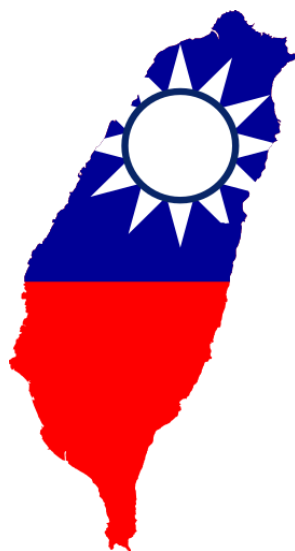


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1. INTRODUCTION TO TRADE BETWEEN SRI LANKA & TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA

Taiwan, Province of China is the 44th export destination for Sri Lanka. The total export value from Sri Lanka to Taiwan, Province of China was USD 51.9 Mn in 2025 and total imports from Taiwan, Province of China to Sri Lanka for the same period were USD 337 Mn. Taiwan, Province of China is the 14th import origin for Sri Lanka.

Sri Lanka's exports to Taiwan, Province of China has increased by 6.11% in 2025 when compared to the year 2024. Imports from Taiwan, Province of China has increased by 3.7% in 2025 when compared to the year 2024.

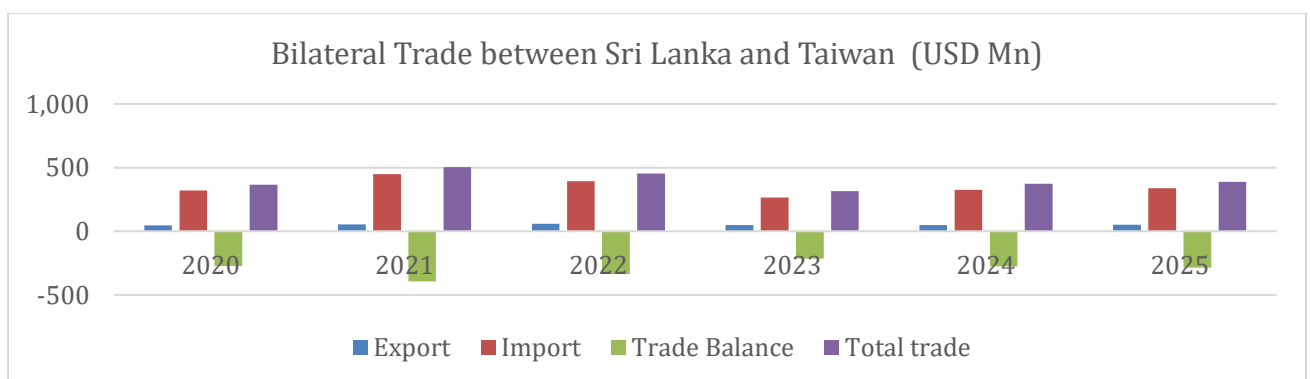
Sri Lanka's main export products to Taiwan, Province of China in 2025 were Tea in Bulk, Frozen Fish, Activated Carbon, Oil Seed, Refined Copper & Lead Alloys, Crabs, Tea Packets, Rubber Plates, Sheets Rods of Vulcanized or Unhardened Rubber, Coco Peat, Fiber Pith & Moulded products and Shrimps & Prawns.

Sri Lanka's main import products from Taiwan in 2025 were Knitted Fabrics, Woven Fabrics, Yarn, Synthetic Rubber, Products of Plastics, Electrical & Electronic Products, Products of Base Metal, Petroleum oil, Paper & Paper Products, Telephone Sets, Audio/ Video Equipment & Parts.

2. SRI LANKA'S BILATERAL TRADE WITH TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA (2020-2025)

Values in USD Million

| Year | Export | Import | Trade Balance | Total trade |
|------|--------|--------|---------------|-------------|
| 2020 | 45.88 | 319.44 | -273.56 | 365.32 |
| 2021 | 54.33 | 448.68 | -394.35 | 503.01 |
| 2022 | 58.27 | 394.25 | -335.98 | 452.52 |
| 2023 | 49.91 | 265.22 | -215.31 | 315.13 |
| 2024 | 48.91 | 324.98 | -276.07 | 373.89 |
| 2025 | 51.90 | 337.00 | -285.10 | 388.90 |



