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1. INTRODUCTION TO TRADE BETWEEN SRI LANKA & BELGIUM

Belgium was the 12th largest export destination for Sri Lanka in 2025. Total exports from Sri Lanka to Belgium amounted to USD 254.44 million, while total imports from Belgium to Sri Lanka during the same period were USD 47.31 million. Belgium ranked as the 35th largest import origin for Sri Lanka in 2025.

Sri Lanka's exports to Belgium increased by 6.42% in 2025 compared to 2024, whereas imports from Belgium declined by 10.42% during the same period.

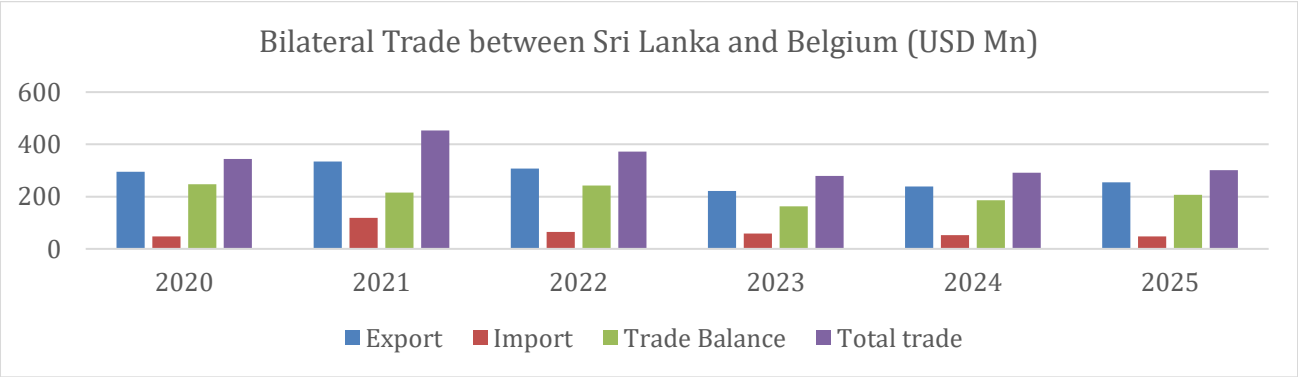
Sri Lanka's main export products to Belgium in 2025 included pneumatic and retreated rubber tyres and tubes, men's outerwear, gloves, mitts and mittens of textile, manufactured tobacco, T-shirts, tea packets, industrial and surgical gloves of rubber, women's outerwear, diamonds, and men's and women's undergarments.

The main import products from Belgium to Sri Lanka in 2025 comprised diamonds, unmanufactured tobacco, other electrical and electronic products, animal feed, pharmaceutical products, meat and preparations of meat/fish and dairy produce, miscellaneous edible preparations, manufactured tobacco, other products of plastics, other chemical products, motor vehicles and parts, and telephone sets, audio/video equipment and parts.

2. SRI LANKA'S BILATERAL TRADE WITH BELGIUM (2020-2025)

All Values in USD Million

Year	Export	Import	Trade Balance	Total trade
2020	295.48	48.28	247.2	343.76
2021	334.32	119.15	215.17	453.47
2022	307.68	64.64	243.04	372.32
2023	221.45	58.17	163.28	279.62
2024	239.09	52.81	186.28	291.9
2025	254.44	47.31	207.13	301.75



Source: Sri Lanka Customs

3. SRI LANKA'S TOP EXPORT PRODUCTS TO BELGIUM (2023-2025)

All Values in USD Million

No	Product	2023	2024	2025	% Avg. Growth
1	Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes	32.46	43.49	35.63	4.66
2	Gloves, Mitts & Mittens of Textile	23.69	28.91	29.15	10.37
3	Men's Outerwear	24.43	30.54	26.55	4.15
4	T-shirts	19.24	21.17	24.97	13.04
5	Women's Outerwear	10.46	12.07	19.7	31.64
6	Industrial & Surgical Gloves of Rubber	14.53	19.89	18.54	12.18
7	Manufactured Tobacco	19.4	17.14	18.33	-2.85
8	Tea Packets	15.51	12.67	12.98	-8.93
9	Warm Cloths (Jerseys, Pullovers etc)	6.95	4.63	8.04	7.29
10	Other Garments	1.7	4.4	6.5	67.15
11	Diamonds	9.95	8.12	6.48	-21.42
12	Men's and Women's Under Garments	8.34	6.52	6.42	-13.04
13	Other Textile Articles	3.88	5.82	6.01	21.81
14	Liquid Coconut Milk	2.01	2.19	4.89	44.53
15	Coconut Cream	0.35	1.65	4.78	130.11
16	Hosiery	2.24	1.56	3.15	17.05
17	Gems	0.28	0.35	2.74	114.6
18	Frozen Fish	2.66	2.74	2.63	-0.49
19	Made-up Textile Articles (Blankets, Rugs, Linen, Curtains etc)	2.48	1.84	2	-10.61
20	Desiccated Coconut	0.45	0.62	1.71	67.01
	Other Products	20.45	12.78	13.24	-21.73
	Total :	**221.45**	**239.09**	**254.44**	**6.94**

