

Monthly report – Trade in Goods & Qualitative
Name of Mission (Country): Bahrain
August 2023

A. Trade in Goods

a) **Total trade in goods during**

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	Export (US \$ Million)	Import (US \$ Million)	Status Provisional (P) / Final (F)
Country's Trade with India	38.04	68.18	P
Country total global trade	862.91	1420.06	P

Source : Information & e Government Authority, Kingdom of Bahrain

b) **Preferential trade in goods during**

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S. No.	Preferential / Free Trade Agreement with India	Preferential imports from India (US\$ million)	Preferential Imports from World (US\$ million)
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(Source: Customs/National Trade Statistics of reporting country)

S. No.	Preferential / Free Trade Agreement with India	Preferential Exports to India (US\$ million)	Preferential Exports to World (US\$ million)
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(Source: based on Certificate of Origin issued by reporting country)

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c) **Top 10 items of Import from India during**

S No	Commodity (6 Digit HS code)	Value (US \$ million)	Quantity	Unit of Measurement	% share in the total import of the commodity
1	SEMI-MILLED OR WHOLLY MILLED RICE, WHETHER OR NOT POLISHED OR GLAZED 10063000	6.6	6452407.74	KG	88
2	PRIVATE CARS, CURRENT, SPARK IGNITION, 1001 TO 1500 CC 87032211	3.5	280	NO	37
3	FERRO-SILICO-MANGANESE 72023000	3.2	3065000	KG	100
4	REFINED SUGAR CRYSTALS 17019911	2.6	3531254	KG	67
5	TUBES, PIPES AND HOLLOW PROFILES, OF CAST IRON 73030000	2.2	3275139	KG	67
6	JEWELLERY OF GOLD 71131910	1.4	10502.688	G	13
7	Smartphones 85171300	1.4	6210	NO	9
8	FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS NOT IN COILS NOT FURTHER WORKED THAN HOT-ROLLED OF A THICKNESS OF 4.75 MM OR MORE BUT NOT EXCEEDING 10 MM 72085200	1.3	1542851.505	KG	72
9	OTHER BONELESS MEAT OF BOVINE ANIMALS, FROZEN 02023090	1.2	364012	KG	73
10	ONIONS FOR FOOD (GREEN OR DRY RIND), FRESH OR CHILLED 07031011	1.1	3125020.1	KG	84

Source : Information & e Government Authority, Kingdom of Bahrain

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d) Top 10 items of export to India

S No	Commodity (6 Digit HS Code)	Value (Us \$ Million)	Quantity	Unit Of Measurement	% Share In The Total Export Of The Commodity
1	UNWROUGHT ALUMINIUM ALLOYS 76012000	10.3	4245498	KG	4

2	METHANOL (METHYL ALCOHOL) 29051100	7.3	26651347	L	100
3	WASTE AND SCRAP OF TINNED IRON OR STEEL 72043000	5.2	13891	T	88
4	AMMONIA IN AQUEOUS SOLUTION 28142000	4.0	16272473	L	100
5	FERROUS PRODUCTS FROM THE DIRECT REDUCTION OF IRON ORE 72031000	3.9	6000000	KG	62
6	COPPER WASTE AND SCRAP 74040000	1.4	195	T	60
7	RESIDUES CONTAINING MAINLY ALUMINIUM 26204000	0.7	4350	T	92
8	ALUMINIUM WASTE AND SCRAP 76020000	0.7	418	T	93
9	Waste and scrap of lead-acid accumulators; spent lead-acid accumulators 85491100	0.6	552	T	100
10	WASTE AND SCRAP OF STAINLESS STEEL 72042100	0.5	265	T	100

