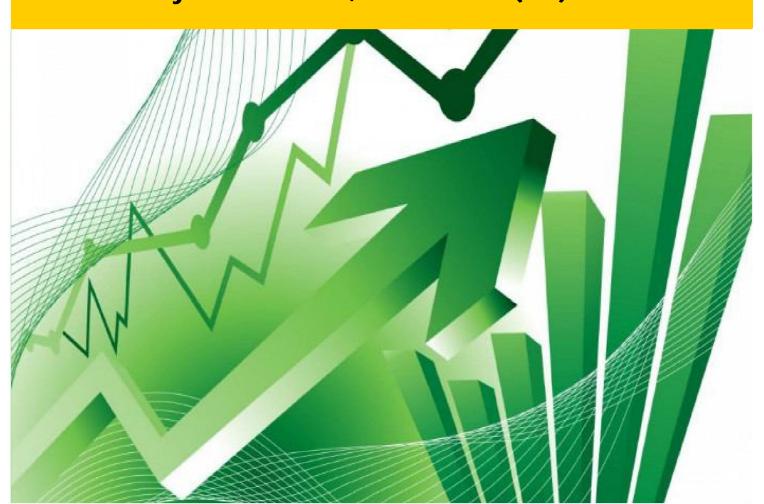


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# **FOREWORD**

This Quarterly Statistics Bulletin is the 23th edition statistical issue presenting the outcomes of Myanmar economic activities and support of sustainable economic growth. It provides estimates based on the economic indicators obtained from respective agencies and paves the way for the further improvement in the quality of estimates with respect to benchmarking and seasonal adjustment. It includes developments in GDP, production and trade sectors' performance, inflation, CPI, banking sector, exchange rates, interest rates, labour exchange and transportation and travel sector.

This publication presents quarterly indices to show up-to-date trends of output of the respective sectors and a reference to help readers to study and note the performance and characteristics of the Myanmar economy.

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We hope the Quarterly Statistics Bulletin will remain a valuable resource for monitoring of the trend of Myanmar economy, addressing issues and overcoming its development challenges. We will continue to make our best effort to improve this issue depending on data availability, and we welcome your comments and suggestions on this publication.

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# **EXECUTIVES SUMMARY**

Myanmar has achieved an average growth rate of 5.8% in the last five years after a series of major economic and political reforms. In FY 2019/2020, real GDP growth was 3.2 % because of COVID 19 pandemic. In 2019-2020, the share of Agriculture sector was 21.0%, Industry sector 38.6% and Services sector 40.4% in the GDP respectively. Over the same period, the year on year inflation was 11.39%. Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) inflow decreased 33.69% in FY 2019-2020 because of COVID-19 pandamic.

**Gross Domestic Product** (GDP)

Inflation

**Trade** 

Gross Domestic Product (GDP) estimates the economic activities of the three main sectors, Agriculture sector, Industry sector and Services sector. The quarterly percentage changed in the fourth quarter of FY 2018-2019 was happened 15.3% over the fourth quarter of FY 2017-2018. The progress was due to the changed in the three main economic sectors, 4.0% in the Agriculture sector, 26.9% in the Industry sector and 12.7% in the Services sector respectively.

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) increases by 4.80% in the first quarter of FY 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of FY 2020-2021. Compared with the same period last fiscal year, CPI increased by 6.83%.

In the first quarter of FY 2021-2022, the average rate of inflation was 11.39%. This was an increase in the average rate (4.56 percentage points) compared with the fourth quarter of FY 2020-2021.

Myanmar is currently trading goods with over 100 countries. The merchandise trade statistics show that the trade balance had a surplus of \$ 245.5 million in the first quarter of 2021-2022; moreover, it had a surplus of \$ 125.9 million in the same quarter of the previous.

Exports, a crucial component of a country's economy, were decreased by 6.1% from \$ 4,037.9 million in the first quarter of last year to \$ 3,793.6 million in the first quarter of 2021-2022. Across the seven major export categories, the largest increase was forest products 24.9%, and manufactured products 7.6%. However, the export of mineral products, agricultural products, marine products and animal products were declined by 6.8%, 19.8%, 48.8%, and 85.4% over the same period of 2020-2021.

The total import in the first quarter of 2021-2022 was \$ 3,548.1 million, a decrease of 9.3% from \$ 3,912.0 million

International Currency Exchange

**Custom Duties and Revenue from Taxes** 

Myanmar Citizen and Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise by Sector

Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise by Country

Myanmar Citizen and Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise by State and Region

Amount of Foreign Investment Inflows by Sector

Amount of Foreign Investment Inflows by Country at the same time last year. Changes in total imports can be broken down into three importing categories: capital goods, intermediate goods and consumer goods. Over the same period, the import of intermediate goods increased by 16.2%, consumer goods increased by 4.7% and capital goods decreased by 50.8% from the first quarter of 2020-2021.

In the first quarter of FY 2021-2022, the performance of the US dollar against the Myanmar kyat was 33.8 % stronger over the same period of FY 2020-2021. Similarly, other currencies performed stronger against the kyat including the Thai Baht 20.4%, the Singapore Dollar 31.0%, and the Euro 23.4%.

In the first quarter of FY 2021-2022, customs duties increased by 16.77 % compared with the same period of last year. Revenue from taxes increased by 17.74% compared with the same period of last year.

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the total investment by Myanmar Citizen was increased by 25.90% compared with the same period of last year. Because of the increasing in Construction sector, it contributes the majority of the increase. Foreign investment was decreased 102.93 million US\$ compare with the same period of 2020-2021. Manufacturing sector was mostly contributed by 35.16% in total investment of this quarter.

China, Singapore and the Republic of Korea were the top foreign investors for Myanmar in first quarter of 2021-2022 and Singapore, China and Thailand were the top investors in same quarter of last year.

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, Naypyitaw was mostly invested in Myanmar Citizen and Yangon Region was mostly invested in Foreign Investment. Yangon Region was second and Mandalay Region was third in Myanmar Citizen Investment and Yangon Region was second and Kachin State was third in Foreign Investment.

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the sectors with the largest inflow amount of Foreign Investment were Power sector, Manufacturing sector and Agriculture sector. In the first quarter of 2020-2021, Power sector topped the list at 345.21 million US\$.

In the first quarter of 2020-2021, the countries by the largest Inflow amount of Foreign Investment were Hong Kong (SAR), Singapore and United Kingdom.

## **Production**

Meat, Fish, Milk and Egg Production

### **Transportation**

The Quarterly production statistics are mainly described and focused on the selected commodities during the years 2020-2021 and 2021-2022. In general, when comparing the first quarter of 2020-2021 and 2021-2022, It was detectable that the production of Aviation Turbine and Furnace Oil increased with the vast majority 114.66% and 162.93%, respectively. Likewise the production of Cotton Yarn and Salt were increased by 96.54% and 67.28%. However, the production of Alcohol and Cigarettes dropped to nearly three fifths in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the same period of last year.

The production of meat includes Beef, Mutton, Pork, Chicken and Duck. Fish includes both products of marine water fisheries and fresh water fisheries. Egg includes chicken eggs and duck eggs. These data consists of private sector.

There are four main modes of domestic public transport: railways, road transport, inland water transport and airways.

The number of registered motor vehicles decreased by 1% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared to the same quarter of 2020-2021. The number of registered motorcycles decreased 226,358 registered in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared to the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

Merchant Shipping includes only coastal trade between ports in Myanmar. In the first quarter of 2021-2022, coastal shipping decreased with vessel entries decreasing by 14% and tonnage decreasing by 10% compared with a year ago.

The first quarter of 2021-2022 is sharply decreased due to the impact of Covid-19 since April 2020.

# **Standard Symbols Used**

The following symbols are used in this publication:

С	Corrected
FY	Fiscal Year (Oct.1 – Sep.30)
n.a	Not available
р	Provisional
p.a	Provisional actual
R	Revised
-	Nil or negligible
#	Less than half the unit employed
Q1	October 1– December 31

# GDP & Prices

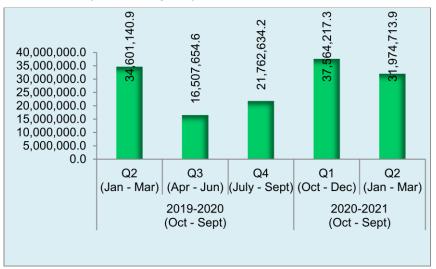


# **GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT & PRICES**

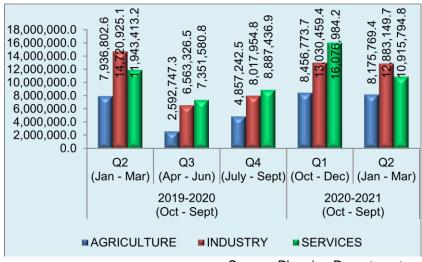
1.1 Gross Domestic
Product (GDP)
(Current Producers'
Prices)

In Myanmar, GDP comprises production from the three main sectors of Agriculture, Industry and Services. In the second quarter of 2020-2021, the Agriculture sector represented 25.57%, the Industry sector at 40.29% and the Services sector at 34.14% of GDP respectively.

Chart 1.1 Gross Domestic Product (GDP)
(Million Kyats)



Source: Planning Department.



Source: Planning Department.

**Table 1.1** Gross Domestic Product (GDP) (Current Producers' Prices) (Million Kyats)

F.Y	2019-2020 (Oct - Sept)			2020-2021 (Oct - Sept)		
	Q2 (Jan - Mar)	Q3 (Apr - Jun)	Q4 (July - Sept)	Q1 (Oct - Dec)	Q2 (Jan - Mar)	
GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT	34,601,140.9	16,507,654.6	21,762,634.2	37,564,217.3	31,974,713.9	
(1) AGRICULTURE	7,936,802.6	2,592,747.3	4,857,242.5	8,456,773.7	8,175,769.4	
Agriculture	5,610,478.6	740,419.1	2,852,307.4	5,771,043.6	5,691,293.5	
Livestock and Fisheries	2,293,913.6	1,834,317.2	1,983,174.2	2,673,758.6	2,461,475.2	
Forestry	32,410.4	18,011.0	21,760.9	11,971.5	23,000.7	
(2) INDUSTRY	14,720,925.1	6,563,326.5	8,017,954.8	13,030,459.4	12,883,149.7	
Energy	1,172,076.4	997,475.7	837,412.4	823,722.2	767,861.4	
Mining	337,714.9	251,516.9	248,410.9	276,799.1	224,687.2	
Processing and Manufacturing	10,364,409.2	3,667,999.4	4,555,755.5	9,654,650.9	9,565,470.5	
Electric Power	463,875.6	492,187.4	478,527.9	460,198.7	449,187.1	
Construction	2,382,849.0	1,154,147.1	1,897,848.1	1,815,088.5	1,875,943.5	
(3) SERVICES	11,943,413.2	7,351,580.8	8,887,436.9	16,076,984.2	10,915,794.8	
Transportation	3,407,453.3	1,981,610.1	2,537,834.0	3,225,598.5	2,883,834.1	
Communications	596,260.8	679,778.9	536,986.1	485,054.9	621,544.5	
Financial Institutions	114,457.3	87,602.6	109,810.3	88,861.3	74,781.2	
Social and Administrative Services	888,857.7	905,948.2	920,969.5	914,871.6	883,224.2	
Rental and Other Services	947,854.5	789,043.5	823,221.7	962,440.7	854,375.0	
Trade	5,988,529.6	2,907,597.5	3,958,615.6	10,400,157.2	5,598,035.8	

Source: Planning Department.

# 1.2 Consumer Price Index and Rate of Inflation

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) measures the average change in the retail prices of goods and services purchased and consumed by households. The weighting is based on 2012 Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) conducted by the Central Statistical Organization (CSO). According to COICOP Classification, weighting and description, goods and services are grouped into twelve major categories in the 2012 base. For computing the CPI, the respective CPI groups are selected on the basis of their importance and representativeness. The computation of the 2012 CPI is based on 274 commodities which are commonly used by most of the households.

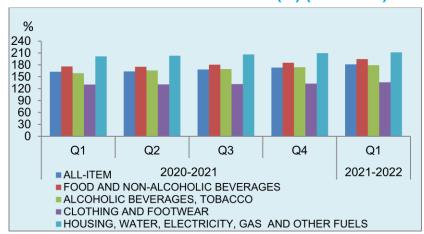
### 1.2.1 Quarterly Change

In the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021; According to 2012 Base, the Consumer Price Index (CPI) in Myanmar increased to 181.48 Index Points from 162.92 Index Points. Year on Year the Inflation Rate was 11.39 for the first quarter of 2020-2021.

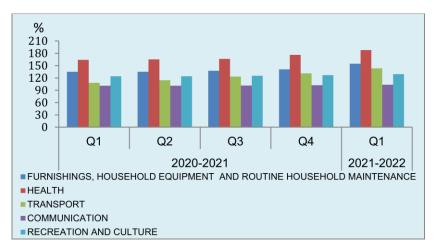
We found that basic food prices increased in the first quarter of 2021-2022. The gold price also increased in this quarter.

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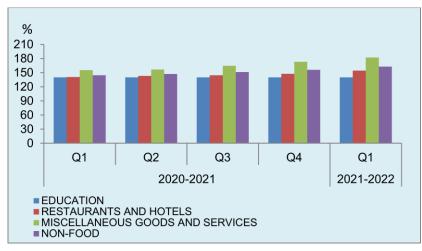
**Chart 1.2.1: Consumer Price Index (%) (2012=100)** 



Source: Central Statistical Organization.



