the improvement of the quality of the country's labour force and the efforts to make it more productive is very much essential for contributing greatly to the development of the economy.

This chapter deals with the principal statistics of employment through labour exchange offices and overseas employment in Myanmar. It also presents data on the distribution of new registers, job vacancies and placements reported to the job vacancies through labour exchange offices in Yangon and other States/Regions. The employment opportunities are larger in Yangon Region, but there is also a higher concentration of job seekers in this region. In the whole country, the number of job seekers remains higher than the job opportunities.

■ EMPLOYMENT THROUGH LABOUR EXCHANGE OFFICES

In Yangon Region, the new registered increased by 56.8%, vacancies notified increased by 19.3%, the number of submissions made for the vacancies also increased by 18.6% and compared with the same month of 2018. The person placed becomes increased by about 18.5%. In other States and Regions, the new registered increased by about 29.7%, vacancies notified increased by 149.6% while the number of submissions made for the vacancies also increased by 141.0%. The person placed becomes growth by about 119.0% compared with the same month of previous year.

When looking at the whole year, the number registered, the vacancies notified, the number of submissions made for the vacancies and persons placed increased in Yangon and other States and Regions between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September).

■ OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT

For overseas employment, the main destinations of people from Myanmar are Thailand, Malaysia, Korea, Singapore, Japan, United Arab Emirates and Qatar. The bulk of the destinations are Thailand and Malaysia with a contribution of 87.76% and 6.98% respectively in 2017-2018 (October-September). The total overseas employment increased by 35.6% between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September). The overseas employment increased by about 4.5% for Thailand and 14.2% for Korean compared with the same month of 2018. In March 2019, the overall overseas employment increased by 22,534 which was 26.2% more than the 17,859 placements of workers in the same month in 2018.

■ PLACEMENT OF WORKERS FOR LOCAL EMPLOYMENT

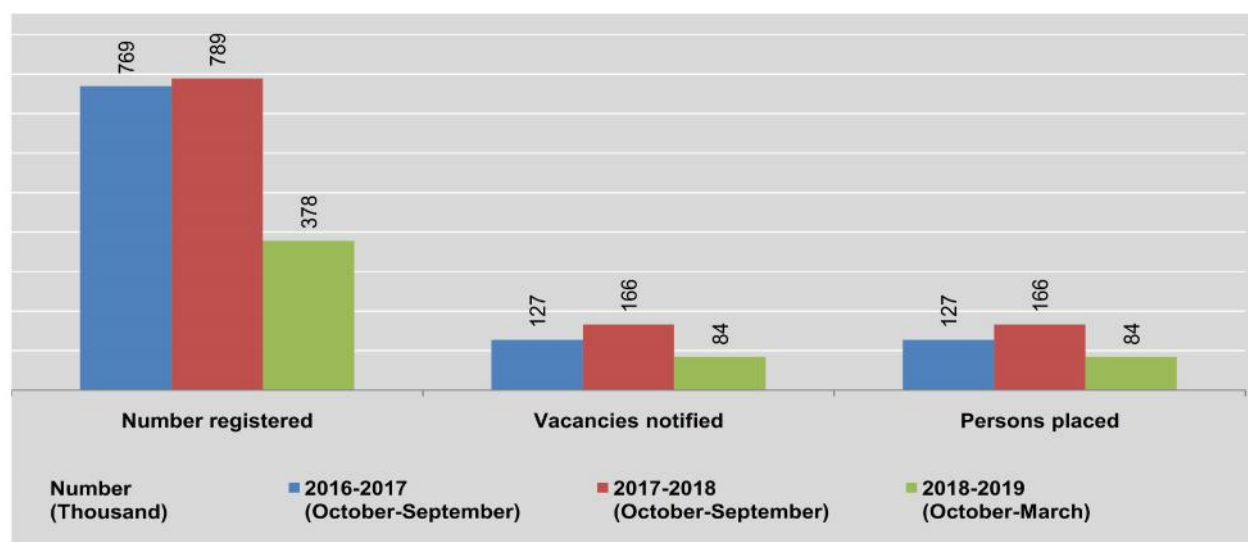
The Ministry of Labour, Immigration and Population is primarily responsible for labour issues and aims to promote employment opportunities and to improve the income per worker. The Department of Labour has established 83 Labour Exchange Offices in districts and townships throughout the country and measures are being taken for Myanmar nationals at working age to enjoy decent work opportunities in local and abroad. Concerning local employment, in March 2019, about 768 workers have been worked in public sector and 20,830 workers in private sector.

