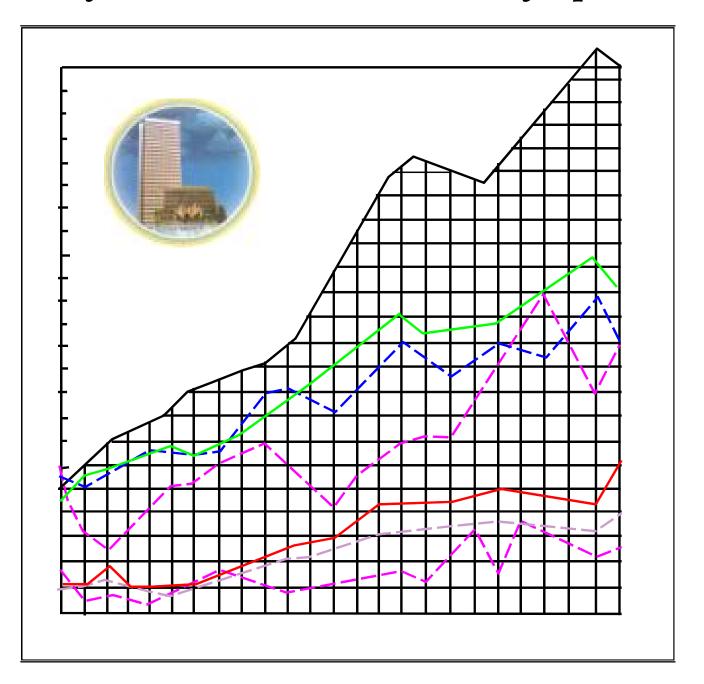
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# **Executive summary**

#### 1. Movement of monetary indicators

**Broad money** growth slowed to 16.73 per cent (year-on-year) in May 2012 from 21.88 per cent in May 2011 due mainly to slower growth in NDA that registered a 18.50 per cent from its growth of 25.88 per cent a year ago.

**Domestic credit** growth was lower at 19.96 per cent in May 2012 than the growth of 28.29 per cent in May 2011 (y-o-y basis). Though growth in credit to government sector was a bit higher (34.43 per cent), negative credit growth in other public sector (-2.64 per cent) and low credit growth in private sector (18.40 per cent) compared to the growth of their matching period a year ago caused domestic credit to grow slow in May 2012 (y-o-y basis).

#### 2. Inflation scenario

Despite a continuous rise in non-food inflation, the annual average rate of inflation fell slightly to 10.62 per cent in June 2012 from 10.76 per cent in May 2012 due to a falling trend in food inflation. The rate of inflation on point to point basis also fell to 8.56 per cent in June 2012 from 9.15 per cent in May 2012 helped by the decline in both food and non-food inflation. Though non-food inflation picked up on average basis in June 2012 because of upward adjustment in administered fuel and power prices at the beginning of the fiscal year, it is in the downward trend on the point to point basis from March 2012. We expect the declining trend in non-food inflation will continue in the coming months of FY13 in light of the restrained monetary stance implementing by BB.

#### 3. Improvement in financial sector

**The spread** of lending and deposit rate has been declining since February 2012 and stood at 5.45% in May 2012 indicating improved efficiency of the banking industry. The weighted average **call money rate** in the inter-bank market slipped sharply down at 10.90 percent in July 2012 demonstrating adequate liquidity in the money market.

#### 4. External sector scenario

**Export growth** which was double digit until recent past, slowed down to a single digit (5.93 per cent) in FY12 against FY11. Most of the export items registered positive growth in July-May, 2012 with some high value items including woven garments and leather. Jute sector has been experiencing negative growth in the first 11 months of FY12.

Broad money growth slowed. Growth in net credit to government was a bit higher while private sector credit growth stood lower.

Both point to point & average Inflation weakened. Point to point inflation has been within the single digit for last five months.

Interest rate spread narrowed. Call money rate dropped sharply. Trade deficits widened but current account balance improved. **Import payments** increased by 7.16 per cent to USD 32948.00 million during July-May, 2011-12 compared to 44.76 per cent growth during July-May, 2010-11. Import LCs opening during July-May, 2011-12 declined by 6.35 per cent compared to the growth of 39.60 percent during the same period of 2010-11.

**Remittance receipts** during FY12 increased by 10.24 per cent to USD 12843.42 million compared to the growth of 6.03 per cent during FY11.

**Aid disbursements** during FY12 was higher by USD 256.17 million or 14.41 per cent than the figure of the same period last year.

**Gross foreign exchange reserves** of the BB stood at USD 10364.43 million (with ACU liability of USD 667.61 million) as of end June 2012, against USD9520.43 million (with ACU liability of USD 336.91million) by the end of May 2012. Gross foreign exchange reserves, without ACU liability is equivalent to import payments of exactly 3.25 months based on the preceding 12 months average. BOP shows that higher earnings from remittances again succeeded in keeping current account balance positive by USD 754 million in July-May, 2011-12, higher than the level of USD 365 million of July-May, 2010-11.

#### 5. Fiscal developments

**NBR tax revenue collection** in June 2012 was Tk.13944.72 crore which is higher by Tk.1876.97 crore or 15.55 per cent against the collection of Tk.12067.75 crore in June 2011. NBR tax revenue collection during FY12 stood at Tk.94457.37 crore which is 18.96 percent higher than the level of FY11. Target for NBR tax revenue collection for FY 2011-12 was Tk. 91870.00 crore.

**Borrowing** of the government through NSD certificates during July-May, 2011-12 remained positive and stood at Tk. 17249.13 crore which is 6.69 percent higher than the level of Tk. 16167.02 crore during July-May, 2010-11.

NBR earnings beat target for FY12.

1.	Monetary	and	credit	develo	pments
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(In crore taka)

	Out	standing sto	ock	Changes in Outstanding stock							
Particulars	1 2010	R	May	EV 2010 11	July-May,	May, 2012	July-May,	May, 2011			
	June, 2010	June, 2011 <sup>R</sup>	2012 <sup>P</sup>	FY 2010-11	2011-12	over May, 2011	2010-11	over May, 2010			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
A. Net Foreign Assets of											
banking system	<u>67073.70</u>	<u>70620.00</u>	<u>72817.40</u>	<u>3546.30</u>	<u>2197.40</u>		<u>803.50</u>				
				(+5.29)	(+3.11)	(+7.28)	(+1.20)	(+4.20)			
B. Net Domestic Assets											
of banking system	<u>295957.50</u>	<u>369899.90</u>	<u>428271.20</u>	<u>73942.40</u>	<u>58371.30</u>	-	-				
				(+24.98)	(+15.78)	· · · ·					
a) Domestic credit	340213.70	433525.90	505227.30	93312.20	71701.40		-				
				(+27.43)	(+16.54)	· · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · ·			
Public sector	69453.00	92813.20	106632.90	23360.20	13819.70	-	-	L-			
				(+33.63)	(+14.89)			· · · · ·			
Govt.(net)	54392.30	73436.10	88231.50	19043.80	14795.40						
				(+35.01)	(+20.15)	· · · ·	· · · · ·	· · · · ·			
Other Public	15060.70	19377.10	18401.40	4316.40	-975.70						
				(+28.66)	(-5.04)		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Private sector	270760.70	340712.70	398594.40	69952.00	57881.70	-	-	-			
		<b>(2)</b> (2) (2)		(+25.84)	(+16.99)						
b) Other items (net)	-44256.20	-63626.00	-76956.10	-19369.80	-13330.10	-	-				
				(+43.77)	(+20.95)	· · · · · ·	· · · · ·	· · · · · ·			
C. Broad money (A+B)	<u>363031.20</u>	<u>440519.90</u>	<u>501088.60</u>		<u>60568.70</u>						
	461 55 10	54505.10	500 50 00	(+21.34)	(+13.75)	· · · ·	· · · · ·	· · · · ·			
i) Currency outside bank	46157.10	54795.10	58859.80	8638.00	4064.70						
	21(07/10	205524.00	440000 00	(+18.71)	(+7.42)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
ii) Deposits	316874.10	385724.80	442228.80	68850.70	56504.00		-				
	41021.20	40205.00	47(11.00	(+21.73)	(+14.65)	(+17.83)					
a) Demand deposits	41831.30	48305.90	47611.80	6474.60	-694.10	P					
	075040 00	227410.00	204617.00	(+15.48)	(-1.44)			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
b) Time deposits	275042.80	337418.90	394617.00	62376.10	57198.10						
				(+22.68)	(+16.95)	(+19.72)	(+19.85)	(+22.32)			

Source: Statistics Department. Note: Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over end June of previous fiscal year. P=Provisional. R = Revised

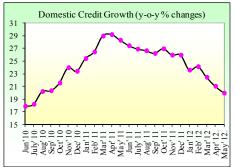
### **Broad money**

Broad money recorded an increase of Tk.71812.80 crore or 16.73 per cent at the end of May 2012 against the increase of Tk. 77049.90 crore or 21.88 per cent at the end of May 2011. Of the sources of broad money, net domestic assets (NDA) rose by Tk. 66872.60 crore or 18.50 per cent and net foreign assets (NFA) increased by Tk. 4940.20 crore or 7.28 per cent. Increase in NFA eased pressure on external sector as well as on liquidity position.

### **Domestic credit**

Domestic credit recorded an increase of 19.96 per cent at the end of May 2012 against the increase of 28.29 per cent in corresponding time last year (y-o-y basis). The rise in domestic credit at the end of May 2012 was due to the rise of private sector credit by 18.40 per cent and net credit to the Govt. by 34.43 per cent.