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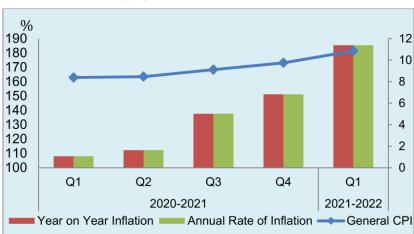


**Table 1.2.1 Consumer Price Index and Rate of Inflation (2012 = 100)** 

Croup			2021-2022		
Group	Q1	Q2	Q3 (r)	Q4	Q1
ALL-ITEM	162.92	163.52	168.41	173.18	181.48
FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	175.95	175.21	180.65	185.44	194.69
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO	158.94	165.80	169.57	174.12	179.21
CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	130.51	130.60	131.53	132.76	136.04
HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	201.67	202.95	206.34	209.63	211.79
FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD MAINTENANCE	134.94	135.18	137.22	141.07	154.67
HEALTH	164.13	165.02	166.26	176.26	187.73
TRANSPORT	108.27	114.18	123.26	131.03	143.27
COMMUNICATION	101.17	101.15	101.38	102.02	103.32
RECREATION AND CULTURE	124.09	124.14	125.14	126.83	129.38
EDUCATION	140.04	140.04	140.04	140.04	140.04
RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS	140.61	142.95	144.40	147.62	154.20
MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	155.29	156.87	164.68	173.17	182.22
NON-FOOD	144.58	147.07	151.19	155.92	162.89
INFLATION(Y-o-Y)	1.08	1.63	5.02	6.83	11.39

Source: Central Statistical Organization.

Chart 1.2.2: Consumer Price Index and Rate of Inflation



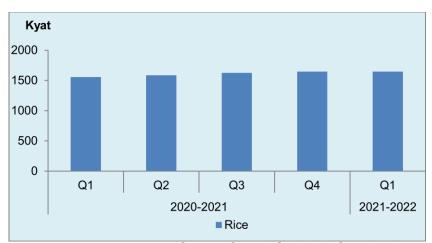
Source: Central Statistical Organization.

Table 1.2.2 Consumer Price Index and Rate of Inflation

Group –		2020-2021				
	Q1	Q2	Q3 (r)	Q4	Q1	
General CPI	162.92	163.52	168.41	173.18	181.48	
Year on Year Inflation	1.08	1.63	5.02	6.83	11.39	
Annual Rate of Inflation	1.07	1.63	5.02	6.83	11.39	

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**Chart 1.3.1: Retail Price of Selected Commodities** 



Source: Central Statistical Organization.

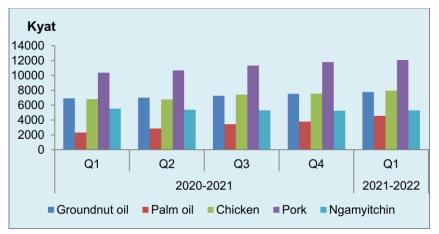


Table 1.3.1 Retail Price of Selected Commodities (Value = Kyat)

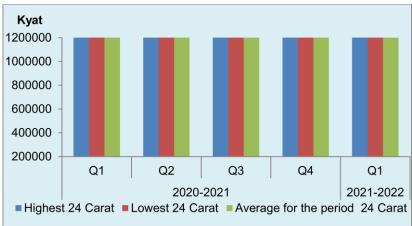
Commodity	Linit	Unit					
Commodity	Offic	Q1	Q2	Q3 (r)	Q4	Q1	
Rice	Pyi	1,556.32	1,585.02	1,624.00	1,646.38	1,647.47	
Snake Head Fish(Ngayan)	Viss	9,588.94	9,084.92	9,301.51	9,953.94	9,758.79	
Catfish(Ngakhu)	Viss	10,000.53	8,858.47	9,429.59	10,232.62	9,986.63	
Ngagyi	Viss	11,589.01	10,315.38	10,742.49	11,690.11	11,382.42	
Hilsa (Ngatha-lauk)	Viss	11,846.41	10,451.63	10,847.06	11,331.37	12,092.16	
Ngamyit-chin	Viss	5,541.09	5,379.71	5,286.96	5,252.46	5,304.35	
Prawn(Pazun-doke)	Viss	18,269.18	18,217.76	18,250.42	18,209.38	18,594.64	
Shrimp(Pazun-kyawt)	Viss	10,910.77	10,950.94	11,267.01	11,336.07	11,578.97	
Snake Head Fish(Ngayan) dried	Viss	34,243.38	33,805.58	34,017.38	34,922.81	35,583.89	
Ngakumshut dried	Viss	19,953.90	19,723.40	20,005.32	20,159.57	20,354.61	
Prawn dried	Viss	34,950.00	34,800.00	35,149.31	35,794.44	36,179.86	
Fish Ngapi(Ngapi yegyo)	Viss	3,541.30	3,543.48	3,588.84	3,649.57	3,724.20	
Hmyin Ngapi(Ngapi-seinza) (2nd. quality)	Viss	4,164.87	4,175.49	4,243.30	4,322.39	4,478.59	
Goat(Mutton)	Viss	23,174.77	23,124.31	23,005.52	23,064.46	22,847.15	
Beef	Viss	14,592.75	14,588.89	14,669.14	14,822.52	14,854.17	
Pork	Viss	10,364.21	10,664.55	11,312.26	11,800.59	12,071.35	
Chicken	Viss	6,813.63	6,755.64	7,417.47	7,548.45	7,948.82	
Chicken eggs	(10.Nos)	1,220.06	1,195.12	1,230.04	1,454.39	1,397.08	
Duck eggs	(10.Nos)	1,684.80	1,633.40	1,658.89	1,753.71	1,772.48	
Groundnut Oil	Viss	6,916.73	7,007.59	7,258.60	7,527.88	7,781.49	
Palm Oil	Viss	2,305.04	2,852.51	3,437.36	3,781.13	4,550.68	

Table 1.3.1 Retail Price of Selected Commodities (Value = Kyat)

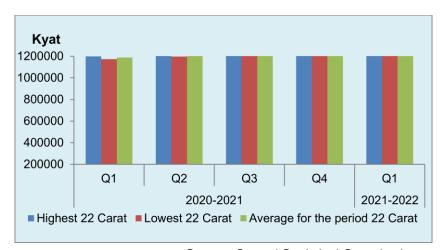
Commodity	Unit -	it2		-2021	2021-2022	
Continualty	Orlit -	Q1	Q2	Q3 (r)	Q4	Q1
Gram(split)	Viss	2,379.07	2,416.43	2,415.51	2,843.61	3,180.86
Pegyi(whole)	Viss	3,095.59	3,090.69	3,105.88	3,326.47	3,754.90
Penilay(whole)	Viss	4,781.94	4,838.74	4,877.99	5,058.74	5,371.04
Sadawpe(lonethay)	Viss	2,452.15	2,380.76	2,427.16	2,659.39	3,261.44
Chillies(short)	Viss	11,268.84	11,251.08	11,022.09	10,947.73	11,029.78
Onion(big)	Viss	1,143.77	822.11	850.49	732.30	994.75
Garlic(single)	Viss	3,204.31	3,387.95	3,570.79	4,260.27	4,899.02
Potatoes(medium)	Viss	1,229.79	1,130.47	1,193.13	1,309.57	2,277.67
Tomatoes	Viss	1,351.99	922.15	1,332.96	1,412.89	2,046.09
Cabbage	Viss	840.85	668.10	736.03	761.34	1,004.92
Longbean	Viss	1,341.17	1,257.38	1,376.67	1,522.88	1,516.26
Betel leaves	Viss	4,895.19	6,399.66	5,983.16	5,389.35	5,329.47
Betelnut(split)	Viss	7,492.59	7,553.44	8,167.72	9,039.15	9,761.90
Cheroots	(per 100)	2,285.30	2,274.94	2,303.66	2,328.55	2,355.18
Sugar	Viss	1,259.39	1,260.34	1,397.69	1,656.33	2,039.46
Tea, Shan	Viss	7,350.73	7,379.66	7,411.75	7,430.17	7,605.20
Firewood	Viss	384.29	386.50	388.72	391.18	396.27
Charcoal	Viss	706.22	705.94	709.01	719.89	745.57
Petro	Gallon	2,706.25	3,551.48	4,433.92	5,212.88	6,182.46
Diesel	Gallon	2,820.26	3,619.74	4,382.98	5,062.32	6,017.17
Washing Soap	(Each)	241.45	241.64	256.78	280.92	327.29
Body Soap	(Each)	511.43	511.63	519.81	532.52	582.90
Tooth Paste	(Each)	727.44	727.16	747.36	780.19	863.33

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Chart 1.3.2: Spot Price of Gold at Yangon



Source: Central Statistical Organization.



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Table 1.3.2 Spot Price of Gold at Yangon (Value = Kyat per tical)

Commodity		2021-2022			
Commodity —	Q1	Q2	Q3 (r)	Q4	Q1
Highest					
24 Carat	1322000	1374333	1580000	1867000	1886667
22 Carat	1198065	1245490	1431875	1691969	1709792
Lowest					
24 Carat	1293667	1321000	1458667	1693000	1749500
22 Carat	1172387	1197155	1321917	1534281	1585484
Average for the period					
24 Carat	1311313	1348607	1514681	1746454	1814373
22 Carat	1188378	1222175	1372680	1582724	1644276

# Trade



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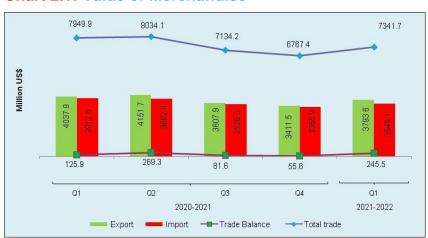
#### 2.1 Merchandise Trade

The total value of Myanmar's international merchandise trade was \$ 7,341.7 million in the first quarter of 2021-2022, an increase of 8.5% from \$ 6,767.4 million in the previous quarter. Merchandise trade also decreased by 7.7% when compared with the same quarter of the previous year.

Myanmar's economy has suffered a trade deficit since 2012-2013. However, in the first quarter of 2021-2022, the trade surplus stood at \$ 245.5 million.

The total value of exports in the first quarter of 2021-2022 was \$ 3,793.6 million, an increase of 11.2% from \$ 3,411.5 million in the previous quarter. Exports also decreased by 6.1% from \$ 4,037.9 million when compared with the same quarter of 2020-2021.

The total value of imports in the first quarter of 2021-2022 was \$ 3,548.1 million, an increase of 5.7% from \$ 3,355.9 million in the previous quarter. Imports decreased by 9.3% from \$ 3,912.0 million when compared to the same quarter of 2020-2021.



**Chart 2.1: Value of Merchandise** 

Sources: Customs Department.

Department of Electric Power Planning. Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise. Oil and Gas Planning Department. Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise. Myanmar National Airlines. Myanmar Airways International.

Table. 2.1 Value of Merchandise Trade (Value = Million US\$)

		2021-2022			
_	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Total trade	7,949.9	8,034.1	7,134.2	6,767.4	7,341.7
Trade Balance	125.9	269.3	81.6	55.6	245.5
Export	4,037.9	4,151.7	3,607.9	3,411.5	3,793.6
Domestics export	2,827.5	3,031.4	2,376.8	1,859.3	2,387.7
All export	4,037.9	4,151.7	3,607.9	3,411.5	3,793.6
All export by type					
Normal	2,154.1	1,841.4	2,094.0	2,354.8	2,604.3
Border	1,883.8	2,310.3	1,513.9	1,056.7	1,189.3
All export by Sector					
Government	877.0	754.2	886.7	867.7	832.3
Private	3,160.9	3,397.5	2,721.2	2,543.8	2,961.3
Import	3,912.0	3,882.4	3,526.3	3,355.9	3,548.1
General imports	3,399.5	3,016.9	2,878.3	2,889.5	2,974.9
All Import	3,912.0	3,882.4	3,526.3	3,355.9	3,548.1
All import by type					
Normal	3,140.0	3,153.5	2,888.8	2,831.8	3,066.7
Border	772.0	728.9	637.5	524.1	481.4
All import by Sector					
Government	132.9	460.6	305.7	67.4	64.3
Private	3,779.1	3,421.8	3,220.6	3,288.5	3,483.8

Include border trade

Sources:

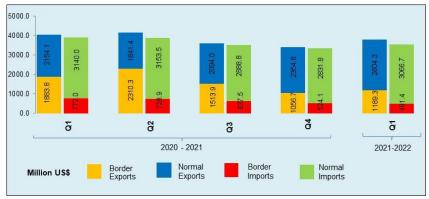
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# 2.1.1 Trade by Type

Myanmar has strengthened its merchandise trade relations with normal and border countries. The border countries of Myanmar are Bangladesh, China, India, Thailand, and Laos. In the first quarter of 2021-2022, normal exports increased by 20.9% and border exports decreased by 36.9% and normal imports decreased by 2.3% and border imports decreased by 37.6%, compared to the same quarter of the previous year.

**Chart 2.1.1: Normal and Border Trade** 



Sources: Customs Department

Department of Electric Power Planning. Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise. Oil and Gas Planning Department. Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise. Myanmar National Airlines. Myanmar Airways International.

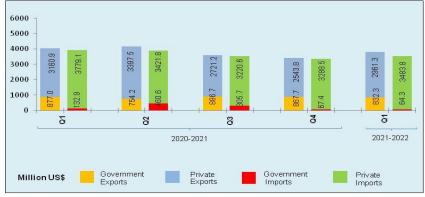
Note: Normal refers to all trade by sea and air.

