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## Standard Symbols Used

The following symbols are used in this publication:

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

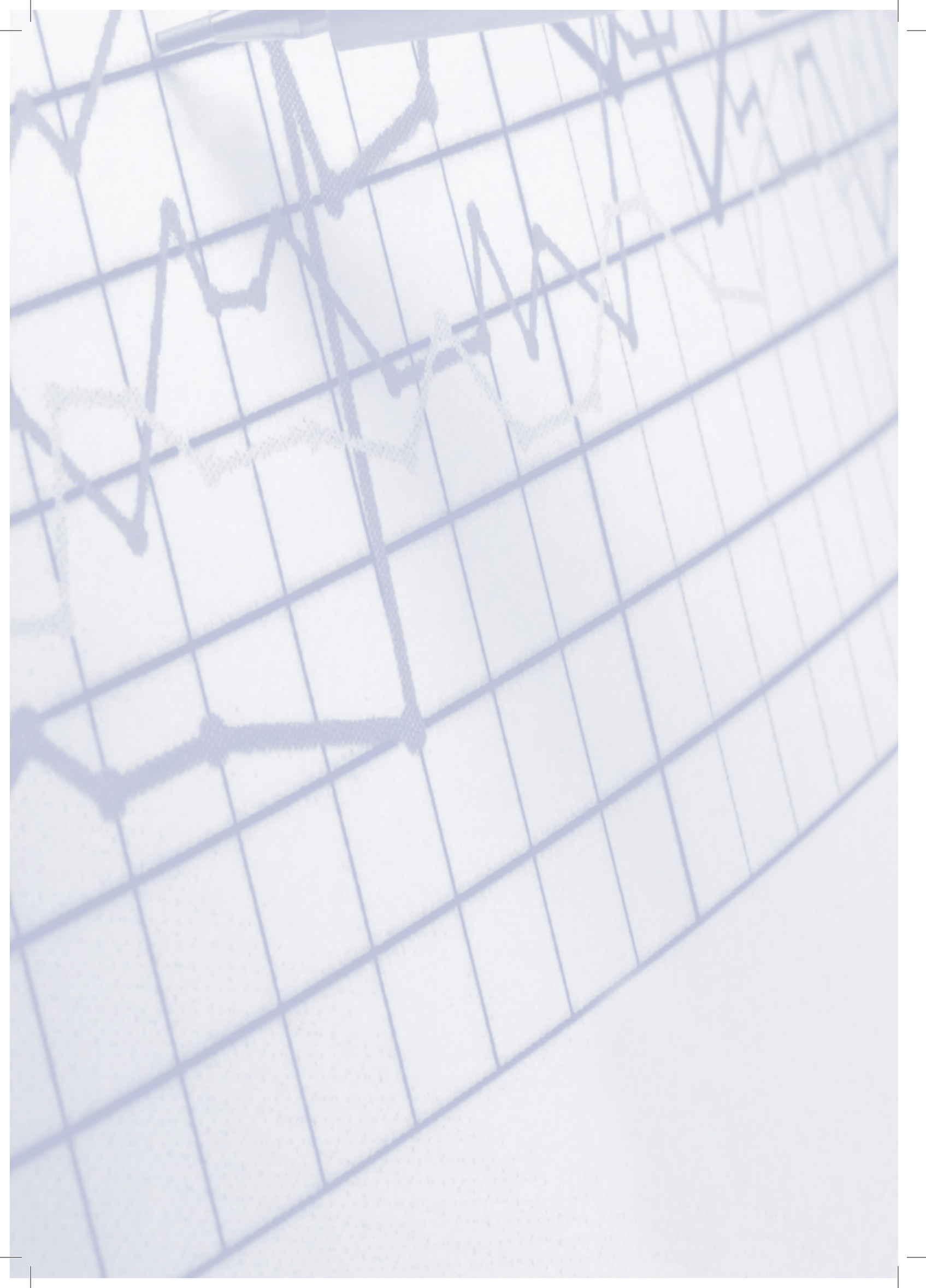




CHAPTER 1  
**FOREIGN TRADE**

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# FOREIGN TRADE | ANALYSIS

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

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

In 2018-2019 October to April, the total trade was \$20,030.7 million in which export was \$9,727.4 million and import was \$10,303.3 million. The trade balance had a deficit of \$575.9 million.

The most important exports in Myanmar are manufactured products whereas the refined mineral oil are the major products of imports.

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

## ■ VALUE OF FOREIGN TRADE

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

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

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

When comparing April 2018 and April 2019, total trade increased by 20.0%, domestic exports increased by 65.3% and general imports decreased by 0.9%.

In April 2019, the share of domestic exports in all exports was 75.6% and for general imports it was 83.7%.

## ■ NORMAL AND BORDER TRADE

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

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

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

## ■ TRADE BY SECTOR

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

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

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

## ■ TRADE BY MAJOR TRADING COUNTRY

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

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

## ■ TRADE BY COMMODITY GROUP

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

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

## ■ EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES BY COUNTRY

In April 2019, major commodities exported to China are jade, gas, base metal and ores, green mung bean, raw rubber, and sesame seeds and main exports to Thailand are gas, fish and fish product, base metal and ores, maize, and garment.

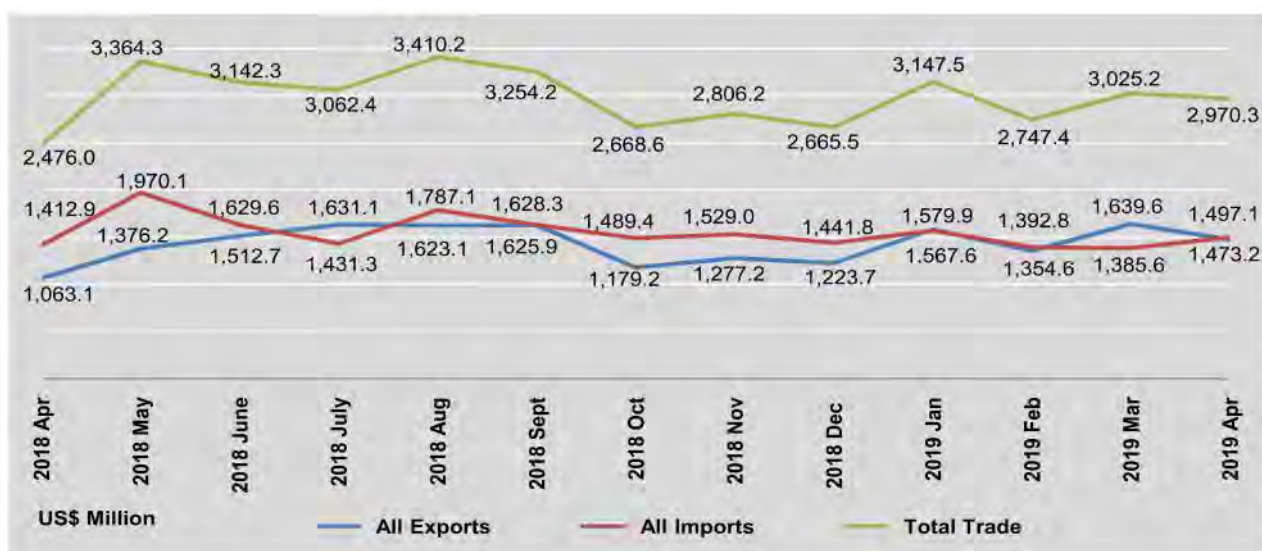
Main commodities imported from China are fabric of artificial and synthetics fabric, non-electric machinery and transport equipment, base metals and manufactures, and electrical machinery and apparatus. While major imports from Singapore are refined mineral oil, milk condensed, chemical elements and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

FY	Total Trade	Exports		Imports		Trade Balance
		Domestic Exports	All Exports *	General Imports	All Imports **	
2016-2017 (October-September)	32,296.5	9,352.9	13,432.2	16,838.1	18,864.3	-5,432.1
2017-2018 (October-September)	35,895.4	10,391.5	16,446.7	17,447.7	19,448.7	-3,002.0
2018-2019 (October-April)	20,030.7	6,239.2	9,727.4	8,800.8	10,303.3	-575.9
<b>2018</b>						
April	2,476.0	674.2	1,063.1	1,263.4	1,412.9	-349.8
May	3,364.3	902.5	1,376.2	1,753.1	1,970.1	-593.9
June	3,142.3	954.6	1,512.7	1,430.6	1,629.6	-116.9
July	3,062.4	921.0	1,631.1	1,280.6	1,431.3	199.8
August	3,410.2	782.7	1,623.1	1,617.5	1,787.1	-164.0
September	3,254.2	794.7	1,625.9	1,464.5	1,628.3	-2.4
October	2,668.6	685.8	1,179.2	1,249.8	1,489.4	-310.2
November	2,806.2	791.0	1,277.2	1,332.1	1,529.0	-251.8
December	2,665.5	760.1	1,223.7	1,276.0	1,441.8	-218.1
<b>2019</b>						
January	3,147.5	1,023.0	1,579.9	1,313.6	1,567.6	12.3
February	2,747.4	821.3	1,354.6	1,136.1	1,392.8	-38.2
March	3,025.2 (r)	1,043.8	1,639.6	1,240.7 (r)	1,385.6 (r)	254.0 (r)
April	2,970.3	1,114.2	1,473.2	1,252.5	1,497.1	-23.9

\* All exports include re-exports.

Source: Customs Department.

\*\* All imports include draw-back items.



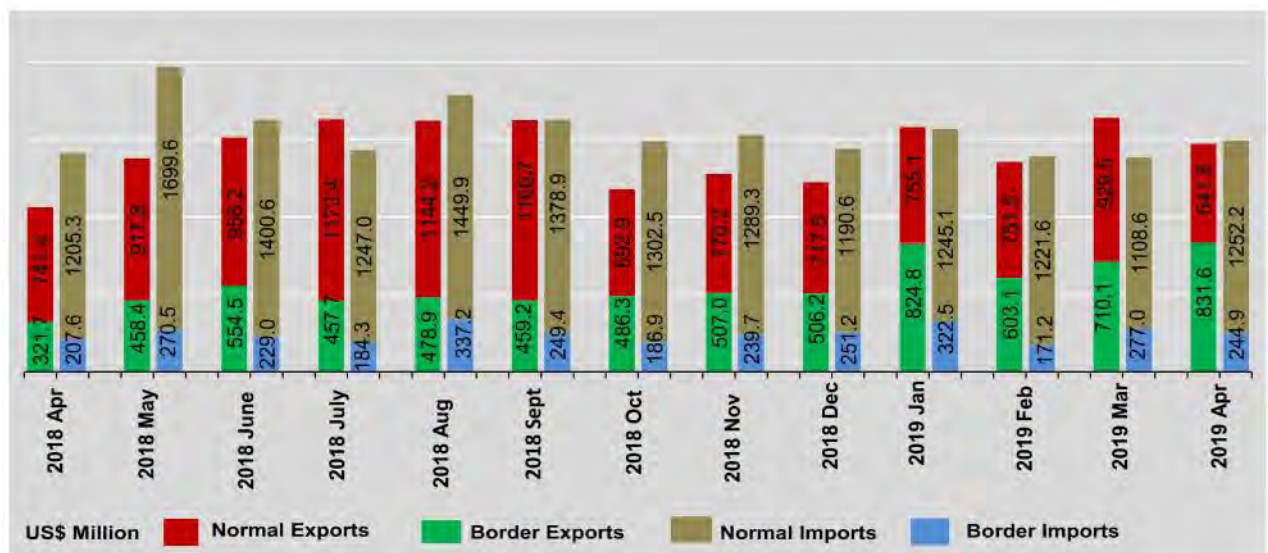


FY	Total Trade	Exports *			Imports **			Trade Balance
		Total	Normal	Border	Total	Normal	Border	
2016-2017 (October-September)	32,296.5	13,432.2	8,532.5	4,899.7	18,864.3	15,951.7	2,912.6	-5,432.1
2017-2018 (October-September)	35,895.4	16,446.7	10,525.7	5,921.0	19,448.7	16,413.4	3,035.3	-3,002.0
2018-2019 (October-April)	20,030.7	9,727.4	5,258.3	4,469.1	10,303.3	8,609.9	1,693.4	-575.9
<b>2018</b>								
April	2,476.0	1,063.1	741.4	321.7	1,412.9	1,205.3	207.6	-349.8
May	3,346.3	1,376.2	917.8	458.4	1,970.1	1,699.6	270.5	-593.9
June	3,142.3	1,512.7	958.2	554.5	1,629.6	1,400.6	229.0	-116.9
July	3,062.4	1,631.1	1,173.4	457.7	1,431.3	1,247.0	184.3	199.8
August	3,410.2	1,623.1	1,144.2	478.9	1,787.1	1,449.9	337.2	-164.0
September	3,254.2	1,625.9	1,166.7	459.2	1,628.3	1,378.9	249.4	-2.4
October	2,668.6	1,179.2	692.9	486.3	1,489.4	1,302.5	186.9	-310.2
November	2,806.2	1,277.2	770.2	507.0	1,529.0	1,289.3	239.7	-251.8
December	2,665.5	1,223.7	717.5	506.2	1,441.8	1,190.6	251.2	-218.1
<b>2019</b>								
January	3,147.5	1,579.9	755.1	824.8	1,567.6	1,245.1	322.5	12.3
February	2,747.4	1,354.6	751.5	603.1	1,392.8	1,221.6	171.2	-38.2
March	3,025.2 (r)	1,639.6	929.5	710.1	1,385.6 (r)	1,108.6	277.0 (r)	254.0 (r)
April	2,970.3	1,473.2	641.6	831.6	1,497.1	1,252.2	244.9	-23.9

\* All exports include re-export

Source: Customs Department.

\*\* All imports include draw-back items

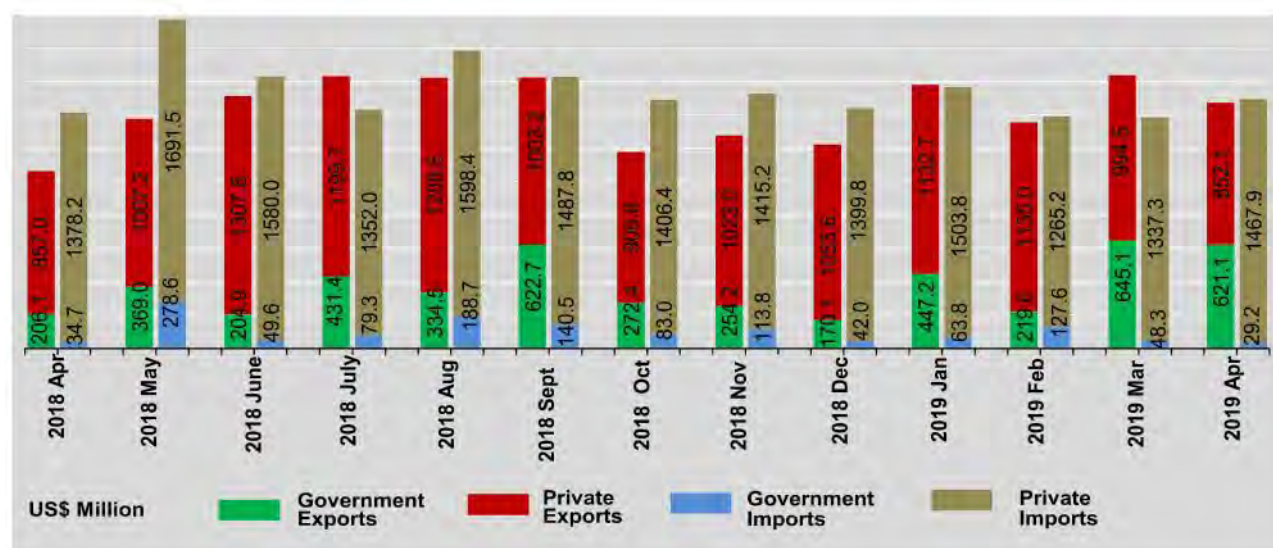


FY	Exports *			Imports **		
	Total	Government	Private	Total	Government	Private
2016-2017 (October-September)	13,432.2	4,197.5	9,234.7	18,864.3	1,276.7	17,587.6
2017-2018 (October-September)	16,446.7	4,637.6	11,809.1	19,448.7	1,326.1	18,122.6
2018-2019 (October-April)	9,727.4	2,629.7	7,097.7	10,303.3	507.7	9,795.6
<b>2018</b>						
April	1,063.1	206.1	857.0	1,412.9	34.7	1,378.2
May	1,376.2	369.0	1,007.2	1,970.1	278.6	1,691.5
June	1,512.7	204.9	1,307.8	1,629.6	49.6	1,580.0
July	1,631.1	431.4	1,199.7	1,431.3	79.3	1,352.0
August	1,623.1	334.5	1,288.6	1,787.1	188.7	1,598.4
September	1,625.9	622.7	1,003.2	1,628.3	140.5	1,487.8
October	1,179.2	272.4	906.8	1,489.4	83.0	1,406.4
November	1,277.2	254.2	1,023.0	1,529.0	113.8	1,415.2
December	1,223.7	170.1	1,053.6	1,441.8	42.0	1,399.8
<b>2019</b>						
January	1,579.9	447.2	1,132.7	1,567.6	63.8	1,503.8
February	1,354.6	219.6	1,135.0	1,392.8	127.6	1,265.2
March	1,639.6	645.1	994.5	1,385.6 (r)	48.3 (r)	1,337.3 (r)
April	1,473.2	621.1	852.1	1,497.1	29.2	1,467.9

\* All exports include re-export

Source: Customs Department.

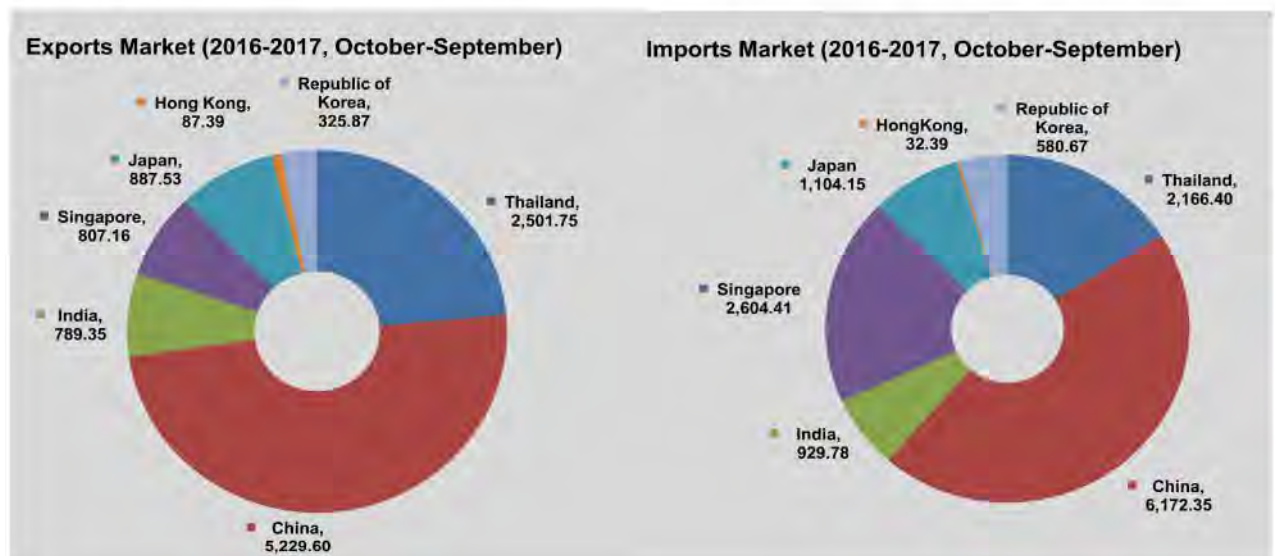
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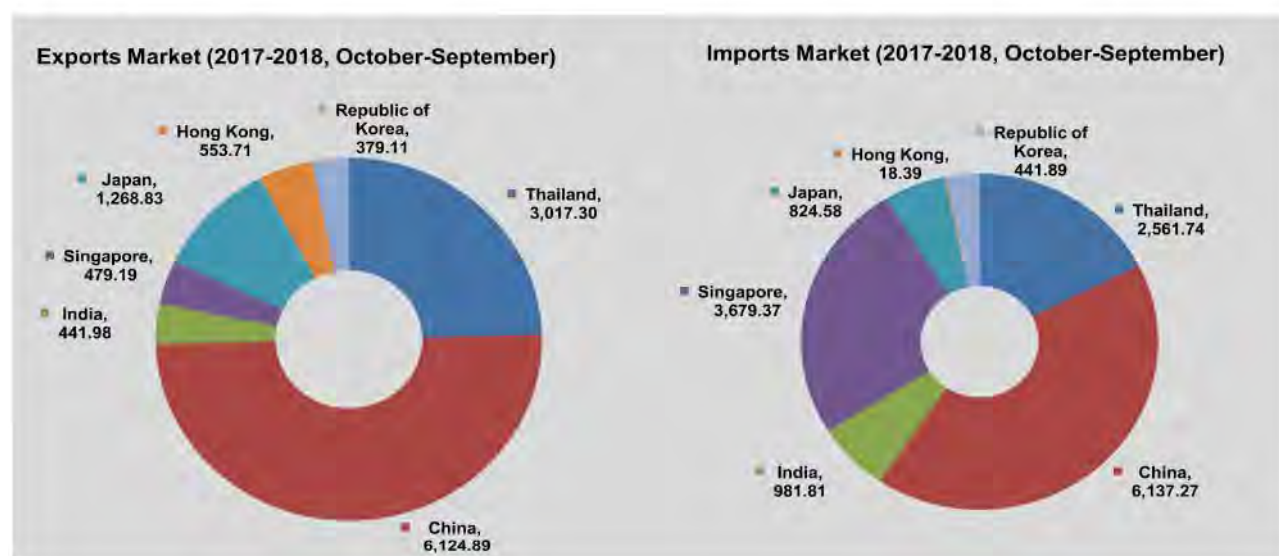
FY	Thailand		China		Malaysia		India	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	2,501.75	2,166.40	5,229.60	6,172.35	190.42	955.09	789.35	929.78
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	3,017.30	2,561.74	6,124.89	6,137.27	247.41	908.64	441.98	981.81
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	1,874.72	1,204.06	3,190.47	3,543.43	117.85	409.60	371.22	506.50
<b>2018</b>								
<b>April</b>	235.91	160.73	312.56	477.08	19.95	65.82	23.37	66.33
<b>May</b>	244.13	189.40	481.75	621.87	21.34	258.45	28.89	64.99
<b>June</b>	238.46	192.40	580.44	579.12	27.40	43.35	54.18	63.03
<b>July</b>	248.56	261.20	524.49	469.81	12.08	40.44	74.75	79.88
<b>August</b>	265.59	354.19	505.77	518.73	18.99	42.28	57.85	136.59
<b>September</b>	337.29	240.67	499.46	448.65	22.22	28.11	52.99	97.58
<b>October</b>	308.88	173.28	299.23	499.70	13.33	36.97	58.49	94.87
<b>November</b>	257.47	199.37	352.75	512.90	30.88	72.52	72.79	74.50
<b>December</b>	220.46	160.07	345.29	502.10	10.74	58.57	67.82	69.76
<b>2019</b>								
<b>January</b>	244.28	171.36	609.29	611.64	14.25	47.12	70.37	77.20
<b>February</b>	254.53	154.84	433.82	447.47	17.76	39.78	29.76	64.67
<b>March</b>	295.86	192.71 (r)	514.90	438.83 (r)	18.28	61.71	38.24	63.67
<b>April</b>	293.24	152.43	635.19	530.79	12.61	92.93	33.75	61.83

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FY	Singapore		Japan		Republic of Korea		Germany	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	807.16	2,604.41	887.53	1,104.15	325.87	580.67	321.67	196.07
2017-2018 (October-September)	479.19	3,679.37	1,268.83	824.58	379.11	441.89	471.65	188.41
2018-2019 (October-April)	256.44	1,911.56	793.68	296.37	304.50	257.47	296.45	101.26
<b>2018</b>								
April	76.63	281.43	97.43	53.26	19.40	27.39	21.44	14.15
May	29.24	353.47	118.00	80.65	24.43	38.16	42.26	23.52
June	24.30	298.81	101.93	65.66	38.49	39.04	56.67	12.92
July	22.52	245.99	135.28	44.46	44.08	27.48	66.02	10.30
August	23.10	278.53	174.14	46.22	57.74	30.74	58.71	15.78
September	198.80	348.60	134.20	44.62	46.70	31.11	37.72	13.80
October	16.93	309.12	113.30	38.53	37.71	36.89	30.02	13.85
November	26.90	255.94	102.90	40.53	35.22	35.00	50.98	15.62
December	14.85	266.29	110.10	40.10	48.29	41.03	49.71	11.85
<b>2019</b>								
January	16.23	270.77	133.59	38.08	43.32	39.30	51.08	17.18
February	18.21	263.15	135.97	64.32	68.28	35.93	46.36	15.83
March	146.85	278.88	120.27	28.12	41.91	30.18	35.72	10.98
April	16.47	267.41	77.55	46.69	29.77	39.14	32.58	15.95

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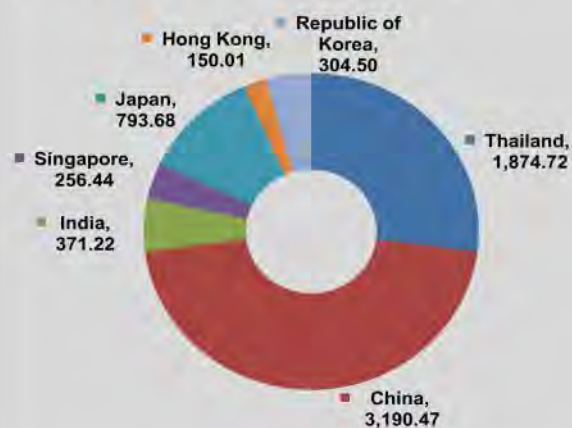




FY	Hong Kong		Indonesia		United States		United Kingdom	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
2016-2017 (October-September)	87.39	32.39	127.24	857.82	254.42	736.85	250.56	49.23
2017-2018 (October-September)	553.71	18.39	128.59	958.48	433.86	287.96	394.47	60.32
2018-2019 (October-April)	150.01	12.01	70.89	537.90	363.45	190.26	236.47	39.06
<b>2018</b>								
April	10.35	1.19	10.88	63.97	54.94	18.83	26.26	12.61
May	55.41	2.42	8.17	83.30	57.13	41.62	34.17	6.04
June	11.51	1.07	16.40	84.65	44.87	26.68	45.61	5.60
July	100.13	1.09	10.69	53.27	48.73	27.70	45.64	4.32
August	34.14	1.70	9.21	83.79	51.73	24.56	46.69	6.35
September	18.52	1.08	7.47	91.34	35.74	23.20	34.73	3.91
October	8.41	0.81	8.68	82.75	33.18	30.11	31.16	3.75
November	8.33	2.11	6.43	79.82	36.21	29.51	32.57	3.29
December	11.10	1.39	7.18	79.76	51.98	24.24	28.41	12.72
<b>2019</b>								
January	8.72	1.69	8.46	71.40	54.62	29.18	42.70	6.65
February	9.34	1.86	14.10	72.40	56.05	22.39	39.44	4.60
March	59.44	2.86	19.37	80.00	57.95	26.43	33.08	2.81
April	44.67	1.29	6.67	71.77	73.46	28.40	29.11	5.24

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Exports Market (2018-2019, October-April)



Imports Market (2018-2019, October-April)



FY	Vietnam		United Arab Emirates		Bangladesh		Spain	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	138.86	532.56	65.89	110.23	66.37	23.27	133.57	29.20
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	179.59	583.97	71.48	77.43	151.87	24.64	257.44	20.86
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	154.49	336.86	50.51	72.90	41.91	17.13	238.05	9.72
<b>2018</b>								
<b>April</b>	9.12	55.88	4.70	6.85	5.30	2.00	10.53	1.65
<b>May</b>	12.11	46.67	5.09	11.82	8.57	2.56	18.74	1.75
<b>June</b>	13.85	44.22	5.04	7.13	5.19	2.26	31.82	3.64
<b>July</b>	49.07	43.55	5.01	7.27	3.29	1.44	38.45	1.30
<b>August</b>	35.67	51.98	6.70	5.74	8.33	2.70	42.13	1.29
<b>September</b>	13.89	50.24	5.62	6.44	4.72	1.68	27.58	0.70
<b>October</b>	11.68	45.56	12.24	7.37	7.01	2.09	30.79	0.80
<b>November</b>	17.60	51.67	7.66	8.88	2.87	2.37	27.18	1.53
<b>December</b>	18.60	50.37	8.05	3.11	3.42	4.35	38.82	1.66
<b>2019</b>								
<b>January</b>	16.88	48.31	6.01	16.14	3.84	2.34	46.85	1.58
<b>February</b>	19.62	34.17	4.84	10.40	2.91	1.55	46.84	1.13
<b>March</b>	57.49	48.86	6.67	13.14	12.65	2.13	24.99	0.93
<b>April</b>	12.62	57.92	5.04	13.86	9.21	2.30	22.58	2.09

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FY	Netherlands		Sweden		Saudi Arabia		Pakistan	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	149.28	57.26	25.48	43.48	31.14	118.18	60.87	68.02
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	306.79	35.98	51.08	43.67	21.43	144.78	56.00	98.61
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	222.86	19.56	42.18	27.60	12.23	83.71	18.34	15.86
<b>2018</b>								
<b>April</b>	20.79	2.74	2.00	3.61	0.16	10.58	5.78	5.37
<b>May</b>	36.46	1.99	5.32	0.67	0.57	10.76	5.19	6.29
<b>June</b>	46.13	1.85	7.36	10.03	0.78	10.30	5.49	11.91
<b>July</b>	36.47	2.62	8.37	3.72	1.27	10.69	2.18	16.04
<b>August</b>	40.14	2.98	6.74	0.40	1.11	12.68	2.70	20.30
<b>September</b>	33.00	4.78	5.27	14.39	1.44	9.76	2.88	11.16
<b>October</b>	35.41	2.07	6.40	12.04	1.07	11.16	3.33	3.91
<b>November</b>	29.41	3.89	5.54	8.31	1.61	10.69	0.99	2.37
<b>December</b>	28.05	2.79	7.36	0.50	1.50	11.77	1.97	2.57
<b>2019</b>								
<b>January</b>	40.18	3.36	7.47	2.55	1.77	11.95	1.83	2.48
<b>February</b>	30.08	1.75	5.74	0.37	1.89	9.89	1.82	1.77
<b>March</b>	29.28	3.22	6.46	1.49	2.68	15.71	4.08	1.27
<b>April</b>	30.45	2.48	3.21	2.34	1.71	12.54	4.32	1.49

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FY	Italy		Australia		France		Taiwan		Iran	
	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports	Imports
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	84.69	118.56	26.08	151.32	61.11	194.91	22.48	123.45	1.04	38.46
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	155.55	125.41	20.81	125.41	106.76	231.67	31.01	184.45	0.50	64.97
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	106.18	44.12	14.37	88.27	125.71	89.94	19.59	84.90	0.17	31.56
<b>2018</b>										
<b>April</b>	13.64	4.98	1.40	10.49	5.84	7.94	3.03	13.43	0.06	5.87
<b>May</b>	19.59	6.74	2.51	7.52	15.10	33.64	2.39	20.94	0.07	6.50
<b>June</b>	20.61	6.27	1.96	9.63	12.16	34.57	1.79	13.11	0.06	5.11
<b>July</b>	23.85	6.89	2.02	8.38	18.69	5.04	3.40	16.34	0.04	4.47
<b>August</b>	18.13	5.84	2.39	14.69	10.63	47.82	4.74	14.66	-	6.75
<b>September</b>	9.65	39.74	1.78	11.92	8.26	29.58	3.27	15.55	0.02	5.61
<b>October</b>	13.30	5.28	1.77	10.53	13.95	3.83	2.30	10.82	-	9.71
<b>November</b>	19.60	5.44	2.19	13.85	58.15	7.75	2.89	15.38	0.05	1.60
<b>December</b>	15.15	6.06	2.09	16.65	13.02	5.62	2.10	12.03	0.06	2.26
<b>2019</b>										
<b>January</b>	16.71	6.48	2.07	16.14	17.70	6.64	3.32	11.55	0.02	3.68
<b>February</b>	16.09	11.20	2.16	11.33	9.78	52.49	3.27	12.79	-	4.97
<b>March</b>	9.73	4.20	2.70	10.34	6.81	6.66	3.53	10.13	0.04	4.40
<b>April</b>	15.60	5.46	1.39	9.43	6.30	6.95	2.18	12.20	-	4.94

Source: Customs Department.



Commodity	2015-2016 (October-September)	2016-2017 (October-September)	2017-2018 (October-September)	2018-2019 (October-April)
<b>Exports</b>				
Agricultural Products	2,721.6	3,043.1	2,882.3	2,003.8
Animal Products	8.4	10.6	229.2	284.5
Marine Products	500.4	634.6	709.9	493.3
Mineral Products	673.3	1,187.2	2,153.4	881.1
Forest Products	232.3	242.8	209.1	104.7
Manufactured Products	5,550.1	6,036.0	7,285.9	4,669.8
Others	1,595.4	2,277.9	2,976.9	1,290.2
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>11,281.5</b>	<b>13,432.2</b>	<b>16,446.7</b>	<b>9,727.4</b>
<b>Imports</b>				
Capital goods	7,527.0	7,206.4	6,438.8	2,905.1
Intermediate goods	5,377.6	6,773.4	7,771.1	4,659.8
Consumer goods	3,191.4	4,884.5	5,238.8	2,738.4
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>16,096.0</b>	<b>18,864.3</b>	<b>19,448.7</b>	<b>10,303.3</b>

**Percentage Changes from previous year**

<b>Exports</b>				
Agricultural Products	-12.5	11.8	-5.3	10.1
Animal Products	-12.5	26.2	2062.3	300.7
Marine Products	16.4	26.8	11.9	4.8
Mineral Products	-52.5	76.3	81.4	-25.5
Forest Products	44.6	4.5	-13.9	-8.5
Manufactured Products	-8.0	8.8	20.7	29.5
Others	64.2	42.8	30.7	-8.6
<b>Total Exports</b>	<b>-7.0</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>12.1</b>
<b>Imports</b>				
Capital goods	-7.3	-4.3	-10.7	-19.7
Intermediate goods	15.3	26.0	14.7	9.7
Consumer goods	-9.7	53.1	7.3	-12.8
<b>Total Imports</b>	<b>-1.4</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>-6.4</b>

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Commodity	2017-2018						2018-2019						
	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
<b>Exports</b>													
<b>Agricultural Products</b>	235.1	272.7	210.8	214.9	194.0	169.8	196.0	237.6	307.3	354.2	244.5	356.7	307.5
<b>Animal Products</b>	19.1	23.3	29.0	34.4	36.9	34.5	41.0	61.1	71.1	72.0	23.2	9.5	6.6
<b>Marine Products</b>	58.7	56.8	39.0	39.5	48.0	55.7	75.1	78.9	68.7	70.5	65.8	71.1	63.2
<b>Mineral Products</b>	75.1	130.8	120.3	331.7	172.4	217.6	96.4	117.7	76.6	35.9	80.6	143.2	330.7
<b>Forest Products</b>	15.3	15.4	16.8	14.2	32.8	15.5	18.0	12.2	17.0	14.0	14.1	16.7	12.7
<b>Manufactured Products</b>	395.9	676.5	900.6	717.6	745.0	637.0	569.5	617.0	561.9	861.0	768.8	702.4	589.2
<b>Others</b>	263.9	200.7	196.2	278.8	394.0	495.8	183.2	152.7	121.1	172.3	157.6	340.0	163.3
<b>Total Exports</b>	1,063.1	1,376.2	1,512.7	1,631.1	1,623.1	1,625.9	1,179.2	1,277.2	1,223.7	1,579.9	1,354.6	1,639.6	1,473.2
<b>Imports</b>													
<b>Capital goods</b>	435.5	785.2	524.0	422.6	584.6	505.1	439.0	459.4	408.1	428.8	450.6	357.6	361.6
<b>Intermediate goods</b>	590.0	759.5	626.4	639.4	742.0	687.8	674.5	685.4	656.0	671.6	599.3 (r)	676.0 (r)	697.0
<b>Consumer goods</b>	387.4	425.4	479.2	369.3	460.5	435.4	375.9	384.2	377.7	467.2	342.9	352.0	438.5
<b>Total Imports</b>	1,412.9	1,970.1	1,629.6	1,431.3	1,787.1	1,628.3	1,489.4	1,529.0	1,441.8	1,567.6	1,392.8	1,385.6 (r)	1,497.1

## Percentage Changes from previous month

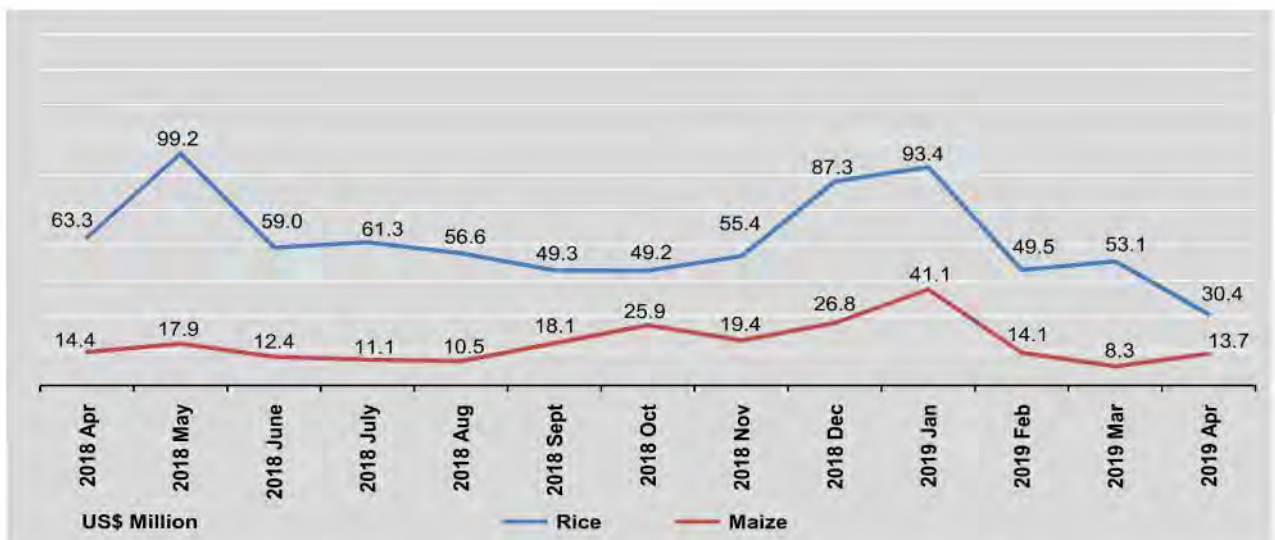
<b>Exports</b>													
<b>Agricultural Products</b>	-28.9	16.0	-22.7	1.9	-9.7	-12.5	15.4	-21.2	-29.3	15.3	-31.0	45.9	-13.8
<b>Animal Products</b>	-5.4	22.0	24.5	18.6	7.3	-6.5	18.8	-49.0	-16.4	1.3	-87.8	-59.1	-30.5
<b>Marine Products</b>	-19.3	-3.2	-31.3	1.3	21.5	16.0	34.8	5.1	-12.9	2.6	-6.7	8.1	-11.1
<b>Mineral Products</b>	-36.0	74.0	-8.0	175.7	-48.0	26.2	-55.7	22.1	-34.9	-53.1	124.5	77.7	130.9
<b>Forest Products</b>	-14.5	0.7	9.1	-15.5	131.0	-52.7	16.1	-32.2	39.3	-17.6	0.7	18.4	-24.0
<b>Manufactured Products</b>	-35.6	70.8	33.1	-20.3	3.8	-14.5	-10.6	8.3	-8.9	53.2	-10.7	-8.6	-16.1
<b>Others</b>	35.8	-23.9	-2.2	42.1	41.3	25.8	-63.0	-16.6	-20.7	42.3	-8.5	115.7	-52.0
<b>Total Exports</b>	-22.3	29.5	9.9	7.8	-0.5	0.2	-27.5	8.3	-4.2	29.1	-14.3	21.0	-10.1
<b>Imports</b>													
<b>Capital goods</b>	-23.9	80.3	-33.3	-19.4	38.3	-13.6	-13.1	4.6	-11.2	5.1	5.1	-20.6	1.1
<b>Intermediate goods</b>	-11.3	28.7	-17.5	2.1	16.0	-7.3	-1.9	1.6	-4.3	2.4	-10.8	19.4 (r)	3.1
<b>Consumer goods</b>	-11.3	9.8	12.6	-22.9	24.7	-5.5	-13.7	2.2	-1.7	23.7	-26.6	2.7	24.6
<b>Total Imports</b>	-15.6	39.4	-17.3	-12.2	24.9	-8.9	-8.5	2.7	-5.7	8.7	-11.2	1.9 (r)	8.0

Source: Customs Department.