# 2. Reserve money developments

	0	utstanding sto	ock		Cha	unges in outstandi	ng stock	
Particulars	June, 2010	June, 2011 <sup>R</sup>	May 2012 <sup>P</sup>	FY 2010-11	July-May, 2011-12	May, 2012 over May, 2011	July-May, 2010-11	May, 2011 over May, 2010
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Net Foreign Assets of Bangladesh Bank	61204.90	61388.70	64238.70	183.80 (+0.30)	2850.00 (+4.64)	4224.40 (+7.04)	-1190.60 (-1.95)	765.1 (+1.29
Net Domestic Assets of Bangladesh Bank	12937.90	28345.70	28147.50	<b>15407.80</b> (+119.09)	<b>-198.20</b> (-0.70)	<b>2818.00</b> (+11.13)	<b>12391.60</b> (+95.78)	<b>8902.0</b> (+54.19
Claims on Govt.(net)	22320.60	32049.70	33532.70	9729.10 (+43.59)	1483.00 (+4.63)	8237.60 (+32.57)	2974.50	8533.4 (+50.91
Claims on other public	830.70	736.70	984.00	-94.00	247.30 (+33.57)	244.70 (+33.10)	-91.40	-55.4
Claims on DMBs	6613.90	18608.80	22096.70	11994.90	3487.90	4200.30	11282.50	12011.7
Other items (net)	-16827.30	-23049.50	-28465.90	(+181.36) -6222.20	(+18.74) -5416.40	(+23.47) -9864.60	(+170.59) -1774.00	(+204.12 -11587.7
<u>Reserve monev</u>	<u>74142.80</u>	<u>89734.40</u>	<u>92386.20</u>	$\frac{15591.60}{(+21.03)}$	$\frac{2651.80}{(+2.96)}$	<u>7042.40</u> (+8.25)	<u>11201.00</u> (+15.11)	<u>9667.1</u> (+12.77
Currency Issued	<u>50465.40</u>	<u>60526.90</u>	<u>64362.70</u>	<u>10061.50</u>	3835.80	<u>5192.20</u>	<u>8705.10</u>	<u>10226.7</u>
i) Currency outside banks	46157.10	54795.10	58859.80	(+19.94) 8638.00	(+6.34) 4064.70	(+ <b>8.77</b> ) 4901.20	(+17.25) 7801.50	(+ <b>20.8</b> 9 9379.7
ii) Cash in tills	4308.30	5731.80	5502.90	(+18.71) 1423.50	(+7.42) -228.90	(+9.08) 291.00	(+16.90) 903.60	(+21.04 847.0
Deposits held with BB	23677.40	<u>29207.50</u>	<u>28023.50</u>	(+33.04) <u>5530.10</u>	(-3.99) <u>-1184.00</u>	(+5.58) <u>1850.20</u>	(+20.97) <u>2495.90</u>	(+19.40 <u>-559.6</u>
Of which: Excess reserves	6035.40	4082.50	-1117.00	(+ <b>23.36</b> ) -1952.90	(- <b>4.05</b> ) -5199.50	(+7.07) -2751.10	(+ <b>10.54</b> ) -4401.30	(-2.09 -7730.0
Reserve money multiplier	4.90	4.91	5.42	(-32.36) <b>0.01</b>	(-127.36) <b>0.51</b>	(-168.36) <b>0.39</b>	(-72.92) <b>0.13</b>	(-82.55 <b>0.3</b>

Source: Statistics Department. Note:Note:Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over end June of previous fiscal year. P=Provisional. R = Revised

#### **Reserve Money**

Reserve money recorded an increase of 8.25 per cent at the end of May 2012 (y-o-y basis) compared to the increase of 12.77 per cent in the corresponding time last year. Of the sources of reserve money net domestic assets of Bangladesh Bank increased by 11.13 per cent and Net foreign assets of Bangladesh Bank also increased by 7.04 per cent in May 2012 from the same period last year.

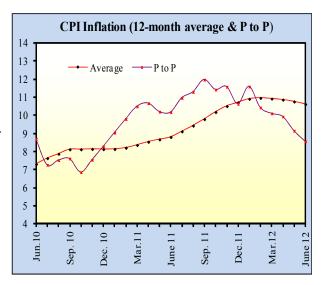
Reserve money multiplier increased to 5.42 at the end of May 2012 from 4.91 of end June 2011.



3.	CPI	and	Inflation

		Consume	er Price l	Index(CPI	) and Rate	e of Inflati	on at Nat	ional Leve	el (Base :	FY96=100)			
		Twelve	-Month A	Average B	asis		Point to Point Basis						
Period	General		Food		Non	Non-food		General		Food	No	n-food	
	Index	Inflation	Index	Inflation	Index	Inflation	Index	Inflation	Index	Inflation	Index	Inflation	
2008-2009	206.43	6.66	221.64	7.19	186.67	5.91	208.02	2.25	222.13	0.25	189.98	5.94	
2009-2010	221.53	7.31	240.55	8.53	196.84	5.45	226.11	8.70	246.29	10.88	199.94	5.24	
2010-11													
July	222.82	7.63	242.23	8.98	197.62	5.54	229.55	7.26	251.59	8.72	200.65	4.87	
August	224.18	7.87	244.12	9.38	198.23	5.47	233.31	7.52	257.44	9.64	201.46	3.76	
September	225.58	8.12	246.05	9.78	198.83	5.41	236.53	7.61	262.23	9.72	202.29	3.69	
October	226.85	8.12	247.77	9.83	199.45	5.31	238.68	6.86	265.16	8.43	203.03	3.82	
November	228.25	8.14	249.74	9.98	200.00	5.04	238.89	7.54	265.22	9.80	203.43	3.33	
December	229.78	8.13	251.96	10.12	200.54	4.73	240.75	8.28	268.19	11.01	203.71	3.27	
January	231.46	8.14	254.36	10.24	201.17	4.51	242.48	9.04	270.44	11.91	204.88	3.85	
February	233.27	8.21	256.93	10.40	201.89	4.37	244.28	9.79	272.57	12.77	206.15	4.36	
March	235.22	8.36	259.72	10.67	202.60	4.27	245.97	10.49	274.99	13.87	206.65	4.32	
April	237.20	8.54	262.60	11.00	203.26	4.15	246.24	10.67	275.02	14.36	207.23	3.97	
May	239.10	8.67	265.26	11.20	204.06	4.10	246.39	10.20	273.95	13.16	209.24	4.78	
June	241.02	8.80	267.83	11.34	205.01	4.15	249.11	10.17	277.11	12.51	211.39	5.73	
2011-12 <sup>P</sup>													
July	243.11	9.11	270.64	11.73	206.09	4.29	254.72	10.96	285.31	13.40	213.61	6.46	
August	245.31	9.43	273.36	11.98	207.56	4.71	259.66	11.29	290.13	12.70	219.11	8.76	
September	247.67	9.79	276.37	12.32	209.04	5.14	264.85	11.97	298.29	13.75	220.04	8.77	
October	249.94	10.18	279.20	12.69	210.57	5.58	265.94	11.42	299.15	12.82	221.41	9.05	
November	252.25	10.51	281.95	12.90	212.29	6.15	266.55	11.58	298.29	12.47	224.16	10.19	
December	254.38	10.71	284.28	12.83	214.23	6.83	266.34	10.63	296.08	10.40	226.89	11.38	
January	256.72	10.91	286.73	12.73	216.48	7.61	270.59	11.59	299.91	10.90	231.84	13.16	
February	258.84	10.96	288.76	12.39	218.81	8.38	269.76	10.43	296.88	8.92	234.13	13.57	
March	260.91	10.92	290.66	11.91	221.21	9.19	270.81	10.10	297.77	8.28	235.5	13.96	
April	262.95	10.86	292.52	11.39	223.59	10.00	270.68	9.93	297.36	8.12	235.77	13.77	
May	264.83	10.76	294.22	10.92	225.81	10.66	268.93	9.15	294.39	7.46	235.86	12.72	
June	266.61	10.62	295.86	10.47	227.87	11.15	270.43	8.56	296.74	7.08	236.16	11.72	

The annual average rate of inflation (12-month annual average CPI, 1995-96=100) falls to 10.62 per cent in June 2012 from 10.76 per cent of May 2012, due to a decrease in food inflation; non food inflation however, increases from 10.66 per cent in May 2012 to 11.15 per cent in June 2012. The rate of inflation on point to point basis also falls to 8.56 per cent in June 2012 from 9.15 per cent in May 2012, due to decrease in both food and non food inflation. In June, both point to point and average inflation declined. Point to point inflation has been within single digit for last few months. However, average inflation still remains in double digit.



# 4. Liquidity position of the scheduled banks

						(	<b>I K. III (1010</b> )			
	As of end.	June, 2011	As of end June, 2012 <sup>P</sup>							
Bank Crown	Total	Required	Cash in tills+	Balances with	Unencumbered	Total	Required			
Bank Group	Liquid	Liquidity	balances with	Bangladesh Bank	approved	Liquid	Liquidity			
	Assets	(SLR)	Sonali Bank		securities	Assets	(SLR)			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7=(4+5+6)	8			
State owned Banks	30146.85	19228.08	1547.25	8049.09	28333.92	37930.26	22207.68			
Private Banks (Other than Islamic)	47857.65	34591.75	3843.15	17290.10	38240.88	59374.13	40217.94			
Private Banks (Islamic)	13418.07	6386.33	1430.37	8673.23	3282.57	13386.17	9188.21			
Foreign Banks	7969.63	5273.29	400.55	5671.01	4361.12	10432.68	5893.93			
Specialised Banks*	1172.76	1014.30	356.97	1885.01	1025.87	3267.85	2260.26			
Total	100564.96	66493.75	7578.29	41568.44	75244.36	124391.09	79768.02			
			(+6.09)	(+33.42)	(+60.49)					

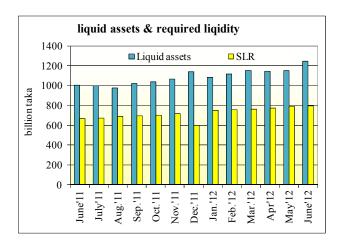
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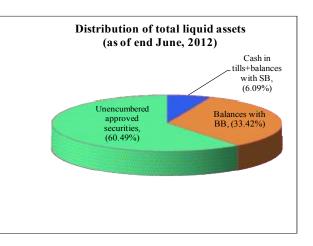
Source : Department of Offsite Supervision. Note :- Figures in brackets indicate sectoral share in the total liquid assets. P=provisional

\* SLR does not apply to Specialised banks (except BASIC Bank) as exempted by the Government .

Total liquid assets of the scheduled banks stands higher at Tk.124391.09 crore as of end June, 2012 against Tk.100564.96 crore as of end June, 2011. Required liquidity of the scheduled banks also stands higher at Tk.79768.02 crore as of end June, 2012 against Tk.66493.75 crore as of end June, 2011.

Scheduled banks holding of liquid assets as of end June, 2012 in the form of Cash in tills & balances with Sonali bank, Balances with Bangladesh Bank, and Unencumbered approved securities are 6.09 percent, 33.42 percent and 60.49 percent respectively of total liquid assets.