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### 2.1.2 Trade by Sector

Myanmar merchandise trade has two main sectors: the government and private sectors. In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the exports of the government sector decreased by 5.1% and imports of the government sector decreased by 51.6% when compared to the same quarter of the previous year. Over the same period, there was a decrease in private exports 6.3% and a decrease in private imports 7.8%.

**Chart 2.1.2: Trade by Sector** 



Sources:

Customs Department.

Department of Electric Power Planning. Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise. Oil and Gas Planning Department. Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise. Myanmar National Airlines. Myanmar Airways International.

#### 2.2 Direction of Trade

Myanmar is a member of the World Trade Organization and its main trading partner groups are Asia, Europe, America, Central East Asia, Africa and others. The largest share of trade with Myanmar was with Asia at 81.1%, followed by Europe at 13.3%. All the other regional groups had relatively small shares of trade (3.9% or less). Myanmar's largest bilateral trading partners are all in the Asia region are China, Thailand, Singapore, Malaysia and India.

Table. 2.2 Direction of Trade (Value = Million US\$)

(Value =	Willion COW)				
		202	20-2021		2021-2022
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Trade Volume	7,949.9	8,034.1	7,134.2	6,767.4	7,341.7
Trade Balance	125.9	269.3	81.6	55.6	245.5
Export	4,037.9	4,151.7	3,607.9	3,411.5	3,793.6
Asia	3,118.2	3,386.5	2,787.8	2,410.2	2,688.5
Europe	647.9	542.7	630.8	770.0	822.7
America	204.9	184.2	151.5	164.1	178.7
Central East Asia	40.5	24.4	24.8	49.0	38.0
Africa	16.7	4.9	3.2	10.0	52.8
Other	9.7	9.0	9.8	8.1	12.9
Import	3,912.0	3,882.4	3,526.3	3,355.9	3,548.1
Asia	3,479.3	3,462.8	3,172.1	2,980.4	3,166.6
Europe	146.6	136.3	151.0	134.6	154.8
America	143.5	110.7	109.0	101.2	107.5
Central East Asia	106.2	119.4	53.9	86.4	64.1
Africa	4.4	1.5	2.3	6.3	4.6
Other	32.0	51.7	38.0	47.0	50.5
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Include border trade

Sources: Customs Department.

Department of Electric Power Planning. Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise. Oil and Gas Planning Department. Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise. Myanmar National Airlines. Myanmar Airways International.

# 2.3 Destination of Exports

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the largest share of exports from Myanmar was Asia at 71.9%, followed by Europe at 21.7%. All the other regional groups had relatively small shares of exports from Myanmar (4.7% or less). China, Thailand, India, Japan, and United States are the top five destinations for Myanmar's exports in the first quarter of this year.

China was the largest export destination with 24.5% of total exports. Myanmar's exports to China decreased by 44.1% when compared with the same quarter of the previous year from \$ 1,667.09 million to \$ 931.29 million. This decrease was mainly due to fall in the exports of rice, base metal, ores, garment, fish and fished product, raw rubber, and maize.

Thailand was the second largest export destination with 22.1% of total exports. The value of exports to Thailand has increased by 32.5% when compared with the same quarter of the previous year from \$ 633.61 million to \$ 839.80 million. This growth was mainly due to increase in the export of gas, garment, sesame seeds, raw rubber and matpe.

Myanmar's exports to India decreased by 6.7% from \$ 230.68 million to \$ 215.25 million. This decline was mainly due to decrease in the exports of pesingon, hardwood conversion and base metal, ores.

Myanmar's exports to Japan decreased by 15.4% from \$235.87 million to \$199.47 million. This decrease was mainly due to fall in the exports of garment, raw rubber, green mung bean and matpe.

Myanmar's exports to United States decreased by 15.0% from \$ 183.26 million to \$ 155.75 million. This decrease was mainly due to fall in the exports of fish and fished product, matpe and pesingon.



**Chart 2.3: Destination of Exports** 

Sources:

Customs Department.
Department of Electric Power Planning.
Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.
Oil and Gas Planning Department.

Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise.

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Table. 2.3 Export by major Trading Country/Region (Value = Million US\$)

		2	2020-2021		
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Thailand	633.61	916.67	916.67	838.08	839.80
China	1,667.09	1,640.83	1,069.52	664.51	931.29
Malaysia	53.07	49.35	51.40	87.76	115.46
India	230.68	162.89	195.98	283.88	215.25
Singapore	46.96	45.25	74.69	40.50	53.10
Japan	235.87	262.52	196.57	249.24	199.47
Republic of Korea	81.41	85.83	56.90	81.62	71.57
Germany	97.31	105.62	103.02	120.30	126.72
China, Hong Kong SAR	23.52	18.73	25.43	24.80	24.92
Indonesia	29.34	45.06	28.19	22.85	19.24
United States	183.26	165.80	129.14	142.39	155.75
United Kingdom	106.06	78.96	95.76	104.62	114.12
Vietnam	53.94	82.85	44.97	40.09	56.55
United Arab Emirates	26.05	11.21	10.86	18.05	16.73
Bangladesh	16.07	14.96	65.64	17.20	27.52
Spain	114.98	88.11	59.27	149.35	127.96
Netherlands	83.89	69.07	87.60	125.62	96.90
Sweden	19.52	20.49	25.00	24.48	29.00
Saudi Arabia	8.21	6.88	8.87	20.70	11.61
Pakistan	6.56	23.75	27.95	7.10	5.43
Italy	39.25	38.83	37.82	37.13	58.49
Australia	7.29	7.29	8.16	6.55	7.26
France	29.40	21.79	15.93	19.50	23.07
Taiwan	9.44	6.55	7.45	10.57	12.00
Iran	0.20	0.19	0.08	0.20	0.10
Other countries	235.00	182.22	264.97	274.40	454.24
Total	4,037.98	4,151.70	3,607.84	3,411.49	3,793.55

Include border trade

Sources: (

Customs Department.
Department of Electric Power Planning.
Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.
Oil and Gas Planning Department.
Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise.

### **2.4** Origin of Imports

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the largest share of imports was from Asia at 91.1%, followed by Europe with 4.4%. All the other regional groups had relatively small shares of imports to Myanmar (3.0% or less). China, Singapore, Thailand, Indonesia, and Malaysia are the top five countries of origin for imports to Myanmar in the first quarter of this year.

China was the largest country of origin for imports with 27.9% of total imports. Myanmar's imports from China decreased by 30.8% when compared with the same quarter of the previous year from \$ 1,431.44 million to \$ 990.99 million with imports of non-electric machinery and transport equipment, electric machinery and apparatus, base metals and manufactures, artificial and synthetic fabrics, and plastic.

Singapore was the second largest country of origin for imports with 17.0% of total imports. Myanmar's total imports from Singapore were increased by 28.6% from \$ 468.13 million to \$ 602.00 million. This increase was mainly due to rise in the import of refined mineral oil, fertilizers, pharmaceutical products,

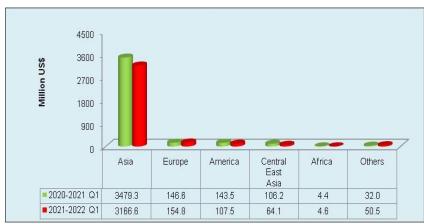
edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils, and woven and special woven fabrics.

The value of imports from Thailand increased by 17.3% when compared with the same quarter of the previous year from \$ 452.52 million to \$ 530.88 million with imports of plastic, artificial and synthetic fabrics, woven and special woven fabrics refined mineral oil, and garment fertilizers,.

Myanmar's total imports from Indonesia increased by 15.1% from \$ 271.19 million to \$ 312.15 million with imports of edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils, fertilizers, base metals and manufactures, pharmaceutical products, and scientific instrument.

Moreover, Myanmar's total imports from Malaysia increased by 28.1% from \$ 232.04 million to \$ 297.31 million with imports of base metals and manufactures, electric machinery and apparatus, non-electric machinery and transport equipment, edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils, and fertilizers.

**Chart 2.4: Origin of Imports** 



Sources:

Customs Department.
Department of Electric Power Planning.
Myanmar National Airlines.
Myanmar Airways International.

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Table.2.4 Import by major Trading Country/Region (Value = Million US\$)

		2021-2022			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Thailand	452.52	455.79	494.51	577.98	530.88
China	1,431.44	1,237.08	983.61	994.50	990.99
Malaysia	232.04	206.38	176.39	172.40	297.31
India	165.47	139.38	131.46	150.22	152.76
Singapore	468.13	871.14	802.89	462.69	602.00
Japan	117.88	70.19	83.63	80.76	65.69
Republic of Korea	144.16	89.95	65.50	77.09	71.55
Germany	35.56	35.26	33.37	32.30	35.74
China, Hong Kong SAR	2.10	0.77	0.54	0.57	0.74
Indonesia	271.19	253.71	319.97	319.64	312.15
United States	74.82	55.95	49.77	46.78	51.89
United Kingdom	10.65	5.85	12.60	7.15	7.29
Vietnam	110.52	90.64	71.62	92.78	81.54
United Arab Emirates	51.12	45.76	34.94	30.83	39.26
Bangladesh	21.36	10.78	5.50	10.38	12.08
Spain	6.18	4.83	6.90	9.06	10.66
Netherlands	5.93	6.98	6.88	8.08	3.92
Sweden	1.40	0.85	1.22	1.36	1.87
Saudi Arabia	21.11	28.97	6.88	10.09	8.80
Pakistan	4.78	3.59	2.84	5.78	5.81
Italy	15.01	11.78	8.26	14.57	11.66
Australia	21.44	40.34	30.78	33.60	36.27
France	16.58	35.17	39.84	18.91	42.29
Taiwan	35.64	25.61	24.16	24.75	27.16
Iran	3.05	1.70	2.47	1.50	1.54
Other countries	191.95	153.95	129.77	172.15	146.20
Total	3,912.03	3,882.40	3,526.30	3,355.92	3,548.05

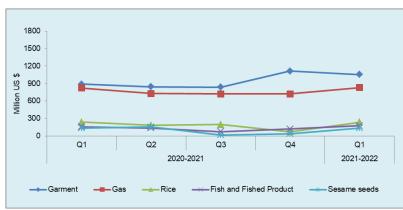
Include border trade

Sources: Customs Department.

Department of Electric Power Planning. Myanmar National Airlines. Myanmar Airways International.

# 2.5 Export by Principal Commodities

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, garment was the largest export commodity with 27.8% of the total exports. The remaining commodities in the top four were gas, rice, fish and fished product, and sesame seeds. While garment was the most valuable exported commodity, the total value of garment exports increased by 18.6% from the same quarter of 2020-2021.



**Chart 2.5: Top 5 Export Commodities** 

Sources: Customs Department.

Department of Electric Power Planning. Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise. Oil and Gas Planning Department. Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise.

Table.2.5 Export by Principal Commodities (Value = Million US\$)

		2021-2022			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Rice	238.9	183.7	195.0	75.0	233.5
Maize	48.6	276.5	158.9	46.8	107.0
Matpe	107.3	99.8	147.2	171.6	66.0
Green mung bean	58.5	210.2	182.0	80.0	134.3
Pesingon	63.1	2.0	29.8	48.7	14.6
Gram	1.2	2.1	10.2	2.1	4.6
Other pulses	28.4	68.5	51.5	18.1	32.1
Sesame seeds	137.4	154.9	18.0	37.4	137.0
Onion	18.7	13.1	10.4	3.8	7.7
Tamarind	-	5.9	3.4	0.3	0.2
Raw rubber	123.4	162.0	96.3	75.3	106.3
Hide and skin	#	0.1	-	-	0.2
Fresh and dried Prawns	32.3	16.5	17.6	22.3	27.8
Fish and Fished Product	157.9	138.0	75.7	120.4	176.6
Crab	20.4	12.9	20.3	29.5	4.7
Teak Conversion	4.4	3.6	2.6	5.5	14.3
Hardwood Conversion	1.4	1.1	0.7	2.2	1.0
Plywood and Veneer	11.4	10.1	11.9	10.4	8.0
Base metal, ores	285.1	188.7	186.3	115.3	109.4
Gas	824.4	726.9	720.5	722.6	829.3
Jade	-	-	-	-	-
Sugar	22.9	25.5	16.5	24.1	3.9
Garment	889.7	842.6	836.5	1,113.4	1,055.1
Other commodities	962.5	1,007.0	816.6	686.7	720.0
Total	4,037.9	4,151.7	3,607.9	3,411.5	3,793.6

Include border trade

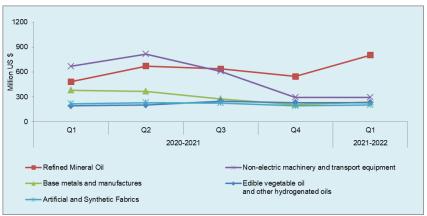
Sources: Customs Department.

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### 2.6 Import by Principal Commodities

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the top five of import commodities were refined mineral oil, non-electric machinery and transport equipment, base metals and manufactures, edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils, and artificial and synthetic fabrics. Refined mineral oil accounted for 22.7% of the total imports. While refined mineral oil was the most imported commodity, its' value increased by 66.0% from the same quarter of 2020-2021.

**Chart 2.6: Top 5 Import Commodities** 



Sources: Customs Department.
Department of Electric Power Planning.
Myanmar National Airlines.
Myanmar Airways International.