FY	Total	Rice <sup>*</sup>		Maize	
	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	13,432.2	2,833.7	847.7	1,472.3	272.2
2017-2018 (October-September)	16,446.7	3,090.0	1,051.1	1,333.9	284.5
2018-2019 (October-April)	9,727.4	1,356.7	418.3	753.0	149.3
<b>2018</b>					
April	1,063.1	182.5	63.3	63.8	14.4
May	1,376.2	290.8	99.2	79.1	17.9
June	1,512.7	170.6	59.0	55.7	12.4
July	1,631.1	171.6	61.3	51.2	11.1
August	1,623.1	162.5	56.6	49.6	10.5
September	1,625.9	142.6	49.3	85.8	18.1
October	1,179.2	145.7	49.2	123.5	25.9
November	1,277.2	177.5	55.4	91.5	19.4
December	1,223.7	280.4	87.3	133.7	26.8
<b>2019</b>					
January	1,579.9	307.5	93.4	205.9	41.1
February	1,354.6	161.8	49.5	72.9	14.1
March	1,639.6	181.2	53.1	47.8	8.3
April	1,473.2	102.6	30.4	77.7	13.7

\* Include Broken Rice

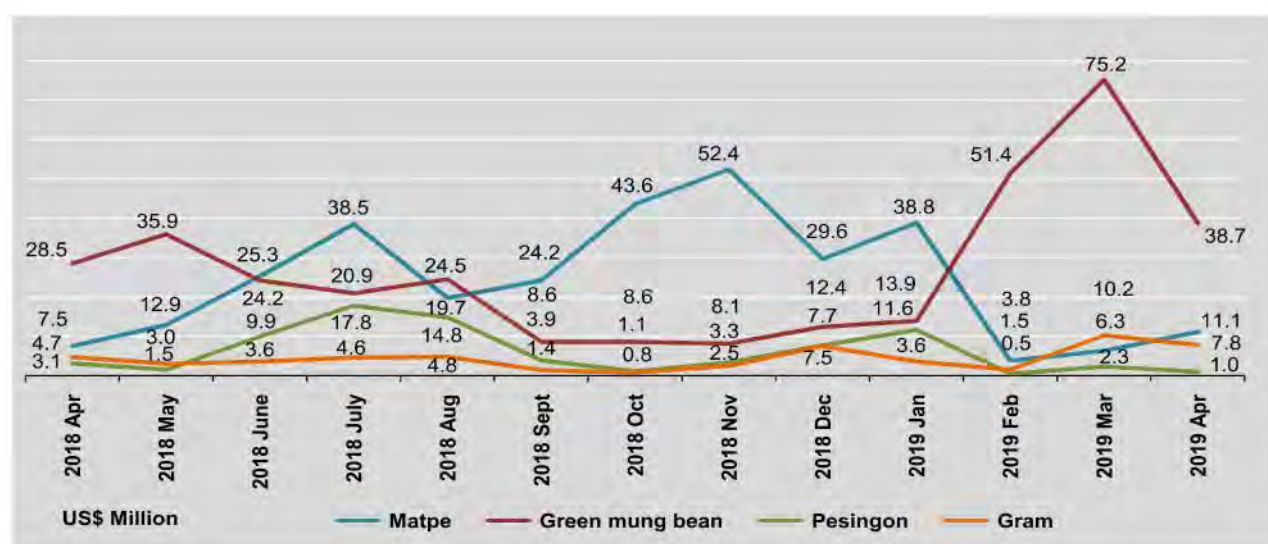
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FY	Matpe		Green mung bean		Pesingon		Gram	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	603.5	489.9	376.3	292.2	275.9	146.4	50.7	43.8
2017-2018 (October-September)	489.6	205.8	319.7	252.8	206.3	66.9	56.2	28.9
2018-2019 (October-April)	374.9	185.6	290.8	208.3	57.4	27.5	65.8	33.9
<b>2018</b>								
April	17.1	7.5	37.6	28.5	10.4	3.1	8.0	4.7
May	32.2	12.9	46.0	35.9	4.2	1.5	5.8	3.0
June	54.2	25.3	31.5	24.2	27.6	9.9	7.5	3.6
July	96.6	38.5	28.1	20.9	51.1	17.8	10.2	4.6
August	54.2	19.7	19.2	24.5	43.9	14.8	11.6	4.8
September	70.0	24.2	12.1	8.6	13.4	3.9	2.9	1.4
October	114.1	43.6	11.9	8.6	3.3	1.1	1.6	0.8
November	100.9	52.4	12.2	8.1	9.1	3.3	5.8	2.5
December	47.7	29.6	18.6	12.4	13.9	7.7	15.5	7.5
<b>2019</b>								
January	72.2	38.8	19.7	13.9	23.3	11.6	7.8	3.6
February	7.4	3.8	71.9	51.4	1.1	0.5	3.4	1.5
March	12.4	6.3	104.2	75.2	4.8	2.3	17.0	10.2
April	20.2	11.1	52.3	38.7	1.9	1.0	14.7	7.8

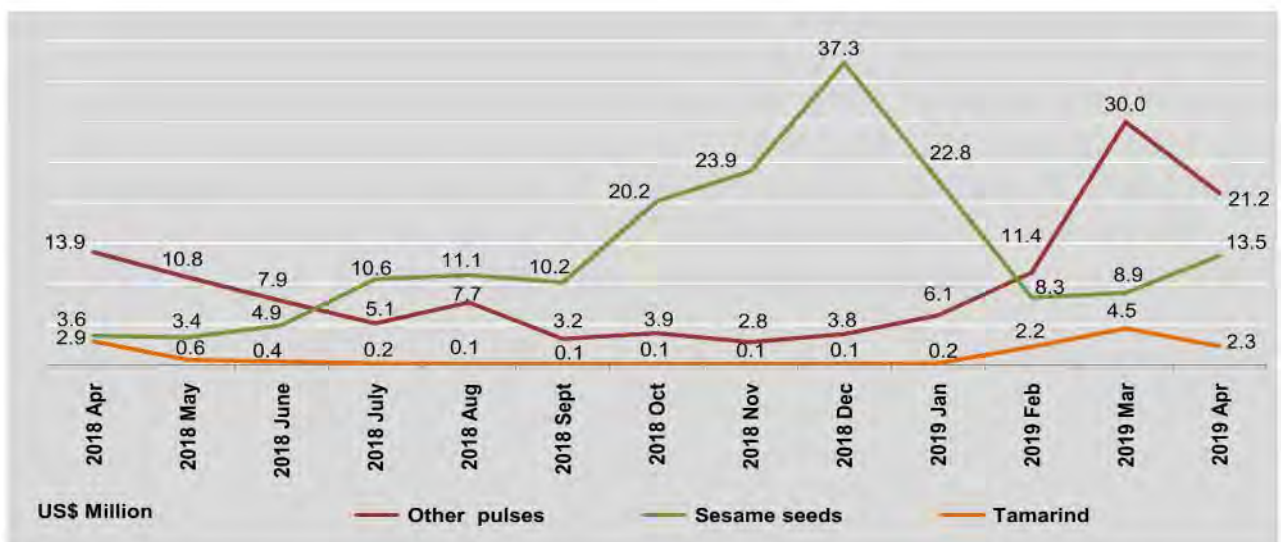
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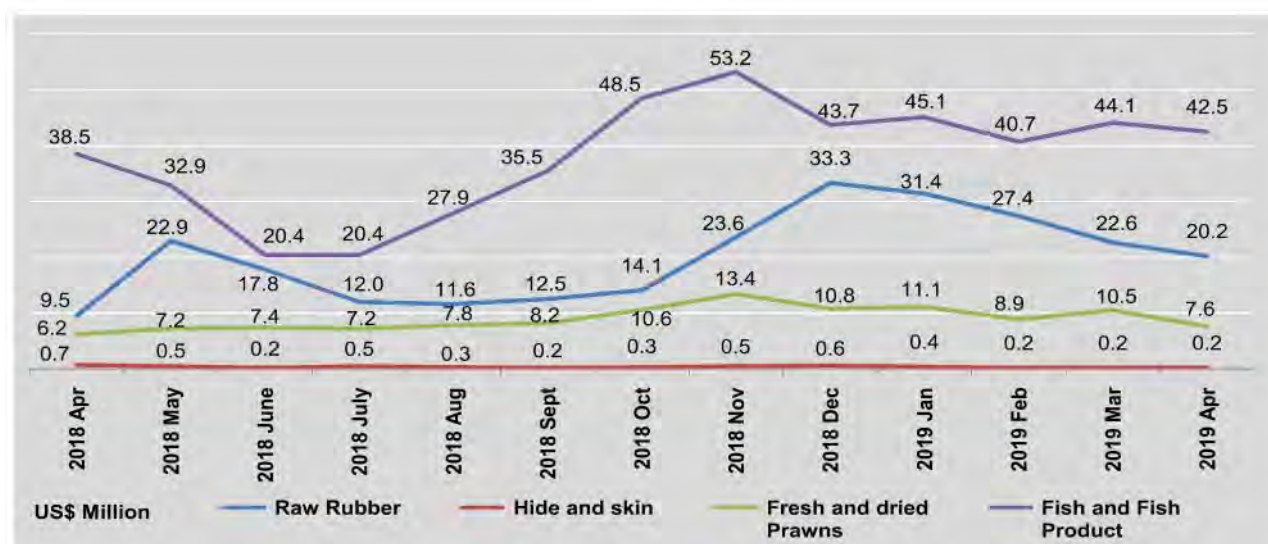
FY	Other pulses		Sesame seeds		Onion		Tamarind	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	111.7	64.2	116.6	150.7	30.0	10.8	23.5	9.4
2017-2018 (October-September)	130.3	80.8	103.6	129.9	39.6	12.8	23.2	10.2
2018-2019 (October-April)	136.1	79.2	82.6	134.9	35.9	7.0	30.9	9.5
<b>2018</b>								
April	23.1	13.9	2.6	3.6	6.1	2.1	6.9	2.9
May	16.9	10.8	2.7	3.4	4.8	1.5	1.7	0.6
June	12.1	7.9	3.8	4.9	6.3	1.8	1.0	0.4
July	9.0	5.1	8.5	10.6	5.0	1.4	0.6	0.2
August	14.7	7.7	8.8	11.1	7.0	1.9	0.2	0.1
September	6.3	3.2	7.5	10.2	4.2	1.3	0.3	0.1
October	7.5	3.9	14.4	20.2	1.2	0.5	0.6	0.1
November	5.2	2.8	15.5	23.9	1.0	0.4	0.4	0.1
December	6.7	3.8	22.1	37.3	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.1
<b>2019</b>								
January	11.6	6.1	13.6	22.8	2.3	0.5	0.4	0.2
February	18.8	11.4	4.5	8.3	6.9	1.2	7.4	2.2
March	51.1	30.0	4.9	8.9	10.7	1.8	14.2	4.5
April	35.2	21.2	7.6	13.5	13.2	2.4	7.6	2.3

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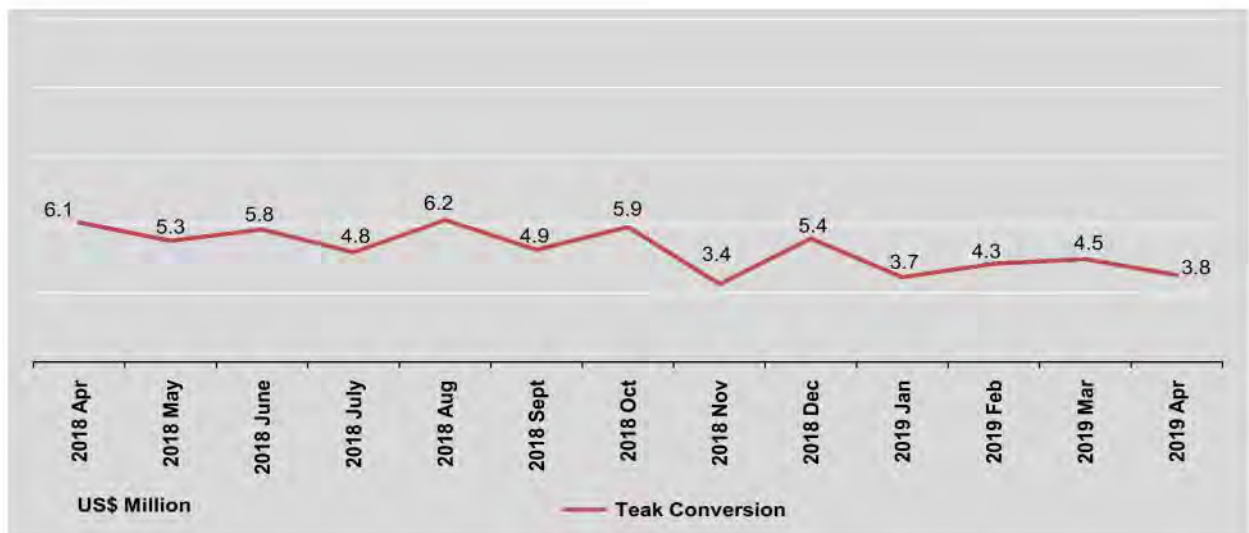
FY	Raw rubber		Hide and skin		Fresh and dried Prawns		Fish and Fish Product	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	153.1	227.3	8.5	5.7	33.7	83.3	387.4	397.7
2017-2018 (October-September)	161.9	196.4	13.4	8.2	42.3	89.8	466.0	440.4
2018-2019 (October-April)	137.8	172.6	4.3	2.4	37.6	72.9	344.9	317.8
<b>2018</b>								
April	8.1	9.5	1.0	0.7	4.8	6.2	57.0	38.5
May	19.3	22.9	0.8	0.5	4.3	7.2	33.9	32.9
June	14.3	17.8	0.3	0.2	2.2	7.4	17.4	20.4
July	9.4	12.0	0.8	0.5	2.5	7.2	17.4	20.4
August	9.0	11.6	1.3	0.3	3.0	7.8	24.6	27.9
September	9.6	12.5	0.2	0.2	2.6	8.2	32.2	35.5
October	11.0	14.1	0.5	0.3	4.4	10.6	50.0	48.5
November	19.0	23.6	0.7	0.5	6.2	13.4	53.0	53.2
December	27.3	33.3	1.1	0.6	4.7	10.8	46.3	43.7
<b>2019</b>								
January	25.3	31.4	0.7	0.4	5.6	11.1	49.1	45.1
February	21.9	27.4	0.5	0.2	3.5	8.9	44.5	40.7
March	17.9	22.6	0.3	0.2	8.3	10.5	51.1	44.1
April	15.4	20.2	0.5	0.2	4.9	7.6	50.9	42.5

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FY	Crab		Teak Log		Teak Conversion		Hardwood Log	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	19.9	71.9	-	-	41.9	78.5	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	21.1	77.5	-	-	37.1	63.3	-	-
2018-2019 (October-April)	10.5	43.6	-	-	17.9	31.0	-	-
<b>2018</b>								
April	1.4	5.3	-	-	3.8	6.1	-	-
May	1.9	7.3	-	-	4.6	5.3	-	-
June	1.7	6.2	-	-	2.9	5.8	-	-
July	2.0	7.1	-	-	2.5	4.8	-	-
August	2.0	6.7	-	-	3.4	6.2	-	-
September	1.7	5.7	-	-	2.6	4.9	-	-
October	1.5	4.7	-	-	2.9	5.9	-	-
November	1.6	5.6	-	-	3.0	3.4	-	-
December	1.9	6.9	-	-	3.1	5.4	-	-
<b>2019</b>								
January	1.5	7.3	-	-	2.1	3.7	-	-
February	1.5	6.9	-	-	2.4	4.3	-	-
March	1.3	7.1	-	-	2.6	4.5	-	-
April	1.2	5.1	-	-	1.8	3.8	-	-

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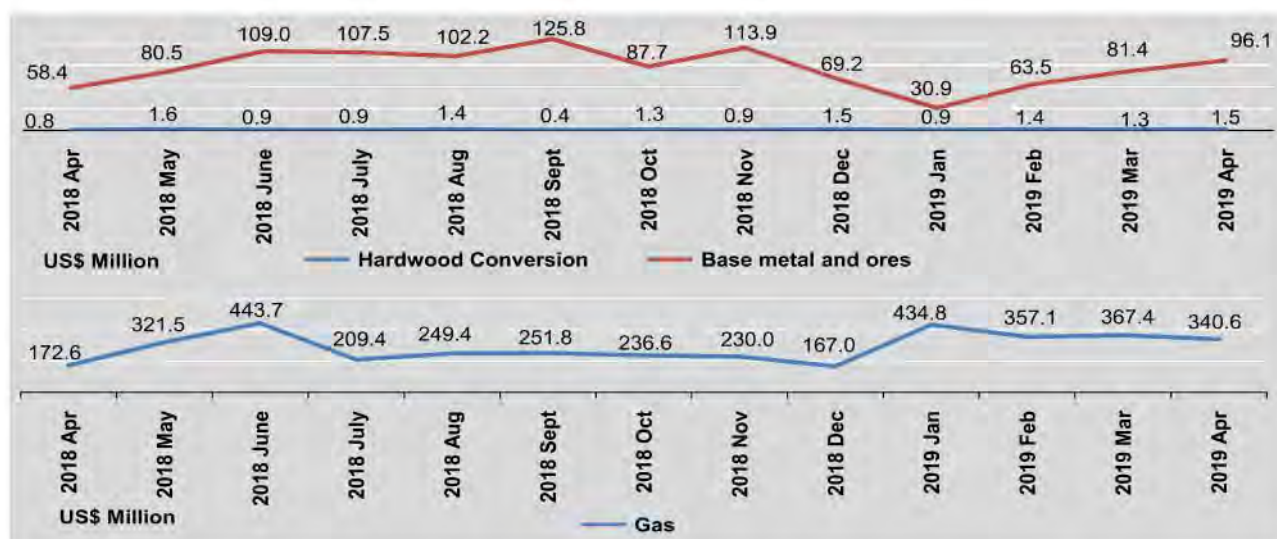




FY	Hardwood Conversion		Plywood and Veneer	Base metal and ores		Gas	
	Quantity (thou.cubic. ton)	Value	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity (thousand kilogram)	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	33.0	37.5	98.5	211.3	782.8	11,648,091.8	3,116.3
2017-2018 (October-September)	19.2	15.7	70.8	231.4	1,082.0	439,344.7 *	3,513.2
2018-2019 (October-April)	10.7	8.8	34.7	113.1	542.7	235,117.8 *	2,133.5
<b>2018</b>							
April	1.1	0.8	4.1	11.7	58.4	23,110.9 *	172.6
May	2.0	1.6	4.5	17.3	80.5	41,601.4 *	321.5
June	1.1	0.9	5.2	23.9	109.0	54,182.7 *	443.7
July	1.1	0.9	4.9	21.3	107.5	26,099.5 *	209.4
August	1.8	1.4	5.5	21.2	102.2	30,867.4 *	249.4
September	0.5	0.4	5.8	24.7	125.8	30,534.3 *	251.8
October	1.8	1.3	5.7	18.6	87.7	27,542.0 *	236.6
November	1.1	0.9	4.0	24.1	113.9	26,608.8 *	230.0
December	1.8	1.5	6.5	14.1	69.2	19,599.8 *	167.0
<b>2019</b>							
January	1.2	0.9	4.8	8.2	30.9	46,520.2 *	434.8
February	1.6	1.4	4.9	10.8	63.5	37,301.4 *	357.1
March	1.3	1.3	5.6	17.2	81.4	41,049.2 *	367.4
April	1.9	1.5	3.2	20.1	96.1	36,496.4 *	340.6

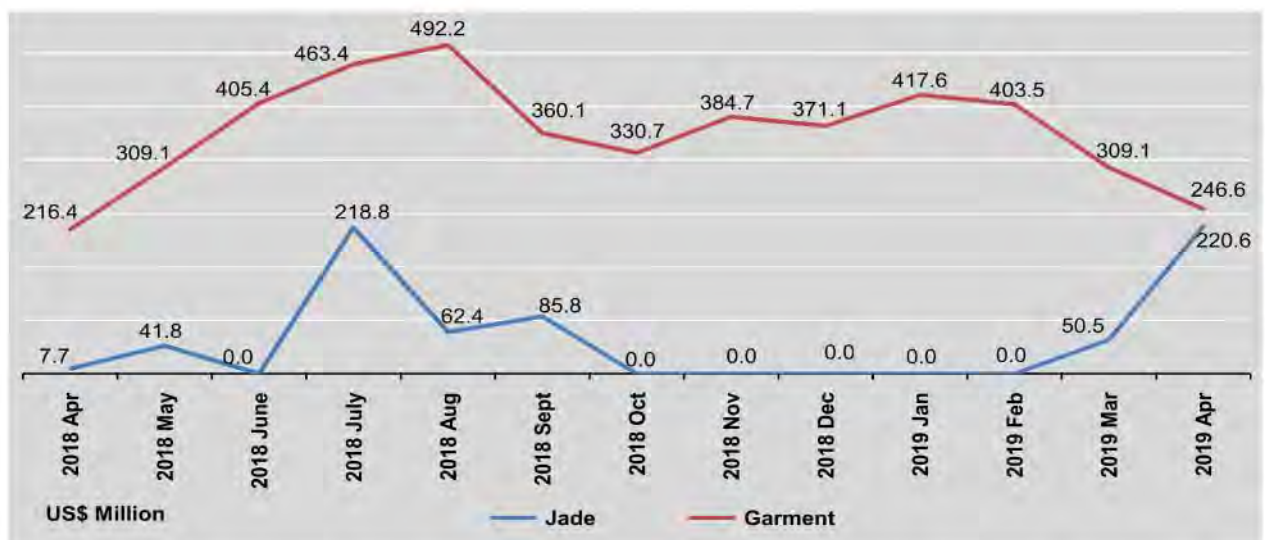
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FY	Jade	Sugar		Garment		Others
	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity (thou.number)	Value	Value
2016-2017 (October-September)	347.1	846.5	522.5	480,406.6	2,318.8	3,017.0
2017-2018 (October-September)	971.8	241.7	154.3	618,891.1	3,553.7	4,085.9
2018-2019 (October-April)	271.1	64.2	37.4	443,771.3	2,463.3	2,342.1
<b>2018</b>						
April	7.7	5.5	3.5	38,448.7	216.4	389.3
May	41.8	66.9	43.7	51,155.8	309.1	310.7
June	-	75.4	48.7	69,339.8	405.4	292.6
July	218.8	71.2	43.3	73,851.7	463.4	359.4
August	62.4	1.1	0.9	71,023.4	492.2	496.9
September	85.8	9.9	6.4	57,214.9	360.1	602.5
October	#	0.2	0.2	54,257.6	330.7	279.0
November	-	0.3	0.2	58,588.9	384.7	275.5
December	-	38.9	20.9	63,576.6	371.1	274.1
<b>2019</b>						
January	-	10.4	6.7	77,122.6	417.6	353.2
February	-	10.5	6.8	74,101.5	403.5	285.1
March	50.5	3.4	2.2	65,118.6	309.1	532.5
April	220.6	0.5	0.4	51,005.5	246.6	342.7

Source: Customs Department.



Commodity	Unit	Australia	United Arab Emirates	Bangladesh	Belgium	China	Hong Kong	India
Rice*	US \$	-	-	-	5.30	5.58	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	20.09	18.98	-	-
Maize	US \$	-	-	-	-	2.46	0.04	0.24
	MT	-	-	-	-	14.18	0.18	1.24
Matpe	US \$	0.03	0.80	1.08	-	-	-	1.21
	MT	0.04	1.63	2.38	-	-	-	2.29
Green mung bean	US \$	0.01	0.63	0.40	0.09	24.94	#	0.21
	MT	0.02	1.04	0.77	0.09	35.07	0.01	0.38
Pesingon	US \$	0.02	0.27	-	-	0.06	-	#
	MT	0.02	0.46	-	-	0.13	-	#
Gram	US \$	-	-	4.80	-	0.07	-	2.82
	MT	-	-	8.48	-	0.13	-	5.88
Sesame seeds	US \$	-	-	-	-	10.31	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	5.87	-	-
Tamarind	US \$	-	#	0.17	-	0.40	-	-
	MT	-	0.03	0.64	-	1.18	-	-
Raw rubber	US \$	-	-	0.03	-	13.86	-	0.45
	MT	-	-	0.02	-	10.75	-	0.30
Hide and skin	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.05
	MT	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.10
Fresh and dried Prawns	US \$	0.14	#	-	-	3.48	0.83	-
	MT	0.02	#	-	-	4.12	0.08	-
Fish and Fish Product	US \$	0.07	1.54	0.77	#	6.90	0.15	0.15
	MT	0.05	1.43	0.80	#	6.19	#	0.28
Teak Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teak Conversion	US \$	0.05	0.02	-	-	0.60	-	0.92
	Cu.Ton	0.02	0.01	-	-	0.30	-	0.62
Hardwood Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hardwood Conversion	US \$	-	-	-	-	0.03	-	1.26
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	0.04	-	1.66
Base metal and ores	US \$	-	-	-	-	51.30	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	10.67	-	-
Gas	US \$	-	-	-	-	136.22	-	-
	mil.cu.ft	-	-	-	-	13826.24	-	-
Jade	US \$	-	-	-	-	183.24	37.40	-
Garment	US \$	0.55	0.89	-	7.85	3.16	0.78	0.43
	NMB	171.43	243.30	-	2171.70	521.71	258.05	287.90

\* include Broken Rice.

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Commodity	Unit	Indonesia	Italy	Japan	Korea Rep:	Malaysia	Pakistan	Philippines	Russia
Rice*	US \$	-	0.17	-	-	-	-	3.09	0.47
	MT	-	0.43	-	-	-	-	9.91	1.30
Maize	US \$	-	-	-	-	#	-	2.89	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	#	-	11.54	-
Matpe	US \$	0.08	#	0.06	-	0.73	3.33	-	-
	MT	0.15	#	0.08	-	1.30	5.60	-	-
Green mung bean	US \$	0.39	0.01	0.66	1.35	0.58	0.07	0.43	-
	MT	0.55	0.02	0.69	1.50	0.76	0.13	0.60	-
Pesingon	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	#	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	-	0.02	-	-
Gram	US \$	-	0.01	-	0.01	0.04	-	-	-
	MT	-	0.03	-	0.04	0.08	-	-	-
Sesame seeds	US \$	-	-	0.31	1.65	-	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	0.15	0.83	-	-	-	-
Tamarind	US \$	0.10	-	-	-	0.51	0.63	-	-
	MT	0.30	-	-	-	1.40	2.42	-	-
Raw rubber	US \$	-	-	0.69	0.36	4.67	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	0.49	0.25	3.58	-	-	-
Hide and skin	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fresh and dried Prawns	US \$	-	-	0.93	-	0.17	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	0.17	-	0.03	-	-	-
Fish and Fish Product	US \$	-	0.19	0.15	0.02	1.00	-	-	-
	MT	-	0.12	0.11	0.01	0.59	-	-	-
Teak Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teak Conversion	US \$	-	0.43	0.03	0.02	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	0.14	0.01	0.01	-	-	-	-
Hardwood Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hardwood Conversion	US \$	-	-	0.06	0.03	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	0.05	0.04	-	-	-	-
Base metal and ores	US \$	4.28	-	-	-	0.62	-	-	-
	MT	0.71	-	-	-	0.10	-	-	-
Gas	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	mil.cu.ft	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jade	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment	US \$	0.06	10.41	60.60	20.77	0.70	-	0.17	0.86
	NMB	17.26	1152.39	8829.80	3025.74	176.31	-	50.82	278.29

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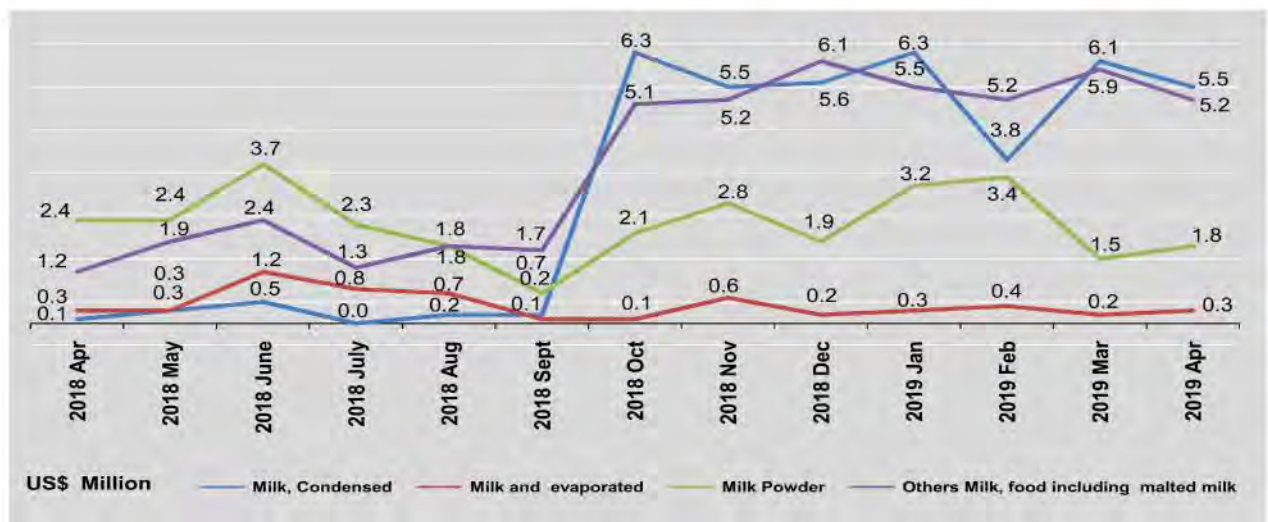
Commodity	Unit	Saudi Arabia	Singapore	Spain	Thailand	United Kingdom	United States	Vietnam
Rice*	US \$	-	0.16	1.05	0.14	0.59	-	-
	MT	-	0.47	2.94	0.50	2.15	-	-
Maize	US \$	-	-	-	7.99	-	-	-
	MT	-	-	-	50.13	-	-	-
Matpe	US \$	-	1.25	-	0.92	0.08	0.08	0.47
	MT	-	2.13	-	1.67	0.11	0.12	0.89
Green mung bean	US \$	-	3.95	#	0.01	0.68	0.06	2.58
	MT	-	4.75	0.01	0.01	0.71	0.07	3.29
Pesingon	US \$	-	#	-	0.01	#	0.02	-
	MT	-	0.01	-	0.02	#	0.02	-
Gram	US \$	-	0.01	-	-	#	#	-
	MT	-	0.01	-	-	#	#	-
Sesame seeds	US \$	-	0.76	-	0.43	-	-	-
	MT	-	0.38	-	0.23	-	-	-
Tamarind	US \$	-	0.29	-	0.01	-	#	0.20
	MT	-	0.92	-	0.05	-	#	0.62
Raw rubber	US \$	-	-	-	0.27	-	-	0.19
	MT	-	-	-	0.22	-	-	0.14
Hide and skin	US \$	-	0.18	-	-	-	-	-
	MT	-	0.41	-	-	-	-	-
Fresh and dried Prawns	US \$	0.05	0.24	-	1.57	0.06	0.07	#
	MT	0.02	0.09	-	0.46	0.01	0.02	#
Fish and Fish Product	US \$	1.56	1.52	-	24.66	0.96	0.32	-
	MT	0.75	1.12	-	36.55	0.47	0.17	-
Teak Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teak Conversion	US \$	-	0.21	0.04	0.59	-	0.14	#
	Cu.Ton	-	0.11	0.01	0.34	-	0.05	#
Hardwood Log	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hardwood Conversion	US \$	-	0.07	-	0.67	-	-	-
	Cu.Ton	-	0.10	-	0.37	-	-	-
Base metal and ores	US \$	-	0.07	-	8.39	-	-	6.51
	MT	-	0.03	-	1.40	-	-	1.08
Gas	US \$	-	-	-	204.43	-	-	-
	mil.cu.ft	-	-	-	22670.19	-	-	-
Jade	US \$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Garment	US \$	#	0.09	20.95	2.74	24.03	11.83	0.04
	NMB	0.87	31.35	4810.82	317.73	5095.53	3725.73	16.04

\* include Broken Rice.

Source: Customs Department.

FY	Total	Milk, Condensed	Milk and evaporated	Milk Powder	Others Milk, food including malted milk
2016-2017 (October-September)	18,864.3	6.5	8.2	37.6	27.3
2017-2018 (October-September)	19,448.7	2.7	7.4	31.5	18.8
2018-2019 (October-April)	10,303.3	39.1	2.1	16.7	38.2
<b>2018</b>					
April	1,412.9	0.1	0.3	2.4	1.2
May	1,970.1	0.3	0.3	2.4	1.9
June	1,629.6	0.5	1.2	3.7	2.4
July	1,431.3	0.0	0.8	2.3	1.3
August	1,787.1	0.2	0.7	1.8	1.8
September	1,628.3	0.2	0.1	0.7	1.7
October	1,489.4	6.3	0.1	2.1	5.1
November	1,529.0	5.5	0.6	2.8	5.2
December	1,441.8	5.6	0.2	1.9	6.1
<b>2019</b>					
January	1,567.6	6.3	0.3	3.2	5.5
February	1,392.8	3.8	0.4	3.4 (r)	5.2
March	1,385.6 (r)	6.1	0.2	1.5	5.9
April	1,497.1	5.5	0.3	1.8	5.2

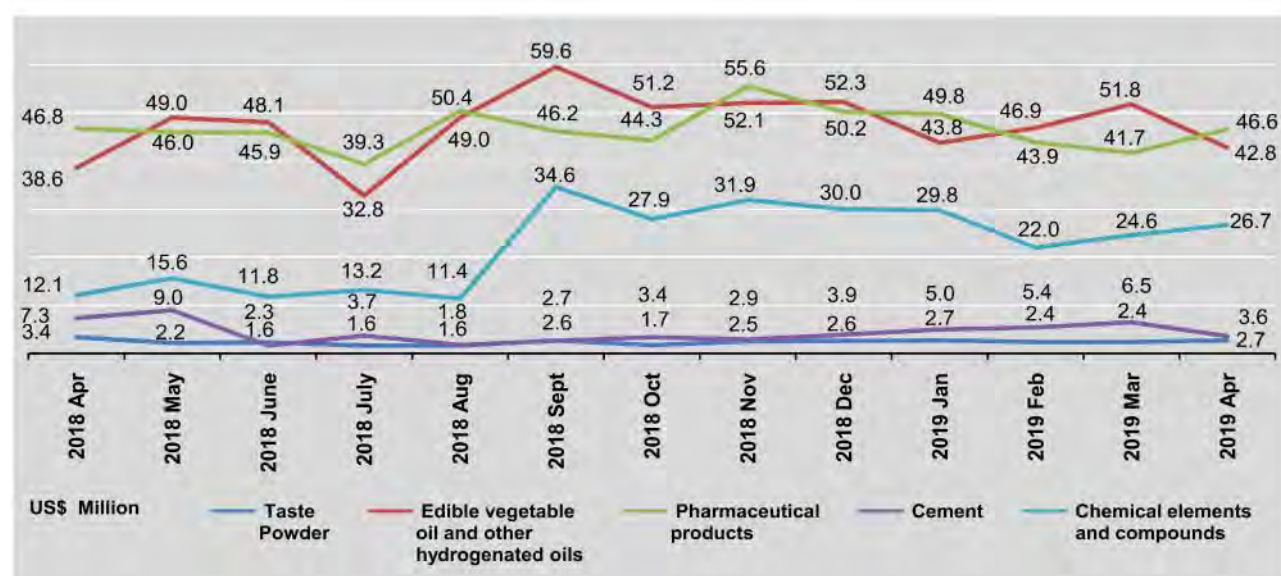
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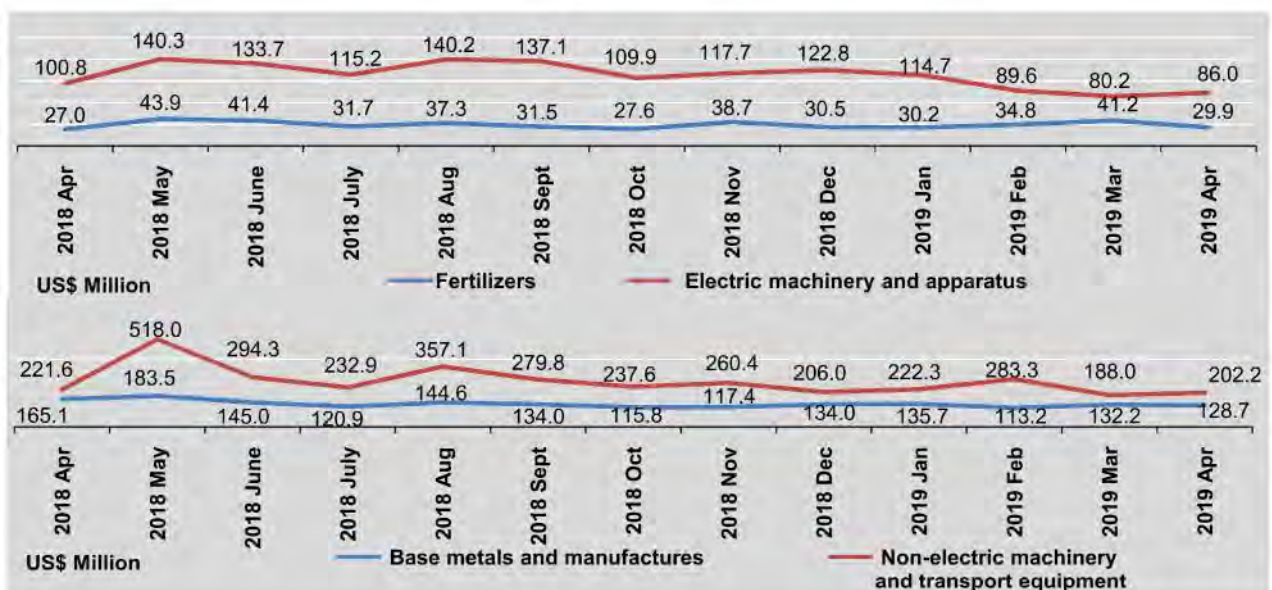
FY	Taste Powder	Spices	Edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils	Pharmaceutical products	Cement	Dyeing tanning and colouring materials	Chemical elements and compounds
2016-2017 (October-September)	39.0	9.4	696.9	517.7	126.1	34.3	258.0
2017-2018 (October-September)	24.5	13.8	601.6	539.2	55.9	40.9	169.7
2018-2019 (October-April)	17.0	6.1	340.9	332.1	30.7	21.8	192.9
<b>2018</b>							
April	3.4	1.1	38.6	46.8	7.3	3.4	12.1
May	2.2	1.6	49.0	46.0	9.0	4.3	15.6
June	2.3	1.1	48.1	45.9	1.6	3.7	11.8
July	1.6	1.3	32.8	39.3	3.7	2.6	13.2
August	1.6	0.9	49.0	50.4	1.8	3.6	11.4
September	2.7	2.2	59.6	46.2	2.6	2.8	34.6
October	1.7	1.6	51.2	44.3	3.4	2.1	27.9
November	2.5	0.5	52.1	55.6	2.9	3.8	31.9
December	2.6	0.3	52.3	50.2	3.9	2.9	30.0
<b>2019</b>							
January	2.7	0.7	43.8	49.8	5.0	3.6	29.8
February	2.4	0.5	46.9	43.9	5.4	3.2	22.0
March	2.4	0.4	51.8	41.7	6.5	3.3	24.6
April	2.7	2.1	42.8	46.6	3.6	2.9	26.7

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FY	Fertilizers	Scientific instrument	Base metals and manufactures	Non-electric machinery and transport equipment	Electric machinery and apparatus	Paper, paperboard and manufactures
2016-2017 (October-September)	296.0	194.4	1,590.4	4,013.6	1,547.4	263.9
2017-2018 (October-September)	354.2	271.9	1,763.6	3,783.3	1,510.3	295.1
2018-2019 (October-April)	232.9	85.4	877.0	1,599.8	720.9	195.7
<b>2018</b>						
April	27.0	12.2	165.1	221.6	100.8	25.6
May	43.9	20.8	183.5	518.0	140.3	25.8
June	41.4	18.6	145.0	294.3	133.7	18.7
July	31.7	25.1	120.9	232.9	115.2	18.2
August	37.3	13.2	144.6	357.1	140.2	28.6
September	31.5	17.5	134.0	279.8	137.1	24.8
October	27.6	10.6	115.8	237.6	109.9	26.7
November	38.7	11.6	117.4	260.4	117.7	30.0
December	30.5	10.3	134.0	206.0	122.8	24.7
<b>2019</b>						
January	30.2	13.9	135.7	222.3	114.7	28.8
February	34.8	13.1	113.2	283.3	89.6	26.8
March	41.2	13.0	132.2	188.0	80.2	30.4
April	29.9	12.9	128.7	202.2	86.0	28.3

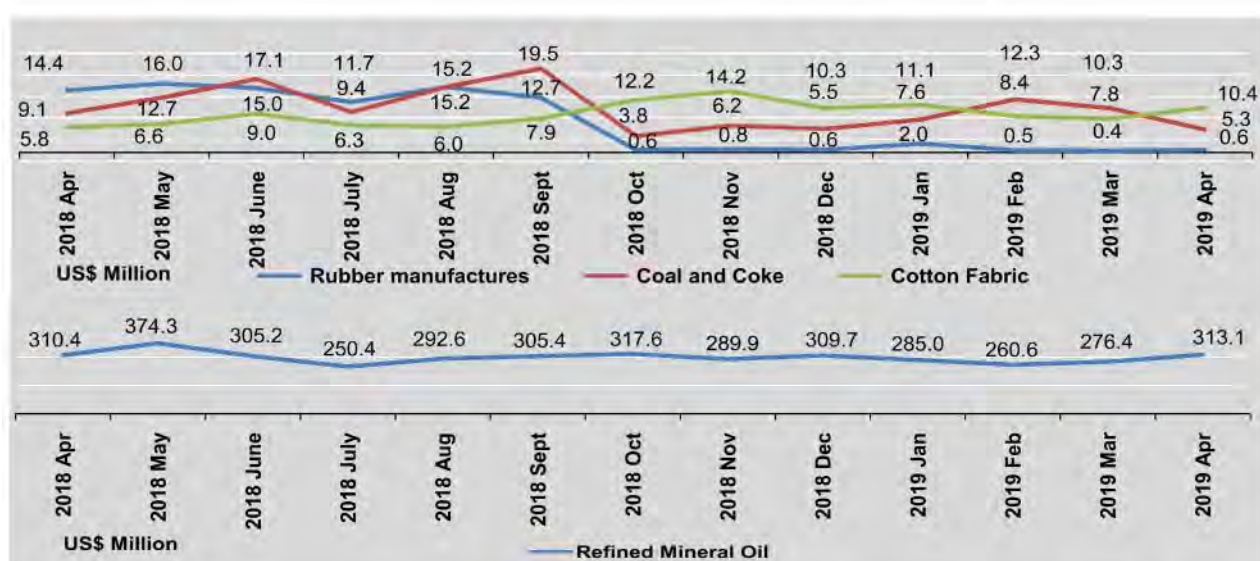
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FY	Rubber Manufactures	Crude Oil	Coal and Coke	Refined Mineral Oil	Wheat Flour	Tobacco and Tobacco Manufactures	Cotton Fabric
2016-2017 (October-September)	139.1	-	121.4	2,924.0	10.6	66.0	68.7
2017-2018 (October-September)	157.9	#	191.1	3,887.6	13.9	61.4	102.4
2018-2019 (October-April)	5.5	-	51.0	2,052.3	15.7	43.6	74.4
<b>2018</b>							
April	14.4	-	9.1	310.4	1.1	5.2	5.8
May	16.0	-	12.7	374.3	1.1	5.4	6.6
June	15.0	-	17.1	305.2	1.6	7.8	9.0
July	11.7	-	9.4	250.4	0.4	3.7	6.3
August	15.2	-	15.2	292.6	1.7	7.0	6.0
September	12.7	-	19.5	305.4	0.6	1.2	7.9
October	0.6	-	3.8	317.6	1.7	5.9	12.2
November	0.8	-	6.2	289.9	2.4	7.0	14.2
December	0.6	-	5.5	309.7	2.4	6.6	10.3
<b>2019</b>							
January	2.0	-	7.6	285.0	3.6	7.4	11.1
February	0.5	-	12.3	260.6	1.9	4.8	8.4
March	0.4 (r)	-	10.3	276.4	2.1	5.8	7.8
April	0.6	-	5.3	313.1	1.6	6.1	10.4

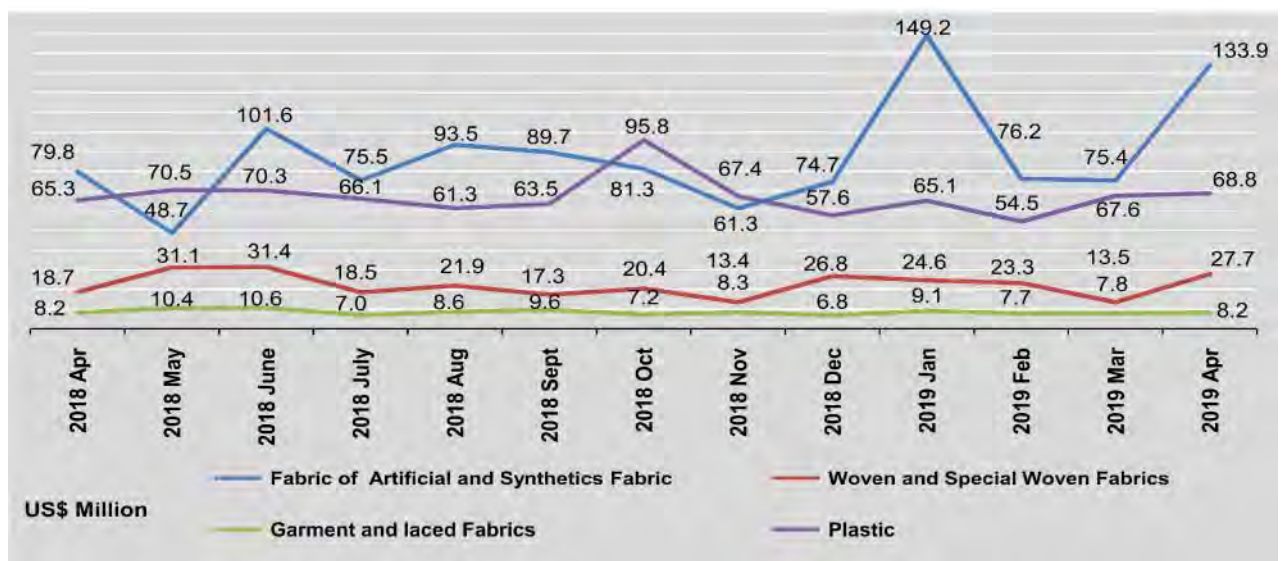
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FY	Fabric of Artificial and Synthetics Fabric	Woven and Special Woven Fabrics	Garment and laced Fabrics	Plastic	Others
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	715.6	189.9	152.5	674.3	4,135.5
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	951.5	240.7	131.4	741.7	3485.7
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	652.0	149.7	55.1	476.8	1977.9
<b>2018</b>					
<b>April</b>	79.8	18.7	8.2	65.3	225.8
<b>May</b>	48.7	31.1	10.4	70.5	328.5
<b>June</b>	101.6	31.4	10.6	70.3	284.7
<b>July</b>	75.5	18.5	7.0	66.1	339.4
<b>August</b>	93.5	21.9	8.6	61.3	419.8
<b>September</b>	89.7	17.3	9.6	63.5	322.8
<b>October</b>	81.3	20.4	7.2	95.8	268.9
<b>November</b>	61.3	13.4	8.3	67.4	318.9
<b>December</b>	74.7	26.8	6.8	57.6	256.5
<b>2019</b>					
<b>January</b>	149.2	24.6	9.1	65.1	306.7 (r)
<b>February</b>	76.2	23.3	7.7	54.5	244.6 (r)
<b>March</b>	75.4	13.5	7.8	67.6	289.1 (r)
<b>April</b>	133.9	27.7	8.2	68.8	293.2

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Commodity	Bangladesh	China	Germany	Hong Kong	India	Indonesia	Japan	Korea
Milk, Condensed	-	-	-	-	-	0.02	-	-
Edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils	-	0.03	-	-	0.20	36.67	-	-
Pharmaceutical products	1.65	2.47	2.57	-	18.29	2.46	0.47	5.10
Cement	-	0.15	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dyeing tanning and colouring materials	-	0.33	0.12	-	0.14	0.04	0.01	0.08
Chemical elements and compounds	0.05	10.93	0.31	0.02	1.65	0.71	0.52	1.55
Fertilizers	-	10.04	1.71	-	0.33	0.03	0.02	0.23
Scientific instrument	#	3.72	1.00	0.01	0.38	0.14	2.33	0.18
Base metals and manufactures	#	85.36	0.04	0.04	2.01	1.37	2.13	3.45
Non-electric machinery and transport equipment	-	88.16	5.23	#	11.25	4.25	20.72	8.06
Electric machinery and apparatus	-	37.12	0.89	0.01	2.23	1.06	10.74	1.98
Paper, paperboard and manufactures	0.01	10.33	0.12	0.14	0.31	9.96	0.98	1.15
Rubber manufactures	-	0.14	-	-	0.03	0.02	0.06	0.17
Refined Mineral Oil	-	0.27	0.06	0.03	0.10	0.01	0.26	1.08
Tobacco and Tobacco Manufactures	-	0.12	-	-	0.24	-	-	-
Cotton Fabric	0.15	8.08	-	#	0.06	0.19	0.40	0.33
Fabric of Artificial and Synthetics Fabric	-	123.37	0.03	0.16	0.44	0.44	1.71	3.08
Woven and Special Woven Fabrics	0.06	22.19	0.14	0.37	0.12	41.05	0.93	1.24
Garment and laced Fabrics	0.02	3.36	0.11	0.02	0.12	0.01	0.24	0.11
Plastic	0.16	20.96	0.13	0.16	0.58	0.83	0.58	4.38

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Commodity	Malaysia	Philippines	Singapore	Taiwan	Thailand	United Arab Emirates	United States	Vietnam
Milk, Condensed	1.83	-	3.55	-	0.06	-	-	0.03
Edible vegetable oil and other hydrogenated oils	4.00	-	0.03	-	0.55	-	-	-
Pharmaceutical products	0.12	0.82	0.36	0.13	3.50	-	0.26	0.44
Cement	-	-	#	-	3.41	-	-	-
Dyeing tanning and colouring materials	0.57	0.10	0.36	0.15	0.70	-	0.03	0.06
Chemical elements and compounds	1.01	-	2.89	0.26	2.14	0.02	0.15	0.98
Fertilizers	5.16	-	-	-	3.24	0.35	0.10	0.08
Scientific instrument	0.04	#	0.20	0.30	1.11	-	1.13	0.60
Base metals and manufactures	12.18	0.01	0.28	0.91	6.37	0.02	0.45	11.84
Non-electric machinery and transport equipment	1.79	0.36	2.11	1.86	34.00	0.01	4.86	6.66
Electric machinery and apparatus	1.48	0.10	0.97	0.39	6.59	0.02	2.20	16.74
Paper, paperboard and manufactures	0.57	0.21	0.21	0.34	2.02	#	0.03	1.40
Rubber manufactures	0.02	-	-	0.03	0.06	-	-	0.02
Refined Mineral Oil	40.89	-	249.62	0.11	18.57	1.19	0.06	0.20
Tobacco and Tobacco Manufactures	-	1.17	0.06	-	-	-	-	0.02
Cotton Fabric	0.07	-	-	0.02	0.43	-	-	0.59
Fabric of Artificial and Synthetics Fabric	0.08	-	#	2.42	0.74	-	0.29	0.68
Woven and Special Woven Fabrics	0.04	-	-	1.02	0.76	-	#	0.45
Garment and laced Fabrics	#	0.01	0.05	0.10	3.06	#	#	0.55
Plastic	3.30	0.07	1.63	1.39	14.61	0.25	3.80	2.70

Source: Customs Department.