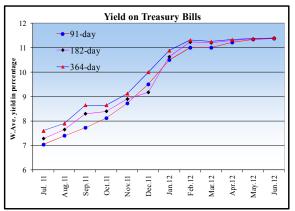


#### **5. Financial Sector Prices:** a) Interest Rate Development <sup>1/2</sup>

Dented	Т	reasury Bi	lls		BG	ТВ		Repo	Rev. Repo	Call Manage	Lending	Deposit	Spread
Period	91-Day	182-Day	364-Day	5-Year	10-Year	15-Year	20-Year	1-3 Day	1-3 Day	Call Money	Rate	Rate	
2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	6.75	7.00	7.30	8.26	9.45	9.35	9.65	6.75	4.75	10.93	12.42	7.27	5.15
2011-12 <sup>P</sup>													
July	7.04	7.28	7.60	8.26	9.45		10.00	6.75	4.75	11.21	12.55	7.32	5.23
August	7.40	7.65	7.90	8.30	9.50	9.65	10.25	6.75	4.75	12.02	12.63	7.40	5.23
September	7.73	8.30	8.65	8.35	9.53	10.30	10.85	7.25	5.25	10.41	12.72	7.42	5.30
October	8.12	8.40	8.65	8.50	9.55	10.99	11.50	7.25	5.25	9.77	12.80	7.46	5.34
November	8.73	8.90	9.13	8.50	9.55	11.00	11.50	7.25	5.25	12.70	12.83	7.53	5.30
December	9.50	9.18	10.00	8.50	9.55	11.00	11.50	7.25	5.25	17.15	13.01	7.55	5.46
January	10.50	10.63	10.88	9.00	11.25	11.50	11.95	7.75	5.75	19.66	13.43	7.86	5.57
February	11.00	11.23	11.31	11.25	11.35	11.60	12.00	7.75	5.75	18.18	13.63	7.95	5.68
March	11.00	11.20	11.25	11.30	11.40	11.65	12.03	7.75	5.75	12.51	13.69	8.11	5.58
April	11.21	11.29	11.33	11.37	11.50	11.70	12.07	7.75	5.75	13.98	13.72	8.17	5.55
May	11.34	11.36	11.37	11.40	11.56	11.75	12.10	7.75	5.75	15.05	13.70	8.25	5.45
June	11.37	11.40	11.40	11.45	11.60	11.80	12.12	7.75	5.75	15.02			
July <sup>@</sup>	11.40	11.42	11.43	11.48	11.65	11.85	12.12	7.75	5.75	10.90			

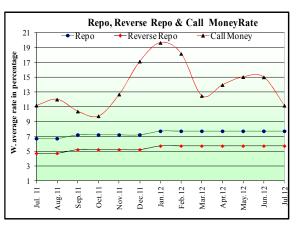
Source: MPD, DMD, Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank ,  $@ = upto \ 26th \ July, \ 2012$ 

Bangladesh Bank has held repo and reverse repo rate unchanged at 7.75 percent and 5.75 percent respectively after a upward revision by 50 basis point in 8 January, 2012. The weighted average call money rate in the inter-bank market slipped sharply down at 11.19 percent in July 2012.



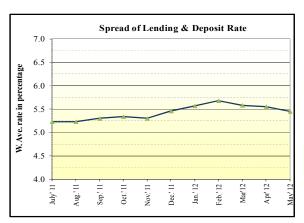
per cent, 11.80 per cent respectively of June, 2012. However, yield on 20-Year BGTB remained unchanged at 12.12 percent in June 2012.

For the first time in FY12, the weighted average lending rate of scheduled banks falls to 13.70 per cent in May 2012 compared to 13.72 per cent in April 2012. The weighted average deposits rate of scheduled banks rises to 8.25 per cent in May 2012 compared to 8.17 per cent in April 2012. The spread of lending and deposit rate has been declining since February 2012 and stood at 5.45% in May 2012.



The weighted average yield on 91-Day, 182-Day and 364-Day treasury bill increased to 11.40 per cent, 11.42 per cent and 11.43 per cent respectively in July 2012 as compared to 11.37 per cent, 11.40 per cent and 11.40 per cent respectively of June, 2012.

The weighted average yield on 5-Year BGTB, 10-Year BGTB and 15-Year BGTB increased to 11.48 per cent, 11.65 per cent, 11.85 per cent respectively in July, 2012 as compared to 11.45 per cent, 11.60



# 6. Capital market developments

	Annual capital market developments (DSE)											
				(In crore taka)								
Calender Year	Enlisted Issues	Issued Capital	Market	Turnover during	General Index							
	(Incl.Mut-Funds/Deb.)	and Debentures	Capitalisation	the Year								
2009	415	52163.20	188449.30	147530.10	4535.53							
2010	445	66436.00	347250.20	400991.28	8290.41							
2011	501	87890.50	261673.00	156055.63	5257.61							

	Monthly ca	pital market d	evelopments(	DSE)	
				(In crore taka)	
Month	Enlisted issues	Issued capital	Market	Turnover during	General Index
(End Month)	(Incl.Mut-Funds/Deb.)	and debentures	capitalisation	the month	
January, 11	471	70308.20	326135.70	18696.92	7484.23
February, 11	476	71931.60	234935.30	11488.71	5203.08
March, 11	476	73790.60	279122.00	21712.51	6352.10
April, 11	486	77846.80	266833.00	15628.44	6050.85
May, 11	489	79613.70	259882.40	9221.13	5758.26
June, 11	490	80683.90	285389.00	13465.05	6117.23
July, 11	487	82574.20	301073.60	29817.30	6459.62
August, 11	493	84305.80	295786.00	8864.87	6212.00
September, 11	494	84743.80	283321.00	7057.25	5910.20
October, 11	494	86181.90	252535.00	6999.04	5036.50
November, 11	501	87136.60	262409.00	6951.49	5268.55
December, 11	501	87890.50	261673.00	6152.98	5257.61
January, 12	502	88093.80	223035.00	8877.05	4153.96
February, 12	503	88170.30	242264.00	5724.37	4695.41
March, 12	504	90415.30	257211.00	8412.31	4990.32
April, 12	507	91391.20	265918.00	17660.27	5098.90
May, 12	508	92618.20	253204.00	6691.82	4734.33
June, 12	511	93363.00	249161.00	3936.38	4572.88

The General index at the end of June, 2012 4572.88 stands lower at compared to the index of 4734.33 at the end of May, 2012. Total market capitalization of all shares and debentures of the listed securities at the end of June, 2012 also stands lower at Tk. 249161.00 crore, indicating Tk.4043.00 crore or 1.60 per cent lower than Tk.253204.00 crore at the end of May, 2012.



# 7. Agricultural credit and non-farm rural credit

#### a. Agricultural credit

a. Agricul	tural credit			(In crore taka)	
Month	2011-1	$12^{P}$	2010-	$\cdot 11^{R}$	
WIOIIII	Disbursement	Recovery	Disbursement	Recovery	
July	469.05	1545.79	683.08	1067.53	
August	497.79	492.73	520.34	429.28	
September	809.27	633.55	788.32	933.36	
October	812.35	796.46	855.89	695.82	
November	1153.49	744.96	959.35	846.05	
December	1258.97	1161.83	1295.43	1120.53	
January	758.89	761.69	689.87	552.25	
February	897.43	919.80	728.47	658.06	
March	1349.43	680.86	1022.14	1308.38	
April	920.67	1067.59	860.91	250.41	
May	1103.69	871.83	744.84	817.96	
June	1492.44	1125.02	904.58	1627.18	
T	11523.46	10802.10	10053.22	10306.80	
July - June	(+14.62)	(+4.81)	(+11.13)	(+25.09)	

Agricultural credit disbursement **2010-11**R **2011-12**P June May April March February January December Novembe October Septemb August Julv 008 200 400 600 1000 1200 1400 1600 In crore taka

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#### b. Non-farm rural credit

(In crore taka)

Month	2011-1	12 <sup>P</sup>	2010-	Non-firm rural credit disburseme						
IVIOIIII	Disbursement	Recovery	Disbursement	Recovery			2010	-11R	. 1	2011-12P
July	78.99	369.56	193.52	352.40	June		1			
August	107.15	111.49	146.05	230.55	May		1		4	
September	89.68	51.40	202.06	8.84	April					
October	146.01	80.47	219.14	120.69	March February					
November	186.57	230.71	153.12	166.66	January					
December	120.96	55.85	208.51	219.33	December					
January	186.20	67.10	197.98	58.48	November					_
February	116.09	109.21	149.09	99.49	October		-	-		
March	151.17	68.51	142.34	160.22	September					
April	90.11	121.32	125.21	87.89	August					
May	149.06	80.46	135.80	114.35	July					
June	186.69	210.81	258.27	222.90		>	50	100	150	250
	1608.69	1556.90	2131.09	1841.81						
July - June	(-24.51)	(-15.47)	(+2.94)	(-1.69)				In cro	re taka	

# Programmed level for disbursement of agricultural credit and non-farm rural credit during FY 2011-12=Tk.13800.00 crore.

		<u> </u>	erdue and ou	tstanding		(In crore taka)		
Year	2011-2012 <sup>P</sup>			2011-2012 <sup>P</sup> 2010-2011 <sup>R</sup>			2010-2011 <sup>R</sup>	
End-Month	overdue outstanding overdue as % of outstanding		overdue	outstanding	overdue as % of outstanding			
June	6052.12	25974.97	23.30	5650.54	24366.56	23.19		
June	(+7.11)	(+6.60)		(-11.78)	(+7.87)			

Source: Agricultural Credit & Financial Inclusion Department. P = Provisional; R=Revised

Note:- Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over the corresponding period of the preceding year.

Disbursement of agricultural credit during July-June, 2011-12 was higher by 14.62 percent and recovery increased by 4.81 percent relative to the same period last year. However, disbursement under "non-farm rural credit" (loan for poor rural people for income generating activities) during the same period decreased by 24.51percent.

### 8. a) Industrial term loans

_			(1K. IN CFOTE)	
	Year	Disbursement	Recovery	
rly	2008-09	19972.69	16302.48	
Yea	2009-10 <sup>R</sup>	24487.71	19304.98	
	2010-11 <sup>P</sup>	32163.20	25015.89	

	2010-11	52105.20				23013.09				
_							(Tk. in crore)			
			Disbur	sement		Recovery				
		LSI	MSI	SSCI	Total	LSI	MSI	SSCI	Total	
	FY 2010-11 <sup>P</sup>	21958.27	7960.85	2244.08	32163.20	17671.16	5588.82	1755.91	25015.89	
	July-Sep., 2010	5350.75	1663.12	459.64	7473.51	4373.44	1250.61	289.82	5913.87	
	OctDec., 2010	6023.62	2880.72	545.85	9450.19	4615.85	1297.58	620.45	6533.88	
-	JanMarch, 2011	5316.43	1636.85	610.73	7564.01	4779.47	1646.91	430.85	6857.23	
	April-June, 2011 <sup>P</sup>	5267.47	1780.16	627.86	7675.49	3902.40	1393.72	414.79	5710.91	
	FY 2011-12 <sup>P</sup>	15975.32	7336.08	1748.49	25059.89	13172.92	7323.97	1851.02	22347.91	
	July-Sep., 2011	5019.20	1874.81	543.43	7437.44	3817.26	2492.25	501.37	6810.88	
	OctDec., 2011	5706.32	3468.64	692.88	9867.84	4803.29	2712.73	844.96	8360.98	
	JanMarch, 2012	5249.80	1992.63	512.18	7754.61	4552.37	2118.99	504.69	7176.05	
_				Over	due and Outstar	ıding			(Tk. in crore)	
	Overdue					Outstanding				
	End March 2012 <sup>P</sup>	LSI	MSI	SSCI	Total	LSI	MSI	SSCI	Total	
	Ellu March 2012	4372.97	2010.78	606.49	6990.24	50002.39	19895.36	7505.31	77403.06	
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Disbursement of industrial term loans during January-March 2012 higher at Tk. 7754.61 stands crore as compared to Tk. 7564.01 crore during January-March, 2011. Recovery of industrial term loans is also higher at Tk. 7176.05 crore during January-March 2012 against Tk.6857.23 crore during January-March, 2011. Overdue of industrial term loans at the end of March, 2012 stands at Tk. 6990.24 crore which was 9.03 per cent of the outstanding position at the end of March, 2012.