**Table.2.6 Import by Principal Commodities** (Value = Million US\$)

		2020-2021			2021-2022	
_	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	
Milk, Condensed	1.0	1.1	0.1	0.8	1.0	
Milk and evaporated	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.9	1.0	
Milk Powder	8.2	10.4	6.3	9.9	10.3	
Others Milk, food including malted milk	7.4	5.9	6.5	8.2	6.1	
Taste Powder	9.1	8.1	9.5	11.4	10.3	
Spices	3.7	0.9	1.4	0.4	0.7	
Edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils	194.0	203.3	251.4	232.8	231.3	
Pharmaceutical products	130.9	84.6	108.6	161.0	155.8	
Cement	13.8	26.7	30.0	6.9	5.9	
Dyeing tanning and colouring materials	10.7	7.9	9.6	8.7	9.6	
Chemical elements and compounds	35.0	32.1	32.5	45.7	38.9	
Fertilizers	83.2	77.6	77.3	100.4	133.7	
Scientific instrument	43.7	30.5	25.3	154.0	50.0	
Base metals and manufactures	382.2	368.9	276.9	209.8	238.1	
Non-electric machinery and transport equipment	670.0	817.2	608.8	295.2	295.1	
Electric machinery and apparatus	407.6	274.8	237.2	195.0	204.2	
Paper, paperboard and manufactures	48.3	44.9	28.8	39.0	45.6	
Rubber manufactures	25.3	19.9	23.2	25.5	23.0	
Crude Oil	-	#	#	#	0.1	
Coal and Coke	113.1	57.0	85.9	43.1	39.7	
Refined Mineral Oil	485.2	671.6	638.5	546.8	805.4	
Wheat Flour	1.6	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.7	
Tobacco and Tobacco Manufactures	13.1	6.4	9.5	11.4	6.7	
Cotton Fabric	24.7	13.9	9.7	16.6	25.5	
Artificial and Synthetic Fabrics	219.6	232.4	227.7	193.4	204.7	
Woven and Special Woven Fabrics	73.6	50.2	28.6	51.9	81.4	
Garment and laced Fabrics	27.0	17.9	19.4	24.5	25.7	
Plastic	168.4	158.1	128.8	159.6	167.8	
Other commodities	710.9	659.0	643.9	802.6	729.8	
Total	3912.0	3882.4	3526.3	3355.9	3,548.1	
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Include border trade

Sources:

Customs Department.
Department of Electric Power Planning. Myanmar National Airlines. Myanmar Airways International.

# Finance



#### **FINANCE**

## 3.1 International Currency Exchange

The official exchange rate was 1,778.0 kyat per US\$ in the first quarter of 2021-2022. The exchange rate increased year-on-year by 33.8 % compared with the same period in 2020-2021.

**Chart 3.1: International Currency Exchange** 



Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

Table 3.1 International Currency Exchange (Kyat)

F.Y —		2020-2021				
F.1 -	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	
Australian dollar	1016.70	1118.00	1214.00	1388.50	1289.90	
Canadian dollar	1038.20	1166.10	1304.10	1515.50	1388.40	
Chinese yuan	203.67	224.04	250.38	298.11	278.90	
Europe euro	1629.50	1723.70	1923.90	2236.50	2010.30	
English pound	1799.90	2019.70	2238.60	2589.20	2392.40	
Hong Kong dollar	171.44	189.01	208.36	247.44	228.00	
Indian rupee	18.13	20.03	21.74	25.96	23.90	
Japanese 100 yen	1286.30	1327.20	1464.40	1721.90	1543.70	
Malaysian ringgit	329.31	353.84	389.76	460.15	425.77	
Pakistani rupee	8.28	9.65	10.27	11.27	9.96	
Singapore dollar	1002.60	1092.10	1203.30	1415.80	1313.00	
Thai baht	44.28	46.87	50.47	56.96	53.33	
U.S dollar	1329.10	1469.30	1617.90	1927.10	1778.00	
Russian rouble	17.94	19.42	22.21	26.53	23.84	

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

#### 3.2 Customs Duties

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, customs duties decreased by 17.72 % compared with the previous quarter. When compared with the same period of last year, customs duties showed a year-on-year increase on 16.77 %.

Million Kyats 160,000 120,000 15,608.59 80,000 13,655.26 13.089.33 15,209,13 13,137.06 40,000 76,638.09 66,903.23 63,787.04 65,274.57 45,229.52 0 Q1 Q3 Q1 Q2 Q4 2020-2021 2021-2022 ■ Normal trade ■ Border trade

**Chart 3.2: Customs Duties** 

Source: Customs Department.

Table 3.2 Customs Duties (Million Kyats)

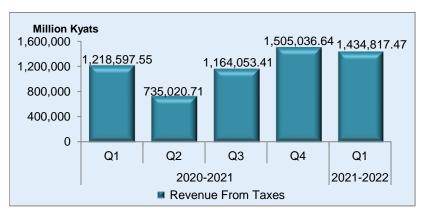
		2021-2022			
F.Y	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Customs Duties	78,996.17	58,366.58	80,558.49	78,363.90	92,246.69
Import Duty					
Normal trade	63,787.04	45,229.52	66,903.23	65,274.57	76,638.09
Border trade	15,209.13	13,137.06	13,655.26	13,089.33	15,608.59

Source: Customs Department.

#### 3.3 Revenue from Taxes

Revenue from taxes come from six major sources (1) commodities and service tax and commercial tax, (2) specific goods tax, (3) gemstones tax, (4) income tax, (5) stamp duties and (6) state lottery tax. Total Revenue from taxes has increased by 17.74 % between the first quarter of 2020-2021 and the first quarter of 2021-2022. The largest proportion of tax revenue was 45.93 % from income tax in the first quarter of 2021-2022.

**Chart 3.3: Revenue from Taxes** 



Source: Internal Revenue Department.

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**Table 3.3** Revenue from Taxes (Million Kyats)

F.Y -			2021-2022		
F.1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Revenue From Taxes	1,218,597.55	735,020.71	1,164,053.41	1,505,036.64	1,434,817.47
State-Owned Enterprises	128,458.53	60,425.80	257,311.21	387,473.82	247,971.00
Cooperative	132.71	97.97	32.36	118.04	307.82
Private	1,090,006.31	674,496.94	906,709.84	1,117,444.79	1,186,538.65
(1) Commodities and service tax and commercial tax	380,390.74	279,748.83	429,210.35	550,026.95	459,121.62
State-Owned Enterprises	39,873.89	43,481.74	85,999.60	169,058.27	94,547.55
Cooperative	6.29	2.90	16.27	0.27	6.94
Private	340,510.56	236,264.19	343,194.48	380,968.41	364,567.13
(2) Specific Goods Tax	182,497.23	137,245.60	260,223.34	240,281.02	287,914.60
State-Owned Enterprises	1,240.44	2,370.86	19,668.58	63,709.12	32,470.08
Cooperative	-	-	-	-	-
Private	181,256.79	134,874.74	240,554.77	176,571.90	255,444.88
(3) Gemstones Tax	403.15	219.47	202.36	2,366.31	726.96
State-Owned Enterprises	-	-	200.70	109.33	12.51
Cooperative	-	-	-	-	-
Private	403.15	219.47	1.66	2,256.98	714.45
(4) Income Tax	567,831.68	267,444.02	459,973.97	695,382.38	658,990.67
State-Owned Enterprises	87,344.19	14,573.20	151,442.34	154,597.09	120,940.87
Cooperative	126.42	95.07	16.09	117.77	300.88
Private	480,361.07	252,775.75	308,515.55	540,667.53	537,748.92
(5) Stamp Duties	45,190.73	18,285.62	9,136.45	11,547.47	22,077.33
Private	45,190.73	18,285.62	9,136.45	11,547.47	22,077.33
(6) State Lottery	42,284.01	32,077.17	5,306.94	5,432.51	5,985.93
Private	42,284.01	32,077.17	5,306.94	5,432.51	5,985.93

Source: Internal Revenue Department.

### 3.4 Government Securities

A government security is a bond issued by a government authority with a promise of repayment upon maturity. Government securities such as savings bonds, treasury bills and notes also promise periodic coupon or interest payments. These securities are considered low-risk, since they are backed by the taxing power of the government.

## 3.4.1 Domestic Interest Rate

The interest rate of Myanmar was 5% per annum for minimum deposit interest rate, 10% per annum for maximum lending rate for secured loans, 14.5% for unsecured loans and 7% per annum for Central Bank Rate.

## 3.4.2 Government Treasury Bonds

The Central Bank of Myanmar has issued treasury bonds to provide the opportunity for public and private enterprises to accumulate capital as well as support the developing a capital market. The Central Bank of Myanmar has issued two-year treasury bonds since 1 January 2010 and ended in November 2015. Three-year treasury bonds and Five-year treasury bonds have been issued from 1 December 1993 and Three-year treasury bonds has ended in May 2019 and Five-year treasury bonds has ended in May 2021. In the first quarter of 2021-2022 auction time, the total sales was 448,800.00 million kyats, the discharged and outstanding values were 785,260.00 million kyats and 10,503,970.00 million kyats respectively.

Table 3.4 Government Securities (Auction) (Million Kyats)

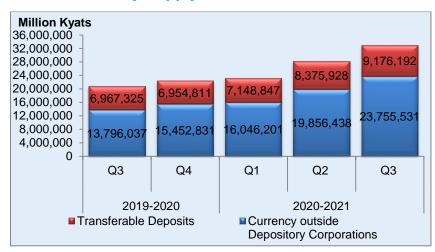
Particulars –			2020-2021				
Part	iculais –	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	
Tota	l Sales	1,484,700.00	425,290.00	533,850.00	22,300.00	448,800.00	
Disc	harged	103,000.00	-	1,006,450.00	-	785,260.00	
Outs	tanding	10,865,440.00	11,290,730.00	10,818,130.00	10,840,430.00	10,503,970.00	
Amount	Public	434,160.00	517,530.00	512,260.00	517,560.00	529,090.00	
Held by	Private Enterprises	10,431,280.00	10,773,200.00	10,305,870.00	10,322,870.00	9,974,880.00	

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

#### 3.5 Money Supply

Money supply in Myanmar reached 32,931,723 million kyats in the third quarter of 2020-2021. This was a year-on-year increase of 58.60 % compared with the third quarter of the previous year.

**Chart 3.5: Money Supply** 



Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

Table 3.5 Money Supply (Million Kyats)

	2019-	2020		2020-2021		
F.Y	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	
Total	20,763,362	22,407,642	23,195,048	28,232,366	32,931,723	
Currency outside Depository Corporations <sup>1</sup>	13,796,037	15,452,831	16,046,201	19,856,438	23,755,531	
Transferable Deposits	6,967,325	6,954,811	7,148,847	8,375,928	9,176,192	
State Owned Banks	2,194,267	1,673,095	1,795,236	2,168,150	2,498,404	
Private Banks	3,541,204	3,901,310	4,126,395	4,647,744	4,764,372	
Foreign Banks	1,231,854	1,380,406	1,227,216	1,560,034	1,913,416	

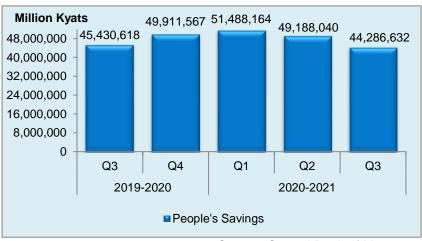
Note: <sup>1</sup> According to the Monetary and Financial Statistics Manual Currency outside Depository Corporations means Currency outside Central Bank less currency holding of other depository corporations.

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#### 3.6 People's Savings

People's Savings in Myanmar reached 44,286,632 million kyats in the third quarter of 2020-2021. This was a year-on-year decrease of 2.52% compared with the third quarter of the previous year.

**Chart 3.6: People's Savings** 



Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

Table 3.6 People's Savings (Million Kyats)

F.Y -	2019-2	021		2020-2021	
F.1 =	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3
Total	45,430,618	49,911,567	51,488,164	49,188,040	44,286,632
Savings Deposits	27,046,231	29,132,135	30,197,967	29,045,203	26,421,019
State Owned Banks	5,893,985	6,430,899	6,416,559	6,360,057	6,269,058
Private Banks	20,229,635	21,707,048	22,855,375	21,480,866	19,051,632
Foreign Banks	922,611	994,188	926,033	1,204,280	1,100,329
Savings Certificates	51,492	51,422	51,052	50,860	50,525
State Owned Banks	51,492	51,422	51,052	50,860	50,525
Private Banks	-	-	-	-	-
Foreign Banks	-	-	-	-	-
Time Deposits	13,479,356	14,570,962	15,053,922	13,894,603	11,486,156
State Owned Banks	674,305	708,077	672,958	735,925	744,561
Private Banks	11,787,050	12,948,258	13,339,284	12,363,769	10,096,664
Foreign Banks	1,018,001	914,627	1,041,680	794,909	644,931
Other Deposits	4,853,539	6,157,048	6,185,223	6,197,374	6,328,932
State Owned Banks	406,434	1,044,947	921,482	1,396,198	1,233,824
Private Banks	4,447,105	5,112,101	5,263,741	4,801,176	5,095,108
Foreign Banks	-	-	-	-	-

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

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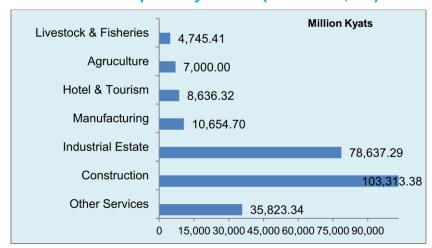


#### **INVESTMENT**

# 4.1 Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Sector

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the largest value of investment by Myanmar Citizen was Construction sector with 103,313.38 million kyats in investment and followed by Industrial Estate sector with 78,637.29 million kyats in investment.