Source : Information & e Government Authority, Kingdom of Bahrain

e) Potential item of imports from India

S No	Commodity (6 Digit HS code)	Rationale (Max 200 words)
1	Engineering Goods & Projects Exports (401180)	- In view of upcoming Infrastructure, and Energy projects including renewable Energy in Bahrain, there is a considerable scope to increase Engineering goods & project exports. There is export target of USD 366 million for engineering goods in 2023-24
2	Jewellery of gold (71131910)	- Bahrain is famous for its lustrous original pearl and the purity of gold, as these commodities are in great demand in Bahrain. There is a target of USD 91.3 million for export of Gem & jewellery in 2023-24
3	- Pharmaceuticals (300220) - Medical And Surgical Instruments (902214)	- India's share in Bahrain's pharma market has remained less than 2% of its import. Patented medicines and foreign drug companies dominate the Bahraini pharmaceutical market. However, the generic drug sector is expected to grow as the government is looking to raise health awareness and control costs. This provides Indian pharma companies opportunity to make inroads in Bahraini market. The Indian Pharmacopoeia (IP) recognition, taken up by the Mission, in Bahrain

		will also help in boosting the pharma exports and in supporting the 'Atmanirbhar Bharat' initiative.
4	Agro products (070960)	- There is considerable scope to increase export of organic food, processed cereals, protein bars, healthy beverages, dairy products etc.
5	Renewable Energy (850231) (854370)	- Bahrain has set target of net zero carbon emission by 2060 and has accordingly revised the renewable energy target to 20% by 2035. Hence, there is scope to increase our export of renewable energy products & services.
6	Rmg of all Textile Items (600320)	- There is a target of USD 20.3 million for export of Ready made garments textile in 2023-24

Source : Nirayat, Government of India

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B. Qualitative

- Month : Alerts on customs tariff changes:

S.No.	Notification no. and date	HS code	Description	Original customs tariff	Present customs tariff	Effective from	Remarks if any
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NIL during the period.

- Alerts on non tariff measures (SPS/TBT/ import and export procedures/ restrictions/ prohibitions, licensing/ STEs etc.):

S.No	Notification no./ date	Measure	Effective from	Remarks if any
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NIL during the period

- Alerts on standards, technical regulations and conformity assessment procedures:

S.No.	Notification no./ date	Standard/ technical regulation/ conformity assessment procedure	HS Codes	Effective from	Remarks if any
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NIL during the period.

d. Alerts on trade defense measures taken by respective country:

(Safeguards including special safeguard, antidumping, CVD or anti- subsidy)

S.No.	Notification no., date or other references	Type (initiation, final, prov., sunset, consultations, new shipper review)	Details of products/ sectors affected (including HS codes)	Effective from	Remarks if any
1	6.6.2020	Imposed Anti - Dumping Duty on Ceramic, Porcelain and Tiles imports of Origin or Export from China and India with effect from 6.6.2020.	HS:(250700)	6.6.2020	--
2	01.10.2022	Anti- Dumping on Motor Batteries - Ministry of Industry and Commerce in Bahrain has imposed anti-dumping duty on motor	HS:(850610)		WANA Division Ministry of Commerce has been notified of this.

		batteries capacity of 32 to 225 amps from Turkey and India effective from 01st October 2022 . Duties imposed on the engine batteries will be based on the dumping rate of the products. However, AGM and EFB battery types are exempted from the duties. Earlier Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Tourism in Bahrain on 07.05.2021 had initiated an anti-dumping investigation into imports of engine batteries from India, Turkey and Spain.			
3		Gulf Cooperation Council's Bureau of Technical Secretariat for Anti-Injurious Practices in International Trade has initiated anti-dumping investigation in respect of imports of semi-chemical fluting paper, fluting and test liner (recycled liner board) ("container board paper" or "subject merchandise") from Germany, France and India.	HS:(48081000)		Mission has sent a Note Verbale dated 29 th December 2022 to MoFA
4		As per Press Release dated 27 th August 2023 by Ministry of Industry and Commerce, Govt of Bahrain, the Office of the Technical Secretariat to Combat Harmful Practices in international trade of the Gulf Cooperation Council(GCC-TSAIP) will investigate import of porcelain sanitary ware products, falling under customs items 69101000-69109000 of the GCC Unified Customs Tariff(GCC Tariff), originated in or exported from China & India. As per Press Release importers and manufactures who wish to participate in the investigation should fill out	HS:(69101000-69109000)		

	the required forms and submit them to tsad@gccsg.org no later than 40 days after receiving the application form.			
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NIL during the period.

e. Alert on services, regulatory regime, qualification requirement, licensing procedures, visa regime, barriers etc.