Source: SME & Special Programmes Department. LSI=Large Scale Industries, MSI=Medium Scale Industries, SSCI= Small Scale & Cottage Industries.

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(+8.08)

Note:- Figures in brackets indicate overdue as % of outstanding.

(+8.75)

# 8. b) Outstanding position of SME loans

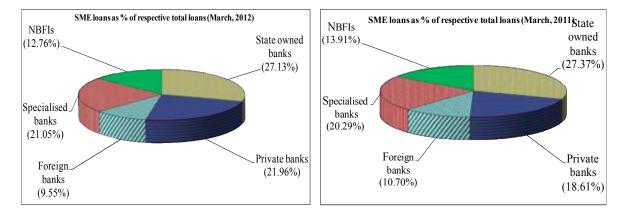
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Total SME loans increased by Tk.20059.70 crore or 29.24 per cent to Tk.88670.26 crore at the end of March, 2012 as compared to Tk.68610.56 crore at the end of March, 2011. The increase of institutional category-wise SME loans at the end of March, 2012 are 41.37% in Private banks , 16.91% in Specialised banks, 6.25% in Foreign banks, 12.82% in State owned banks and 8.95% in Non-bank financial institutions as compared to March, 2011. The percentage share of SME loans in total loans for each category of

uum scale industries, ssci= small scale & Coulage industries. (Tk. in cro							
Banks/Financial Institutions	Types of	State Owned	Private	Foreign	Spcialised	Non-Bank	Tota
Quarter Ending	Loans	Banks	Banks	Banks	Banks	Fin. Ins.	1018
	Total Loans	73730.09	213032.68	18797.68	20944.61	18140.55	344645.61
March, 2011	SME Loans	20181.13	39644.23	2011.15	4249.84	2524.21	68610.5
		(27.37)	(18.61)	(10.70)	(20.29)	(13.91)	(19.91
	Total Loans	78557.74	219788.24	20812.24	22462.76	18943.22	360564.2
June, 2011	SME Loans	21845.81	41332.98	1936.08	4541.94	2883.44	72540.25
		(27.81)	(18.81)	(9.30)	(20.22)	(15.22)	(20.12
	Total Loans	79021.08	227424.18	20759.36	22510.91	19876.52	369592.05
September, 2011 <sup>P</sup>	SME Loans	22290.55	46121.34	1995.67	5017.28	2954.9	78379.74
. ,		(28.21)	(20.28)	(9.61)	(22.29)	(14.87)	(21.21
	Total Loans	81405.37	244335.67	21165.99	22994.08	20826.99	390728.10
December, 2011 <sup>P</sup>	SME Loans	23244.5	48429.16	2085.89	4768.3	2571.38	81099.23
		(28.55)	(19.82)	(9.85)	(20.74)	(12.35)	(20.76
	Total Loans	83909.00	255241.11	22376.50	23599.77	21548.18	406674.50
March, 2012 <sup>P</sup>	SME Loans	22768.27	56046.50	2136.80	4968.64	2750.05	88670.20
		(27.13)	(21.96)	(9.55)	(21.05)	(12.76)	(21.80
% change of SME loans at the end 2012 over March, 2011.	of March,	12.82	41.37	6.25	16.91	8.95	29.24

total loans for each category of Source: SME & Special Programmes Department. Nate :- Figures in brackets indicate SME loans as percentage of total loans. P=provisional

institutions at the end of March, 2011 and at the end of March, 2012 are shown in the following pie-diagrams.



# 9. Exports

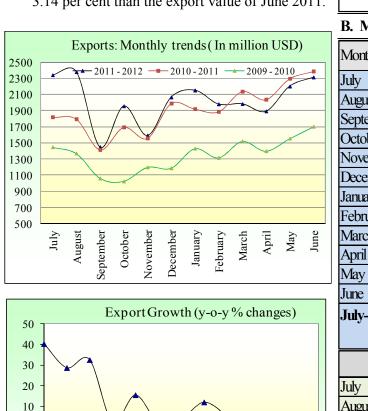
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#### a) Annual and monthly trends in exports

Merchandise exports in June, 2012 stands higher by USD 111.78 million or 5.09 per cent at USD 2311.20 million as compared to USD 2199.42 million in May, 2012. The amount is lower by 3.14 per cent than the export value of June 2011.



<u>2008-2009</u>	2009-2010	2010-2011 <sup>R</sup>
15536.64	16204.65	22928.22
(+10.10)	(+4.30)	(+41.49)
B. Monthly exports	1	
Month	2010 - 2011 <sup>R</sup>	2009 - 2010
July	1818.75	1447.96
August	1794.24	1367.79
September	1415.12	1060.22
October	1693.30	1023.99
November	1557.72	1197.52
December	1988.35	1187.18
January	1920.55	1429.74
February	1886.02	1315.89
March	2136.86	1520.24
April	2036.17	1398.82
May	2295.10	1553.97
June	2386.04	1701.33
July-June	22928.22	16204.65
July-June	22928.22 (+41.49)	16204.65 (+4.30)
July-June		
July-June July	(+41.49)	(+4.30)
•	(+41.49) 2011 - 2012 <sup>P</sup>	(+ <b>4.30</b> ) 2010 - 2011 <sup>R</sup>
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(In million USD)

A. Annual exports

Total export receipts during FY12 increased by USD 1359.44 million or 5.93 per cent to USD 24287.66 million as compared to USD 22928.22 million during July-June, 2010-11. Latest available data (July-June, 2011-12) on category-wise breakdown of exports are shown in the next page.

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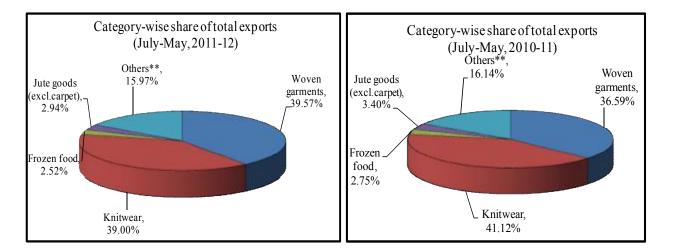
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							(In m	illion USD)	
					Changes during July-May, 2011-12				
Particulars	July-Ma	July-May, 2011-12		July-May, 2010-11		over July-May, 2010-11			
						ute amount	In percentage		
	Volume	Value	Volume	Value	Volume	Value	Volume	Value	
1. Raw Jute	459.08	243.71	461.94	331.61	-2.86	-87.90	-0.62	-26.51	
(In million Kg.)									
2. Jute goods (excl.carpet)	639.52	645.74	525.40	698.96	+114.12	-53.22	+21.72	-7.61	
(In million Kg.)									
3. Tea	1.56	3.17	1.14	2.85	+0.42	+0.32	+36.84	+11.23	
(In million Kg.)									
4. Frozen food	76.20	553.37	82.57	565.10	-6.37	-11.73	-7.71	-2.08	
(In million Kg.)									
5. Leather	21.16	302.90	19.81	270.62	+1.35	+32.28	+6.81	+11.93	
(In million Kg.)									
6. Woven garments	541.90	8696.94	558.32	7514.70	-16.42	+1182.24	-2.94	+15.73	
(In million Pcs.)									
7. Knitwear	609.65	8570.96	663.76	8444.65	-54.11	+126.31	-8.15	+1.50	
(In million Pcs.)									
8. Chemical products		97.96		97.19		+0.77		+0.79	
(In million Kg.)									
of which (fertilizer)	38.75	17.69	121.35	39.66	-82.60	-21.97	-68.07	-55.40	
9. Agricultural products*	149.74	357.09	95.79	137.66	+53.95	+219.43	+56.32	+159.40	
(In million Kg.)									
10 Engin.& Electric goods		323.52		281.99		+41.53		+14.73	
11 Others**		2181.10		2193.01		-11.91		-0.54	
TOTAL		21976.46		20538.34		+1438.12		+7.00	
Source : Export Promotion Bureau = Not available. * includes vegetables, fruits & tobacco. **Others means residual item						s residual items			

# b) Category-wise breakdown of exports

Category-wise breakdown of exports shows that, during July-May, 2011-12 exports of woven garments, knitwear, engineering & electric goods, leather, and agricultural products experienced some increase compared to the same period of the previous year. On the other hand there is some decrease in the exports of raw Jute and jute goods (excl.carpet) and fertilizers during July-May, 2011-12 compared to the same period of the previous year.

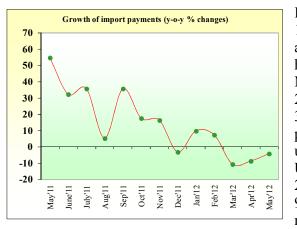


#### **10.** Imports

						(In million USD)	
	Import payments ( c&f )		Import LCs	settlement	Import LCs opened		
Year	<u>2010-11</u>	<u>2009-10</u>	<u>2010-11</u>	<u>2009-10</u>	<u>2010-11</u>	<u>2009-10</u>	
	33657.50	23738.40	31952.18	23053.10	38581.12	28783.40	
	(+41.79)	(+5.47)	(+38.60)	(+7.50)	(+34.04)	(+32.02)	
Month	2011-12 <sup>P</sup>	2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	2011-12 <sup>P</sup>	2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	2011-12 <sup>P</sup>	2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	
July	2937.80	2164.60	2790.28	2097.67	3171.34	3007.17	
August	2555.00	2427.40	2690.37	2409.60	3181.87	3135.21	
September	3297.90	2429.70	3049.81	2417.70	3560.69	2827.35	
October	2977.20	2532.30	3222.96	2636.66	3052.44	3531.02	
November	3141.30	2699.60	3196.85	2601.89	2720.95	3520.88	
December	2889.90	2984.50	2478.63	2849.55	2519.82	3311.21	
January	3346.00	3048.55	3088.71	3044.07	2928.15	3722.59	
February	2955.10	2753.35	2882.90	2538.47	3036.71	3086.65	
March	2846.50	3186.10	3373.65	2767.32	3085.77	3598.67	
April	2907.70	3229.20	2810.52	2858.21	3122.92	2901.19	
May	3093.60	3291.80	2843.68	3011.00	3251.70	3270.70	
July-May	32948.00	30747.10	32428.36	29232.14	33632.36	35912.64	
	(+7.16)	(+42.76)	(+10.93)	(+40.54)	(-6.35)	(+39.60)	

Source: Statistics Department, Foreign Exchange Policy Department

Note : Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over the corresponding period of the preceding year.



