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## LIST OF ACRONYMS

|              |                                            |
|--------------|--------------------------------------------|
| <b>CIF:</b>  | Cost, Insurance and Freight                |
| <b>EU:</b>   | European Union                             |
| <b>FOB:</b>  | Free On Board                              |
| <b>IMTS:</b> | International Merchandise Trade Statistics |
| <b>NES:</b>  | Not Elsewhere Specified                    |
| <b>SACU:</b> | Southern Africa Customs Union              |
| <b>SADC:</b> | Southern Africa Development Community      |
| <b>UAE:</b>  | United Arab Emirates                       |
| <b>UK:</b>   | United Kingdom                             |
| <b>USA:</b>  | United States of America                   |

## PREFACE

International Merchandise Trade Statistics measure the flow of goods across national borders and can be used to spot emerging markets, gauge competition, and identify export and import opportunities. As a result, it is integral to the process of globalisation by keeping track of all exchanges of goods between trading partners. The transaction reflects the value of goods that add to (Imports) or subtract from (Exports), the stock of material resources of a country. Trade statistics continue to be one of the key indicators of economic performance and global competitiveness.

The monthly International Merchandise Trade Statistics are used extensively in the compilation of national accounts and balance of payments. Furthermore, these statistics are used by government institutions and other stakeholders for trade negotiations and other various purposes.

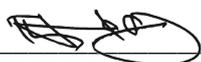
This publication outlines Botswana's monthly International Merchandise Trade Statistics (IMTS) for June 2025. The report provides summaries of international trade in goods, as shown in **Table 1.0**. **Tables 2.1** and **2.2** show trade by Principal commodity groupings for imports and exports, respectively, whereas **Table 2.3** solely shows trade in diamonds. The direction of trade appears in **Table 3.1A** (imports) and **Table 3.2A** (total exports). Major trading partner countries by commodity groups, as a percentage of trade at region or country level, for the current period are presented in **Table 3.1B** for imports and **Table 3.2B** for exports. The top traded import and export commodities excluding diamonds for the month under review are presented in **Tables 4.1 & 4.2** respectively. This is to guide users on opportunities to produce commodities for import substitution or possible exportation.

Changes in data for the corresponding months in the current versus previous digests may be attributed to data from transactions that had deferred customs duty assessments or delayed customs processes. The data for such transactions would only be available at a later stage after customs duty assessments have been completed.

International trade statistics by mode of transport are collected for the active modes of transport (road, rail, air) through which goods are presumed to enter or leave the statistical territory of the country. Such data may be used to formulate transport policy, monitor international transport routes or assess the impact of international trade on the environment.

This publication also reflects the value of Goods in Transit. Transit trade is vital in facilitating economic transformation and regional trade, while contributing to the growth of employment, incomes, tax revenues, and directly to improving the balance of payments through export of services.

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This International Merchandise Trade Statistics (IMTS) monthly digest provides a summary of trade statistics on Botswana's total imports and exports of goods for June 2025. International merchandise trade statistics records all goods which add to, or subtract from, the stock of material resources of a country by entering (as imports) or leaving (as exports) its economic territory.

In June 2025, Botswana imported goods valued at P6, 721.1 million, registering a decline of 20.9 percent from the revised May 2025 value of P8, 501.3 million. The leading import commodity groups were Fuel; Food, Beverages & Tobacco and Machinery & Electrical Equipment at 21.4 percent, 16.4 percent, 15.8 percent of the total, respectively. Chemicals & Rubber Products and Diamonds contributed 10.5 percent and 10.2 percent to total imports in that sequence.

The main source of imports was the Southern African Customs Union (**SACU**) at 71.4 percent. Asia and the European Union (**EU**) accounted for 13.7 percent and 5.6 percent of total imports, respectively. At country level, South Africa was the main supplier of imports at 66.0 percent of the total, followed by China and Namibia at 6.8 percent and 5.1 percent respectively. Mozambique contributed 3.3 percent (**Table 3.1A**).

The value of Botswana exports in June 2025 amounted to P7, 501.7 million, marking a 3.0 percent increase compared to the revised export value of P7, 286.6 million recorded in May 2025. Diamonds and Copper were the main contributors to total exports at 75.6 percent and 14.1 percent in that sequence. Machinery & Electrical Equipment contributed 3.2 percent to total exports.

Asia was the top destination for Botswana's exports, having received 61.6 percent. The **EU** and **SACU** received 17.1 percent and 11.0 percent of Botswana's exports respectively. At country level, Botswana's top export destinations were the United Arab Emirates (**UAE**), Belgium and India at 35.7 percent, 17.0 percent and 14.4 percent, of total exports respectively (**Table 3.2A**). South Africa received 9.8 percent, while Australia, and China received 6.8 percent each of Botswana's exports during the period under review.

Imports representing 75.4 percent were transported into the country by Road, whereas those imported by Rail and Air accounted for 14.7 percent and 9.9 percent of total imports, respectively. Goods exported by Air accounted for 76.4 percent of total exports, while those exported by Road and Rail represented 22.9 percent and 0.7 percent respectively (**Table B**).

Merchandise worth P15, 011.4 million transited through the country to various destinations. Goods accounting for 50.3 percent transited through Martins Drift border post. Kazungula Bridge and Mamuno border posts followed with 33.5 percent and 9.4 percent respectively (**Table C1**). The top transiting goods were Chapter 74 (Copper & articles thereof) at 45.4 percent. Chapter 84 (Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof followed at 9.2 percent of all goods on transit (**Table C2**).



# TOTAL TRADE

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## 1.0 Total Trade

Total merchandise trade refers to imports, domestic exports, re-exports and trade balance between countries or regions over a specific period. The discussions are based on June 2025, which is also referred to as the reference period, the period under review or the current month, throughout the digest.

### 1.1 Data Revision

The current monthly digest is based on preliminary figures with regard to the reference period. Revisions to the monthly trade statistics data are a standard practice necessary to allow for the incorporation of the additional and refined data that were not available at the previous release date, or when there are late customs duty assessments or processes. Revisions are made on a monthly basis when monthly data files are uploaded into the database, thereby enriching the information for previous months. In some instances, revisions are negligible, while notably significant in others.

The inclusion of additional data for the previous months, incorporated in June 2025, resulted in the upward revision to both trade flows for April and May 2025. A growth of 4.2 percent (P344.1 million) and 2.9 percent (P204.4 million) was recorded for imports and total exports for May 2025, respectively. In April 2025 imports experienced growth of 0.4 percent (P26.7 million) while total exports increased by 2.0 percent (P170.4 million). **Table A** shows revised data comparing figures from the previous digest with those of the month under review.

**Table A: Data Revision: April and May 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Period | As at May 2025 Digest<br>(P Million) |                  |                  | As at June 2025 Digest<br>(P Million) |                  |                  | Difference<br>(P million) |                  |                  | Difference<br>as % |                  |                  |
|--------|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|------------------|
|        | Imports<br>(CIF)                     | Total<br>Exports | Trade<br>Balance | Imports<br>(CIF)                      | Total<br>Exports | Trade<br>Balance | Imports<br>(CIF)          | Total<br>Exports | Trade<br>Balance | Imports<br>(CIF)   | Total<br>Exports | Trade<br>Balance |
| Apr    | 6,835.4                              | 8,735.9          | 1,900.5          | 6,862.1                               | 8,906.3          | 2,044.2          | 26.7                      | 170.4            | 143.7            | 0.4                | 2.0              | 7.6              |
| May    | 8,157.2                              | 7,082.1          | (1,075.1)        | 8,501.3                               | 7,286.6          | (1,214.7)        | 344.1                     | 204.4            | (139.7)          | 4.2                | 2.9              | 13.0             |

() Denotes negative

### 1.2 Imports

Imports are valued at Cost, Insurance & Freight (CIF), the price includes the value of goods, insurance and freight costs required for delivering the commodities to the destination, but excludes customs or any other duties paid on arrival at the border of the importing country.

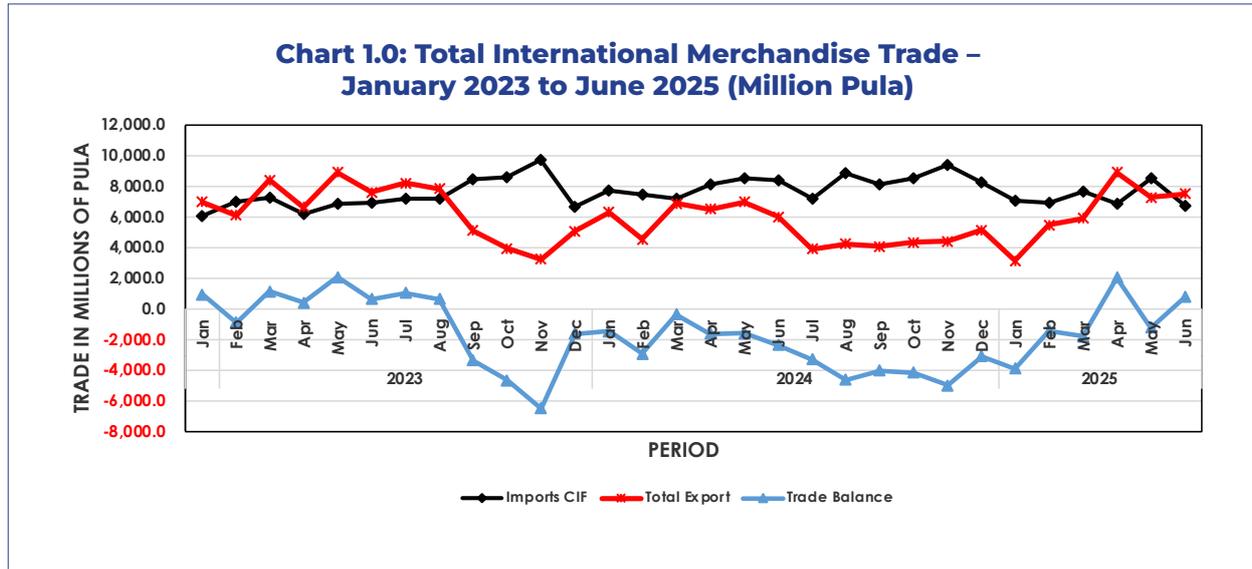
In June 2025, Botswana's total imports were valued at P6, 721.1 million, registering a decline of 20.9 percent (P1, 780.2 million) from the revised May 2025 figure of P8, 501.3 million. The decline was primarily attributed to contractions across all principal commodity groups except for furniture imports, which increased by 8.8 percent as shown on **Table 2.1**.

### 1.3 Total Exports

Botswana's export earnings rose by 3.0 percent (P215.2 million), from the revised May 2025 figure of P7, 286.6 million to P7, 501.7 million. The increase was mainly driven by Diamond exports which went up by 3.3 percent (P179.6 million), in the current month, as displayed in **Table 2.2**.

## 1.4 Trade Balance

In June 2025, Botswana recorded a trade surplus of P780.7 million, the second since the last one that was reported in April 2025, (Table 1.0). Chart 1.0 displays the graphical presentation of the trade balance from January 2023 to June 2025.



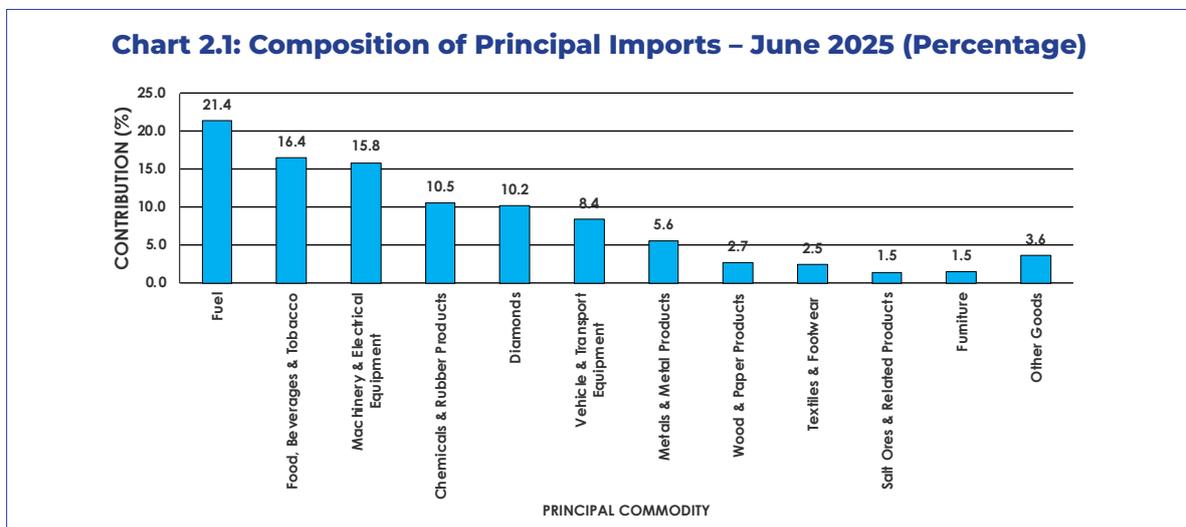
## 2.0 Trade by Principal Commodity Groups

Principal commodity groups refer to selections of related commodities grouped together to form major groups. Commodities forming a group may be of related chapters or commodities, for example 'Vehicles & Transport Equipment' combines vehicles and other equipment used for transport purposes.

In cases where it becomes a challenge to come up with further groups of related chapters or commodities, the remaining commodities are grouped together under the general category called 'Other'. This occurs when a commodity group's contribution to the total is minimal.

### 2.1 Principal Imports

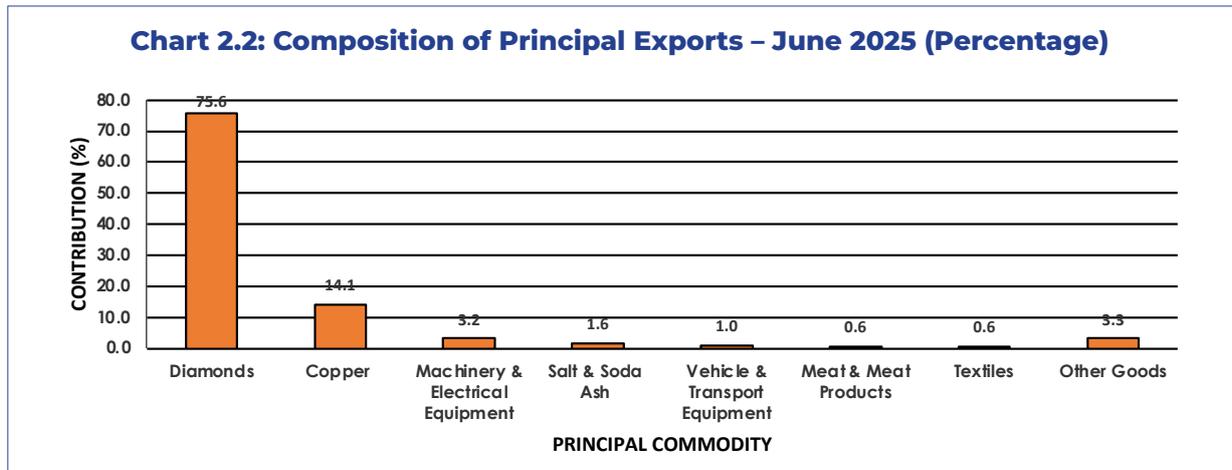
In June 2025, Botswana received imports valued at P6, 721.1 million. The leading imported commodity groups were Fuel; Food, Beverages & Tobacco and Machinery & Electrical Equipment. Fuel accounted for 21.4 percent (P1, 436.7 million) of total imports, followed by Food, Beverages & Tobacco and Machinery & Electrical Equipment at 16.4 percent (P1, 105.4 million) and 15.8 percent (P1, 064.2 million), respectively. Chemicals & Rubber Products and Diamonds contributed 10.5 percent (P706.1 million) and 10.2 percent (P683.9 million) to total imports respectively. Contributions made by other commodity groups can be viewed in Table 2.1 and Chart 2.1.



Note: 'Other Goods' here includes any other goods not displayed as in Table 2.1

## 2.2 Principal Exports

Botswana exported merchandise valued at P7, 501.7 million to the external markets in June 2025. Diamonds was the dominant export commodity group, accounting for 75.6 percent (P5, 672.3 million). Copper and Machinery & Electrical Equipment followed with contribution of 14.1 percent (P1, 061.2 million) and 3.2 percent (P240.9 million) respectively. Contributions made by other commodity groups are presented in [Table 2.2](#) and [Chart 2.2](#).