S.No.	Notification no., and date or other references	Service sectors affected	Modes	Effective from	Remarks if any
-	Nil	NA	NA	NA	-

NIL during the period.

2. Feedback

a). Feedback from major Indian Industries/ other commercial concerns and Indian trade visitors to Bahrain.

S No.	Name of Business House	Activity Sector	Trade barriers Issues if any	General Feed Back (Max 200 words)

b). Feedback from major trade activities including logistic events (trade fairs/ BSM including Indian participation) -

S No.	Activity (Trade fair)	Date and Venue	Name(s) of large / key participants	Feedback received

c). Feedback from local commercial visitors to trade fairs in India, including under BSM, number of Business Visas issued. :

No	Activity (trade fair)	Date and Venue	List of large / key participants from Bahrain	Number of Business Visa issued	Feed Back received (Max 200 words)

D) Total business visa issued during the month of August , 2023 - 7

3. Trade & investment:

a. Significant Trends in trade & investment

S No	Category	Details of Significant Trends (200 Words)
1	Trade in Goods	<p>I) Global Trends for the period (August 2022 to August 2023)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Fall in Global Imports by Bahrain -5% ◆ Fall in Global Exports by Bahrain -33% <p>II) Trends in Trade with India (August 2022 to August 2023)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Fall in Import from India -27% ◆ Fall in Export to India -27% <p>III) Monthly Global Trends for Bahrain (July 2023 to August 2023)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Rise in Import by Bahrain 21% ◆ Rise in Export by Bahrain 0% <p>IV) Monthly Trends with India (July 2023 to August 2023)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Rise in Imports from India 36% ◆ Rise in Exports to India 15% <p>(Sources: https://www.data.gov.bh/en/ResourceCenter)</p>
2	Trade in Services	-----
3	Investment	<p>There are about 7521 Indian companies registered in Bahrain, some with partnership. (Source : NV Ref 424/2020:MOFA,Bahrain)</p> <p>2) As per RBI/DIPP statistics, cumulative FDI equity inflows from Bahrain into India have registered marked increase in recent years [US\$ 185.7334 mn from APRIL 2000 TO June 2023) Source : (https://dipp.gov.in/publications/fdi-statistics)</p>

b. Information on tender Notice for projects and procurement's of Interest to Indian Project exporters/ suppliers (USD15 million & above)

Tender notifications are available on: (<http://www.tenderboard.gov.bh>)

(I) Ministry of Works, Bahrain launched a public tender for upgrade of Tubli sewage treatment plant. The project includes procurement, maintenance fabrication supply installation of materials and pipelines consumables. We have posted this tender details in India trade portal.

c. Trade Queries for Import / Export (Annexure attached)

No.	Enquiry originator	Products	Nature (Import/Export)	Action Taken (Max.200 words)
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1	Indian Companies	Mixed	Export	The Mission has received 115 trade queries from India during August 2023. All the queries have been replied. The queries were mainly on food, ceramic & tiles, spices etc.
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4. Important India related statements of commercial significance by political leader, think tanks, chambers, associations etc. Significant stories/features on India related trade, Investment, services and logistic sector, publications in foreign journals/details etc.

(The Daily Tribune 03.08.2023) Food price stability vow: THE status of strategic stock of food commodities was discussed as Industry and Commerce Minister Adel Fakhro met Bahrain Chamber food sector committee head Khalid Al Amin. They discussed key topics related to the strategic food stock, including its ability to meet the needs of consumers in Bahrain, stressing the importance of stabilising the prices of commodities during the upcoming period in light of the rapid global changes, as some countries are currently banning the export of cheap broken white rice.