Import payments in May 2012 stand higher by USD 185.90 million or 6.40 per cent to USD 3093.60 million, against USD 2907.70 million in April 2012. This is however, lower by USD 198.20 million compared to May 2011 position. Import payments during July-May, 2011-12 increased by USD 7.16 per cent to USD 32948.00 million compared to July-May, 2010-11 position. Of the total import payments during the period under review, imports under Cash and for EPZ stand at USD 31066.2 million, imports under Loans/Grants USD 218.0 million and short term loan by BPC USD 1564.6 million. The low growth in cumulative import payments

(In million USD)

and BB's cautious monetary policy stance, are contributing to ease pressure on gross foreign exchange reserves.

Settlement of import LCs during July-May, 2011-12 increased by 10.93 per cent to USD32428.36 million against USD29232.14 million during July-May, 2010-11.

Fresh opening of import LCs in May 2012 stood higher by 1.20 per cent to USD3251.70 million compared to May 2011 position. This was lower by 7.64 per cent than in the same month of the previous year. Fresh opening of import LCs during July-May, 2011-12 decreased by 6.35 per cent to USD33632.36 million against USD35912.64 million during July-May, 2010-11.Negative growth in LC opening indicating that import payment may not shoot up in near future to put pressure on BOP and exchange rate.

### b) Sector-wise fresh opening, settlement and outstanding of import LCs

Latest available sector-wise comparative statement of fresh opening, settlement and outstanding of import LCs during July-May, 2011-12 and July-May, 2010-11 are shown below:

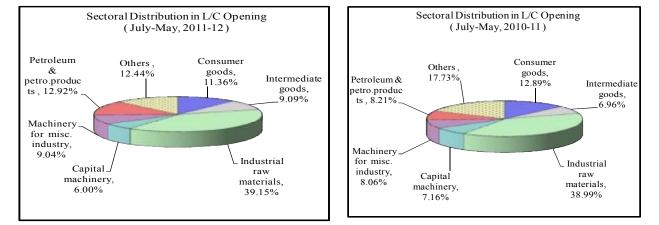
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							-	(Ir	million USD)
	July-May, 2011-12			July-May, 2010-11			July-May, 2011-12		
		-					over	July-May,	2010-11
Sectors / Commodities	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding
	opening	of LCs	LCs at the	opening	of LCs	LCs at the	opening	of LCs	LCs at the
			end of the			end of the			end of the
			period			period			period
A. Consumer goods	3820.84	3388.81	1607.03	4628.52	3440.37	1683.73	-807.68	-51.55	-76.70
B. Intermediate goods	3057.06	3014.43	1104.84	2497.85	1860.24	1151.03	+559.22	+1154.19	-46.18
C. Industrial raw materials	13168.61	12387.13	5928.22	14001.59	11215.58	7043.20	-832.98	+1171.55	-1114.98
D. Capital machinery	2019.02	2281.64	2450.72	2572.67	1846.42	1763.01	-553.65	+435.22	+687.70
E. Machinery for misc. industry	3040.51	2822.21	1292.50	2894.90	2542.43	1347.65	+145.61	+279.77	-55.15
F. Petroleum & petro.products	4343.96	4327.13	1217.82	2948.03	3021.08	716.54	+1395.93	+1306.06	+501.28
G. Others	4182.37	4207.01	1960.57	6369.09	5306.03	4252.83	-2186.72	-1099.02	-2292.26
Total	33632.36	32428.36	15561.71	35912.64	29232.14	17958.00	-2280.28	+3196.22	-2396.29
of which back to back	4851.67	4863.80	2643.88	5231.42	4114.64	2997.78	-379.75	+749.16	-353.90

Source: Foreign Exchange Policy Department

The developments of each sector's share in total L/C opening during July-May, 2011-12 and July-M ay, 2010-11 are shown in the following pie-diagrams.



Sector-wise detailed break-up of fresh opening, settlement and outstanding of import LCs during July-May, 2011-12 and July-May, 2010-11 are given at Appendix.

# c) Projected Data on Opening of Import LCs and Probable Liabilities against back to back LCs of Scheduled Banks

Month	Opening of import LCs	Probable liabilities of Banks against back to back LCs
July, 2012	4195.79	978.85
August, 2012	3062.43	1010.47
September, 2012	3034.04	1030.31
July, 2012- September, 2012	10292.26	3019.64

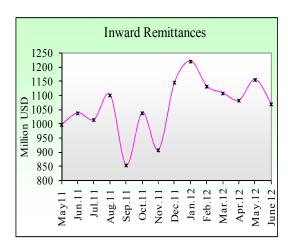
Source: Monetary Policy Department, Bangladesh Bank.

Opening of import LCs and probable liabilities of banks against back to back LCs have been projected by the scheduled banks at USD 10292.26 million and USD 3019.64 million respectively during July, 2012 - September, 2012.

# 11. Remittances

Annual and monthly trends in remittances

		(1	n million USD)
A. Annual remittances	2008-09	<u>2009-10</u>	<u>2010-11<sup>R</sup></u>
A. Annual remittances	9689.26	10987.40	11650.32
	(+22.42)	(+13.40)	(+6.03)
	Month	2011 -12 <sup>P</sup>	2010-11 <sup>R</sup>
	July	1015.58	857.31
	August	1101.79	963.92
	September	855.44	837.71
	October	1039.48	923.85
B. Monthly remittances	November	908.78	998.64
	December	1147.22	969.10
	January	1221.41	970.54
	February	1133.01	986.97
	March	1109.14	1102.98
	April	1083.89	1001.97
	May	1156.82	998.42
	June	1070.86	1038.91
	July - June	12843.42	11650.32
	-	(+10.24)	(+6.03)



Source : Foreign Exchange Policy Department, Bangladesh Bank. Note - Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over the corresponding period of the previous year.

Remittances in June 2012 stand lower at USD 1070.86 million against USD1156.82 million in May 2012. This is however, slightly higher by USD 31.95 million against USD 1038.91 million of June 2011.

Total remittances receipts during July-June, 2011-12 increased by 10.24 per cent to USD 12843.42 million against USD11650.32 million during July-June, 2010-11. Strong growth in remittances stabilized gross reserves and helped to maintain strength of local currency.

# 12. Foreign exchange holdings abroad

(a) Gross foreign exchange reserves of Bangladesh Bank : (In million US\$)

				FX reserves (End month)
A. Outstanding stock at	<u>2008- 09</u>	<u>2009-10</u>	<u>2010-11</u>	14000 T 38 3
the end of the year	7470.96	10749.74	10911.55	14000 CommercialBanks
	(+21.50)	(+43.89)	(+1.51)	13000 - Bangladesh Bank
B. Outstanding stock at	Month / Year	2011-12 <sup>P</sup>	2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	12000 - 3.2 😤
the end of the month	July	10381.26	10749.19	
	August	10931.88	10992.49	
	September	9883.59	10833.55	
	October	10338.28	11160.34	10000 - 2.6 g
	November	9285.20	10700.17	
	December	9634.85	11174.35	9000 - 5
	January	9386.46	10097.84	
	February	10066.77	10554.59	8000 - 2.0
	March	9579.43	10730.59	22222111111
	April	10193.04	11316.44	June July July June Sep. Oct. Jan. Apr. Apr. Apr. June
	May	9520.43	10431.23	H F K N V Z O F H Z K Z F
	June	10364.43	10911.55	

Source : Accounts & Budgeting Department, Bangladesh Bank. Note :- Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over the corresponding period of the previous year.

The gross foreign exchange reserves of the BB stood higher at USD10364.43 million (with ACU liability of USD 667.61 million) as of end June 2012, against USD9520.43 million (with ACU liability of USD 336.91million) by end May 2012. The gross foreign exchange reserves, without ACU liability is equivalent to import payments of 3.25 months according to imports of USD 2988.19 million per month based on the preceding 12 months average (June 2011-May 2012).

#### (b) Gross foreign exchange balances held abroad by commercial banks:

The gross foreign exchange balances held abroad by commercial banks stood lower at USD1138.76 million by end June 2012 against US\$1095.46 million by end May 2012. However, this was higher than the balance of USD903.24 million by end June 2011.

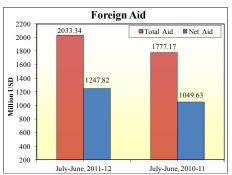
#### (In million USD) Commodity Food Project Total Payment Net Foreign Food Commodity Project Total Payment Net Foreign Aid Aid Aid Aid (Principal) (Principal) Aid Aid Aid Aid Aid Aid FY2010-11<sup>P</sup> FY2009-10<sup>R</sup> 1777.17 687.40 July-June 103.00 0.00 1674.17 727.54 1049.63 88.30 0.00 2076.15 2164.45 1477.05 Month FY2011-12<sup>P</sup> FY2010-11<sup>R</sup> July 0.00 0.00 55.95 55.95 68.27 -12.33 0.00 0.00 35.65 35.65 57.60 -21.95 60.81 0.00 0.00 60.81 42.19 18.62 0.00 0.00 33.47 33.47 41.00 -7.53 August 15.25 0.00 157.91 173.16 58.06 115.10 33.00 0.00 213.81 246.81 44.31 202.50 September 0.00 0.00 63.80 86.97 -23.17 0.00 127.32 127.32 83.87 43.45 October 63.80 0.00 0.00 0.00 83.50 83.50 84.67 -1.17 0.00 0.00 171.13 171.13 64.87 106.26 November December 15.59 0.00 435.57 451.16 70.35 380.81 17.00 0.00 353.10 370.10 89.20 280.90 0.00 0.00 143.55 143.55 71.07 72.48 21.00 0.00 78.46 99.46 56.00 43.46 January 0.00 0.00 183.81 183.81 37.72 0.00 0.00 63.24 63.24 31.72 31.53 Februarv 146.09 15.45 0.00 179.68 195.13 53.35 141.78 0.00 0.00 198.99 198.99 43.13 155.85 March 0.00 April 0.00212.94 212.94 90.81 122.13 0.000.0085.97 85.97 78.76 7.21 May 0.000.00 115.67 115.67 60.84 54.83 0.000.00 28.15 28.15 62.40 -34.26 22.97 0.00 270.90 293.87 61.23 232.65 32.00 0.00 284.88 316.88 74.68 242.20 June 1247.82 727.54 July-June 69.26 0.00 1964.08 2033.34 785.52 103.00 0.00 1674.17 1777.17 1049.63

13. Foreign Aid

Source: Economic Relation Division(ERD), Ministry of Finance. Notes: P=Provisional; R = Revised

Aid disbursements during July-June, 2011-12 stood higher by USD 256.17 million or 14.41 percent to USD 2033.34 million compared to USD 1777.17 million during July-June, 2010-11.