61.5% of workers were employed in Yangon Region and the remaining 38.5% worked in the other States and Regions. People are working in private sector and 96.4% share of total public and private sector employment.

7.1 EMPLOYMENT THROUGH LABOUR EXCHANGE OFFICES

FY	Yangon Region				
	Number registered	Vacancies notified	Number of submissions made for the vacancies	Persons placed	Registered live and pending at the end of the period
2016-2017 (October-September)	769,079	126,927	127,874	127,043	587,625
2017-2018 (October-September)	789,443	166,113	166,581	166,225	512,962
2018-2019 (October-March)	377,586	84,432	84,482	84,342	508,237
2018					
March	32,883	11,229	11,262	11,207	539,925
April	53,672	10,448	10,601	10,701	543,261
May	100,024	8,527	8,532	8,465	542,272
June	69,954	16,525	16,524	16,525	533,789
July	72,026	16,139	16,140	16,087	518,998
August	68,150	16,492	16,497	16,535	509,142
September	74,749	12,627	12,609	12,720	512,962
October	57,457	14,901	14,989	14,963	497,225
November	68,264	11,801	11,825	11,814	496,525
December	60,662	8,613	8,610	8,607	498,610
2019					
January	82,667	19,106	19,082	19,082	506,862
February	56,970	16,610	16,623	16,592	501,233
March	51,566	13,401	13,353	13,284	508,237

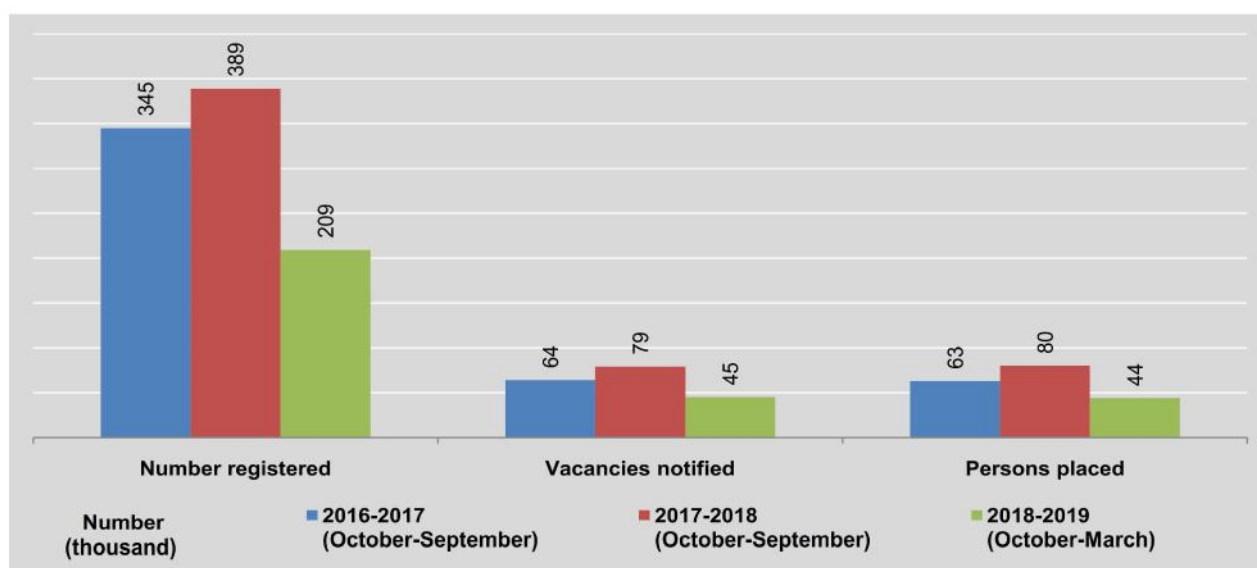
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7.1 EMPLOYMENT THROUGH LABOUR EXCHANGE OFFICE

