



BAHRAIN



GENERAL INFORMATION:

Member Trade Bloc	:	GCC, OIC
Location	:	Middle East, archipelago in the Persian Gulf, east of Saudi Arabia
Capital	:	Manama
Surface area	:	760 sq km
Official language	:	Arabic
Population	:	1.5 million (2017)

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
GDP (US\$ bn):	32.5	33.4	31.1	32.2	34.9
GDP per capita (US\$)	25,965.3	25,398.4	22,714.2	22,599.9	24,028.7
Real GDP growth (% change YOY)	5.4	4.4	2.9	3.2	3.2
Goods & services exports (%GDP)	-	96.1	82.4	74.0	-
Inflation(% change YOY)	3.3	2.7	1.8	2.8	1.4
Unemployment rate (%)	4.4	3.8	3.4	3.7	3.7
Total Exports (US\$ bn)	20.0	23.7	16.7	12.9	7.6
Total Imports (US\$ bn)	18.6	20.1	16.4	14.7	9.5

GDP - COMPOSITION : **Agriculture: 0.3%, Industry: 38.2%, Services: 61.5%**

MAJOR INDUSTRIES : petroleum processing and refining, aluminum smelting, iron pelletization, fertilizers, Islamic and offshore banking, insurance, ship repairing, tourism.

MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS OF BAHRAIN (2017)

Major Export Destinations:

United Arab Emirates	15.7%
Saudi Arabia	14.3%
United States	11.4%
Pakistan	1.3%

Major Import Sources :

China	9.7%
United Arab Emirates	8.0%
United States	5.7%
Pakistan	0.4%

BAHRAIN'S MAIN ITEM OF EXPORTS: petroleum and petroleum products, aluminum, textiles

BAHRAIN'S MAIN ITEM OF IMPORTS: crude oil, machinery, chemicals

TRADE BETWEEN PAKISTAN & BAHRAIN (Million US\$)

YEAR	EXPORTS	IMPORTS	BALANCE OF TRADE	TOTAL EXPORT OF PAKISTAN	% SHARE IN TOTAL EXP.	TOTAL IMPORTS OF PAKISTAN	% SHARE IN TOTAL IMPORTS
2013	94.2	68.8	25.4	25,120.9	0.4	43,775.2	0.2
2014	82.2	111.8	(29.6)	24,722.2	0.3	47,544.9	0.2
2015	69.2	28.3	40.9	22,089.0	0.3	43,989.6	0.1
2016	63.3	85.1	(21.9)	20,533.8	0.3	46,998.3	0.2
2017	42.5	97.7	(55.3)	21,877.8	0.2	57,440.0	0.2

MAJOR ITEMS OF EXPORTS FROM PAKISTAN TO BAHRAIN						MAJOR ITEMS OF IMPORTS IN PAKISTAN FROM BAHRAIN					
Millions US\$											
Specific Commodity Description	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Specific Commodity Description	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Cereals	24 .0	27 .9	16.2	12 .2	14 .0	Mineral fuels, mineral oils and products of their distillation; bituminous substances; mineral ...	39.3	80.1	7.8	60.0	43.4
Cotton	25 .0	20 .8	11.7	12 .8	6 .2	Iron and steel	8.0	7.9	8.7	11.4	20.3
Meat and edible meat offal	27 .8	14 .5	20.2	16 .2	4 .5	Aluminium and articles thereof	16.6	6.3	4.9	6.7	18.1
Tanning or dyeing extracts; tannins and their derivatives; dyes, pigments and other colouring ...	1 .1	1 .4	2.2	1 .7	2 .2	Ships, boats and floating structures	-	10.9	-	1.4	7.4
Fish and crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates	1 .1	2 .7	2.7	2 .3	2 .1	Cotton	0.5	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.6
% of Total Exports	84	82	76	71	68	% of Total Imports	94	95	78	95	93