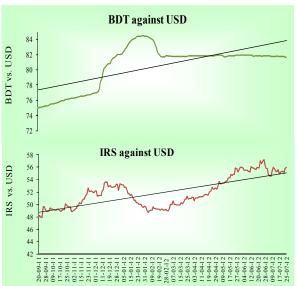
Net receipts of foreign aid during July-June, 2011-12 stood higher byUSD198.19 million or 18.88 percent to USD 1247.82 million, against USD 1049.63 million during July-June, 2010-11.



# 14. Exchange Rate Movements <sup>2/</sup>:

	2010 (Taka pe		2011 (Taka pe		2011-12 (Rupee per USD)	
Month	Month Avg.	Month End	Month Avg.	Month End	Month End	
July	69.4370	69.4100	74.4835	74.7050	43.95	
August	69.4886	69.5850	74.4497	73.6150	46.05	
September	69.6744	70.2150	74.5746	75.2300	48.91	
October	70.5474	70.7850	75.7187	76.1950	48.82	
November	70.3913	70.3650	76.4780	76.8600	51.93	
December	70.6170	70.7450	79.6659	81.8450	53.21	
January	71.0363	71.1500	83.4233	84.4400	49.50	
February	71.1735	71.3000	83.0926	81.7600	48.94	
March	71.9456	72.7350	81.7604	81.7950	50.92	
April	72.8235	72.9000	81.8160	81.8850	52.52	
May	73.1919	73.4850	81.8498	81.9300	56.01	
June	73.8848	74.1450	81.8200	81.8708	56.31	
Source : Statistics	Department & MPL	D. Note: 2/ Excha	nge rate represent ti	he mid-value of bu	ving and selling rates.	

P= Provisional, R=Revised.



Exchange rate of Taka per USD appreciated about 3.28 per cent in the month of February and has since hover around that rate, resulted from moderate growth in remittances, foreign aid, and low import pressures. At the end of June 2012 Taka has depreciated by 9.44 per cent from its level at the end of June 2011. On the other hand, during the same period, Indian Rupee depreciated by 20.19 per cent.

# 15. Balance of payments

(In million USD)

			( )
	<sup>@</sup> FY 2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	<sup>@@</sup> July-May, 2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	
Trade balance	-7328	-7498	-7957
Exports f.o.b(including EPZ) $\frac{1}{2}$	23008	20213	21717
Imports f.o.b(including EPZ)	-30336	27711	29674
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Services	-2398	-2200	-2374
Credit	2570	2301	2495
Debit	-4968	4501	4869
Primary income	-1354	-1290	-1452
Credit	119	114	183
Debit	-1473	1404	1635
Of which: Official interest payment	-220	314	346
	10055	11252	10505
Secondary income	12075	11353	12537
Official transfers	127	75	54
Private transfers	11948	11278	12483
of which : Workers' remittances	11650	10611	11773
<u>Current account balance</u>	<u>995</u>	<u>365</u>	754
Current account balance	<u>995</u>	305	<u>/34</u>
Capital account	600	<u>443</u>	429
Capital transfers	600	443	429
Others	0	0	0
Financial account	<u>-1584</u>	<u>-1853</u>	<u>-641</u>
i) Foreign direct investment(net)	768	703	1061
ii) Portfolio investment (net)	-28	-22	157
iii) Other investment(net)	-2324	-2534	-1859
Net aid flows	312	0	0
$MLT loans^{2/}$	1051	901	1236
MLT amortization payments	-739	665	728
Other long-term loans (net)	-101	-108	-53
Other short-term loans (net)	531	536	42
Trade credit (net)	-1895	-2392	-1015
Other assets	-1011	-850	-1564
DMBs & NBDCs(net)	-160	44	223
Assets	-452	333	154
Liabilities	292	377	377
	-		
Errors and omissions	<u>-936</u>	<u>298</u>	<u>-531</u>
Overall balance	<u>-925</u>	<u>-747</u>	<u>11</u>
Reserve assets	925	747	-11
Bangladesh Bank(net)	925	747	-11
Assets	749	-967	-545
Liabilities	176	-220	-556
Source :Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank.	@= Considering BPM-5	@@=Considering BPM-6	

Source :Statistics Department, Bangladesh Bank. @= Considering BPM-5 @@= Considering BPM-6

1/ Excludes local sales reported by EPB. Some adjustments necessiated by BOP considerations have been made.

2/ Excluding supplier's credit, reclassified as trade credit below. P= Provisional. R= Revised

Trade Balance recorded a higher deficit of USD7957 million during July-May, 2011-12 compared to the deficit of USD7498 million during July-May, 2010-11. But the large inflow of workers' remittances during the period contributed to a current account surplus of USD754 million during July-May, 2011-12 (against the surplus of USD365 million during July-May, 2010-11.) Despite financial account deficit of USD641 million, a capital account surplus of USD429 million and current account surplus resulted in a surplus of USD11 million in overall balance during July-May, 2011-12 against a deficit of USD747million during July-May, 2010-11. The main driving factor behind the financial account deficit is the EPZ exports which can be repatriated and as such the net exports shown in the trade balance are counter-balanced by the equivalent amount in the financial account.

# 16. Public finance

#### a) Government tax revenue collections

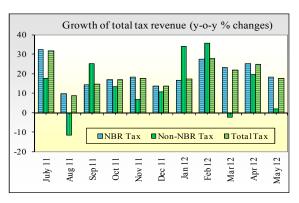
						(In crore taka)
Annual tax revenue collections	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009	2009-2010	2010-2011 <sup>P</sup>
NBR tax revenue	33987.04	37219.32	47435.66	52527.25	62042.16	79394.82
	(34456.00)	(37479.00)	(45970.00)	(50213.00)	(61000.00)	(75600.00)
Non-NBR tax revenue	1526.17	1854.39	2312.44	2652.90	2848.00	3229.36
	(1719.00)	(1768.00)	(2042.00)	(2653.00)	(2955.00)	(3452.00)
Total tax revenue	35513.21	39073.71	49748.10	55180.15	64890.16	82624.18
	(36175.00)	(39247.00)	(48012.00)	(52866.00)	(63955.00)	(79052.00)
Note:- Figures in brackets indicate the target of revenue	e collection.					

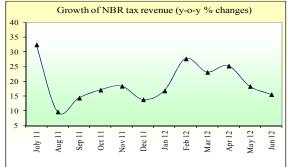
													(II	n crore taka)
				2010-11 <sup>R</sup>							2009-10			
		NE	BR tax reve	nue		Non-	Total tax		N	BR tax reven	iue		Non-	Total tax
Month	Customs	Vat	Income	others*	Total	NBR	Revenue	Customs	Vat	Income	others*	Total	NBR	Revenue
	duties		tax			tax revenue	Collections	duties		tax			tax revenue	Collections
	1	2	3	4	5=(1++4)	6	7=(5+6)	1	2	3	4	5=(1++4)	6	7=(5+6)
July-June	11576.25	30190.68	23007.53	14627.98	79403.11	3229.36	82632.47	8997.12	24468.07	17042.28	11534.69	62042.16	2848.00	64890.16
	(+28.67)	(+23.39)	(+35.00)	(+26.82)	(+27.98)	(+13.39)	(+27.34)	(-3.99)	(+21.45)	(+22.98)	(+26.04)	(+18.11)	(+7.35)	(+17.60)
Month	2011-12 <sup>P</sup>										2010-11 <sup>R</sup>			
July	1111.44	2624.24	1171.24	1099.83	6006.75	307.44	6314.19	740.48	2045.52	873.90	874.60	4534.50	261.55	4796.05
August	1097.91	2271.58	1284.69	1273.64	5927.82	223.08	6150.90	911.75	2296.94	1031.24	1164.20	5404.13	252.40	5656.53
September	939.21	2348.05	2100.57	1190.82	6578.65	255.26	6833.91	783.87	2173.89	1689.93	1104.62	5752.31	204.25	5956.56
October	999.46	2624.90	1605.95	1426.49	6656.80	290.08	6946.88	876.76	2349.54	1285.24	1173.93	5685.47	256.11	5941.58
November	1064.99	2696.05	1619.24	1327.91	6708.19	252.42	6960.61	890.15	2274.69	1350.06	1151.75	5666.65	236.52	5903.17
December	1014.04	2829.72	2312.17	1299.61	7455.54	288.88	7744.42	942.53	2611.73	1811.73	1183.11	6549.10	261.12	6810.22
January	1175.34	3089.47	1823.48	1404.54	7492.83	337.84	7830.67	1049.30	2590.14	1453.64	1320.51	6413.59	252.17	6665.76
February	1004.68	2719.24	1860.81	1864.76	7449.49	281.90	7731.39	873.91	2285.45	1335.90	1339.21	5834.47	208.01	6042.48
March	1052.90	3151.02	3168.50	1568.67	8941.09	307.01	9248.10	1031.59	2522.16	2421.51	1286.09	7261.35	314.67	7576.02
April	1310.06	3076.04	2190.32	1566.09	8142.51	354.82	8497.33	954.94	2588.10	1743.29	1214.01	6500.34	296.87	6797.21
May	1272.04	3639.48	2425.33	1816.13	9152.98	352.52	9505.50	1323.92	3082.44	1926.99	1400.10	7733.45	345.80	8079.25
June	1242.95	4403.03	6688.88	1609.86	13944.72	-	-	1197.72	3370.08	6084.10	1415.85	12067.75	339.79	12407.54
July-June	13285.02	35472.82	28251.18	17448.35	94457.37	-	-	11576.92	30190.68	23007.53	14627.98	79403.11	3229.26	82632.37
	(+14.75)	(+17.50)	(+22.79)	(+19.28)	(+18.96)			(+28.67)	(+23.39)	(+35.00)	(+26.82)	(+27.98)	(+13.39)	(+27.34)

surce: National Board of Revenue and Office of the Controller General of Accounts. P=Provisional, R=Revised; NA,= Not Available. \*=include supplementary duties & travel tax Note:- Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over the corresponding period of the preceding year.