FY	Other Regions / States				
	Number registered	Vacancies notified	Number of submissions made for the vacancies	Persons placed	Registered live and pending at the end of the period
2016-2017 (October-September)	344,629	64,481	73,708	62,792	347,254
2017-2018 (October-September)	388,926	78,938	83,256	80,266	372,107
2018-2019 (October-March)	208,779	45,278	47,881	44,358	397,897
2018					
March	21,940	3,679	3,982	3,796	339,870
April	26,425	4,392	4,759	4,849	345,158
May	40,853	5,316	5,628	4,631	358,008
June	30,297	4,972	4,865	5,135	360,281
July	29,731	6,900	7,064	7,077	358,810
August	31,843	7,467	8,201	7,655	362,484
September	36,864	8,363	8,651	8,363	372,107
October	29,063	6,500	6,609	6,627	373,465
November	28,305	7,864	7,916	7,490	371,134
December	32,595	4,491	4,637	4,696	378,420
2019					
January	61,046	8,578	8,722	8,372	404,161
February	29,314	8,661	10,400	8,859	400,480
March	28,456	9,184	9,597	8,314	397,897

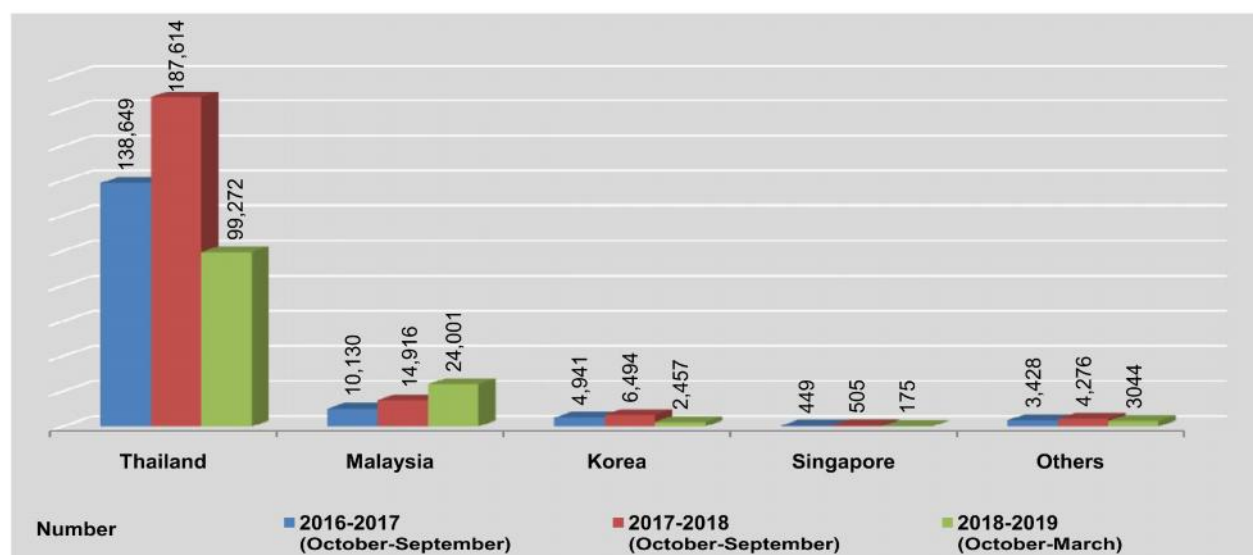
Source: Department of Labour.



7.2 OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT

FY	Total Overseas Workers	Placement of Workers for Overseas employment									
		Thai	Malaysia	Korea	Singapore	Japan	Qatar	UAE	Jordan	Macau	Laos
2016-2017 (October-September)	157,597	138,649	10,130	4,941	449	3,120	159	143	-	6	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	213,770	187,614	14,916	6,494	505	3,677	94	183	313	9	-
2018-2019 (October-March)	128,949	99,272	24,001	2,457	175	2,470	57	119	392	6	-
2018											
March	17,859	15,881	1,010	713	14	136	14	56	35	-	-
April	14,985	12,484	1,381	759	30	285	9	7	30	-	-
May	23,203	20,812	1,603	342	99	201	1	6	132	7	-
June	17,688	14,740	1,368	1,033	89	357	6	23	70	2	-
July	18,954	16,307	1,871	257	45	436	3	13	22	-	-
August	24,157	19,721	3,310	499	68	545	3	4	7	-	-
September	22,763	18,543	3,340	465	16	369	4	9	17	-	-
October	19,123	15,172	2,927	425	17	474	1	21	86	-	-
November	24,987	20,014	4,109	424	19	363	12	20	26	-	-
December	16,547	12,246	3,384	446	34	391	11	26	9	-	-
2019											
January	23,235	17,499	5,008	194	43	398	8	15	69	1	-
February	22,523	17,748	4,225	154	30	317	10	20	17	2	-
March	22,534	16,593	4,348	814	32	527	15	17	185	3	-