CHAPTER 2  
**PRODUCTION**







# PRODUCTION | ANALYSIS

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

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

## PRODUCTION BY THE STATE-OWNED ECONOMIC ENTERPRISES

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

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

## PRODUCTION BY THE PRIVATE ENTERPRISES

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

## PRODUCTION OF ELECTRIC POWER

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

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

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



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

### ■ PRODUCTION OF PRECIOUS MINERALS AND PEARLS

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

### ■ PRODUCTION OF MINERALS

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

### ■ PRODUCTION OF MEAT, FISH, MILK AND EGG

The number of slaughtered for sheep/goat, cattle and pig has increased by 6.43%, 3.93% and 2.95% in April 2019 compared to April 2018. The production of meat has increased for fish, mutton, beef, duck, pork and chicken by 10.83%, 6.50%, 4.04%, 3.36%, 2.99% and 1.48% in April 2019 compared to April 2018.

The number of slaughtered for pig, cattle and sheep/goat has increased by 7.10%, 6.59% and 2.73% respectively in 2017-2018 (October-September) compared to 2016-2017 (October-September).

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

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

Production data for meat is collected from the Livestock Breeding and Veterinary Department of the Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Irrigation which is recorded from the private sector.

(1 viss = 1.6329 Kilogram)

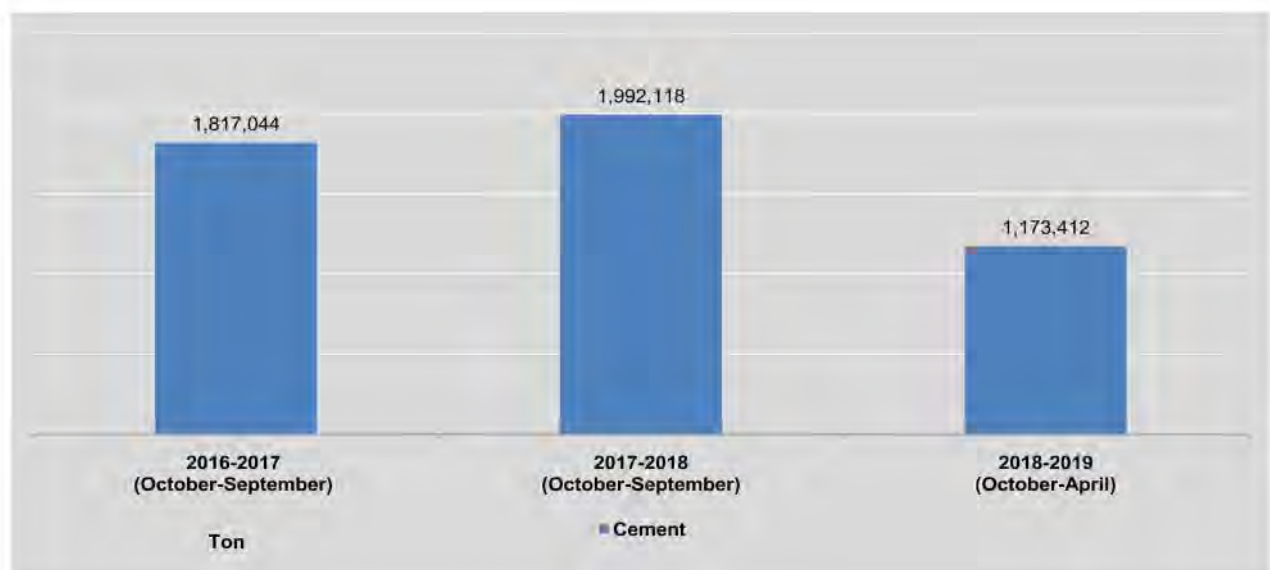
FY	Cement (ton)	Hardwood (no. of sheet)	Wood Veneer (sq.ft)	Fertilizer (Urea) (metric ton)	Alcohol (gallon)
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	1,817,044	19,900	96,964,134	90,407	3,327,209
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	1,992,118	3,407	202,274,852	112,902	2,313,218
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	1,173,412	2,984	45,821,702	73,787	3,438,430
<b>2018</b>					
April	81,881	-	-	-	91,056
May	203,441	-	12,765,640	3,205	174,033
June	151,138	-	12,731,559	10,983	234,637
July	129,533	-	16,998,933	14,865	266,402
August	121,285	-	13,799,385	16,691	290,001
September	123,267	-	7,322,752	8,411	252,495
October	138,006	-	1,324,838	11,534	186,903
November	106,279	-	6,587,143	13,077	322,057
December	208,855 (r)	-	5,668,124	14,084	362,727
<b>2019</b>					
January	173,355	-	7,218,841	16,896	395,623
February	152,674	-	6,363,184	18,085	1,707,724
March	239,272	2,984	7,223,370	111	405,531
April	154,971	-	11,436,202	-	57,865

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

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

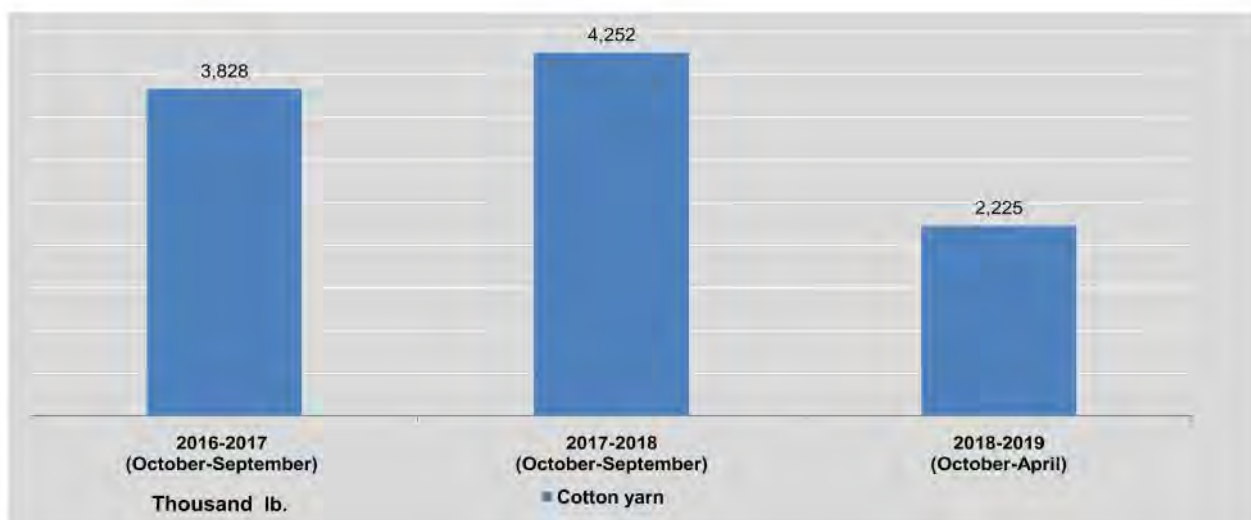
Note: 1 sheet = 32 sq ft

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FY	Cotton yarn (thousand lb.)	Cotton fabrics (thousand yd.)	Cotton Longyi (Men's) (thousand No.)
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	3,828	2,093	138
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	4252 (r)	1861	141
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	2225	951	60
<b>2018</b>			
April	238	4	16
May	450	64	21
June	452	138	3
July	404	150	3
August	245	302	-
September	293 (r)	453	1
October	78	221	2
November	244	67	3
December	438	126	15
<b>2019</b>			
January	391	200	4
February	365	134	10
March	390	122	15
April	319	81	11

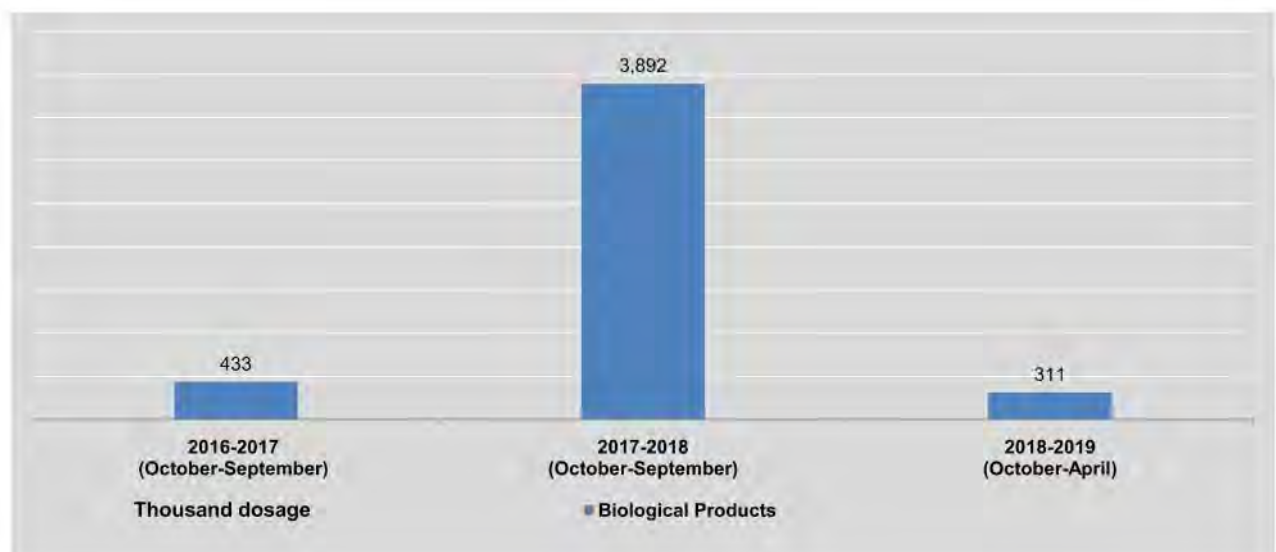
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FY	Pharmaceutical Products					
	Solids (kg)	Liquids (litres)	Ointment and Similar Preparations (kg)	Tablets (Million tabs)	Sterile Products (thousand amp)	Biological Products (thousand dosage)
2016-2017 (October-September)	967,510	611,359	44,596	1,061	28,605	433
2017-2018 (October-September)	764,292	933,767	57,493	844	40,000	3,892
2018-2019 (October-April)	481,393	500,281	40,749	504	19,972	311
<b>2018</b>						
April	66,712	81,976	5,902	61	3,161	2,285
May	38,232	81,744	4,889	56	2,575	29
June	41,724	80,409	3,068	47	2,720	30
July	55,167	76,756	247	120	3,189	52
August	77,975	49,642	7,846	67	2,129	135
September	98,453	97,512	12,954	62	1,594	13
October	77,100	58,523	13,741	63	2,434	50
November	109,350	85,924	5,920	43	2,743	65
December	69,881	15,124	7,440	114 (r)	2,670	66
<b>2019</b>						
January	27,210	74,644	8,347	77	3,614	50
February	46,812	98,871	-	59	3,862	26
March	84,058	79,057	1,969	91	2,297	23
April	66,982	88,138	3,332	57	2,352	31

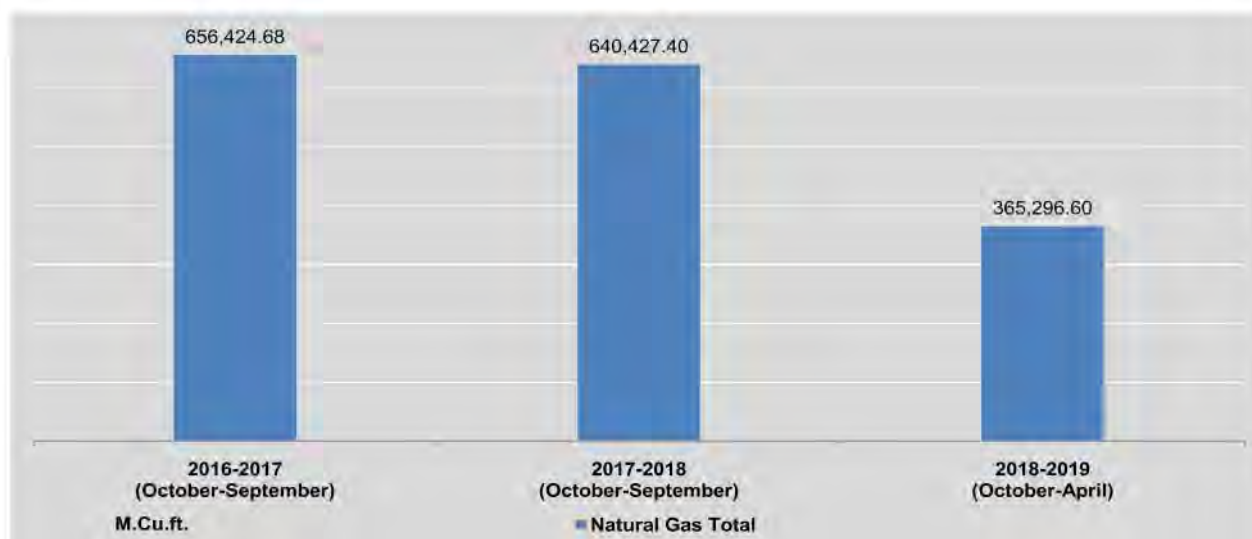
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FY	Crude Oil * (000) U.S. Barrels	Natural Gas			Petroleum coke (M.T)
		Pipeline Gas (M.Cu.ft.)	As Compressed (M.Cu.ft)	Total (M.Cu.ft.)	
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	4,167	649,811.33	6,613.35	656,424.68	13,640
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	3,602	633,325.75	7,101.65	640,427.40	11,205
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	1,892	360,973.77	4,322.83	365,296.60	6,081
<b>2018</b>					
April	249	52,824.95	570.54	53,395.49	22
May	299	61,563.71	653.06	62,216.77	302
June	293	49,094.70	613.29	49,707.99	1,121
July	299	44,319.27	624.65	44,943.92	1,828
August	297	43,289.15	620.34	43,909.49	621
September	281	42,146.17	624.18	42,770.35	1,444
October	291	43,127.65	642.50	43,770.15	1,118
November	277	49,306.20	619.09	49,925.29	1,781
December	265	53,270.60	646.28	53,916.88	76
<b>2019</b>					
January	279	52,245.41	656.27	52,901.68	1,609
February	255	53,794.06	593.03	54,387.09	192
March	272	57,212.09	551.05	57,763.14	1,184
April	253	52,017.76	614.61	52,632.37	121

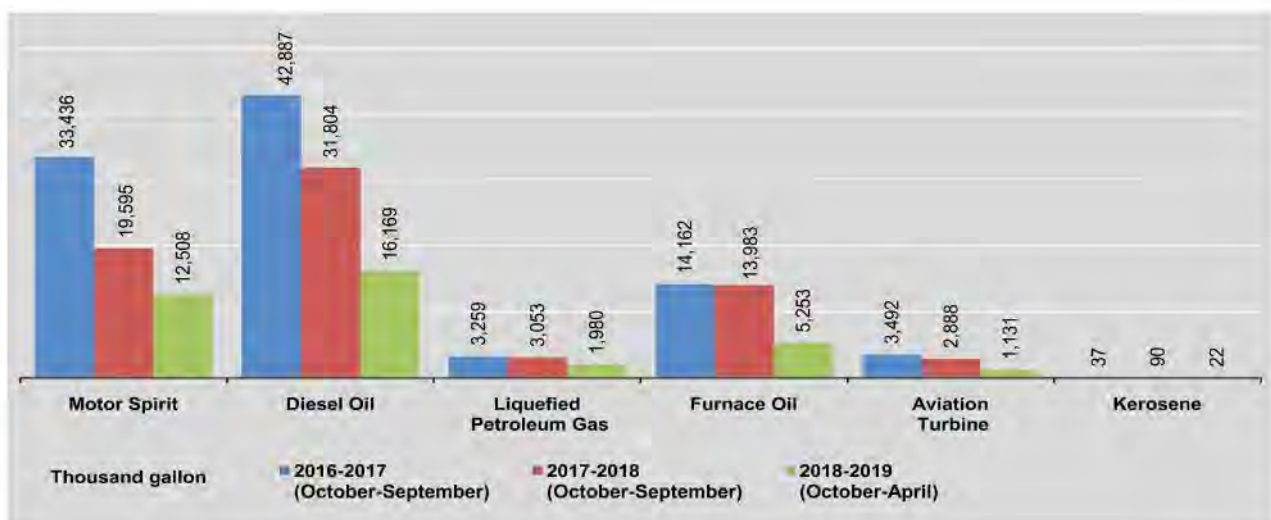
\* Includes joint venture offshore production.

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FY	Motor Spirit	Diesel Oil	Liquefied Petroleum Gas	Furnace Oil	Aviation Turbine	Kerosene
2016-2017 (October-September)	33,436	42,887	3,259	14,162	3,492	37
2017-2018 (October-September)	19,595	31,804	3,053	13,983	2,888	90
2018-2019 (October-April)	12,508	16,169	1,980	5,253	1,131	22
<b>2018</b>						
April	322	21	232	267	2	1
May	639	945	269	563	61	5
June	506	3,923	310	1,620	485	3
July	3,997	4,429	357	669	553	4
August	1,811	1,747	305	1,674	116	3
September	2,638	3,556	368	3,347	262	53
October	2,352	1,808	329	1,374	98	2
November	2,959	4,034	352	1,181	249	3
December	493	954	254	405	38	4
<b>2019</b>						
January	2,680	4,080	319	736	302	4
February	1,245	1,082	232	246	80	3
March	2,109	3,154	217	1,155	274	3
April	670	1,057	277	156	90	3

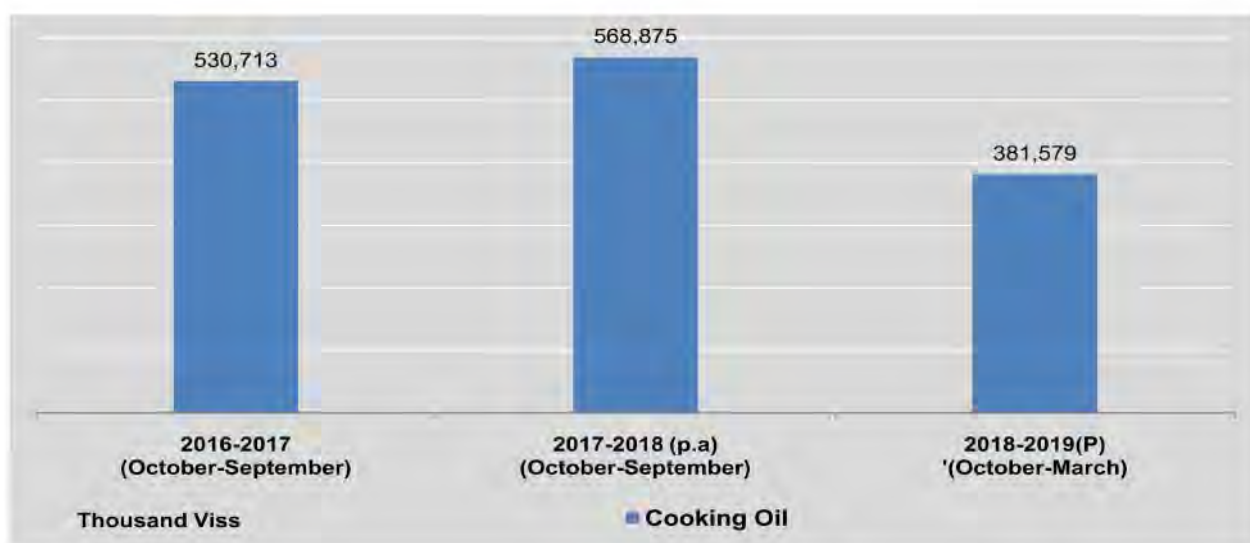
Source: Myanmar Pharmaceutical Industries, No.(2) Heavy Industries Enterprise, No.(3) Heavy Industries Enterprise, Department of Mines, Oil and Gas Planning Department, Myanmar Petrochemical Enterprise, Department of Agriculture, Myanmar Timber Enterprise, Myanmar Economic Holdings Public Company Limited.





FY	Cooking Oil (thousand viss)	Instant Noodles (thousand pack)	Cement (metric ton)	Ready Made Garment (thousand no.)	Fertilizer (metric ton)
2016-2017 (October-September)	530,713	334,730	1,907,185	1,709,522	1,944,172
2017-2018 (p.a) (October-September)	568,875	247,953	4,646,633	1,167,924	2,116,583
2018-2019(P) '(October-March)	381,579	141,143	3,527,565	571,734	1,517,798
<b>2017-2018 (p.a)</b>					
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (January-March)	165,261	93,085	2,424,640	243,492	799,129
3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (April-June)	92,016	72,981	634,223	202,651	346,530
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (July-September)	131,346	45,909	468,803	416,741	361,582
<b>2018-2019 (p)</b>					
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (October-December)	199,005	40,133	1,111,042	315,309	684,747
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (January-March)	182,574	101,010	2,416,523	256,425	833,051

Source: Planning Department.

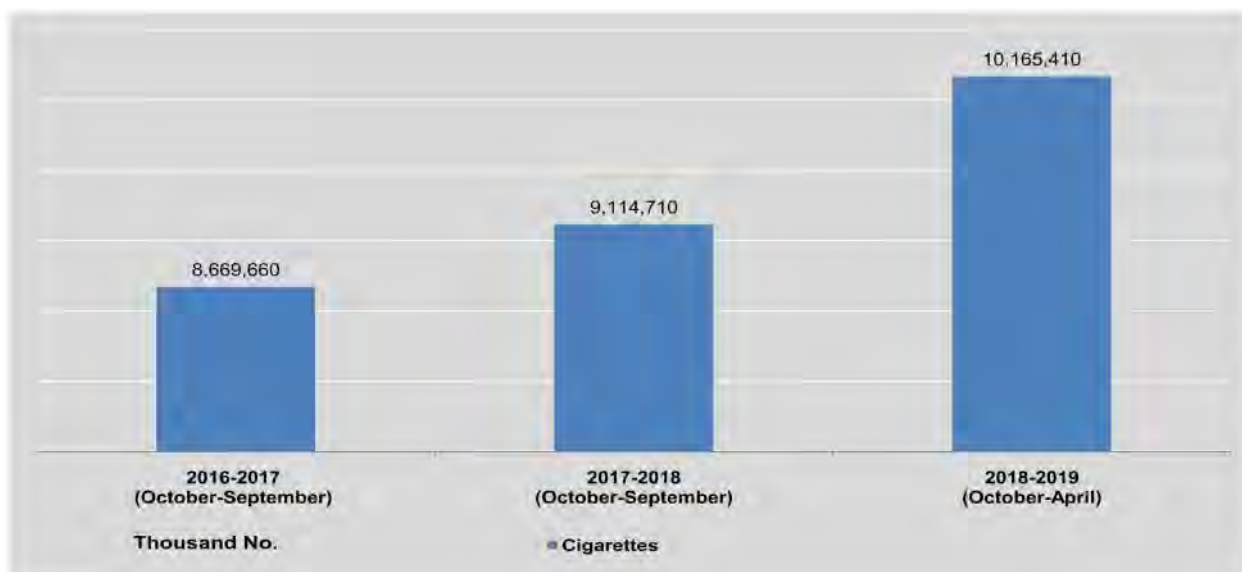


FY	Beer (gallon)	Cigarettes (thousand No.)	Vest (thousand No.)
2016-2017 (October-September)	55,700,890	8,669,660	120
2017-2018 (October-September)	59,832,183	9,114,710	171
2018-2019 (October-April)	44,103,400	10,165,410	59
<b>2018</b>			
April	5,435,106	623,850	15
May	5,583,251	821,580	20
June	5,583,550	786,100	-
July	4,239,406	729,140	5
August	2,569,745	830,210	6
September	4,908,254	763,270	3
October	4,827,817	737,390	17
November	5,686,556	670,880	8
December	7,532,711	712,100	8
<b>2019</b>			
January	6,390,946	765,780	5
February	6,684,617	712,420	7
March	6,624,399	716,640	8
April	6,356,354	5,850,200	6

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

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



FY	Sugar (ton)	Salt		
		Crude Salt (ton)	Fine Salt (ton)	Total (ton)
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	2,755	158,499	185,453	343,952
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	3,149	189,146	215,056	404,202
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	4,177	177,565	123,973	301,538
<b>2018</b>				
April	-	89,524	20,318	109,842
May	-	11,210	18,174	29,384
June	-	-	10,862	10,862
July	-	-	11,288	11,288
August	-	-	12,358	12,358
September	-	-	19,949	19,949
October	-	-	13,025	13,025
November	-	-	18,618	18,618
December	1,046 (r)	-	18,762	18,762
<b>2019</b>				
January	3,053	1,690	17,821	19,511
February	15	14,123	16,706	30,829
March	63	57,291	19,626	76,917
April	-	104,461	19,415	123,876

Since January 2012, production data for sugar is included in the private sector.  
Since 2009-2010, production data for Salt is included in the private sector.

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

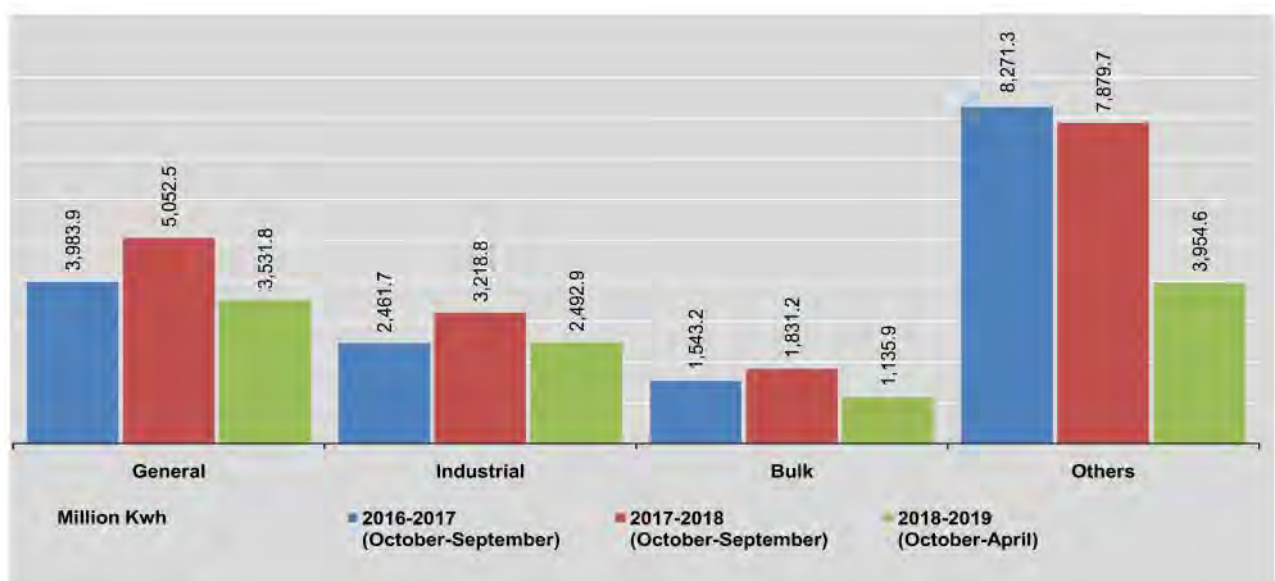




FY	Installed Capacity (Megawatts)	Generation (Million kwh)	Volume of Sale (Million kwh )					Value of Sale (Kyat Million)
			General	Industrial	Bulk	Others*	Total	
2016-2017 (October-September)	5,389	18,982.73	3,983.9	2,461.7	1,543.2	8,271.3	16,260.1	1,134,656.8
2017-2018 (October-September)	5,651	21,143.88	5,052.5	3,218.8	1,831.2	7,879.7	17,982.2	1,280,544.1
2018-2019 (October-April)	5,796	13,135.56	3,531.8	2,492.9	1,135.9	3,954.6	11,115.1	806,673.0
<b>2018 (p)</b>								
April	5,667	1,790.18	450.6	243.9	158.6	683.1	1,536.2	108,001.0
May	5,667	1,913.83	448.6	272.8	161.8	752.7	1,635.9	115,833.4
June	5,565	1,777.31	422.8	260.2	153.8	688.0	1,524.8	108,469.5
July	5,565	1,860.31	438.9	270.2	163.1	713.4	1,585.5	112,762.9
August	5,647	1,888.13	492.0	372.9	167.2	548.7	1,580.8	114,223.7
September	5,651	1,899.47	485.3	332.8	169.3	632.1	1,609.5	115,867.0
October	5,651	1,930.69	483.2	335.2	158.0	610.1	1,586.5	114,571.7
November	5,651	1,849.20	490.9	341.2	168.8	606.8	1,607.7	115,913.6
December	5,656	1,846.28	491.9	330.4	161.4	568.4	1,552.2	111,953.2
<b>2019</b>								
January	5,746	1,796.68	487.7	315.2	157.4	568.4	1,528.7	109,305.2
February	5,651	1,700.19	482.9	377.9	154.9	516.3	1,531.9	112,556.7
March	5,651	2,010.58	468.9	366.3	156.5	518.1	1,509.7	110,694.6
April	5,796	2,001.94	626.3	426.7	178.9	566.5	1,798.4	131,678.0

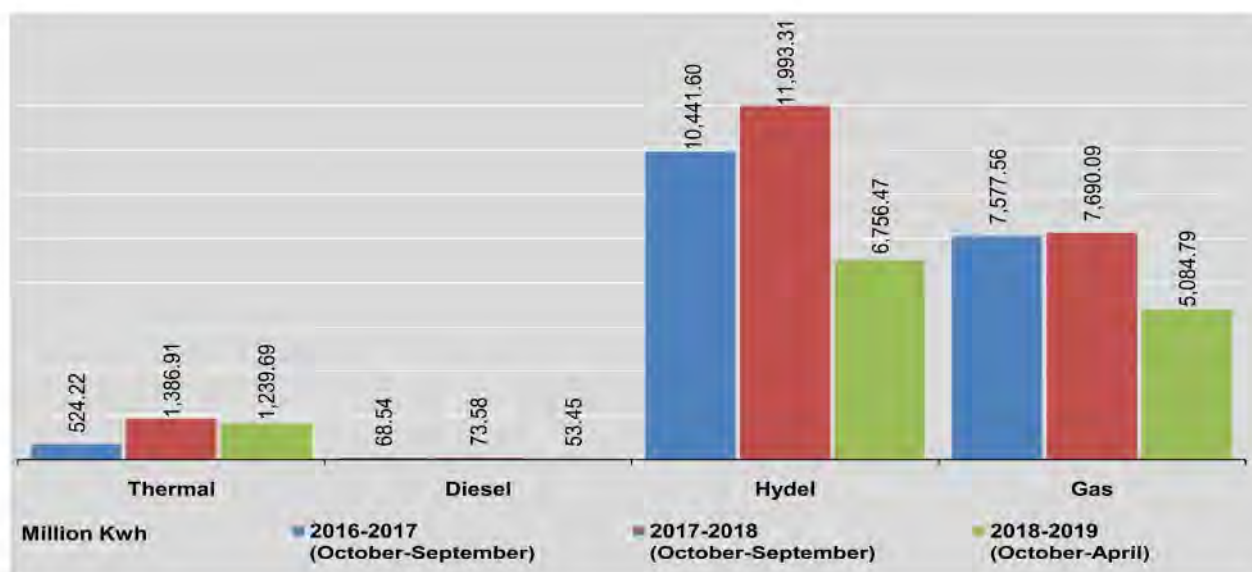
\* Since August 2012, volume of sale by private companies are included under 'Others'.

Source: Ministry of Electricity and Energy.



FY	Thermal	Diesel	Hydel	Gas	Total
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	524.22	68.54	10,441.60	7,577.56	18,611.92
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	1,386.91	73.58	11,993.31	7,690.09	21,143.88
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	1,239.69	53.45	6,756.47	5,084.79	13,134.40
<b>2018 (p)</b>					
<b>April</b>	120.00	6.91	923.41	739.86	1,785.06
<b>May</b>	118.62	7.42	967.20	820.59	1,908.54
<b>June</b>	97.87	6.48	1,008.76	664.20	1,772.42
<b>July</b>	104.39	6.46	1,209.43	540.03	1,855.54
<b>August</b>	127.24	6.47	1,240.14	514.28	1,883.62
<b>September</b>	151.23	6.44	1,225.87	515.93	1,897.76
<b>October</b>	171.99	6.62	1,187.65	564.43	1,930.69
<b>November</b>	122.87	6.56	1,116.13	603.64	1,849.20
<b>December</b>	178.48	6.79	887.11	773.99	1,846.37
<b>2019</b>					
<b>January</b>	200.10	7.05	828.56	760.97	1,796.68
<b>February</b>	195.06	6.36	773.15	725.62	1,700.19
<b>March</b>	205.56	7.90	991.71	804.16	2,009.33
<b>April</b>	165.63	12.17	972.16	851.98	2,001.94

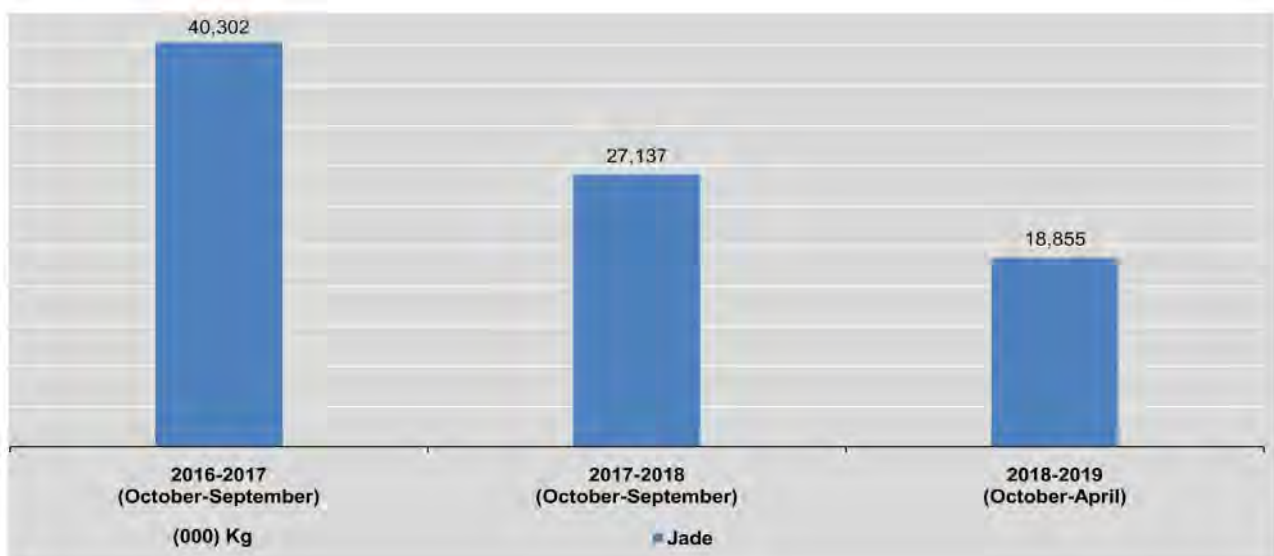
Source: Ministry of Electricity and Energy.



FY	Jade (000) Kg			Gems (Carat)			Pearls** (Momme)
	Private	Joint	Total	Private	Joint	Total	
2016-2017 (October-September)	21,097	19,205	40,302	7,088,541	600,050	7,688,591	481,457.42
2017-2018 (October-September)	20,062	7,075	27,137	7,198,930	148,671	7,347,601	438,298.45
2018-2019 (October-April)	16,259	2,596	18,855	1,755,900	27,150	1,783,050	336,955.32
<b>2018</b>							
April	3,460	1,945	5,405	463,375	8,360	471,735	1,020.87
May	4,262	1,077	5,339	801,503	13,270	814,773	33,692.90
June	2,936	528	3,464	515,708	6,600	522,308	43,888.60
July	350	107	457	685,502	3,670	689,172	13,160.50
August	1,092	29	1,121	899,761	5,680	905,441	-
September	583	28	611	358,370	4,900	363,270	31,037.60
October	356	42	398	369,163	3,400	372,563	37,092.00
November	1,116	267	1,383	257,703	6,350	264,053	65,875.33
December	1,797	257	2,054	449,892	3,000	452,892	1,484.95
<b>2019</b>							
January	2,585	375	2,960	326,190	5,200	331,390	18,341.50
February	1,719	629	2,348	205,403	3,200	208,603	214,161.54
March	4,487	546	5,033	50,109	4,000	54,109	-
April	4,199	480	4,679	97,440	2,000	99,440	-

\*\* Pearls include joint venture production.

Sources: Myanmar Pearl Enterprise,  
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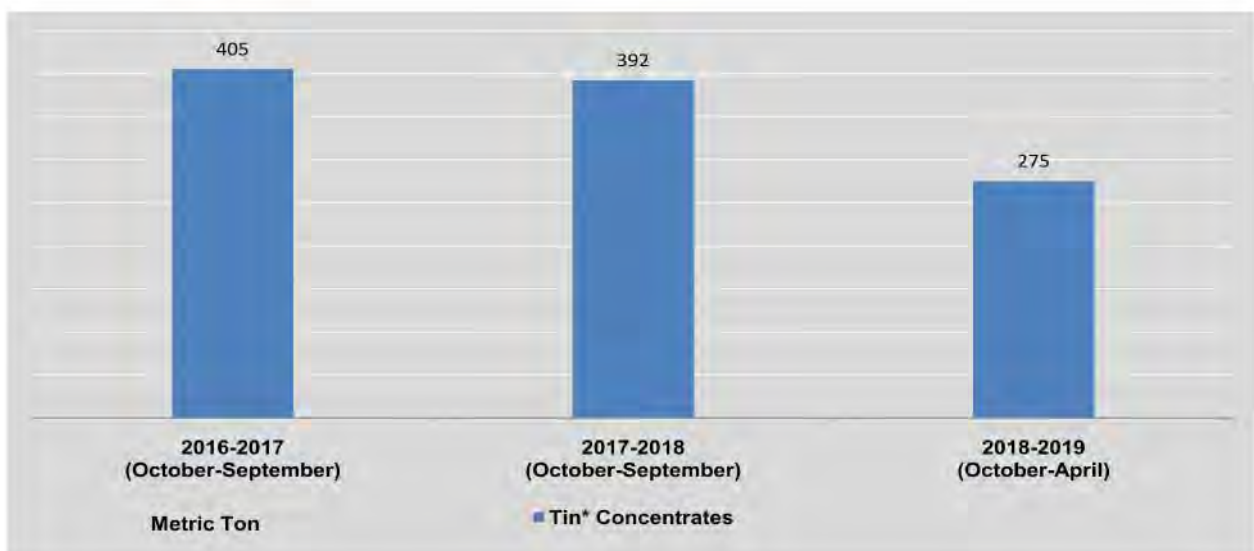




FY	Tin* Concentrates	Tungsten* Concentrates	Tin* Tungsten and Scheelite
2016-2017 (October-September)	405	3	296
2017-2018 (October-September)	392	5	534
2018-2019 (October-April)	275	3	260
<b>2018</b>			
April	25	-	42
May	22	-	43
June	46	-	41
July	14	3	42
August	38	-	42
September	10	-	38
October	30	3	41
November	25	-	43
December	54	-	42
<b>2019</b>			
January	24	-	46
February	49	-	48
March	46	-	-
April	47	-	40

\* Include joint venture production.

