

ECONOMY INSIGHTS

MANGSIR 2080

IMPORT AND EXPORT NPR in Billion

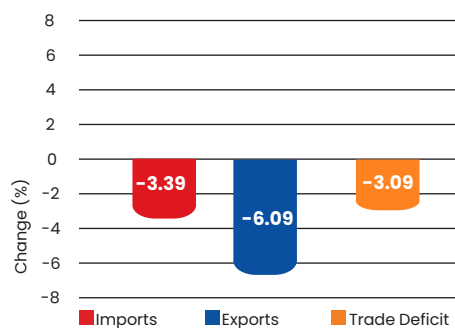
Period → Heading ↓	FY 2079/80*	FY 2080/81*	Change (%)
Imports	664.75	642.21	-3.39
Exports	67.30	63.21	-6.09
Trade Deficit	597.44	579.00	-3.09

*As of Mangsir 2080/81

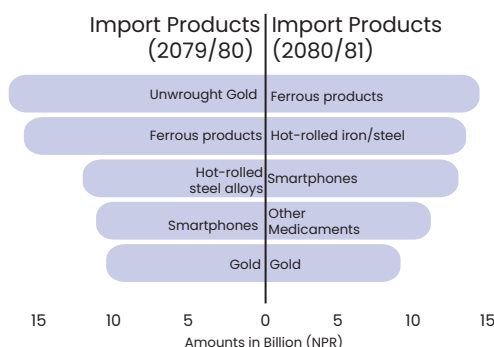
Source: Department of Customs

In the first five months of FY 2080/81 import decreased by 3.39% compared to FY 2079/80. Export also declined by 6.09%. The trade deficit too decreased by 3.09%.

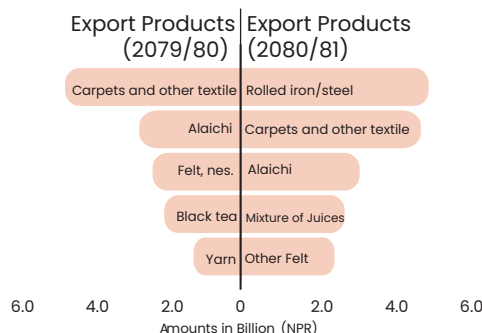
TRADE INDICATORS

MAJOR IMPORT
OTHER THAN FUEL AND OIL

Top import products (2079/80)*	Top import products (2080/81)*
Unwrought gold	Ferrous product
Ferrous products	Hot-rolled iron/steel
Hot-rolled steel alloys	Smartphones
Smartphones	Other Medicaments
Gold	Gold

MAJOR EXPORT
OTHER THAN FUEL AND OIL

Top export products (2079/80)*	Top export products (2080/81)*
Carpets and other textile	Rolled iron/steel
Alaichi	Carpets and other textile
Felt, nes.	Alaichi
Black tea	Mixture of Juices
Yarn	Other Felt



*As of Mangsir 2080/81

Source: Department of Customs

During the first five months of FY 2080/81, the top three imports other than fuel and oil were ferrous products, flat/hot-rolled iron/steel and smartphones. In FY 2079/80, the major imports other than fuel and oil were unwrought gold, ferrous products and hot-rolled steel alloys.

Likewise, in the first five months of FY 2080/81, the top three exports other than fuel and oil were rolled iron/steel, carpet and other textile & alaichi. In FY 2079/80, the major exports other than edible oil were carpets and other textile, alaichi and felt, nes.



