

## ANNUAL TRADE STATISTICS 2016

### 1. OVERALL BALANCE OF TRADE (Including electricity)

| Sl.No. | Year | (Value in Nu. Million) |           |             |             |
|--------|------|------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
|        |      | Import                 | Export    | Total Trade | Balance     |
| 1      | 2016 | 67,359.86              | 35,258.11 | 102,617.97  | (32,101.75) |
| 2      | 2015 | 68,037.32              | 35,229.31 | 103,266.63  | (32,808.01) |
| 3      | 2014 | 56,884.54              | 35,584.00 | 92,468.54   | (21,300.54) |
| 4      | 2013 | 53,272.98              | 31,852.98 | 85,125.96   | (21,420.00) |
| 5      | 2012 | 53,093.61              | 28,420.13 | 81,513.74   | (24,673.48) |
| 6      | 2011 | 48,697.64              | 31,485.95 | 80,183.59   | (17,211.69) |

### 2. OVERALL BALANCE OF TRADE (Excluding electricity)

| Sl.No. | Year | (Value in Nu. Million) |           |             |             |
|--------|------|------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
|        |      | Import                 | Export    | Total Trade | Balance     |
| 1      | 2016 | 67,186.91              | 22,226.06 | 89,412.97   | (44,960.85) |
| 2      | 2015 | 67,787.67              | 23,104.82 | 90,892.49   | (44,682.85) |
| 3      | 2014 | 56,565.52              | 24,951.36 | 81,516.88   | (31,614.16) |
| 4      | 2013 | 53,050.06              | 20,625.72 | 73,675.78   | (32,424.34) |
| 5      | 2012 | 53,080.91              | 19,294.96 | 72,375.87   | (33,785.95) |
| 6      | 2011 | 48,687.41              | 21,044.49 | 69,731.90   | (27,642.92) |

### 3. TOP TEN IMPORTS

| Sl. No. | BTC Code   | Commodity Description  | Value in Nu. Million | Source of Import                                  |
|---------|------------|--|----------------------|---|
| 1       | 2710.19.15 | Other light oils and preparations (Diesel)                       | 5,776.53             | India   |
| 2       | 8410.90.00 | Parts, including regulators (Hydraulic turbines and waterwheels) | 4,012.10             | India   |
| 3       | 8703.00.00 | Passenger cars   | 3,057.32             | India, Japan, Korea & Thailand                    |
| 4       | 8704.00.00 | Motor vehicle for transport of goods (dumpers)                   | 2,497.82             | India & Japan                                     |
| 5       | 8503.00.00 | Parts (electric motors, generators and rotary converters)        | 2,351.76             | India   |
| 6       | 7203.10.00 | Ferrous products obtained by direct reduction of iron ore        | 1,840.37             | India   |
| 7       | 2710.12.10 | Motor spirit (gasoline) including aviation spirit (petrol)       | 1,755.31             | India   |
| 8       | 1006.30.00 | Semi-milled or wholly milled rice                                | 1,536.83             | India   |
| 9       | 8537.20.00 | For a voltage not exceeding 1,000 V                              | 1,057.89             | South Korea                                       |
| 10      | 8429.52.00 | Machinery with 360 degree revolving superstructure               | 972.18               | India, Singapore, China, South Korea and Thailand |
|         |            | Other commodities  | 42,328.80            |   |
|         |            | <b>Grand Total:</b>  | <b>67,186.91</b>     |   |

#### 4. TOP TEN EXPORTS

| Sl.No | BTC Code   | Commodity Description  | Value in Nu. Million | Export Destination  |
|-------|------------|--|----------------------|---|
| 1     | 7202.21.00 | Ferro -silicon, containing by weight more than 55% of silicon      | 6,830.42             | India, Bangladesh, Greece, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Malaysia and Slovenia |
| 2     | 2523.29.30 | Portland pozzolana cement  | 1,600.26             | India   |
| 3     | 0908.31.00 | Cardamoms (Neither crushed nor ground)                             | 1,342.38             | India & Bangladesh  |
| 4     | 7207.12.00 | Other of rectangular cross-section(semi-finished products of iron) | 1,278.06             | India   |
| 5     | 7214.30.00 | Other bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel                     | 840.68               | India   |
| 6     | 2849.10.00 | Calcium Carbide  | 804.78               | India   |
| 7     | 2518.10.20 | Dolomite, not calcined or sintered(chips)                          | 774.93               | India & Bangladesh  |
| 8     | 2849.20.00 | Silicon Carbide  | 695.28               | India   |
| 9     | 2518.10.30 | Dolomite, not calcined or sintered(lumps & slabs)                  | 684.77               | India & Bangladesh  |
| 10    | 0701.90.00 | Other (Potatoes)   | 542.49               | India   |
|       |            | Other commodities  | 6,832.01             |   |
|       |            | <b>Grand Total:</b>  | <b>22,226.06</b>     |   |