Chart 4.1: Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Sector (2021-2022, Q1)



Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

**Table 4.1 Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Sector** (Million)

				2	020	-2021				
			Q1				C	2		
Sectors	No. of Enter- prises	US\$		Total Investment (Kyat)		No. of Enter- prises	US\$		Total Investment (Kyat)	
Agriculture	2	9.17		950.00		-	-		-	
Livestock & Fisheries	3	1.29	*	34,969.62	*	1	1.62		4,980.00	
Mining	-	-		-		-	-		-	
Manufacturing	-			-		6	496.21	*	874,160.78	*
Power	-	-		-		1	5.97		10,000.00	
Transport & Communication						2	4.92		11,481.89	
Hotel & Tourism	5	33.44		76,415.00		2	1.87		7,930.10	
Real Estate Development	1			7,500.00		2	0.74	*	14,777.58	*
Industrial Estate	14	-		34,317.91		-	-		-	
Construction	-	-		-		-	-		-	
Oil & Gas	-	-		-		-	-		-	
Other Services	5	13.69	*	43,467.06	*	4	0.10		19,024.57	
Total	30	57.59	*	197,619.59	*	18	511.43	*	942,354.92	*

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**Table 4.1 Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Sector** (Million)

			2020	0-2021				2021-20	)22
	Q3				Q4			Q1	
Sectors	No. of	US\$	Total	No. of		Total	No. of		Total
				Enter-	US\$	Investment	Enter-	US\$	Investment
				prises		(Kyat)	prises		(Kyat)
Agriculture	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	7,000.00
Livestock & Fisheries	2	-	1,913.73	-	-	-	1	-	4,745.41 *
Mining	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7.89 *	
Manufacturing	9	4.26	22,030.48	3	0.26 *	7,087.08	* -	-	10,654.70 *
Power	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Transport & Communication	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.53 *	
Hotel & Tourism	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	8,636.32
Real Estate Development	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Industrial Estate	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	38.79	78,637.29 *
Construction	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	103,313.38 *
Oil & Gas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Services	-	-	-	-	6.42 *	5,778.00	* 3	4.01	35,823.34
Total	11	4.26	23,944.21	3	6.68	12,865.08	* 20	63.22 *	248,810.44 *

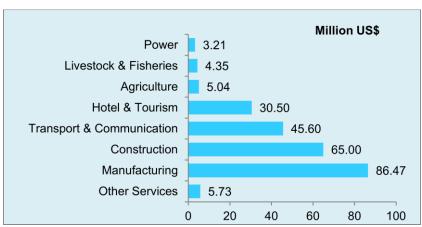
<sup>\*</sup>Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

# 4.2 Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Sector

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, 35.16% of foreign investment was in the Manufacturing sector with the amount of 86.47 million US\$ and followed by Construction sector with 65.00 million US\$.

Chart 4.2: Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Sector (2021-2022, Q1)



Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

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**Table 4.2** Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Sector (Million US\$)

				2020-	2021				20	21-2022
		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1
Sectors	No.of Enter- prises	Foreign Investment								
Agriculture	2	9.99	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5.04
Livestock & Fisheries	3	11.09	2	9.22 *	1	1.55	-	0.48 *	-	4.35 *
Mining	-	=	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oil & Gas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manufacturing	13	158.04 *	8	171.62 *	3	42.68 *	4	29.17 *	11	86.47 *
Power	2	48.06	5	627.73	2	2526.44	-	-	1	3.21
Transport & Communication	-	-	-	-	-	133.50	-	-	-	45.60 *
Hotel & Tourism	1	81.00 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	30.50 *
Real Estate Development	-	8.00 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Industrial Estate	-	-	1	28.21 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
Construction	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	65.00
Other Services	2	32.65 *	3	71.00 *	-	-	-	-	2	5.73
Total	23	348.83 *	19	907.78 -	6	2704.17 *	4	29.65 *	17	245.90 *

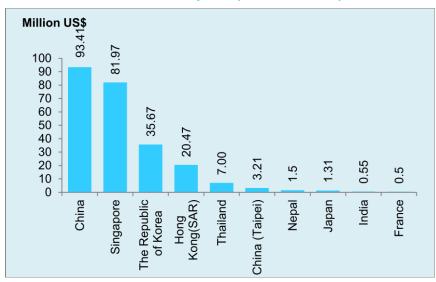
<sup>\*</sup>Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

#### 4.3 Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise by Country/Region

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, China was the top source of foreign investment with the amount of 93.41 million US\$, followed by Singapore with the amount at 81.97 million US\$.

Chart 4.3: Top Ten Countries in Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise (2021-2022, Q1)



Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

Table 4.3 Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise By Country/Region (Million US\$)

				2020-20	21				20	21-2022
	Q1		Q2			Q3		Q4		Q1
Country	No.of Enter- prises	Foreign Investment	No.of Enter- prises	Foreign Investment	No.of Enter- prises	Foreign Investme nt	No.of Enter- prises	Foreign Investment	No.of Enter- prises	Foreign Investment
Afghanistan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei Darussalam	-	1.47 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
China	8	133.53 *	3	33.23 *	2	5.43 *	2	3.65 *	8	93.41 *
Cook Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Estonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.50
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hong Kong (SAR)	2	5.16 *	3	81.88 *	-	-	1	5.00	2	20.47 *
India	1	1.21 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.55
Italy	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	-	0.30 *	3	518.46 *	-	-	-	-	-	1.31
Lebanon	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Macau (SAR)	_	-	_	-	_	_	_	-	_	_
Malaysia	_	2.10 *	_	-	_	-	_	-	_	0.31 *
New Zealand	_	-	_	-	_	_	_	-	_	-
Norway	_	-	_	-	_	-	_	-	_	-
Qatar	_	_	_	_		_	_	_	_	_
Marshall Islands		10.70 *	_		_		_	_	_	_
Samoa	_	-	_	0.50 *			_	_	_	_
Seychelles		_		0.00	_	_	_	_	_	_
Singapore	6	161.14 *	7	227.18 *	1	155.50 *	1	1.00	1	81.97 *
South Africa	-	101.14	-	221.10		-		1.00		-
Sri Lanka	-	-		-					-	
Switzerland	-		-	-	-			-	-	
Thailand	4	24.10 *	3	40.72 *	1	37.00				7.00 *
	-	0.44 *	- -	40.72		37.00	_	-	1	3.21
China (Taipei) Netherlands		0.44			_	<u> </u>			-	3.21
The Republic of Korea	1	5.00 *	-	- 5.81 *	1	1.80 *	-	20.00 *	2	35.67 *
United Kingdom**				5.81				20.00	-	30.07
United Kingdom*** United States of America	-	2.48	-	•	1	2504.44				-
	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
United Arab Emirates	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vietnam	1	1.20 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
Nepal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1.50 *
Total	23	348.83 *	19	907.78 *	6	2704.17 *	4	29.65 <sup>*</sup>	17	245.90 <sup>*</sup>

<sup>\*</sup>Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

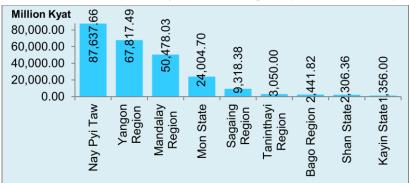
# 4.4 Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise by State & Region

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, Naypyitaw was the most invested with the amount of 87,637.66 million kyats by Myanmar Citizen. Yangon Region was second with the amount of 67,817.00 million kyats and followed by Mandalay Region with the amount of 50,478.03 million kyats.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes British Virgin Island and Bermuda Island.

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Chart 4.4: Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise By State & Region (2020-2021, Q1)



Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

**Table 4.4** Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise By State & Region (Million)

				202	20-2021			
		Q1				Q	2	
Sectors	No. of Enter- prises	US\$		Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enter- prises	US\$		Total Investment (Kyat)
Kachin State	-	-		-	-	-		-
Kayah State	3	0.03		1,850.00	-	-		-
Kayin State	1	0.41		4,500.00	-	-		-
Chin State	-	-		-	-	-		-
Sagaing Region	6	3.82	*	16,842.90	1	0.57		1,430.10
Taninthayi Region	2	0.63		32,980.00	3	1.62		13,337.58
Bago Region	-	-		-	-	-		4,998.58 *
Magway Region	<del>-</del>	_		-	2	6.42		11,541.10
Mandalay Region	4	2.69		8,456.04	2	499.52	*	866,144.87 *
Mon State	2	4.74		15,753.67	-	-		-
Rakhine State	1	-		1,215.00	-	-		-
Yangon Region	5	6.96	*	25,921.98	* 9	2.57		41,133.69
Shan State	5	38.31		82,600.00				
Ayeyawady Region	-	_		_	-	-		<del>-</del>
Nay Pyi Taw	1	-		7,500.00	1	0.74		3,769.00
Total	30	57.59	*	197,619.59	* 18	511.44	*	942,354.92 *

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 Table 4.4
 Myanmar Citizen Investment of Permitted Enterprise By State & Region (Million)

			2020	0-2021				2021-2	022
	Q3				Q4			Q1	
Sectors	No. of Enter- prises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enter- prises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enter- prises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
Kachin State	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	400.00
Kayah State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kayin State	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1,356.00
Chin State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sagaing Region	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	9,318.38
Taninthayi Region	1	-	600.08	-	0.26 *	368.00 *	2	-	3,050.00
Bago Region	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.41	2,441.82
Magway Region	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mandalay Region	-	-	-	3	-	6,719.08	-	23.71 *	50,478.03
Mon State	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	15.21 *	24,004.70
Rakhine State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yangon Region	4	0.17	9,814.32	-	6.42 *	5,778.00 *	9	13.44	67,817.49
Shan State	1	-	667.10	-	-	-	2	0.20	2,306.36
Ayeyawady Region	5	4.09	12,862.72	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nay Pyi Taw	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10.25 *	87,637.66
Total	11	4.26	23,944.21	3	6.68 *	12,865.08 *	20	63.22 *	248,810.44

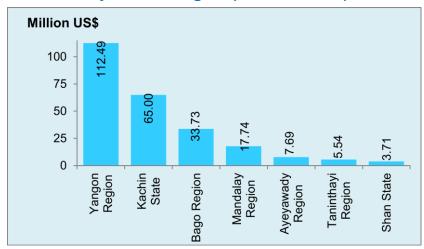
\*Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

# 4.5 Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise by State & Region

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the most of foreign investors invested in Yangon Region with total approved amount of 112.49 million US\$, followed by Kachin State and Bago Region with 65.00 million US\$ and 33.73 million US\$.

Chart 4.5: Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise By State & Region (2021-2022, Q1)



Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

Table 4.5 Foreign Investment of Permitted Enterprise By State & Region (Million US\$)

				2020	-2021				20	21-2022
		Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1
Sectors	No.of Enter- prises	Foreign Investment								
Kachin State	-	-	1	22.40	-	-	-	-	1	65.00
Kayah State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kayin State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chin State	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sagaing Region	2	48.06	2	31.69	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taninthayi Region	1	3.03 *	1	31.50	_	-	_	-	2	5.54
Bago Region	2	15.48 *	1	8.27 *	٠ 1	2.81 *	-	20.00 *	1	33.73 *
Magway Region	-	-	2	53.88	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mandalay Region	-	98.00 *	3	151.75 *	1	22.0	-	-	3	17.74
Mon State	1	1.59 *	-	-	-	-	1	1.76	-	-
Rakhine State	1	5.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yangon Region	13	167.68 *	8	589.09 *	3	173.69 *	2	6.89 *	7	112.49 *
Shan State	1	1.39	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3.71
Ayeyawady Region	2	8.60	1	19.20	1	2505.67 *	1	1.00	2	7.69
Nay Pyi Taw	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	23	348.83 *	19	907.78 *	6	2704.17 *		29.65 *	17	245.90 *

\*Including the value of increased in investment.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

#### 4.6 Amount of Foreign Investment Inflows by Sector

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, Power sector topped the list at 381.51 million US\$, followed by Manufacturing sector with amount of 205.92 million US\$, and Agriculture sector with 11.80 million US\$.

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Million US\$ Livestock & Fisheries 0.13 Real Estate Development 0.18 Hotel & Tourism 0.99 Transport & Communication 1.45 Oil & Gas 5.06 Agriculture 11.80 Manufacturing 205.92 Power 381.51 Other Services 81.60

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Chart 4.6: Amount of Foreign Investment Inflows By Sector (2021-2022, Q1)

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

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Table 4.6 Amount of Foreign Investment Inflows By Sector (Million US\$)

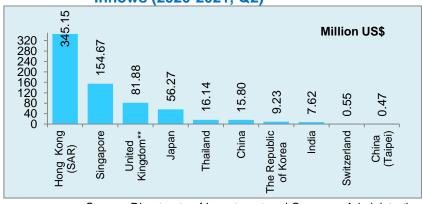
		2020-2	2021		2021-2022
Sectors -	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Sectors	Foreign	Foreign	Foreign	Foreign	Foreign
	Investment	Investment	Investment	Investment	Investment
Agriculture	-	5.27	0.84	-	11.80
Livestock & Fisheries	29.74	20.30	6.74	-	0.13
Mining	1.00	2.00	-	-	-
Oil & Gas	42.56	8.65	44.31	-	5.06
Manufacturing	91.11	68.57	36.61	28.39	205.92
Power	345.21	21.25	0.010	-	381.510
Transport & Communication	30.45	96.60	0.25	0.35	1.45
Hotel & Tourism	12.15	1.16	0.35	25.03	0.99
Real Estate Development	56.68	18.39	2.78	6.41	0.18
Industrial Estate	-	21.73	-	-	-
Construction	-	-	-	-	-
Other Services	9.55	3.06	11.54	15.18	81.60
Total	618.45	266.98	103.43	7536	688.64

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

# 4.7 Amount of Foreign Investment Inflows by Country/Region

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the top investing country was Hong Kong(SAR) with the actual amount of 345.15 million US\$ and followed by Singapore and United Kingdom with actual amount at 154.67 million US\$ and 81.88 million US\$ respectively.

