

Table 1: External Merchandise Trade Statistics for April 2025

(HK\$ Million)

Merchandise trade values for April 2025				
	Total Exports	434,464		
	Imports	450,472		
	Trade Balance	-16,007		
			Change	
Current month compared with same month in the preceding year	April 2025	April 2024	Value	%
Total Exports	434,464	378,739	+55,725	+14.7
Imports	450,472	388,933	+61,539	+15.8
Trade Balance	-16,007	-10,194	-5,814	
Current month compared with last month	April 2025	March 2025		
Total Exports	434,464	455,534	-21,070	-4.6
Imports	450,472	500,891	-50,419	-10.1
Trade Balance	-16,007	-45,357	+29,350	
Latest 3 months compared with same period 12 months earlier	Feb-Apr 2025	Feb-Apr 2024		
Total Exports	1,215,890	1,045,755	+170,135	+16.3
Imports	1,314,890	1,143,329	+171,561	+15.0
Trade Balance	-99,001	-97,575	-1,426	
Calendar year-to-date compared with same period in the preceding year	Jan-Apr 2025	Jan-Apr 2024		
Total Exports	1,605,032	1,434,465	+170,566	+11.9
Imports	1,701,954	1,528,398	+173,557	+11.4
Trade Balance	-96,923	-93,932	-2,991	
Last 12 months compared with same period 12 months earlier	May 2024 to Apr 2025	May 2023 to Apr 2024		
Total Exports	4,712,937	4,330,515	+382,422	+8.8
Imports	5,095,658	4,743,611	+352,047	+7.4
Trade Balance	-382,721	-413,096	+30,375	

Table 2 : Hong Kong's External Merchandise Trade Statistics from January 2022 to April 2025

(HK\$ Million)

Year	Month	Total Exports	Year-on-year % Change	Imports	Year-on-year % Change
2022	1	459,548.6	+18.4	452,901.1	+9.6
	2	313,789.9	+0.9	345,898.3	+6.2
	3	372,767.2	-8.9	410,029.4	-6.0
	4	389,003.2	+1.1	425,584.8	+2.1
	5	388,136.9	-1.4	424,811.9	+1.3
	6	380,708.1	-6.4	449,241.0	+0.5
	7	379,638.4	-8.9	407,192.8	-9.9
	8	371,869.9	-14.3	385,133.9	-16.3
	9	401,649.3	-9.1	446,569.0	-7.8
	10	374,654.6	-10.4	395,523.7	-11.9
	11	360,041.6	-24.1	387,130.3	-20.3
	12	348,084.7	-28.9	399,730.7	-23.5
2023	1	290,944.8	-36.7	316,317.9	-30.2
	2	286,203.9	-8.8	331,568.7	-4.1
	3	367,159.1	-1.5	407,753.8	-0.6
	4	338,335.0	-13.0	374,909.6	-11.9
	5	327,560.0	-15.6	353,958.9	-16.7
	6	337,350.0	-11.4	393,923.8	-12.3
	7	345,155.6	-9.1	375,143.4	-7.9
	8	358,294.2	-3.7	383,886.2	-0.3
	9	380,337.4	-5.3	444,917.4	-0.4
	10	379,896.0	+1.4	405,647.7	+2.6
	11	386,639.0	+7.4	414,556.5	+7.1
	12	386,431.8	+11.0	446,293.7	+11.6
2024	1	388,710.8	+33.6	385,068.3	+21.7
	2	284,052.0	-0.8	325,703.1	-1.8
	3	384,490.2	+4.7	429,501.7	+5.3
	4	378,739.3	+11.9	388,933.1	+3.7
	5	375,946.6	+14.8	388,090.3	+9.6
	6	373,499.7	+10.7	429,240.1	+9.0
	7	390,419.6	+13.1	412,261.6	+9.9
	8	381,264.7	+6.4	414,395.7	+7.9
	9	398,138.4	+4.7	451,342.4	+1.4
	10	393,009.0	+3.5	424,014.9	+4.5
	11	394,689.1	+2.1	438,072.2	+5.7
	12	406,673.8	+5.2	441,170.5	-1.1
2025	1	389,141.8	+0.1	387,063.8	+0.5
	2	327,909.2	+15.4	364,224.0	+11.8
	3	455,534.1	+18.5	500,891.2	+16.6
	4	434,464.3	+14.7	450,471.7	+15.8

Table 3 : Seasonally Adjusted Series of Hong Kong's External Merchandise Trade Statistics from January 2022 to April 2025