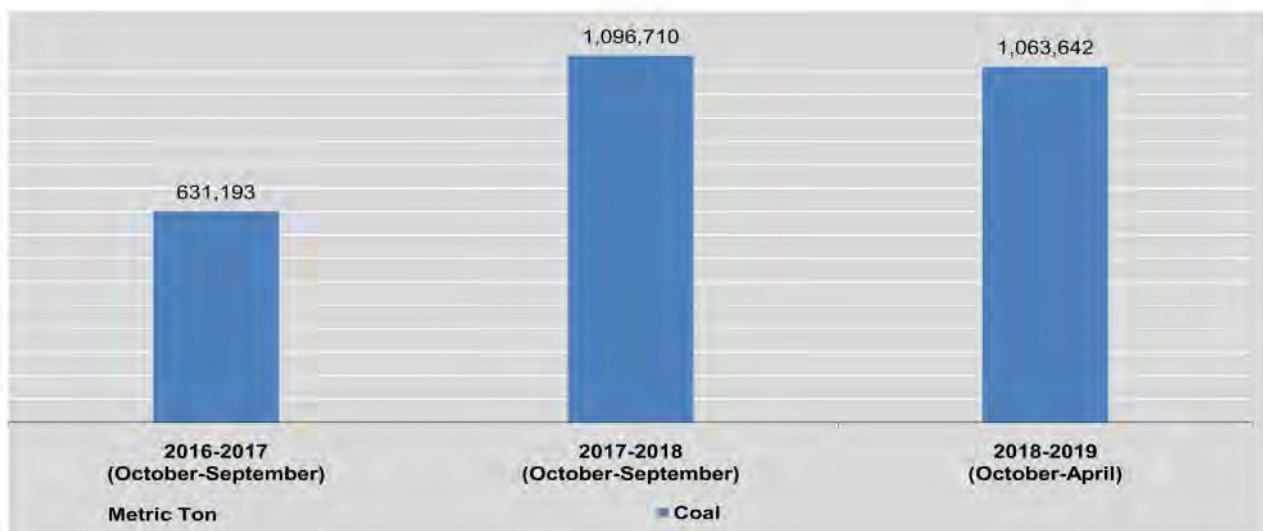
Source: No.(2) Mining Enterprise.



FY	Coal	Barytes	Gypsum	Dolomite	Lime stone
2016-2017 (October-September)	631,193 *	3,561	337,085	2,200	6,443,328
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,096,710 *	1,407	345,716	2,200	9,828,209
2018-2019 (October-April)	1,063,642 *	4,949	202,378	1,550	6,552,609
<b>2018</b>					
April	92,038	60	23,251	250	866,721
May	96,998	105	27,039	250	842,398
June	109,618	112	38,452	100	934,541
July	122,886	100	31,858	100	791,626
August	85,135	108	26,045	100	788,070
September	133,801	70	22,812	100	706,419
October	81,828	640	18,004	100	821,347
November	86,968	745	17,347	200	796,637
December	107,437	720	24,712	250	757,846
<b>2019</b>					
January	213,486	720	41,961	-	1,016,023
February	211,784	510	29,413	500	1,141,230
March	201,866	-	32,348	250	1,043,133
April	160,273	1,614	38,593	250	976,392

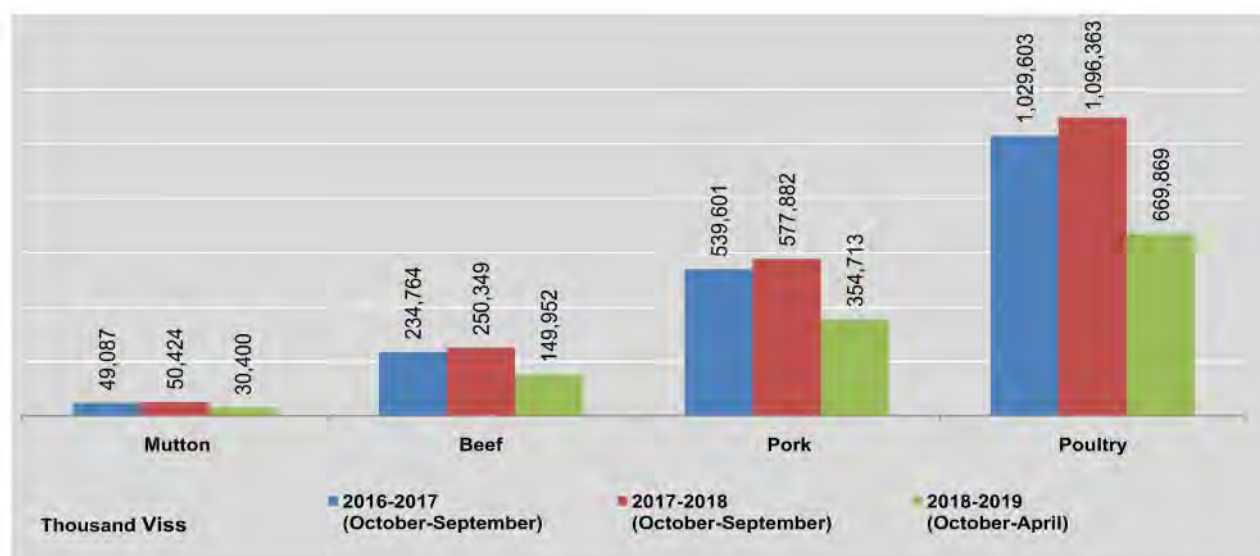
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Source: No.(1) Mining Enterprise.



FY	Sheep/Goat		Cattle		Pig		Poultry	
	Number Slaughtered (thou.No)	Mutton production (thou. Viss)	Number Slaughtered (thou.No)	Beef production (thou. Viss)	Number Slaughtered (thou.No)	Pork production (thou. Viss)	Chicken Production (thou. Viss)	Duck Production (thou. Viss)
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	8,181	49,087	2,610	234,764	15,417	539,601	947,848	81,755
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	8,404	50,424	2,782	250,349	16,511	577,882	1,004,727	91,636
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	5,066	30,400	1,666	149,952	10,135	354,713	613,915	55,954
<b>2018</b>								
<b>April</b>	700	4,199	229	20,568	1,423	49,788	84,417	7,759
<b>May</b>	716	4,298	231	20,793	1,349	47,229	84,046	7,597
<b>June</b>	715	4,290	246	22,111	1,480	51,810	87,730	8,319
<b>July</b>	713	4,279	233	20,977	1,390	48,650	85,731	7,700
<b>August</b>	716	4,296	229	20,649	1,420	49,699	85,846	7,512
<b>September</b>	711	4,267	233	20,966	1,417	49,578	86,531	7,969
<b>October</b>	723	4,336	237	21,331	1,431	50,101	87,378	7,953
<b>November</b>	752	4,512	247	22,199	1,498	52,421	91,929	8,059
<b>December</b>	718	4,310	235	21,192	1,440	50,394	87,907	7,988
<b>2019</b>								
<b>January</b>	712	4,274	240	21,622	1,399	48,958	86,918	7,967
<b>February</b>	708	4,246	239	21,519	1,462	51,170	87,977	7,964
<b>March</b>	708	4,250	230	20,690	1,440	50,390	86,138	8,003
<b>April</b>	745	4,472	238	21,399	1,465	51,279	85,668	8,020

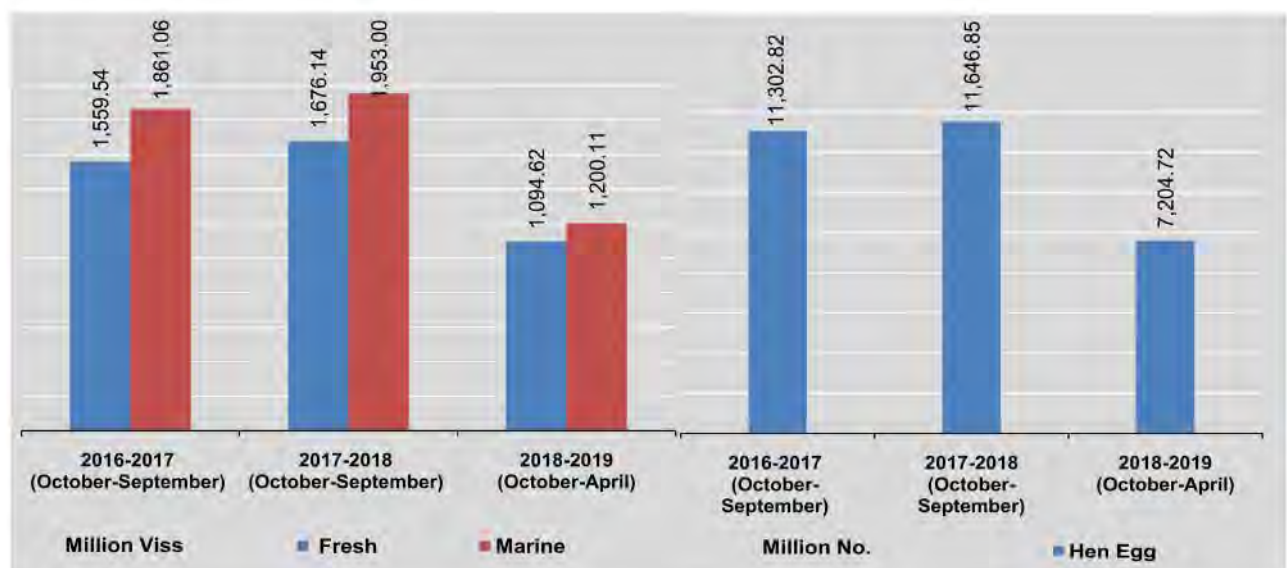
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FY	Fish		Milk	Egg	
	Fresh production (thou. Viss)	Marine production (thou.Viss)	production (thou. Viss)	Hen Egg (thou. No.)	Duck Egg (thou. No.)
2016-2017 (October-September)	1,559,540	1,861,061	1,501,383	11,302,817	1,016,037
2017-2018 (October-September)	1,676,135	1,953,000	1,557,278	11,646,846	1,108,866
2018-2019 (October-April)	1,094,623	1,200,112	958,600	7,204,724	677,208
<b>2018</b>					
April	75,185	132,140	132,864	991,242	91,012
May	112,189	132,030	132,041	972,427	89,987
June	95,872	135,047	132,962	1,024,720	97,914
July	105,733	151,017	138,172	995,895	94,353
August	116,346	153,488	134,207	999,365	94,258
September	182,138	182,834	134,992	1,008,470	94,825
October	181,277	181,652	136,566	1,024,297	96,730
November	204,413	189,053	136,695	1,061,756	98,597
December	190,043	185,783	137,738	1,031,714	96,547
<b>2019</b>					
January	154,543	166,046	135,961	987,975	94,695
February	149,668	163,387	137,213	1,040,396	96,112
March	134,564	164,529	135,764	1,021,592	98,482
April	80,115	149,662	138,663	1,036,994	96,045

Source: Livestock Breeding and veterinary Department.



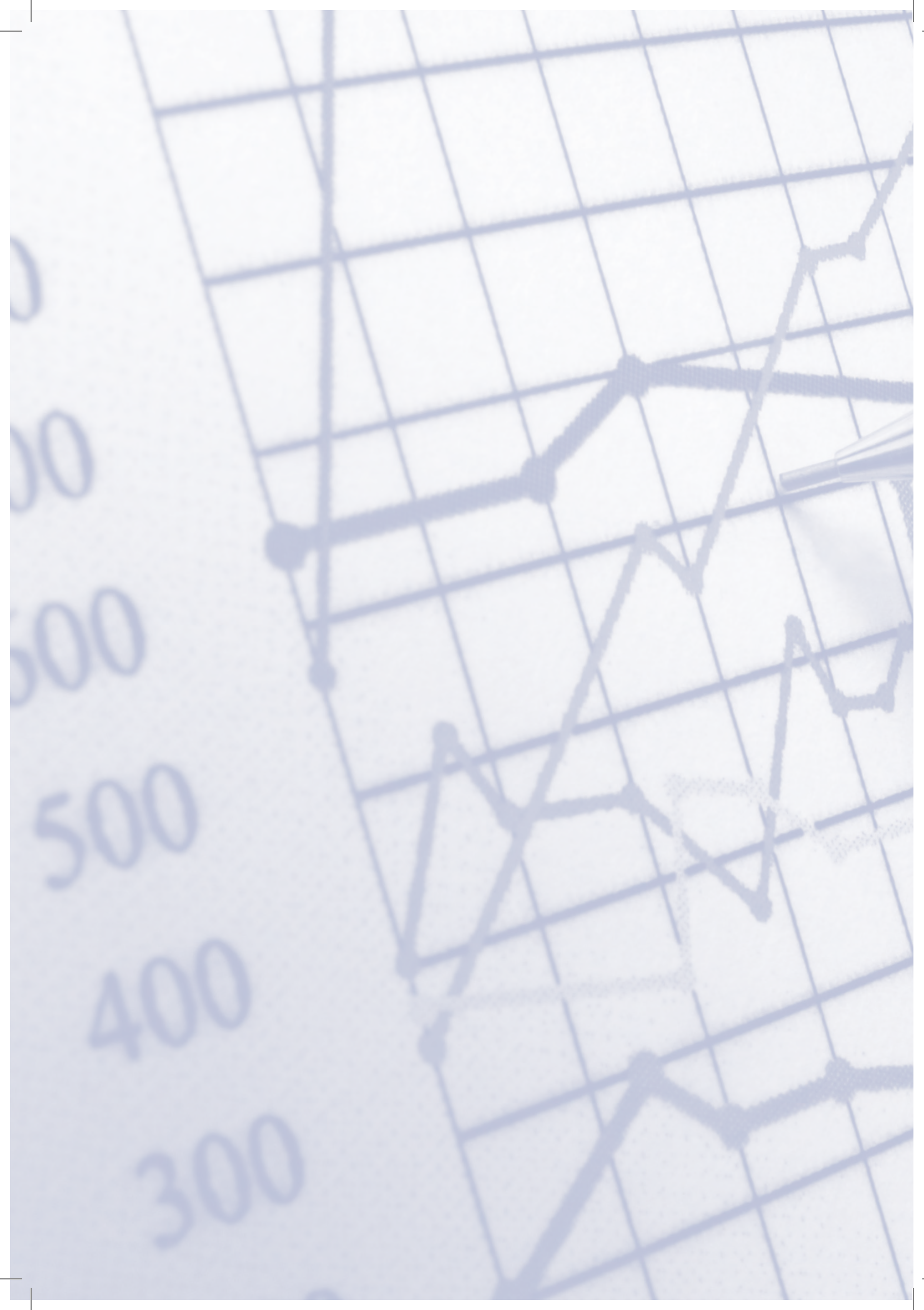


CHAPTER 3  
**PRICES**



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# PRICES | ANALYSIS

## ■ CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND RATE OF INFLATION

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

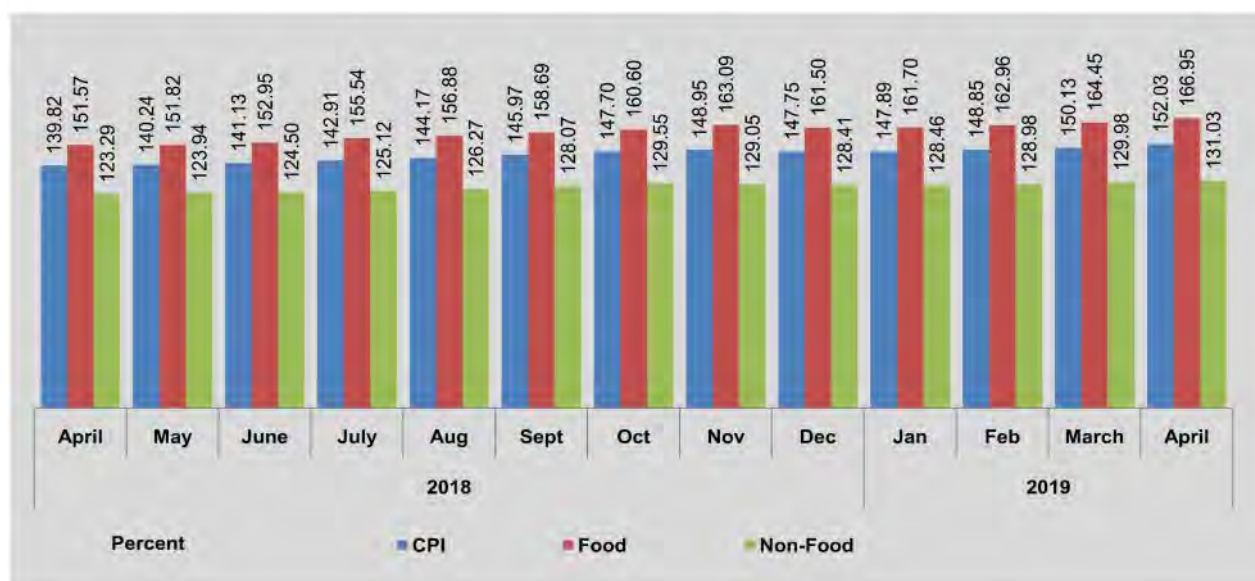
Weights and composition grouped into twelve major categories of goods and services in the 2012 base. For computing, the respective CPI groups selected the basis of their importance and representativeness. The CPI computation based on 274 commodities, which are commonly used by most of the households.

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

In April 2019, according to the 2012 base, the rate of consumer price for the food group is 166.95, the non-food group is 131.03 and all the group is 152.03. The consumer price index increased which is comparing with last month was 150.13 and the Year on Year inflation is 8.73%.

FY	CPI	Food_Index	Non_Food_Index	Annual Rate of Inflation	Year on Year Inflation
<b>2018</b>					
April	139.82	151.57	123.29	4.12	5.87
May	140.24	151.82	123.94	4.29	5.90
June	141.13	152.95	124.50	4.58	6.45
July	142.91	155.54	125.12	5.02	7.56
August	144.17	156.88	126.27	5.50	8.18
September	145.97	158.69	128.07	5.94	8.59
October	147.70	160.60	129.55	6.34	8.85
November	148.95	163.09	129.05	6.66	8.33
December	147.75	161.50	128.41	6.86	6.85
<b>2019</b>					
January	147.89	161.70	128.46	6.94	6.14
February	148.85	162.96	128.98	7.07	6.69
March	150.13	164.45	129.98	7.28	7.92
April	152.03	166.95	131.03	7.51	8.73

Source: Central Statistical Organization.





FY		All Items	FOOD AND NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES	ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, TOBACCO	CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR	HOUSING, WATER, ELECTRICITY, GAS AND OTHER FUELS	FURNISHINGS, HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT AND ROUTINE HOUSEHOLD	HEALTH	
Period	Weights	100.00	58.51	1.65	3.23	8.07	2.34	2.13	
2018	April	139.82	151.57	147.37	119.28	146.18	117.69	139.24	
	May	140.24	151.82	142.80	119.47	146.65	117.81	139.25	
	June	141.13	152.95	138.66	120.14	146.96	118.08	139.80	
	July	142.91	155.54	143.34	120.24	147.19	118.77	140.25	
	August	144.17	156.88	143.85	121.04	147.96	120.08	141.98	
	September	145.97	158.69	139.22	121.71	150.37	121.02	143.71	
	October	147.70	160.60	141.03	122.47	151.38	122.75	144.53	
	November	148.95	163.09	141.88	122.86	151.49	123.75	145.18	
	December	147.75	161.50	144.12	123.52	151.43	124.83	146.19	
	2019	January	147.89	161.70	148.26	124.15	152.41	125.61	146.95
		February	148.85	162.96	145.27	124.55	152.37	125.84	149.65
		March	150.13	164.45	141.93	124.93	154.13	126.65	150.45
April		152.03	166.95	144.61	125.24	154.43	127.06	150.78	

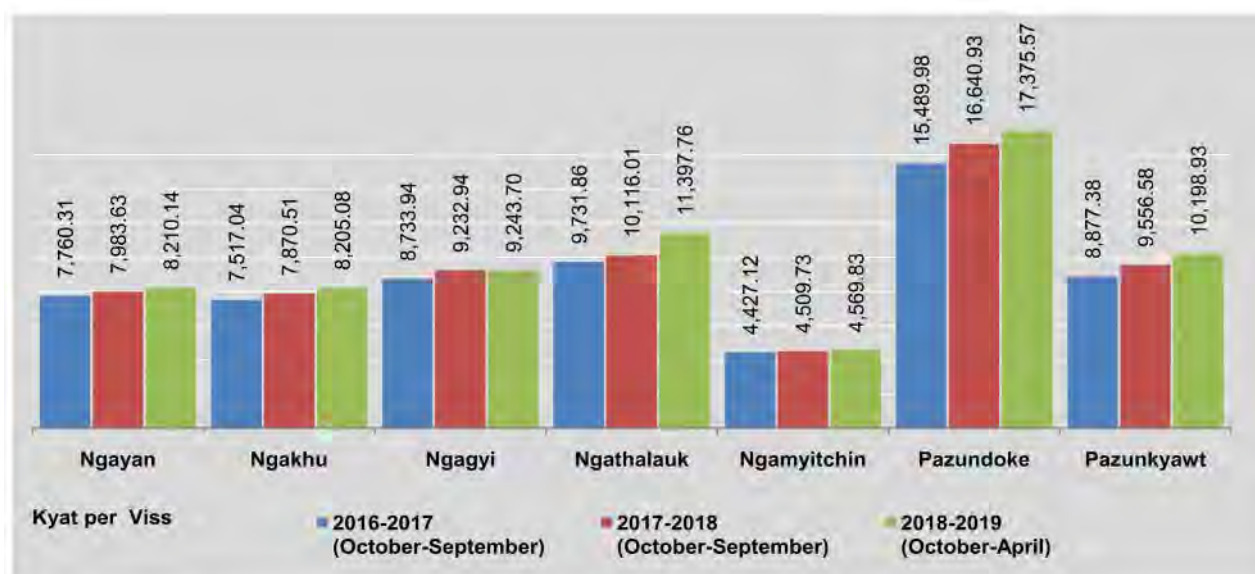
FY		TRANSPORT	COMMUNICATION	RECREATION AND CULTURE	EDUCATION	RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS	MISCELLANEOUS GOODS AND SERVICES	Non-Food	
Period	Weights	10.13	1.62	1.02	2.15	5.95	3.21	41.49	
2018	April	104.68	102.55	106.43	125.23	122.62	125.44	123.29	
	May	107.04	102.54	106.74	127.13	122.81	125.57	123.94	
	June	108.63	102.43	107.47	130.68	121.94	126.92	124.50	
	July	109.71	102.43	107.67	130.83	121.96	127.49	125.12	
	August	111.40	102.10	108.30	133.10	123.02	128.43	126.27	
	September	115.19	102.15	108.93	133.15	123.56	132.24	128.07	
	October	118.78	102.08	109.14	133.15	123.92	133.30	129.55	
	November	115.45	102.02	109.28	133.52	124.09	134.53	129.05	
	December	110.42	101.94	109.59	133.52	126.19	134.96	128.41	
	2019	January	108.13	101.78	110.04	133.63	126.56	135.79	128.46
		February	109.28	101.75	110.05	133.88	126.83	137.44	128.98
		March	111.93	101.76	110.06	133.89	126.93	137.61	129.98
April		114.39	101.66	119.99	134.12	127.05	137.00	131.03	

Source: Central Statistical Organization.

FY	Rice Emata * (per pyi)	Fresh Fish						
		Ngayan	Ngakhu	Ngagyi	Ngatha- lauk	Ngamyit- chin	Pazun- doke	Pazun- kyawt
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	1,305.14	7,760.31	7,517.04	8,733.94	9,731.86	4,427.12	15,489.98	8,877.38
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	1,402.49	7,983.63	7,870.51	9,232.94	10,116.01	4,509.73	16,640.93	9,556.58
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	1,500.27	8,210.14	8,205.08	9,243.70	11,397.76	4,569.83	17,375.57	10,198.93
<b>2018</b>								
<b>April</b>	1,393.36	7,892.75	7,780.00	9,117.65	9,986.27	4,535.27	16,805.70	9,684.49
<b>May</b>	1,392.80	7,984.97	8,016.11	9,420.00	10,362.75	4,558.48	17,093.26	9,762.03
<b>June</b>	1,397.60	8,292.23	8,326.11	9,814.12	10,052.94	4,461.61	16,913.99	9,791.98
<b>July</b>	1,433.39	8,462.18	8,811.67	10,090.59	10,207.84	4,453.13	16,745.08	9,729.41
<b>August</b>	1,468.30	8,559.07	8,623.89	9,988.24	10,725.49	4,432.14	16,963.21	9,808.02
<b>September</b>	1,492.39	8,349.22	8,233.33	9,588.24	10,990.20	4,458.48	16,864.77	9,709.09
<b>October</b>	1,510.69	8,183.42	8,145.00	8,964.71	10,892.16	4,474.55	16,838.86	9,624.06
<b>November</b>	1,509.56	8,074.61	8,093.33	8,782.35	10,823.53	4,461.16	16,947.40	9,829.41
<b>December</b>	1,505.51	8,041.45	7,950.56	8,888.24	11,058.82	4,460.27	16,973.44	9,985.03
<b>2019</b>								
<b>January</b>	1,481.62	8,004.15	8,045.00	9,088.24	11,009.80	4,529.02	17,348.44	10,188.77
<b>February</b>	1,490.26	8,149.22	8,178.33	9,358.82	11,490.20	4,609.82	17,683.33	10,439.04
<b>March</b>	1,500.00	8,358.03	8,389.44	9,647.06	12,254.90	4,647.32	17,902.08	10,578.61
<b>April</b>	1,504.23	8,660.10	8,633.89	9,976.47	12,254.90	4,806.70	17,935.42	10,747.59

\* 1 pyi = 4.69 lbs

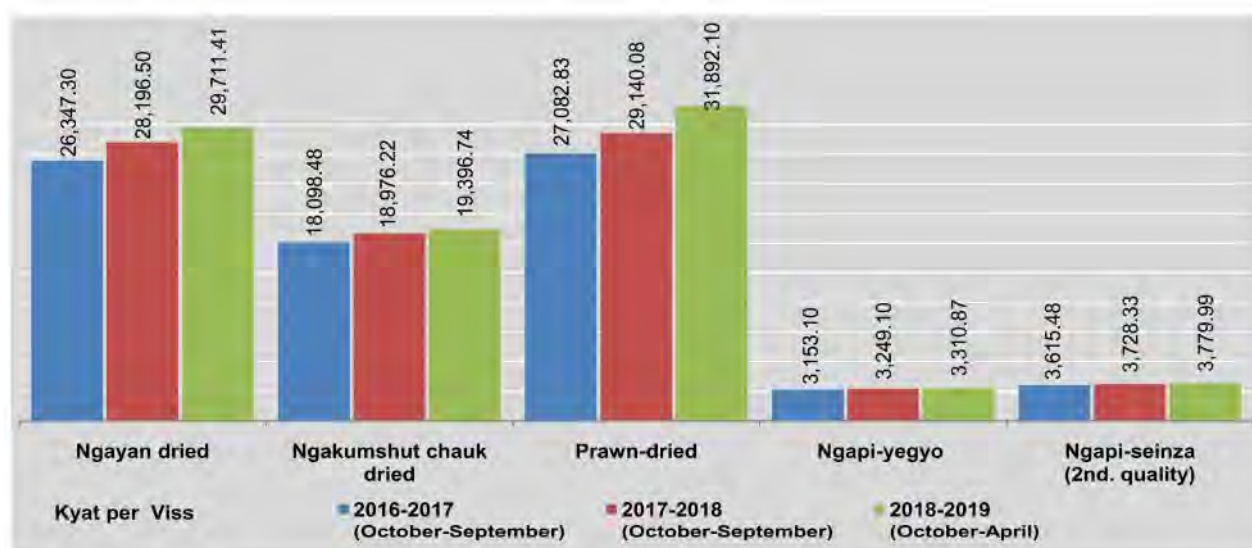
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FY	Fish product				
	Ngayan dried	Ngakumshut chauk dried	Prawn dried	Ngapi yegyo	Ngapi-seinza (2nd. quality)
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	26,347.30	18,098.48	27,082.83	3,153.10	3,615.48
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	28,196.50	18,976.22	29,140.08	3,249.10	3,728.33
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	29,711.41	19,396.74	31,892.10	3,310.87	3,779.99
<b>2018</b>					
April	28,235.96	18,885.87	29,141.70	3,297.79	3,717.95
May	28,521.67	18,918.48	29,569.36	3,300.00	3,747.18
June	28,870.44	19,179.35	30,054.47	3,300.00	3,770.26
July	28,978.82	19,679.35	30,405.53	3,306.64	3,770.26
August	29,284.24	19,777.17	30,744.68	3,308.85	3,759.90
September	29,425.00	19,070.65	31,034.04	3,308.85	3,771.07
October	29,478.92	18,983.70	31,325.53	3,308.85	3,777.66
November	29,562.25	19,418.48	31,559.57	3,297.79	3,764.97
December	29,564.71	19,266.30	31,861.70	3,306.64	3,770.05
<b>2019</b>					
January	29,567.16	19,222.83	31,870.21	3,306.19	3,774.11
February	29,537.75	19,364.13	31,903.40	3,313.72	3,779.19
March	29,875.98	19,885.87	32,280.85	3,313.72	3,790.86
April	30,393.14	19,635.87	32,443.40	3,329.20	3,803.05

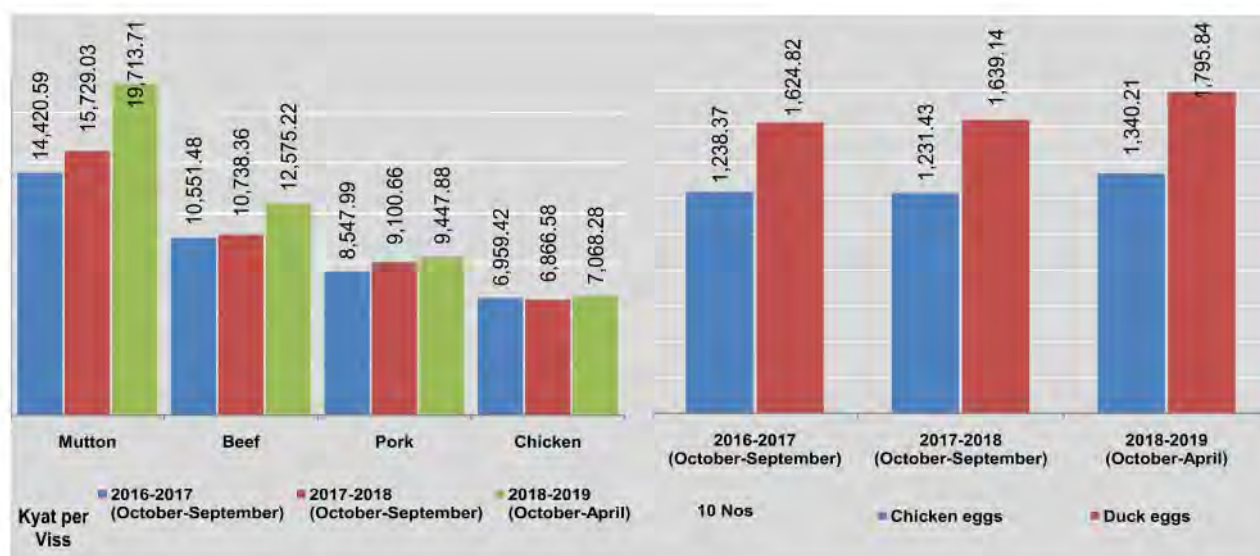
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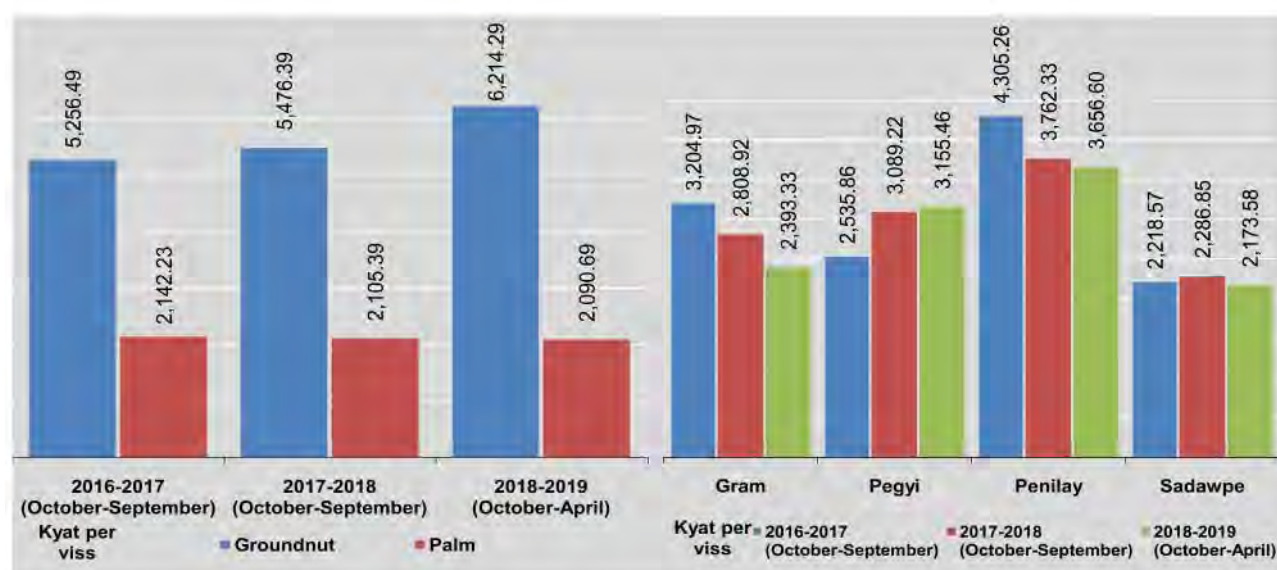
FY	Meat, Poultry and Eggs					
	Mutton	Beef	Pork	Chicken	Chicken eggs (10.Nos)	Duck eggs (10.Nos)
2016-2017 (October-September)	14,420.59	10,551.48	8,547.99	6,959.42	1,238.37	1,624.82
2017-2018 (October-September)	15,729.03	10,738.36	9,100.66	6,866.58	1,231.43	1,639.14
2018-2019 (October-April)	19,713.71	12,575.22	9,447.88	7,068.28	1,340.21	1,795.84
<b>2018</b>						
April	15,786.71	10,672.17	9,156.46	6,996.58	1,211.60	1,610.99
May	16,038.73	10,728.77	9,208.50	7,004.18	1,254.60	1,641.59
June	16,449.13	10,827.83	9,269.39	6,956.65	1,254.28	1,611.64
July	16,660.12	10,865.57	9,313.61	6,955.13	1,290.84	1,627.37
August	17,095.43	11,100.00	9,370.61	7,016.73	1,353.16	1,690.73
September	17,646.86	11,332.56	9,395.95	6,965.40	1,373.96	1,745.47
October	18,175.43	11,609.77	9,401.01	6,941.83	1,344.28	1,722.84
November	18,746.29	12,042.79	9,460.14	6,960.08	1,340.08	1,748.06
December	19,225.14	12,493.95	9,483.45	6,989.73	1,319.80	1,747.63
<b>2019</b>						
January	19,950.86	12,661.40	9,533.11	7,057.03	1,336.08	1,808.84
February	20,356.57	12,789.30	9,556.76	7,145.63	1,341.88	1,833.41
March	20,639.43	13,063.26	9,348.31	7,162.36	1,330.68	1,837.72
April	20,902.29	13,366.05	9,352.36	7,221.29	1,368.68	1,872.41

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FY	Edible Oils		Pulses			
	Groundnut	Palm	Gram (split)	Pegyi (whole)	Penilay (whole)	Sadawpe (lonethay)
2016-2017 (October-September)	5,256.49	2,142.23	3,204.97	2,535.86	4,305.26	2,218.57
2017-2018 (October-September)	5,476.39	2,105.39	2,808.92	3,089.22	3,762.33	2,286.85
2018-2019 (October-April)	6,214.29	2,090.69	2,393.33	3,155.46	3,656.60	2,173.58
<b>2018</b>						
April	5,367.09	2,109.29	2,748.53	3,311.76	3,636.50	2,260.49
May	5,519.45	2,075.95	2,618.36	3,276.47	3,606.00	2,212.35
June	5,604.89	2,052.11	2,447.18	3,175.00	3,528.50	2,198.77
July	5,666.18	2,042.21	2,386.89	3,133.82	3,513.00	2,213.09
August	5,808.70	2,119.41	2,464.50	3,104.41	3,559.50	2,190.60
September	5,934.78	2,148.52	2,494.24	3,102.94	3,607.00	2,209.28
October	6,057.97	2,160.97	2,474.58	3,151.47	3,640.00	2,218.92
November	6,121.01	2,111.81	2,440.13	3,151.47	3,682.50	2,221.93
December	6,173.19	2,070.04	2,406.09	3,164.71	3,728.30	2,203.86
<b>2019</b>						
January	6,239.86	2,055.70	2,374.16	3,188.24	3,656.30	2,168.67
February	6,261.23	2,085.32	2,352.90	3,129.41	3,612.30	2,165.78
March	6,304.35	2,079.03	2,356.51	3,154.41	3,633.90	2,137.11
April	6,342.39	2,071.94	2,348.95	3,148.53	3,642.90	2,098.80

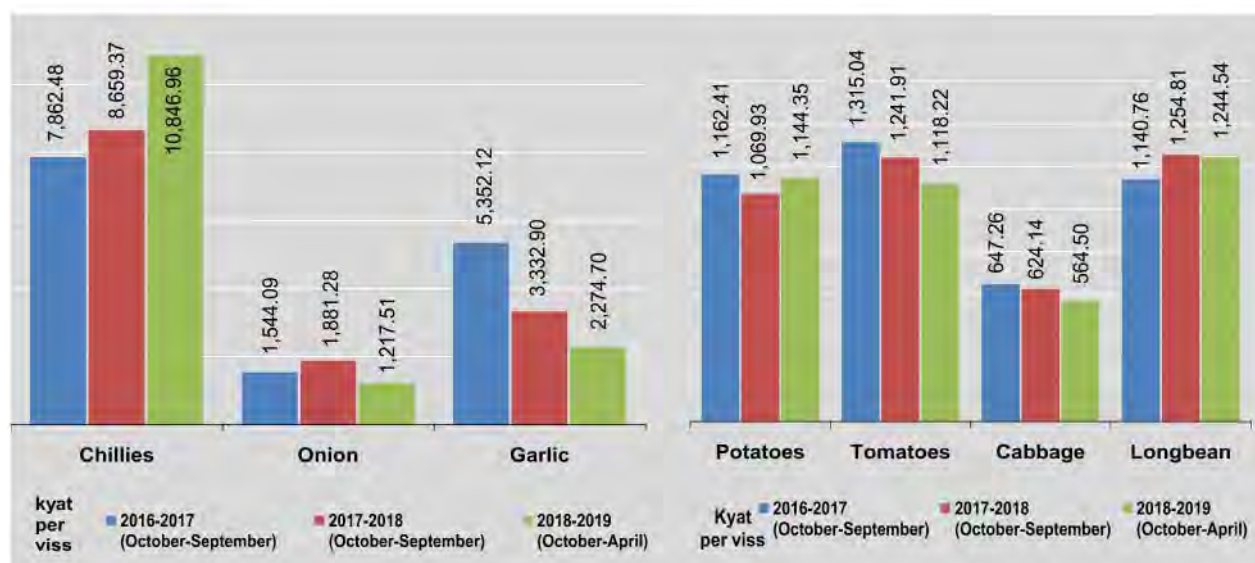
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FY	Spices			Fresh Vegetables and Fruits			
	Chillies (short)	Onion (big)	Garlic (single)	Potatoes (medium)	Tomatoes	Cabbage	Longbean
2016-2017 (October-September)	7,862.48	1,544.09	5,352.12	1,162.41	1,315.04	647.26	1,140.76
2017-2018 (October-September)	8,659.37	1,881.28	3,332.90	1,069.93	1,241.91	624.14	1,254.81
2018-2019 (October-April)	10,846.96	1,217.51	2,274.70	1,144.35	1,118.22	564.50	1,244.54
<b>2018</b>							
April	8,616.25	1,368.20	3,046.24	1,035.28	1,076.47	520.17	1,285.71
May	8,647.50	1,118.20	2,696.24	1,028.23	966.39	507.35	1,297.27
June	8,906.88	1,049.80	2,634.21	1,031.25	1,285.50	566.39	1,333.19
July	9,193.71	998.00	2,491.35	1,061.90	1,721.22	771.01	1,329.62
August	9,317.50	977.20	2,345.86	1,096.18	1,242.44	717.65	1,318.91
September	9,895.63	1,422.40	2,330.83	1,117.67	920.38	689.08	1,297.06
October	10,358.13	1,479.60	2,265.41	1,119.68	1,021.43	682.14	1,327.31
November	10,620.63	1,456.20	2,283.46	1,146.99	1,739.92	608.61	1,235.92
December	10,730.00	1,335.40	2,224.44	1,145.98	1,004.41	551.26	1,181.72
<b>2019</b>							
January	11,019.38	1,272.20	2,173.68	1,159.04	737.18	495.38	1,182.35
February	11,097.50	1,066.60	2,141.73	1,186.95	750.42	474.37	1,199.37
March	11,097.50	979.00	2,336.84	1,126.31	1,075.42	485.71	1,258.82
April	11,005.63	933.60	2,497.37	1,125.50	1,498.74	653.99	1,326.26