Note: 'Other Goods' here includes any other goods not displayed as in [Table 2.2](#)

## 3.0 Direction of Trade

The direction of Trade analyses the value of merchandise trade disaggregated according to a country's primary trading partners. As a result the direction of trade outlines the last known destination for exports and sources of imports. Only major trading partners are considered individually, while smaller trading partners are grouped together under a general category. Trade by major partner countries, regions and principal commodity groups for imports and exports, during June 2025 appears in [Table 3.1A](#) and [Table 3.2A](#), respectively. [Table 3.1B](#) (imports) and [Table 3.2B](#) (exports) show percentage distributions for major sources and destinations by principal commodity groups during the same month.

### 3.1 Principal Imports by Major Trading Partner Countries and Regions

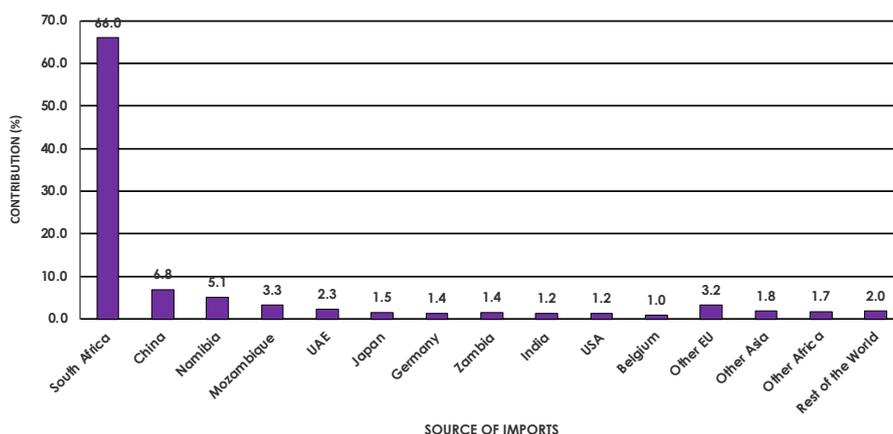
Botswana imported goods worth P6, 721.1 million, with the **SACU** region contributing largest share at 71.4 percent (P4, 800.7 million) to the total, during the period under review. Fuel; Food, Beverages & Tobacco and Chemicals & Rubber Products were the most imported commodity groups from the customs union. Fuel and Food, Beverages & Tobacco; accounted for 24.2 percent (P1, 161.9 million), and 20.5 percent (P983.0 million) in that sequence. Chemicals & Rubber Products followed with 10.6 percent (P511.2 million). Among the **SACU** member states, South Africa was the largest source at of imports, accounting for 66.0 percent (P4, 432.8 million) of the total. Namibia was the second largest source, contributing 5.1 percent (P340.1 million) of total imports. These are displayed in [Table 3.1A](#) and [Table 3.1B](#).

During the period of assessment, Botswana imported goods totalling P918.4 million from Asia, which accounted for 13.7 percent of the total imports. The main commodity groups imported were Machinery & Electrical Equipment and Diamonds with contributions of 35.1 percent (P322.4 million) and 21.2 percent (P194.3 million) of total imports respectively. Vehicles & Transport Equipment and Chemicals & Rubber Products accounted for 11.1 percent (P101.6 million) and 10.4 percent (P95.9 million) of total imports from Asia respectively. In Asia, China and **UAE** contributed highest at 6.8 percent (P458.4 million) and 2.3 percent (P154.3 million) to total imports respectively. Figures are shown in [Table 3.1A](#) and [Table 3.1B](#).

During the period under review, Botswana imported goods valued at P379.2 million from the **EU**, accounting for 5.6 percent of total imports. Machinery & Electrical Equipment and Chemicals & Rubber Products, were the key commodity groups imported from the union at 44.3 percent (P167.9 million) and 17.2 percent (P65.4 million). Diamonds followed with a contribution of 13.2 percent (P50.2 million). Within the **EU** member states, Germany and Belgium were the largest source with contributions of 1.4 percent (P94.6 million) and 1.0 percent (P67.4 million) to the total imports, respectively ([Table 3.1A](#) and [Table 3.1B](#)).

Botswana imported 3.3 percent (P222.7 million) of total imports from Mozambique, with Fuel accounting for 98.1 percent (P218.5 million). The **USA** supplied imports worth P83.3 million accounting for 1.2 percent of total imports during the month under review. The main commodity groups supplied were Machinery & Electrical Equipment, Chemicals & Rubber Products and Vehicles & Transport Equipment constituting 55.3 percent (P46.0 million), 17.5 percent (P14.6 million) and 14.7 percent (P12.3 million) of the imports from that country, respectively. Sources of imports during June 2025 can be viewed in [Table 3.1 A](#) and [Chart 3.1](#).

**Chart 3.1: Imports by Major Trading Partner Countries & Regions – June 2025**



'Rest of the World' includes all other Countries or Regions not specified as in Table 3.1A

### 3.2 Principal Exports by Major Trading Partner Countries and Regions

Botswana exported merchandise worth P7, 501.7 million in June 2025, with majority destined for Asian markets, followed by shares to Europe and the **SACU** region.

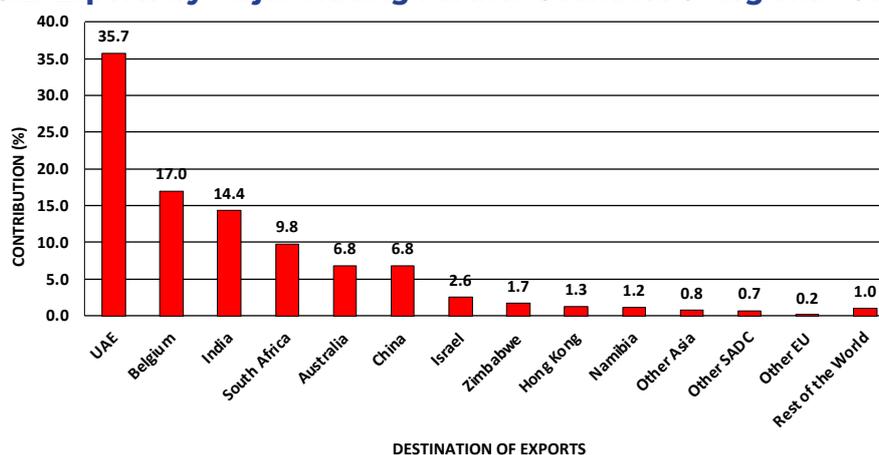
Asia was the largest export market for Botswana having received 61.6 percent (P4, 624.6 million) of total exports. Diamonds and Copper were the major commodity groups exported to Asia, at 88.5 percent (P4, 091.8 million) and 10.9 percent (P503.7 million) respectively. Top export destinations within Asia were the **UAE**, India and China at 35.7 percent (P2, 679.7 million), 14.4 percent (P1, 079.7 million) and 6.8 percent (P509.2 million) of total exports, respectively. Diamonds was the primary export commodity group to both the **UAE** and India accounting for 99.5 percent (P2, 666.8 million) and 99.3 percent (P1, 071.9 million) of exports to these countries, respectively. Copper was the main commodity group exported to China, valued at P503.7 million, representing 98.9 percent of total exports to that country, as displayed **Table 3.2A** and **Table 3.2B**

The **EU** received exports amounting to P1, 284.8 million, reflecting 17.1 percent of total exports. Diamonds was the main commodity group exported to the **EU** valued at P1, 273.5 million, representing 99.1 percent. Belgium received most of the exports destined for the union, at 17.0 percent (P1, 273.5 million) of total exports, all of which were Diamonds, as displayed in **Table 3.2A** and **Table 3.2B**

In June 2025, exports to the **SACU** region represented 11.0 percent (P828.6 million) of total exports. The primary commodities exported to the customs union were Diamonds; Machinery & Electrical Equipment and Salt & Soda Ash. These accounted for 35.0 percent (P290.1 million), 25.3 percent (P209.9 million) and 11.5 percent (P95.0 million) of total exports to the regional block respectively. South Africa was the main recipient of exports within **SACU**, at 9.8 percent (P733.7 million) of total exports, as in **Table 3.2A**.

During the month under review, Australia received exports worth P510.4 million, representing 6.8 percent of Botswana's total exports, with Copper being the main commodity accounting for 99.1 percent (P505.8 million). Contributions made by other countries are presented in **Table 3.2A** and **Table 3.2B**.

**Chart 3.2: Exports by Major Trading Partner Countries & Regions – June 2025**



'Rest of the World' includes all other Countries or Regions not specified as in Table 3.2

## 4.0 Imports and Exports by Top imported and Exported Commodities

The top traded commodities for both flows are presented in **Table 4.1** for imports and **Table 4.2** for exports for June 2025. This is intended to present the most traded goods (excluding Diamonds) with a view to guiding users on opportunities to produce commodities for import substitution, possible exportation and economic diversification.

## 5.0 Trade by Mode of Transport

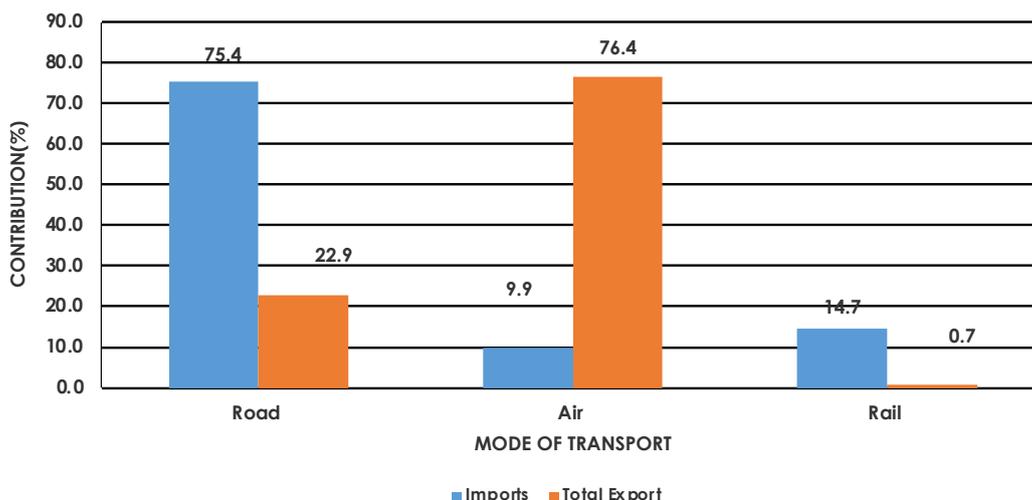
Trade by mode of transport refers to categorising trade activities based on the method of transportation used to move goods between countries or regions. This classification helps in understanding the flow of goods across borders and can provide insights into trade patterns, identifying bottlenecks and infrastructure needs and can be used as guidance in formulating transport policies. Active modes of transport mainly used in Botswana for movement of international merchandise trade are Air, Road and Rail. **Table B** presents statistics relating to modes of transport while **Chart B** gives the graphical illustration.

Imports representing 75.4 percent (P5, 069.1 million) were transported into the country by Road, whereas those imported by Rail and Air accounted for 14.7 percent (P984.7 million) and 9.9 percent (P667.2 million) of total imports respectively. During the month under review, goods valued at P5, 734.5 million, representing 76.4 percent of total exports, were exported by Air. Goods exported by Road and Rail accounted for 22.9 percent (P1, 711.9 million) and 0.7 percent (P55.4 million) of total exports, respectively.

**Table B: Trade by Mode of Transport – June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Flow Type         | Imports           |                | Total Exports     |                |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Mode of Transport | BW Pula (Million) | % Contribution | BW Pula (Million) | % Contribution |
| Road Transport    | 5,069.1           | 75.4           | 1,711.9           | 22.9           |
| Air Transport     | 667.2             | 9.9            | 5,734.5           | 76.4           |
| Rail Transport    | 984.7             | 14.7           | 55.4              | 0.7            |
| <b>Total</b>      | <b>6,721.1</b>    | <b>100.0</b>   | <b>7,501.7</b>    | <b>100.1</b>   |

**Chart B: Trade by Mode of Transport – June 2025 (Percentage)**



## 6.0 Transit Trade

Transit trade refers to the movement of goods from one country to another through a third country, without the goods being subject to customs duties and other import restrictions in the intermediary country. Essentially, it involves the transportation of goods across a country that lies between the country of origin and the final destination. Countries that serve as transit hubs often provide infrastructure and services to facilitate transit trade. These countries may benefit economically from transit trade through fees, tariffs, or other charges associated with transportation services or by stimulating economic activity related to trade and transportation.

Overall, the purpose of transit trade is to overcome geographical, logistical, and economic constraints to facilitate the movement of goods between countries or regions efficiently, cost-effectively and securely. It plays a crucial role in promoting international trade, economic development, and regional integration.

Countries involved in transit trade typically have agreements and protocols in place to govern the movement of goods through their territory without the imposition of customs duties and other trade barriers. This helps to streamline the transportation of goods and reduce logistical challenges for businesses engaged in international trade.

Transit trade is subject to compliance with specific regulations and documentation requirements to ensure the proper monitoring and control of the movement of goods. Violations or misuse of transit trade arrangements can lead to penalties and legal consequences.

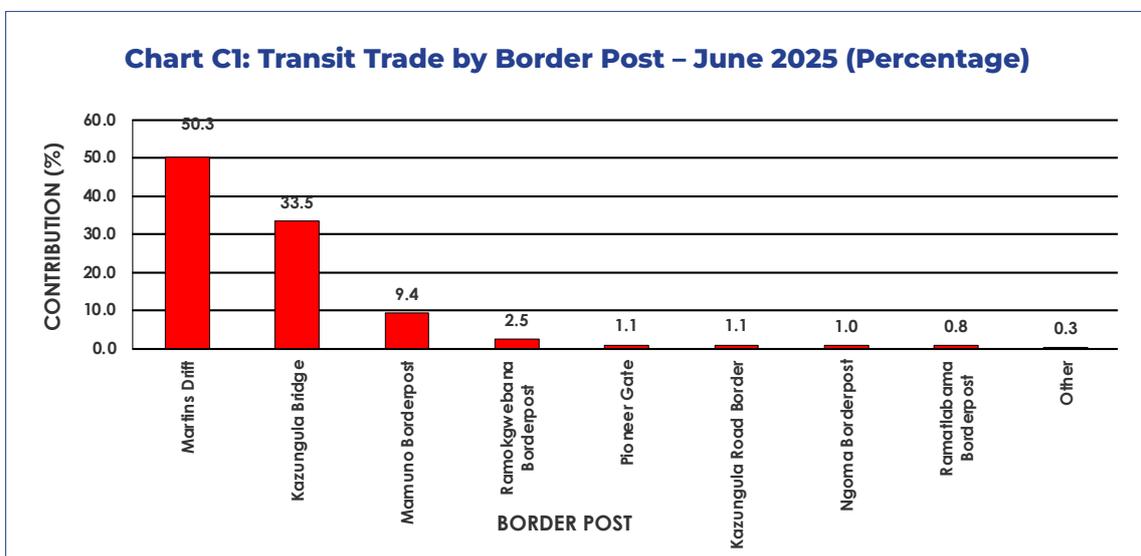
### 6.1 Transit Trade by Border Post

In June 2025, goods amounting to P15, 011.4 million transited through Botswana destined for various countries. Martins Drift, Kazungula bridge, and Mamuno border posts handled goods accounting for 50.3 percent (P7, 551.9 million), 33.5 percent (P5, 032.4 million) and 9.4 percent (P1, 415.3 million) respectively, as displayed in [Table C1](#) and [Chart C1](#).