(The Daily Tribune 06.08.2023) Bahrain to host ‘Connections Luxury’ tourism event: TOURISM Minister and Bahrain Tourism and Exhi-bitions Authority (BTEA) chairman Fatima Al Sairafi announced that Bahrain will host the first “Connections Luxury” event in October in partnership with Jacobs Media Group. The event will invite top luxury tour operators from around the world to expe-rience Bahrain and its tour-ism offerings. The minister highlighted the significance of the event as a platform to showcase the ad-vancements in Bahrain’s tour-ism sector to attendees from various countries around the world. It also serves as an op-portunity to introduce the tar-geted countries for the event, including the UK, Germany, Russia, Spain, Italy, India, Egypt and the Gulf countries, to the appealing opportuni-ties offered by Bahrain to the tourism industry and inves-tors.

(Al Bilad 08.08.2023) India has banned the use of Chinese components in the drone: Amidst the recent tensions that marred the relationship between the two countries, it seems that India has begun in the past months to implement new standards towards imports from China. India in recent months has barred domestic manufacturers of military drones from using components made in China over concerns about security vulnerabilities, according to four defence and industry officials and documents reviewed by Reuters. India’s security leaders have expressed concern about the possibility of intelligence gathering through Chinese-made parts used in the drone’s communications system, cameras and drivers. Last week, the Chinese Ministry of Commerce announced the imposition of export controls with regard to some parade-related equipment. The ban on Chinese parts increased the cost of manufacturing military parades domestically, and forced Indian manufacturers to source or source components elsewhere.

(The Daily Tribune 15.08.2023) Foxconn boss sees potential to invest billions in India: Taiwanese tech giant and key Apple supplier Foxconn said yesterday it sees the potential to invest “several billion dollars” in India, with the firm looking to diversify its manufacturing away from China. Foxconn -- also known by its official name Hon Hai Precision Industry -- is the world’s biggest contract electronics manufacturer and assembles devices for many companies, most notably Apple’s iPhones. It operates in more than two dozen countries but the bulk of its operations is based in China -- a dependence it is looking to reduce, with media reports of major investments in India.

(Gulf Daily News 16.08.2023) Liberty Globaland Infosys sign \$1.6 billion deal: INDIAN software services exporter Infosys and Liberty Global have signed a 1.5 billion euro (\$1.64bn) agreement to evolve and scale the commu-nications firm’s digital enter-tainment and connectivity plat-forms, the companies said.

(Gulf Daily News 17.08.2023) Foxconn begins iPhone 15 production in India: APPLE Inc.’s next-

generation iPhone 15 is beginning production in Tamil Nadu, in an effort to further narrow the gap between its India operations and main manufacturing base in China. A Foxconn Technology Group plant in Sriperumbudur is preparing to deliver the newest devices only weeks after they start shipping from factories in China, as the company seeks to swiftly increase the volume of new iPhones coming from India, people familiar with the matter said.

(The Daily Tribune 17.08.2023) IndiGo adds new flights to Middle East: India's largest airline IndiGo has added new flights to the Middle East region. IndiGo, which controls about 58 percent of India's domestic market, launched two new direct flights last Friday connecting Ahmedabad with Jeddah and Abu Dhabi.

(The Daily Tribune 17.08.2023) Vietnam rice exporters negotiate higher prices: VIETNAMESE exporters have renegotiated higher prices for around half a million metric tonnes of rice, two trade sources said, as global prices climbed to 15-year highs following India's ban on overseas sales last month. The export ban by India, which accounts for 40 per cent of world rice supplies, has taken out 10 million tonnes of supplies from the international market.

