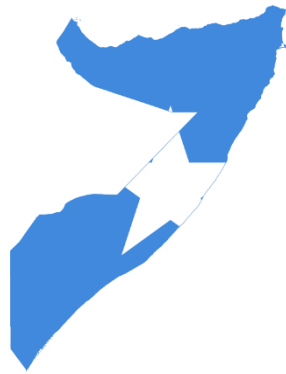


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## 1. INTRODUCTION TO TRADE BETWEEN SRI LANKA & SOMALIA

Somalia is the 77<sup>th</sup> export destination for Sri Lanka. The total export value from Sri Lanka to Somalia was 0.75Mn in 2025 and total imports from Somalia to Sri Lanka for the same period were 0.03Mn. Somalia is the 30<sup>th</sup> import origin for Sri Lanka.

Sri Lanka's exports to Somalia decreased by 42.87% in 2025 compared to the year 2024. Imports from Somalia decreased by 3.22% in 2025 when compared to the year 2024.

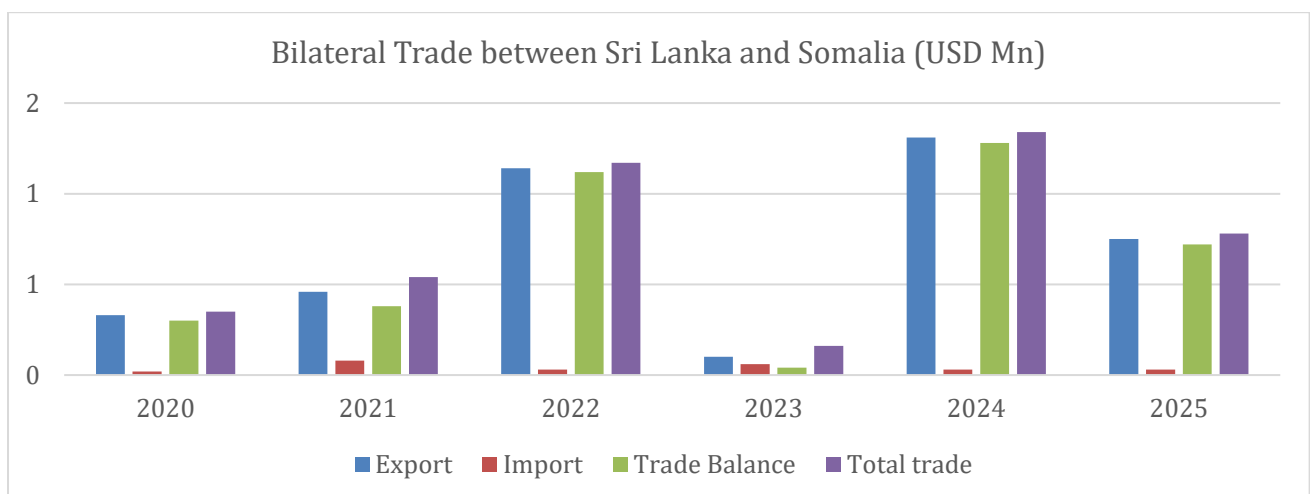
Sri Lanka's main export products to Somalia in 2025 were Animal Feed, Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes, New Stamps, Banknotes, Women's Outerwear, Tea Packets, T-shirts, Industrial & Surgical Gloves of Rubber, Transport Equipment, Miscellaneous Edible Preparations and Hosiery.

Sri Lanka's main import products from Somalia in 2025 were Miscellaneous Edible Preparations, Activated Carbon, Coconut Oil, Pharmaceutical Products, Electronic Circuits, Transistors, Valves, Manufactured Tobacco and Metal Furniture.

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

*All Values in USD Million*

Year	Export	Import	Trade Balance	Total trade
2020	0.33	0.02	0.30	0.35
2021	0.46	0.08	0.38	0.54
2022	1.14	0.03	1.12	1.17
2023	0.10	0.06	0.04	0.16
2024	1.31	0.03	1.28	1.34
2025	0.75	0.03	0.72	0.78



*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*

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

*All Values in USD Thousand*

No	Product	2023	2024	2025	% Avg. Growth
1	Boat Building		230.75	543.44	
2	Petroleum Oils		1043.88	69.99	
3	Other Chemical Products			65.7	
4	Other Cereals and its Products		27.28	22.01	
5	Other Products of Plastics		2.55	10.07	
6	Pharmaceutical Products	61.11		7.4	
7	Sacs & Bags of Plastics		2.04	7.31	
8	Boilers, Piston Engines, Pumps & Vacuum Pumps			6.43	
9	Tea Bagging, Packing, Cleaning, Weighing Machines			6.36	
10	Other Textile Articles nes			5.43	
11	Other Toys, Games & Sport Requisites			3.96	
12	Gaskets, Washers, Seals etc. of Hard Rubber		0.02	0.48	
13	Other Paper & Paper Products nes			0.3	
14	Other Electrical & Electronic Products		0.14	0.18	
15	Footwear			0.08	
16	Industrial & Surgical Gloves of Rubber			0.08	
17	Other Products of Base Metal	13.86	0.2	0.08	-258.6
18	Insulated Wires and Cables			0.05	
19	Made-up Textile Articles (Blankets, Rugs, Linen, Curtains etc)			0.04	
20	Rubber Plates, Sheets Rods of Vulcanized or Unhardened Rubber		1.98	0.03	
	Other Products	22.82	2.17	0.01	-378.87
	<b>Total :</b>	<b>97.79</b>	<b>1311.01</b>	<b>749.44</b>	<b>101.83</b>

*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*

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

*All Values in USD Thousand*

No	Product	2023	2024	2025	% Avg. Growth
1	Ornamental Fish	57.93	31.12	25.98	-40.09
2	Lemons	0.05		5.27	
3	Women's Outerwear			0.33	
4	Other Electrical & Electronic Products	0.1	0.01	0.07	-19.47
5	Other Chemical Products		1.52		
6	Telephone Sets, Audio/Video Equipment & Parts	0.03			
7	Cartons, Boxes & Bags				
	<b>Total :</b>	<b>58.12</b>	<b>32.65</b>	<b>31.64</b>	<b>-30.4</b>

*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*

#### 5. POTENTIAL PRODUCTS FROM SRI LANKA TO SOMALIA

- Tea
- Textiles and Apparel
- Spices
- Rubber Products
- Coconut and Coconut-Based Products

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

#### 6. TOP SRI LANKAN EXPORTERS TO SOMALIA - 2025

No	Company Details	Products Exported within this Period
1	DHANUSHA MARINE LANKA EXPORTS PVT LTD	Boat Building
2	NORTH WEST MARINE LANKA PVT LTD	Boat Building
3	MOCETI INTERNATIONAL PVT LTD	Petroleum Oils
4	MACKSONS PAINT INDUSTRIES PVT LTD	Chemical Products
5	A2H LOGISTICS PVT LTD	Boilers, Piston Engines, Pumps & Vacuum Pumps, Textile Articles, Boat Building, Toys
6	AUSSEE OATS MILLING PVT LTD	Cereals and its Products
7	TSUYOSHI TRADING CO PVT LTD	Products of Plastics, Sacs & Bags of Plastics
8	YADEN LABORATORIES PVT LTD	Pharmaceutical Products
9	MAKEEN ENERGY LANKA PVT LTD	Tea Bagging, Packing, Cleaning, Weighing Machines
10	E V R EXPORTS	Products of Plastics, Sacs & Bags of Plastics, Paper & Paper Products

*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*