**Table C1: Transit Trade by Border Post – June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Border Post             | BW Pula (Million) | % Contribution |
|-------------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Martins Drift           | 7,551.9           | 50.3           |
| Kazungula Bridge        | 5,032.4           | 33.5           |
| Mamuno Borderpost       | 1,415.3           | 9.4            |
| Ramokgwebana Borderpost | 380.2             | 2.5            |
| Pioneer Gate            | 161.0             | 1.1            |
| Kazungula Road Border   | 159.6             | 1.1            |
| Ngoma Borderpost        | 145.7             | 1.0            |
| Ramatlabama Borderpost  | 124.0             | 0.8            |
| Other                   | 41.3              | 0.3            |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>15,011.4</b>   | <b>100.0</b>   |

"Other Border Posts..." includes all border posts in Botswana not displayed on Table C1



"Other Border Posts..." includes all border posts in Botswana not displayed on Chart C1

## 6.2 Transit by Chapter

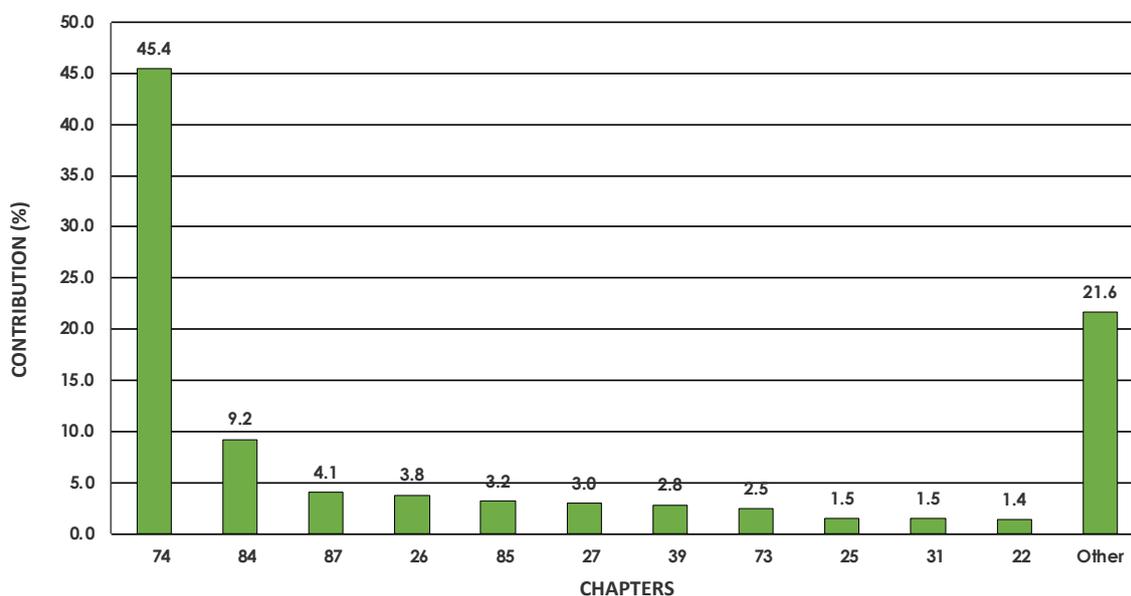
Chapter 74 (Copper and articles thereof) and chapter 84 (Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof) were the top most transiting goods, contributing 45.4 percent (P6, 819.0 million) and 9.2 percent (P1, 386.2 million) respectively as shown in [Table C2](#) and [Chart C2](#).

**Table C2: Transit Trade by Chapter – June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Rank | Chapter | Description                                                                                                                                                                         | BW Pula (Million) | %            |
|------|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1    | 74      | Copper and articles thereof                                                                                                                                                         | 6,819.0           | 45.4         |
| 2    | 84      | Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof                                                                                                       | 1,386.2           | 9.2          |
| 3    | 87      | Vehicles; other than railway or tramway rolling stock, and parts and accessories thereof                                                                                            | 611.7             | 4.1          |
| 4    | 26      | Ores, slag and ash                                                                                                                                                                  | 568.8             | 3.8          |
| 5    | 85      | Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers; television image and sound recorders and reproducers, parts and accessories of such articles | 477.7             | 3.2          |
| 6    | 27      | Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral waxes                                                                                | 444.9             | 3.0          |
| 7    | 39      | Plastics and articles thereof                                                                                                                                                       | 425.9             | 2.8          |
| 8    | 73      | Iron or steel articles                                                                                                                                                              | 373.8             | 2.5          |
| 9    | 25      | Salt; sulphur; earths, stone; plastering materials, lime and cement                                                                                                                 | 224.8             | 1.5          |
| 10   | 31      | Fertilizers                                                                                                                                                                         | 222.8             | 1.5          |
| 11   | 22      | Beverages, spirits and vinegar                                                                                                                                                      | 209.2             | 1.4          |
|      |         | <b>Other</b>                                                                                                                                                                        | 3,246.6           | 21.6         |
|      |         | <b>Total</b>                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>15,011.4</b>   | <b>100.0</b> |

“Other...” includes all chapters not displayed on Table C2

**Chart C2: Transit Trade by Chapter – June 2025 (Percentage)**



“Other...” includes all chapters not displayed on Chart C2

## 7.0 ANNEXURE

**Table 1.0: Total Merchandise Trade – January 2023 to June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Period \ HS       | Imports CIF      | Imports FOB      | Freight        | Insurance     | Domestic Exports | Re-Exports     | Total Export    | Trade Balance     |
|-------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Jan_2023          | 6,033.3          | 5,752.4          | 279.4          | 1.6           | 6,969.5          | 0.0            | 6,969.5         | 936.1             |
| Feb               | 7,004.6          | 6,709.7          | 293.2          | 1.6           | 6,097.4          | 6.1            | 6,103.4         | (901.1)           |
| Mar               | 7,272.6          | 6,954.4          | 316.3          | 1.9           | 8,423.6          | 5.7            | 8,429.3         | 1,156.7           |
| <b>Q1</b>         | <b>20,310.5</b>  | <b>19,416.6</b>  | <b>888.9</b>   | <b>5.1</b>    | <b>21,490.4</b>  | <b>11.7</b>    | <b>21,502.2</b> | <b>1,191.6</b>    |
| Apr               | 6,216.0          | 5,937.9          | 276.7          | 1.4           | 6,633.6          | 2.7            | 6,636.3         | 420.3             |
| May               | 6,842.4          | 6,529.0          | 312.3          | 1.1           | 8,923.6          | 3.4            | 8,927.0         | 2,084.6           |
| Jun               | 6,948.2          | 6,622.1          | 324.1          | 2.1           | 7,607.5          | 0.5            | 7,608.0         | 659.7             |
| <b>Q2</b>         | <b>20,006.6</b>  | <b>19,089.0</b>  | <b>913.1</b>   | <b>4.6</b>    | <b>23,164.7</b>  | <b>6.6</b>     | <b>23,171.3</b> | <b>3,164.6</b>    |
| Jul               | 7,175.2          | 6,855.3          | 318.2          | 1.7           | 8,211.5          | 0.1            | 8,211.5         | 1,036.3           |
| Aug               | 7,199.3          | 6,863.8          | 333.7          | 1.9           | 7,835.9          | 0.5            | 7,836.4         | 637.1             |
| Sep               | 8,492.6          | 8,149.0          | 342.0          | 1.6           | 5,121.6          | 0.1            | 5,121.7         | (3,371.0)         |
| <b>Q3</b>         | <b>22,867.2</b>  | <b>21,868.0</b>  | <b>994.0</b>   | <b>5.2</b>    | <b>21,169.0</b>  | <b>0.6</b>     | <b>21,169.6</b> | <b>(1,697.6)</b>  |
| Oct               | 8,601.5          | 8,245.1          | 354.8          | 1.6           | 3,954.1          | 3.7            | 3,957.8         | (4,643.7)         |
| Nov               | 9,739.6          | 9,365.9          | 370.9          | 2.8           | 3,243.0          | 0.4            | 3,243.4         | (6,496.2)         |
| Dec               | 6,690.2          | 6,392.9          | 295.3          | 2.0           | 5,067.6          | 0.8            | 5,068.4         | (1,621.8)         |
| <b>Q4</b>         | <b>25,031.3</b>  | <b>24,003.9</b>  | <b>1,021.1</b> | <b>6.3</b>    | <b>12,264.7</b>  | <b>5.0</b>     | <b>12,269.6</b> | <b>(12,761.7)</b> |
| <b>Total_2023</b> | <b>88,215.6</b>  | <b>84,377.5</b>  | <b>3,817.0</b> | <b>21.1</b>   | <b>78,088.8</b>  | <b>23.9</b>    | <b>78,112.7</b> | <b>(10,102.9)</b> |
| Jan_2024          | 7,744.6          | 7,424.4          | 317.9          | 2.2           | 6,299.8          | 0.0            | 6,299.8         | (1,444.8)         |
| Feb               | 7,497.1          | 7,163.8          | 331.5          | 1.8           | 4,557.0          | 0.2            | 4,557.2         | (2,939.8)         |
| Mar               | 7,209.0          | 6,905.3          | 301.8          | 1.9           | 6,853.8          | 14.4           | 6,868.1         | (340.8)           |
| <b>Q1</b>         | <b>22,450.6</b>  | <b>21,493.5</b>  | <b>951.2</b>   | <b>5.9</b>    | <b>17,710.6</b>  | <b>14.6</b>    | <b>17,725.2</b> | <b>(4,725.4)</b>  |
| Apr               | 8,138.0          | 7,752.6          | 382.9          | 2.5           | 6,484.5          | 14.4           | 6,498.9         | (1,639.1)         |
| May               | 8,552.8          | 8,205.4          | 345.1          | 2.3           | 6,967.9          | 0.1            | 6,967.9         | (1,584.9)         |
| Jun               | 8,391.3          | 8,051.2          | 337.0          | 3.0           | 6,018.4          | 0.4            | 6,018.8         | (2,372.5)         |
| <b>Q2</b>         | <b>25,082.1</b>  | <b>24,009.3</b>  | <b>1,065.0</b> | <b>7.8</b>    | <b>19,470.8</b>  | <b>14.8</b>    | <b>19,485.6</b> | <b>(5,596.5)</b>  |
| Jul               | 7,185.3          | 6,828.1          | 355.2          | 2.0           | 3,845.3          | 52.4           | 3,897.7         | (3,287.7)         |
| Aug               | 8,861.2          | 8,478.2          | 381.3          | 1.7           | 4,246.4          | 0.0            | 4,246.4         | (4,614.8)         |
| Sep               | 8,116.9          | 7,775.7          | 339.6          | 1.7           | 4,081.4          | 1.6            | 4,083.0         | (4,033.9)         |
| <b>Q3</b>         | <b>24,163.4</b>  | <b>23,082.0</b>  | <b>1,076.0</b> | <b>5.4</b>    | <b>12,173.0</b>  | <b>54.1</b>    | <b>12,227.1</b> | <b>(11,936.3)</b> |
| Oct               | 8,504.6          | 8,101.4          | 401.3          | 1.9           | 4,341.4          | 0.0            | 4,341.4         | (4,163.2)         |
| Nov               | 9,415.5          | 8,994.7          | 418.4          | 2.4           | 4,408.0          | 0.7            | 4,408.7         | (5,006.8)         |
| Dec               | 8,241.9          | 7,880.8          | 358.1          | 3.0           | 5,156.5          | 0.0            | 5,156.5         | (3,085.4)         |
| <b>Q4</b>         | <b>26,162.0</b>  | <b>24,976.9</b>  | <b>1,177.9</b> | <b>7.3</b>    | <b>13,905.9</b>  | <b>0.7</b>     | <b>13,906.6</b> | <b>(12,255.4)</b> |
| <b>Total_2024</b> | <b>97,858.1</b>  | <b>93,561.6</b>  | <b>4,270.1</b> | <b>26.4</b>   | <b>63,260.2</b>  | <b>84.2</b>    | <b>63,344.5</b> | <b>(34,513.7)</b> |
| Jan_2025          | 7,055.3          | 6,702.4          | 351.0          | 2.0           | 3,161.8          | 0.0            | 3,161.8         | (3,893.5)         |
| Feb               | 6,907.5          | 6,556.0          | 349.6          | 2.0           | 5,482.6          | 0.0            | 5,482.6         | (1,424.9)         |
| Mar               | 7,694.2          | 7,332.8          | 359.4          | 1.9           | 5,904.4          | 0.0            | 5,904.4         | (1,789.7)         |
| <b>Q1</b>         | <b>21,657.0</b>  | <b>20,591.2</b>  | <b>1,060.0</b> | <b>5.9</b>    | <b>14,548.8</b>  | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>14,548.9</b> | <b>(7,108.1)</b>  |
| Apr               | 6,862.1          | 6,498.6          | 359.5          | 4.0           | 8,905.0          | 1.4            | 8,906.3         | 2,044.2           |
| May               | 8,501.3          | 8,136.4          | 361.3          | 3.6           | 7,285.0          | 1.6            | 7,286.6         | (1,214.7)         |
| Jun               | 6,721.1          | 6,402.4          | 316.1          | 2.6           | 7,501.7          | 0.0            | 7,501.7         | 780.7             |
| <b>Q2</b>         | <b>22,084.5</b>  | <b>21,037.3</b>  | <b>1,037.0</b> | <b>10.2</b>   | <b>23,691.7</b>  | <b>3.0</b>     | <b>23,694.6</b> | <b>1,610.2</b>    |
| <b>Change</b>     | <b>(1,780.2)</b> | <b>(1,734.0)</b> | <b>(45.2)</b>  | <b>(1.0)</b>  | <b>216.8</b>     | <b>(1.6)</b>   | <b>215.2</b>    | <b>1,995.4</b>    |
| <b>% Change</b>   | <b>(20.9)</b>    | <b>(21.3)</b>    | <b>(12.5)</b>  | <b>(27.8)</b> | <b>3.0</b>       | <b>(100.0)</b> | <b>3.0</b>      | <b>(164.3)</b>    |