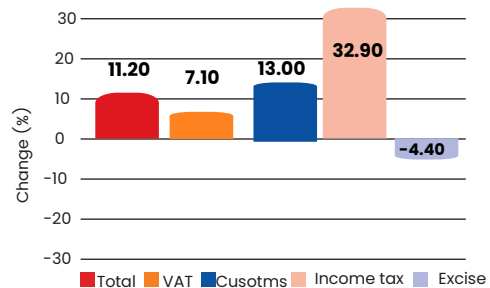
GOVERNMENT REVENUE (YOY) NPR in Billion

Heading	Total Revenue (FY 2079/80)	Total Revenue (FY 2080/81)	Change (%)
Total	326.89	363.43	11.20
VAT	107.7	115.35	7.10
Customs	70.4	79.59	13.00
Income Tax	63.4	84.22	32.90
Excise	59.3	56.67	-4.40

*As of Mangsir 2080/81

Source: Nepal Rastra Bank

GOVERNMENT REVENUE



During the first five months of current fiscal year, there has been rise in government revenue by 11.20% compared to previous FY. However, the excise duty collection experienced decline of 4.40%.

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE NPR in Billion

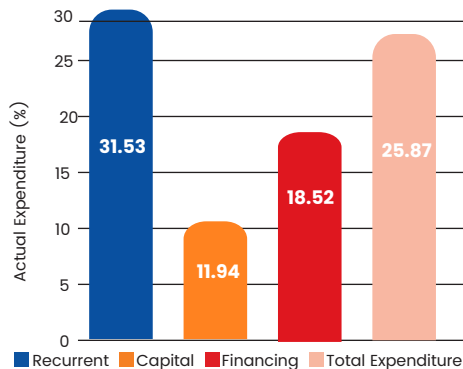
Heading	Target	Actual Expenditure*	Actual Expenditure%
Recurrent	1141.78	360.00	31.53
Capital	302.07	36.06	11.94
Financing	307.45	56.94	18.52
Total Expenditure	1751.31	453.00	25.87

*As of Mangsir 2080/81

Source: FCGO

In the first five months of fiscal year 2080/81 government has spent 11.94% of the targeted capital expenditure while in the same period of previous year it was 8.94%.

GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE STATUS



ELECTRICITY

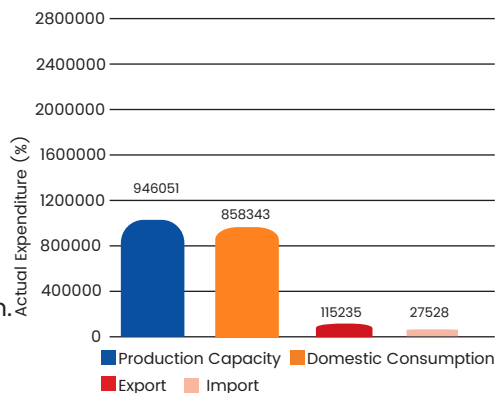
Heading	Mangsir 2080/81
Production Capacity	946051 MWh
Domestic Consumption	858343 MWh
Export	115235 MWh
Import	27528 MWh

*As of Mangsir 2080/81

Source: Nepal Electricity Authority

During this period 27528 MWh electricity has been imported to meet the electricity demand. Whereas export of electricity stood at 115235 MWh.

ELECTRICITY





FINANCIAL INDICATORS

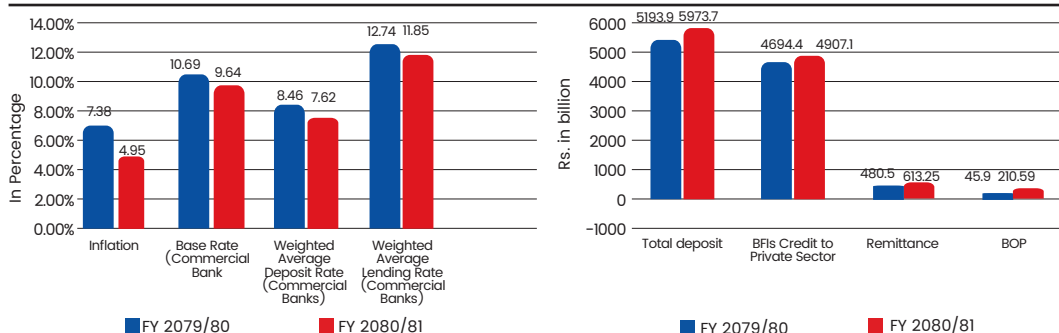
Headings	FY 2079/80	FY 2080/81
Inflation	7.38%	4.95%
Forex reserve (USD in billion)	9.82	13.31
Forex reserve Adequacy (Goods and services) in months	8.7	11.8
Base Rate (Commercial Bank)	10.69%	9.64%
Weighted Average Deposit Rate (Commercial Banks)	8.46%	7.62%
Weighted Average Lending Rate (Commercial Banks)	12.74%	11.85%
Total deposit (NPR in billion)	5193.9	5973.7
BFI's Credit to Private Sector (NPR in billion)	4694.4	4907.1
Remittance (NPR in billion)	480.5	613.25
BOP (NPR in billion)	45.9	210.59