Chart 4.7: Top Ten Countries in Foreign Investment Inflows (2020-2021, Q2)



Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

Table 4.7 Amount of Foreign Investment Inflows By Country/Region (Million US\$)

		2020	-2021		2021-2022
Country	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Country –	Foreign	Foreign	Foreign	Foreign	Foreign
	Investment	Investment	Investment	Investment	Investment
Austria	-	-	-	-	-
Australia	-	-	-	-	-
Brunei Darussalam	4.01	6.51	-	-	-
Bangladesh	-	24.78	-	-	-
China	32.66	-	16.59	19.26	15.80
Canada	0.03	-	-	-	-
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-
Cayman Island	-	-	29.38	-	-
France	2.80	4.90	-	-	0.20
Germany	-	-	0.04	-	-
Hong Kong (SAR)	389.95	32.16	14.31	7.96	345.15
Indonesia	0.38	0.01	-	-	-
India	0.06	2.27	0.16	-	7.62
Italy	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	7.15	-	-	-	-
Japan	13.86	2.41	1.62	1.10	56.27
Lebanon	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-
Philippines	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall Islands	4.90	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	0.56	2.57	11.24	0.03	0.44
Macau (SAR)	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	5.72	1.11	-	-	0.13
Norway	-	-	-	-	-
The Republic of Korea	5.49	26.14	2.72	1.72	9.23
Seychelles	0.50	1.51	0.06	-	0.07
Samoa	0.58	1.34	0.66	0.53	-
Singapore	109.32	137.88	19.75	41.86	154.67
Switzerland	-	-	-	-	0.55
Sri Lanka	-	-	-	-	-
Thailand	25.21	17.90	5.59	2.40	16.14
China (Taipei)	0.51	1.53	0.50	0.48	0.47
United Kingdom**	1.20	2.99	0.51	-	81.88
United States of America	0.37	-	0.15	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-
Vietnam	13.19	0.97	0.15	0.02	0.02
Total	618.45	266.98	103.43	75.36	688.64

<sup>\*\*</sup> Includes British Virgin Island and Bermuda Island.

Source: Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

# Production



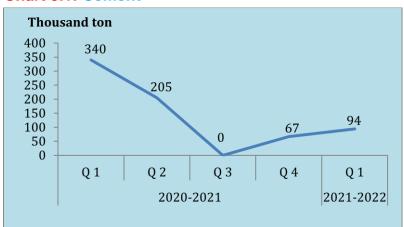
#### **PRODUCTION**

This chapter presents quarterly indices on production for various major industry manufacturing groups. Quarterly Production shows change in the volume or real output of the Industrial Sector comprising Mining and quarrying, Manufacturing, Electricity and Natural gas.

## 5.1 Cement (Joint Venture)

The Cement production decreased by 72.35% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Cement increased by 40.30% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

Chart 5.1: Cement

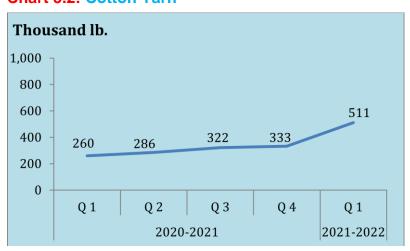


Source: No. (2) Heavy Industrial Enterprise.

5.2 Cotton Yarn (State-Owned)

The production of Cotton Yarn increased by 96.54% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Cotton Yarn increased by 53.45% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

Chart 5.2: Cotton Yarn

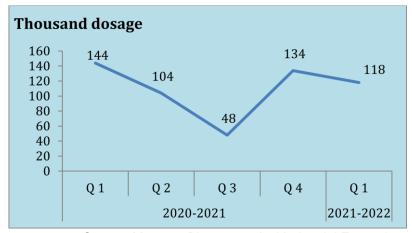


source: No. (3) Heavy Industrial Enterprise.

# 5.3 Biological Products (State-Owned)

The production of Biological Products decreased by 18.05% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Biological Products decreased by 11.94% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

**Chart 5.3: Biological Products** 

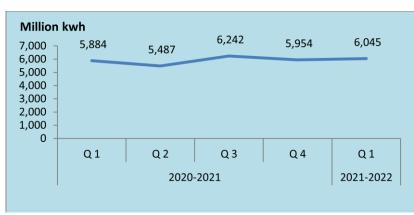


Source: Myanma Pharmaceutical Industrial Enterprise.

# 5.4 Electric Power Generation (State-Owned)

Generation of Electric Power increased by 2.74% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Generation of Electric Power increased by 1.53% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

**Chart 5.4: Electric Power Generation** 



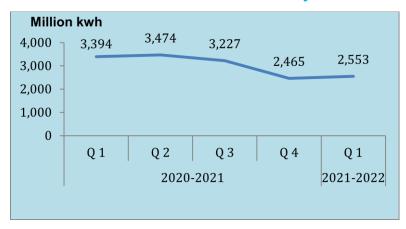
Source: Ministry of Electricity and Energy.

5.5 Electric Power
Generation by Gas
(State-Owned)

Electric Power Generation by Gas decreased by 24.78% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Electric Power Generation by Gas increased by 3.57% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

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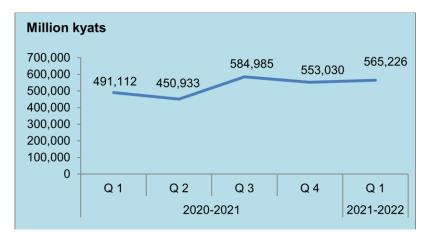
**Chart 5.5: Electric Power Generation by Gas** 



Source: Ministry of Electricity and Energy.

5.6 Sales of Electric Power- Value (State-Owned) Sales of Electric Power-Value increased by 15.09% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Sales of Electric Power-Value increased by 2.21% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

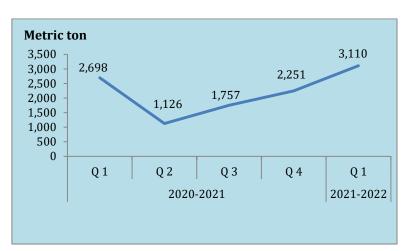
**Chart 5.6: Sales of Electric Power** 



Source: Ministry of Electricity and Energy.

5.7 Petroleum Coke (State-Owned)

The production of Petroleum Coke increased by 15.27% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The Production of Petroleum Coke increased by 38.16% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.



**Chart 5.7: Petroleum Coke** 

Source: Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.

**5.8** Liquefied Petroleum Gas (State-Owned)

Liquefied Petroleum Gas production increased by 8.91% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Liquefied Petroleum Gas production in the first quarter of 2021-2022 increased by 15.66% compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

**Chart 5.8: Liquefied Petroleum Gas** 



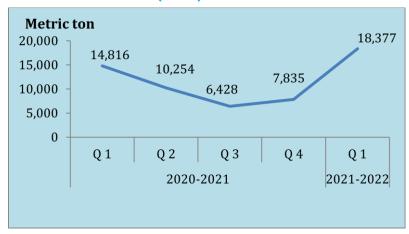
Source: Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.

5.9 Fertilizer (Urea) (State-Owned)

Fertilizer (Urea) production increased by 24.03% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Fertilizer (Urea) production increased by 134.55% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

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#### **Chart 5.9: Fertilizer (Urea)**

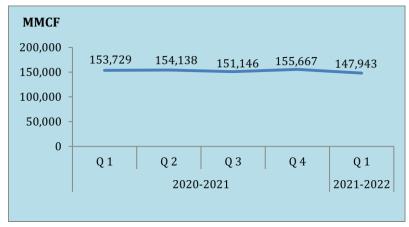


Source: Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.

5.10 Natural Gas
(State-Owned +
Joint Venture)

The production of Natural Gas decreased by 3.76% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Natural Gas decreased by 4.96% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

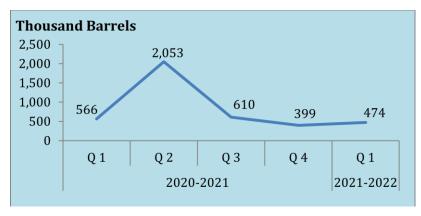
#### **Chart 5.10: Natural Gas**



Source: Oil and Gas Planning Department.

5.11 Crude Oil (State-Owned + Joint Venture) The production of Crude Oil decreased by 16.25% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Crude Oil increased by 18.80% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

#### Chart 5.11: Crude Oil



5.12 Motor Spirit (State-Owned)

Source: Oil and Gas Planning Department.

The production of Motor Spirit increased by 14.35% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Motor Spirit increased by 19.71% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

#### **Chart 5.12: Motor Spirit**



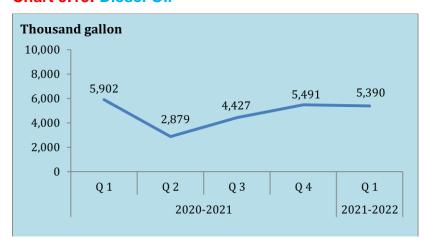
Source: Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.

5.13 Diesel Oil (State-Owned)

The production of Diesel Oil decreased by 8.67% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Diesel Oil decreased by 1.84% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

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Chart 5.13: Diesel Oil

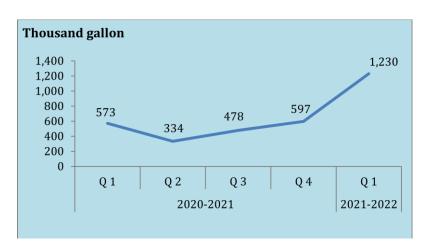


Source: Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.

5.14 Aviation Turbine (State-Owned)

Aviation Turbine production increased by 114.66% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Aviation Turbine production increased by 106.03% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

**Chart 5.14: Aviation Turbine** 

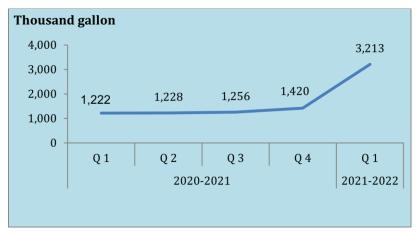


Source: Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.

5.15 Furnace Oil (State-Owned)

The production of Furnace Oil increased by 162.93% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Furnace Oil increased by 126.27% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

#### Chart 5.15: Furnace Oil

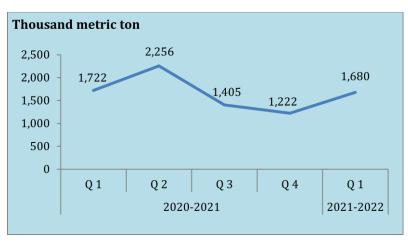


Source: Myanma Petrochemical Enterprise.

## 5.16 Limestone (State-Owned)

The production of Limestone decreased by 2.44% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Limestone increased by 37.48% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

#### **Chart 5.16: Limestone**



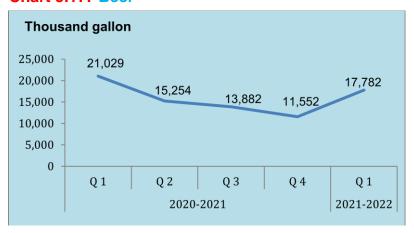
Source: No. (1) Mining Enterprise.

## 5.17 Beer (Private)

The production of Beer decreased by 15.44% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Beer increased by 53.93% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

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#### Chart 5.17: Beer

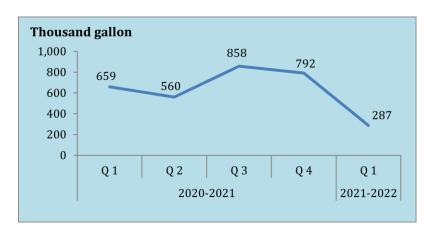


Source: Myanma Economic Holdings Public Company Limited.

5.18 Alcohol (Private)

The production of Alcohol decreased by 56.45% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Alcohol decreased by 63.76% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

Chart 5.18: Alcohol

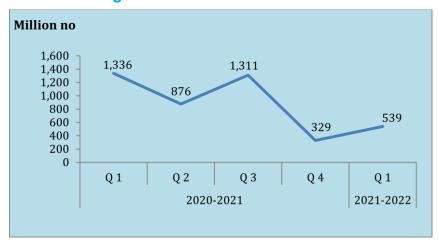


Source: Myanma Economic Holdings Public Company Limited.

5.19 Cigarettes (Private)

The production of Cigarettes decreased by 59.66% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Cigarettes increased by 63.83% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

**Chart 5.19: Cigarettes** 

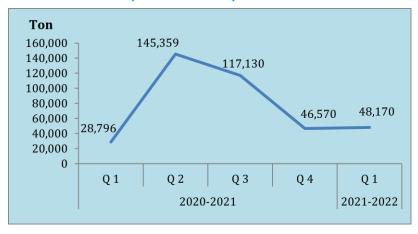


Source: Myanma Economic Holdings Public Company Limited.

5.20 Salt (Crude + Fine) (Private)

The production of Salt (Crude + Fine) increased by 67.28% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Salt (Crude + Fine) production increased by 3.44% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

Chart 5.20: Salt (Crude + Fine)



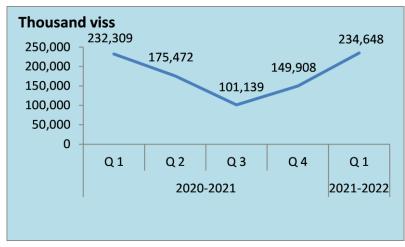
Source: Department of Mines.

5.21 Cooking Oil (Private)

The production of Cooking Oil increased by 1.01% in first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. Cooking Oil production increased by 56.53% in first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021.