Source: Department of Labour.



7.3 PLACEMENT OF WORKERS FOR LOCAL EMPLOYMENT

March 2019

States and Regions	Placement of Workers		
	Government	Private	Total
Kachin State	4	103	107
Kayah State	7	22	29
Kayin State	1	339	340
Chin State	12	11	23
Sagaing Region	78	302	380
Taninthayi Region	15	237	252
Bago Region	76	4,021	4,097
Magway Region	32	495	527
Mandalay Region	96	947	1,043
Mon State	35	713	748
Rakhine State	32	41	73
Yangon Region	272	13,012	13,284
Shan State	41	399	440
Ayeyawady Region	33	79	112
Union Territory	34	109	143
Total	768	20,830	21,598

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CHAPTER 1 | FOREIGN TRADE

■ EXPORTS

Domestic exports: exports of national products.

All exports (i.e. Total exports): domestic exports plus re-exports from bond and other than from bond.

Exports are credited to the country of final destination or of ultimate consumption. Exports formerly recorded according to the date of shipment have, since November 1967, been recorded according to the date of completion of consignment.

Figures about exports include government and private exports on trade account. Sale of goods, whether foreign or national to all foreign trading companies are included. All data exclude exports under military accounts. Exports under diplomatic privileges have been excluded since 1966. Exports are valued at F.O.B, Free on Board (ship or other means of international transport), at port or place of dispatch in the exporting country (including export duties, internal taxes and similar charges to the extent that they remain charged on the goods and passed on to the importers).

■ FOREIGN TRADE

The major source of information in compiling foreign trade statistics is export declaration forms and import declaration forms filled-in by the respective exporters and checked by customs officials.

Starting from November 1988, when border trade was opened, exports and imports recorded at border posts were included in the total foreign trade data, in addition to trade registered in Customs declarations. From 1990 onwards, border trade assessment values are determined by Customs Department.

■ IMPORTS

All import is the sum of goods released directly from Customs wharves for domestic consumption (direct imports for consumption), presented under import and goods passed to the bonded (imports into bond).

Imports are credited to the country of primary origin or production. Imports which had formerly been recorded according to the date of payment of duty have, since November 1967, been recorded as of the date of completion of consignment.

Figures about imports include government and private imports on trade account. All data exclude imports under military accounts. Imports under diplomatic privileges have been excluded since 1966. Imports are valued at C.I.F, Cost, Insurance and Freight, ship or other means of international transport, at port or place of arrival into the country (excluding customs duty and other import charges).

CHAPTER 2 | PRODUCTION

■ PETROLEUM COKE

Since 1995-96 data are expressed in Metric Tons.

CHAPTER 3 | PRICES

■ CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND RATE OF INFLATION

Consumer Price Index measures the average change in the retail prices of goods and services purchased and consumed by the households. The weights are based on 2012 Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) conducted by the Central Statistical Organization (CSO).

According to COICOP Classification, weights and composition are grouped into twelve major categories of goods and services in 2012 base. For computing, the respective CPI groups are selected on the basis of their importance and representativeness. The computation of 2012 base CPI is based on 274 commodities which are commonly used by most of the households.

■ RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

The Central Statistical Organization collects retail prices of about 274 items of selected commodities for computation of Monthly Consumer Price Index at Union, 14 States and Regions, and union territory and 3 major cities of Yangon, Mandalay and Naypyitaw.

The commodities prices are collected from 82 townships from States and Regions in the entire country. The collected prices are sent to CSO Head Office every month.

■ SPOT PRICE OF GOLD

The spot price of gold obtained from gold dealer.