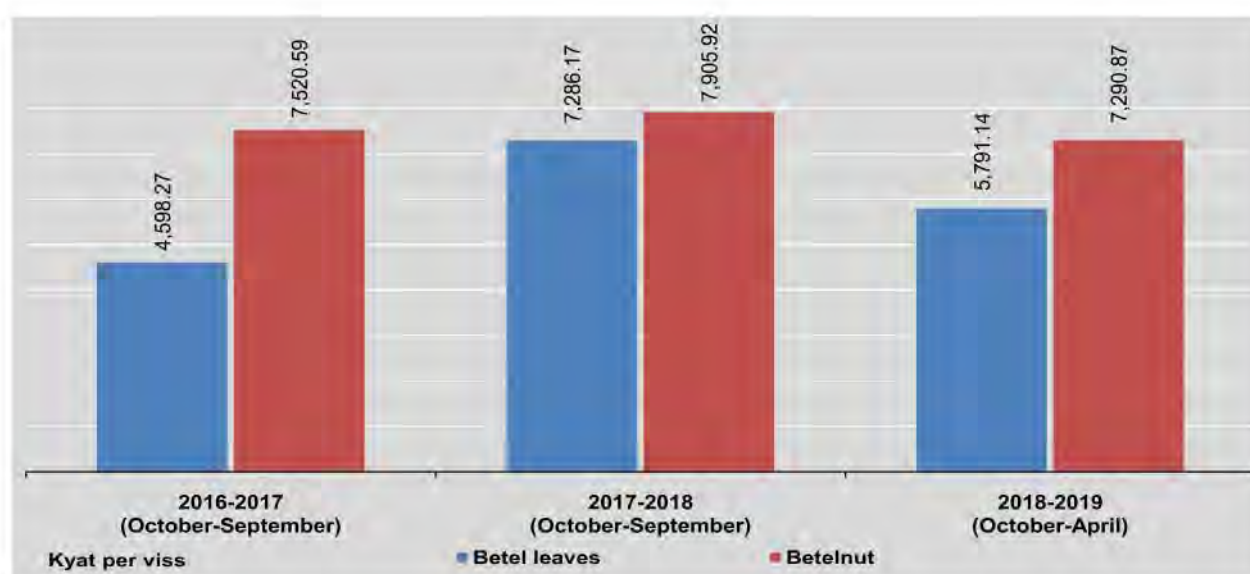
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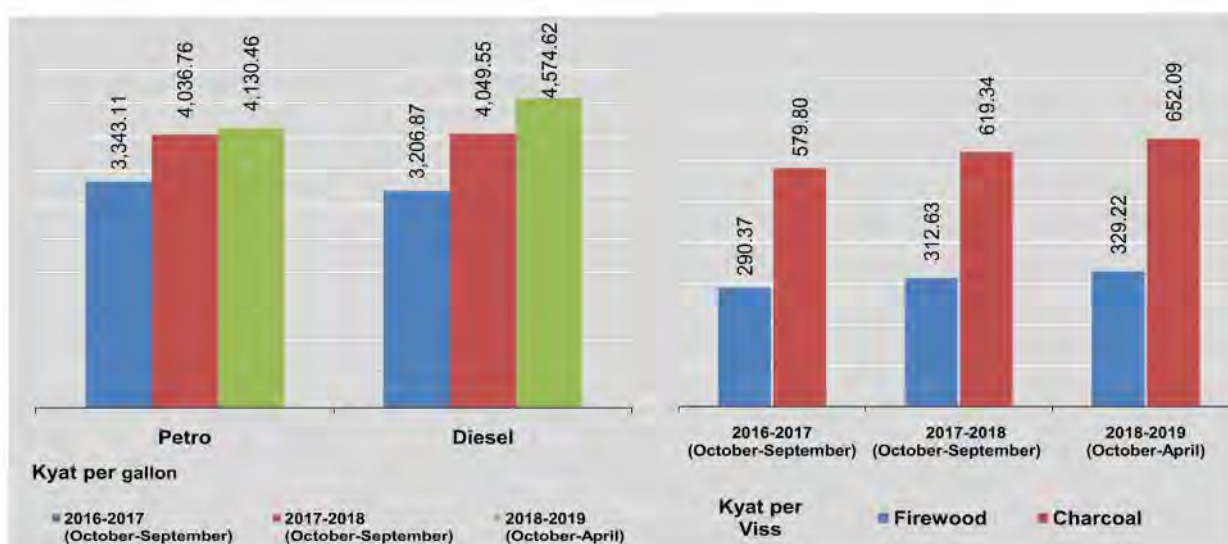
FY	Tobacco			Beverages	
	Betel leaves	Betelnut (split)	Cheroots (per 100)	Sugar	Tea, Shan
2016-2017 (October-September)	4,598.27	7,520.59	1,514.44	1,565.47	6,279.80
2017-2018 (October-September)	7,286.17	7,905.92	1,610.47	1,501.82	6,367.69
2018-2019 (October-April)	5,791.14	7,290.87	1,820.17	1,466.48	6,620.04
<b>2018</b>					
April	7,945.60	7,696.72	1,606.47	1,491.00	6,334.98
May	6,683.33	7,601.64	1,614.52	1,480.54	6,346.29
June	5,339.58	7,514.75	1,676.60	1,483.05	6,452.30
July	6,175.00	7,524.59	1,677.11	1,482.98	6,455.83
August	5,954.87	7,418.03	1,692.60	1,492.23	6,466.78
September	4,920.51	7,408.20	1,717.60	1,494.96	6,555.12
October	5,355.90	7,480.33	1,737.81	1,507.56	6,597.88
November	5,779.49	7,368.85	1,747.56	1,503.36	6,606.71
December	6,370.26	7,257.38	1,762.68	1,486.76	6,613.78
<b>2019</b>					
January	7,094.87	7,273.77	1,830.72	1,463.66	6,619.08
February	6,183.08	7,232.79	1,845.50	1,457.77	6,634.28
March	4,885.64	7,211.48	1,884.50	1,422.06	6,632.51
April	4,868.72	7,211.48	1,932.43	1,424.16	6,636.04

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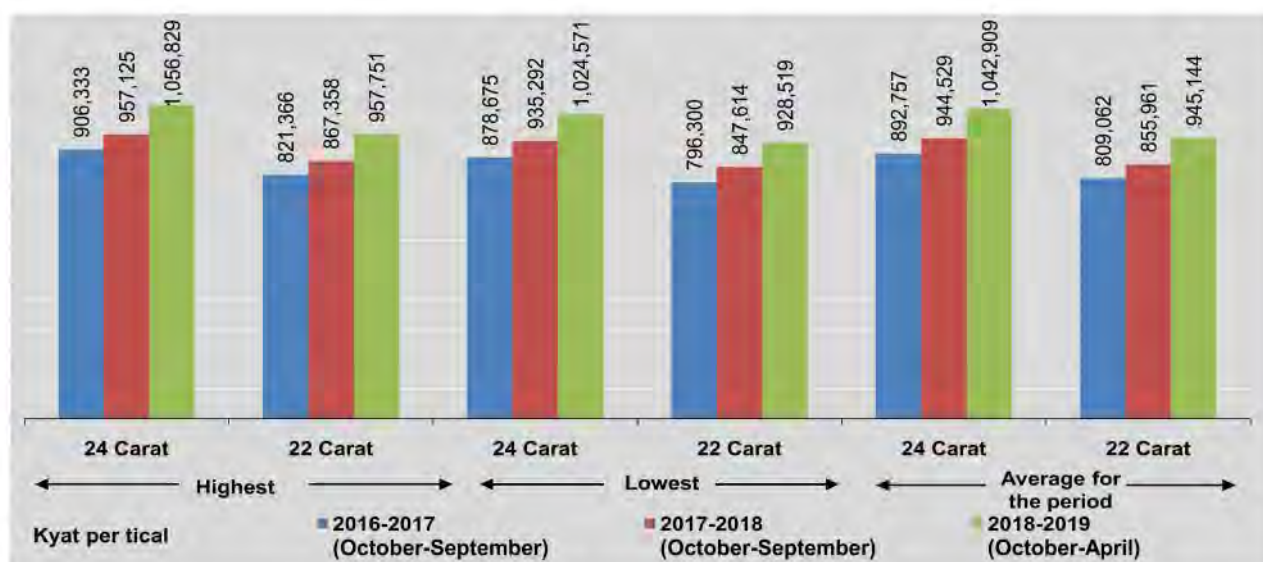
FY	Fuel				Miscellaneous		
	Firewood	Charcoal	Petro	Diesel	Washing Soap (Each)	Body Soap (Each)	Tooth Paste
2016-2017 (October-September)	290.37	579.80	3,343.11	3,206.87	226.33	442.99	532.21
2017-2018 (October-September)	312.63	619.34	4,036.76	4,049.55	230.08	450.45	557.31
2018-2019 (October-April)	329.22	652.09	4,130.46	4,574.62	238.51	469.84	621.80
<b>2018</b>							
April	319.35	620.13	3,905.48	3,938.80	230.00	451.24	553.45
May	319.35	624.59	4,138.92	4,185.96	230.99	451.24	554.30
June	319.85	625.90	4,196.61	4,244.05	231.11	452.04	569.58
July	320.85	628.73	4,254.41	4,333.57	231.11	452.04	572.52
August	320.85	637.90	4,415.90	4,470.86	231.11	455.94	573.99
September	323.87	649.78	4,764.11	4,868.52	235.08	462.39	586.56
October	325.13	650.00	5,010.15	5,101.24	237.38	471.26	602.49
November	325.13	651.75	4,532.40	4,890.15	237.38	470.86	605.01
December	326.13	650.44	3,948.07	4,464.90	239.52	465.12	611.74
<b>2019</b>							
January	329.65	650.44	3,601.95	4,173.46	239.52	465.12	627.42
February	328.64	651.09	3,657.82	4,237.56	237.94	466.06	631.62
March	334.92	653.71	3,928.06	4,503.06	238.53	474.56	637.23
April	334.92	657.21	4,234.78	4,651.97	239.33	475.90	637.09

Source: Central Statistical Organization.



FY	Highest		Lowest		Average for the period	
	24 Carat	22 Carat	24 Carat	22 Carat	24 Carat	22 Carat
2016-2017 (October-September)	906,333	821,366	878,675	796,300	892,757	809,062
2017-2018 (October-September)	957,125	867,358	935,292	847,614	944,529	855,961
2018-2019 (October-April)	1,056,829	957,751	1,024,571	928,519	1,042,909	945,144
<b>2018</b>						
April	948,000	859,125	934,000	846,440	942,633	854,262
May	941,500	852,780	931,500	844,170	936,326	848,365
June	939,000	850,970	932,000	844,625	935,169	847,497
July	950,000	860,940	934,000	846,440	944,133	855,621
August	984,500	892,205	948,000	859,125	955,892	866,278
September	1,046,000	947,940	970,000	879,065	994,244	901,034
October	1,037,000	939,780	970,000	879,065	1,009,813	915,181
November	1,042,000	944,315	1,026,000	929,815	1,034,817	937,804
December	1,043,800	945,945	992,000	899,000	1,031,979	935,233
<b>2019</b>						
January	1,061,000	961,530	1,044,000	946,125	1,050,948	952,434
February	1,088,000	986,000	1,058,000	958,815	1,070,978	970,575
March	1,071,000	970,595	1,046,000	947,940	1,059,125	959,832
April	1,055,000	956,095	1,036,000	938,875	1,042,705	944,951

Source: Central Statistical Organization.



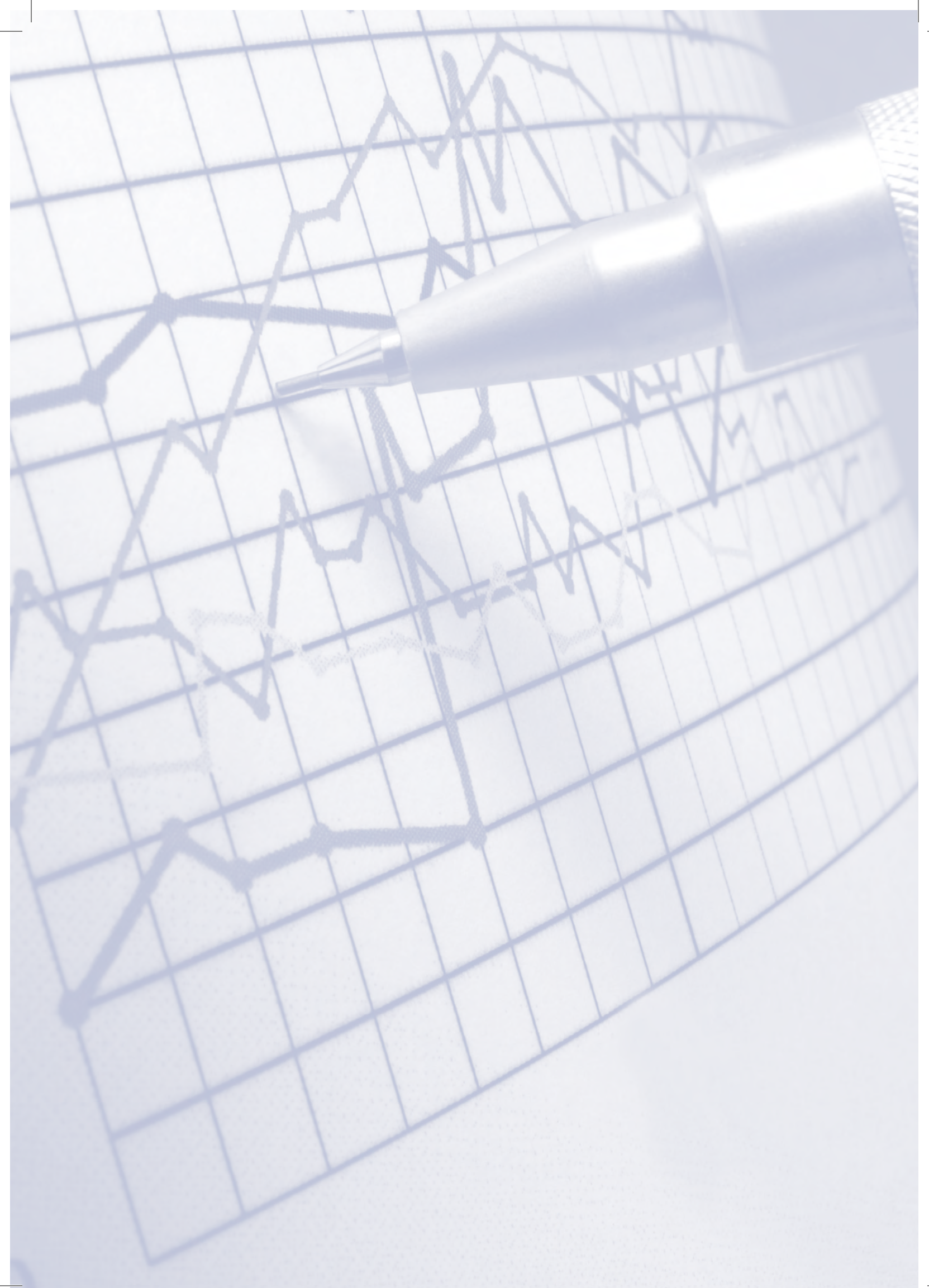




CHAPTER 4  
**FINANCE**



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# FINANCE | ANALYSIS

**This Chapter deals with Money Supply, People's Savings, Treasury Bonds, Domestic Interest Rates, International currency exchange, Customs Duties and Revenue from taxes. The transferable deposits in Foreign Banks are counted in Money Supply. It was starting from October of 2016. The fiscal year of 2017-2018 (October-September), Money Supply raised to 17.43% over the previous year. People's savings are increasing and most of this savings are from the Private Bank in 2017-2018 (October-September). Starting from 20<sup>th</sup> September of 2016, Government Treasury Bonds are sold by Auction System. In April 2019, the exchange rate with US dollar has been reached at 1,522.70 kyats per one US dollar. According to the effectiveness of rules and regulations in Customs Department, Total Duties increase at 23.4 % in 2017-2018 (October-September). It was 39% of Total Revenue from taxes came from income taxes.**

## ■ MONEY SUPPLY

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

## ■ PEOPLE'S SAVINGS

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

## ■ TREASURY BONDS

There are three types of treasury bonds; two-year government treasury bonds, three-year treasury bonds and five-year treasury bonds. The Central Bank of Myanmar has issued two-year government treasury bonds started from 1<sup>st</sup> January 2010. Issuing of two-year government treasury bonds were ended in November 2015. Therefore the terms of bonds were ended in November 2017. Three-year treasury bonds and five-year treasury bonds are issued since 1<sup>st</sup> December, 1993. These bonds are giving an opportunity of investment for the public and private enterprises. In March 2019 auction time, the coupon rate was kyats 9.5% per annum and the term of Government treasury bond were 1 year 8 months 1 day and 2 years 8 months 1 day. In April 2019, the total sale was kyats 85.50 billion and outstanding was kyats 5,469.77 billion.

### ■ DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES

Over the period 2012 to 2014, the domestic interest rates did not change, except for agriculture to farmers where the interest rates decreased from 8.50% to 5% on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2014 in the private sector. Maximum bank lending rate for secured loans and unsecured loans were effective from February 1, 2019.

### ■ INTERNATIONAL CURRENCY EXCHANGE

Table 4.6 shows foreign exchange rates for a selection of countries. The reference rate for the last day of the month is presented. Between April 2018 and April 2019, the exchange rate with US dollar has fluctuated and reached at 1,522.70 kyats per one US dollar at the end of April 2019.

### ■ REVENUE FROM TAXES

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

### ■ CUSTOMS DUTIES

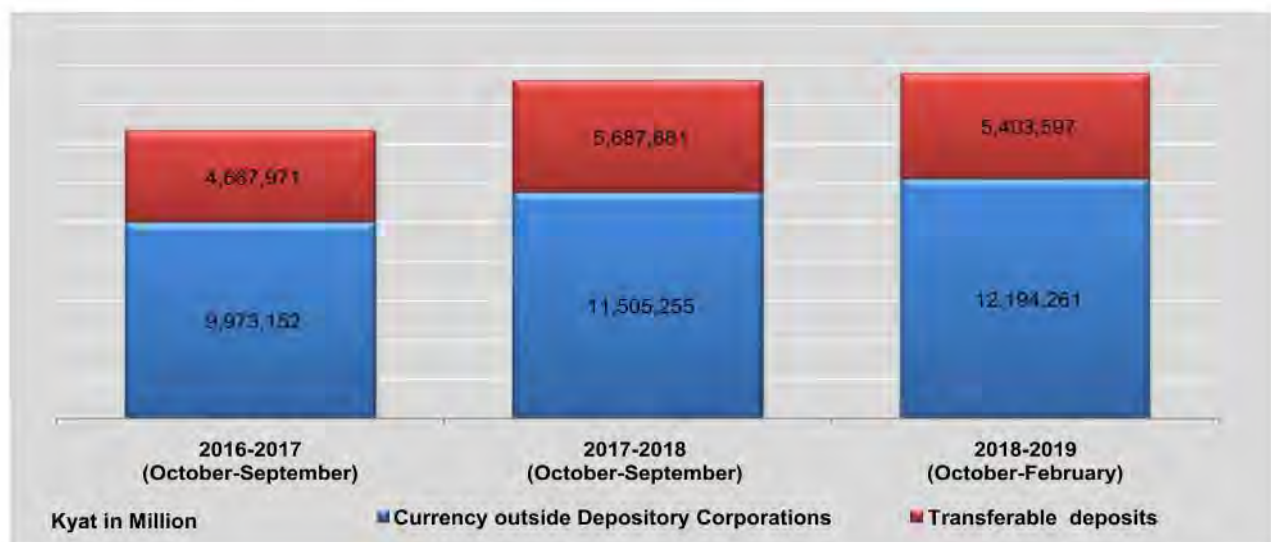
Import duties are divided into two parts, normal and border trade. Normal trade duty is by far the most important one: the share of normal trade was 77.67% in 2016-2017 (October-September) and 78.56% in 2017-2018 (October-September). Total duties have increased 23.38% between 2016-2017 (October-September)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

FY	Currency outside Depository Corporations	Transferable deposits			Total	Percent change from previous year or month earlier
		State Owned Banks	Private Banks	Foreign Banks		
2016-2017 (October-September)	9,973,152	1,304,870	2,551,519	811,582	14,641,123	7.36
2017-2018 (October-September)	11,505,255	1,542,296	2,860,339	1,285,046	17,192,936	17.43
2018-2019 (October-February)	12,194,261	1,468,071	3,036,088	899,438	17,597,858	10.38
<b>2018</b>						
February	10,955,819	1,356,623	2,664,045	966,838	15,943,325	3.25
March	11,603,765	1,570,703	2,726,405	990,201	16,891,074	5.94
April	11,222,405	1,305,286	2,755,744	963,640	16,247,075	-3.81
May	10,882,525	1,344,381	2,660,239	906,156	15,793,301	-2.79
June	10,490,624	1,669,177	2,766,740	1,068,134	15,994,675	1.28
July	10,771,920	1,437,275	2,775,513	1,091,248	16,075,956	0.51
August	10,888,878	1,472,412	2,886,422	1,191,158	16,438,870	2.26
September	11,504,279	1,542,295	2,860,350	1,285,046	17,191,970	4.58
October	11,239,442	1,471,608	3,031,921	1,284,786	17,027,757	-0.96
November	11,482,953	1,470,047	3,008,747	984,445	16,946,192	-0.48
December	11,786,609	1,405,944	3,017,413	968,729	17,178,695	1.37
<b>2019</b>						
January	12,030,577	1,447,296	2,996,371	847,426	17,321,670	0.83
February	12,194,261	1,468,071	3,036,088	899,438	17,597,858	1.59

Notes: 1.  $M_1$ : Money Supply covers Currency outside Depository Corporations + Demand Deposits (Transferable Deposits).

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

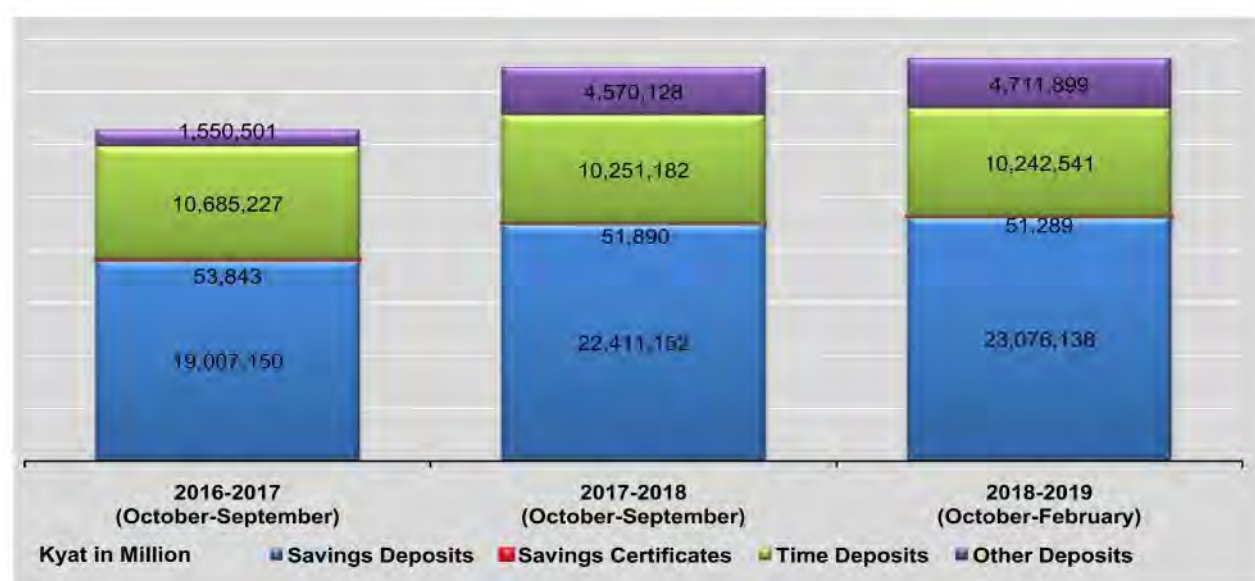
2. Currency outside depository corporations is the currency liabilities of the depository corporations including central bank and is defined as the currency in circulation (CIC) less the other depository corporations' holdings of national currency.





FY	Total	Savings Deposits			Savings Certificates	Time Deposits			Other Deposits	
		State Owned Banks	Private Banks	Foreign Banks	State Owned Banks	State Owned Banks	Private Banks	Foreign Banks	State Owned Banks	Private Banks
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	31,296,721	4,015,310	14,498,954	492,886	53,843	332,062	9,276,894	1,076,271	1,079,519	470,982
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	37,284,352	4,854,266	16,904,153	652,733	51,890	508,863	8,321,211	1,421,108	1,034,692	3,535,436
<b>2018-2019 (October-February)</b>	38,081,867	4,949,840	17,522,027	604,271	51,289	559,975	8,523,057	1,159,509	1,180,021	3,531,878
<b>2018</b>										
<b>February</b>	32,111,989	4,016,287	14,668,939	484,016	53,476	419,080	7,554,440	931,787	931,217	3,052,747
<b>March</b>	33,880,873	4,331,615	15,304,162	782,924	53,418	431,228	7,712,229	642,801	1,407,833	3,214,663
<b>April</b>	33,931,739	4,315,315	15,432,842	693,670	53,497	457,481	7,929,346	800,661	1,118,199	3,130,728
<b>May</b>	34,115,387	4,370,662	15,249,341	751,252	52,884	455,381	7,974,690	962,963	871,663	3,426,551
<b>June</b>	34,898,108	4,424,603	15,629,676	895,293	52,663	473,527	8,069,270	978,332	809,115	3,565,629
<b>July</b>	35,403,107	4,530,849	15,910,367	707,624	52,303	478,305	8,165,714	1,189,051	862,474	3,506,420
<b>August</b>	36,004,728	4,625,184	16,330,461	696,674	52,011	484,607	8,312,879	1,330,447	765,959	3,406,506
<b>September</b>	37,288,411	4,854,266	16,904,211	652,733	51,890	508,863	8,321,363	1,421,108	1,034,692	3,539,285
<b>October</b>	37,204,739	4,915,716	16,911,363	729,676	51,950	516,742	8,343,271	1,412,392	640,858	3,682,771
<b>November</b>	37,103,586	4,904,775	16,933,287	615,260	51,825	525,592	8,395,946	1,495,178	711,513	3,470,210
<b>December</b>	37,515,300	4,902,048	17,335,125	639,951	51,673	536,170	8,394,951	1,375,991	751,987	3,527,404
<b>2019</b>										
<b>January</b>	37,858,058	4,925,745	17,381,697	692,315	51,527	549,800	8,487,072	1,211,120	957,223	3,601,559
<b>February</b>	38,081,867	4,949,840	17,522,027	604,271	51,289	559,975	8,523,057	1,159,509	1,180,021	3,531,878

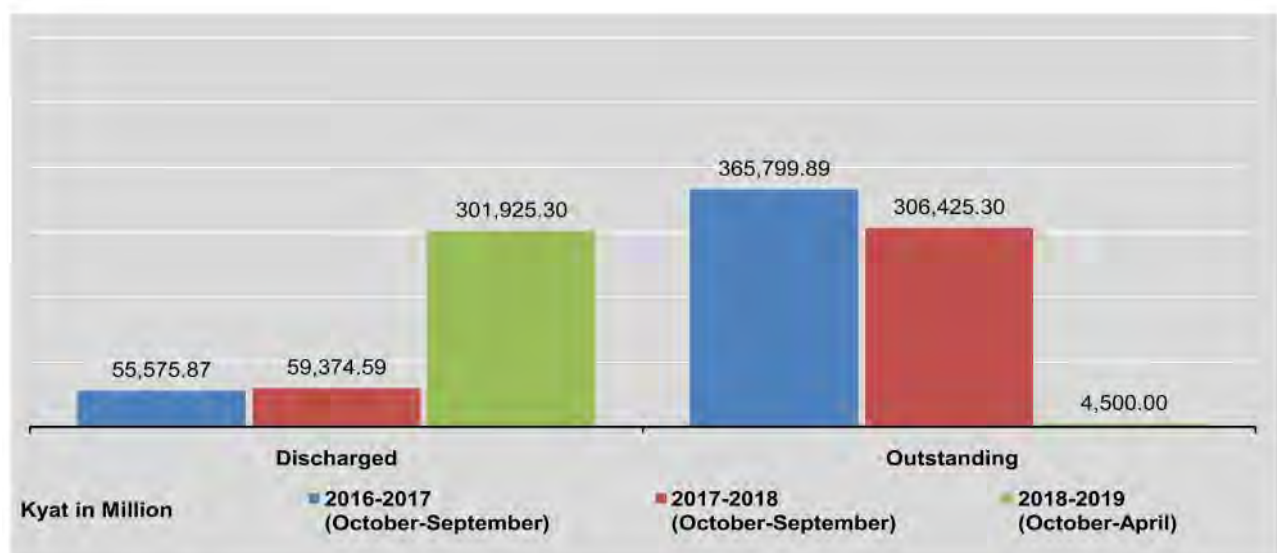
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FY	Total Sales	Discharged	Outstanding	Amount held by	
				Public	Private Enterprises
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	55,575.87	365,799.89	9,099.89	356,700.00
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	59,374.59	306,425.30	1,125.30	305,300.00
2018-2019 (October-April)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

Annual interest rate: 9%

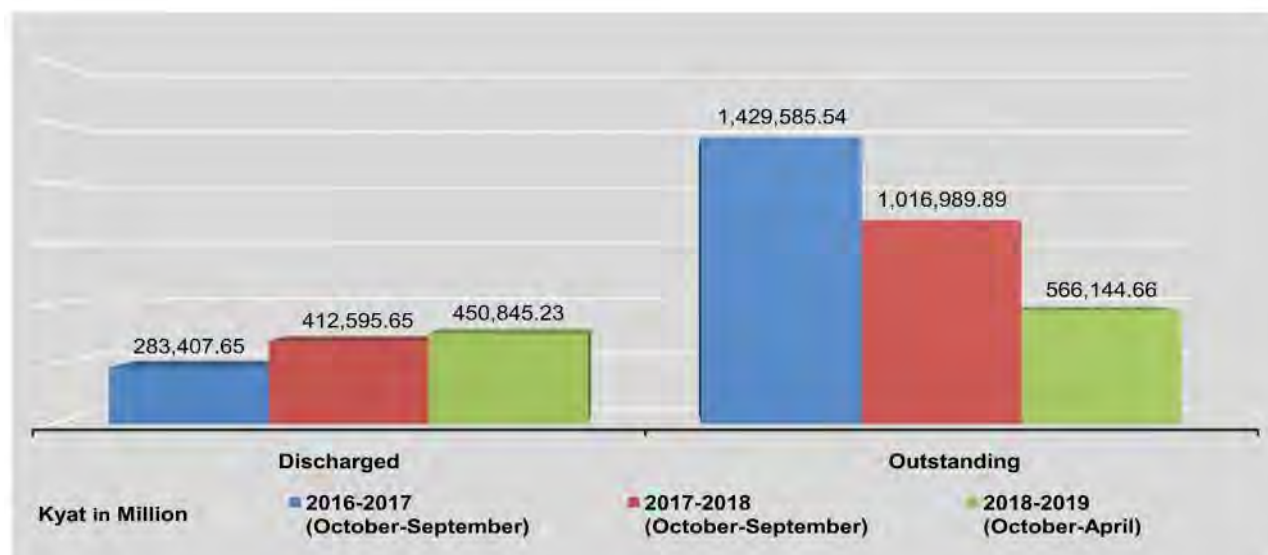
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FY	Total Sales	Discharged	Outstanding	Amount held by	
				Public	Private Enterprises
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	-	283,407.65	1,429,585.54	24,735.54	1,404,850.00
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	-	412,595.65	1,016,989.89	13,219.89	1,003,770.00
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	-	450,845.23	566,144.66	10,194.66	555,950.00
<b>2018</b>					
April	-	526.00	1,199,027.01	16,797.01	1,182,230.00
May	-	179,129.12	1,019,897.89	16,127.89	1,003,770.00
June	-	851.30	1,019,046.59	15,276.59	1,003,770.00
July	-	366.10	1,018,680.49	14,910.49	1,003,770.00
August	-	1,270.50	1,017,409.99	13,639.99	1,003,770.00
September	-	420.10	1,016,989.89	13,219.89	1,003,770.00
October	-	328.30	1,016,661.59	12,891.59	1,003,770.00
November	-	448,258.62	568,402.97	12,452.97	555,950.00
December	-	229.62	568,173.35	12,223.35	555,950.00
<b>2019</b>					
January	-	256.10	567,917.25	11,967.25	555,950.00
February	-	82.50	567,834.75	11,884.75	555,950.00
March	-	719.53	567,115.22	11,165.22	555,950.00
April	-	970.56	566,144.66	10,194.66	555,950.00

Annual interest rate : 9.5%

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.



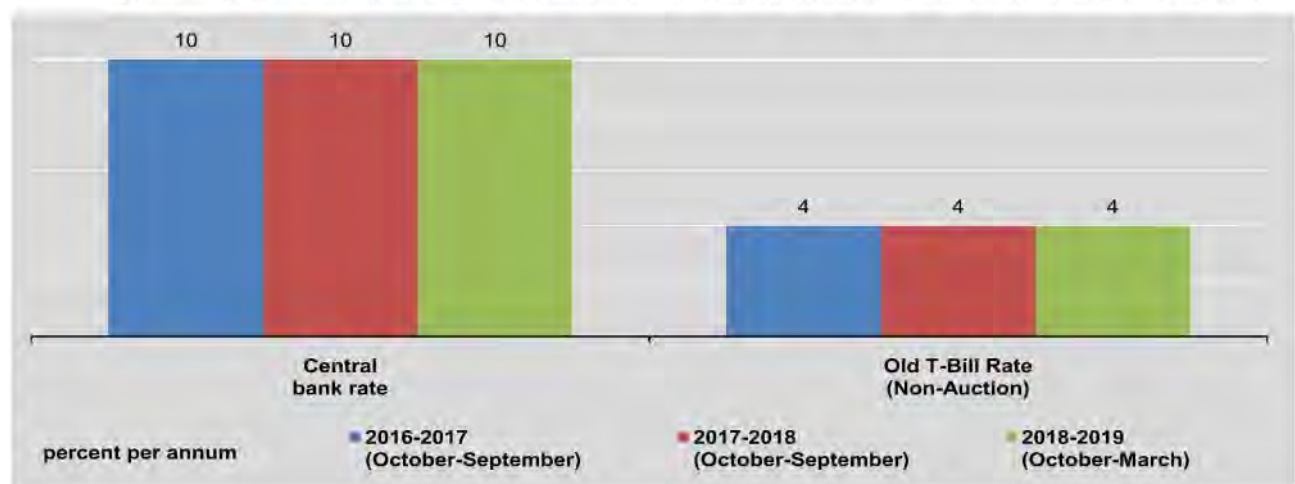


End of FY	Central Bank Rate	Treasury Bills		Treasury Bills ( Auction)			
		Old T-Bill Rate (Non-Auction)	Market Average Auction Rate	Auction Date	Auction Market Weighted Average Rate		
					Three Months	Six Months	Twelve Months
2016-2017 (October-September)	10.00	4.00	-	13.9.2017	7.65	8.48	8.82
2017-2018 (October-September)	10.00	4.00	-	12.9.2018	3.10	5.05	6.89
2018-2019 (October-March)	10.00	4.00	-	26.9.2018	5.21	7.39	8.38
<b>2018</b>							
March	10.00	4.00	7.33	7.3.2018	7.31	7.80	-
April	10.00	4.00	7.29	21.3.2018	7.35	7.81	-
May	10.00	4.00	-	25.4.2018	7.29	7.92	8.68
June	10.00	4.00	-	2.5.2018	7.03	-	-
July	10.00	4.00	-	16.5.2018	6.57	7.42	8.17
August	10.00	4.00	-	30.5.2018	5.60	6.80	8.00
September	10.00	4.00	-	13.6.2018	5.25	6.50	7.51
October	10.00	4.00	6.08	4.7.2018	5.09	6.35	7.29
November	10.00	4.00	-	11.7.2018	5.05	6.12	6.87
December	10.00	4.00	-	1.8.2018	4.00	5.98	6.95
2019				15.8.2018	3.10	5.00	6.89
January	10.00	4.00	-	12.9.2018	3.10	5.05	6.89
February	10.00	4.00	-	26.9.2018	5.21	7.39	8.38
March	10.00	4.00	-	10.10.2018	6.02	7.62	8.62
2019				17.10.2018	6.14	7.50	8.84
April	10.00	4.00	-	14.11.2018	7.09	7.93	8.85
May	10.00	4.00	-	28.11.2018	7.96	7.75	9.13
June	10.00	4.00	-	12.12.2018	7.99	8.20	9.09
July	10.00	4.00	-	26.12.2018	8.00	8.20	-
August	10.00	4.00	-	9.1.2019	7.96	-	9.50
September	10.00	4.00	-	23.1.2019	8.02	8.99	9.50
October	10.00	4.00	-	30.1.2019	8.10	8.97	9.50
November	10.00	4.00	-	13.2.2019	8.08	8.99	9.50
December	10.00	4.00	-	27.2.2019	8.06	9.00	-
2020				13.3.2019	8.03	8.98	-

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

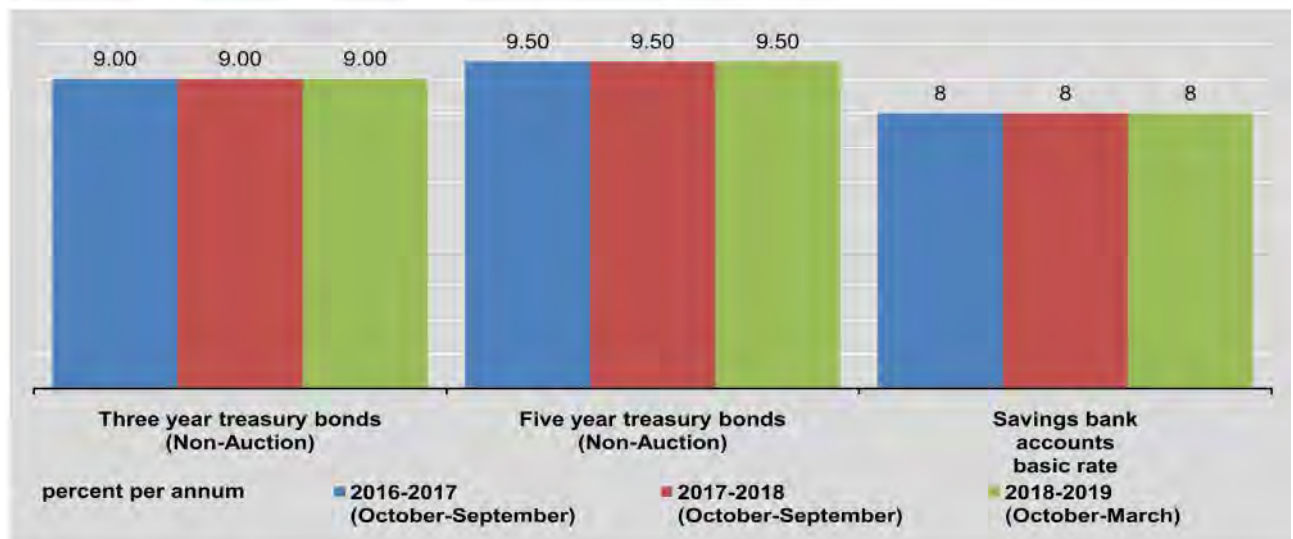
2. The rate of Treasury Bills is reflected by auction Market and it is effective from January, 2015.

3. The rate of Treasury Bills is changed from the Auction Market Rate derived from the single price system to the Auction Market Average Rate derived from the Multiple price system which is effective from 5th June, 2015.



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

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

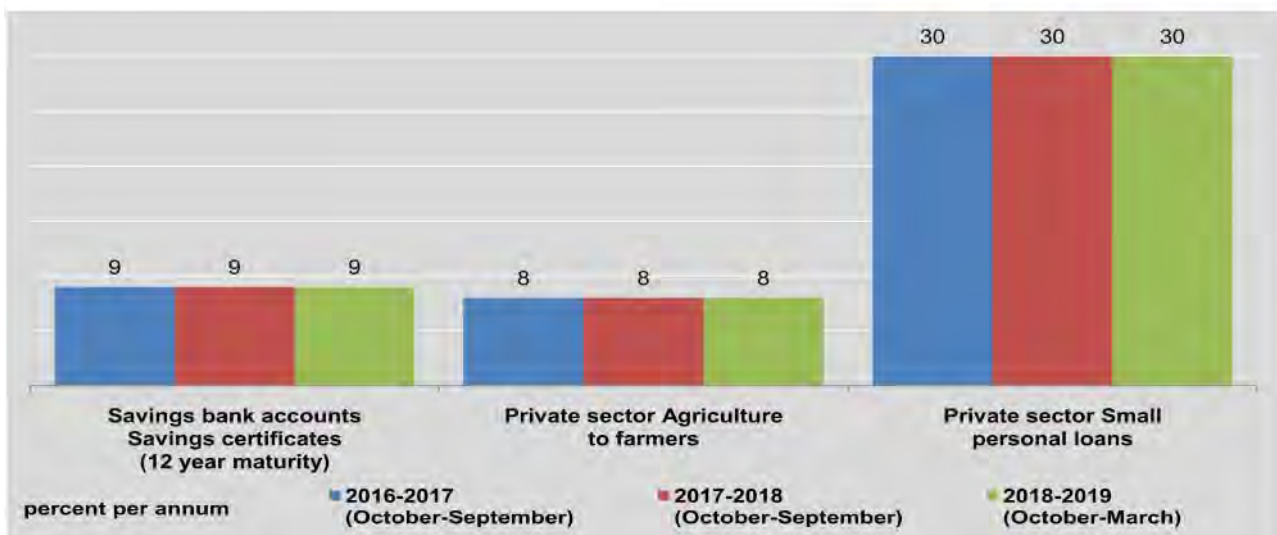
<sup>1/</sup> Lending rate of Microfinance Institutions is effective from September 1, 2014.

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.

<sup>2/</sup> Lending rate of Myanmar Agricultural Development Bank is effective from April 1, 2016.