**Change:** Difference between the Current and Previous month

**Table 2.1: Principal Imports Commodity Groups – January 2023 to June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Period \ HS           | Chemicals & Rubber Products | Diamonds         | Food, Beverages & Tobacco | Fuel            | Furniture      | Machinery & Electrical Equipment | Metals & Metal Products | Salt Ores & Related Products | Textiles & Footwear | Vehicle & Transport Equipment | Wood & Paper Products | Other Goods    | Total Goods      |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Jan_2023              | 640.9                       | 988.8            | 907.0                     | 1,338.4         | 46.6           | 852.5                            | 279.7                   | 56.3                         | 133.4               | 418.9                         | 134.9                 | 235.8          | 6,033.3          |
| Feb                   | 771.5                       | 1,352.4          | 1,260.4                   | 1,288.5         | 57.3           | 894.3                            | 376.9                   | 46.6                         | 180.8               | 422.4                         | 142.9                 | 210.6          | 7,004.6          |
| Mar                   | 795.7                       | 838.1            | 1,221.3                   | 1,511.1         | 68.3           | 1,111.2                          | 394.7                   | 65.4                         | 235.4               | 566.0                         | 179.3                 | 286.1          | 7,272.6          |
| <b>Q1</b>             | <b>2,208.0</b>              | <b>3,179.2</b>   | <b>3,388.7</b>            | <b>4,138.0</b>  | <b>172.2</b>   | <b>2,858.0</b>                   | <b>1,051.4</b>          | <b>168.3</b>                 | <b>549.6</b>        | <b>1,407.3</b>                | <b>457.2</b>          | <b>732.5</b>   | <b>20,310.5</b>  |
| Apr                   | 768.6                       | 765.9            | 1,093.7                   | 1,366.8         | 55.9           | 817.1                            | 352.0                   | 63.6                         | 197.8               | 382.6                         | 140.3                 | 211.7          | 6,216.0          |
| May                   | 902.1                       | 874.4            | 1,013.1                   | 1,311.5         | 75.3           | 1,058.4                          | 391.2                   | 77.3                         | 187.3               | 550.3                         | 161.8                 | 239.8          | 6,842.4          |
| Jun                   | 904.4                       | 779.6            | 1,153.4                   | 1,321.9         | 80.3           | 1,120.5                          | 422.4                   | 100.1                        | 153.4               | 528.1                         | 176.9                 | 207.4          | 6,948.2          |
| <b>Q2</b>             | <b>2,575.1</b>              | <b>2,419.9</b>   | <b>3,260.1</b>            | <b>4,000.1</b>  | <b>211.6</b>   | <b>2,996.0</b>                   | <b>1,165.6</b>          | <b>240.9</b>                 | <b>538.5</b>        | <b>1,460.9</b>                | <b>479.1</b>          | <b>658.9</b>   | <b>20,006.6</b>  |
| Jul                   | 823.9                       | 811.5            | 1,077.2                   | 1,437.5         | 67.3           | 1,016.5                          | 418.1                   | 63.4                         | 173.9               | 873.7                         | 167.4                 | 244.8          | 7,175.2          |
| Aug                   | 916.9                       | 597.0            | 1,255.8                   | 1,486.1         | 79.8           | 1,132.9                          | 431.7                   | 74.8                         | 204.6               | 572.9                         | 183.6                 | 263.4          | 7,199.3          |
| Sep                   | 779.9                       | 1,435.5          | 1,340.1                   | 1,823.0         | 87.8           | 1,187.9                          | 449.3                   | 64.7                         | 228.9               | 625.6                         | 171.8                 | 298.3          | 8,492.6          |
| <b>Q3</b>             | <b>2,520.6</b>              | <b>2,844.0</b>   | <b>3,673.1</b>            | <b>4,746.5</b>  | <b>235.0</b>   | <b>3,337.3</b>                   | <b>1,299.1</b>          | <b>202.9</b>                 | <b>607.3</b>        | <b>2,072.1</b>                | <b>522.8</b>          | <b>806.5</b>   | <b>22,867.2</b>  |
| Oct                   | 859.4                       | 1,436.6          | 1,475.0                   | 1,798.8         | 84.7           | 1,117.8                          | 409.9                   | 61.5                         | 270.4               | 561.7                         | 186.2                 | 339.6          | 8,601.5          |
| Nov                   | 1,151.8                     | 2,276.0          | 1,436.6                   | 1,854.9         | 89.7           | 1,131.2                          | 419.3                   | 68.4                         | 277.5               | 578.3                         | 198.0                 | 257.9          | 9,739.6          |
| Dec                   | 760.4                       | 1,097.0          | 1,045.3                   | 1,404.0         | 79.6           | 859.8                            | 367.3                   | 83.0                         | 161.9               | 469.3                         | 159.2                 | 203.5          | 6,690.2          |
| <b>Q4</b>             | <b>2,771.6</b>              | <b>4,809.5</b>   | <b>3,956.8</b>            | <b>5,057.7</b>  | <b>254.0</b>   | <b>3,108.8</b>                   | <b>1,196.5</b>          | <b>212.8</b>                 | <b>709.8</b>        | <b>1,609.2</b>                | <b>543.4</b>          | <b>801.1</b>   | <b>25,031.3</b>  |
| <b>Total_2023</b>     | <b>10,075.4</b>             | <b>13,252.7</b>  | <b>14,278.7</b>           | <b>17,942.3</b> | <b>872.8</b>   | <b>12,300.0</b>                  | <b>4,712.5</b>          | <b>824.9</b>                 | <b>2,405.3</b>      | <b>6,549.6</b>                | <b>2,002.4</b>        | <b>2,998.9</b> | <b>88,215.6</b>  |
| Jan_2024              | 914.7                       | 1,826.0          | 1,107.4                   | 1,355.3         | 45.9           | 834.2                            | 324.6                   | 94.2                         | 140.2               | 765.5                         | 147.1                 | 189.4          | 7,744.6          |
| Feb                   | 879.1                       | 795.9            | 1,115.7                   | 1,622.8         | 88.8           | 1,263.3                          | 429.8                   | 76.1                         | 204.6               | 592.6                         | 177.0                 | 251.2          | 7,497.1          |
| Mar                   | 746.2                       | 1,235.7          | 1,170.3                   | 1,342.4         | 91.8           | 1,043.2                          | 370.6                   | 79.0                         | 209.3               | 510.0                         | 194.9                 | 215.5          | 7,209.0          |
| <b>Q1</b>             | <b>2,540.1</b>              | <b>3,857.5</b>   | <b>3,393.4</b>            | <b>4,320.5</b>  | <b>226.5</b>   | <b>3,140.7</b>                   | <b>1,125.0</b>          | <b>249.3</b>                 | <b>554.2</b>        | <b>1,868.2</b>                | <b>519.0</b>          | <b>656.1</b>   | <b>22,450.6</b>  |
| Apr                   | 788.5                       | 1,283.0          | 1,175.6                   | 1,361.0         | 90.0           | 1,511.9                          | 432.0                   | 83.9                         | 257.1               | 695.5                         | 187.9                 | 271.6          | 8,138.0          |
| May                   | 748.4                       | 2,030.7          | 1,285.2                   | 1,394.3         | 100.9          | 1,220.1                          | 443.7                   | 89.3                         | 231.3               | 598.5                         | 181.5                 | 228.9          | 8,552.8          |
| Jun                   | 861.6                       | 2,011.3          | 1,147.4                   | 1,291.7         | 94.0           | 1,195.0                          | 408.3                   | 88.1                         | 197.1               | 683.6                         | 190.4                 | 222.7          | 8,391.3          |
| <b>Q2</b>             | <b>2,398.5</b>              | <b>5,324.9</b>   | <b>3,608.3</b>            | <b>4,047.0</b>  | <b>284.9</b>   | <b>3,927.1</b>                   | <b>1,284.0</b>          | <b>261.3</b>                 | <b>685.6</b>        | <b>1,977.6</b>                | <b>559.7</b>          | <b>723.3</b>   | <b>25,082.1</b>  |
| Jul                   | 847.5                       | 539.4            | 1,244.0                   | 1,474.7         | 86.8           | 1,173.7                          | 405.1                   | 96.4                         | 210.6               | 647.3                         | 179.7                 | 280.1          | 7,185.3          |
| Aug                   | 888.6                       | 1,625.7          | 1,332.5                   | 1,603.2         | 98.2           | 1,194.9                          | 502.0                   | 87.2                         | 250.1               | 761.3                         | 207.2                 | 310.2          | 8,861.2          |
| Sep                   | 888.6                       | 1,583.9          | 1,226.4                   | 1,382.2         | 82.4           | 1,114.2                          | 395.6                   | 87.2                         | 244.3               | 651.4                         | 179.6                 | 281.1          | 8,116.9          |
| <b>Q3</b>             | <b>2,624.8</b>              | <b>3,749.0</b>   | <b>3,803.0</b>            | <b>4,460.1</b>  | <b>267.5</b>   | <b>3,482.8</b>                   | <b>1,302.7</b>          | <b>270.8</b>                 | <b>704.9</b>        | <b>2,060.0</b>                | <b>566.6</b>          | <b>871.5</b>   | <b>24,163.4</b>  |
| Oct                   | 863.9                       | 1,354.7          | 1,324.2                   | 1,241.3         | 147.3          | 1,377.9                          | 515.7                   | 91.5                         | 308.5               | 710.3                         | 205.6                 | 363.4          | 8,504.6          |
| Nov                   | 904.3                       | 1,960.0          | 1,479.9                   | 1,503.9         | 109.1          | 1,459.1                          | 472.3                   | 77.4                         | 256.1               | 678.5                         | 202.3                 | 312.9          | 9,415.5          |
| Dec                   | 733.5                       | 2,017.1          | 1,349.5                   | 1,234.2         | 89.5           | 1,012.8                          | 399.3                   | 91.0                         | 196.6               | 620.9                         | 191.1                 | 306.3          | 8,241.9          |
| <b>Q4</b>             | <b>2,501.7</b>              | <b>5,331.8</b>   | <b>4,153.6</b>            | <b>3,979.4</b>  | <b>346.0</b>   | <b>3,849.8</b>                   | <b>1,387.3</b>          | <b>259.9</b>                 | <b>761.1</b>        | <b>2,009.7</b>                | <b>599.0</b>          | <b>982.6</b>   | <b>26,162.0</b>  |
| <b>Total_2024</b>     | <b>10,065.2</b>             | <b>18,263.2</b>  | <b>14,958.2</b>           | <b>16,807.0</b> | <b>1,124.9</b> | <b>14,400.4</b>                  | <b>5,099.0</b>          | <b>1,041.3</b>               | <b>2,705.8</b>      | <b>7,915.4</b>                | <b>2,244.3</b>        | <b>3,233.4</b> | <b>97,858.1</b>  |
| Jan_2025              | 646.7                       | 1,046.4          | 1,113.4                   | 1,292.7         | 62.7           | 1,261.4                          | 327.0                   | 67.5                         | 167.3               | 676.8                         | 157.7                 | 235.6          | 7,055.3          |
| Feb                   | 808.3                       | 542.4            | 1,266.7                   | 1,163.2         | 85.1           | 1,166.4                          | 414.4                   | 74.9                         | 206.0               | 727.3                         | 181.8                 | 271.0          | 6,907.5          |
| Mar                   | 818.2                       | 1,091.3          | 1,232.8                   | 1,355.9         | 89.0           | 1,189.9                          | 444.7                   | 88.7                         | 235.0               | 725.9                         | 179.2                 | 243.5          | 7,694.2          |
| <b>Q1</b>             | <b>2,273.3</b>              | <b>2,680.1</b>   | <b>3,612.8</b>            | <b>3,811.9</b>  | <b>236.7</b>   | <b>3,617.6</b>                   | <b>1,186.1</b>          | <b>231.1</b>                 | <b>608.3</b>        | <b>2,130.1</b>                | <b>518.7</b>          | <b>750.1</b>   | <b>21,657.0</b>  |
| Apr                   | 669.1                       | 376.5            | 1,076.5                   | 1,809.9         | 87.5           | 979.9                            | 395.4                   | 96.2                         | 226.6               | 725.4                         | 191.7                 | 227.4          | 6,862.1          |
| May                   | 784.2                       | 1,783.9          | 1,281.2                   | 1,534.0         | 92.5           | 1,240.3                          | 449.0                   | 101.1                        | 233.1               | 583.6                         | 187.1                 | 231.2          | 8,501.3          |
| Jun                   | 706.1                       | 683.9            | 1,105.4                   | 1,436.7         | 100.7          | 1,064.2                          | 376.4                   | 97.8                         | 164.9               | 562.9                         | 179.9                 | 242.2          | 6,721.1          |
| <b>Q2</b>             | <b>2,159.4</b>              | <b>2,844.3</b>   | <b>3,463.1</b>            | <b>4,780.7</b>  | <b>280.7</b>   | <b>3,284.4</b>                   | <b>1,220.8</b>          | <b>295.0</b>                 | <b>624.6</b>        | <b>1,871.8</b>                | <b>558.8</b>          | <b>700.8</b>   | <b>22,084.5</b>  |
| <b>Change</b>         | <b>(78.1)</b>               | <b>(1,100.0)</b> | <b>(175.8)</b>            | <b>(97.4)</b>   | <b>8.1</b>     | <b>(176.1)</b>                   | <b>(72.6)</b>           | <b>(3.3)</b>                 | <b>(68.2)</b>       | <b>(20.8)</b>                 | <b>(7.2)</b>          | <b>11.0</b>    | <b>(1,780.2)</b> |
| <b>% Change</b>       | <b>(10.0)</b>               | <b>(61.7)</b>    | <b>(13.7)</b>             | <b>(6.3)</b>    | <b>8.8</b>     | <b>(14.2)</b>                    | <b>(16.2)</b>           | <b>(3.3)</b>                 | <b>(29.3)</b>       | <b>(3.6)</b>                  | <b>(3.9)</b>          | <b>4.8</b>     | <b>(20.9)</b>    |
| <b>% Contribution</b> |                             |                  |                           |                 |                |                                  |                         |                              |                     |                               |                       |                |                  |
| <b>2024</b>           | <b>10.3</b>                 | <b>18.7</b>      | <b>15.3</b>               | <b>17.2</b>     | <b>1.1</b>     | <b>14.7</b>                      | <b>5.2</b>              | <b>1.1</b>                   | <b>2.8</b>          | <b>8.1</b>                    | <b>2.3</b>            | <b>3.3</b>     | <b>100.0</b>     |
| <b>May</b>            | <b>9.2</b>                  | <b>21.0</b>      | <b>15.1</b>               | <b>18.0</b>     | <b>1.1</b>     | <b>14.6</b>                      | <b>5.3</b>              | <b>1.2</b>                   | <b>2.7</b>          | <b>6.9</b>                    | <b>2.2</b>            | <b>2.7</b>     | <b>100.0</b>     |
| <b>Jun</b>            | <b>10.5</b>                 | <b>10.2</b>      | <b>16.4</b>               | <b>21.4</b>     | <b>1.5</b>     | <b>15.8</b>                      | <b>5.6</b>              | <b>1.5</b>                   | <b>2.5</b>          | <b>8.4</b>                    | <b>2.7</b>            | <b>3.6</b>     | <b>100.0</b>     |