(BNA/Al Watan 19.08.2023) India imposes a 40% tax on onion exports amid rising inflation: India has imposed a tax of up to 40 percent on onion exports, as Prime Minister Narendra Modi seeks to curb inflation ahead of a key election, Bloomberg News reported Saturday. A notice to the Ministry of Finance said today that the export tax will come into effect immediately, to continue until the end of the year.

(Gulf Daily News/Al Ayam 20.08.2023) India imposes 40 per cent duty on export of onions: INDIA will impose with immediate effect a 40 per cent export duty on onions up to December 31 in an attempt to improve domestic availability of the vegetable, the ministry of finance said in a notification yesterday. The duty imposed by the world's biggest exporter of onions will help New Delhi dampen local prices ahead of key state elections later this year but will force Asian buyers to shell out more, as other regional exporters have limited supplies. "The export duty will make Indian onions more expensive than those from Pakistan, China, and Egypt. This will naturally lead to lower exports and aid in reducing local prices," said Ajit Shah, an exporter based in Mumbai.

(Gulf Daily News/Akhbar Al Khaleej 21.08.2023) India's decision to impose export duty on onion 'won't affect Bahrain': FRUIT and vegetables trader Reda Al Bustani said Bahrain will not be affected by the Indian government's decision to impose an export duty of 40 per cent on onions until the end of this year, in a bid to check price rise and improve supplies in the domestic market. This is due to the availability of several alternatives to importing onions from several other countries such as Yemen, Egypt and Pakistan, he said, pointing out that prices will be based on supply and demand.

(Gulf Daily News 21.08.2023) Saudi Arabia and India sign accord on digital economy: SAUDI Arabia's Ministry of Communications and Information Technology yesterday signed a co-operation agreement on digitisation and electronic manufacturing with India, reported the Saudi Arabian Press Agency (SPA). The agreement was signed by Saudi Minister of Communications and Information Technology Abdullah Alswaha and Indian Minister for Railways, Communications, Electronics and Information Technology Ashwini Vaishnaw. The agreement seeks to enhance Saudi-Indian co-operation in the fields of digital infrastructure, e-health, and e-learning, and to strengthen the two countries' partnership in digital research and innovation and the use of emerging technologies. **(BNA 21.08.2023)**

Moroccan Foreign Minister discusses with his Indian counterpart regional and international issues of common concern: The Moroccan Minister of Foreign Affairs, Nasser Bourita, discussed, during a phone call with his Indian counterpart, Subrahmanyam Jaishankar, ways to enhance bilateral cooperation between the two countries, as well as discussing regional and international issues of common interest, especially Morocco's relations with the "BRICS" group.

(Gulf Daily News/The Daily Tribune/Akhbar Al Khaleej / Al Watan / Al Ayam / Al Bilad 22.08.2023) Economic relations with India reviewed: INDUSTRY and Commerce Minister Abdulla bin Adel Fakhro has stressed the importance of investing in the historical Bahraini-Indian relations to

develop economic partnerships. Mr Fakhro was speaking as he received Vinod K Jacob, the newly appointed Indian Ambassador to Bahrain. The meeting reviewed bilateral relations and ways to enhance co-operation in various sectors, especially economics and investment.

(Gulf Daily News 23.08.2023) India ‘not planning to restrict parboiled rice exports’: INDIA is not considering imposing any restrictions on exports of non-basmati parboiled rice, food secretary Sanjeev Chopra said yesterday. Last month, India surprised buyers by imposing a ban on the export of widely consumed non-basmati white rice, following a ban on broken rice exports last year. “There is no proposal as of now to restrict parboiled rice exports,” Chopra said in response to questions about whether India was considering imposing an export tax or introducing a floor price for parboiled rice exports.

(Al Ayam/Al Bilad 26.08.2023) India imposes a 20% export duty on parboiled rice: India imposed a 20% tariff on exports of parboiled rice with immediate effect, a move that could further reduce shipments from the world's largest exporter and raise global rice prices, which are already trading near 12-year highs.