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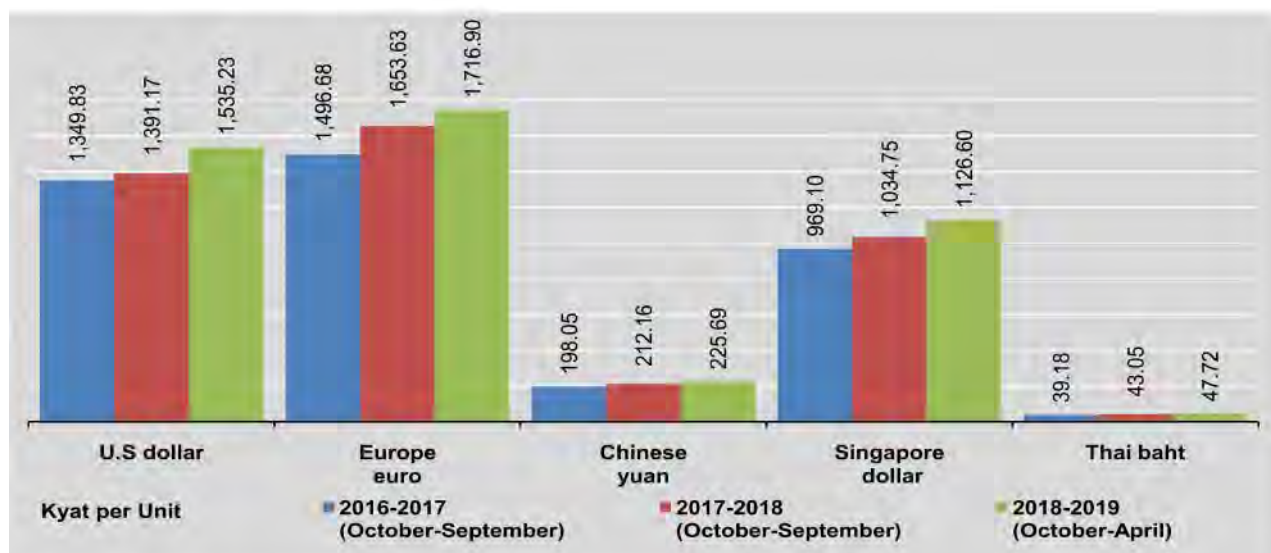
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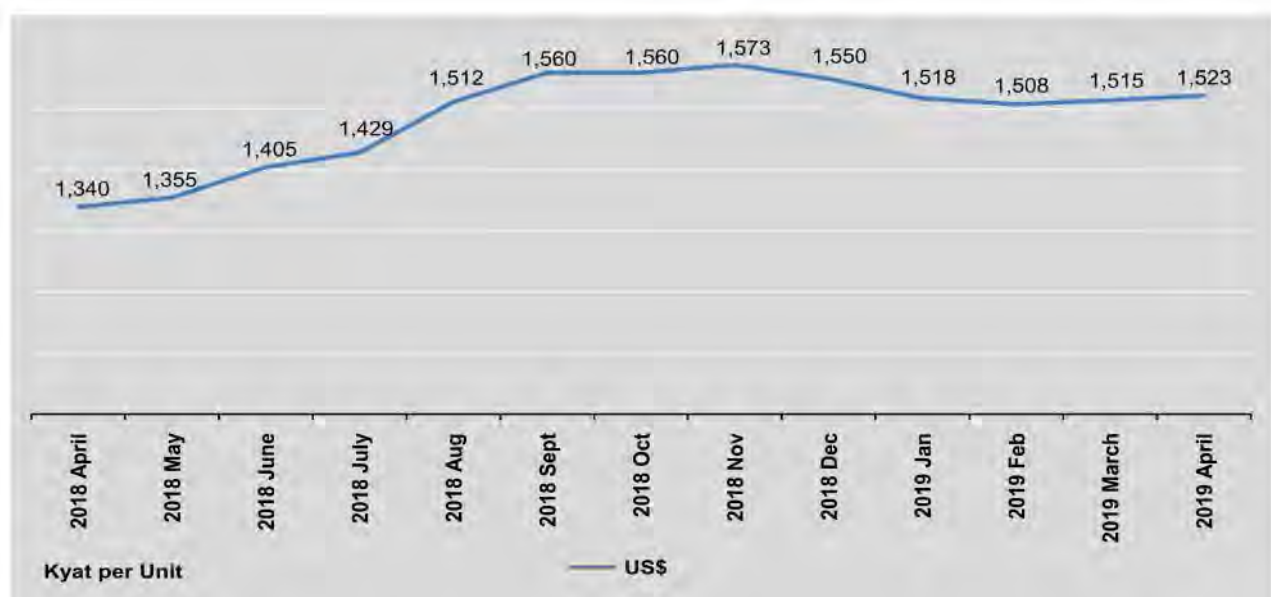
FY	Australian dollar	Canadian dollar	Chinese yuan	Europe euro	English pound	Hong Kong dollar	Indian rupee
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	1,029.79	1,028.97	198.05	1,496.68	1,716.83	173.46	20.53
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	1,052.40	1,082.04	212.16	1,653.63	1,870.26	177.63	20.82
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	1,096.30	1,153.16	225.69	1,743.40	1,985.41	195.79	21.71
<b>2018</b>							
<b>April (30-4-2018)</b>	1,015.20	1,044.00	211.58	1,625.30	1,847.50	170.74	20.11
<b>May (31-5-2018)</b>	1,017.10	1,051.90	211.14	1,580.00	1,796.20	172.70	20.09
<b>June (29-6-2018)</b>	1,032.40	1,060.30	212.01	1,626.10	1,837.90	179.02	20.41
<b>July (31-7-2018)</b>	1,058.80	1,096.90	209.68	1,673.30	1,876.90	182.07	20.83
<b>August (31-8-2018)</b>	1,096.80	1,164.20	220.91	1,763.70	1,968.10	192.63	21.37
<b>September (28-9-2018)</b>	1,124.60	1,197.10	226.41	1,816.30	2,040.30	199.54	21.50
<b>October(31-10-2018)</b>	1,105.40	1,188.90	223.91	1,769.50	1,982.30	198.85	21.17
<b>November (30-11-2018)</b>	1,152.00	1,184.40	226.58	1,792.20	2,010.40	201.11	22.54
<b>December (28-12-2018)</b>	1,091.00	1,138.20	225.74	1,773.30	1,960.50	197.89	22.03
<b>2019</b>							
<b>January (31-1-2019)</b>	1,101.10	1,155.20	226.51	1,744.60	1,991.20	193.51	21.31
<b>February (28-2-2019)</b>	1,076.60	1,145.10	225.54	1,716.90	2,005.90	192.11	21.22
<b>March (29-3-2019)</b>	1,074.10	1,128.50	225.53	1,701.20	1,972.40	192.98	21.91
<b>April (30-4-2019)</b>	1,073.90	1,131.80	226.01	1,706.10	1,975.20	194.10	21.83

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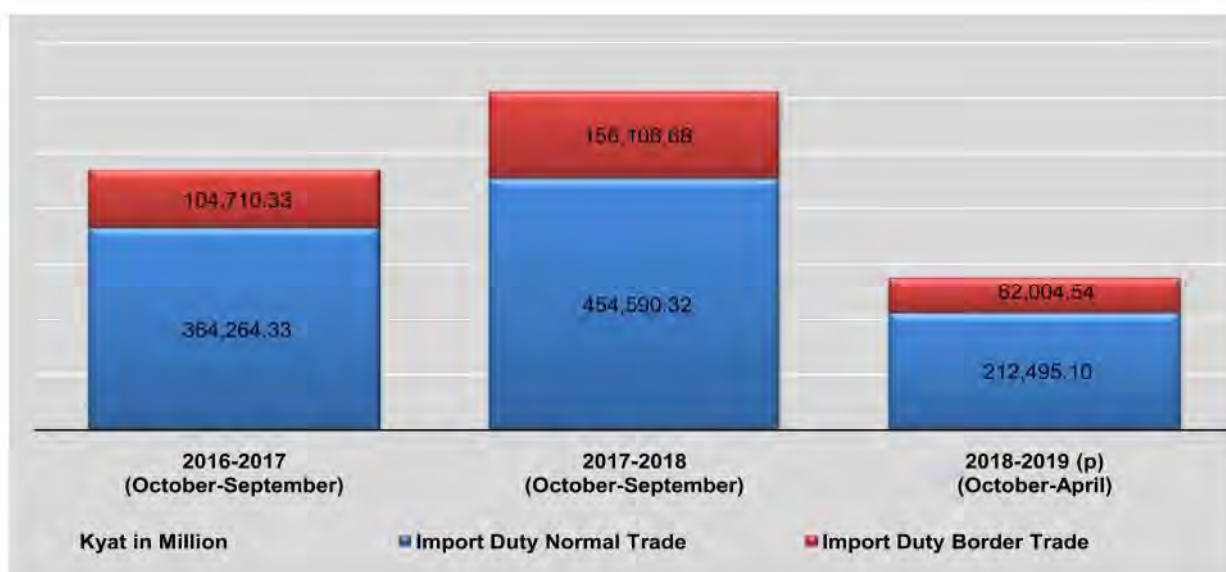
FY	Japanese	Malaysian	Pakistan	Singapore	Thai	U.S	C.I.S
	100 yen	ringgit	rupee	dollar	baht	dollar	roubles
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	1,209.47	310.82	12.86	969.10	39.18	1,349.83	22.79
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	1,260.43	345.45	12.11	1,034.75	43.05	1,391.17	22.96
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	1,378.93	371.63	11.09	1,126.60	47.72	1,535.23	23.26
<b>2018</b>							
April (30-4-2018)	1,228.50	342.14	11.57	1,012.20	42.56	1,340.00	21.55
May (31-5-2018)	1,247.50	340.20	11.70	1,006.70	42.21	1,355.00	21.71
June (29-6-2018)	1,272.50	347.47	11.54	1,027.70	42.41	1,405.00	22.28
July (31-7-2018)	1,287.70	352.19	11.75	1,049.90	42.94	1,429.00	22.81
August (31-8-2018)	1,362.80	367.93	12.29	1,105.50	46.12	1,512.00	22.19
September (28-9-2018)	1,375.40	376.40	12.66	1,140.50	48.12	1,560.00	23.74
October (31-10-2018)	1,378.60	372.89	11.67	1,126.00	46.87	1,560.00	23.74
November (30-11-2018)	1,387.20	375.64	11.70	1,148.00	47.79	1,573.00	23.64
December (28-12-2018)	1,397.70	372.33	11.08	1,130.70	47.66	1,550.00	22.38
<b>2019</b>							
January (31-1-2019)	1,393.70	370.92	10.86	1,126.80	48.56	1,518.00	23.19
February (28-2-2019)	1,360.80	370.65	10.78	1,118.20	47.80	1,508.00	22.90
March (29-3-2019)	1,367.40	370.84	10.76	1,117.70	47.71	1,514.90	23.38
April (30-4-2019)	1,367.10	368.11	10.75	1,118.80	47.68	1,522.70	23.59

Source: Central Bank of Myanmar.



FY	Total Duties	Import Duty	
		Normal Trade	Border Trade
2016-2017 (October-September)	468,974.66	364,264.33	104,710.33
2017-2018 (October-September)	578,625.31	454,590.32	156,106.68
2018-2019 (p) (October-April)	274,499.64	212,495.10	62,004.54
<b>2018</b>			
April	40,787.83	31,640.34	9,147.49 (r)
May	49,361.83	38,228.56	11,133.27
June	44,858.83	35,553.85	9,304.98
July	40,144.10	32,470.85	7,673.25
August	48,630.78	39,194.00	9,436.78
September	41,913.84	32,071.69	9,842.15
October	40,836.56	32,118.99	8,717.57
November (p)	45,701.77	35,546.04	10,155.73
December (p)	39,158.15	28,705.17	10,452.98
<b>2019</b>			
January (p)	48,580.22	38,847.98	9,732.24
February (p)	30,968.84	24,915.26	6,053.58
March (p)	33,960.04	23,727.60	10,232.44
April (p)	35,294.06	28,634.06	6,660.00

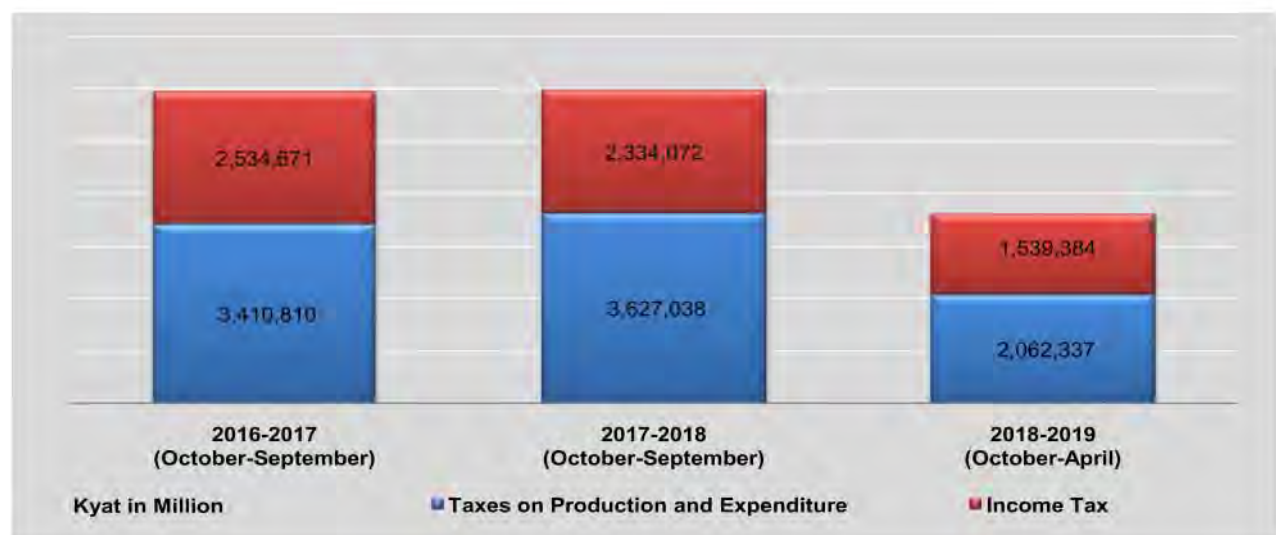
Source: Customs Department.





FY	Total	Taxes on Production and Expenditure				Income Tax
		Commodities and Services Tax and Commercial Tax	State Lottery	Stamp Duties	Specific Goods Tax	
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	5,945,482	2,182,059	67,149	65,031	1,096,571	2,534,671
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	5,961,110	2,078,554	99,770	63,353	1,385,361	2,334,072
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	3,601,721	1,168,174	79,738	34,556	779,869	1,539,384
<b>2018</b>						
April	208,003	63,043	7,933	2,684	32,386	101,957
May	377,023	152,410	8,526	7,060	105,463	103,564
June	576,480	210,519	8,221	3,813	118,144	235,783
July	371,641	112,610	8,209	4,688	106,625	139,509
August	381,043	145,825	8,691	4,311	106,855	115,361
September	682,077	242,603	8,644	6,781	135,452	288,597
October	290,037	81,650	9,584	3,803	40,953	154,047
November	460,302	163,744	9,423	4,482	108,281	174,372
December	619,619	216,625	9,314	5,737	121,088	266,855
<b>2019</b>						
January	404,633	125,870	9,797	5,941	86,012	177,013
February	462,924	195,556	15,912	4,832	130,002	116,622
March	938,637	275,711	13,859	5,022	178,134	465,911
April	425,569	109,018	11,849	4,739	115,399	184,564

Source: Internal Revenue Department.



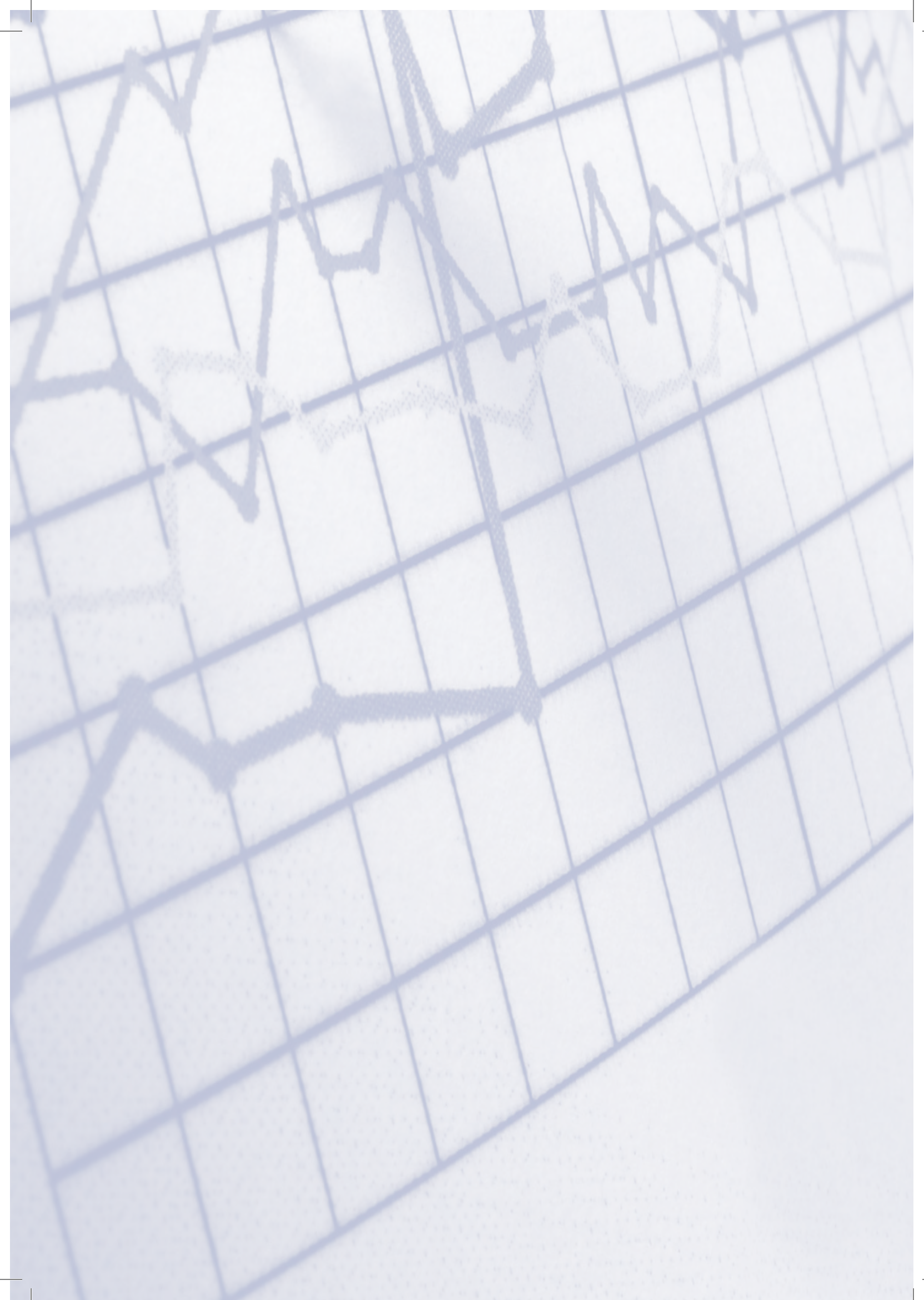


CHAPTER 5  
**INVESTMENT**



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# INVESTMENT | ANALYSIS

Investment is an important factor to sustain economic growth. Thus, Myanmar has encouraged domestic and foreign investors to invest in various economic sectors. In 2016-2017 (October-September), 79 citizen enterprises and 223 foreign enterprises were permitted to invest. During 2017-2018 (October-September), 173 citizen enterprises and 175 foreign enterprises were permitted to invest. Since 1988 up to April 2019, a total pledge amount of 80,150.47 million US\$ in Foreign Direct Investments was recorded.

## ■ MYANMAR CITIZENS INVESTMENT AND INDUCEMENT

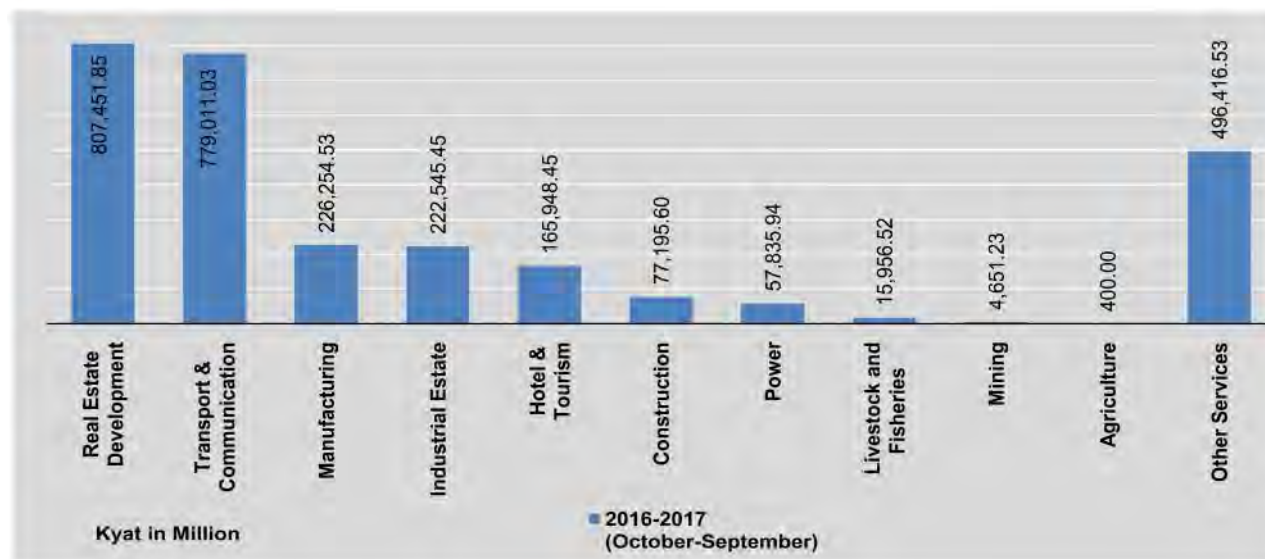
Since 1994, a total of 1,555 citizen enterprises were permitted in Myanmar with a total amount of 18,690,724.34 Kyats Million invested until the end of April 2019. Among the investments in eleven sectors of the economy, the leading sectors in 2017-2018 (October-September) were real estate development with 43.74%, manufacturing with 12.88% and hotel & tourism with 11.95% of the total amount of permitted Myanmar Citizens Investment. Myanmar Citizens Investment of permitted enterprises by sector are shown in table 5.1.

## ■ FOREIGN INVESTMENT

Since 1988, a total of 1,705 foreign enterprises from 49 countries of the economy were permitted with a total pledge amount of US\$ 80,150.47 million invested until the end of April 2019. Among the investments in 12 sectors of the economy, the leading sectors in 2017-2018 (October-September) were manufacturing with 30.64% and transport & communication with 23.67% and real estate development with 14.35% of the total permitted amount of foreign investments. The leading investors were Singapore that accounted for 35.32%, China for 25.96% and Japan for 14.76% in 2017-2018 (October-September). Since 1988, the main foreign investors were China, Singapore and Thailand.

FY	Total			Livestock and Fisheries			Mining		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	79	1,274.26 *	2,853,667.15 *	5	5.49	15,956.52 *	1	2.11 *	4,651.23 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	173	831.52 *	3,500,578.84 *	8	22.56	70,857.66	2	6.92	31,586.17 *
2018-2019 (October-April)	89	306.01 *	893,916.73 *	4	88.85 *	202,020.00 *	5	0.74 *	23,816.39 *
<b>2018</b>									
April	23	114.55 *	638,785.70 *	1	22.56	66,435.66	-	-	-
May	11	4.93 *	30,084.90 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	12	15.73	35,596.09	-	-	-	1	2.93	5,800.00
July	19	33.59	108,717.13 *	3	-	2,860.00	-	-	19,950.00 *
August	9	9.91	83,288.73 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	31	41.14 *	98,929.46 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	18	1.27	42,189.62	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	18	89.97	224,432.44	-	-	-	3	-	16,096.39
December	13	7.50 *	58,919.33 *	2	-	200.00	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>									
January	14	15.25 *	117,420.29 *	-	-	-	1	-	5,799.50
February	6	137.04 *	293,712.74 *	1	88.48	200,000.00	-	0.63 *	1,500.00 *
March	14	25.62 *	75,705.32 *	1	-	500.00	1	0.11	420.50
April	6	29.36 *	81,536.99 *	-	0.37 *	1,320.00 *	-	-	-

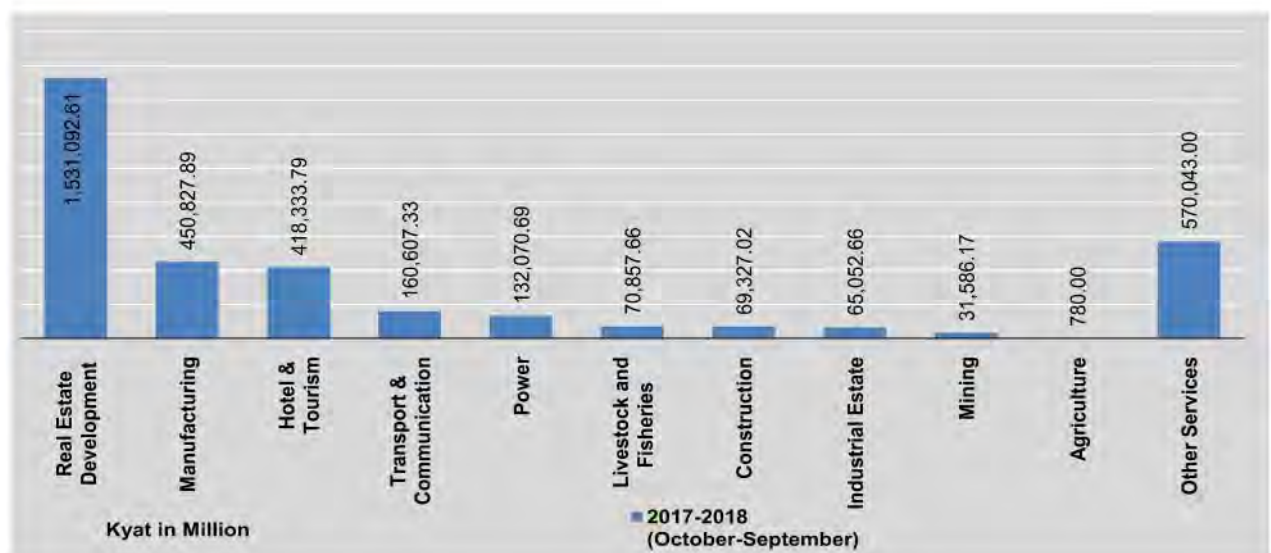
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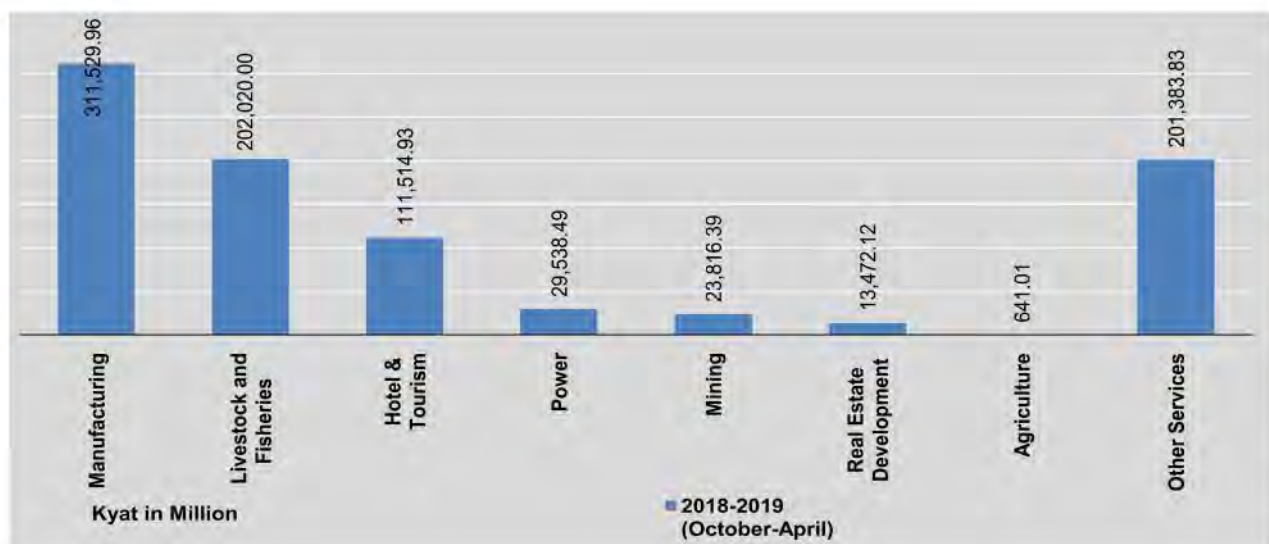
FY	Manufacturing			Power			Transport & Communication		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	25	125.01 *	226,254.53 *	2	18.64	57,835.94	6	495.60	779,011.03
2017-2018 (October-September)	58	156.22 *	45,087.89 *	5	66.18	132,070.69	4	98.67 *	160,607.33 *
2018-2019 (October-April)	37	129.50 *	311,529.96 *	2	14.84 *	29,538.49 *	-	-	-
<b>2018</b>									
April	6	31.73	75,758.37	2	1.18	8,070.03	-	-	-
May	9	4.82 *	18,584.90 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	5	10.03	17,370.09	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	6	33.24	58,335.02	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	3	2.67	7,641.60	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	5	1.78	8,226.11	1	5.49	9,569.31	1	2.48	5,000.00
October	7	0.78 (r)	7,916.94	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	6	81.80	171,831.07	1	2.32	5,900.00	-	-	-
December	7	2.95 *	11,225.09 *	1	4.46	10,752.00	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>									
January	7	4.45 *	24,264.52 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	1	1.25	4,000.00	-	8.06 *	12,886.49 *	-	-	-
March	6	25.09 *	62,393.98 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	3	13.18 *	29,898.36 *	-	-	-	-	-	-

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FY	Hotel and Tourism			Real Estate Development			Construction		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	13	46.74 *	165,948.45 *	9	339.64 *	807,451.85 *	-	14.21 *	77,195.60 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	38	117.74 *	418,333.79 *	9	247.57	1,531,092.61	-	15.72 *	69,327.02 *
2018-2019 (October-April)	16	10.09 *	111,514.93 *	3	3.55 *	13,472.12 *	-	-	-
<b>2018</b>									
April	7	6.64 *	41,252.62 *	3	28.18	177,322.11	-	-	-
May	2	0.11 *	11,500.00 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	3	-	1,250.00	1	-	2,076.00	-	-	-
July	5	-	2,833.42	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	4	3.22	59,632.26	1	-	2,490.42	-	-	-
September	4	1.96	13,040.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	6	0.66	21,687.48	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	2	-	800.00	1	-	2,107.53	-	-	-
December	3	0.07	5,350.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>									
January	2	9.36 *	76,427.45 *	1	-	1,467.50	-	-	-
February	2	-	6,750.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	1	-	4,457.09	-	-	-
April	1	-	500.00	-	3.55 *	5,440.00 *	-	-	-

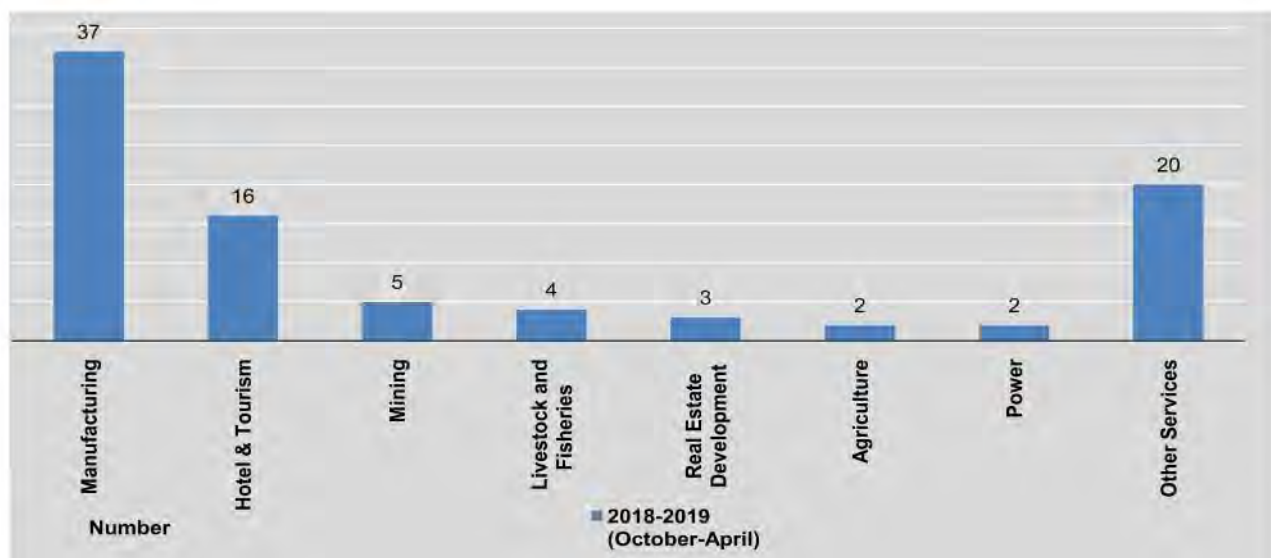
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FY	Agriculture			Industrial Estate			Other Services		
	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)	No. of Enterprises	US\$	Total Investment (Kyat)
2016-2017 (October-September)	1	-	400.00	1	-	222,545.45	16	226.83*	496,416.53*
2017-2018 (October-September)	2	0.35	780.00	1	-	65,052.66	46	99.95*	570,043.00*
2018-2019 (October-April)	2	0.07	641.01	-	-	-	20	58.55*	201,383.83*
<b>2018</b>									
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	24.26	269,946.91
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2.77	9,100.00
July	1	0.35	700.00	-	-	-	4	-	24,038.69
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4.02	13,524.45
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	29.42*	63,094.04*
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	12,585.20
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5.85	27,697.45
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.03*	31,392.24*
<b>2019</b>									
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1.44	9,461.32
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	38.62*	68,576.25*
March	2	0.07	641.01	-	-	-	3	0.35	7,292.74
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	12.26	44,378.63

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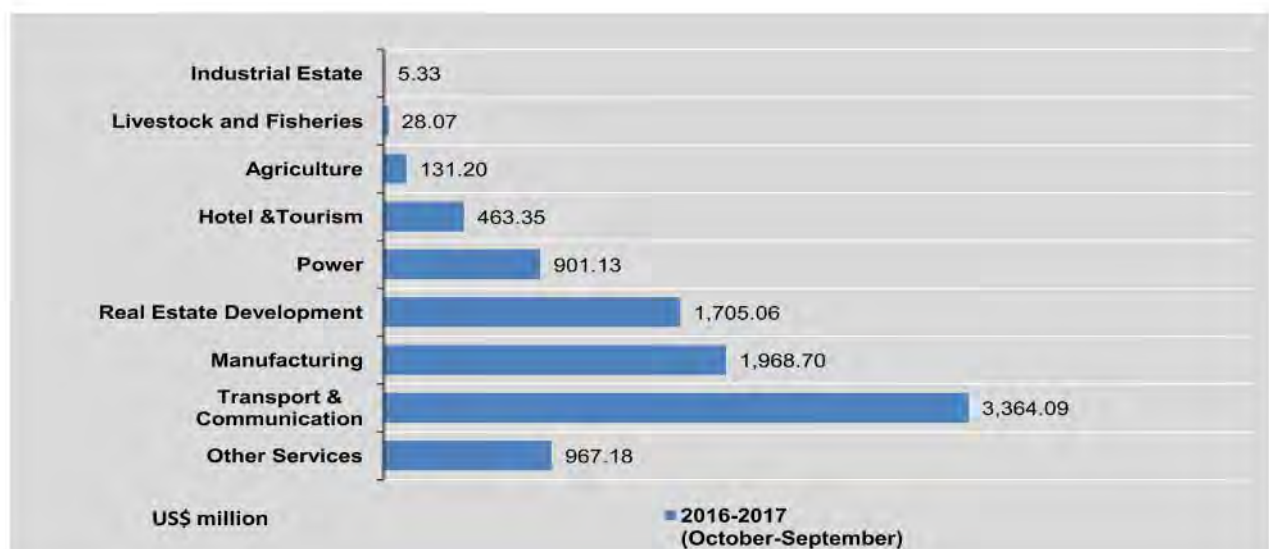
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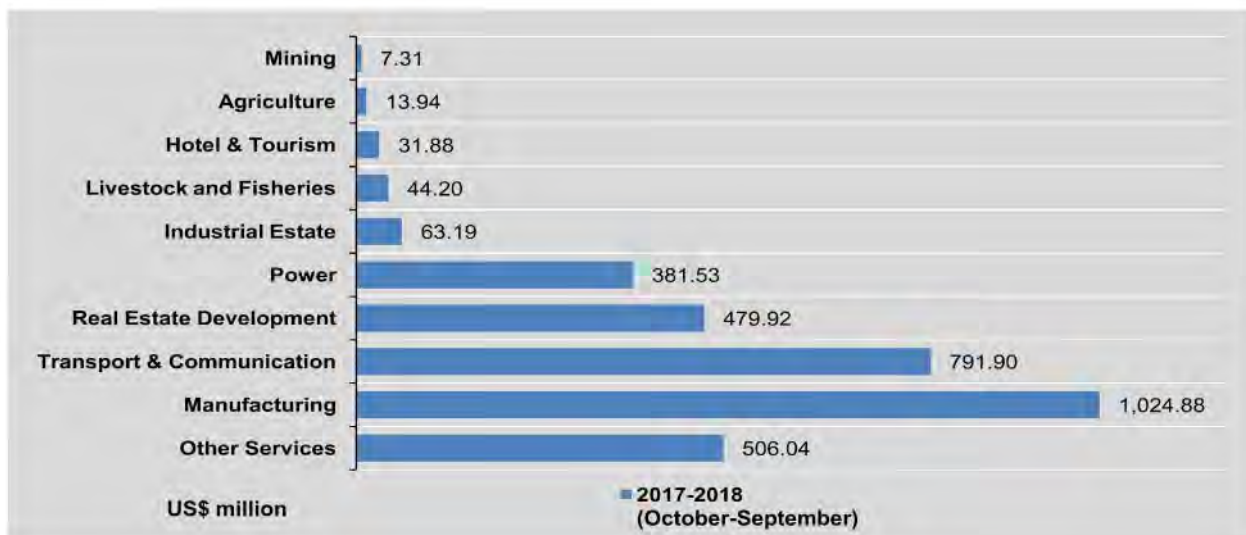
FY	Total		Agriculture		Livestock and Fisheries		Mining	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	223	9,534.11 *	4	131.20	7	28.07	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	175	3,344.77 *	5	13.94	9	44.20 *	-	7.31 *
2018-2019 (October-April)	150	2,413.29 *	4	14.04	7	33.97	-	-
<b>2018</b>								
April	4	47.09 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	11	102.10 *	1	5.65	-	-	-	-
June	11	245.67 *	-	-	-	-	-	6.00 *
July	27	434.89 *	1	5.00	1	10.51	-	-
August	12	479.51 *	-	-	1	7.87 *	-	-
September	20	455.43 *	-	-	1	14.57 *	-	-
October	8	37.49 *	1	0.20	1	3.18	-	-
November	26	428.41 *	2	10.42	2	16.38 *	-	-
December	29	333.73 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>								
January	23	454.37 *	-	-	2	4.20	-	-
February	23	447.59 *	1	3.42	2	10.21	-	-
March	30	166.02 *	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	11	545.68 *	-	-	-	-	-	-

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FY	Oil and Gas		Manufacturing		Transport & Communication		Industrial Estate	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	-	142	1,968.70 *	14	3,364.09 *	-	5.33
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	-	117	1,024.88 *	4	791.90 *	2	63.19 *
2018-2019 (October-April)	-	10.20 *	115	668.29 *	3	1,155.68 *	1	48.45
<b>2018</b>								
April	-	-	2	21.53 *	-	-	-	5.33 *
May	-	-	9	81.74 *	-	-	-	1.15 *
June	-	-	8	172.38 *	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	20	107.40 *	-	140.05 *	1	28.00
August	-	-	8	113.57 *	-	130.00 *	-	-
September	-	-	13	210.03 *	1	44.11	-	-
October	-	10.20 *	4	13.57 *	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	16	86.50 *	1	171.79	-	-
December	-	-	28	89.50 *	1	243.43 *	-	-
<b>2019</b>								
January	-	-	17	167.15 *	-	149.89 *	-	-
February	-	-	14	164.08 *	-	115.45 *	1	48.45
March	-	-	28	80.52 *	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	8	66.97 *	1	475.12 *	-	-

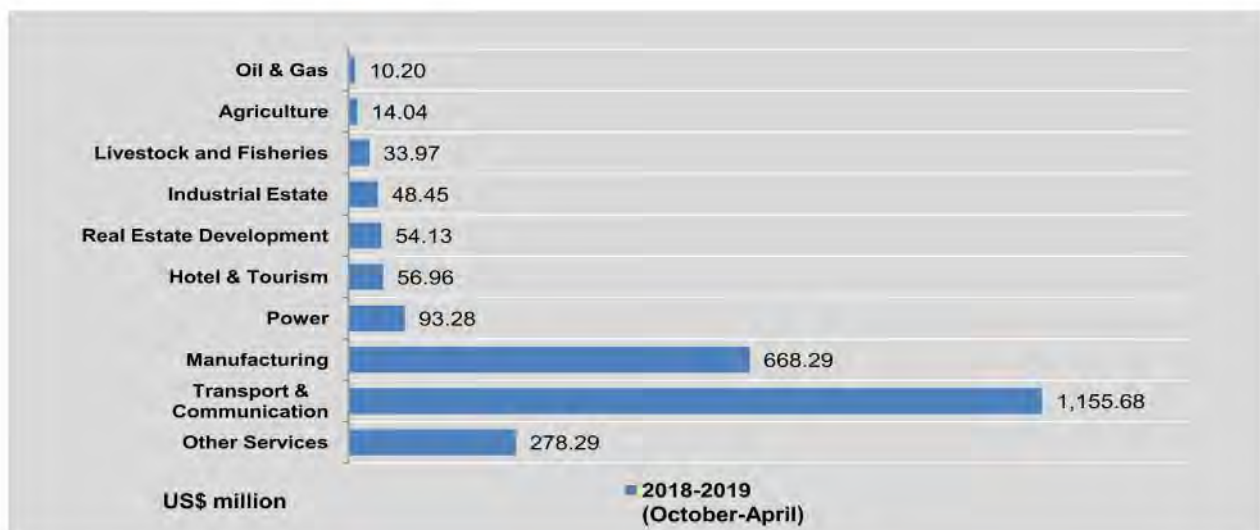
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FY	Hotel and Tourism		Real Estate Development		Power		Other Services	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	6	463.35 *	11	1,705.06 *	3	901.13	35	967.18 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	4	31.88 *	5	479.92 *	5	381.53	24	506.04 *
2018-2019 (October-April)	3	56.96 *	1	54.13	2	93.28	14	278.29 *
<b>2018</b>								
April	-	0.30 *	1	2.88	-	-	1	17.05 *
May	-	4.34 *	-	-	-	-	1	9.22 *
June	1	4.63	-	-	-	-	2	62.66
July	-	-	1	22.50	-	-	3	121.43 *
August	1	0.27	1	170.20	-	-	1	57.60 *
September	-	-	1	84.80 *	1	92.68	3	9.24 *
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	10.34
November	1	4.37 *	-	-	-	-	4	138.95
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.80 *
<b>2019</b>								
January	-	-	1	54.13	1	28.00	2	51.00
February	-	-	-	-	1	65.28	4	40.70
March	1	50.00	-	-	-	-	1	35.50 *
April	1	2.59	-	-	-	-	1	1.00

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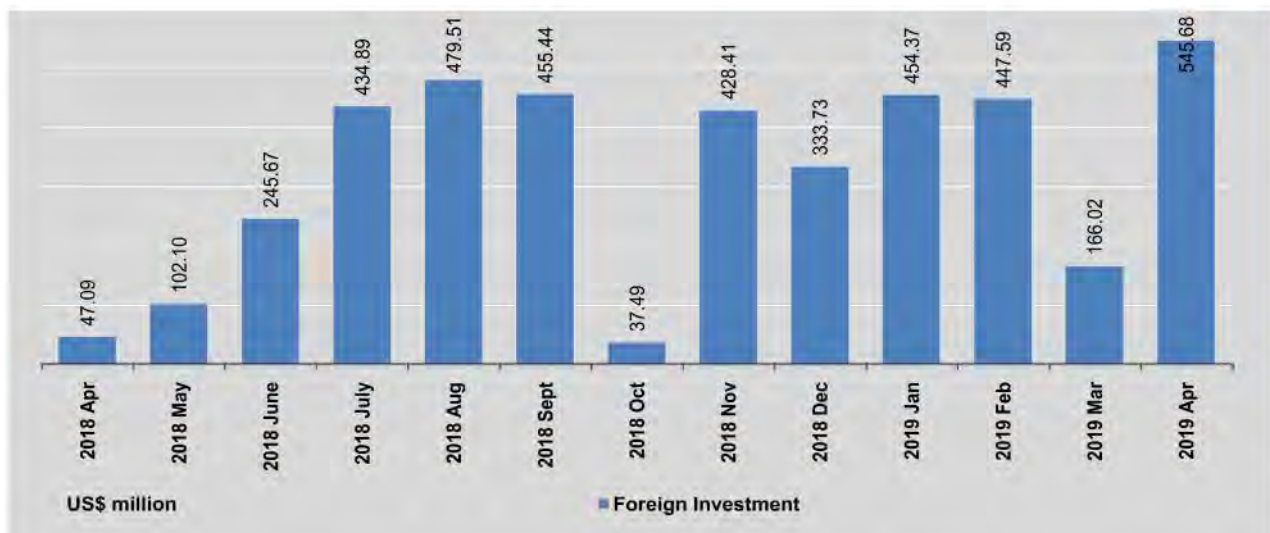
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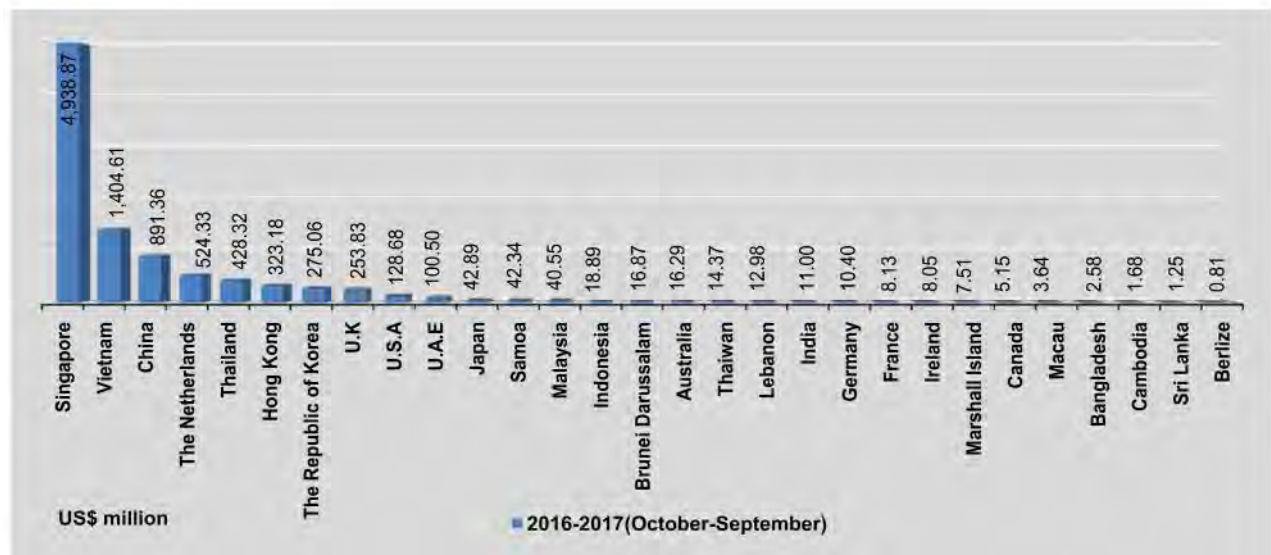
FY	Total		Brunei Darussalam		Canada		China		Bangladesh	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	223	9,534.11 *	3	16.87 *	1	5.15	53	891.37 *	2	2.58
2017-2018 (October-September)	175	3,344.77 *	-	3.36 *	1	1.36	62	868.44 *	-	-
2018-2019 (October-April)	150	2,413.29 *	-	7.05 *	-	-	71	290.71 *	-	-
<b>2018</b>										
April	4	47.09 *	-	-	-	-	2	6.61	-	-
May	11	102.10 *	-	-	-	-	5	56.06	-	-
June	11	245.67 *	-	-	-	-	4	12.66 *	-	-
July	27	434.89 *	-	3.36 *	-	-	10	36.96 *	-	-
August	12	479.51 *	-	-	-	-	2	42.43 *	-	-
September	20	455.43 *	-	-	-	-	5	147.59 *	-	-
October	8	37.49 *	-	-	-	-	3	2.09	-	-
November	26	428.41 *	-	-	-	-	13	51.91 *	-	-
December	29	333.73 *	-	-	-	-	17	52.27 *	-	-
<b>2019</b>										
January	23	454.37 *	-	-	-	-	9	18.61 *	-	-
February	23	447.59 *	-	-	-	-	9	41.05 *	-	-
March	30	166.02 *	-	-	-	-	16	82.62 *	-	-
April	11	545.68 *	-	7.05 *	-	-	4	42.16 *	-	-