**Change:** Difference between the Current and Previous month

**Table 2.2 Principal Exports Commodity Groups – January 2023 to June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Period \ HS           | Coal          | Copper          | Diamonds        | Gold         | Iron & Steel Products | Live Cattle  | Machinery & Electrical Equipment | Meat & Meat Products | Plastic & Plastic Products | Salt & Soda Ash | Textiles      | Vehicle & Transport Equipment | Other Goods    | Total Goods     |
|-----------------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Jan_2023              | 68.6          | 525.0           | 5,739.7         | 16.5         | 12.0                  | 116.1        | 204.6                            | 3.2                  | 34.8                       | 106.6           | 22.8          | 24.4                          | 95.4           | 6,969.5         |
| Feb                   | 52.5          | 454.0           | 4,857.5         | 23.1         | 25.2                  | 116.7        | 297.5                            | 7.3                  | 28.5                       | 65.7            | 19.5          | 63.8                          | 92.0           | 6,103.4         |
| Mar                   | 46.7          | 467.0           | 7,253.9         | 33.5         | 18.6                  | 76.6         | 250.5                            | 12.8                 | 35.4                       | 86.4            | 22.1          | 37.8                          | 88.1           | 8,429.3         |
| <b>Q1</b>             | <b>167.8</b>  | <b>1,446.0</b>  | <b>17,851.1</b> | <b>73.1</b>  | <b>55.9</b>           | <b>309.3</b> | <b>752.5</b>                     | <b>23.4</b>          | <b>98.6</b>                | <b>258.6</b>    | <b>64.4</b>   | <b>125.9</b>                  | <b>275.5</b>   | <b>21,502.2</b> |
| Apr                   | 39.5          | 388.2           | 5,620.3         | 40.0         | 16.7                  | 64.6         | 179.7                            | 19.9                 | 25.2                       | 87.9            | 27.4          | 39.9                          | 87.1           | 6,636.3         |
| May                   | 54.4          | 544.6           | 7,535.2         | 27.8         | 26.1                  | 69.7         | 269.1                            | 23.9                 | 32.9                       | 57.5            | 45.3          | 63.7                          | 176.8          | 8,927.0         |
| Jun                   | 42.0          | 424.4           | 6,378.9         | 21.1         | 28.7                  | 69.4         | 265.1                            | 36.5                 | 33.4                       | 68.2            | 31.8          | 58.9                          | 149.5          | 7,608.0         |
| <b>Q2</b>             | <b>135.9</b>  | <b>1,357.2</b>  | <b>19,534.5</b> | <b>88.8</b>  | <b>71.5</b>           | <b>203.7</b> | <b>713.9</b>                     | <b>80.3</b>          | <b>91.6</b>                | <b>213.6</b>    | <b>104.5</b>  | <b>162.5</b>                  | <b>413.4</b>   | <b>23,171.3</b> |
| Jul                   | 34.1          | 636.0           | 6,818.8         | 17.4         | 23.5                  | 26.0         | 285.7                            | 38.1                 | 27.1                       | 117.4           | 30.9          | 32.9                          | 123.5          | 8,211.5         |
| Aug                   | 30.0          | 653.0           | 6,361.5         | 23.0         | 27.4                  | 29.6         | 344.2                            | 45.0                 | 31.5                       | 102.6           | 30.1          | 35.2                          | 123.3          | 7,836.4         |
| Sep                   | 28.2          | 733.2           | 3,623.6         | 19.0         | 27.9                  | 28.6         | 269.2                            | 38.9                 | 45.8                       | 106.6           | 31.4          | 25.8                          | 143.7          | 5,121.7         |
| <b>Q3</b>             | <b>92.2</b>   | <b>2,022.2</b>  | <b>16,803.9</b> | <b>59.4</b>  | <b>78.9</b>           | <b>84.2</b>  | <b>899.1</b>                     | <b>121.9</b>         | <b>104.4</b>               | <b>326.6</b>    | <b>92.3</b>   | <b>93.9</b>                   | <b>390.5</b>   | <b>21,169.6</b> |
| Oct                   | 23.4          | 703.8           | 2,430.4         | 21.4         | 43.9                  | 16.3         | 280.9                            | 40.4                 | 37.2                       | 100.2           | 37.1          | 91.6                          | 131.2          | 3,957.8         |
| Nov                   | 26.9          | 782.9           | 1,528.2         | 30.0         | 30.8                  | 14.9         | 312.1                            | 28.0                 | 114.1                      | 93.8            | 40.2          | 30.1                          | 211.4          | 3,243.4         |
| Dec                   | 20.5          | 646.8           | 3,755.0         | 13.7         | 25.2                  | 19.1         | 112.1                            | 17.8                 | 22.2                       | 214.3           | 37.6          | 23.4                          | 160.8          | 5,068.4         |
| <b>Q4</b>             | <b>70.8</b>   | <b>2,133.5</b>  | <b>7,713.7</b>  | <b>65.0</b>  | <b>99.9</b>           | <b>50.3</b>  | <b>705.0</b>                     | <b>86.3</b>          | <b>173.5</b>               | <b>408.2</b>    | <b>114.9</b>  | <b>145.1</b>                  | <b>503.5</b>   | <b>12,269.6</b> |
| <b>Total_2023</b>     | <b>466.7</b>  | <b>6,958.8</b>  | <b>61,903.1</b> | <b>286.3</b> | <b>306.2</b>          | <b>647.6</b> | <b>3,070.5</b>                   | <b>311.9</b>         | <b>468.1</b>               | <b>1,207.1</b>  | <b>376.1</b>  | <b>527.5</b>                  | <b>1,582.9</b> | <b>78,112.7</b> |
| Jan_2024              | 25.7          | 885.7           | 4,733.1         | 20.5         | 14.7                  | 32.2         | 214.2                            | 21.4                 | 26.0                       | 141.9           | 27.2          | 71.2                          | 85.9           | 6,299.8         |
| Feb                   | 23.1          | 674.4           | 3,184.0         | 6.1          | 23.6                  | 42.5         | 309.6                            | 16.5                 | 33.5                       | 87.9            | 28.3          | 28.8                          | 99.1           | 4,557.2         |
| Mar                   | 26.0          | 775.0           | 5,335.4         | 3.4          | 33.3                  | 50.0         | 241.3                            | 38.4                 | 39.7                       | 131.7           | 28.3          | 24.7                          | 140.9          | 6,868.1         |
| <b>Q1</b>             | <b>74.8</b>   | <b>2,335.0</b>  | <b>13,252.6</b> | <b>30.0</b>  | <b>71.6</b>           | <b>124.7</b> | <b>765.1</b>                     | <b>76.3</b>          | <b>99.2</b>                | <b>361.5</b>    | <b>83.7</b>   | <b>124.7</b>                  | <b>325.9</b>   | <b>17,725.2</b> |
| Apr                   | 26.9          | 686.0           | 5,053.7         | 0.4          | 23.2                  | 42.8         | 279.0                            | 34.4                 | 37.8                       | 119.6           | 50.6          | 40.8                          | 103.5          | 6,498.9         |
| May                   | 51.1          | 1,025.7         | 5,140.9         | 0.0          | 33.5                  | 48.1         | 249.1                            | 59.6                 | 43.7                       | 108.2           | 55.8          | 21.8                          | 130.3          | 6,967.9         |
| Jun                   | 40.1          | 985.0           | 4,139.8         | 0.0          | 38.9                  | 48.1         | 264.9                            | 34.3                 | 39.3                       | 97.3            | 49.9          | 118.0                         | 163.1          | 6,018.8         |
| <b>Q2</b>             | <b>118.1</b>  | <b>2,696.7</b>  | <b>14,334.5</b> | <b>0.4</b>   | <b>95.7</b>           | <b>139.0</b> | <b>793.0</b>                     | <b>128.3</b>         | <b>120.8</b>               | <b>325.2</b>    | <b>156.4</b>  | <b>180.5</b>                  | <b>396.9</b>   | <b>19,485.6</b> |
| Jul                   | 44.6          | 869.9           | 2,176.1         | 0.0          | 38.0                  | 54.9         | 244.5                            | 33.6                 | 107.2                      | 99.9            | 33.7          | 72.8                          | 122.6          | 3,897.7         |
| Aug                   | 37.8          | 904.3           | 2,595.7         | 0.0          | 32.2                  | 47.2         | 208.0                            | 31.2                 | 56.0                       | 97.2            | 36.4          | 45.7                          | 154.8          | 4,246.4         |
| Sep                   | 34.6          | 852.8           | 2,545.2         | 0.0          | 37.7                  | 39.3         | 233.3                            | 39.8                 | 35.9                       | 103.9           | 33.2          | 24.1                          | 103.3          | 4,083.0         |
| <b>Q3</b>             | <b>117.0</b>  | <b>2,627.0</b>  | <b>7,317.1</b>  | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>107.8</b>          | <b>141.4</b> | <b>685.8</b>                     | <b>104.5</b>         | <b>199.0</b>               | <b>300.9</b>    | <b>103.2</b>  | <b>142.6</b>                  | <b>380.7</b>   | <b>12,227.1</b> |
| Oct                   | 40.7          | 823.0           | 2,705.4         | 0.0          | 51.0                  | 27.1         | 273.9                            | 48.9                 | 45.0                       | 107.4           | 30.6          | 46.3                          | 142.1          | 4,341.4         |
| Nov                   | 47.0          | 798.9           | 2,621.2         | 0.0          | 104.7                 | 28.5         | 268.6                            | 38.5                 | 147.2                      | 121.7           | 39.2          | 43.3                          | 149.9          | 4,408.7         |
| Dec                   | 30.5          | 783.7           | 3,724.9         | 0.0          | 55.5                  | 62.2         | 142.2                            | 7.0                  | 33.9                       | 120.0           | 40.0          | 43.7                          | 112.9          | 5,156.5         |
| <b>Q4</b>             | <b>118.2</b>  | <b>2,405.6</b>  | <b>9,051.5</b>  | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>211.2</b>          | <b>117.8</b> | <b>684.7</b>                     | <b>94.4</b>          | <b>226.1</b>               | <b>349.1</b>    | <b>109.8</b>  | <b>133.3</b>                  | <b>404.9</b>   | <b>13,906.6</b> |
| <b>Total_2024</b>     | <b>428.2</b>  | <b>10,064.3</b> | <b>43,955.5</b> | <b>30.5</b>  | <b>486.3</b>          | <b>522.9</b> | <b>2,928.6</b>                   | <b>403.6</b>         | <b>645.2</b>               | <b>1,336.7</b>  | <b>453.1</b>  | <b>581.1</b>                  | <b>1,508.4</b> | <b>63,344.5</b> |
| Jan_2025              | 31.7          | 995.1           | 1,531.4         | 0.0          | 27.4                  | 4.4          | 210.7                            | 5.8                  | 31.4                       | 146.5           | 34.5          | 54.0                          | 88.8           | 3,161.8         |
| Feb                   | 31.3          | 907.9           | 3,903.8         | 0.0          | 31.4                  | 14.3         | 247.4                            | 5.9                  | 32.7                       | 90.5            | 29.6          | 44.5                          | 143.4          | 5,482.6         |
| Mar                   | 42.2          | 995.5           | 4,177.2         | 0.0          | 35.0                  | 23.2         | 266.5                            | 17.3                 | 40.7                       | 88.2            | 30.2          | 71.8                          | 116.7          | 5,904.4         |
| <b>Q1</b>             | <b>105.2</b>  | <b>2,898.5</b>  | <b>9,612.4</b>  | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>93.8</b>           | <b>41.9</b>  | <b>724.6</b>                     | <b>29.0</b>          | <b>104.9</b>               | <b>325.2</b>    | <b>94.4</b>   | <b>170.2</b>                  | <b>348.9</b>   | <b>14,548.9</b> |
| Apr                   | 34.6          | 865.1           | 7,316.6         | 0.0          | 29.3                  | 30.6         | 232.1                            | 27.0                 | 30.5                       | 93.6            | 44.7          | 81.2                          | 121.1          | 8,906.3         |
| May                   | 25.8          | 1,056.7         | 5,492.7         | 0.0          | 30.2                  | 0.0          | 250.2                            | 10.0                 | 37.0                       | 94.7            | 59.6          | 54.3                          | 175.3          | 7,286.6         |
| Jun                   | 21.3          | 1,061.2         | 5,672.3         | 0.0          | 32.0                  | 0.0          | 240.9                            | 42.5                 | 36.8                       | 120.4           | 42.5          | 75.4                          | 156.5          | 7,501.7         |
| <b>Q2</b>             | <b>81.7</b>   | <b>2,983.0</b>  | <b>18,481.6</b> | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>91.5</b>           | <b>30.6</b>  | <b>723.2</b>                     | <b>79.5</b>          | <b>104.2</b>               | <b>308.7</b>    | <b>146.8</b>  | <b>211.0</b>                  | <b>452.8</b>   | <b>23,694.6</b> |
| <b>Change</b>         | <b>(4.5)</b>  | <b>4.5</b>      | <b>179.6</b>    | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>1.8</b>            | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>(9.4)</b>                     | <b>32.5</b>          | <b>(0.1)</b>               | <b>25.6</b>     | <b>(17.1)</b> | <b>21.1</b>                   | <b>(18.8)</b>  | <b>215.2</b>    |
| <b>% Change</b>       | <b>(17.4)</b> | <b>0.4</b>      | <b>3.3</b>      | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>5.9</b>            | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>(3.7)</b>                     | <b>326.4</b>         | <b>(0.4)</b>               | <b>27.1</b>     | <b>(28.7)</b> | <b>38.8</b>                   | <b>(10.7)</b>  | <b>3.0</b>      |
| <b>% Contribution</b> |               |                 |                 |              |                       |              |                                  |                      |                            |                 |               |                               |                |                 |
| <b>2024</b>           | <b>0.7</b>    | <b>15.9</b>     | <b>69.4</b>     | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>0.8</b>            | <b>0.8</b>   | <b>4.6</b>                       | <b>0.6</b>           | <b>1.0</b>                 | <b>2.1</b>      | <b>0.7</b>    | <b>0.9</b>                    | <b>2.4</b>     | <b>100.0</b>    |
| <b>May</b>            | <b>0.4</b>    | <b>14.5</b>     | <b>75.4</b>     | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>0.4</b>            | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>3.4</b>                       | <b>0.1</b>           | <b>0.5</b>                 | <b>1.3</b>      | <b>0.8</b>    | <b>0.7</b>                    | <b>2.4</b>     | <b>100.0</b>    |
| <b>June</b>           | <b>0.3</b>    | <b>14.1</b>     | <b>75.6</b>     | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>0.4</b>            | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>3.2</b>                       | <b>0.6</b>           | <b>0.5</b>                 | <b>1.6</b>      | <b>0.6</b>    | <b>1.0</b>                    | <b>2.1</b>     | <b>100.0</b>    |

**Change:** Difference between the Current and Previous month

**Table 2.3: Diamonds Trade – January 2023 to June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Flow Type         | Imports        |            |            |                 |                |                 | Total Exports |              |            |                 |                 |                 |
|-------------------|----------------|------------|------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
|                   | 71021000       | 71022100   | 71022900   | 71023100        | 71023900       | Total           | 71021000      | 71022100     | 71022900   | 71023100        | 71023900        | Total           |
| Jan_2023          | 320.2          | 0.5        | 0.0        | 135.3           | 532.9          | 988.8           | 0.0           | 34.7         | 0.0        | 4,813.4         | 891.5           | 5,739.7         |
| Feb               | 925.2          | 0.1        | 0.0        | 117.3           | 309.8          | 1,352.4         | 0.0           | 32.2         | 0.0        | 3,520.2         | 1,305.1         | 4,857.5         |
| Mar               | 426.4          | 0.2        | 0.0        | 94.5            | 317.0          | 838.1           | 0.0           | 33.3         | 0.0        | 5,509.2         | 1,711.3         | 7,253.9         |
| <b>Q1</b>         | <b>1,671.7</b> | <b>0.8</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>347.1</b>    | <b>1,159.6</b> | <b>3,179.2</b>  | <b>0.0</b>    | <b>100.2</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>13,842.9</b> | <b>3,907.9</b>  | <b>17,851.1</b> |
| Apr               | 0.0            | 0.0        | 0.0        | 561.2           | 204.7          | 765.9           | 0.0           | 47.5         | 0.0        | 4,323.2         | 1,249.6         | 5,620.3         |
| May               | 237.7          | 0.8        | 0.0        | 201.0           | 434.8          | 874.4           | 0.0           | 27.8         | 0.0        | 5,958.6         | 1,548.8         | 7,535.2         |
| Jun               | 26.8           | 0.2        | 0.0        | 431.8           | 320.9          | 779.6           | 342.2         | 45.2         | 0.0        | 4,662.6         | 1,329.0         | 6,378.9         |
| <b>Q2</b>         | <b>264.5</b>   | <b>1.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>1,194.0</b>  | <b>960.4</b>   | <b>2,419.9</b>  | <b>342.2</b>  | <b>120.5</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>14,944.4</b> | <b>4,127.4</b>  | <b>19,534.5</b> |
| Jul               | 383.7          | 0.0        | 0.0        | 62.7            | 365.1          | 811.5           | 31.0          | 33.2         | 0.0        | 4,981.9         | 1,772.6         | 6,818.8         |
| Aug               | 272.7          | 0.1        | 0.0        | 77.0            | 247.3          | 597.0           | 0.0           | 101.3        | 0.0        | 4,552.5         | 1,707.7         | 6,361.5         |
| Sep               | 0.0            | 0.3        | 0.0        | 1,077.3         | 357.9          | 1,435.5         | 0.0           | 0.9          | 0.0        | 2,455.8         | 1,166.9         | 3,623.6         |
| <b>Q3</b>         | <b>656.4</b>   | <b>0.4</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>1,216.9</b>  | <b>970.4</b>   | <b>2,844.0</b>  | <b>31.0</b>   | <b>135.5</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>11,990.2</b> | <b>4,647.3</b>  | <b>16,803.9</b> |
| Oct               | 581.2          | 0.0        | 0.0        | 459.6           | 395.8          | 1,436.6         | 0.0           | 1.7          | 0.0        | 599.3           | 1,829.5         | 2,430.4         |
| Nov               | 0.3            | 0.0        | 0.1        | 1,687.4         | 588.2          | 2,276.0         | 0.0           | 57.2         | 0.0        | 329.2           | 1,141.8         | 1,528.2         |
| Dec               | 260.5          | 1.0        | 0.0        | 545.3           | 290.2          | 1,097.0         | 0.0           | 1.0          | 0.0        | 2,941.1         | 812.9           | 3,755.0         |
| <b>Q4</b>         | <b>842.0</b>   | <b>1.0</b> | <b>0.1</b> | <b>2,692.3</b>  | <b>1,274.2</b> | <b>4,809.5</b>  | <b>0.0</b>    | <b>59.9</b>  | <b>0.0</b> | <b>3,869.6</b>  | <b>3,784.2</b>  | <b>7,713.7</b>  |
| <b>Total_2023</b> | <b>3,434.7</b> | <b>3.1</b> | <b>0.1</b> | <b>5,450.3</b>  | <b>4,364.6</b> | <b>13,252.7</b> | <b>373.2</b>  | <b>416.1</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>44,647.1</b> | <b>16,466.7</b> | <b>61,903.1</b> |
| Jan_2024          | 373.2          | 0.0        | 0.0        | 1,268.5         | 184.3          | 1,826.0         | 0.0           | 19.4         | 0.0        | 4,335.9         | 377.9           | 4,733.1         |
| Feb               | 283.8          | 0.2        | 0.0        | 357.6           | 154.4          | 795.9           | 0.0           | 38.6         | 0.0        | 2,824.1         | 321.3           | 3,184.0         |
| Mar               | 370.1          | 0.0        | 0.0        | 807.7           | 57.8           | 1,235.7         | 0.0           | 9.4          | 0.0        | 4,488.8         | 837.2           | 5,335.4         |
| <b>Q1</b>         | <b>1,027.1</b> | <b>0.2</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>2,433.8</b>  | <b>396.5</b>   | <b>3,857.5</b>  | <b>0.0</b>    | <b>67.4</b>  | <b>0.0</b> | <b>11,648.8</b> | <b>1,536.4</b>  | <b>13,252.6</b> |
| Apr               | 226.5          | 0.4        | 0.0        | 721.0           | 335.2          | 1,283.0         | 0.0           | 14.1         | 0.0        | 4,133.9         | 905.7           | 5,053.7         |
| May               | 252.7          | 0.0        | 0.0        | 1,607.0         | 171.0          | 2,030.7         | 0.0           | 19.7         | 0.0        | 4,164.9         | 956.3           | 5,140.9         |
| Jun               | 2.1            | 0.2        | 0.0        | 1,658.7         | 350.3          | 2,011.3         | 12.7          | 71.7         | 0.0        | 3,366.3         | 689.0           | 4,139.8         |
| <b>Q2</b>         | <b>481.2</b>   | <b>0.6</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>3,986.7</b>  | <b>856.5</b>   | <b>5,324.9</b>  | <b>12.7</b>   | <b>105.6</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>11,665.2</b> | <b>2,551.0</b>  | <b>14,334.5</b> |
| Jul               | 304.5          | 0.4        | 0.0        | 66.6            | 167.9          | 539.4           | 0.0           | 0.0          | 0.0        | 1,515.6         | 660.5           | 2,176.1         |
| Aug               | 251.8          | 4.1        | 0.0        | 1,279.5         | 90.3           | 1,625.7         | 0.0           | 11.3         | 0.0        | 1,583.2         | 1,001.2         | 2,595.7         |
| Sep               | 238.1          | 0.0        | 0.0        | 1,122.5         | 223.2          | 1,583.9         | 0.0           | 10.5         | 0.0        | 1,858.5         | 676.2           | 2,545.2         |
| <b>Q3</b>         | <b>794.4</b>   | <b>4.4</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>2,468.6</b>  | <b>481.4</b>   | <b>3,749.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>    | <b>21.9</b>  | <b>0.0</b> | <b>4,957.3</b>  | <b>2,337.9</b>  | <b>7,317.1</b>  |
| Oct               | 196.6          | 0.1        | 0.0        | 783.3           | 374.7          | 1,354.7         | 0.0           | 9.9          | 0.0        | 2,165.7         | 529.8           | 2,705.4         |
| Nov               | 0.0            | 0.2        | 0.0        | 1,665.7         | 294.1          | 1,960.0         | 0.0           | 2.6          | 0.0        | 1,769.9         | 848.7           | 2,621.2         |
| Dec               | 174.0          | 0.2        | 0.0        | 1,610.3         | 232.6          | 2,017.1         | 0.0           | 0.3          | 0.0        | 3,138.7         | 585.9           | 3,724.9         |
| <b>Q4</b>         | <b>370.6</b>   | <b>0.5</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>4,059.2</b>  | <b>901.4</b>   | <b>5,331.8</b>  | <b>0.0</b>    | <b>12.8</b>  | <b>0.0</b> | <b>7,074.3</b>  | <b>1,964.4</b>  | <b>9,051.5</b>  |
| <b>Total_2024</b> | <b>2,673.3</b> | <b>5.7</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>12,948.4</b> | <b>2,635.8</b> | <b>18,263.2</b> | <b>12.7</b>   | <b>207.7</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>35,345.5</b> | <b>8,389.7</b>  | <b>43,955.5</b> |
| Jan_2025          | 128.1          | 0.1        | 0.0        | 604.1           | 314.1          | 1,046.4         | 0.0           | 1.5          | 0.0        | 976.9           | 553.0           | 1,531.4         |
| Feb               | 131.0          | 0.4        | 0.0        | 275.4           | 135.7          | 542.4           | 0.0           | 2.1          | 0.0        | 3,201.4         | 700.3           | 3,903.8         |
| Mar               | 0.0            | 0.2        | 0.0        | 948.2           | 142.9          | 1,091.3         | 0.2           | 78.6         | 0.0        | 3,492.5         | 605.9           | 4,177.2         |
| <b>Q1</b>         | <b>259.1</b>   | <b>0.6</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>1,827.7</b>  | <b>592.6</b>   | <b>2,680.1</b>  | <b>0.2</b>    | <b>82.2</b>  | <b>0.0</b> | <b>7,670.8</b>  | <b>1,859.3</b>  | <b>9,612.4</b>  |
| Apr               | 208.8          | 0.0        | 0.0        | 57.1            | 110.6          | 376.5           | 0.0           | 9.8          | 0.0        | 6,654.8         | 652.0           | 7,316.6         |
| May               | 145.7          | 0.3        | 0.0        | 1,396.1         | 241.8          | 1,783.9         | 0.3           | 25.7         | 0.0        | 4,642.4         | 824.2           | 5,492.7         |
| Jun               | 0.0            | 0.3        | 0.0        | 571.9           | 111.7          | 683.9           | 118.1         | 17.3         | 0.0        | 4,864.3         | 672.6           | 5,672.3         |
| <b>Q2</b>         | <b>354.5</b>   | <b>0.6</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>2,025.1</b>  | <b>464.1</b>   | <b>2,844.3</b>  | <b>118.4</b>  | <b>52.8</b>  | <b>0.0</b> | <b>16,161.6</b> | <b>2,148.8</b>  | <b>18,481.6</b> |