(Gulf Daily News/Akhbar Al Khaleej 27.08.2023) India’s move to impose export duty on rice ‘will affect prices’: DECISION by the Indian government to levy a 20 per cent export tax on parboiled rice with immediate effect, according to a notification by the finance ministry late on Friday, will inevitably affect rice prices in global and local markets over time, said businessman Ibrahim Zainal. However, this depends on stock quantities of rice in the country, and the tax period imposed by India, as international prices change on a daily basis, he said.

(Gulf Daily News/Al Watan 28.08.2023) India sets price for export of basmati rice: INDIA has imposed a \$1,200 per tonne minimum export price (MEP) on basmati rice shipments, the government said yesterday, as the world’s biggest exporter tries to calm local prices. The south Asian country in July banned exports of non-basmati white rice and on Friday imposed 20 per cent duty on the exports of parboiled rice. But after the ban, some traders were classifying non-basmati white rice as basmati to overcome the export restriction, the government said. The MEP would help authorities ensure that non-basmati rice is not exported as basmati rice, they said.

(The Daily Tribune*BNA /Akhbar Al Khaleej / Al Watan/Al Ayam / Al Bilad 28.08.2023) Anti-dumping probe into China and India porcelain products: The Ministry of Industry and Commerce has announced that the Office of the Technical Secretariat will investigate imports of porcelain sanitary ware products, which originated in or exported from China and India. This falls under the customs items of the GCC Unified Customs Tariff (GCC Tariff), according to Law 48/2011 approving Antidumping, Countervailing Measures, and Safeguard Measures Rules of Implementation. Importers and manufacturers who wish to participate in the investigation.

(Akhbar Al Khaleej 28.08.2023) India imposes more restrictions on rice exports... and global prices are in danger: India imposed more curbs on shipments of rice to ensure its food security, a move by the top exporter that’s likely to further squeeze global supplies of the grain. According to the German News Agency, India has now restricted overseas sales of all non-basmati varieties, which account for about 80% of its total rice shipments. Its share in the global rice trade is about 40%.

(Gulf Daily News 29.08.2023) GCC seeking to restart FTA talks says India: THE Gulf Co-operation Council (GCC) is seeking to restart negotiations on a free trade agreement (FTA) with India, Zawya has reported citing a top minister of the world’s fifth-largest economy. The report quotes India’s Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal as saying to The Financial Express that while India has signed a Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA) with the UAE, some countries have individually sought an agreement.

(The Daily Tribune 29.08.2023) BHD00 reward for excellent employees: The cabinet Approved a memorandum submitted by Civil Service Council regarding amendment of civil service regulations and systems, where the Deputy king, His Royal Highness prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Directed to increase the Employee Excellence Reward to BD3,000. The aims to promote excellence, creativity and productivity across public sector agencies. The cabinet extended its

congratulations to the republic of India on its extraordinary achievement of landing a spacecraft on the moon's south pole, wishing India further success in its space explorations efforts.

(Gulf Daily News 31.08.2023) UAE's non-oil trade hits \$337.6bn in H1: The UAE's non-oil foreign trade reached a record 1.239 trillion dirhams (\$337.6 billion) in H1 2023, representing a growth of 14.4 per cent compared to the same period in 2022 – and 3pc more than H2 2022. The figures, released by the Economy Ministry, underline the continued upward trajectory of the nation's foreign trade, which has achieved quarter-on-quarter growth since 2020. China has retained its position as the UAE's leading global trading partner, followed by India, the US and Saudi Arabia. The UAE's non-oil exports to its top ten trading partners grew by a total of 22.9pc. Switzerland headed the top five non-oil export destinations, while Türkiye made a significant leap to second. Saudi Arabia and India occupied the third and fourth positions, respectively, while North Macedonia joined the list for the first time, ranking fifth.