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Chart 5.21: Cooking Oil

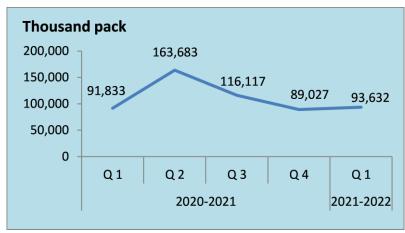


Source: Planning Department.

# 5.22 Instant Noodles (Private)

The production of Instant Noodles increased by 1.96% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021. The production of Instant Noodles increased by 5.17% in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared with the fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

**Chart 5.22: Instant Noodles** 



Source: Planning Department.

**Table5.1 Production Statistics** 

Commodity	l l'ait			2	020	-2021				2021-202	22
Commodity	Unit	Q1		Q2		Q3		Q4		Q1	
Cement	Thousand ton	340		205		0		67		94	
Cotton Yarn	Thousand lb.	260		286		322		333		511	
Biological Products	Thousand dosage	144		104		48		134		118	
Electric Power Generation	Million kwh	5,884		5,487	*	6,242	*	5,954	*	6,045	*
Electric Power Generation by Gas	Million kwh	3,394		3,474	*	3,227	*	2,465	*	2,553	*
Sales of Electric Power Value	Million kyats	491,112		450,933	*	584,985	*	553,030	*	565,226	*
Petroleum Coke	Metric ton	2,698		1,126		1,757		2,251		3,110	
Liquefied Petroleum Gas	Thousand gallon	617		668		533		581		672	
Fertilizer (Urea)	Metric ton	14,816		10,254		6,428		7,835		18,377	
Natural gas(total)	MMCF	153,729		154,138		151,146		155,667		147,943	
Crude Oil	Thousand barrels	566		2,053		610		399		474	
Motor Spirit	Thousand gallon	3,909		2,120		3,056		3,734		4,470	
Diesel Oil	Thousand gallon	5,902		2,879		4,427		5,491		5,390	
Aviation Turbine	Thousand gallon	573		334		478		597		1,230	
Furnace Oil	Thousand gallon	1,222		1,228		1,256		1,420		3,213	
Limestone	Thousand metric ton	1,722		2,256		1,405		1,222		1,680	
Beer	Thousand gallon	21,029		15,254		13,882		11,552		17,782	
Alcohol	Thousand gallon	659		560		858		792	r	287	
Cigarettes	Million number	1,336		876		1,311		329		539	
Salt (Crude)	Ton	-		95,644		66,130		-		-	
Salt (Fine)	Ton	28,796		49,715		51,000		46,570		48,170	
Salt (total)	Ton	28,796		145,359		117,130		46,570		48,170	
Cooking Oil	Thousand viss	232,309	*	175,472	*	101,139	*	149,908		234,648	*
Instant Noodles	Thousand pack	91,833	*	163,683	*	116,117	*	89,027		93,632	*

<sup>\*</sup> provisional

Sources: No. (2) Heavy Industries Enterprise.

No. (3) Heavy Industries Enterprise. Myanma Pharmaceutical Industrial Enterprise.

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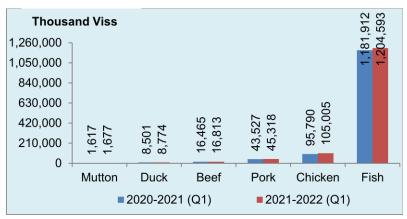
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# 5.23 Meat, Fish, Milk and Egg Production

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the production of fish increased by 39.99%, in comparison to the fourth quarter of 2020-2021, to stand at 1,204,593 thousand viss. Fish is the largest meat by total production, accounting for 87.15% of all meat production. In contrast, for this same period, there were increases in the production of chicken (9.94%), beef (4.56%), mutton (4.23%), duck (3.44%) and pork (2.94%). Similarly, there were increases in the production of eggs (14.75%) and milk (3.35%) in the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared to fourth quarter of 2020-2021.

For the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared to the first quarter of 2020-2021, there was an increase in the production of chicken (9.62%), pork (4.11%), mutton(3.71%), duck (3.21%), beef (2.11%) and fish (1.92%) and over the same year, the production of eggs and milk increased by (12.66%) and (1.65%).

Chart 5.23: Production of Beef, Mutton, Pork, Duck Chicken and Fish (2021-2022, Q1)



Sources: (1) Livestock Breeding and Veterinary Department. (2) Department of Fisheries.

Table 5.2 Meat, Fish, Milk and Egg Production (Value = thousand viss)

Particular -		2021-2022			
Faiticulai -	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Beef	16,465	16,497	16,844	16,080	16,813
Mutton	1,617	1,622	1,622	1,609	1,677
Pork	43,527	41,636	45,063	44,025	45,318
Chicken	95,790	95,022	97,310	95,511	105,005
Duck	8,501	8,268	8,764	8,482	8,774
Fish	1,181,912	1,006,940	650,485	860,485	1,204,593
Milk	320,543	323,287	316,449	315,260	325,831
Eggs(thou.No)	626,944	629,137	619,413	615,547	706,335

Sources: (1) Livestock Breeding and Veterinary Department. (2) Department of Fisheries.

# Transportation & Tourism



### TRANSPORTATION AND TOURISM

### 6.1 Domestic Public Transport

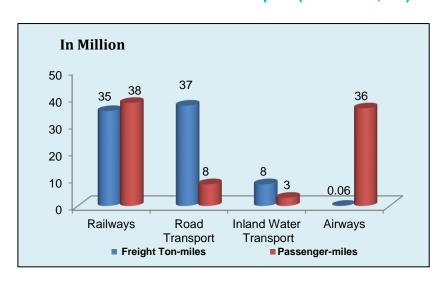
There are four main modes of domestic public transport: railways, road transport, inland water transport and airways. The year-on-year changes in the use of public transport for the first quarter of 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 were:

- railways transport decreased by 70% for freight tonmiles and increased by 192% for passenger-miles,
- road transport decreased by 22% for freight ton-miles and decreased by 39% for passenger -miles,
- inland water transport decreased by 33% for freight ton-miles and increased by 46% for passenger-miles,
- airways transport increased by 455% for freight tonmiles and 1,927% for passenger-miles.

When comparing the fourth quarter of 2020-2021 and the first quarter of 2021-2022, the changes in public transport use were:

- railways transport increased by 57% for freight tonmiles and 454% for passenger-miles,
- road transport increased by 24.4% for freight ton-miles and decreased by 5% for passenger-miles,
- inland water transport decreased by 25.7% for freight ton-miles and increased by 63% for passenger-miles,
- airways transport increased by 27% for freight tonmiles and 206% for passenger-miles.

Chart 6.1: Domestic Public Transport (2021-2022, Q1)



Sources : Myanma Railways.

Road Transport.
Inland Water Transport.
Myanmar National Airlines.

Table 6.1 Transportation (Value = Thousand)

FY		2020-2021				
F1	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	
Railways						
Freight ton-miles	118,140	60,052	9,184	22,177 (r)	34,881	(p)
Passenger-miles	12,973	8,873	7,778	6,842 (r)	37,903	(p)
Road Transport						
Freight ton-miles	47,770	41,009	30,990	29,837	37,121	
Passenger-miles	12,534	7,867	7,700	8,078	7,671	
Inland Water						
Freight ton-miles	11,957	15,197	12,804	10,797	8,021	
Passenger-miles	2,129	2,825	2,943	1,908	3,114	
Airways						
Freight ton-miles	11	28	28	48	61	
Passenger-miles	1,794	6,767	31,462	11,893	36,372	

Sources: Myanma Railways.
Road Transport.
Inland Water Transport.
Myanmar National Airlines.

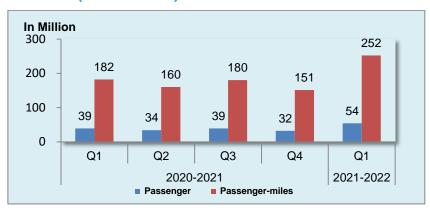
## 6.2 Yangon City Private Transport

Yangon City private transport is measured by the number of passenger, passenger-miles travelled, number of buses in operation per day, number of trips per day and gross earnings of the private transportation system.

For the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared to the first quarter of 2020-2021, private transport in Yangon City increased across all measures with up to 38% for both the number of passengers and passenger-miles, up 8% for number of buses in operation per day, increased by 1% for number of trips per day and 43% for gross earnings.

When comparing the first quarter of 2021-2022 compared to the fourth quarter of 2020-2021, private transport across Yangon City increased by 67% based on the measures of passengers and passenger-miles and the number of buses in operation per day (up 25%). Over the same period, number of trips per day increased by 22% and gross earnings increased by 65%.

Chart 6.2: Yangon City Private Transport (Bus Service)



Source: Yangon Region Private Transport Committee.

Table 6.2 Yangon City Private Transport (Bus Service)

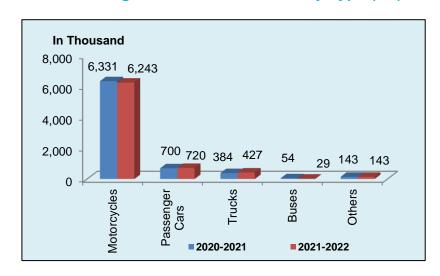
	2020-2021				2021-2022
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Passenger (Thousand)	38,959	34,249	38,664	32,342	54,032
Passenger-miles (Thousand)	181,604	159,648	180,229	150,733	251,864
Number of buses in operation per day	2,328	2,026	2,261	2,007	2,508
Number of trips per day	7,473	6,112	6,591	6,167	7,514
Gross Earnings (Million Kyats)	7,881.41	6,959.04	7,840.22	6,834.58	11,306.41

Source: Yangon Region Private Transport Committee.

# **6.3** Registered Motor Vehicles by Type

Over the last year, there has been a steady increase in the number of vehicle licenses issued for use on the roads. In the first quarter of 2021-2022, there were a total of 7.6 million licensed vehicles. This was a 2.8% decrease compared to the previous quarter and 1% compared to the same period of 2020-2021.

**Chart 6.3:** Registered Motor Vehicles by Type (Q1)



Source: Department of Road Transport Administration.

**Table 6.3** Registered Motor Vehicles by Type

	2020-2021				2021-2022
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Passenger Cars	700,073	706,072	708,892	713,229	720,029
Trucks	383,508	408,164	417,042	422,017	427,203
Buses	53,945	29,285	30,297	29,318	29,193
Motorcycles	6,330,533	6,400,743	6,466,333	6,469,399	6,243,041
Others	142,753	143,568	144,517	145,033	143,042
Total	7,610,812	7,687,832	7,767,081	7,778,996	7,562,508

Source: Department of Road Transport Administration.

# 6.4 Merchant Shipping

Coastal Shipping: Coastal shipping trade decreased in the first quarter of 2021-2022, with vessel entries decreasing by 14% and tonnage decreasing by 10% compared to the same time in 2020-2021. There was also a short term decrease in coastal shipping between the fourth quarter of 2020-2021 and the first quarter of 2021-2022, with a 4.7% increase in the number of vessels entering and a 2% increase in related tonnage. Clearance coastal shipping also increased by 38% for vessels and 86% for tonnage.

400 302 260 264 300 223 200 125 147 105 95 100 0 Vessel Vessel Tonnage Tonnage (Thousand) (Thousand) 2020-2021 2021-2022

■ Clearance

Entry

**Chart 6.4: Merchant Shipping (Coastal Trade, Q1)** 

Source: Customs Department.

**Table 6.4 Merchant Shipping** 

	2020-2021				2021-2022
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Coastal Trade					
Entry					
Vessel	260	281	253	213	223
Tonnage(Thousand)	105	187	164	93	95
Clearance					
Vessel	302	312	251	191	264
Tonnage(Thousand)	125	115	101	79	147

Source: Customs Department.

### 6.5 Tourism

With a view to preventing importation and spread of COVID-19, Myanmar's tourism sector is suffering a lot (as other tourism sectors around the world). In the first quarter of 2021-2022, a total of 30,344 visitors entered Myanmar. This was increased by 9.97% compared with the preceding quarter and it represented a 8.08% year-on-year decrease compared with the same quarter of previous year.

**Air arrivals:** In the first quarter of 2021-2022, number of visitor arrivals by air totaled 6,995 this was increased of 65.76% compared with the previous quarter.

**Land arrivals:** The majority of visitors arrived in Myanmar by land 76.03%, this was an decrease of 0.75% compared with the previous quarter. This was decreased by 21.87% compared with the same quarter of 2020-2021.

**Sea arrivals:** In the first quarter of 2021-2022, the number of arrivals by sea stood at 277 which was increase of 34.47% compared with the same quarter.

**Chart 6.5: International Tourist Arrivals** 



Source: Ministry of Hotels and Tourism.

**Table 6.5 International Tourist Arrivals** 

2020-2021					2021-2022
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Total	33011	38586	34424	27593	30344
by Air	3273	3647	3696	4220	6995
by Sea	206	269	146	126	277
by Land	29532	34670	30582	23247	23072

Source: Ministry of Hotels and Tourism.

# Labour



### **LABOUR**

# 7.1 Labour and Employment

**Employment service and recruitment centers** have played an increasingly important role in matching the demand and supply of labour. By the first quarter of 2021-2022, there were 91 labour exchange offices in the whole country and more than 321 overseas employment agencies.

There were 36,732 job placements in the first quarter of 2021-2022, which were a 73% increase compared with the preceding quarter and a 23.2% year-on-year increase compared with the first quarter of 2020-2021.

The number of new registered job seekers increased by 90.6% in the first quarter of 2021-2022, and was 4.3% higher than the same quarter of previous year.