Year	Month	Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period (%)	
		Total Exports	Imports
2022	1	+11.3	+7.5
	2	+7.3	+4.2
	3	-3.3	-3.5
	4	-14.4	-12.2
	5	-14.5	-9.4
	6	-6.0	-0.3
	7	-1.4	+2.0
	8	-2.4	-3.7
	9	-6.4	-9.9
	10	-6.0	-8.9
	11	-5.2	-5.8
	12	-7.5	-6.0
2023	1	-10.7	-6.6
	2	-5.5	-2.3
	3	+1.1	+3.0
	4	+9.8	+7.1
	5	+3.0	+1.9
	6	-0.6	-0.4
	7	-4.2	-2.9
	8	+0.4	-0.2
	9	+2.5	+2.3
	10	+4.3	+4.1
	11	+3.9	+4.3
	12	+3.9	+2.3
2024	1	+4.1	+1.9
	2	+4.3	+2.5
	3	+4.2	+2.5
	4	+2.9	+1.6
	5	+1.6	-0.8
	6	+1.6	+0.1
	7	+0.9	+1.2
	8	+0.4	+3.1
	9	-1.5	+1.3
	10	-2.4	-0.3
	11	-2.3	-0.9
	12	-0.1	-0.4
2025	1	+3.1	+0.9
	2	+8.6	+3.4
	3	+12.7	+9.9
	4	+13.8	+12.6

Note : Seasonally adjusted series may be revised as more data become available. For external merchandise trade figures, the seasonally adjusted series for the preceding 3 years are revised each year when the figures for January become available. The figures shown in Table 3 have already been revised.

Table 4 : Value of Total Exports of Goods to 10 Main Destinations

Destination	Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Apr 2025 over Apr 2024 (% change)	Jan - Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Apr 2025 over Jan - Apr 2024 (% change)
Total Exports	434,464	+14.7	1,605,032	+11.9
The mainland of China	274,727	+23.0	970,652	+18.1
United States of America	27,953	+1.0	98,192	+3.1
Vietnam	15,744	+48.3	66,007	+63.7
Taiwan	14,750	+24.1	61,757	+36.3
India	10,515	+22.5	43,569	-12.9
Japan	6,305	-2.8	27,287	+0.6
United Arab Emirates	7,125	+7.8	25,302	-28.6
Thailand	6,018	-9.4	24,239	-9.6
Singapore	5,234	+1.2	21,646	+5.0
Korea	4,843	-26.7	21,002	-13.0

Table 5 : Value of Imports of Goods from 10 Main Suppliers

Supplier	Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Apr 2025 over Apr 2024 (% change)	Jan - Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Apr 2025 over Jan - Apr 2024 (% change)
Total Imports	450,472	+15.8	1,701,954	+11.4
The mainland of China	201,692	+14.8	715,302	+6.9
Taiwan	57,011	+50.6	227,895	+53.1
Singapore	35,639	+7.2	125,034	+3.8
Vietnam	24,875	+107.3	82,541	+78.9
Korea	19,719	-21.3	74,519	-23.0
Japan	18,601	+2.3	72,102	-1.5
United States of America	15,410	+13.1	67,098	-2.4
Malaysia	14,173	+6.1	63,700	+35.8
United Kingdom	7,792	+59.5	31,391	+57.9
Thailand	7,750	+14.0	27,708	-1.9

Table 6 : Value of Total Exports of 10 Principal Commodity Divisions

Commodity division	Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Apr 2025 over Apr 2024 (% change)	Jan - Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Apr 2025 over Jan - Apr 2024 (% change)
Total Exports	434,464	+14.7	1,605,032	+11.9
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof	213,119	+18.7	760,330	+11.2
Office machines and automatic data processing machines	61,765	+46.0	253,458	+72.1
Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	48,521	+8.5	171,244	-4.5
Miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares)	24,114	+0.4	78,922	+3.3
Power generating machinery and equipment	13,326	+3.8	46,515	+18.5
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus	11,964	+7.3	45,763	+0.7
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	8,676	-22.3	38,792	-26.3
Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks	7,573	-1.3	31,868	+4.5
Machinery specialized for particular industries	6,400	+34.4	22,683	+36.4
Non-ferrous metals	6,126	-18.2	20,785	-11.4

Table 7 : Value of Imports of 10 Principal Commodity Divisions

Commodity division	Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Apr 2025 over Apr 2024 (% change)	Jan - Apr 2025 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Apr 2025 over Jan - Apr 2024 (% change)
Total Imports	450,472	+15.8	1,701,954	+11.4
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof	208,467	+16.8	753,388	+12.3
Office machines and automatic data processing machines	48,542	+67.1	205,301	+84.7
Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	54,203	+29.5	180,724	+3.2
Miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares)	22,889	-8.7	103,828	-5.4
Power generating machinery and equipment	16,737	+20.4	64,002	+34.7
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus	10,732	+4.2	43,616	+4.5
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	9,077	-15.0	40,742	-22.2
Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks	8,591	+5.7	34,763	+7.1
Non-ferrous metals	9,083	+60.8	27,365	+46.7
Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	6,073	-18.2	26,241	-10.6