

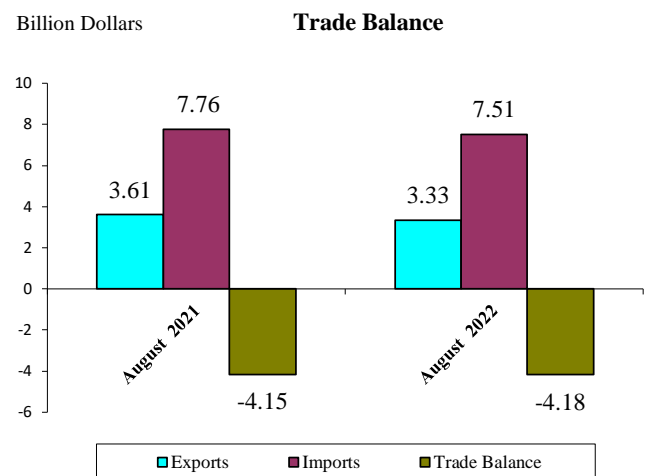


## 0.6 % An increase in trade Balance August 2022

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The deficit value of trade Balance reached 4.18 billion dollars during August 2022, versus 4.15 billion dollars for the same month of previous year, an increase of 0.6%.

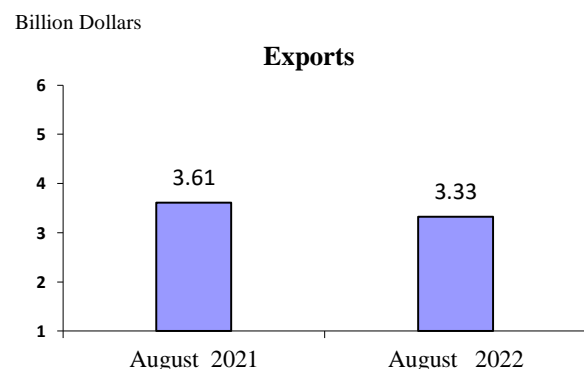


The most important indicator is as follows.

### ● Exports:

Exports value decreased by 7.6% as it reached 3.33 billion dollars during August 2022, versus 3.61 billion dollars for the same month of previous year, due to a decrease value of some commodities such as:

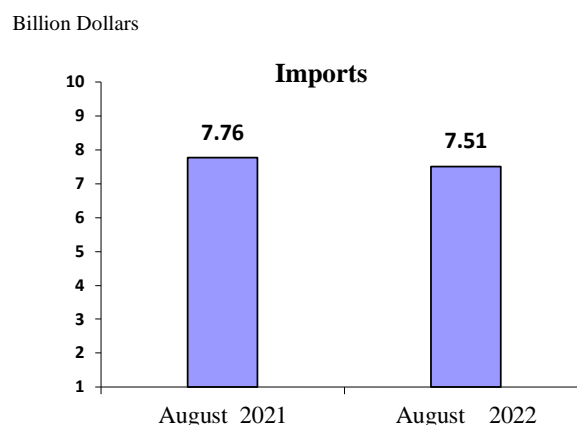
(Petroleum Products by 19.8% ,Crude Oil by 49.0%, plastics in their primary forms by 3.6%, Miscellaneous Edible Preparations by 17.0%)



While exports value of some commodities an increased during August 2022, versus the same month of previous year such as (liquefied natural gas by 179.1%, Fertilisers by 25.4%, ready-made clothes by 12.1%, Fruits, fresh by 72.8%).

## **Imports:**

Imports value decreased by 3.2 % as it reached 7.51 billion dollars during August 2022, versus 7.76 billion dollars for the same month of previous year, due to a decreased value of some commodities such as:



(Medicines and Pharmaceutical preparations by 21.8%, Primary Forms of Iron or Steel by 4.7%, Corn by 16.0%, soybeans by 7.5%).

Imports of some commodities an increased in August 2022, versus the same month of previous year such as :

(Crude Oil by 91.8%, Petroleum products by 35.2%, Wheat by 79.0%, plastics in their primary forms by 7.2%).

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