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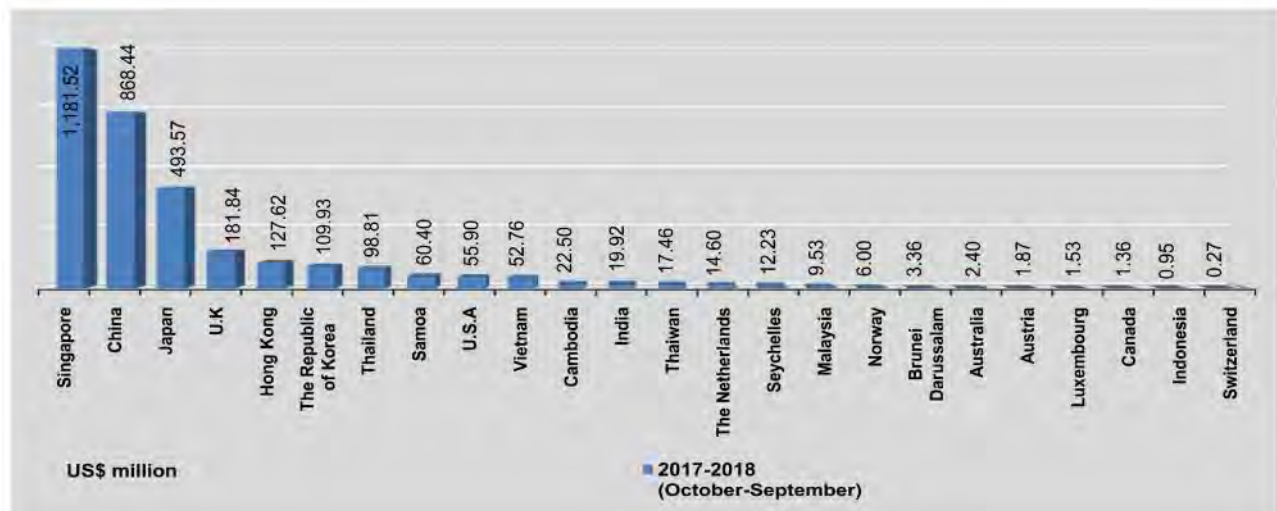
FY	Hong Kong		India		Japan		The Republic of Korea		Australia	
	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment	No. of Enter-	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	23	323.18 *	3	11.00 *	8	42.89	14	275.06 *	1	16.29
2017-2018 (October-September)	18	127.62 *	4	19.91 *	13	493.57 *	20	109.93 *	1	2.40
2018-2019 (October-April)	21	245.96 *	-	-	7	19.93 *	7	77.44 *	-	-
<b>2018</b>										
April	1	8.34 *	-	-	-	0.33 *	1	6.98 *	-	-
May	1	8.51 *	1	1.35	-	4.34 *	-	-	-	-
June	-	6.86 *	-	-	3	80.49 *	1	0.83	-	-
July	2	31.49 *	3	18.57	-	0.20 *	5	36.39	-	-
August	-	0.98 *	-	-	1	42.27	4	30.81 *	-	-
September	4	11.72	-	-	1	6.99 *	1	2.00	1	2.40
October	1	2.46	-	-	-	-	-	0.72 *	-	-
November	-	4.71 *	-	-	2	5.53	1	2.00	-	-
December	5	16.69	-	-	1	7.71 *	-	2.99 *	-	-
<b>2019</b>										
January	5	65.29 *	-	-	1	2.41 *	1	7.69 *	-	-
February	5	100.59	-	-	1	0.33	3	52.59 *	-	-
March	5	55.59 *	-	-	1	1.67 *	1	5.61 *	-	-
April	-	0.63 *	-	-	1	2.28	1	5.84 *	-	-

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FY	Malaysia		The Netherlands		Singapore		France		Thailand	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	6	40.55 *	6	524.33	46	4,938.87 *	16	8.13	13	428.32 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	3	9.53	1	14.60	23	1,181.52 *	-	-	8	98.81 *
2018-2019 (October-April)	2	1.18	3	26.40	20	1,571.44 *	-	-	6	115.63 *
<b>2018</b>										
April	-	-	-	-	-	20.63 *	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	3	29.89 *	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	1	3.20	-	-	-	33.00 *
July	-	-	-	-	3	261.33 *	-	-	1	10.51
August	1	7.34	-	-	1	322.80 *	-	-	-	2.00 *
September	-	-	-	-	2	86.58 *	-	-	2	19.09
October	-	-	1	3.18	1	21.57 *	-	-	-	-
November	2	1.18	-	-	4	336.27 *	-	-	2	12.88
December	-	-	-	-	3	248.80 *	-	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>										
January	-	-	-	-	4	336.39 *	-	-	2	11.09
February	-	-	2	23.22	1	154.65 *	-	-	1	73.07 *
March	-	-	-	-	3	11.66 *	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	4	462.10 *	-	-	1	18.59 *

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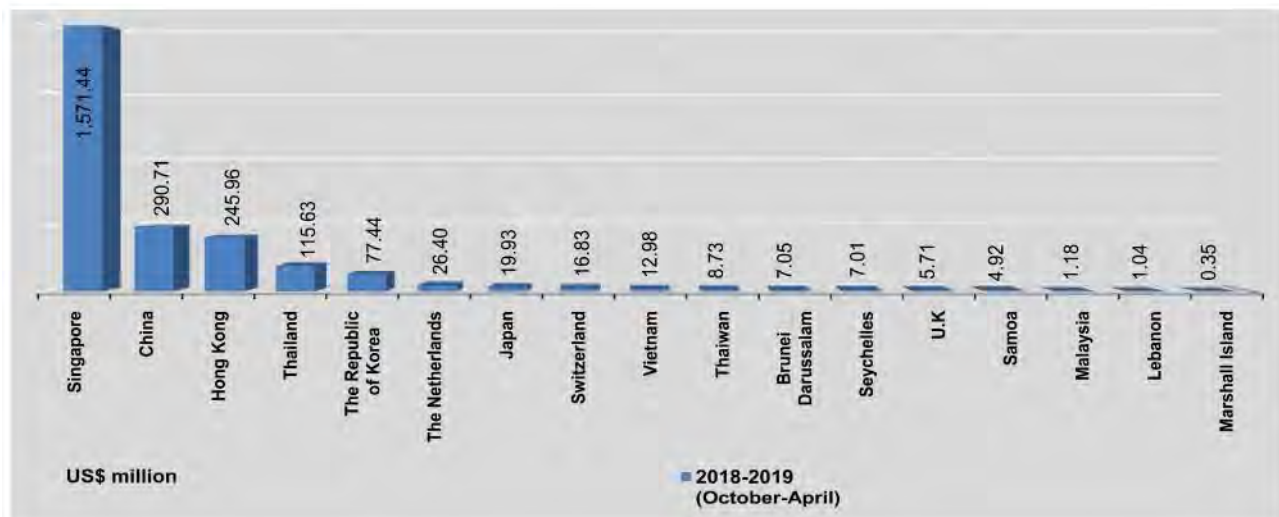




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	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	4	253.83 *	5	1,404.61 *	-	-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

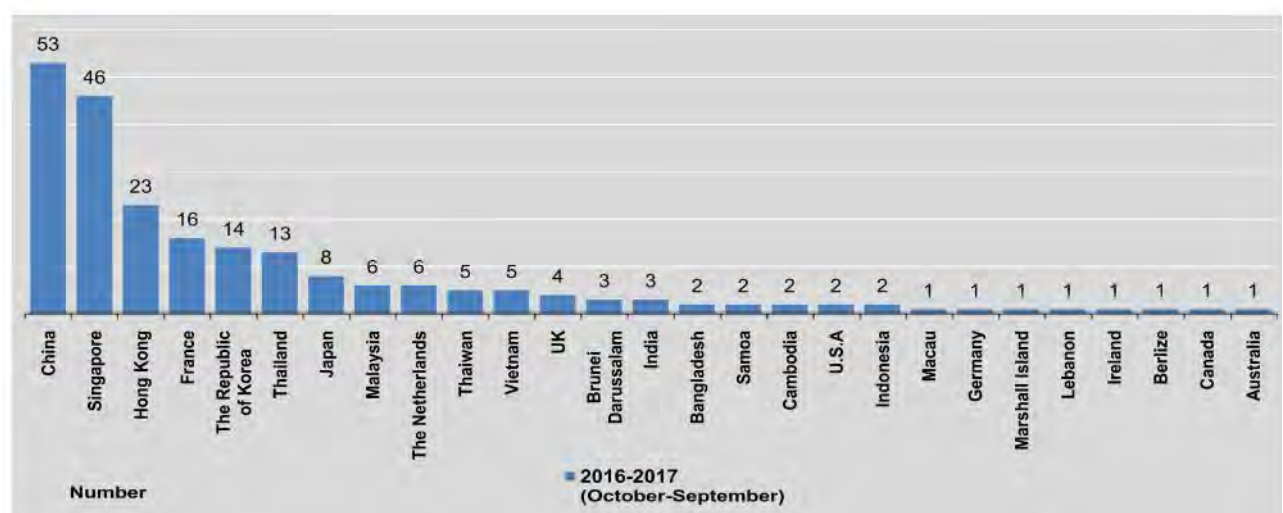
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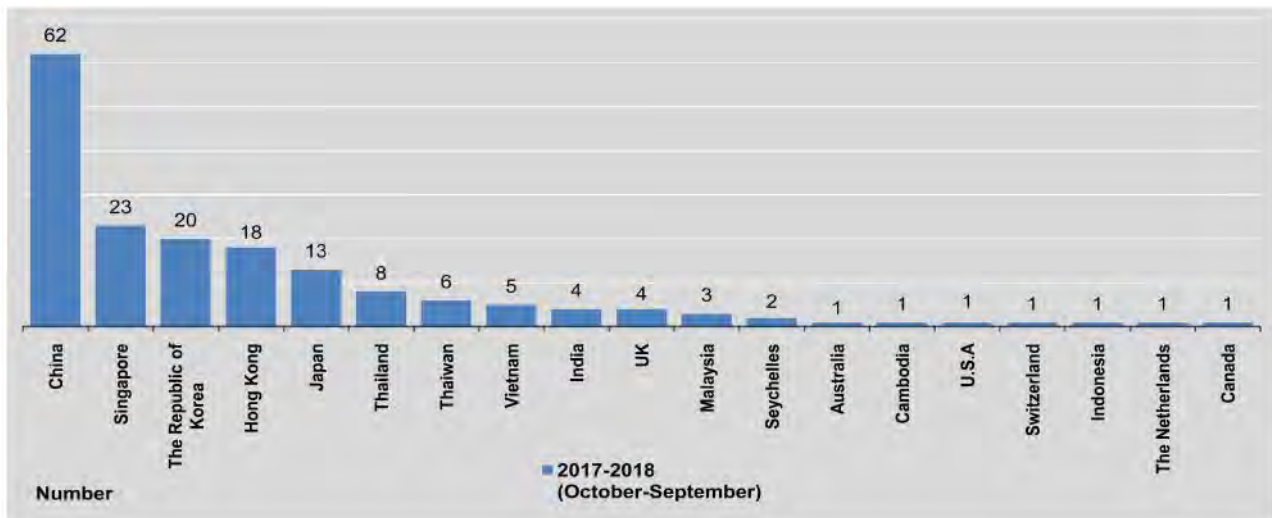
FY	Samoa		Sweden		Philippine		Germany		Sri Lanka	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	2	42.34 *	-	-	-	-	1	10.40	-	1.25 *
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	60.40 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2018-2019 (October-April)	1	4.92 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2018</b>										
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	42.04 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>										
January	1	2.92	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	2.00 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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FY	Mauritius		U.S.A		Republic of the Marshall Island		Indonesia		South Africa	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	-	2	128.68	1	7.51	2	18.89	-	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	-	-	1	55.90 *	-	-	1	0.95 *	-	-
2018-2019 (October-April)	-	-	-	-	-	0.35 *	-	-	-	-
<b>2018</b>										
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	1	55.90	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.95	-	-
October	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	0.20 *	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>										
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	0.15 *	-	-	-	-

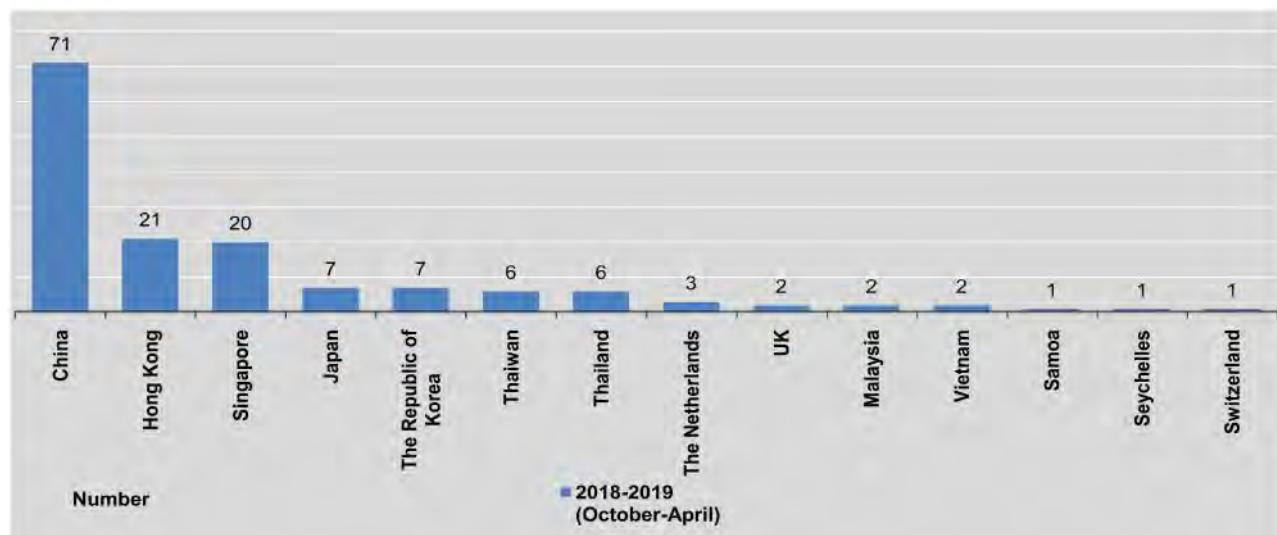
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FY	Seychelles		Cook Islands		Taiwan		Afghanistan		New Zealand	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment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

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FY	Switzerland		Qatar		Laos		Cambodia		Macau	
	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment	No. of Enterprises	Foreign Investment
2016-2017 (October-September)	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1.68	1	3.64
2017-2018 (October-September)	1	0.27	-	-	-	-	1	22.50	-	-
2018-2019 (October-April)	1	16.83 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2018</b>										
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	22.50	-	-
August	1	0.27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	1	1.97	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
November	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>2019</b>										
January	-	9.97 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	4.89 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

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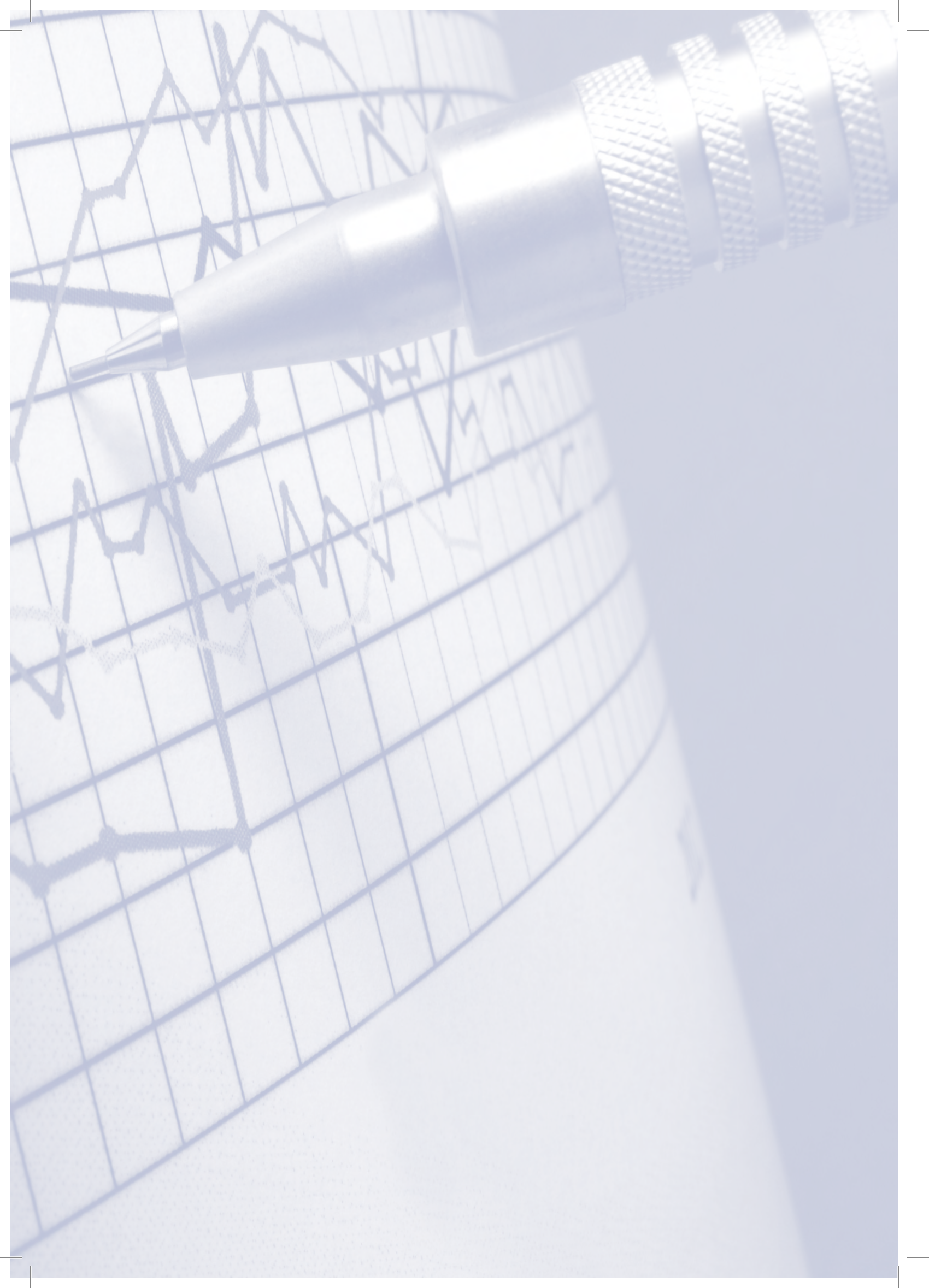




CHAPTER 6  
**TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVEL**



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# TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVEL | ANALYSIS

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

For Railways transport, there are 448,352 thousand freight ton-miles and 1,927,696 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 269,621(p) thousand freight ton-miles and 1,190,847(p) thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to April.

For Road transport, freight ton-miles and passenger-miles are 194,079 thousand freight ton-miles, 399,503 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 129,986 thousand freight ton-miles, 231,258 thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to April.

For Inland water transport, freight ton-miles and passenger-miles are 61,994 thousand freight ton-miles and 38,740 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 37,872 thousand freight ton-miles and 22,315 thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to April.

For Airways transport, freight ton-miles and passenger-miles are 224 thousand freight ton-miles and 350,245 thousand passenger-miles in 2017-2018, October to September and 247 thousand freight ton-miles and 240,932 thousand passenger-miles in 2018-2019, October to April.

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

## DOMESTIC PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Domestic public transport is presented through four indicators: Railways, Road transport, Inland water transport and Airways. Railways transportation is the main transportation in the public sector with a share of 70% of total public transportation in April 2019.

When comparing April 2018 and April 2019, Railways transport increased by 14.2% for freight ton-miles and decreased by 4.6% for passenger-miles. Road transport increased by 11.17% for freight ton-miles and decreased by 26.5% for passenger-miles when comparing April 2018 and April 2019. Inland water transport decreased by 2.43% for freight ton-miles and increased by 8% for passenger-miles when comparing April 2018 and April 2019.

Over the same period, Airways transport increased by 156% for freight ton-miles and 23.8% for passenger-miles.

## ROAD TRANSPORTATION

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

Yangon City Private Transport includes bus service. When comparing April 2018 and April 2019, the transport of passengers by Yangon City Private Transport increased by 16% for both passengers and passenger-miles, by 2.2% increased for number of buses and pick-ups in operation per day, by 0.8% decreased for number of trips per day and by 20.4% increased for gross earnings.

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

### **MERCHANT SHIPPING (Coastal Trade)**

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

When comparing March 2019 and April 2019 for coastal trade, entry increased by 3.2% for vessels and 28.8% for tonnage, and clearance decreased by 12.3% for vessels and 22.4% for tonnage.

## ■ TOURISM

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

In April 2019, 365,789 tourists travelled arrival to Myanmar. The number of visitors entered from the border tourism gates is more than that at the entry-gates of Yangon, Mandalay and Naypyitaw international airports. The contribution of tourist arrivals by land to the total was 52.6%, more than the 12.2% of tourist arrivals by sea and 35.2% by air. The largest amount of tourist by land is 192,545.

The growth rate of total international tourist arrivals in 2017-2018 (October-September) increased 2.93% compared with 2016-2017 (October-September). The total tourist arrivals in April 2019 is 365,789 and the tourist arrivals in April 2018 was 297,403 which represents an increased of 23.0% in tourism sector. Over the same period, there has increased in tourist arrivals by land of 20.8%, by air of 37.1% and by sea of 0.81%.

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

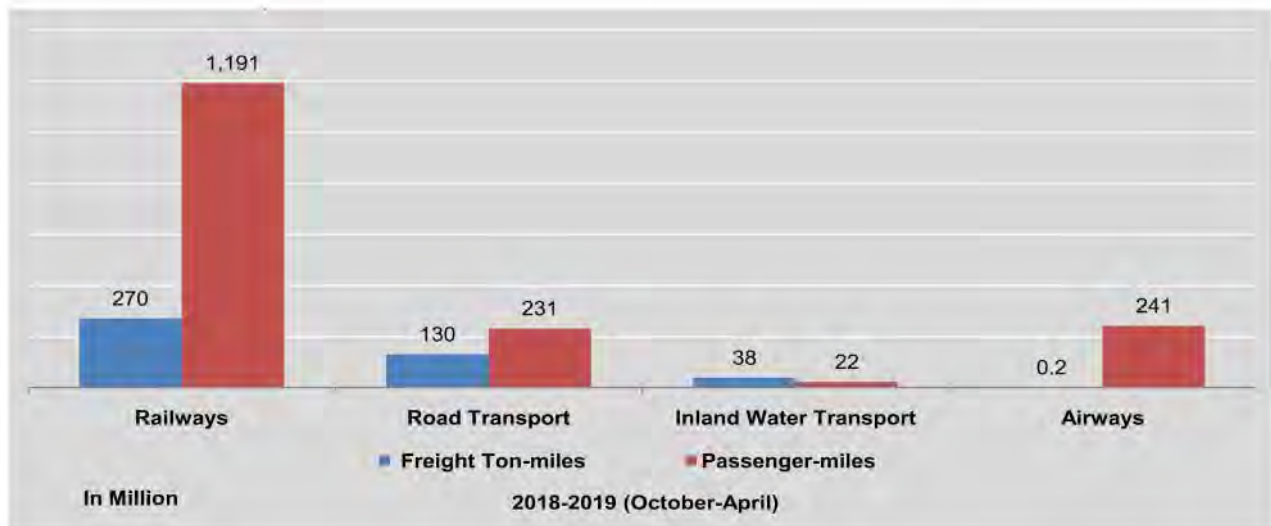
We find that male represents 56.3% and female 43.7% of the total tourist arrivals in 2017-2018 (October-September) and male represents 56.0% and female 44.0% of the total tourist arrivals in 2016-2017 (October-September). Male tourist arrivals increased and Female tourist arrivals decreased in 2017-2018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

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



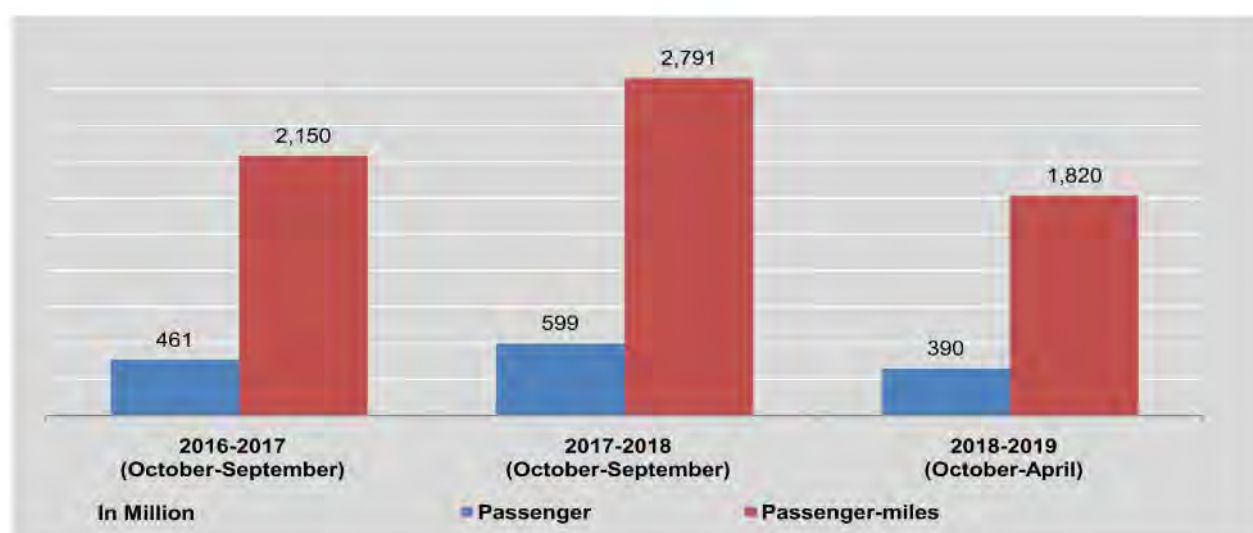
FY	Domestic Public Transport							
	Railways		Road Transport		Inland Water Transport		Airways	
	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles	Freight ton-miles	Passenger -miles
2016-2017 (October-September)	424,184	1,971,949	200,633	439,718	77,364	42,988	269	271,100
2017-2018 (October-September)	448,352	1,927,696	194,079	399,503	61,994	38,740	224	350,245
2018-2019 (October-April)	269,621 (p)	1,190,847 (p)	129,986	231,258	37,872	22,315	247	240,932
<b>2018</b>								
April	35,971	195,509	16,286	30,642	5,398	2,673	18	28,855
May	45,139	172,050	16,503	31,662	5,680	3,159	19	32,041
June	39,016	137,753	16,477	32,050	4,919	3,036	18	28,855
July	40,100	136,324	16,206	27,032	5,080	3,179	18	23,710
August	41,163	132,201	16,559	27,283	5,017	3,351	18	28,282
September	24,058	123,570	16,420	32,784	4,759	3,200	18	23,157
October	35,076	170,668	15,200	36,852	5,025	3,413	19	29,967
November	37,446	162,934	18,261	36,580	5,762	3,236	20	31,505
December	38,408	171,973	19,626	37,003	5,748	3,350	20	35,665
<b>2019</b>								
January	40,908	145,892	19,876	36,995	5,809	3,259	44	35,280
February	35,201	159,109	19,906	36,587	4,810	3,008	48	34,311
March	41,507	193,678	19,011	24,714	5,451	3,163	50	38,479
April	41,075 (p)	186,593 (p)	18,106	22,527	5,267	2,886	46	35,725

Sources: Myanmar Railways.  
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Inland Water Transport.  
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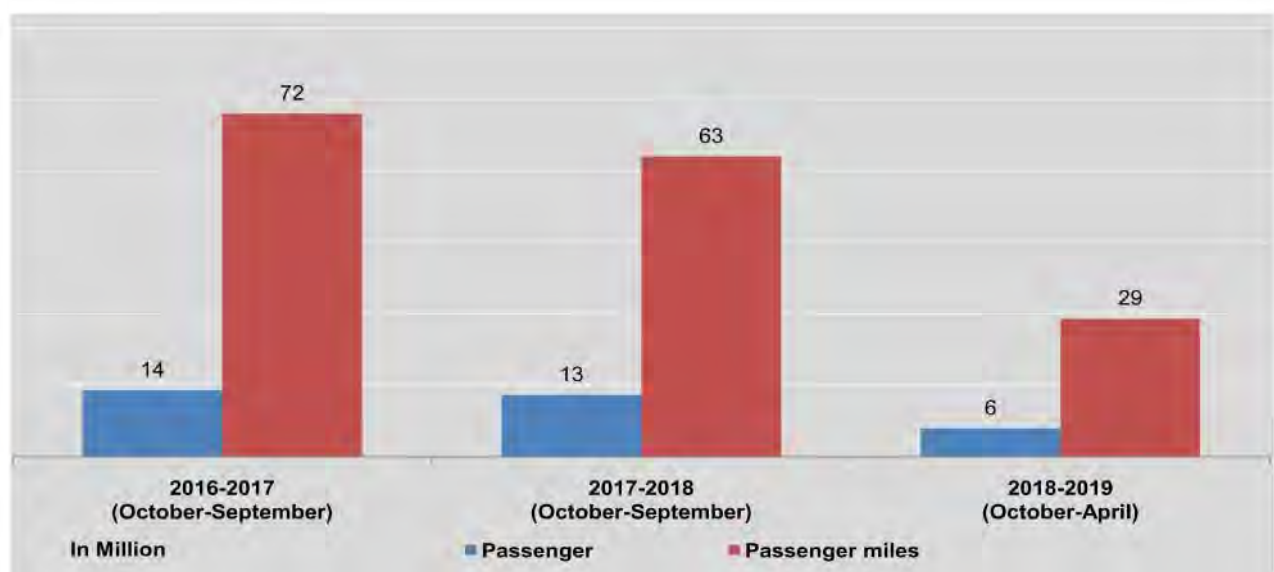
FY	Yangon City Private Transport (Bus Service)				
	Passenger (Thousand)	Passenger-miles (Thousand)	Number of buses and pick-ups in operation per day	Number of trips per day	Gross Earnings (K million)
2016-2017 (October-September)	461,334	2,150,462	3,074	13,694	75,938.91
2017-2018 (October-September)	598,698	2,790,771	4,262	15,657	120,113.83
2018-2019 (October-April)	390,489	1,820,222	4,472	16,216	79,966.11
<b>2018</b>					
April	40,224	187,501	3,710	13,509	7,911.57
May	51,054	237,981	4,425	16,289	10,122.03
June	51,265	238,965	4,481	15,731	10,241.78
July	55,212	257,363	4,488	16,204	11,007.12
August	55,868	260,421	4,555	16,293	11,223.65
September	56,182	261,889	4,597	16,101	11,509.42
October	57,464	267,864	4,569	17,023	11,747.96
November	56,397	262,887	4,527	16,504	11,676.41
December	58,542	272,886	4,581	17,050	12,075.93
<b>2019</b>					
January	60,284	281,008	4,636	17,040	12,303.48
February	52,982	246,970	4,624	15,496	10,781.16
March	58,157	271,094	4,571	16,999	11,853.07
April	46,663	217,513	3,793	13,400	9,528.10

Source: Yangon Region Transport Authority.



FY	Mandalay City Private Transport (Bus Service)				
	Passenger (Thousand)	Passenger-miles (Thousand)	Number of buses and pick-ups in operation per day	Number of trips per day	Gross Earnings (K million)
2016-2017 (October-September)	14,310	71,550	347	1,044	981.90
2017-2018 (October-September)	12,506	62,534	303	911	856.42
2018-2019 (October-April)	5,894	29,465	248	749	406.79
<b>2018</b>					
April	863	4,315	290	754	59.16
May	1,087	5,434	306	949	74.35
June	905	4,523	264	792	62.01
July	1,060	5,299	298	924	72.46
August	1,056	5,282	298	924	72.35
September	979	4,896	285	855	67.02
October	941	4,707	268	830	64.70
November	953	4,764	281	843	65.57
December	880	4,397	251	778	60.53
<b>2019</b>					
January	877	4,383	251	775	60.31
February	834	4,170	264	739	57.44
March	524	2,620	161	499	37.43
April	885	4,424	260	780	60.81

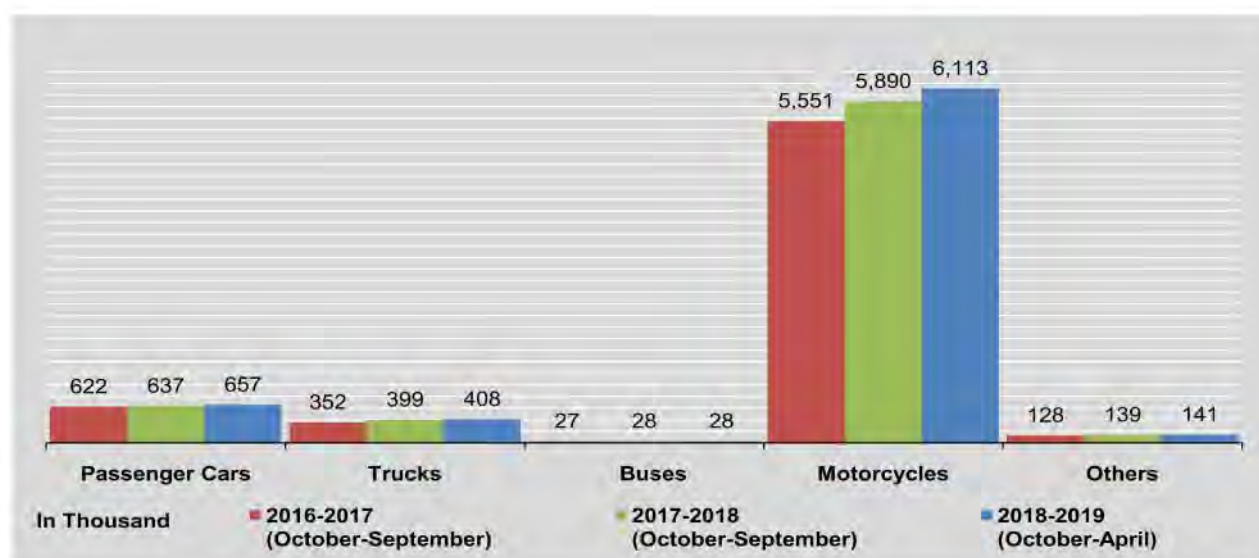
Source: Mandalay Region Buses Control Committee.





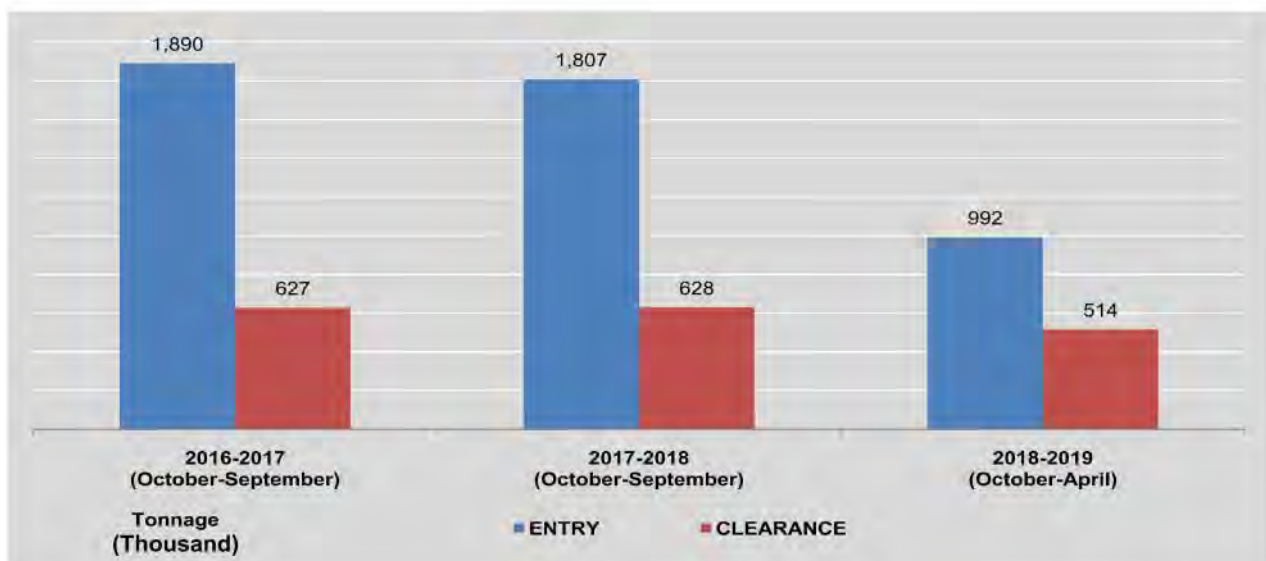
FY	Passenger Cars	Trucks	Buses	Motorcycles	Others	Total
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	622,212	352,090	26,869	5,550,704	128,131	6,680,006
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	637,405	399,474	27,552	5,889,577	138,835	7,092,843
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	656,845	407,514	28,290	6,112,767	141,433	7,346,849
<b>2018</b>						
April	627,416	381,545	27,646	5,689,739	133,439	6,859,785
May	625,690	390,267	27,776	5,703,752	135,885	6,883,370
June	628,966	394,403	27,599	5,741,509	137,927	6,930,404
July	632,174	395,416	27,332	5,802,166	138,638	6,995,726
August	634,982	398,233	27,394	5,845,874	139,043	7,045,526
September	637,405	399,474	27,552	5,889,577	138,835	7,092,843
October	640,521	401,847	27,741	5,932,286	139,387	7,141,782
November	643,632	395,527	34,739	5,961,685	140,661	7,176,244
December	646,191	403,393	27,781	5,997,519	140,612	7,215,496
<b>2019</b>						
January	649,440	403,780	29,257	6,022,457	141,008	7,245,942
February	652,901	398,985	34,910	6,052,022	141,334	7,280,152
March	654,837	406,740	28,260	6,084,080	141,338	7,315,255
April	656,845	407,514	28,290	6,112,767	141,433	7,346,849

Source: Department of Road Transport Administration.



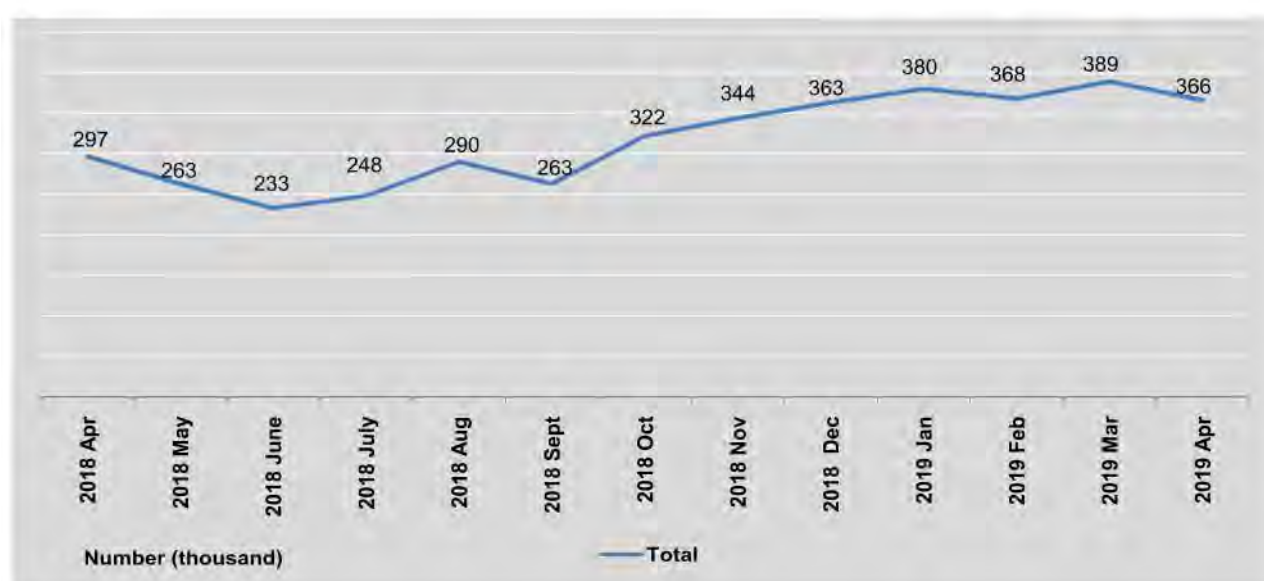
FY	Entry		Clearance	
	Vessels	Tonnage (Thousand)	Vessels	Tonnage (Thousand)
<b>2016-2017</b> (October-September)	1,659	1,890	1,660	627
<b>2017-2018</b> (October-September)	1,590	1,807	1,644	628
<b>2018-2019</b> (October-April)	1,022	992	1,031	514
<b>2018</b>				
April	163	195	156	52
May	155	171	138	46
June	108	110	112	81
July	96	110	82	25
August	114	111	107	58
September	107	108	115	60
October	132	145	139	100
November	131	111	134	66
December	124	101	143	67
<b>2019</b>				
January	174	180	154	63
February	140	153	170	67
March	158	132	155	85
April	163	170	136	66

Source: Customs Department.



