



BANGLADESH - SWITZERLAND TRADE

*Value in million Tk.
(Value in million US \$)*

Year	Export	Import	Trade Ratio
1994-95	421.70 (10.49)	1769.40 (44.05)	1 : 4.20
1995-96	345.51 (8.46)	2288.80 (56.04)	1 : 6.62
1996-97	431.32 (10.13)	2970.20 (69.55)	1 : 6.87
1997-98	746.96 (16.50)	2923.90 (64.32)	1 : 3.90
1998-99	1073.12 (22.37)	5119.50 (106.52)	1 : 4.76
1999-00	910.61 (18.10)	5695.40 (113.21)	1 : 6.25
2000-01	1278.51 (22.43)	6306.20 (110.63)	1: 4.93
2001-02	1366.77 (23.77)	6915.50 (120.42)	1: 5.06

Major Export Items: 2001-02 (Value in million US\$)

Major export items are: Readymade Garments (US \$ 12.54 m), Knitwear (US \$ 9.24 m), Frozen Food (US\$ 0.62 m), Leather (US\$ 0.02 m), Jute goods (US \$ 0.72 m), Chemical products (US \$0.58 m) etc.

Major Import Items: 2000-01 (Value in million US\$)

Major import items in 2000-01 are Cotton (US \$ 51.02 m); Boilers, Machinery and Mechanical Appliances, Parts thereof (US \$ 18.38 m); Organic Chemicals (US \$ 4.87 m), Cereals (US \$ 1.72 m); Pharmaceutical Products (US \$ 4.97 m); Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage products, prepared edible fats, animal or vegetable waxes (US \$ 2.26 m) Residues and waste from the food industries, prepared animal fodder (US \$ 2.59 m), Mineral products (US \$ 8.34 m) etc.

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