CHAPTER 4 | FINANCE

■ DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES

Domestic Interest Rates include central bank rate, interest on treasury bills and bonds, deposit rates and lending rates.

■ FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Starting from 2012-2013, managed the floating foreign exchange rate is used. Starting from 1st April 2013, the daily reference foreign exchange rates are obtained from Central Bank of Myanmar. The daily reference rate for the last day of the month is used for valuation.

■ MONEY SUPPLY

Money supply is the aggregates money within an economic system in a given period.

Money supply is classified as M1, M2 and M3, according to the type and size of the account in which the instrument is kept.

Money supply (M1) or narrow money consists of currency outside depository corporations and transferable deposits.

$$M1 = \text{currency outside depository corporations} + \text{Transferable Deposits}$$

Money supply (M2) or broad money covers M1 and other (or nontransferable) deposits which include savings certificates, saving deposits, time deposits and other types of deposits.

$$M2 = M1 + \text{Other (or nontransferable) Deposits}$$

Net Foreign Assets (NFA) : Net foreign assets (NFA) are the net amount between claims on nonresidents and liabilities to nonresidents of depository corporations which covers central bank and banks.

$$\text{Net Foreign Assets (NFA)} = \text{Claims on Nonresidents} - \text{Liabilities to Nonresidents}$$

Domestic Credit (DC) : Domestic Credit comprises net claims on central government and claims on other sectors.

$$\text{Domestic Credit (DC)} = \text{Net Claims on Central Government} + \text{Claims on Other Sectors}$$

Net Claims on Central Government : Net claims on Central Government shows the net basis for the Claims on Central Government less liabilities to Central Government.

$$\text{Net Claims on Central Government} = \text{Claims on Central Government} - \text{Liabilities to Central Government}$$

Claims on Other Sectors : Claims on other sectors are disaggregated into the claims on (1) state and local government, (2) public nonfinancial corporations, (3) other financial corporations and (4) private sector.

Other Items Net (OIN) : Other Items Net (OIN) refers a residual category for other liabilities less other assets. Other liabilities include all liabilities not included in broad money and other assets include nonfinancial and miscellaneous assets.

$$\text{Other Items Net (OIN)} = \text{Other Liabilities} - \text{Other Assets}$$

$$\text{Broad Money Liabilities (BML)} = \text{NFA} + \text{DC} - \text{OIN}$$

Currency in Circulation (CIC) : The central bank's liability for currency in circulation is equal to the total amount of currency issued by the central bank less the central bank's own holding of national currency.

$$\text{Currency in Circulation (CIC)} = \text{Currency issued by Central Bank} - \text{Currency holdings (vault cash) of Central Bank}$$

Monetary Base (M0) : Monetary Base or Reserve Money or Base Money or high-powered money comprises central bank's liabilities that support the expansion of broad money and credit.

$$\text{Monetary Base (M0)} = \text{Currency in Circulation (CIC)} + \text{ODC's deposit holdings at the central bank} + \text{deposit of money holding sectors at the central bank that are also included in broad money}$$

Currency Outside Depository Corporations : The currency outside depository corporations is equal to the total amount of currency issued by the central bank less currency holdings of depository corporations (central bank and other depository corporations). It is also equal to the amount of currency in circulation less currency holdings (vault cash) of other depository corporations.

$$\text{Currency issued} = \text{Currency holdings (vault cash) of Central Bank} + \text{Currency holdings (vault cash) of other depository Corporations(ODCs)} + \text{Currency Outside Depository Corporations(DCs)}$$

$$\text{Currency holdings (vault cash) of depository corporations (DCs)}$$

$$\text{Currency Outside Depository Corporations (DCs)} = \text{Currency issued by Central Bank} - \text{Currency holdings (vault cash) of depository corporations (DCs)}$$

or

$$\text{Currency Outside Depository Corporations (DCs)} = \text{Currency in Circulation (CIC)} - \text{Currency holdings (vault cash) of other depository corporations (ODCs)}$$

Transferable Deposits : Transferable deposits comprise all deposits that are exchangeable on demand at par, without penalty or restriction, and that are otherwise commonly used to directly make payments.