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

4. SRI LANKA'S TOP IMPORT PRODUCTS FROM BELGIUM (2023-2025)

All Values in USD Million

No	Product	2023	2024	2025	% Avg. Growth
1	Pharmaceutical Products	2.96	5.85	9.2	56.77
2	Other Electrical & Electronic Products	3.89	4.8	6.63	26.62
3	Diamonds	16.61	7.79	4.37	-66.8
4	Animal Feed	3.74	2.31	4.25	6.4
5	Meat, preparations of Meat/Fish & Dairy Produce	2.53	3.04	3.94	22.08
6	Manufactured Tobacco	2.05	1.84	2.8	15.42
7	Other Chemical Products	1.75	1.79	1.85	2.77
8	Miscellaneous Edible Preparations	2.39	2.58	1.79	-14.32
9	Other Products of Plastics	1.92	2.46	1.57	-10.01
10	Unmanufactured Tobacco	4.72	2.19	1.36	-62.29
11	Other Rubber Products	0.81	0.97	0.86	3.26
12	Boilers, Piston Engines, Pumps & Vacuum Pumps	0.37	0.26	0.78	37.98
13	Telephone Sets, Audio/Video Equipment & Parts	0.24	2.15	0.76	56.79
14	Other Products of Base Metal	0.5	0.62	0.59	8.11
15	Other Wood & Wooden Products	0.88	0.62	0.49	-29.69
16	Other Paper & Paper Products	0.89	0.76	0.42	-37.61
17	Soap, Washing Preparations, Waxes, Candles etc.	0.56	0.4	0.41	-15.51
18	Fertilizers	0.77	0.19	0.39	-34.55
19	Cartons, Boxes & Bags	0.75	0.52	0.32	-42.05
20	Coconut Vinegar	0.23	0.35	0.26	6.28
	Other Products	9.6	11.31	4.27	-40.53
	Total :	**58.17**	**52.81**	**47.31**	**-10.33**

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

5. POTENTIAL PRODUCTS FROM SRI LANKA TO BELGIUM

- Apparel
- Spices
- Jewellery & precious metal articles
- Plastics & rubber products
- Fruits
- Tea & mate
- Textile products
- Food products (processed or preserved)
- Miscellaneous manufactured products

Source: ICT Trade Map -https://exportpotential.intracen.org/

6. TOP SRI LANKAN EXPORTERS TO BELGIUM - 2025

No	Company Details	Products Exported within this Period
1	MAS CAPITAL PVT LTD	T-shirts, Women's Outerwear, Men's and Women's Under Garments, Warm Cloths (Jerseys, Pullovers etc), Men's Outerwear, Activewear/Sportswear, Other Garments nes, Made-up Clothing Accessories (Handkerchief, Shawls, Scarves, Ties etc)
2	ANSELL LANKA PVT LTD	Gloves, Mitts & Mittens of Textile, Industrial & Surgical Gloves of Rubber, Other Products of Base Metal, Cartons, Boxes & Bags
3	G P GARMENTS PVT LTD	Men's Outerwear, Warm Cloths (Jerseys, Pullovers etc), Women's Outerwear, T-shirts, Other Garments nes, Activewear/Sportswear, Made-up Textile Articles (Blankets, Rugs, Linen, Curtains etc), Made-up Clothing Accessories (Handkerchief, Shawls, Scarves, Ties etc), Sacs & Bags of Plastics, Other Paper & Paper Products nes, Woven Fabrics, Other Textile Articles nes, Other Products of Plastics, Buttons, Studs, Fasteners & Similar Products, Men's and Women's Under Garments
4	UNITED TOBACCO PROCESSING PVT LTD	Manufactured Tobacco, Unmanufactured Tobacco, Other Paper & Paper Products
5	YOKOHAMA TWS LANKA PVT LTD	Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes

6	ANSELL TEXTILES LANKA PVT LTD	Other Garments, Gloves, Mitts & Mittens of Textile, Made-up Textile Articles (Blankets, Rugs, Linen, Curtains etc), Other Toys, Games & Sport Requisites
7	YOKOHAMA TWS TYRES LANKA PVT LTD	Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes
8	AMSAFE BRIDPORT PVT LTD	Other Textile Articles, Made-up Textile Articles (Blankets, Rugs, Linen, Curtains etc), Other Products of Base Metal, Woven Fabrics, Other Products of Plastics
9	ATG HAND CARE PVT LTD	Gloves, Mitts & Mittens of Textile, Made-up Clothing Accessories (Handkerchief, Shawls, Scarves, Ties etc)
10	CEYLON TEA MARKETING PVT LTD	Tea Packets, Tea in Bulk
11	KANDETIYA AGRO PRODUCTS PVT LTD	Coconut Cream, Liquid Coconut Milk, Coconut Water
12	MICHELIN LANKA PVT LTD	Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes, Motor Vehicles & Parts, Gaskets, Washers, Seals etc. of Hard Rubber
13	YOKOHAMA TWS LK PVT LTD	Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes, Motor Vehicles & Parts
14	CBL GLOBAL FOODS LTD	Liquid Coconut Milk, Coconut Cream
15	TEXLAN CENTER PVT LTD	Hosiery

Source: Sri Lanka Customs