**Note:** 71022100: Industrial Diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruited; 71022900: Industrial Diamonds, not mounted or set, NES; 71023100: Non- industrial diamonds unworked or simply sawn, cleaved or bruited; 71023900: Non-industrial diamonds, not mounted or set NES; 71021000: Unsorted diamonds; HS: Harmonised System Code; NES: Not Elsewhere Specified.

**Table 3.1A: Principal Imports by Country, Region and Commodity Groups - June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Partner \ HS             | Chemicals & Rubber Products | Diamonds     | Food, Beverages & Tobacco | Fuel           | Furniture    | Machinery & Electrical Equipment | Metals & Metal Products | Salt Ores & Related Products | Textiles & Footwear | Vehicle & Transport Equipment | Wood & Paper Products | Other Goods  | Total Goods    | % Contribution |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|
| South Africa             | 498.7                       | 403.4        | 960.2                     | 873.9          | 78.5         | 442.9                            | 288.2                   | 79.2                         | 113.8               | 397.0                         | 159.9                 | 137.0        | 4,432.8        | 66.0           |
| Namibia                  | 0.4                         | 0.0          | 15.3                      | 288.0          | 0.2          | 13.0                             | 1.5                     | 18.4                         | 0.0                 | 1.8                           | 0.9                   | 0.5          | 340.1          | 5.1            |
| Eswatini                 | 12.1                        | 0.0          | 7.5                       | 0.0            | 0.0          | 0.1                              | 0.0                     | 0.0                          | 0.0                 | 0.0                           | 4.4                   | 0.0          | 24.1           | 0.4            |
| Lesotho                  | 0.0                         | 0.0          | 0.0                       | 0.0            | 0.0          | 0.0                              | 0.0                     | 0.0                          | 3.6                 | 0.0                           | 0.0                   | 0.0          | 3.6            | 0.1            |
| <b>SACU</b>              | <b>511.2</b>                | <b>403.4</b> | <b>983.0</b>              | <b>1,161.9</b> | <b>78.6</b>  | <b>456.0</b>                     | <b>289.6</b>            | <b>97.6</b>                  | <b>117.5</b>        | <b>398.9</b>                  | <b>165.2</b>          | <b>137.6</b> | <b>4,800.7</b> | <b>71.4</b>    |
| Mozambique               | 0.0                         | 0.0          | 0.1                       | 218.5          | 0.0          | 0.0                              | 4.0                     | 0.0                          | 0.0                 | 0.0                           | 0.0                   | 0.0          | 222.7          | 3.3            |
| Zambia                   | 0.3                         | 0.0          | 14.7                      | 47.0           | 0.0          | 2.9                              | 27.0                    | 0.0                          | 0.8                 | 0.1                           | 0.1                   | 4.3          | 97.2           | 1.4            |
| <b>Other SADC</b>        | <b>4.0</b>                  | <b>18.5</b>  | <b>39.1</b>               | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>1.0</b>                       | <b>1.9</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>1.9</b>          | <b>0.8</b>                    | <b>2.4</b>            | <b>4.2</b>   | <b>73.7</b>    | <b>1.1</b>     |
| <b>SADC</b>              | <b>515.5</b>                | <b>421.9</b> | <b>1,036.9</b>            | <b>1,427.5</b> | <b>78.6</b>  | <b>459.9</b>                     | <b>322.5</b>            | <b>97.6</b>                  | <b>120.2</b>        | <b>398.8</b>                  | <b>167.7</b>          | <b>146.0</b> | <b>5,194.2</b> | <b>77.3</b>    |
| <b>Other Africa</b>      | <b>2.1</b>                  | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>0.2</b>                | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>9.0</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>0.2</b>          | <b>0.6</b>                    | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>0.5</b>   | <b>12.6</b>    | <b>0.2</b>     |
| <b>Africa</b>            | <b>517.7</b>                | <b>421.9</b> | <b>1,037.1</b>            | <b>1,427.5</b> | <b>78.7</b>  | <b>468.9</b>                     | <b>322.5</b>            | <b>97.6</b>                  | <b>120.3</b>        | <b>400.4</b>                  | <b>167.7</b>          | <b>146.5</b> | <b>5,206.8</b> | <b>77.5</b>    |
| China                    | 49.8                        | 0.0          | 1.3                       | 0.0            | 17.7         | 255.5                            | 38.2                    | 0.0                          | 25.1                | 20.8                          | 6.3                   | 43.8         | 458.4          | 6.8            |
| UAE                      | 0.1                         | 133.1        | 0.0                       | 0.9            | 0.0          | 18.2                             | 0.0                     | 0.0                          | 0.7                 | 0.4                           | 0.0                   | 0.9          | 154.3          | 2.3            |
| Japan                    | 18.6                        | 0.0          | 0.2                       | 0.3            | 0.1          | 6.0                              | 0.3                     | 0.0                          | 1.9                 | 64.5                          | 0.0                   | 5.7          | 97.6           | 1.5            |
| India                    | 21.9                        | 21.9         | 8.9                       | 0.0            | 1.7          | 9.6                              | 2.5                     | 0.1                          | 4.8                 | 8.2                           | 0.6                   | 3.7          | 83.8           | 1.2            |
| <b>Other Asia</b>        | <b>5.4</b>                  | <b>39.3</b>  | <b>23.5</b>               | <b>4.6</b>     | <b>1.4</b>   | <b>33.2</b>                      | <b>1.2</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>3.1</b>          | <b>7.8</b>                    | <b>0.4</b>            | <b>4.3</b>   | <b>124.3</b>   | <b>1.8</b>     |
| <b>Asia</b>              | <b>95.9</b>                 | <b>194.3</b> | <b>33.9</b>               | <b>5.7</b>     | <b>20.9</b>  | <b>322.4</b>                     | <b>42.2</b>             | <b>0.1</b>                   | <b>35.6</b>         | <b>101.6</b>                  | <b>7.3</b>            | <b>58.4</b>  | <b>918.4</b>   | <b>13.7</b>    |
| Germany                  | 28.8                        | 0.0          | 2.0                       | 0.2            | 0.4          | 31.3                             | 1.3                     | 0.0                          | 7.1                 | 16.2                          | 2.2                   | 5.1          | 94.6           | 1.4            |
| Belgium                  | 7.4                         | 50.1         | 3.1                       | 0.1            | 0.0          | 5.6                              | 0.1                     | 0.0                          | 0.3                 | 0.1                           | 0.0                   | 0.6          | 67.4           | 1.0            |
| <b>Other EU</b>          | <b>29.1</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>   | <b>13.2</b>               | <b>3.0</b>     | <b>0.3</b>   | <b>130.9</b>                     | <b>5.1</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>0.4</b>          | <b>19.1</b>                   | <b>0.5</b>            | <b>15.5</b>  | <b>217.2</b>   | <b>3.2</b>     |
| <b>EU</b>                | <b>65.4</b>                 | <b>50.2</b>  | <b>18.3</b>               | <b>3.3</b>     | <b>0.6</b>   | <b>167.9</b>                     | <b>6.5</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>7.8</b>          | <b>35.4</b>                   | <b>2.7</b>            | <b>21.2</b>  | <b>379.2</b>   | <b>5.6</b>     |
| USA                      | 14.6                        | 0.3          | 1.2                       | 0.1            | 0.1          | 46.0                             | 1.3                     | 0.0                          | 0.3                 | 12.3                          | 0.3                   | 6.7          | 83.3           | 1.2            |
| <b>Rest of the World</b> | <b>12.6</b>                 | <b>17.3</b>  | <b>15.0</b>               | <b>0.1</b>     | <b>0.3</b>   | <b>59.0</b>                      | <b>3.9</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>0.9</b>          | <b>13.2</b>                   | <b>1.9</b>            | <b>9.4</b>   | <b>133.4</b>   | <b>2.0</b>     |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>706.1</b>                | <b>683.9</b> | <b>1,105.4</b>            | <b>1,436.7</b> | <b>100.7</b> | <b>1,064.2</b>                   | <b>376.4</b>            | <b>97.8</b>                  | <b>164.9</b>        | <b>562.9</b>                  | <b>179.9</b>          | <b>242.2</b> | <b>6,721.1</b> | <b>100.0</b>   |

**Table 3.1B: Principal Imports Commodity Groups as a Percentage of Total Imports at Country and Regional Level – June 2025**

| Partner \ HS             | Chemicals & Rubber Products | Diamonds    | Food, Beverages & Tobacco | Fuel        | Furniture  | Machinery & Electrical Equipment | Metals & Metal Products | Salt Ores & Related Products | Textiles & Footwear | Vehicle & Transport Equipment | Wood & Paper Products | Other Goods | Total Goods  |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|-------------|------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------|
| South Africa             | 11.3                        | 9.1         | 21.7                      | 19.7        | 1.8        | 10.0                             | 6.5                     | 1.8                          | 2.6                 | 9.0                           | 3.6                   | 3.1         | 100.0        |
| Namibia                  | 0.1                         | 0.0         | 4.5                       | 84.7        | 0.0        | 3.8                              | 0.4                     | 5.4                          | 0.0                 | 0.5                           | 0.3                   | 0.2         | 100.0        |
| Eswatini                 | 50.3                        | 0.0         | 30.9                      | 0.0         | 0.0        | 0.5                              | 0.0                     | 0.0                          | 0.1                 | 0.0                           | 18.2                  | 0.1         | 100.0        |
| Lesotho                  | 0.1                         | 0.0         | 0.0                       | 0.0         | 0.0        | 0.0                              | 0.0                     | 0.0                          | 99.9                | 0.0                           | 0.0                   | 0.1         | 100.0        |
| <b>SACU</b>              | <b>10.6</b>                 | <b>8.4</b>  | <b>20.5</b>               | <b>24.2</b> | <b>1.6</b> | <b>9.5</b>                       | <b>6.0</b>              | <b>2.0</b>                   | <b>2.4</b>          | <b>8.3</b>                    | <b>3.4</b>            | <b>2.9</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| Mozambique               | 0.0                         | 0.0         | 0.1                       | 98.1        | 0.0        | 0.0                              | 1.8                     | 0.0                          | 0.0                 | 0.0                           | 0.0                   | 0.0         | 100.0        |
| Zambia                   | 0.3                         | 0.0         | 15.1                      | 48.4        | 0.0        | 3.0                              | 27.8                    | 0.0                          | 0.8                 | 0.1                           | 0.1                   | 4.4         | 100.0        |
| <b>Other SADC</b>        | <b>5.4</b>                  | <b>25.1</b> | <b>53.1</b>               | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b> | <b>1.3</b>                       | <b>2.5</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>2.6</b>          | <b>1.1</b>                    | <b>3.2</b>            | <b>5.7</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>SADC</b>              | <b>9.9</b>                  | <b>8.1</b>  | <b>20.0</b>               | <b>27.5</b> | <b>1.5</b> | <b>8.9</b>                       | <b>6.2</b>              | <b>1.9</b>                   | <b>2.3</b>          | <b>7.7</b>                    | <b>3.2</b>            | <b>2.8</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>Other Africa</b>      | <b>17.1</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>1.4</b>                | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.1</b> | <b>71.4</b>                      | <b>0.0</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>1.3</b>          | <b>4.4</b>                    | <b>0.3</b>            | <b>3.9</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>Africa</b>            | <b>9.9</b>                  | <b>8.1</b>  | <b>19.9</b>               | <b>27.4</b> | <b>1.5</b> | <b>9.0</b>                       | <b>6.2</b>              | <b>1.9</b>                   | <b>2.3</b>          | <b>7.7</b>                    | <b>3.2</b>            | <b>2.8</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| China                    | 10.9                        | 0.0         | 0.3                       | 0.0         | 3.9        | 55.7                             | 8.3                     | 0.0                          | 5.5                 | 4.5                           | 1.4                   | 9.6         | 100.0        |
| UAE                      | 0.1                         | 86.3        | 0.0                       | 0.6         | 0.0        | 11.8                             | 0.0                     | 0.0                          | 0.4                 | 0.2                           | 0.0                   | 0.6         | 100.0        |
| Japan                    | 19.1                        | 0.0         | 0.2                       | 0.3         | 0.1        | 6.2                              | 0.3                     | 0.0                          | 2.0                 | 66.1                          | 0.0                   | 5.9         | 100.0        |
| India                    | 26.1                        | 26.1        | 10.7                      | 0.0         | 2.0        | 11.4                             | 3.0                     | 0.2                          | 5.7                 | 9.7                           | 0.7                   | 4.5         | 100.0        |
| <b>Other Asia</b>        | <b>4.4</b>                  | <b>31.7</b> | <b>18.9</b>               | <b>3.7</b>  | <b>1.2</b> | <b>26.7</b>                      | <b>1.0</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>2.5</b>          | <b>6.3</b>                    | <b>0.4</b>            | <b>3.4</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>Asia</b>              | <b>10.4</b>                 | <b>21.2</b> | <b>3.7</b>                | <b>0.6</b>  | <b>2.3</b> | <b>35.1</b>                      | <b>4.6</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>3.9</b>          | <b>11.1</b>                   | <b>0.8</b>            | <b>6.4</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| Germany                  | 30.5                        | 0.0         | 2.1                       | 0.2         | 0.4        | 33.1                             | 1.4                     | 0.0                          | 7.5                 | 17.1                          | 2.3                   | 5.4         | 100.0        |
| Belgium                  | 11.0                        | 74.3        | 4.6                       | 0.1         | 0.0        | 8.4                              | 0.1                     | 0.0                          | 0.4                 | 0.1                           | 0.0                   | 0.9         | 100.0        |
| <b>Other EU</b>          | <b>13.4</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>6.1</b>                | <b>1.4</b>  | <b>0.1</b> | <b>60.3</b>                      | <b>2.4</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>0.2</b>          | <b>8.8</b>                    | <b>0.2</b>            | <b>7.1</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>EU</b>                | <b>17.2</b>                 | <b>13.2</b> | <b>4.8</b>                | <b>0.9</b>  | <b>0.2</b> | <b>44.3</b>                      | <b>1.7</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>2.1</b>          | <b>9.3</b>                    | <b>0.7</b>            | <b>5.6</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| USA                      | 17.5                        | 0.3         | 1.4                       | 0.2         | 0.2        | 55.3                             | 1.6                     | 0.0                          | 0.3                 | 14.7                          | 0.4                   | 8.1         | 100.0        |
| <b>Rest of the World</b> | <b>9.4</b>                  | <b>12.9</b> | <b>11.2</b>               | <b>0.1</b>  | <b>0.2</b> | <b>44.2</b>                      | <b>2.9</b>              | <b>0.0</b>                   | <b>0.6</b>          | <b>9.9</b>                    | <b>1.4</b>            | <b>7.0</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>10.5</b>                 | <b>10.2</b> | <b>16.4</b>               | <b>21.4</b> | <b>1.5</b> | <b>15.8</b>                      | <b>5.6</b>              | <b>1.5</b>                   | <b>2.5</b>          | <b>8.4</b>                    | <b>2.7</b>            | <b>3.6</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |

**Table 3.2A: Principal Exports by Country, Region and Commodity Groups – June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Partner \ HS             | Coal        | Copper         | Diamonds       | Iron & Steel Products | Machinery & Electrical Equipment | Meat & Meat Products | Plastic & Plastic Products | Salt & Soda Ash | Textiles    | Vehicle & Transport Equipment | Other Goods  | Total Goods    | % Contribution |
|--------------------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|
| South Africa             | 17.7        | 0.0            | 241.0          | 21.3                  | 201.0                            | 41.3                 | 27.6                       | 95.0            | 17.5        | 11.2                          | 60.0         | 733.7          | 9.8            |
| Namibia                  | 3.5         | 0.0            | 49.1           | 2.5                   | 6.6                              | 0.7                  | 3.1                        | 0.0             | 0.2         | 10.3                          | 12.0         | 88.0           | 1.2            |
| Lesotho                  | 0.0         | 0.0            | 0.0            | 0.0                   | 2.2                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.6                           | 0.0          | 2.8            | 0.0            |
| Eswatini                 | 0.0         | 0.0            | 0.0            | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.4                           | 3.6          | 4.1            | 0.1            |
| <b>SACU</b>              | <b>21.2</b> | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>290.1</b>   | <b>23.8</b>           | <b>209.9</b>                     | <b>42.0</b>          | <b>30.7</b>                | <b>95.0</b>     | <b>17.7</b> | <b>22.6</b>                   | <b>75.6</b>  | <b>828.6</b>   | <b>11.0</b>    |
| Zimbabwe                 | 0.1         | 0.0            | 0.0            | 3.2                   | 21.1                             | 0.0                  | 4.0                        | 12.1            | 24.4        | 31.4                          | 32.0         | 128.4          | 1.7            |
| <b>Other SADC</b>        | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.9</b>            | <b>3.2</b>                       | <b>0.6</b>           | <b>2.1</b>                 | <b>13.2</b>     | <b>0.3</b>  | <b>16.6</b>                   | <b>11.0</b>  | <b>47.9</b>    | <b>0.6</b>     |
| <b>SADC</b>              | <b>21.3</b> | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>290.1</b>   | <b>27.9</b>           | <b>234.3</b>                     | <b>42.5</b>          | <b>36.8</b>                | <b>120.4</b>    | <b>42.4</b> | <b>70.6</b>                   | <b>118.6</b> | <b>1,004.9</b> | <b>13.4</b>    |
| <b>Other Africa</b>      | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.1</b>            | <b>0.0</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>1.5</b>   | <b>1.6</b>     | <b>0.0</b>     |
| <b>Africa</b>            | <b>21.3</b> | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>290.1</b>   | <b>28.0</b>           | <b>234.3</b>                     | <b>42.5</b>          | <b>36.8</b>                | <b>120.4</b>    | <b>42.4</b> | <b>70.6</b>                   | <b>120.1</b> | <b>1,006.5</b> | <b>13.4</b>    |
| UAE                      | 0.0         | 0.0            | 2,666.8        | 0.8                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.0                           | 12.1         | 2,679.7        | 35.7           |
| India                    | 0.0         | 0.0            | 1,071.9        | 3.2                   | 2.7                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.0                           | 1.8          | 1,079.7        | 14.4           |
| China                    | 0.0         | 503.7          | 0.0            | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.0                           | 5.5          | 509.2          | 6.8            |
| Israel                   | 0.0         | 0.0            | 196.5          | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.0                           | 0.0          | 196.5          | 2.6            |
| Hong Kong                | 0.0         | 0.0            | 97.3           | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.0                           | 0.0          | 97.3           | 1.3            |
| <b>Other Asia</b>        | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>59.3</b>    | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>0.0</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>3.0</b>   | <b>62.3</b>    | <b>0.8</b>     |
| <b>Asia</b>              | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>503.7</b>   | <b>4,091.8</b> | <b>4.0</b>            | <b>2.8</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>22.4</b>  | <b>4,624.6</b> | <b>61.6</b>    |
| Belgium                  | 0.0         | 0.0            | 1,273.5        | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.0                           | 0.0          | 1,273.5        | 17.0           |
| <b>Other EU</b>          | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>3.6</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>7.6</b>   | <b>11.3</b>    | <b>0.2</b>     |
| <b>EU</b>                | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>1,273.5</b> | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>3.6</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>7.6</b>   | <b>1,284.8</b> | <b>17.1</b>    |
| Australia                | 0.0         | 505.8          | 0.0            | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 4.6                           | 0.0          | 510.4          | 6.8            |
| Anguilla                 | 0.0         | 51.7           | 0.0            | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.0                           | 0.0          | 51.7           | 0.7            |
| USA                      | 0.0         | 0.0            | 13.7           | 0.0                   | 0.1                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0         | 0.2                           | 2.4          | 16.4           | 0.2            |
| <b>Rest of the World</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>     | <b>3.2</b>     | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>0.1</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>3.9</b>   | <b>7.2</b>     | <b>0.1</b>     |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>21.3</b> | <b>1,061.2</b> | <b>5,672.3</b> | <b>32.0</b>           | <b>240.9</b>                     | <b>42.5</b>          | <b>36.8</b>                | <b>120.4</b>    | <b>42.5</b> | <b>75.4</b>                   | <b>156.5</b> | <b>7,501.7</b> | <b>100.0</b>   |

**Table 3.2B: Principal Exports Commodity Groups as a Percentage of Total Exports at Country and Regional Level – June 2025**

| Partner \ HS             | Coal       | Copper      | Diamonds    | Iron & Steel Products | Machinery & Electrical Equipment | Meat & Meat Products | Plastic & Plastic Products | Salt & Soda Ash | Textiles   | Vehicle & Transport Equipment | Other Goods | Total Goods  |
|--------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|------------|-------------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| South Africa             | 2.4        | 0.0         | 32.9        | 2.9                   | 27.4                             | 5.6                  | 3.8                        | 12.9            | 2.4        | 1.5                           | 8.2         | 100.0        |
| Namibia                  | 4.0        | 0.0         | 55.7        | 2.8                   | 7.5                              | 0.7                  | 3.6                        | 0.0             | 0.3        | 11.7                          | 13.7        | 100.0        |
| Lesotho                  | 0.0        | 0.0         | 0.0         | 0.0                   | 77.7                             | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 21.9                          | 0.4         | 100.0        |
| Eswatini                 | 0.0        | 0.0         | 0.0         | 0.0                   | 0.6                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.1        | 10.9                          | 88.2        | 100.0        |
| <b>SACU</b>              | <b>2.6</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>35.0</b> | <b>2.9</b>            | <b>25.3</b>                      | <b>5.1</b>           | <b>3.7</b>                 | <b>11.5</b>     | <b>2.1</b> | <b>2.7</b>                    | <b>9.1</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| Zimbabwe                 | 0.0        | 0.0         | 0.0         | 2.5                   | 16.5                             | 0.0                  | 3.1                        | 9.5             | 19.0       | 24.5                          | 24.9        | 100.0        |
| <b>Other SADC</b>        | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>1.8</b>            | <b>6.8</b>                       | <b>1.2</b>           | <b>4.3</b>                 | <b>27.6</b>     | <b>0.7</b> | <b>34.6</b>                   | <b>23.1</b> | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>SADC</b>              | <b>2.1</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>28.9</b> | <b>2.8</b>            | <b>23.3</b>                      | <b>4.2</b>           | <b>3.7</b>                 | <b>12.0</b>     | <b>4.2</b> | <b>7.0</b>                    | <b>11.8</b> | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>Other Africa</b>      | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>4.1</b>            | <b>0.6</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.1</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.5</b> | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>94.7</b> | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>Africa</b>            | <b>2.1</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>28.8</b> | <b>2.8</b>            | <b>23.3</b>                      | <b>4.2</b>           | <b>3.7</b>                 | <b>12.0</b>     | <b>4.2</b> | <b>7.0</b>                    | <b>11.9</b> | <b>100.0</b> |
| UAE                      | 0.0        | 0.0         | 99.5        | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.0                           | 0.5         | 100.0        |
| India                    | 0.0        | 0.0         | 99.3        | 0.3                   | 0.3                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.0                           | 0.2         | 100.0        |
| China                    | 0.0        | 98.9        | 0.0         | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.0                           | 1.1         | 100.0        |
| Israel                   | 0.0        | 0.0         | 100.0       | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.0                           | 0.0         | 100.0        |
| Hong Kong                | 0.0        | 0.0         | 100.0       | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.0                           | 0.0         | 100.0        |
| <b>Other Asia</b>        | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>95.2</b> | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>0.0</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>4.8</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>Asia</b>              | <b>0.0</b> | <b>10.9</b> | <b>88.5</b> | <b>0.1</b>            | <b>0.1</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>0.5</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| Belgium                  | 0.0        | 0.0         | 100.0       | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.0                           | 0.0         | 100.0        |
| <b>Other EU</b>          | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>32.3</b>                      | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.1</b> | <b>0.1</b>                    | <b>67.4</b> | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>EU</b>                | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>99.1</b> | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>0.3</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.0</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>0.6</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |
| Australia                | 0.0        | 99.1        | 0.0         | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.9                           | 0.0         | 100.0        |
| Anguilla                 | 0.0        | 100.0       | 0.0         | 0.0                   | 0.0                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.0        | 0.0                           | 0.0         | 100.0        |
| USA                      | 0.0        | 0.0         | 83.5        | 0.0                   | 0.5                              | 0.0                  | 0.0                        | 0.0             | 0.1        | 1.5                           | 14.4        | 100.0        |
| <b>Rest of the World</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b>  | <b>43.5</b> | <b>0.0</b>            | <b>1.6</b>                       | <b>0.0</b>           | <b>0.1</b>                 | <b>0.0</b>      | <b>0.3</b> | <b>0.0</b>                    | <b>54.5</b> | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>             | <b>0.3</b> | <b>14.1</b> | <b>75.6</b> | <b>0.4</b>            | <b>3.2</b>                       | <b>0.6</b>           | <b>0.5</b>                 | <b>1.6</b>      | <b>0.6</b> | <b>1.0</b>                    | <b>2.1</b>  | <b>100.0</b> |

**Table 4.1: Top Imported Goods (Excluding Diamonds) – June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Rank | HS Code  | Description                                                                                                                                                        | BW Pula (Million) | Contribution (%)<br>Against Total Non-Diamonds Imports | Contribution (%)<br>Against Total Imports |
|------|----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| 1    | 27101230 | Distillate fuel, as defined in Additional Note 1(g)                                                                                                                | 566.2             | 9.4                                                    | 8.4                                       |
| 2    | 27101202 | Petrol, as defined in Additional Note 1(b)                                                                                                                         | 412.5             | 6.8                                                    | 6.1                                       |
| 3    | 27160000 | Electrical energy                                                                                                                                                  | 315.1             | 5.2                                                    | 4.7                                       |
| 4    | 84212900 | Other Filtering or purifying machinery and apparatus for liquids                                                                                                   | 92.3              | 1.5                                                    | 1.4                                       |
| 5    | 25232900 | Other Portland cement                                                                                                                                              | 90.5              | 1.5                                                    | 1.3                                       |
| 6    | 10059010 | Dried Maize (Corn) kernels or grains fit for human consumption, not further prepared or processed and not packaged as seeds (excluding pop corn (ZEA MAYS EVERTA)) | 75.3              | 1.2                                                    | 1.1                                       |
| 7    | 84749000 | Parts of Mixing or kneading machines                                                                                                                               | 63.5              | 1.1                                                    | 0.9                                       |
| 8    | 22030090 | Beer made from malt - Other                                                                                                                                        | 58.0              | 1.0                                                    | 0.9                                       |
| 9    | 17011300 | Cane Sugar specified in Subheading Note2 to this chapter                                                                                                           | 56.6              | 0.9                                                    | 0.8                                       |
| 10   | 84314990 | Other Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the machinery of headings 84.25 to 84.30:                                                                  | 54.0              | 0.9                                                    | 0.8                                       |
| 11   | 87089990 | Other Parts and accessories of the motor vehicles of headings 87.01 to 87.05                                                                                       | 52.2              | 0.9                                                    | 0.8                                       |
| 12   | 87042181 | New-G.V.M. not exceeding 5 t:Other, double-cab, of a vehicle mass not exceeding 2 000 kg or a G.V.M.                                                               | 51.0              | 0.8                                                    | 0.8                                       |
| 13   | 85444990 | Other ignition wiring sets and other wiring sets of a kind used in vehicles, aircraft or ships                                                                     | 50.3              | 0.8                                                    | 0.7                                       |
| 14   | 15121910 | Sunflower-seed or safflower oil and fractions thereof, Marketed and supplied for use in the process of cooking food                                                | 48.6              | 0.8                                                    | 0.7                                       |
| 15   | 73089099 | Other Structures and parts of structures                                                                                                                           | 48.2              | 0.8                                                    | 0.7                                       |
| 16   | 30049099 | Other medicaments consisting of mixed or unmixed products for therapeutic or prophylactic uses                                                                     | 42.3              | 0.7                                                    | 0.6                                       |
| 17   | 10063000 | Semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed                                                                                               | 37.2              | 0.6                                                    | 0.6                                       |
| 18   | 40118020 | New pneumatic tyres, of rubber, of a kind used on construction, mining or industrial handling vehicles and machines, having a rim size of 91 cm or more            | 35.7              | 0.6                                                    | 0.5                                       |
| 19   | 33049990 | Other Beauty or make-up preparations and preparations for the care of the skin (other than medicaments), including sunscreen or sun tan preparations               | 32.1              | 0.5                                                    | 0.5                                       |
| 20   | 27111390 | Other Butanes, Liquefied                                                                                                                                           | 30.9              | 0.5                                                    | 0.5                                       |
| 21   | 85171310 | Designed for use when carried in the hand or on the person                                                                                                         | 29.6              | 0.5                                                    | 0.4                                       |
| 22   | 10059090 | Other (Maize (Corn))                                                                                                                                               | 29.5              | 0.5                                                    | 0.4                                       |
| 23   | 74081100 | Of which the maximum cross-sectional dimension exceeds 6 mm                                                                                                        | 26.7              | 0.4                                                    | 0.4                                       |
| 24   | 44071100 | Coniferous Wood sawn or chipped lengthwise, sliced or peeled, whether or not planed, sanded or finger-jointed, of a thickness exceeding 6 mm, Of pine (Pinus spp.) | 26.1              | 0.4                                                    | 0.4                                       |
| 25   | 10019900 | Other (of Wheat (excluding durum wheat) and Meslin )                                                                                                               | 24.2              | 0.4                                                    | 0.4                                       |