*As of Mangsir 2080/81

Source: Nepal Rastra Bank

Inflation decreased to 4.95% in first five months of FY 2080/81 as compared to 7.38% in the previous fiscal year. The BoP situation is surplus of NPR 210.59 billion, it was NPR 45.9 billion surplus in the same period of previous fiscal year. During the period total deposit increased by 15.01% however, the private sector credit increased by 4.53% only.

FINANCIAL INDICATORS



TOURISM

December 2022	December 2023	Growth (%)
67932	96568	42.15%

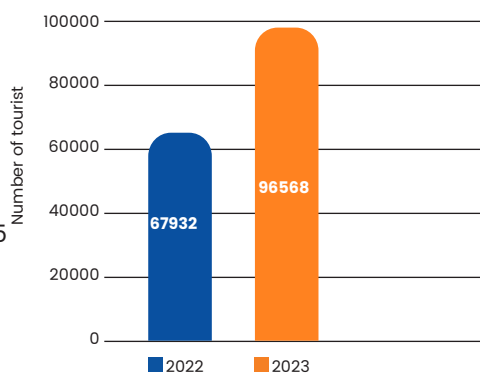
*In the month of December

Source: NTB

There has been an increment of 42.15% in the arrival of tourists in the given period compared to the same period last year.

Travel income made in the period was NPR 33.95 billion whereas travel payments was NPR 75.73 billion.

TOURIST ARRIVAL





REMITTANCE

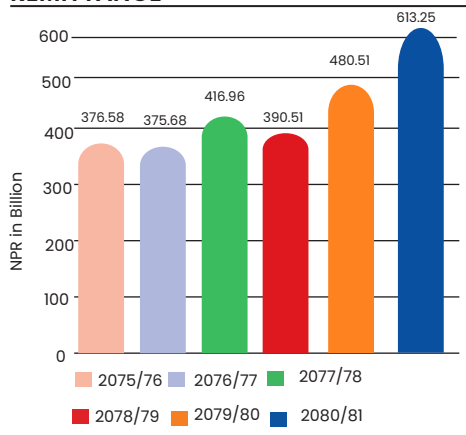
Fiscal Year	Remittance in NPR Billion
2075/76	376.58
2076/77	375.68
2077/78	416.96
2078/79	390.51
2079/80	480.51
2080/81	613.25

*As of Mangsir 2080/81

Source: Nepal Rastra Bank

In first five months of FY 2080/81, NPR 613.25 billion of remittance entered in the country.

