

**WEEKLY SELECTED ECONOMIC INDICATORS**

**Chief Economist's Unit  
(Policy Support Wing)  
25 April 2024**

1.		24 April 2023	30 June 2023	31 March 2024 <sup>R</sup>	24 April 2024					
	<b>Foreign Exchange Reserve</b> (in million US\$)	31086.51	31203.00	25231.70	25382.91	19973.01 (BPM6)				
2.		24 April 2023	26 June 2023	31 March 2024	24 April 2024					
	<b>Interbank Taka-USD Exchange Rate</b> (average)	107.0000	108.3576	110.0000	110.0000					
3.		24 April 2023	26 June 2023	31 March 2024	24 April 2024					
	<b>Call Money Rate</b>	6.06	6.18	9.00	8.89					
4.	<b>Broad/Overall Share Price Index</b>	24 April 2023	26 June 2023	24 April 2024	Percentage change					
					From June, 2023	From June, 2022				
	a) Dhaka Stock Exchange (DSE) <sup>@</sup> b) Chittagong Stock Exchange (CSE)	6252.16 18416.54	6344.09 18702.20	5686.69 16244.52	-10.36 -13.14	-1.96 -1.66				
5.		March, 2023	July-Mar., FY23	March, 2024 <sup>P</sup>	July-Mar., FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23				
	a) <b>Wage Earners' Remittances</b> (in million US\$)	2022.47	16035.08	1996.85	17074.24	21610.73				
	b) Annual Percentage Change	8.75	4.82	-1.27	6.48	2.75				
6.		February, 2023	July-Feb., FY23	February, 2024 <sup>P</sup>	July-Feb., FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23				
	a) <b>Import (C&amp;F)</b> (in million US\$)	4624.00	52190.00	5247.00	44108.00	75061.60				
	b) Annual Percentage Change	-44.46	-11.20	13.47	-15.49	-15.81				
7.		February, 2023	July-Feb., FY23	February, 2024 <sup>P</sup>	July-Feb., FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23				
	a) <b>Import(f.o.b)</b> (in million US\$)	4282.00	48309.00	4863.00	40889.00	69495.00				
	b) Annual Percentage Change	-44.40	-11.16	13.57	-15.36	-15.76				
8.		March, 2023	July-Mar., FY23	March, 2024 <sup>P</sup>	July-Mar., FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23				
	a) <b>Export (EPB)</b> (in million US\$)*	4643.94	41721.62	5102.57	43554.78	55558.77				
	b) Annual Percentage Change	-2.49	8.07	9.88	4.39	6.67				
9.		July-February, FY23		July-February, FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23					
	<b>Current Account Balance</b> (in million US\$)	-3455.0		4762.0	-2665.0					
10.		February, 2023	July-Feb, FY23	February, 2024 <sup>P</sup>	July-Feb, FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23				
	a) <b>Tax Revenue</b> (NBR) (Tk. in crore)	23729.63	196039.85	28305.99	226586.56	331454.89				
	b) Annual Percentage Change	1.72	8.92	19.29	15.58	9.89				
11.	<b>Investment in National Savings Certificates</b> (Tk. in crore)	February, 2023	July-Feb, FY23	February, 2024 <sup>P</sup>	July-Feb, FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23				
	a) Net sale	-440.08	-3509.51	-1541.44	-8891.77	-3295.94				
	b) Total Outstanding	360500.62	360500.62	358501.66	358501.66	360714.19				
12.		February, 2023	June, 2023 <sup>R</sup>	February, 2024 <sup>P</sup>	Percentage change					
	a) <b>Reserve Money (RM)</b> (Tk. in crore)	350346.90	383585.20	352858.30	Feb'24 over Feb'23	Feb'24 over Jun'23	Feb'23 over Jun'22	FY23		
	b) <b>Broad Money (M2)</b> (Tk. in crore)	1763032.30	1887167.90	1919805.50	0.72	-8.01	0.92	10.49		
	<b>Total Domestic Credit</b> (Tk. in crore)	1787185.60	1926770.70	2004108.70	8.89	1.73	3.21	10.48		
13.	a) Net Credit to the Govt. Sector	309866.60	387349.80	379502.40	12.14	4.01	6.91	15.25		
	b) Credit to the Other Public Sector	43249.70	45164.70	47669.90	22.47	-2.03	9.37	36.72		
	c) Credit to the Private Sector	1434069.30	1494256.20	1576936.40	10.22	5.55	16.27	21.41		
					9.96	5.53	6.13	10.58		
14.		July-February, FY23		July-February, FY24 <sup>P</sup>		Percentage change				
	<b>L/C Opening and Settlement</b> (in million US\$)	Opening	Settlement	Opening	Settlement	July-February, FY24		FY23		
