

Value of letters of credit opened for import

(Million US\$)

Sectors / Commodities	Fresh LCs Opening		Settlement of LCs		Outstanding LCs	
	July-Jan. 2013-14	July-Jan. 2012-13	July-Jan. 2013-14	July-Jan. 2012-13	July-Jan. 2013-14	July-Jan. 2012-13
A. Consumer goods	2580.09	2049.77	2753.77	1972.09	1558.39	1644.49
Rice and wheat	822.42	583.06	784.39	365.12	397.54	346.08
Sugar and salt	438.79	373.24	559.68	549.98	353.64	503.89
Milk food	169.81	123.23	158.19	125.14	89.54	97.46
Edible oil (refined)	278.20	229.79	340.33	276.95	284.11	277.75
All kinds of fruits	94.75	82.82	78.94	72.36	32.12	30.19
Pulses	168.51	227.70	250.84	191.46	125.63	179.02
Onion	145.42	73.34	129.78	66.89	26.33	24.89
Spices	61.93	37.37	59.97	36.61	17.86	13.06
Second-hand clothings	0.03	0.17	1.83	1.10	0.40	0.52
Drugs and medicines (finished)	52.44	58.11	53.89	40.53	56.51	37.29
Others	347.79	260.95	335.92	245.94	174.70	134.34
B. Intermediate goods	1780.34	1798.92	1687.73	1632.74	1258.04	1206.46
Coal	58.50	56.81	99.04	44.66	43.49	40.28
Cement	7.42	1.61	8.00	3.74	4.95	3.54
Clinker & limestone	257.53	285.75	246.85	254.18	166.51	158.05
B.P. Sheet	151.63	143.72	149.56	159.52	91.86	137.62
Tin plate	15.84	14.18	12.54	14.27	5.69	7.61
Scrap Vessels	571.24	624.33	490.65	497.78	420.05	394.31
Iron and steel scrap	147.59	179.62	175.43	212.82	148.60	138.73
Non-ferrous metal	129.98	111.70	121.79	101.64	92.32	50.13
Paper and paper board	196.28	164.94	175.76	165.17	105.57	77.04
Other	244.34	216.24	208.11	178.94	179.00	199.15
C. Industrial raw materials	8587.48	8229.26	8501.13	7599.23	6784.22	6160.86
Edible oil & oil seeds	602.06	772.63	697.65	628.47	648.75	836.02
Textile fabrics (B/B & others)	3391.60	3167.22	3275.75	2702.45	2822.21	2571.02
Pharmaceutical raw materials	255.56	229.68	258.64	208.24	158.89	145.60
Raw cotton	1306.90	1118.77	1286.06	1050.76	1088.43	934.16
Cotton yarn	610.88	568.18	569.81	561.95	552.90	436.01
Copra	16.02	1.78	28.82	10.24	25.43	4.26
Synthetic fibre & yarn	325.42	308.95	305.42	271.80	292.33	259.70
Chemicals & chem. products	2079.03	2062.04	2078.99	2165.33	1195.30	974.10
D. Capital machinery	2118.64	1373.37	1389.69	1175.24	3614.58	2585.11
Textile machinery	217.87	262.20	221.02	218.28	308.83	391.89
Leather/tannery	4.61	1.63	3.08	2.27	4.72	1.74
Jute industry	13.31	16.05	14.65	14.45	13.14	12.22
Garment Industry	270.10	258.88	229.44	209.29	331.80	265.11
Pharmaceutical industry	41.02	48.71	40.79	24.80	28.65	49.71
Packing industry	7.63	17.46	7.33	9.61	7.52	11.99
Other industry	1564.11	768.45	873.38	696.55	2919.93	1852.46
E. Machinery for misc. industry	2211.78	1996.55	2015.92	1682.87	1740.73	1670.06
Other machineries	322.14	385.70	318.47	264.76	340.91	294.43
Marine diesel engine	4.86	12.74	7.31	13.50	42.35	45.70
Computer & its accessories	189.50	161.39	190.10	186.34	79.18	67.14
Motor vehicle & motorcycle parts	75.93	63.98	77.71	55.03	44.73	45.42
Bicycle parts	24.69	15.92	19.32	15.25	11.75	5.49
Other Iron and steel products	294.92	288.90	271.30	219.63	260.07	311.76
Motor vehicles	349.19	294.58	309.87	296.63	189.00	180.16
Other electronics components	88.70	57.96	76.92	65.62	57.48	33.73
Tractors & power tiller	34.88	35.62	39.85	35.77	15.53	20.25
Others	826.96	679.76	705.08	530.33	699.73	665.96
F. Petroleum & petroleum products	2654.91	2327.47	2424.56	2593.38	1328.85	1177.22
Crude	874.56	818.72	659.59	944.64	657.41	569.98
Refined	1780.35	1508.75	1764.97	1648.73	671.43	607.24
G. Others	2489.37	2507.07	2445.25	2065.04	2223.15	2372.14
Total	22422.61	20282.41	21218.05	18720.58	18507.97	16816.33

Source: Bangladesh Bank