Other (or nontransferable) Deposits : Other (or nontransferable) deposits comprises all claims, other than transferable deposits, that are represented by evidence of deposits. It includes saving deposits, time deposits, saving certificates, and other types of deposits.

$$\text{Other (or nontransferable) Deposits} = \text{Saving Deposits} + \text{Time Deposits} + \text{Saving Certificates} + \text{Other types of Deposits}$$

PEOPLE'S SAVINGS

People's savings are savings deposits, time deposits and certificates of Savings Division at the Myanma Economic Banks and private banks, which also accept savings deposits and time deposits. Savings deposits and time deposits are accepted at all Myanma Economic Banks savings branches as well as at all private banks to promote domestic saving under the new Savings Bank Law which was enacted on 11 June 1992.

Savings certificates are issued by the state-owned banks under the new Savings Bank Law 1992, and they are currently issued in varied denominations of Kyat 1,000, Kyat 10,000, Kyat 100,000, Kyat 500,000 and Kyat 1,000,000 which will mature after completion of twelve years from the date of issue. At the option of the owner, savings certificates may be redeemed at any time after twelve months from the date of issue with accrued interest for relevant period.

REVENUE FROM TAXES

Revenue from Taxes consists of commodities and services tax, commercial tax, state lottery, stamp duties and income taxes.

TREASURY BONDS

The Central Bank of Myanmar has issued two-year treasury bonds since 1st January 2010. Three-year treasury bonds and five-year treasury bonds are issued with effect from 1st December 1993 at the Central Bank of Myanmar with a view to giving an opportunity for the public and private enterprises to save and developing a capital market.

CHAPTER 5 | INVESTMENT

MYANMAR INVESTMENT LAW

The Myanmar Investment Law was enacted on 18th October 2016, integrating Foreign Investment Law (2012) and the Myanmar Citizens Investment Law (2013) to streamline investment producers open up more sectors to investors and promote regional development.

MYANMAR CITIZEN INVESTMENT

Myanmar Citizen Investment means a Myanmar citizen who invests within the Union. In this expression, the Myanmar Investors can set up their business in the form of Myanmar companies and branch offices, and other enterprises established and registered in accordance with the Myanmar Companies Act.

FOREIGN INVESTMENT

Foreign Investment means any direct investment made by a foreign investor within the Union. In this expression, the Foreign Investors can set up their business in the form of foreign companies, branch offices and other enterprises established and registered in accordance with the Myanmar Companies Act and enterprises formed in accordance with the laws of any other country.

CHAPTER 6 | TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVEL

AIRWAYS TRANSPORT

The data include all traffic for the public sector both revenue and non-revenue, performed by the Myanmar National Airlines on scheduled services, non-scheduled services, special and charter services.

INLAND WATER TRANSPORT

Data relate to all traffic of powered vessels of the government functioning on commercial lines.

PASSENGER CAR

Cars which can accommodate a maximum of 8 passengers are classified as passenger cars. Ambulance, fire fighter, hearse, water bowser, oil bowser, pole carrier, vehicles for drilling, dump truck, concrete mixer truck and tractor head and trailer are also included.

PASSENGER-MILE

One passenger-mile corresponds to the transport of one passenger over one mile.

RAILWAY TRANSPORT

Data include the operation on all railway lines in the country except railways serving plantation, forests, mines or industrial plants. Statistics relating to diesel locomotives do not include diesel rail cars.

SHIPPING

Data exclude vessels on government duty including military, pleasure craft and fishing vessels. A ship entering or leaving Myanmar waters from or to a foreign port is counted only once, irrespective of the number of ports it enters.

Registered tonnage is the total volume of all enclosed space of vessel (gross tonnage) minus space not used for passenger or cargo.

TON-MILE

One ton-mile corresponds to the transport of one ton of freight over one mile.

TOURISM

A tourist is defined as a person travelling to and staying in places outside their usual environment for one purpose (United Nation World Tourism Organization's direction).

CHAPTER 7 | LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

EMPLOYMENT THROUGH LABOUR EXCHANGE OFFICES

Employment through Labour Exchange Offices means job-seekers who are registered at 16 Labour Exchange Offices in Yangon and 66 Labour Exchange Offices in Other States and Regions.

OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT

Department of Labour is providing services (through overseas employment licensed agencies) for overseas employment in fast and easy way and signing MoUs and Bi-lateral agreements with labour receiving countries.

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