NBR tax revenue collection in June 2012 was Tk.13944.72 crore which is higher by Tk.1876.97 crore or 15.55 per cent against the collection of Tk.12067.75 crore in June 2011. NBR tax revenue collection during FY12 stood at Tk.94457.37 crore which is 18.96 percent higher than the level of FY11.

Total tax revenue collection during July-May, 2011-12 stood at Tk.83763.90 crore which is higher by 19.28 percent against the collection of Tk.70224.84 crore in July-May, 2010-11. Target for NBR tax revenue collection for FY 2011-12 was Tk. 91870.00 crore.





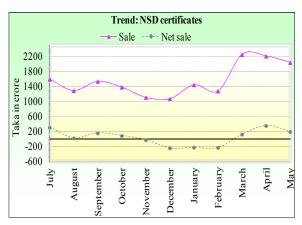
#### b) Sale and repayment of NSD certificates

,		payment o						(In crore taka)		
		Sal	e	Repayment	Net	sale	Outs	tanding at		
				(Principal)			the end	l of the year		
(1	1)	(2)	•	(3)	4=	(2-3)		(5)		
	-2009	16035.28 25553.69		12401.96		3.32		9790.79		
	-2010			13963.06		90.63		1381.42		
2010-	-2011	17232	.03	15175.13	205	6.90	0.	3438.32 (In crore taka)		
			2010-2011 <sup>R</sup>				2009-2010			
Months	Sale	Repayment (principal)	Net sale	Outstanding at the end of the period.	Sale	Repayment (principal)	Net sale	Outstanding at the end of the period.		
July	1598.01	973.74	624.27	62005.69	1998.28	1083.70	914.58	50705.37		
August	1754.90	1280.68	474.22	62479.91	2006.10	1242.04	764.06	51469.43		
September	1444.50	1109.76	334.74	62814.65	2070.71	939.39	1131.32	52600.75		
October	1654.89	1164.66	490.23	63304.88	2289.59	1169.43	1120.16	53720.91		
November	1279.19	1134.26	144.93	63449.81	1918.26	1141.19	777.07	54497.98		
December	1407.92	1506.59	-98.67	63351.14	1667.22	1141.86	525.36	55023.34		
January	1817.99	1489.16	328.83	63679.97	2353.39	1169.78	1183.61	56206.95		
February	1142.26	827.93	314.33	63994.30	2147.56	1166.09	981.47	57188.42		
March	1648.23	1624.19	24.04	64018.34	2456.00	1323.58	1132.42	58320.84		
April	1101.89	1233.14	-131.25	63887.09	2136.97	1199.84	937.13	59257.97		
May	1317.24	1379.91	-62.67	63824.42	2156.04	1187.77	968.27	60226.24		
June	1065.01	1451.11	-386.10	63438.32	2353.57	1198.39	1155.18	61381.42		
July-June	17232.03	15175.13	2056.90	63438.32	25553.69	13963.06	11590.63	61381.42		
	(-32.57)	(+8.68)	(-82.25)	(+3.35)	(+59.36)	(+12.59)	(+219.01)	(+23.28)		
Months		201	1-2012 <sup>P</sup>		2010-2011 <sup>R</sup>					
July	1598.02	1286.99	311.03	63749.35	1598.01	973.74	624.27	62005.69		
August	1294.76	1268.66	26.1	63775.45	1754.90	1280.68	474.22	62479.91		
September	1538.43	1377.13	161.3	63936.75	1444.50	1109.76	334.74	62814.65		
October	1384.36	1291.93	92.43	64029.18	1654.89	1164.66	490.23	63304.88		
November	1113.59	1134.14	-20.55	64008.63	1279.19	1134.26	144.93	63449.81		
December	1080.31	1316.56	-236.25	63772.38	1407.92	1506.59	-98.67	63351.14		
January	1447.75	1667.68	-219.93	63552.45	1817.99	1489.16	328.83	63679.97		
February	1284.19	1506.44	-222.25	63330.20	1142.26	827.93	314.33	63994.30		
March	2255.02	2125.9	129.12	63459.32	1648.23	1624.19	24.04	64018.34		
April	2210.25	1851.61	358.64	63817.96	1101.89	1233.14	-131.25	63887.09		
May	2042.45	1844.69	197.76	64015.72	1317.24	1379.91	-62.67	63824.42		
July-May	17249.13	16671.73	577.40	64015.72	16167.02	13724.02	2443.00	63824.42		
	(+6.69)	(+21.48)	(-76.37)	(+0.30)	(-30.31)	(+7.52)	(-76.59)	(+5.97		

Source:- National Savings Directorate. Note : Figures in brackets indicate percentage changes over the corresponding period of the preceding year. P = Provisional, R = Revised.

The positive impact of upward revision of the rate of NSD certificates was reflected in the sale of NSD figure which stood at Tk. 2042.45 crore in May 2012 from Tk. 1317.24 crores of May 2011. Sale of NSD during July-May 2012 stood at 17249.13 crores which is 6.69 per cent higher than the amount of sale in the same period preceding year. Net borrowing of the government through NSD certificates during July-May, 2011-12 stood at Tk. 577.40 crore against Tk.2443.00 crore during July-May, 2010-11.

Outstanding borrowing of the government through NSD certificates as of end May 2012 stood at Tk.63824.42 crore which was higher by 5.97 percent against the amount outstanding at the end May 2011.



#### c) Budget financing

								(In crore Taka)
	Net borrowing	Net non-bank					Outstanding	Total outstanding
	of the Govt.	borrowing of	Total	Net		Total financing	Domestic	domestic debt
Year	from	the Govt. from	domestic	foreign	Total	as % of GDP@	debt	as % of GDP@
	the banking	the public 2/	financing	financing 3/	financing	at current	(end of the	at current
	system 1/					market price	period)	market price
1	2	3	4=(2+3)	5	6=(4+5)	7	8	9
2001-2002	2487.10	4711.47	7198.57	5782.82	12981.39	4.75	45181.76	16.54
2002-2003	-1103.10	4795.22	3692.12	6560.78	10252.90	3.41	48873.88	16.26
2003-2004	1246.20	4598.94	5845.14	3597.30	9442.44	2.84	54719.02	16.43
2004-2005	3106.60	2907.56	6014.16	6236.68	12250.84	3.30	60733.18	16.38
2005-2006	5667.80	2758.90	8426.70	7236.80	15663.50	3.77	69159.88	16.64
2006-2007	4937.20	4373.53	9310.73	7591.15	16901.88	3.58	78470.61	16.61
2007-2008	11531.50	4008.68	15540.18	7016.78	22556.96	4.13	94010.79	17.22
2008-2009	10527.40	4405.51	14932.91	7037.17	21970.08	3.57	108943.70	17.72
2009-2010	-4376.00	12256.14	7880.14	10218.86	18099.00	2.62	116823.84	16.92
2010-2011 <sup>R</sup>	19384.10	3012.93	22397.03	7470.38	29867.41	3.79	139220.87	17.68
July-May, 2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	11604.10	3256.20	14860.30	5726.81	20587.11	-	131684.14	-
July-May, 2011-12 <sup>P</sup>				8004.15	25587.18	-	156803.90	-

@: Source-National Accounts Statistics, BBS. P=Provisional; R=Revised

<u>1</u>/: Excludes interest

2/ : Excludes saving certificates held by the banks and includes treasury bills & bonds held by the non-bank financial institutions, T.bills & bonds have been taken at face value.
3/ : Aid disbursement less amortizatio

Total budget financing of the government during July-May, 2011-12 stood higher at Tk.255.87 billion, against Tk.205.87 billion during July-May, 2010-11. Unlike corresponding period last year, financing from domestic sources stood much higher at Tk.175.83 billion (68.72% of total financing) during July-May, 2011-12 compared to net foreign financing at Tk. 80.04 billion (31.28% of total financing) due to shortage of foreign fund as projected in the budget for FY12. Of the total domestic financing, Tk.152.56 billion (86.76% of total domestic financing) was arranged through net borrowing from the banking system. However, total budget financing during July-May, 2011-12 stood lower at 2.84 per cent of projected GDP for FY12 against 5.0 per cent (overall deficit, excluding grants) as envisaged in budget for FY12.

# 17. Food situation

The actual production of foodgrains during FY 201-12 stood higher at 347.92 lakh metric tons compared to 345.13 lakh metric tons during FY 2010-11. Import of foodgrains (Rice & Wheat) during FY 2011-12 stood lower at 21.07 lakh metric tons compared to 57.04 lakh metric tons during FY 2010-11. Stock of foodgrains (including transit stock) with the government stood at 12.48 lakh metric tons at the end of June, 2012 which is 40.7 percent higher than the stock of 8.87 lakh metric ton at the end of June 2011.

								(In la	kh metric ton)	
		Actual	Net	F	Foodgrain I	mports	Public	Public	Foodgrain	
Year	Production	Domestic	Domestic	Govt. &			Domestic	Distribution	Stock	
	Target	Production	Production*	food aid	Private	Total	Procurement		Public	
		(Gross)							(End June)	
FY2009-10	350.51	332.26	292.39	5.56	28.99	34.55	8.05	19.61	5.31	
FY2010-11	365.34	345.13	310.62	22.04	35.00	57.04	4.62	22.91	8.87	
FY2011-12 <sup>P</sup>	357.25	347.92	313.13	9.69	11.38	21.07	14.26	20.95	12.48	
Parti	culars		July-Ju	me, 2011-12 <sup>P</sup>			July-June, 2010-11 <sup>R</sup>			
1. Imports (I	Rice & Whea	at)		21.07			57.04			
2. Procurem	ent (Rice &	Wheat)	14.26			4.62				
3. Distributio	n (Rice & V	Wheat)	20.95			22.91				
4. Food Stor	ck			12.48	**	8.87 **				

Source : Bangladesh Food Situation Report, FPMU, Ministry of Food & Disaster Management, Govt. of the Peoples Republic of Bangladesh. Note :T=Target, P = Provisional, R = Revised, N.A = Not Available.