#### 5. TOP TEN TRADING COUNTRIES

##### 5.1 OVERALL TRADE

| Trade Ranking | 2016          |                           |                        | 2015        |                           |                        |
|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
|               | Country       | Total Trade (Nu. Million) | Share of Overall Trade | Country     | Total Trade (Nu. Million) | Share of Overall Trade |
| 1             | India         | 74,133.14                 | 82.91%                 | India       | 73,167.71                 | 80.50%                 |
| 2             | Bangladesh    | 3,696.83                  | 4.13%                  | France      | 3,619.33                  | 3.98%                  |
| 3             | Thailand      | 1,527.33                  | 1.71%                  | Bangladesh  | 1,987.13                  | 2.19%                  |
| 4             | China         | 1,484.71                  | 1.66%                  | China       | 1,579.21                  | 1.74%                  |
| 5             | Japan         | 1,326.57                  | 1.48%                  | Singapore   | 1,561.08                  | 1.72%                  |
| 6             | South Korea   | 1,262.69                  | 1.41%                  | Japan       | 1,483.37                  | 1.63%                  |
| 7             | Singapore     | 1,213.95                  | 1.36%                  | Thailand    | 1,192.00                  | 1.31%                  |
| 8             | United States | 532.11                    | 0.60%                  | Sweden      | 732.84                    | 0.81%                  |
| 9             | Denmark       | 529.60                    | 0.59%                  | Germany     | 602.94                    | 0.66%                  |
| 10            | Italy         | 471.26                    | 0.53%                  | Netherlands | 463.73                    | 0.51%                  |

## 5.2 IMPORT

| Trade Ranking | Country     | Value in Nu. Million | Share of Total Import | Major Goods Imported   |
|---------------|-------------|----------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 1             | India       | 55,112.78            | 82.03%                | Petrol & diesel, parts for power plants, transport vehicle, passenger cars, rice, etc.     |
| 2             | Thailand    | 1,486.72             | 2.21%                 | Heavy machineries & parts, passenger cars, IT equipments, polyethylene, etc.               |
| 3             | China       | 1,476.21             | 2.20%                 | Coke & semi-coke, heavy machinery, carbonaceous pastes, communication equipments, etc.     |
| 4             | Japan       | 1,304.43             | 1.94%                 | Flat-rolled alloy steel, Bridges & bridge sections, Passenger cars, Bakery machinery, etc. |
| 5             | South Korea | 1,262.69             | 1.88%                 | Heavy machinery & parts, passenger cars, transmission apparatus, vehicle tyre, etc.        |
| 6             | Singapore   | 1,206.31             | 1.80%                 | Heavy machinery & parts, IT equipments & software, communication equipments, etc.          |
| 7             | Italy       | 444.30               | 0.66%                 | Crude marble, Industrial machinery, parts for heavy machinery, etc.                        |
| 8             | Germany     | 407.64               | 0.61%                 | Interchangeable tools, Industrial machinery, heavy machinery, etc.                         |
| 9             | France      | 407.41               | 0.61%                 | Aeroplane, helicopter, parts for aircraft engine, etc.                                     |
| 10            | USA         | 360.92               | 0.54%                 | Concrete pumps, concrete mixers, archery equipments, etc.                                  |

## 5.3 EXPORT

| Trade Ranking | Country     | Value in Nu. Million | Share of Total Export | Major Goods Exported  |
|---------------|-------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 1             | India       | 19,020.36            | 85.58%                | Ferro-alloys (silicon), Portland cement, semi-finished product of iron, calcium carbide, etc. |
| 2             | Bangladesh  | 2,397.96             | 10.79%                | Cardamom, Oranges, pebbles & gravels, boulders, limestone, dolomite, etc.                     |
| 3             | USA         | 171.19               | 0.77%                 | Hydrogen (rare gases & other non-metals), saddlery & harness, postage stamps, etc.            |
| 4             | Nepal       | 152.39               | 0.69%                 | Mineral water, gypsum, coke & semi-coke, glaziers' putty, etc.                                |
| 5             | Germany     | 121.96               | 0.55%                 | Soap (medicated products), Ferro-alloys, wooden furniture, etc.                               |
| 6             | Hong Kong   | 77.19                | 0.35%                 | Cordyceps sinensis, antibiotics, knitted garments, etc.                                       |
| 7             | Greece      | 58.02                | 0.26%                 | Ferro-alloys (silicon)  |
| 8             | Netherlands | 51.19                | 0.23%                 | Ferro-alloys (silicon)  |
| 9             | Thailand    | 40.60                | 0.18%                 | Cordyceps sinensis, prefabricated buildings, statues, etc.                                    |
| 10            | Italy       | 26.95                | 0.12%                 | Ferro-alloys (silicon)  |

