

Table 1: External Merchandise Trade Statistics for March 2026

(HK\$ Million)

Merchandise trade values for March 2026				
	Total Exports		618,401	
	Imports		707,484	
	Trade Balance		-89,084	
			Change	
Current month compared with same month in the preceding year	March 2026	March 2025	Value	%
Total Exports	618,401	455,534	+162,866	+35.8
Imports	707,484	500,891	+206,593	+41.2
Trade Balance	-89,084	-45,357	-43,727	
Current month compared with last month	March 2026	February 2026		
Total Exports	618,401	408,795	+209,605	+51.3
Imports	707,484	472,946	+234,539	+49.6
Trade Balance	-89,084	-64,150	-24,933	
Latest 3 months compared with same period 12 months earlier	Jan-Mar 2026	Jan-Mar 2025		
Total Exports	1,546,189	1,171,077	+375,112	+32.0
Imports	1,714,586	1,251,728	+462,859	+37.0
Trade Balance	-168,398	-80,650	-87,747	
Last 12 months compared with same period 12 months earlier	Apr 2025 to Mar 2026	Apr 2024 to Mar 2025		
Total Exports	5,615,363	4,657,325	+958,038	+20.6
Imports	6,149,691	5,034,072	+1,115,620	+22.2
Trade Balance	-534,329	-376,747	-157,582	

Table 2 : Hong Kong's External Merchandise Trade Statistics from January 2023 to March 2026

(HK\$ Million)

Year	Month	Total Exports	Year-on-year % Change	Imports	Year-on-year % Change
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
	5	434,080.8	+15.5	461,406.2	+18.9
	6	417,818.1	+11.9	476,743.6	+11.1
	7	446,297.0	+14.3	480,417.1	+16.5
	8	436,591.2	+14.5	462,005.7	+11.5
	9	462,340.8	+16.1	512,511.6	+13.6
	10	461,781.6	+17.5	501,728.4	+18.3
	11	468,868.3	+18.8	517,382.9	+18.1
	12	512,794.6	+26.1	576,048.0	+30.6
2026	1	520,564.3	+33.8	534,658.8	+38.1
	2	408,795.3	+24.7	472,945.8	+29.9
	3	618,400.5	+35.8	707,484.4	+41.2

Table 3 : Seasonally Adjusted Series of Hong Kong's External Merchandise Trade Statistics from January 2023 to March 2026

Year	Month	Change of the latest 3-month period over the preceding 3-month period (%)	
		Total Exports	Imports
2023	1	-10.3	-6.0
	2	-6.9	-3.4
	3	-1.0	+1.7
	4	+5.7	+4.1
	5	+2.7	+1.8
	6	+0.4	-0.2
	7	-1.4	-1.4
	8	+2.6	+0.9
	9	+4.6	+3.8
	10	+6.3	+5.8
	11	+5.6	+5.5
	12	+5.3	+3.7
2024	1	+4.1	+2.4
	2	+1.8	+1.4
	3	-0.1	-0.4
	4	-1.1	-1.6
	5	+0.1	-2.3
	6	+2.2	+0.1
	7	+2.8	+2.2
	8	+2.6	+4.6
	9	+0.8	+3.1
	10	-0.1	+1.6
	11	-0.7	+0.1
	12	+1.0	+0.4
2025	1	+3.1	+1.4
	2	+5.7	+2.5
	3	+8.1	+7.1
	4	+8.7	+8.5
	5	+8.2	+9.8
	6	+3.3	+3.9
	7	+1.9	+3.0
	8	-0.4	-0.2
	9	+1.6	+1.6
	10	+1.3	+0.8
	11	+3.2	+3.8
	12	+6.4	+8.2
2026	1	+9.4	+10.9
	2	+15.8	+17.7
	3	+18.4	+20.0

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	Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Mar 2026 over Mar 2025 (% change)	Jan - Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Mar 2026 over Jan - Mar 2025 (% change)
Total Exports	618,401	+35.8	1,546,189	+32.0
Chinese Mainland	393,059	+39.5	939,419	+34.9
United States of America	45,586	+80.8	103,599	+47.5
Taiwan	28,908	+50.9	73,587	+56.5
Vietnam	23,359	+29.9	63,871	+27.1
India	11,527	-0.4	32,281	-2.4
Singapore	11,547	+125.0	28,104	+71.2
United Arab Emirates	8,454	+30.2	26,470	+45.6
Thailand	10,048	+61.7	26,133	+43.4
Malaysia	8,705	+62.3	23,211	+81.1
Japan	7,915	+6.6	22,936	+9.3

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

Supplier	Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Mar 2026 over Mar 2025 (% change)	Jan - Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Mar 2026 over Jan - Mar 2025 (% change)
Total Imports	707,484	+41.2	1,714,586	+37.0
Chinese Mainland	301,659	+48.8	730,892	+42.3
Taiwan	64,582	-16.2	164,408	-3.8
Singapore	49,199	+58.6	124,858	+39.7
Vietnam	51,186	+85.7	111,524	+93.4
Korea	46,167	+112.2	110,021	+100.8
United States of America	34,056	+66.0	71,890	+39.1
Japan	27,360	+33.1	66,353	+24.0
Malaysia	28,201	+43.4	62,130	+25.5
United Kingdom	20,889	+118.5	53,851	+128.2
India	11,095	+88.1	31,506	+112.2

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

Commodity division	Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Mar 2026 over Mar 2025 (% change)	Jan - Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Mar 2026 over Jan - Mar 2025 (% change)
Total Exports	618,401	+35.8	1,546,189	+32.0
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof	308,039	+47.9	767,959	+40.2
Office machines and automatic data processing machines	93,939	+5.0	212,625	+10.9
Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	82,595	+94.7	200,932	+63.8
Miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares)	27,786	+28.4	73,385	+33.9
Power generating machinery and equipment	14,710	+35.9	45,358	+36.7
Non-ferrous metals	16,042	+175.9	39,449	+169.1
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus	12,221	-0.8	33,173	-1.9
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	14,370	-1.7	31,889	+5.9
Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks	8,324	-4.1	24,591	+1.1
Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	3,413	+1.4	11,747	+9.1

Table 7 : Value of Imports of 10 Principal Commodity Divisions

Commodity division	Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Mar 2026 over Mar 2025 (% change)	Jan - Mar 2026 (HKD Mn.)	Jan - Mar 2026 over Jan - Mar 2025 (% change)
Total Imports	707,484	+41.2	1,714,586	+37.0
Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances, and electrical parts thereof	320,983	+49.5	776,225	+42.4
Telecommunications and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	93,904	+93.0	229,760	+81.6
Office machines and automatic data processing machines	77,786	-0.7	168,053	+7.1
Miscellaneous manufactured articles (mainly jewellery, goldsmiths' and silversmiths' wares)	44,507	+34.3	106,613	+31.8
Non-ferrous metals	37,914	+403.6	80,572	+340.7
Power generating machinery and equipment	22,729	+38.1	64,521	+36.4
Non-metallic mineral manufactures	14,169	+25.1	36,080	+13.9
Professional, scientific and controlling instruments and apparatus	11,936	-3.4	32,393	-1.5
Photographic apparatus, equipment and supplies, optical goods, watches and clocks	11,370	+14.5	29,745	+13.6
Petroleum, petroleum products and related materials	12,710	+81.3	25,217	+25.0