FY	Total	by Air	by Sea	by Land
2016-2017 (October-September)	3,345,867	1,297,641	362,452	1,685,774
2017-2018 (October-September)	3,443,957	1,316,616	356,204	1,771,137
2018-2019 (October-April)	2,530,848	1,006,696	232,103	1,292,049
<b>2018</b>				
April	297,403	93,818	44,239	159,346
May	263,114	93,988	30,822	138,304
June	233,079	86,883	23,436	122,760
July	247,964	93,174	22,902	131,888
August	289,968	90,397	27,945	171,626
September	263,003	88,570	15,442	158,991
October	321,524	118,629	26,113	176,782
November	343,766	143,253	30,755	169,758
December	363,154	149,705	36,175	177,274
<b>2019</b>				
January	380,172	150,229	27,019	202,924
February	367,733	161,930	31,972	173,831
March	388,710	154,302	35,473	198,935
April	365,789	128,648	44,596	192,545

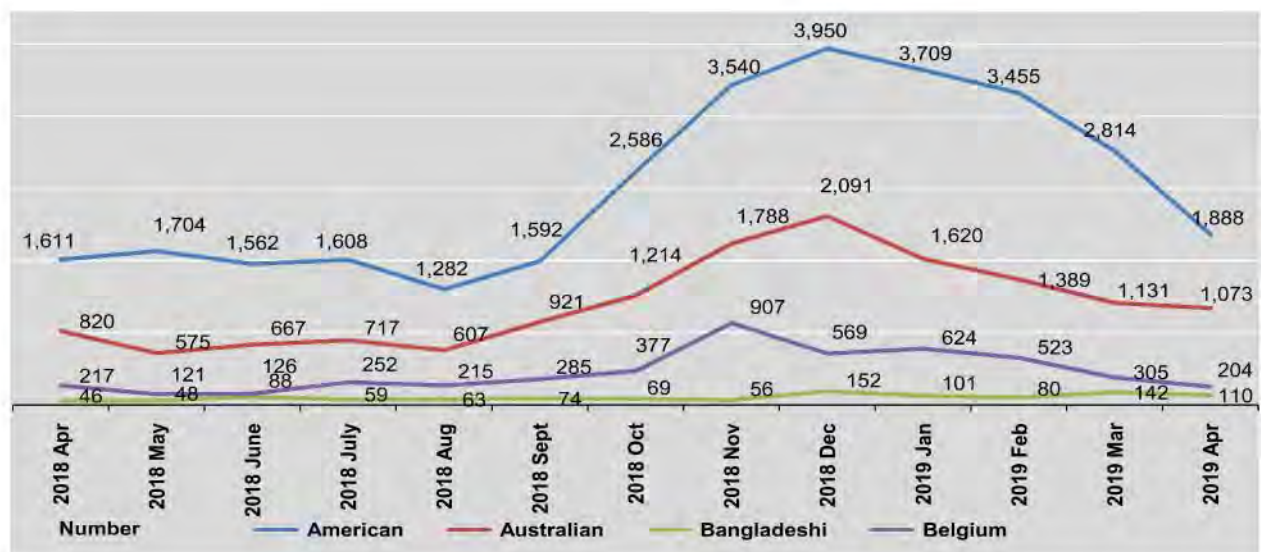
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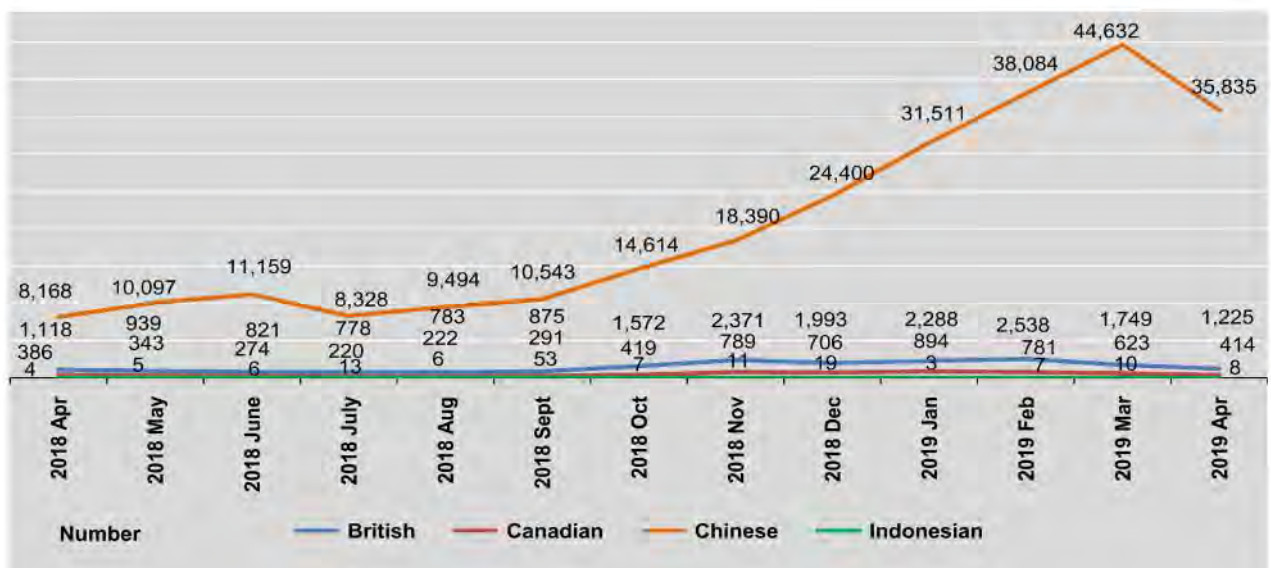
FY	American		Australian		Bangladeshi		Belgium	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	21,268	19,326	10,510	9,724	1,504	457	3,117	3,050
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	16,725	14,110	8,328	7,180	596	194	2,600	2,504
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	11,709	10,233	5,439	4,867	493	217	1,798	1,711
<b>2018</b>								
April	952	659	477	343	39	7	110	107
May	1,003	701	349	226	38	10	68	53
June	895	667	419	248	67	21	82	44
July	905	703	376	341	47	12	135	117
August	731	551	384	223	42	21	112	103
September	904	688	490	431	56	18	143	142
October	1,376	1,210	651	563	47	22	209	168
November	1,861	1,679	876	912	48	8	433	474
December	2,082	1,868	1,124	967	96	56	307	262
<b>2019</b>								
January	1,934	1,775	887	733	68	33	313	311
February	1,866	1,589	733	656	54	26	251	272
March	1,516	1,298	603	528	99	43	172	133
April	1,074	814	565	508	81	29	113	91

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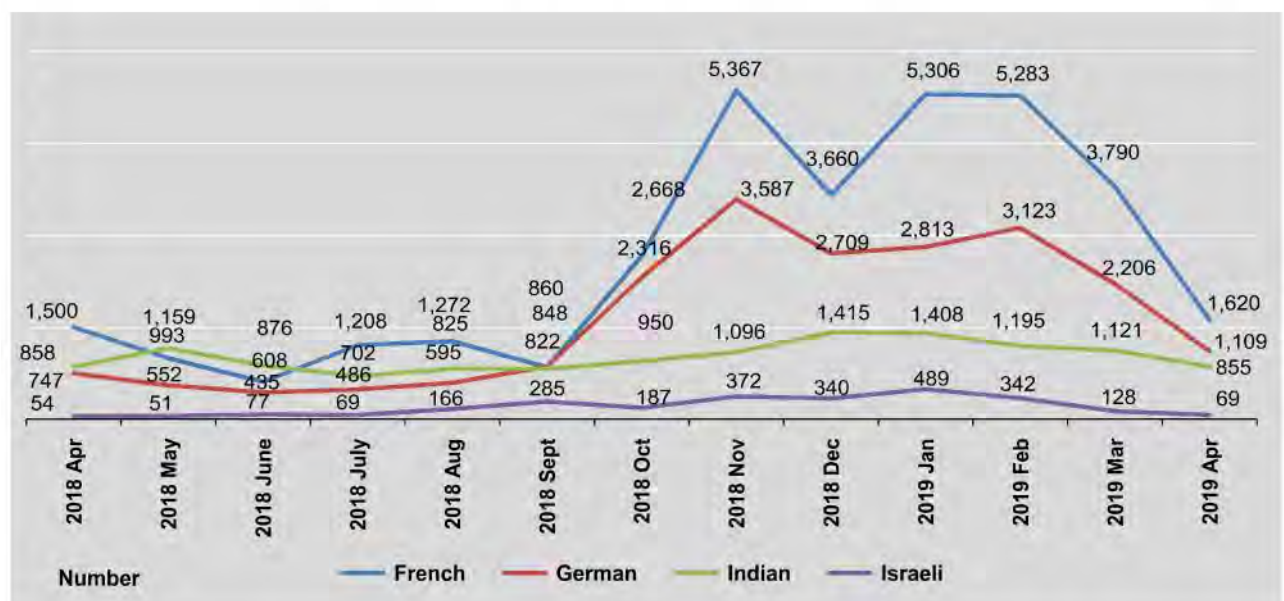
FY	British		Canadian		Chinese		Indonesian	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	17,354	15,482	4,876	5,016	51,118	28,673	36	51
2017-2018 (October-September)	12,888	10,567	3,795	3,262	68,672	51,728	138	107
2018-2019 (October-April)	7,749	5,987	2,571	2,055	100,664	106,802	30	35
<b>2018</b>								
April	660	458	215	171	4,568	3,600	2	2
May	593	346	195	148	5,777	4,320	4	1
June	509	312	164	110	7,330	3,829	3	3
July	470	308	133	87	4,714	3,614	8	5
August	497	286	131	91	5,420	4,074	2	4
September	555	320	175	116	5,708	4,835	42	11
October	883	689	235	184	7,899	6,715	3	4
November	1,333	1,038	426	363	9,879	8,511	6	5
December	1,158	835	405	301	12,702	11,698	6	13
<b>2019</b>								
January	1,314	974	494	400	14,588	16,923	1	2
February	1,368	1,170	441	340	16,548	21,536	2	5
March	984	765	352	271	22,239	22,393	5	5
April	709	516	218	196	16,809	19,026	7	1

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FY	French		German		Indian		Israeli	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
<b>2016-2017 (October-September)</b>	23,214	25,614	15,968	16,454	7,645	2,921	1,584	1,528
<b>2017-2018 (October-September)</b>	17,482	19,187	11,966	11,801	8,455	3,101	1,205	1,251
<b>2018-2019 (October-April)</b>	13,295	14,399	9,123	8,740	5,868	2,172	874	1,053
<b>2018</b>								
April	760	740	403	344	632	226	41	13
May	515	478	324	228	801	358	24	27
June	358	250	254	181	656	220	45	32
July	626	582	267	219	563	139	38	31
August	655	617	340	255	664	161	82	84
September	444	404	471	389	616	206	136	149
October	1,307	1,361	1,082	1,234	693	257	77	110
November	2,495	2,872	1,793	1,794	778	318	179	193
December	1,854	1,806	1,429	1,280	988	427	159	181
<b>2019</b>								
January	2,465	2,841	1,457	1,356	1,033	375	217	272
February	2,568	2,715	1,623	1,500	831	364	146	196
March	1,805	1,985	1,133	1,073	873	248	56	72
April	801	819	606	503	672	183	40	29

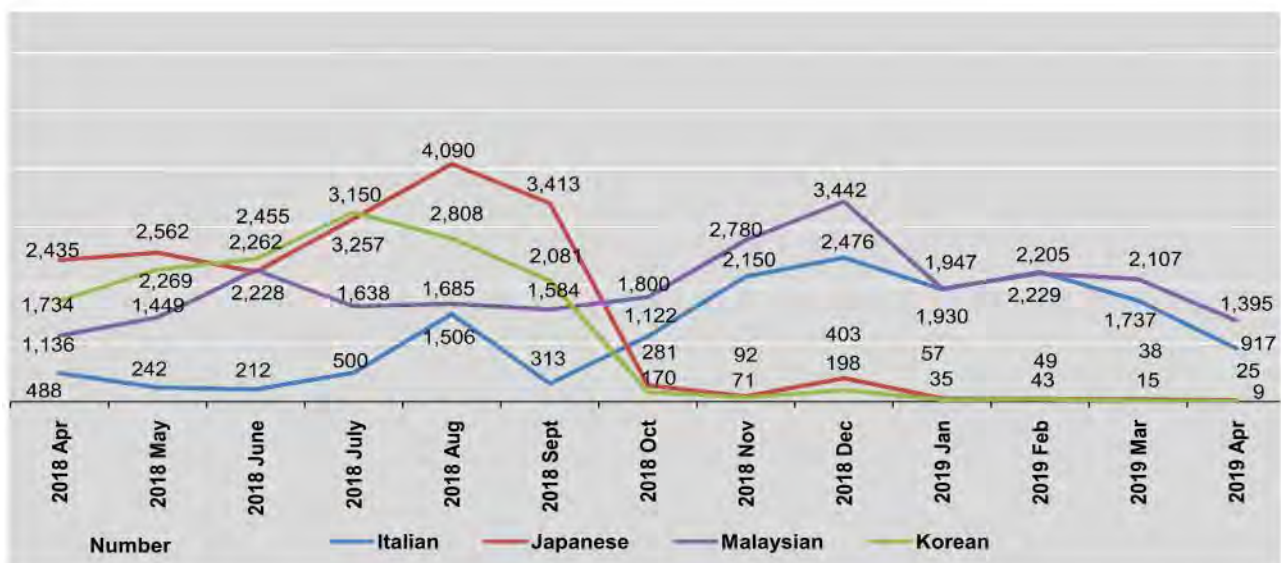
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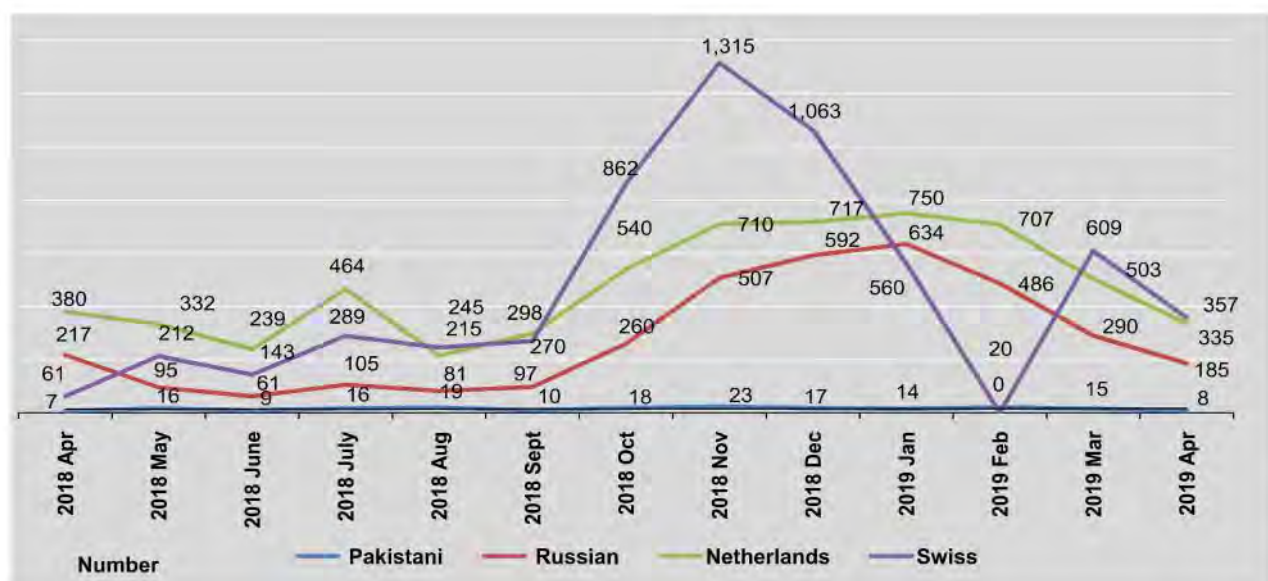
FY	Italian		Japanese		Korean		Malaysian	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	7,345	7,634	29,943	13,289	21,909	15,145	13,569	8,544
2017-2018 (October-September)	6,347	6,780	30,315	12,285	23,490	16,823	13,001	8,855
2018-2019 (October-April)	5,841	6,720	691	254	368	173	8,913	6,763
<b>2018</b>								
April	259	229	1,795	640	1,127	607	741	395
May	135	107	2,007	555	1,540	729	909	540
June	128	84	1,744	484	1,556	899	1,326	936
July	270	230	2,405	745	1,835	1,422	1,015	623
August	750	756	2,676	1,414	1,733	1,075	1,026	659
September	185	128	2,477	936	1,345	736	998	586
October	508	614	230	51	127	43	1,135	665
November	975	1,175	68	24	53	18	1,568	1,212
December	1,164	1,312	265	138	118	80	1,706	1,736
<b>2019</b>								
January	955	975	44	13	25	10	1,162	785
February	999	1,230	34	15	31	12	1,176	1,029
March	840	897	29	9	9	6	1,308	799
April	400	517	21	4	5	4	858	537

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FY	Pakistani		Russian		Netherlands		Swiss	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	588	198	1,840	1,880	5,342	5,273	5,798	6,402
2017-2018 (October-September)	121	39	1,714	1,758	3,700	3,124	4,196	4,488
2018-2019 (October-April)	92	23	1,452	1,502	2,282	1,980	2,515	2,251
<b>2018</b>								
April	2	5	107	110	213	167	30	31
May	13	3	59	36	191	141	111	101
June	9	-	38	23	144	95	83	60
July	12	4	60	45	261	203	153	136
August	16	3	45	36	125	90	120	125
September	9	1	62	35	184	114	138	132
October	16	2	122	138	284	256	396	466
November	16	7	251	256	399	311	630	685
December	14	3	297	295	407	310	542	521
<b>2019</b>								
January	12	2	320	314	387	363	461	99
February	20	0	225	261	365	342	0	0
March	10	5	144	146	259	244	292	317
April	4	4	93	92	181	154	194	163

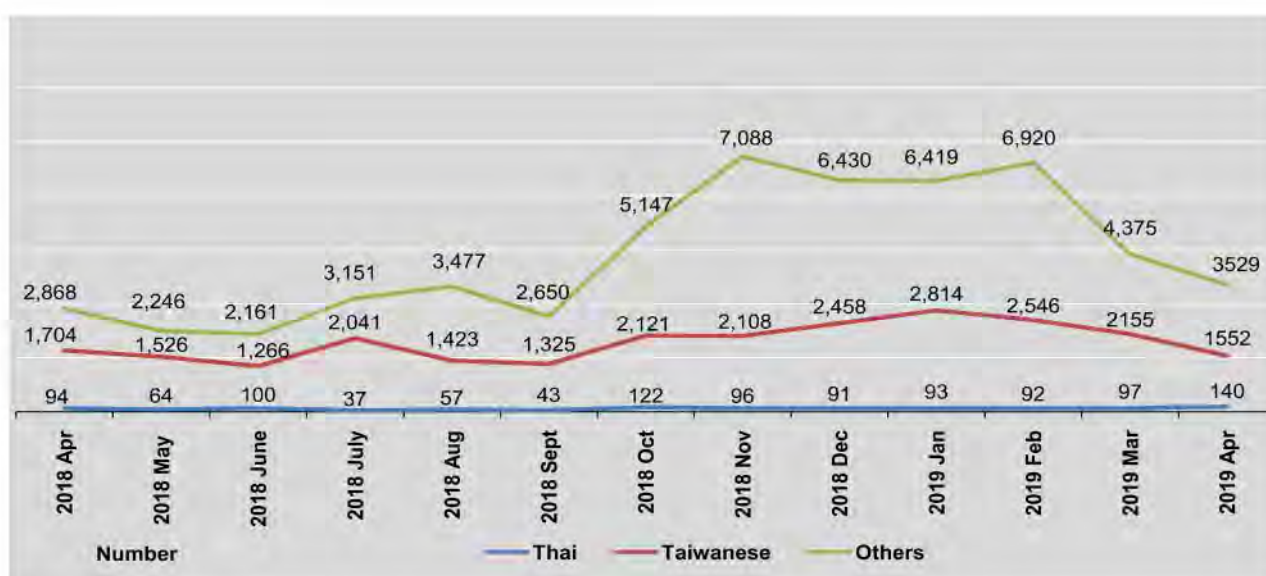
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FY	Thai		Taiwanese		Others *	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
2016-2017 (October-September)	611	571	11,229	6,762	34,206	33,949
2017-2018 (October-September)	500	447	11,735	8,277	27,221	26,074
2018-2019 (October-April)	384	347	8,544	7,210	20,132	19,776
<b>2018</b>						
April	44	50	985	719	1,543	1,325
May	33	31	988	538	1,268	978
June	59	41	822	444	1,302	859
July	24	13	1,083	958	1,663	1,488
August	30	27	866	557	1,737	1,740
September	22	21	797	528	1,412	1,238
October	71	51	1,215	906	2,478	2,669
November	54	42	1,190	918	3,532	3,556
December	42	49	1,371	1,087	3,278	3,152
<b>2019</b>						
January	45	48	1,383	1,431	3,318	3,101
February	53	39	1,249	1,297	3,427	3,493
March	43	54	1,262	893	2,264	2,111
April	76	64	874	678	1,835	1,694

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

Source: Immigration Department.



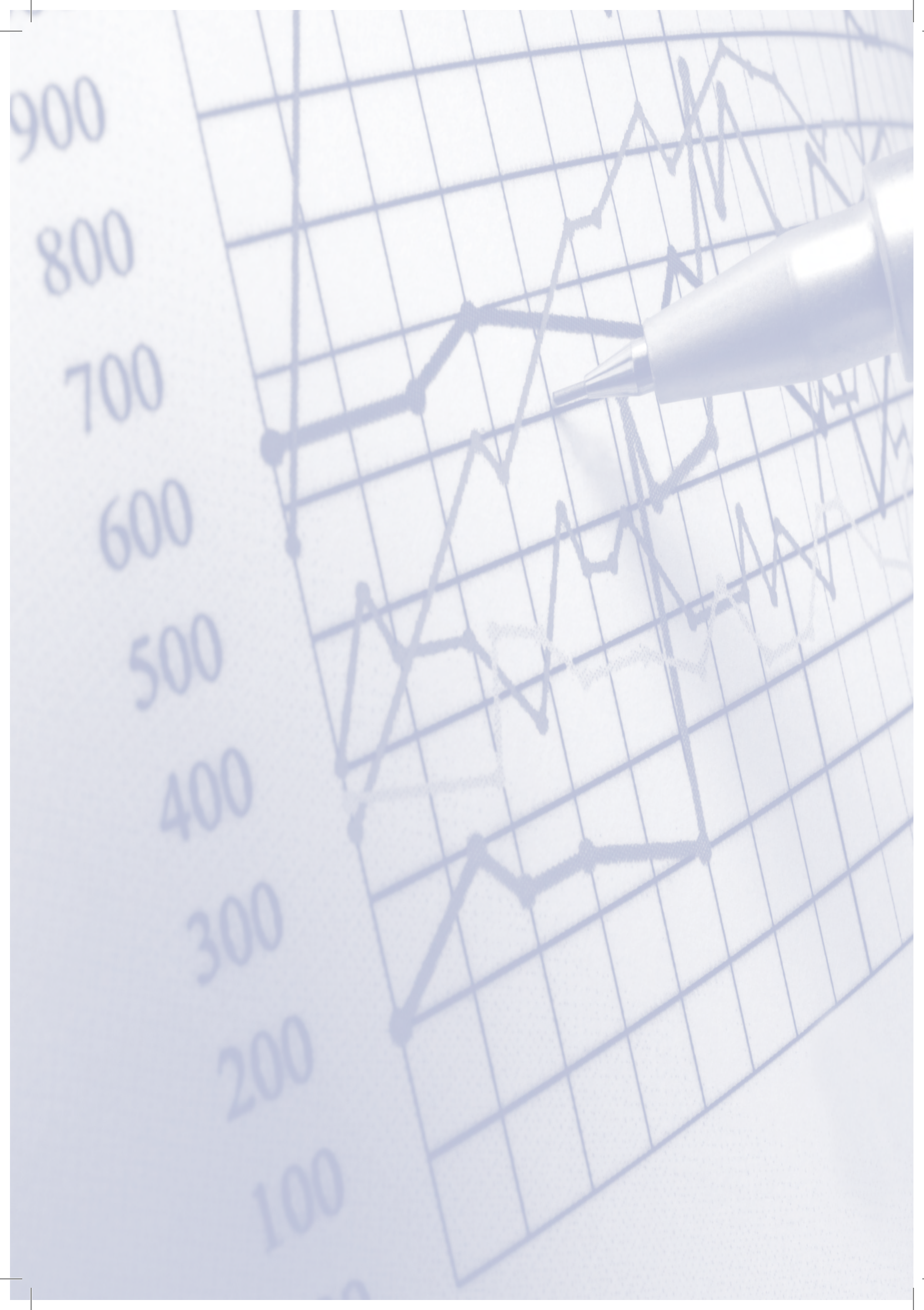




CHAPTER 7  
**LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**



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# LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT | ANALYSIS

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

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

## ■ EMPLOYMENT THROUGH LABOUR EXCHANGE OFFICES

In Yangon Region, the new registered increased by 34.2%, vacancies notified increased by 46.5% and the number of submissions made for the vacancies also increased by 44.6% compared with the same month of 2018. The person placed becomes increased by about 43.1%. In other States and Regions, the new registered decreased by about 10.7%, vacancies notified increased by 98.7% while the number of submissions made for the vacancies also increased by 90.7%. The person placed becomes growth by about 80.2% compared with the same month of previous year. When looking at the whole year, the number registered, the vacancies notified, the number of submissions made for the vacancies and persons placed increased in Yangon and other States and Regions between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September).

## ■ OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT

For overseas employment, the main destinations of people from Myanmar are Thailand, Malaysia, Korea, Singapore, Japan, United Arab Emirates and Qatar. The bulk of the destinations are Thailand and Malaysia with a contribution of 87.76% and 6.98% respectively in 2017-2018 (October-September). The total overseas employment increased by 35.6% between 2016-2017 (October-September) and 2017-2018 (October-September). The overseas employment increased by about 23.4% for Thailand, 103.3% for Singapore and 7.7% for Japan and decrease by about 41.1% for Korea compared with the same month of 2018. In April 2019, the overall overseas employment increased by 20,766 which was 38.6% more than the 14,985 placements of workers in the same month in 2018.

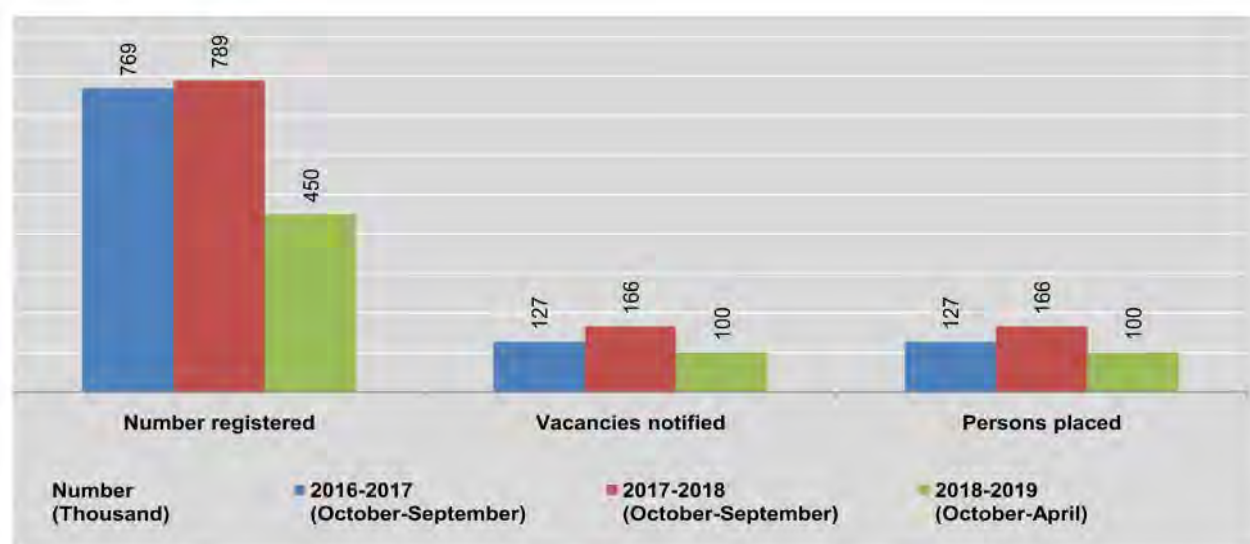
## ■ PLACEMENT OF WORKERS FOR LOCAL EMPLOYMENT

The Ministry of Labour, Immigration and Population is primarily responsible for labour issues and aims to promote employment opportunities and to improve the income per worker. The Department of Labour has established 84 Labour Exchange Offices in districts and townships throughout the country and measures are being taken for Myanmar nationals at working age to enjoy decent work opportunities in local and abroad. Concerning local employment, in April 2019, about 1427 workers have been worked in public sector and 22,621 workers in private sector.

63.7% of workers were employed in Yangon Region and the remaining 36.3% worked in the other States and Regions. People are working in private sector and 94.1% share of total public and private sector employment.

FY	Yangon Region				
	Number registered	Vacancies notified	Number of submissions made for the vacancies	Persons placed	Registered live and pending at the end of the period
2016-2017 (October-September)	769,079	126,927	127,874	127,043	587,625
2017-2018 (October-September)	789,443	166,113	166,581	166,225	512,962
2018-2019 (October-April)	449,620	99,741	99,814	99,651	523,847
<b>2018</b>					
April	53,672	10,448	10,601	10,701	543,261
May	100,024	8,527	8,532	8,465	542,272
June	69,954	16,525	16,524	16,525	533,789
July	72,026	16,139	16,140	16,087	518,998
August	68,150	16,492	16,497	16,535	509,142
September	74,749	12,627	12,609	12,720	512,962
October	57,457	14,901	14,989	14,963	497,225
November	68,264	11,801	11,825	11,814	496,525
December	60,662	8,613	8,610	8,607	498,610
<b>2019</b>					
January	82,667	19,106	19,082	19,082	506,862
February	56,970	16,610	16,623	16,592	501,233
March	51,566	13,401	13,353	13,284	508,237
April	72,034	15,309	15,332	15,309	523,847

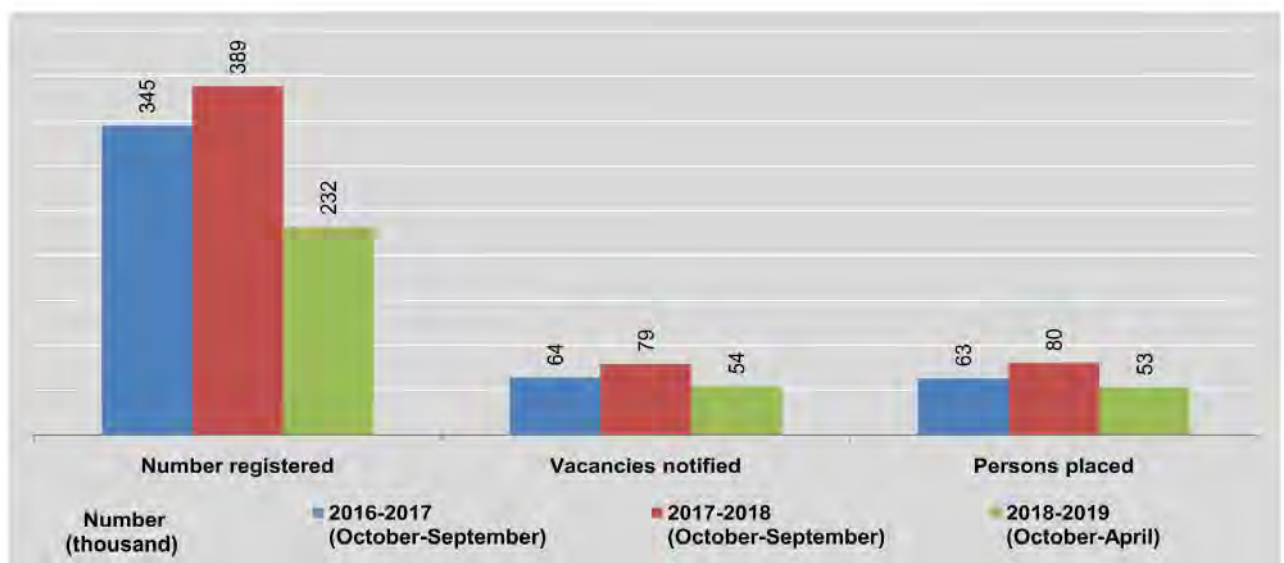
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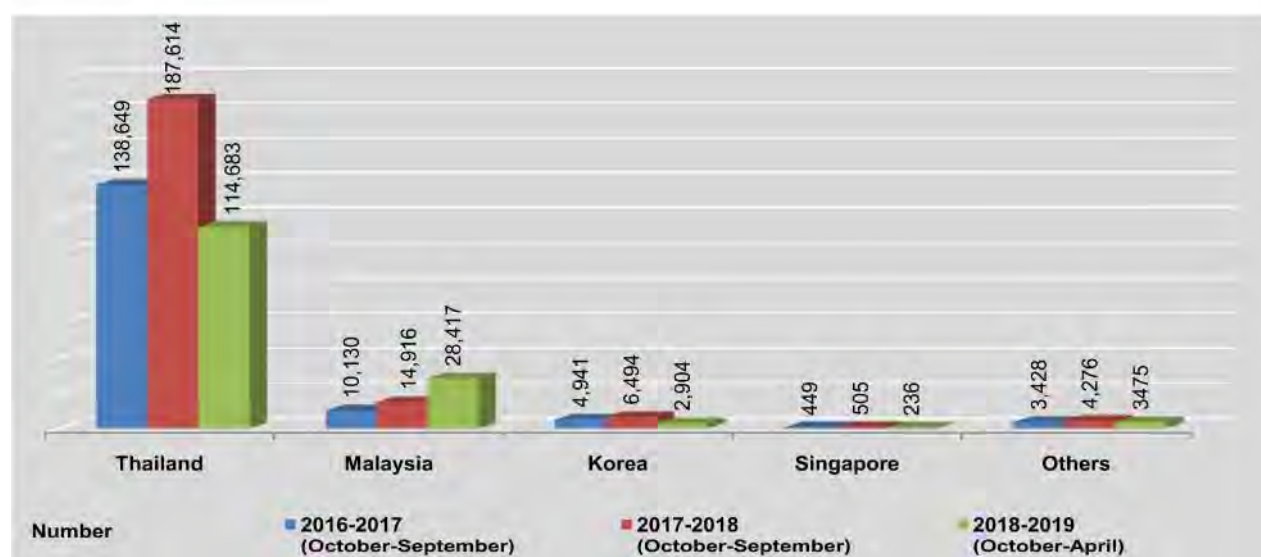
FY	Other Regions / States				
	Number registered	Vacancies notified	Number of submissions made for the vacancies	Persons placed	Registered live and pending at the end of the period
2016-2017 (October-September)	344,629	64,481	73,708	62,792	347,254
2017-2018 (October-September)	388,926	78,938	83,256	80,266	372,107
2018-2019 (October-April)	232,376	54,006	56,957	53,097	393,395
<b>2018</b>					
April	26,425	4,392	4,759	4,849	345,158
May	40,853	5,316	5,628	4,631	358,008
June	30,297	4,972	4,865	5,135	360,281
July	29,731	6,900	7,064	7,077	358,810
August	31,843	7,467	8,201	7,655	362,484
September	36,864	8,363	8,651	8,363	372,107
October	29,063	6,500	6,609	6,627	373,465
November	28,305	7,864	7,916	7,490	371,134
December	32,595	4,491	4,637	4,696	378,420
<b>2019</b>					
January	61,046	8,578	8,722	8,372	404,161
February	29,314	8,661	10,400	8,859	400,480
March	28,456	9,184	9,597	8,314	397,897
April	23,597	8,728	9,076	8,739	393,395

Source: Department of Labour.



FY	Total Overseas Workers	Placement of Workers for Overseas employment									
		Thai	Malaysia	Korea	Singapore	Japan	Qatar	UAE	Jordan	Macau	Laos
2016-2017 (October-September)	157,597	138,649	10,130	4,941	449	3,120	159	143	-	6	-
2017-2018 (October-September)	213,770	187,614	14,916	6,494	505	3,677	94	183	313	9	-
2018-2019 (October-April)	149,715	114,683	28,417	2,904	236	2,777	60	180	452	6	-
<b>2018</b>											
April	14,985	12,484	1,381	759	30	285	9	7	30	-	-
May	23,203	20,812	1,603	342	99	201	1	6	132	7	-
June	17,688	14,740	1,368	1,033	89	357	6	23	70	2	-
July	18,954	16,307	1,871	257	45	436	3	13	22	-	-
August	24,157	19,721	3,310	499	68	545	3	4	7	-	-
September	22,763	18,543	3,340	465	16	369	4	9	17	-	-
October	19,123	15,172	2,927	425	17	474	1	21	86	-	-
November	24,987	20,014	4,109	424	19	363	12	20	26	-	-
December	16,547	12,246	3,384	446	34	391	11	26	9	-	-
<b>2019</b>											
January	23,235	17,499	5,008	194	43	398	8	15	69	1	-
February	22,523	17,748	4,225	154	30	317	10	20	17	2	-
March	22,534	16,593	4,348	814	32	527	15	17	185	3	-
April	20,766	15,411	4,416	447	61	307	3	61	60	-	-

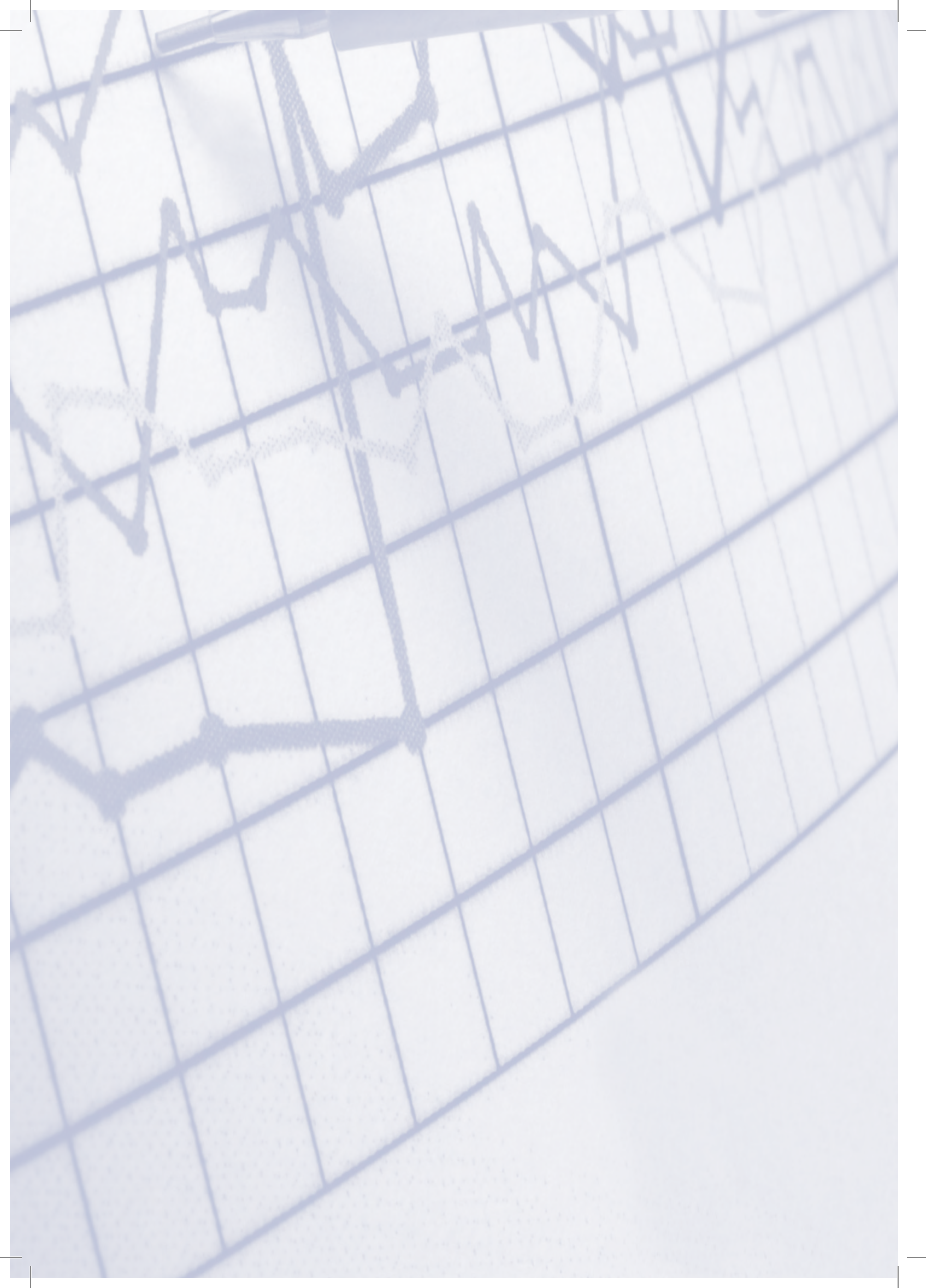
Source: Department of Labour.



States and Regions	Placement of Workers		
	Government	Private	Total
Kachin State	122	51	173
Kayah State	9	7	16
Kayin State	19	285	304
Chin State	1	4	5
Sagaing Region	149	313	462
Taninthayi Region	48	212	260
Bago Region	144	4,107	4,251
Magway Region	54	353	407
Mandalay Region	257	768	1,025
Mon State	21	201	222
Rakhine State	6	178	184
Yangon Region	331	14,978	15,309
Shan State	135	389	524
Ayeyawady Region	29	422	451
Union Territory	102	353	455
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,427</b>	<b>22,621</b>	<b>24,048</b>



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# GLOSSARY AND METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

## CHAPTER 1 | FOREIGN TRADE

### ■ EXPORTS

**Domestic exports:** exports of national products.

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

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

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

### ■ FOREIGN TRADE

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

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

### ■ IMPORTS

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

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

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

## CHAPTER 2 | PRODUCTION

### ■ PETROLEUM COKE

Since 1995-96 data are expressed in Metric Tons.



## CHAPTER 3 | PRICES

### ■ CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND RATE OF INFLATION

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

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

### ■ RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

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

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

### ■ SPOT PRICE OF GOLD

The spot price of gold obtained from gold dealer.

## CHAPTER 4 | FINANCE

### ■ DOMESTIC INTEREST RATES

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

### ■ FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

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

### ■ MONEY SUPPLY

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

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

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

M1 = currency outside depository corporations + Transferable Deposits

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

or

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

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

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

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

## PEOPLE'S SAVINGS

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

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



## ■ REVENUE FROM TAXES

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

## ■ TREASURY BONDS

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

## CHAPTER 5 | INVESTMENT

### ■ MYANMAR INVESTMENT LAW

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

### ■ MYANMAR CITIZEN INVESTMENT

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

### ■ FOREIGN INVESTMENT

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

## CHAPTER 6 | TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVEL

### ■ AIRWAYS TRANSPORT

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

### ■ INLAND WATER TRANSPORT

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

### ■ PASSENGER CAR

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

### ■ PASSENGER-MILE

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

### ■ RAILWAY TRANSPORT

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

### ■ SHIPPING

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

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

### ■ TON-MILE

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

### ■ TOURISM

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

## CHAPTER 7 | LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

### ■ EMPLOYMENT THROUGH LABOUR EXCHANGE OFFICES

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

### ■ OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT

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





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