## 6. TRADE WITH INDIA

### 6.1 BALANCE OF TRADE (WITH TRADE IN ELECTRICITY)

(Value in Nu. Million)

| Sl.No. | YEAR | IMPORT    | EXPORT    | TOTAL TRADE | TRADE BALANCE |
|--------|------|-----------|-----------|-------------|---------------|
| 1      | 2016 | 55,285.73 | 32,052.41 | 87,338.14   | (23,233.32)   |
| 2      | 2015 | 53,740.50 | 31,801.35 | 85,541.85   | (21,939.15)   |
| 3      | 2014 | 47,847.62 | 31,801.45 | 79,649.07   | (16,046.17)   |
| 4      | 2013 | 43,889.37 | 28,979.16 | 72,868.53   | (14,910.21)   |
| 5      | 2012 | 41,838.29 | 26,627.35 | 68,465.64   | (15,210.94)   |
| 6      | 2011 | 35,201.07 | 26,377.97 | 61,579.04   | (8,823.10)    |

### 6.2 BALANCE OF TRADE ( WITHOUT TRADE IN ELECTRICITY)

(Value in Nu. Million)

| Sl.No. | YEAR | IMPORT    | EXPORT    | TOTAL TRADE | TRADE BALANCE |
|--------|------|-----------|-----------|-------------|---------------|
| 1      | 2016 | 55,112.78 | 19,020.36 | 74,133.14   | (36,092.42)   |
| 2      | 2015 | 53,490.85 | 19,676.86 | 73,167.71   | (33,813.99)   |
| 3      | 2014 | 47,528.60 | 21,167.81 | 68,696.41   | (26,360.79)   |
| 4      | 2013 | 43,666.45 | 17,751.90 | 61,418.35   | (25,914.55)   |
| 5      | 2012 | 41,825.59 | 17,502.18 | 59,327.77   | (24,323.41)   |
| 6      | 2011 | 35,190.84 | 15,936.51 | 51,127.35   | (19,254.33)   |

### 6.3 TRADE IN ELECTRICITY ONLY

(Value in Nu. Million)

| Sl.No. | YEAR | IMPORT | EXPORT    | TRADE BALANCE |
|--------|------|--------|-----------|---------------|
| 1      | 2016 | 172.95 | 13,032.05 | 12,859.10     |
| 2      | 2015 | 249.65 | 12,124.48 | 11,874.83     |
| 3      | 2014 | 319.02 | 10,633.63 | 10,314.61     |
| 4      | 2013 | 222.92 | 11,227.26 | 11,004.34     |
| 5      | 2012 | 12.70  | 9,125.17  | 9,112.47      |
| 6      | 2011 | 10.23  | 10,441.46 | 10,431.23     |

#### 6.4 TOP TEN IMPORTS

| Sl. No.            | BTC Code   | Commodity  | Value in Nu. Million |
|--------------------|------------|--|----------------------|
| 1                  | 2710.19.15 | Other light oils (Diesel)                                  | 5,776.53             |
| 2                  | 8410.90.00 | Parts of hydraulic turbines including regulators           | 3,995.43             |
| 3                  | 8704.00.00 | Motor vehicles for Transport of goods                      | 2,489.17             |
| 4                  | 8503.00.00 | Parts suitable for electrical machinery                    | 2,350.95             |
| 5                  | 8703.00.00 | Passengers cars  | 2,170.84             |
| 6                  | 7203.10.00 | Ferrous products obtained by direct reduction of iron ore  | 1,840.37             |
| 7                  | 2710.12.10 | Motor spirit (gasoline) including aviation spirit (Petrol) | 1,755.31             |
| 8                  | 1006.30.00 | Semi-milled or wholly milled (Rice)                        | 1,536.70             |
| 9                  | 7308.20.00 | Towers and lattice masts                                   | 1,482.24             |
| 10                 | 4402.90.00 | Other (wood charcoal)                                      | 934.00               |
|                    |            | Other commodities  | 30,954.19            |
| <b>Grand Total</b> |            |  | <b>55,285.73</b>     |

#### 6.5 TOP TEN EXPORTS

| Sl. No.            | BTC Code   | Commodity  | Value in Nu. Million |
|--------------------|------------|--|----------------------|
| 1                  | 2716.00.00 | Electricity  | 13,032.05            |
| 2                  | 7202.21.00 | Ferro –Silicon   | 6,527.69             |
| 3                  | 2523.29.30 | Portland pozzolana cement                                  | 1,600.26             |
| 4                  | 7207.12.00 | Semi-finished product of iron of rectangular cross-section | 1,278.06             |
| 5                  | 2849.10.00 | Carbides of calcium  | 804.78               |
| 6                  | 7214.30.00 | Other bars & rods of free cutting steel (of iron)          | 792.10               |
| 7                  | 2518.10.20 | Dolomite, not calcined or sintered (chips)                 | 767.34               |
| 8                  | 2849.20.00 | Carbides of silicon  | 695.28               |
| 9                  | 2518.10.30 | Dolomite, not calcined or sintered (lumps and slabs)       | 648.19               |
| 10                 | 0908.31.00 | Neither crushed nor ground (cardamoms)                     | 633.85               |
|                    |            | Other commodities  | 5,272.81             |
| <b>Grand Total</b> |            |  | <b>32,052.41</b>     |

Source : Bhutan Trade Statistics, Department of Revenue and Customs, Ministry of Finance

Compiled by : Trade Negotiation Division, Department of Trade, MoEA