						Opening	Settlement	Settlement		
	a) Consumer Goods	5505.34	5312.33	4515.23	4313.31	-17.98	-18.81	-11.37		
	b) Capital Machinery	2185.94	2481.20	1768.10	1851.85	-19.11	-25.36	-36.65		
	c) Intermediate Goods	3601.71	3627.48	2999.98	3307.57	-16.71	-8.82	-23.67		
	d) Petroleum	6573.74	6613.48	5921.02	6117.08	-9.93	-7.51	15.93		
	e) Industrial Raw Materials	15857.85	19165.35	15208.78	14362.54	-4.09	-25.06	-13.94		
	f) Others	12714.52	14289.47	14063.01	14366.03	10.61	0.54	-4.96		
	<b>Total</b>	<b>46439.10</b>	<b>51489.31</b>	<b>44476.12</b>	<b>44318.38</b>	<b>-4.23</b>	<b>-13.93</b>	<b>-12.38</b>		
	15.	<b>Rate of Inflation on the basis of Consumer Price Index for National (Base:2005-06=100)</b>	June, 2022	December, 2022	March, 2023	June, 2023 <sup>F</sup>	September, 2023 <sup>F</sup>	December, 2023 <sup>F</sup>	January, 2024 <sup>F</sup>	February, 2024 <sup>F</sup>
a) Twelve Month Average Basis		6.15	7.70	8.39	9.02	9.29	9.48	9.59	9.66	9.69
b) Point to Point Basis		7.56	8.71	9.33	9.74	9.63	9.41	9.86	9.67	9.81
<b>Corresponding Period</b>		June, 2021	December, 2021	March, 2022	June, 2022	September, 2022	December, 2022	January, 2023	February, 2023	March, 2023
a) Twelve Month Average Basis		5.56	5.55	5.75	6.15	6.96	7.70	7.92	8.14	8.39
b) Point to Point Basis		5.64	6.05	6.22	7.56	9.10	8.71	8.57	8.78	9.33
16.	<b>Classified Loan</b>	June, 2021	December, 2021	June, 2022	September, 2022	December, 2022	March, 2023	June, 2023	September, 2023	December, 2023
	a) Percentage Share of Classified Loan to Total Outstanding	8.18	7.93	8.96	9.36	8.16	8.80	10.11	9.93	9.00
	b) Percentage Share of Net Classified Loan	-0.47	-0.43	0.49	0.90	-0.08	0.30	1.58	1.22	0.59
17.	<b>Agricultural and Non-farm Rural Credit</b> (Tk. in crore)	January, '23	February, '23	July-Feb., FY23	January, '24 <sup>P</sup>	February, '24 <sup>P</sup>	July-Feb., FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23	FY22	FY21
	a) Disbursement **	2014.22	2382.19	21066.51	2827.68	2536.90	23690.75	32829.89	28834.21	25511.35
	b) Recovery	2016.74	2539.03	20985.53	2531.05	2351.12	22661.71	33010.09	27463.41	27123.90
	c) Outstanding	51225.71	51234.84	51234.84	55634.92	55860.89	55860.89	52704.45	49802.28	45939.80
18.	<b>SME Loan</b> (Tk. in crore)	Apr-Jun, FY22	Jul-Sept, FY23	Oct-Dec, FY23	Jan-Mar, FY23	Apr-Jun, FY23 <sup>P</sup>	Jul-Sept, FY24 <sup>P</sup>	Oct-Dec, FY24 <sup>P</sup>	FY23	FY22
	a) Disbursement	56484.26	51676.81	60611.61	49068.40	62747.05	52654.90	64841.99	224103.87	207395.04
	b) Outstanding	271448.58	273906.60	282896.54	283236.32	295842.02	298339.27	304241.45	295842.02	282896.54
19.	<b>Industrial Term Loan</b> (Tk. in crore)	Oct-Dec, FY22	Jan-Mar, FY22	Apr-Jun, FY22	Jul-Sept, FY23	Oct-Dec, FY23	Jan-Mar, FY23 <sup>P</sup>	Apr-Jun, FY23 <sup>P</sup>	FY23	FY22
	a) Disbursement	18772.59	17340.49	21413.63	18562.45	29574.55	20907.66	26127.36	95172.03	72360.96
	b) Recovery	18477.42	16572.97	16832.73	20610.17	50593.69	17899.35	17290.02	106393.23	64862.58
20.	c) Outstanding	308918.45	310572.40	320410.22	328742.50	360051.14	383075.76	395317.82	395317.82	320410.22
	<b>GDP Growth Rate</b> (in percent, Base: 2005-06=100)	FY15	FY16	FY17 <sup>N</sup>	FY18 <sup>N</sup>	FY19 <sup>N</sup>	FY20 <sup>N</sup>	FY21 <sup>N</sup>	FY22 <sup>N</sup>	FY23 <sup>NR</sup>
	6.55	7.11	6.59	7.32	7.88	3.45	6.94	7.10	5.78	

Note: \*\* = About 67.69% of the target for agricultural credit disbursement has been achieved in the first eight months of FY2023-24. P=Provisional, R=Revised, N= new base: 2015-16. <sup>#</sup>=Base Index 2021-22 = 100

@ = DSE has been publishing Broad Index instead of General Index from 01 August, 2013.

\*Revised according to the revised definition (primary commodities+manufactured commodities) of commodity exports by EPB.