REMITTANCE



FUEL (GAS AND OIL)

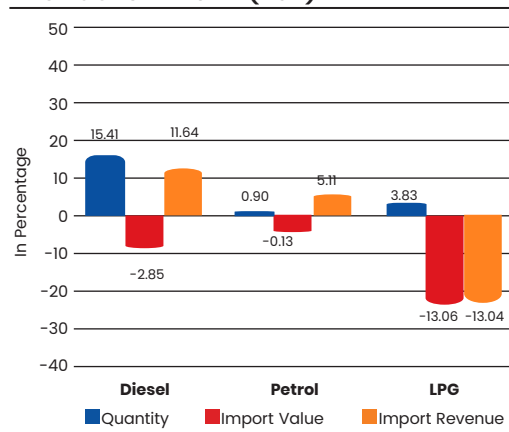
Description	Import Quantity	Import Value	Import Revenue
Diesel	15.41%	-2.85%	11.64%
Petrol	0.90%	-0.13%	5.11%
Liquified Petroleum (LPG)	3.83%	-13.06%	-13.04%

*As of Mangsir 2080/81

Source: Department of Customs

In the first five months of FY 2080/81 import of diesel has increased by 15.41% compared to that of FY 2079/80.

CHANGE IN MAJOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS IMPORT (YoY)



FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT

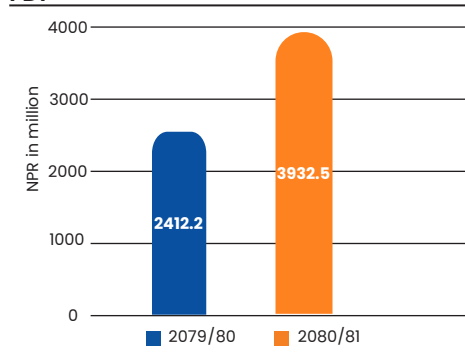
Mangsir(FY 2079/80)	Mangsir(FY 2080/81)
2412.2 (NPR in million)	3932.5 (NPR in million)

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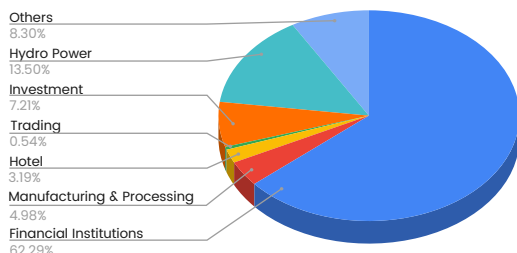
FDI increased by 63.03% in the first five months of current fiscal year compared to the previous fiscal year.

FDI



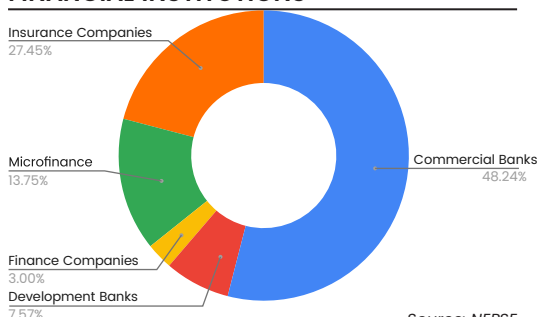


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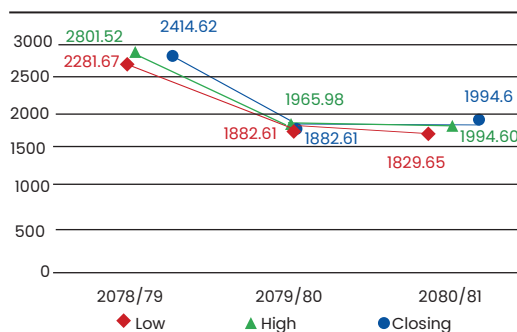
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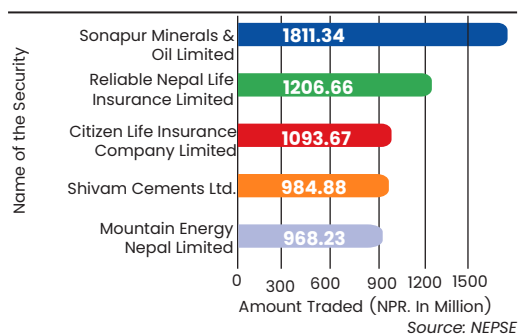


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TOP 5 SHARES BY TURNOVER



Source: NEPSE

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