5. Details of trade research, information dissemination activity of the commercial wing

S. No	Nature of activity (trade research, information dissemination, seminars etc) (Max 200 words)	Details of Seminar conference (date/venue, no of participants) or research (Max 200 words)	Details of trade research(title of report executive summary, date of publication) (Max 200 words)
1	56 th IHGF Delhi Fair (Autumn) 2023	12 th - 16 th October 2023	Disseminated the information to importers in Bahrain
2	UP International Trade Show	21-25 September 2023	Disseminated the information to importers in Bahrain
3	2nd edition Khilona- India Toys & Games Fair 2023	18 th to 20 th August 2023	Disseminated the information to importers in Bahrain
4	International Gem & Jewellery Show(IGJS) Buyer Seller Meet(s) 2023-24	10 th to 12 th October 2023	Disseminated the information to importers in Bahrain
5	2 nd Edition of World Food India (WFI) 2023	3 rd to 5 th November 2023	Disseminated the information to importers in Bahrain
6	SGCCI Global Connect-M84	23 rd September 2023 to 26 th February 2024	Disseminated the information to importers in Bahrain

6. Details of activities conducted out of Trade promotion budget:

BE for current financial year(2022-2023)	RE for current financial year	Amount Utilized	Details of Activity (Max 200 words)
Rs 2,50,000 (Funds provided in Trade Promotion, MOCI)			
Rs 2,00,000 Funds provided by MEA for Market Expansion Activity		Rs. 133303.41	- Expenditure towards releasing 30% payment to the company regarding market study on the "Manufacturing sector in Bahrain"

7. Action taken on previous JWGs' Joint Commissions, Sub-Commissions etc. (issues that Mission had follow up with host Government):

S No.	Details of JWG/JEC with date & Venue	Action Point (Max 200 words)	Action Taken (Max 200 words)

8. Complaints from foreign buyer/supplier on quality and trade dispute:

Name of Foreign buyer/supplier	Address & contact details of foreign buyer/supplier	Name & address of Indian exporter/importer	Brief description of complaint	The authority to whom the matter was referred and the date on which the matter was referred.	Any Outcome
Arifa Gulf Trading Co.Wll	Manama, Bahrain	SGM Corporation	Issues with the quality of exported goods. Made all payments to the Indian exporter but they are saying they have not received the full payment.	Embassy of India, Bahrain (01.08.2023)	Informed them to register with DGFT portal.
Al Akar Auto Spare parts	Salmabad, Bahrain	Apollo internationall ltd	Issues with the quality of exported batteries and have outstanding payment of BD 18,000.	Embassy of India, Bahrain (22.08.2023)	Communications are ongoing to settle the matter amicably.
Uniwelt Trading and Services wll	Sanabis, Bahrain	Zaroka Construction	The post dated cheque for the amount BD 5138 against a purchase was returned due to insufficient fund	Embassy of India, Bahrain (17.08.2023)	Since both companies are Bahrain based, we have advised them to file a complaint in Bahraini Court
Sky blue Trading Wll	Hooraa, Bahrain	Zaroka Construction	The post dated cheque for the amount BD 2289.65 against a purchase was returned due to insufficient fund	Embassy of India, Bahrain (17.08.2023)	Since both companies are Bahrain based, we have advised them to file a complaint in Bahraini Court
Machino World Trading Co.wll		Zaroka Construction	The post dated cheque for the amount BD 3011.25 against a purchase was returned due to insufficient fund	Embassy of India, Bahrain (24.08.2023)	Since both companies are Bahrain based, we have advised them to file a complaint in Bahraini Court

9. Complaints of Indian exporter/importer: -

Name of Indian exporter/importer	Address & address of foreign buyer/supplier	Brief description of complaint	The authority to whom the matter was referred and the date on which the matter was referred.	Any outcome
New Bharat Impex	Aldaaysi Sons Wll	Outstanding payment of USD 61773 was not paid by the buyer against the goods exported.	Embassy of India, Bahrain (05.08.2023)	Informed them to register with BCCI portal.

10. Any other issues for importance (Max 500 words)

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