The number of submissions made for the vacancies increased by 69.1% compared with the previous quarter. The number of submissions made for the vacancies were 31,400 and 38,844 were recorded in Q1: 2020-2021 and Q1: 2021-2022 respectively.

In the first quarter of 2021-2022, overseas employment were recorded in Thiland (25 people), Korea (28 people), Japan (62 people), Malaysia (27 people), Singapore (1306 people), Qatar (52 people), UAE (67 people) and Jordan (227 people).

# 7.2 Annual Labour Force Survey

Ministry of Labour, Immigration and Population, Department of Labour of Myanmar conducted Annual Labour Force Survey twice in a year from January to March 2019 and September to November 2019 with the technical assistance of the International Labour Organization (ILO).

# 7.2.1 Working Age population and Labour Force Participation

In 2019, the working age population was 37.50 million, of which females constituted 54% and males 46%. Rural areas had 70% of the working age population while urban areas had 30%. The labour force participation rate was 59.4%. However, the rate for males was 75.4%, considerably higher than that for females by 46.1%. In terms of rural and urban areas, rural areas were covered by 60.7% of the Labour Force Participation while urban areas covered 56.5%.

### 7.2.2 Employment

Employment totaled 22.18 million, with females accounting for only 42%. More than one third (35%) of all persons in employment were wage employees, 2.5% were employers, 37.7% were own account workers and 24.8% were contributing family workers.

# 7.2.3 Unemployment and Labour underutilization

The overall unemployment rate was 0.5%, with a male rate of 0.4% and female 0.6%. The composite rate of the labour underutilization, which comprises unemployment, time-related underemployment and potential labour force, was 3.3% and higher for females compared to males.

# 7.2.4 Wage/Salary per month

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At the national level the average monthly income was 169.8 kyats in thousand, male 180.9 kyats in thousand and female 154.5 kyats in thousand.

### 7.2.5 Child Labour

Children (5-17 years) comprised 23.76% of the population with over 12.33 million with boys and girls accounting for 6 million each. Of the 12 million children, more than half (53.3%) were in the youngest age group 5-11 years, while the children in the oldest age group 15-17 account for just about 23.19%. Gender balance existed in all the age groups. Three quarters (75%) of children resided in the rural areas, only a third in urban areas. Of the 12 million of children, 3.6% were working children and 2.2% were found in child labour.

Source: Department of Labour.

**Table 7.1 Employment Through Labour Exchange Offices** 

		2021-2022			
_	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Domestic					
New Registered	217,354	145,219	172,821	119,013	226,787
Job vacancies	28,785	28,122	28,278	21,329	36,389
Submitted for vacancies	31,400	28,299	28,580	22,967	38,844
Person placed	29,820	28,183	28,192	21,233	36,732
Registered live and pending at the end of the period	743,276	680,087	635,135	570,110	563,999
Overseas Workers					
Thai	-	-	-	-	25
Malaysia	-	-	-	-	27
Korea	132	-	-	-	28
Singapore	-	-	41	1	1,306
Japan	2,574	1,472	-	-	62
UAE	-	-	-	-	67
Macau	-	-	-	-	-
Jordan	-	-	-	-	227
Qatar	-	-	-	-	52
Total Overseas Workers	2,706	1,472	41	1	1,794

Note: This data has been collected in accord with

the Oversea Worker Identification Card issued by Migrant Worker Division in North Dagon Township, Yangon Region and Migrant Worker Office in Myawaddy Township, Kayin State.

# GLOSSARY

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### **GLOSSARY**

### AND METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

### CHAPTER 1 | GDP & PRICES

### GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP)

The monetary value of all the finished goods and services produced within a country's borders in a specific time period. Though GDP is usually calculated on an annual basis, it can be calculated on a quarterly basis as well. GDP includes all private and public consumption, government outlays, investments and exports minus imports that occur within a defined territory. GDP is a broad measurement of a nation's overall economic activity.

### **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 households. The weights are based on 2012 Household Income and Expenditure Survey (HIES) conducted by the Central Statistical Organization (CSO).

According to COICOP (Classification of Individual Consumption According to Purpose) Classification, weights and composition are grouped into twelve major categories of goods and services. 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 for the Union, 14 States and Regions, union territory and 3 major cities of Yangon, Mandalay and Naypyitaw.

The commodities prices are collected from 82 townships in all States and Regions.

### SPOT PRICE OF GOLD

The spot price of gold is obtained from gold dealer daily.

### CHAPTER 2 | TRADE

### **EXPORTS**

**Domestic exports:** exports of national products, excluding re-exports and cutting, making and packaging (CMP).

**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 been recorded according to the date of completion of consignment since November 1967.

Figures about exports include government and private exports on trade account. Sale of goods 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).

### 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/importers 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. From 1990 onwards, border trade assessment values are determined by Customs Department.

### **IMPORTS**

General imports: imports excluding cutting, making and packaging (CMP) and draw-back items.

**All 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).

### **CHAPTER 3 | FINANCE**

### **DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES**

Domestic Interest Rates include central bank rate, interest on treasury bills and bonds, deposit rates and lending rates. Maximum bank lending rate for secured loans and unsecured loans become effective from February 1, 2019.

### FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Starting from 2012-2013, managed floating foreign exchange rate is used. Starting from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2013, the daily reference foreign exchange rates are obtained from Central Bank of Myanmar. Since 5 February 2019, the Reference Exchange Rate of Myanmar Kyat equivalent to one unit of the US Dollar is computed and published by the Central Bank of Myanmar on its website every bank business day at 16:00.

The Reference Exchange Rate is calculated based on weighted average rate of the spot trades by the banks on the daily Foreign Exchange market during the calculation period (from 9:00 to 15:00 of the calculation day).

The Reference Exchange Rate is an indicative rate and participants in the foreign exchange market are not required to use it in their foreign exchange transactions. The Reference Exchange Rate of the previous bank business day can be used for settling customs obligations, accounting and statistical purposes.

### **MONEY SUPPLY**

**Money Supply** is the total value of money available in an economy at a point of time. There are several ways to define money such as M1, M2 and M3, etc.

Money Supply (M1) or Narrow Money covers currency outside depository corporations and transferable deposits at banks.

**Currency outside Depository Corporations** is the domestic currency included in broad money and is complied as currency in circulation less currency holdings in the vaults of other depository corporations (banks).

**Transferable (Demand) 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.

### PEOPLE'S SAVINGS

**People's savings** or other deposits comprise 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.

### **REVENUE FROM TAXES**

Tax means the tax, custom duty, fee, licence fee, permit fee and fine collected by the Union Government for the Union according to the Union Taxation Law.

In Myanmar, taxes and duties are divided into four main categories: taxes collected on local production and consumption of the public, taxes on income and property, custom duties and taxes on extractive industries of state-owned resources.

The Internal Revenue Department (IRD) is partially responsible for taxes on domestic productive and people consumption, including the collection of Commercial Tax, Specific Goods Tax, Myanmar Aung Bar Lay (State Lottery) Tax, Court Fees and Stamp Fees (Stamp Duties) and Taxes on Gemstone. The IRD is also responsible for the collection of Income Tax.

### **TREASURY BONDS**

### Issuing Government Treasury Bonds before 2016

On behalf of the Government, the Central Bank of Myanmar (CBM) has issued the 3-year and 5-year Government Treasury Bonds since 1993. On January 1, 2010, CBM issued 2-year Government Treasury Bonds and the interest rates of 2- year, 3-year and 5-year Government Treasury Bonds are 8.75 percent, 9 percent and 9.5 percent respectively.

### Issuance of Government Treasury Bills and Bonds by Auction

In order to reduce CBM Financing, the Government Treasury Bill has been issuing since January 28, 2015 and Bond has been issuing since September 20, 2016 with Scripless System in line with the international standards. According to the Agency Agreement between Ministry of Planning, Finance and Industry (MoPFI) and CBM, CBM is acting as the agent of MoPFI but Treasury Department manages all process on behalf of MoPFI for the issuance of Government Security. Multiple price system for competitive bidders and Market Weighted Average Yield for noncompetitive bidders have been practiced in Treasury Bill and Bond Auction.

In Government Securities Auctions, there are two types of bidders, Competitive and Non- Competitive Bidder. Myanma Economic Bank is only one Non-Competitive Bidder which is the largest amount invested in Treasury Security and other State-Owned Banks, Local Banks, Foreign Banks and Securities Companies are Competitive Bidders. Insurance Companies, Institutional Investors and Individual Investors can purchase Government Securities through the Securities Companies. All information related to Government Securities Auction (including Auction Calendar, Auction Announcement, Auction Result, and Related Documents) are uploaded on the Website of CBM and the Website of MoPFI.

Government Treasury Bill with the maturity of 3-month, 6-month and 1-year have been issued and the total Auction is 100 times up to May 2019. Government Treasury Bond with the maturity of 2-year, 2 and half year, 3-year, 4-year and 5-year have been issued and the total Auction is 33 times up to May 2019.

### CHAPTER 4 | INVESTMENT

### **MYANMAR INVESTMENT LAW**

The Myanmar Investment Law was enacted on 18<sup>th</sup> October 2016, integrating Foreign Investment Law (2012) and the Myanmar Citizens Investment Law (2013) to create a fairer and more level playing field between foreign and domestic investors as well as to create a better investment environment.

### **MYANMAR CITIZEN INVESTMENT**

Myanmar Citizen Investment means any assets owned or controlled by a Myanmar Citizen investor within the Republic of the Union of Myanmar. Myanmar Citizen investor includes Myanmar companies, branch offices, and other enterprises established and registered in accordance with the Myanmar Companies Law.

### FOREIGN INVESTMENT

Foreign Investment means any direct investment made by a foreign investor within the Union.

### PERMITTED AMOUNT

The permitted amount means the investment amount of the approved investment projects by the Myanmar Investment Commission.

### **ACTUAL AMOUNT**

The amounts are compiled from the submitted quarterly performance report to the Investment Monitoring Division by the FDI Companies registered in the Directorate of Investment and Company Administration.

### **CHAPTER 5 | PRODUCTION**

### PETROLEUM COKE

Since 1995-96 data are expressed in Metric Tons.

### **CHAPTER 6 | TRANSPORTATION AND TOURISM**

### 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.

**PASSENGER-MILE:** One passenger-mile corresponds to the transport of one passenger over one mile.

Passenger-mile = passenger x miles

**FREIGHT TON-MILE:** One freight ton-mile corresponds to the transport of one ton of freight over one mile.

Freight Ton-mile = ton x miles

### INLAND WATER TRANSPORT

Data relate to all traffic of powered vessels of the government functioning on commercial lines. **PASSENGER-MILE:** One passenger-mile corresponds to the transport of one passenger over one mile

**FREIGHT TON-MILE:** One freight ton-mile corresponds to the transport of one ton of freight over one mile.

### **SHIPPING**

Number of vessels only includes commercial vessels engaged in coastal trade.

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

### **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.

**PASSENGER-MILE:** Multiplying the number of revenue passenger carried on each flight stage by the corresponding stage distance.

Passenger Mile = no; of passenger x miles

**FREIGHT TON-MILE:** Multiplying the number of ton of revenue load carried on each flight stage by the corresponding stage distance.

Freight Ton - Mile = freight ton carried x miles

### **PASSENGER CAR**

Passenger cars include saloons, station wagons, micro-buses (up to 15 persons), light vans, jeeps, double cab (pick-ups) and all three wheeled motor vehicles.

### **TRUCKS**

Trucks include pick-ups, single cabs, light trucks, vans (under three tons), vans (over three tons) trucks (under three tons) and trucks (over three tons).

### **BUSES**

Buses include mini-buses (over 15 persons), express buses and coaches.

### **MOTORCYCLES**

Motorcycles are all two-wheeled motor vehicles, including mobility cycles, scooter, manual, automatic and semi-automatic motorcycles, and others.

### **OTHER MOTOR VEHICLES**

All other motor vehicles includes; ambulances, fire engines, cranes, hearses, cement mixers, agricultural and farm vehicles, bulldozers, loaders, excavators, backhoes, rollers, soil compactors, scrapers, stone crushers, click loaders, forklift trucks, concrete agitator trucks, asphalt bitumen sprayers.

### TOURIST (or overnight visitor)

A tourist (or overnight visitor) is defined as a person travelling to and staying in places outside their usual environment for one purpose (United Nations World Tourism Organization).

### **VISITOR**

A visitor is a traveller taking a trip to a main destination outside his/her usual environment, for less than a year, for any main purpose (business, leisure or other personal purpose) other than to be employed by a resident entity in the country or place visited (United Nations World Tourism Organization).

On 1<sup>st</sup> October 2018, visa exemption is permitted for 30 days to Japan, South Korea, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region of China and Macau Special Administrative Region of China and visa on arrival is permitted to China as one year trial period.

And then visa on arrival is permitted to India on 1<sup>st</sup> December 2018 as one year trial period.

The visa exemption and visa on arrival permitted on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2018 is extended up to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2020. And visa on arrival for India is also extended up to 30<sup>th</sup> November 2020 as the next one year trial period.

On 1<sup>st</sup> October 2019, adding on to the visa on arrival is also started to permit for six Europe countries of Australia, Germany, Italy, Russia, Spain and Switzerland. This effect is also as one year trial period.

### CHAPTER 7 | LABOUR

### **EMPLOYMENT THROUGH LABOUR EXCHANGE OFFICES**

Employment through Labour Exchange Offices means job-seekers who are registered at 18 Labour Exchange Offices in Yangon Region and 73 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 Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs) and Bi-lateral agreements with labour receiving countries.