\*= After 12% deduction for FY08, FY09 & FY10 and 10% for other years for seed, feed, waste etc. \*\* including transit stock

# **18. Industrial Production**

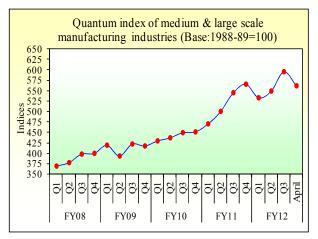
	<b>FY20</b>	<u>10-11</u>	<u>FY20</u>			Y2008-09		
	520.56		442	.12	413.42			
Commodities	(+17	.74)	(+6.	.94)		(+6.97)		
					% Changes of	% Changes during		
	April, 2012 <sup>P</sup>	July-Apr.,	April, 2011 <sup>R</sup>	July-Apr.,	Apr., 2012 over	July-Apr., 2011-12 over		
	_	2011-12 <sup>P</sup>		2010-11 <sup>R</sup>	Apr., 2011	July-Apr., 2010-11		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
1. <u>General index</u>	561.84	559.64	541.73	509.14	+3.71	+9.92		
2. <u>Sub-indices</u>								
i) Food bever. & tobacco	351.71	348.22	370.25	379.52	-5.01	-8.25		
ii) Jute, cott, w. apprl.& leather	872.69	876.68	798.52	727.03	+9.29	+20.58		
iii) Wood product incl. furniture	298.87	308.18	317.41	321.92	-5.84	-4.27		
iv) Paper and paper product	534.89	514.36	508.48	505.55	+5.19	+1.74		
v) Chemical, petro & rubber	371.40	374.98	401.34	133.62	-7.46	+180.63		
vi) Non-metalic product	579.87	551.83	550.98	549.66	+5.24	+0.39		
vii) Basic metal product	283.07	260.86	344.68	260.48	-17.87	+0.15		
viii) Fabricated metal product	238.85	209.03	198.45	192.61	+20.36	+8.52		

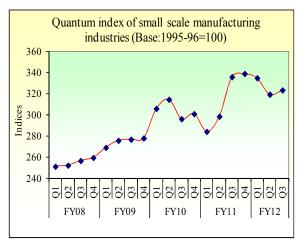
Quantum index of medium and large scale manufacturing industries (Base:1988-89=100)

Source: Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics. P=Provisional; R=Revised

The general index of industrial production (medium & large scale manufacturing) stands higher at 559.64 during July-April, 2011-12, recording an increase of 9.92 per cent over July-April, 2010-11.

Indices recording increase during July-April, 2011-12 compared to the same period of the preceding year are: Chemical, petro. & rubber (180.63%), Jute, cott. w. apprl & leather (20.58%), Fabricated metal product (8.52%). On the other hand indices of Food beverege & tobacco, Wood product including furniture decrease during July-April, 2011-12 compared to the same period of the preceding year.





The general index of small scale manufacturing industry during the third quarter (April-June) of FY12 increased by 1.27 per cent to 323.28 as compared to 319.23 during the second quarter of the same fiscal year. However, this decreases by 3.27 per cent as compared to 335.79 during the same quarter of the previous fiscal year.

<b>Break-up of Fresh</b>	1 Opening	, Settlement and	Outstanding	of Import LCs
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		(In million USD)									
	Jul	y-May, 2011	-12	Jul	y-May, 2010-	-11	Changes in	July-May, 20	11-12		
							over	July-May, 20	010-11		
Sectors / Commodities	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding		
	opening	of LCs	LCs at the	opening	of LCs	LCs at the	opening	of LCs	LCs at the		
			end of the			end of the			end of the		
			period			period			period		
A. Consumer goods	3820.84	3388.81	1607.03	4628.52	3440.37	1683.73	-807.68	-51.55	-76.70		
Rice and wheat	795.19	834.93	223.24	2355.11	1821.22	615.29	-1559.92	-986.29	-392.05		
Sugar and salt	1239.90	1131.23	657.92	1033.67	559.08	555.82	+206.24	+572.15	+102.10		
Milk food	223.31	209.23	110.79	213.52	163.77	153.95	+9.79	+45.46	-43.16		
Edible oil (refind)	410.25	257.07	231.31	153.18	86.73	100.66	+257.07	+170.34	+130.65		
All kinds of fruits	148.37	133.93	24.57	134.28	118.45	26.24	+14.09	+15.48	-1.67		
Pulses	283.48	181.73	157.55	244.48	266.17	83.05	+39.00	-84.45	+74.50		
Onion	103.46	110.23	19.74	106.89	87.89	20.84	-3.43	+22.34	-1.09		
Spices	79.74	75.78	14.14	105.69	104.92	14.11	-25.95	-29.14	+0.03		
Second hand clothings	2.44	1.61	1.85	1.24	2.89	1.60	+1.20	-1.28	+0.25		
Drugs and medicines(finished)	80.57	83.68	26.82	86.93	58.57	48.86	-6.36	+25.11	-22.04		
Others	454.13	369.40	139.09	193.54	170.67	63.32	+260.59	+198.73	+75.77		
B. Intermediate goods	3057.06	3014.43	1104.84	2497.85	1860.24	1151.03	+559.22	+1154.19	-46.18		
Coal	101.80	88.86	34.61	83.78	81.88	27.62	+18.01	+6.98	+7.00		
Cement	20.99	13.95	10.67	18.67	14.04	12.26	+2.32	-0.10	-1.60		
Clinker & limestone	397.71	416.40	111.35	352.47	271.22	156.34	+45.23	+145.18	-44.98		
B. P. sheet	351.32	295.46	118.50	309.17	311.18	140.62	+42.15	-15.72	-22.12		
Tin plate	24.59	25.22	6.15	22.31	19.80	5.79	+2.29	+5.42	+0.36		
Scrap Vessels	1001.99	1063.34	333.68	674.98	365.92	305.28	+327.01	+697.41	+28.40		
Iron and steel scrap	372.65	361.76	204.24	362.97	218.96	238.20	+9.67	+142.80	-33.96		
Non-ferrous metal	165.43	187.69	58.79	170.12	160.25	81.20	-4.69	+27.44	-22.41		
Paper and paper board	309.51	311.64	74.85	350.30	323.15	109.85	-40.79	-11.51	-34.99		
Others	311.09	250.13	152.00	153.07	93.84	73.87	+158.02	+156.29	+78.12		
C. Industrial raw materials	13168.61	12387.13	5928.22	14001.59	11215.58	7043.20	-832.98	+1171.55	-1114.98		
Edible oil & oil seeds	1363.84	1336.95	666.46	1226.18	848.42	689.97	+137.66	+488.54	-23.51		
Textile fabrics (B/B & others)	4401.62	4272.49	2318.67	4686.76	3661.55	2735.64	-285.13	+610.94	-416.96		
Pharmaceutical raw materials	368.12	333.01	126.03	361.10	319.22	120.77	+7.01	+13.79	+5.26		
Raw cotton	2161.38	1821.74	1066.73	2885.86	2438.00	1117.03	-724.48	-616.26	-50.30		
Cotton yarn	823.41	833.86	482.25	1024.35	723.52	697.79	-200.95	+110.34	-215.54		
Copra	151.32	41.48	6.52	18.91	20.11	8.57	+132.41	+21.38	-2.04		
Synthetic fibre & yarn	499.81	584.50	261.30	835.64	606.21	414.70	-335.83	-21.71	-153.40		
Chemicals & chem. products	3399.11	3163.09	1000.26	2962.78	2598.56	1258.75	+436.32	+564.53	-258.49		

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									(In million US\$)	
	Jub	y-May, 2011-	-12	July	-May, 2010	-11	Changes in July-May, 2011-12			
							over July-May, 2010-11			
Sectors / Commodities	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding	Fresh LCs	Settlement	Outstanding	
	opening	ofLCs	LCs at the	opening	ofLCs	LCs at the	opening	ofLCs	LCs at the	
			end of the			end of the			end of the	
			period			period			period	
D. Capital machinery	2019.02	2281.64	2450.72	2572.67	1846.42	1763.01	-553.65	+435.22	+687.70	
Textile machinery	372.56	357.22	259.24	419.42	329.07	287.50	-46.86	+28.15	-28.26	
Leather / tannery	5.52	9.52	4.90	4.69	9.24	7.80	+0.82	+0.28	-2.89	
Jute industry	26.35	32.05	13.27	34.02	19.35	20.91	-7.67	+12.70	-7.63	
Garment industry	302.40	319.80	225.39	388.47	363.34	278.03	-86.07	-43.55	-52.64	
Pharmaceutical industry	67.26	42.11	45.99	39.86	56.46	22.25	+27.40	-14.34	+23.75	
Packing industry	12.80	23.91	4.10	15.11	15.99	17.18	-2.32	+7.91	-13.08	
Other industry	1232.14	1497.03	1897.82	1671.09	1052.97	1129.35	-438.96	+444.06	+768.47	
E. Machinery for misc. industry	3040.51	2822.21	1292.50	2894.90	2542.43	1347.65	+145.61	+279.77	-55.15	
Other machineries	394.71	356.90	196.81	540.22	444.57	388.27	-145.51	-87.67	-191.46	
Marine diesel engine	68.59	27.52	48.34	31.80	33.47	11.38	+36.79	-5.95	+36.96	
Computer & its accessories	307.07	301.35	90.11	289.18	283.37	110.27	+17.89	+17.98	-20.15	
Motor vehicle & motorcycle parts	100.00	75.79	41.55	72.42	68.60	21.34	+27.59	+7.19	+20.21	
Bicycle parts	21.13	25.41	7.23	33.43	28.53	13.79	-12.30	-3.12	-6.56	
Other iron and steel products	426.68	386.02	206.06	361.67	307.87	181.31	+65.01	+78.14	+24.75	
Motor vehicles	587.25	591.25	216.86	784.68	662.26	280.13	-197.43	-71.02	-63.27	
Other electronics components	125.40	146.66	40.84	236.52	240.18	75.67	-111.12	-93.52	-34.82	
Tractors & power tiller	111.30	103.35	27.49	112.84	106.33	46.74	-1.55	-2.98	-19.26	
Others	898.38	807.96	417.20	432.13	367.25	218.75	+466.25	+440.71	+198.45	
F. Petroleum & petro.products	4343.96	4327.13	1217.82	2948.03	3021.08	716.54	+1395.93	+1306.06	+501.28	
Crude	1271.97	1220.72	575.07	964.93	907.11	347.08	+307.04	+313.61	+227.99	
Refined	3071.99	3106.41	642.75	1983.10	2113.97	369.46	+1088.89	+992.44	+273.29	
G. Others	4182.37	4207.01	1960.57	6369.09	5306.03	4252.83	-2186.72	-1099.02	-2292.20	
Commercial sector	1986.37	2137.43	1176.66	3152.49	2680.20	1848.79	-1166.12	-542.77	-672.13	
Industrial sector	2196.00	2069.58	783.91	3216.60	2625.83	2404.04	-1020.60	-556.25	-1620.13	
Total	33632.36	32428.36	15561.71	35912.64	29232.14	17958.00	-2280.28	+3196.22	-2396.29	
of which back to back	4851.67	4863.80	2643.88	5231.42	4114.64	2997.78	-379.75	+749.16	-353.90	
Source:Foreign Exchange Policy Der										

# Break-up of Fresh Opening, Settlement and Outstanding of Import LCs

Source: Foreign Exchange Policy Department, Bangladesh Bank.