**Table 4.1: Top Imported Goods (Excluding Diamonds) – June 2025 (Million Pula) *Continued***

| Rank                                     | HS Code  | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                    | BW Pula (Million) | Contribution (%) Against Total Non-Diamonds Imports | Contribution (%) Against Total Imports |
|------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| 26                                       | 84713090 | Other portable automatic data processing machines, of a mass not exceeding 10 kg, consisting of at least a central processing unit, a keyboard and a display                                                   | 23.8              | 0.4                                                 | 0.4                                    |
| 27                                       | 85176290 | Other Machines for the reception, conversion and transmission or regeneration of voice, images or other data...                                                                                                | 23.1              | 0.4                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 28                                       | 84314300 | Parts for boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49                                                                                                                                         | 22.6              | 0.4                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 29                                       | 22060081 | Other fermented apple or pear beverages, unfortified, with an alcoholic strength of                                                                                                                            | 22.1              | 0.4                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 30                                       | 09109900 | Other spices                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 21.7              | 0.4                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 31                                       | 87012120 | Of a vehicle mass exceeding 1 600 kg                                                                                                                                                                           | 21.5              | 0.4                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 32                                       | 27101252 | Other prepared lubricating oils                                                                                                                                                                                | 20.9              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 33                                       | 90063000 | Cameras specially designed for underwater use, for aerial survey or for medical or surgical examination of internal organs; comparison cameras for forensic or criminological purposes                         | 20.5              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 34                                       | 84798999 | Other- Floor polishers and scrubbers, electrical, domestic                                                                                                                                                     | 20.0              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 35                                       | 20052090 | Other Potatoes                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 19.3              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 36                                       | 85414300 | Photovoltaic cells assembled in modules or made up into panels                                                                                                                                                 | 19.3              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 37                                       | 17049000 | Other Sugar confectionery (including white chocolate), not containing cocoa                                                                                                                                    | 18.6              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 38                                       | 19053100 | Sweet biscuits                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 18.5              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 39                                       | 87012920 | Of a vehicle mass exceeding 1 600 kg                                                                                                                                                                           | 18.5              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 40                                       | 19023000 | Other pasta                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 18.3              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 41                                       | 39019090 | Other Polymers of ethylene                                                                                                                                                                                     | 17.6              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 42                                       | 84071000 | Aircraft engines                                                                                                                                                                                               | 16.9              | 0.3                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 43                                       | 23040000 | Oil-cake and other solid residues, whether or not ground or in the form of pellets, resulting from the extraction of soya-bean oil                                                                             | 16.8              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 44                                       | 34023114 | High foam laundry detergent in immediate packings of a content not exceeding 10 kg                                                                                                                             | 16.6              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 45                                       | 17019900 | Other Cane or beet sugar and chemically pure sucrose, in solid form Containing added flavouring or colouring matter                                                                                            | 16.1              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 46                                       | 94041000 | Mattress supports                                                                                                                                                                                              | 15.9              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 47                                       | 34029090 | Other organic surface active agents , whether or not up for retail                                                                                                                                             | 15.7              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 48                                       | 19049090 | Other (cereals (other than maize (corn), in grain form or in the form of flakes or other worked grains (except flour, groats and meal), pre-cooked or otherwise prepared, not elsewhere specified or included) | 15.5              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 49                                       | 27101201 | Aviation spirit, as defined in Additional Note 1(a)                                                                                                                                                            | 15.4              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 50                                       | 19041000 | Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products                                                                                                                              | 15.3              | 0.3                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| <b>Top 50 Imported Non-Diamond Goods</b> |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>2,819.2</b>    | <b>46.7</b>                                         | <b>41.9</b>                            |
| <b>Other Non-Diamond Imports Goods</b>   |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>3,218.0</b>    | <b>53.3</b>                                         | <b>47.9</b>                            |
| <b>Total Non-Diamond Imports</b>         |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>6,037.2</b>    | <b>100.0</b>                                        | <b>89.8</b>                            |
| <b>Diamonds Imports</b>                  |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>683.9</b>      |                                                     | <b>10.2</b>                            |
| <b>Total Imports</b>                     |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>6,721.1</b>    |                                                     | <b>100.0</b>                           |

**Table 4.2: Top Exported Goods (Excluding Diamonds) – June 2025 (Million Pula)**

| Rank | HS Code  | Description                                                                                                               | BW Pula (Million) | Contribution (%) Against Total Non-Diamonds Exports | Contribution (%) Against Total Exports |
|------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| 1    | 26030000 | Copper ores and concentrates                                                                                              | 1,061.2           | 58.0                                                | 14.1                                   |
| 2    | 85443000 | Ignition wiring sets and other wiring sets of a kind used in vehicles, aircraft or ships                                  | 93.8              | 5.1                                                 | 1.3                                    |
| 3    | 28362000 | Disodium carbonate                                                                                                        | 89.3              | 4.9                                                 | 1.2                                    |
| 4    | 85444290 | Other electric conductors, for a voltage exceeding 1 000 V                                                                | 60.8              | 3.3                                                 | 0.8                                    |
| 5    | 02023090 | Other (boneless meat of bovine animals, frozen)                                                                           | 38.6              | 2.1                                                 | 0.5                                    |
| 6    | 25010090 | Other Salt, pure sodium chloride or sea water                                                                             | 28.7              | 1.6                                                 | 0.4                                    |
| 7    | 30024200 | Vaccines for veterinary medicine                                                                                          | 21.3              | 1.2                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 8    | 39172300 | Tubes, pipes and hoses, rigid, Of polymers of vinyl chloride                                                              | 19.9              | 1.1                                                 | 0.3                                    |
| 9    | 87041090 | Other Motor vehicles for the transport of goods                                                                           | 16.9              | 0.9                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 10   | 63026090 | Other Toilet linen and kitchen linen, of terry towelling or similar terry fabrics, of cotton                              | 15.5              | 0.8                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 11   | 72142000 | Containing indentations, ribs, grooves or other deformations produced during the rolling process or twisted after rolling | 13.3              | 0.7                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 12   | 76020090 | Other aluminium waste and scrap                                                                                           | 13.2              | 0.7                                                 | 0.2                                    |
| 13   | 62171090 | Other clothing accessories                                                                                                | 10.8              | 0.6                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 14   | 27011200 | Bituminous coal                                                                                                           | 10.8              | 0.6                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 15   | 27011900 | Other coal                                                                                                                | 10.5              | 0.6                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 16   | 63019000 | Other blankets and travelling rugs                                                                                        | 8.4               | 0.5                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 17   | 85071099 | Other lead-acid, of a kind used for starting piston engines                                                               | 8.0               | 0.4                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 18   | 85442090 | Other Co- axial cable and other co-axial electric condutors                                                               | 7.7               | 0.4                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 19   | 68101100 | Building blocks and bricks                                                                                                | 7.4               | 0.4                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 20   | 08052110 | Fresh Mandarins (including tangerines and satsumas):                                                                      | 6.8               | 0.4                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 21   | 84089090 | Other engines                                                                                                             | 6.8               | 0.4                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 22   | 84303100 | Self-propelled                                                                                                            | 6.3               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 23   | 84314990 | Other parts of boring or sinking machinery of subheading 8430.41 or 8430.49                                               | 5.7               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 24   | 87059000 | Other concrete - mixer lorriers                                                                                           | 5.6               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 25   | 08054010 | Fresh Grapefruit, including pomelos                                                                                       | 5.6               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |

**Table 4.2: Top Exported Goods (Excluding Diamonds) – June 2025 (Million Pula) *Continued***

| Rank                                     | HS Code  | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                 | BW Pula (Million) | Contribution (%) Against Total Non-Diamonds Exports | Contribution (%) Against Total Exports |
|------------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| 26                                       | 33029090 | Other of a kind used in the food or drink industries                                                                                                                                                        | 5.5               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 27                                       | 94032000 | Other metal furniture                                                                                                                                                                                       | 5.2               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 28                                       | 87041025 | Dumpers designed for off-highway use:new                                                                                                                                                                    | 5.1               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 29                                       | 01069000 | Other (other live animals)                                                                                                                                                                                  | 5.0               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 30                                       | 84834000 | Gears and gearing (excluding toothed wheels, chain sprockets and other transmission elements presented separately); ball or roller screws; gear boxes and other speed changers, including torque converters | 4.7               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 31                                       | 24022090 | Other Cigarettes containing tobacco                                                                                                                                                                         | 4.6               | 0.3                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 32                                       | 88022000 | Aeroplanes and other aircraft, of an unladen mass not exceeding 2 000 kg                                                                                                                                    | 4.6               | 0.2                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 33                                       | 94038900 | Other furniture of bamboo                                                                                                                                                                                   | 3.9               | 0.2                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 34                                       | 39251000 | Reservoirs, tanks, vats and similar containers, of a capacity exceeding 300 li                                                                                                                              | 3.9               | 0.2                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 35                                       | 61121900 | Track suits, Of other textile materials                                                                                                                                                                     | 3.8               | 0.2                                                 | 0.1                                    |
| 36                                       | 30049099 | Other medicaments consisting of mixed or unmixed products for therapeutic or prophylactic uses                                                                                                              | 3.7               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 37                                       | 87012120 | Of a vehicle mass exceeding 1 600 kg                                                                                                                                                                        | 3.4               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 38                                       | 08059010 | Fresh (Other Citrus fruit)                                                                                                                                                                                  | 3.3               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 39                                       | 87089990 | Other of unmachined cast metal                                                                                                                                                                              | 3.2               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 40                                       | 90314900 | Other optical instruments and appliances                                                                                                                                                                    | 3.1               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 41                                       | 72044900 | Other turnings ,shavings,chips ,milling waste,sawdust whether or not in bundles                                                                                                                             | 3.0               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 42                                       | 85285905 | Colour, with a screen with no side exceeding 45 cm                                                                                                                                                          | 3.0               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 43                                       | 87051000 | Crane lorries                                                                                                                                                                                               | 3.0               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 44                                       | 07133110 | Seeds for sowing for beans of the species Vigna mungo (L.) Hepper or Vigna radiata (L.) Wilczek                                                                                                             | 2.9               | 0.2                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 45                                       | 72043000 | Waste and scrap of tinned iron or steel                                                                                                                                                                     | 2.7               | 0.1                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 46                                       | 02023010 | Wagyu beef (boneless meat of bovine animals, frozen)                                                                                                                                                        | 2.6               | 0.1                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 47                                       | 85285990 | Other Colour with a screen size exceeding 3m * 4m                                                                                                                                                           | 2.6               | 0.1                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 48                                       | 94049010 | Blankets as defined in additional note 1 to chapter 94                                                                                                                                                      | 2.5               | 0.1                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 49                                       | 87085085 | Other parts of drive axles                                                                                                                                                                                  | 2.5               | 0.1                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| 50                                       | 23023000 | Bran, sharps and other residues, Of wheat                                                                                                                                                                   | 2.5               | 0.1                                                 | 0.0                                    |
| <b>Top 50 Exported Non-Diamond Goods</b> |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>1,663.2</b>    | <b>90.9</b>                                         | <b>22.2</b>                            |
| <b>Other Non-Diamond Exports Goods</b>   |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>166.2</b>      | <b>9.1</b>                                          | <b>2.2</b>                             |
| <b>Total Non-Diamond Exports</b>         |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>1,829.4</b>    | <b>100.0</b>                                        | <b>24.4</b>                            |
| <b>Diamonds Exports</b>                  |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>5,672.3</b>    |                                                     | <b>75.6</b>                            |
| <b>Total Exports</b>                     |          |                                                                                                                                                                                                             | <b>7,501.7</b>    |                                                     | <b>100.0</b>                           |

## 8.0 Concepts, Sources and Methods

IMTS are compiled by the International Merchandise Trade Statistics Section of Statistics Botswana, and uses the General Trade system. International Merchandise Trade refers to external trade in goods only. International Service Trade Statistics (ISTS) are however not compiled by this section. The primary source of international merchandise trade data is the Customs & Excise Division at the Botswana Unified Revenue Service (BURS). The Customs & Excise Division is responsible for data capture for both computerised and manual borders, and the monthly raw data files are transferred to Statistics Botswana for data processing.

Imports are valued CIF (cost, insurance & freight), while exports are valued FOB (free on board). The value of imports includes transport and insurance costs to the importing country. The Exports value consists only of the value of goods as they leave the exporting country.

### 8.1 Time of Recording of Trade

IMTS is compiled using date of recording of trade as opposed to date of assessment of goods by customs. This means that as goods cross the border, trade is recorded and this is the reference month for compilation of IMTS. Some of these goods may however be held by customs for some time pending final assessment for tax or duty purposes.

If the final assessment is done later, for example two or three months, or even more, after the goods had crossed the border, the affected trade will then update trade for the particular month when the goods crossed the border, therefore it does not form part of trade for the month during which the final assessment was done. This is mostly common with imports. Revision of data for the month preceding the one under review will normally show high values as compared to revisions for other months due to more goods (from the previous month) being released after final assessment.

### 8.2 Concepts and Definitions

- i. **Domestic Exports:** These are goods originating from the compiling country, being permanently exported out of the country for consumption in the outside world. This includes products from customs inwards processing; for example, if a country imports wheat, processes the wheat into bread flour and exports the bread flour and bye products from the milling process, these will all leave the country as domestic exports.
- ii. **Re - Exports:** These are exports of foreign goods that were initially recorded as imports into the compiling country. These goods are exported in the same state that they came in except for wear and tear. An example will be re-exportation of a motor vehicle that was initially imported into the compiling country and after being used it is now being exported to a foreign country.
- iii. **Total exports:** This is the sum of domestic exports and re-exports
- iv. **Imports:** These are goods imported from the outside world, into the compiling country, for local consumption. This includes re-importation of locally produced goods that were initially exported and are now being imported back into the country.
- v. **Trade Balance (Net Export):** This refers to the total value of goods exported minus the total value of goods imported by a given economy in a given period of time. A positive trade balance (trade surplus) indicates that a country is exporting more in value terms than it is importing. A negative trade balance (trade deficit) indicates that the country is importing more than it is exporting.

### 8.3 Exclusions from IMTS

- i. **Goods in Transit** - This is trade that is simply passing through the compiling country solely for the purpose of being transported to another country.
- ii. **Goods temporarily admitted or dispatched** - These are goods that, at the time of admission/dispatch, are intended to stay in the receiving country temporarily and that after their stay they will be returned in the same state. These goods include display equipment for trade fairs and exhibitions, commercial samples, means of transport, containers, equipment for working, etc.
- iii. **Monetary Gold**- This is gold to which the monetary authorities have title and is held as reserve assets.
- iv. **Issued banknotes and securities and coins in circulation**-These goods represent evidence of financial claims and are excluded from IMTS

The above list of exclusions from IMTS is, however, not exhaustive and only a few that are common, simple, straightforward and easy to understand have been picked as examples.



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