Source: Sri Lanka Customs

3. SRI LANKA'S TOP EXPORT PRODUCTS TO TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA (2023-2025)

Values in USD Million

| No | Product | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | % Avg. Growth |
|----|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1 | Tea in Bulk | 14.6 | 15.8 | 14 | -2.13 |
| 2 | Activated Carbon | 2.88 | 4.68 | 7.09 | 44.99 |
| 3 | Oil Seed | 2.69 | 0.32 | 4.82 | 29.07 |
| 4 | Refined Copper & Lead Alloys | 2.51 | 4.55 | 2.8 | 5.47 |
| 5 | Rubber Plates, Sheets Rods of Vulcanized or Unhardened Rubber | 1.56 | 1.89 | 1.89 | 9.8 |
| 6 | Tea Packets | 2.33 | 2.44 | 1.89 | -10.61 |
| 7 | Coco Peat, Fiber Pith & Moulded products | 0.97 | 1.21 | 1.88 | 33.08 |
| 8 | Other Tea | 1.16 | 1.37 | 1.69 | 18.53 |
| 9 | Frozen Fish | 2.93 | 1.41 | 1.48 | -34.15 |
| 10 | Crabs | 1.45 | 2.74 | 1.38 | -2.65 |
| 11 | Men's and Women's Under Garments | 1.5 | 0.87 | 1.11 | -15.18 |
| 12 | Industrial & Surgical Gloves of Rubber | 0.93 | 0.74 | 1.02 | 4.19 |
| 13 | Textile Articles | 0.27 | 0.2 | 0.93 | 61.18 |
| 14 | Processed Vegetables, Fruits & Juices | 0.84 | 0.83 | 0.85 | 0.45 |
| 15 | Yarn | 0.11 | 0.09 | 0.79 | 99.13 |
| 16 | Coconut Milk Powder | 0.5 | 0.43 | 0.69 | 15.79 |
| 17 | Mattresses & Mattress Supporters | 0.77 | 0.59 | 0.62 | -11.32 |
| 18 | Electrical & Electronic Products | 0.49 | 0.3 | 0.58 | 8.33 |
| 19 | Shrimps and Prawns | 1.86 | 0.97 | 0.53 | -62.39 |
| 20 | Instant Tea | 0.54 | 0.48 | 0.52 | -1.85 |
| | Other Products | 9.03 | 7.03 | 5.35 | -26.11 |
| | Total : | 49.9 | 48.9 | 51.9 | 1.91 |

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

4. SRI LANKA'S TOP IMPORT PRODUCTS FROM TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA (2023-2025)

Values in USD Million

| No | Product | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | % Avg. Growth |
|----|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1 | Knitted Fabrics | 93.8 | 112 | 109 | 7.28 |
| 2 | Petroleum Oils | 0.07 | 14.4 | 45.7 | 322.41 |
| 3 | Woven Fabrics | 32.2 | 39.4 | 32.5 | 0.51 |
| 4 | Products of Plastics | 23.8 | 29.4 | 25.5 | 3.52 |
| 5 | Products of Base Metal | 15 | 15.5 | 16.9 | 5.97 |
| 6 | Electrical & Electronic Products | 15.8 | 16 | 16.9 | 3.39 |
| 7 | Yarn | 15.6 | 15.2 | 14.8 | -2.47 |
| 8 | Synthetic Rubber | 8.55 | 14.8 | 10.1 | 8.51 |
| 9 | Paper & Paper Products | 5.8 | 7.58 | 8.9 | 21.47 |
| 10 | Telephone Sets, Audio/Video Equipment & Parts | 3.74 | 6.94 | 4.5 | 9.27 |
| 11 | Textile Articles | 3.4 | 4.03 | 4.44 | 13.32 |
| 12 | Chemical Products | 4.99 | 4.86 | 4.16 | -9.17 |
| 13 | Paints, Varnishes and Dyeing Extracts | 4.14 | 4.34 | 4.02 | -1.48 |
| 14 | Motor Vehicles & Parts | 3.93 | 1.87 | 3.53 | -5.35 |
| 15 | Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes | 3.06 | 3.1 | 2.75 | -5.28 |
| 16 | Electronic Circuits, Transistors, Valves, Cathode Tubes etc. | 2.21 | 1.9 | 2.46 | 5.24 |
| 17 | Glass & Glassware | 1.94 | 2.52 | 2.43 | 11.24 |
| 18 | Organic Chemicals | 3.13 | 3.06 | 2.32 | -14.92 |
| 19 | Automatic Data Processing Machines | 1.43 | | 2.17 | 20.81 |
| 20 | Made-up Clothing Accessories (Handkerchief, Shawls, Scarves, Ties etc) | 1.65 | 1.59 | 1.57 | -2.5 |
| | Other Products | 21 | | 22.8 | 4.05 |
| | Total : | 265.22 | 324.98 | 337.00 | 11.98 |

Source: Sri Lanka Customs

5. POTENTIAL PRODUCTS FROM SRI LANKA TO TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA

- Tea & mate
- Apparel
- Machinery, electricity
- Food products (processed or preserved)
- Chemicals
- Plastics & rubber
- Fish & shellfish
- Crops
- Optical products, watches & medical instruments
- Vegetal residues & animal feed

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

6. TOP SRI LANKAN EXPORTERS TO TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA - 2025

| No | Company Details | Products Exported within this Period |
|----|------------------------------|--|
| 1 | MABROC TEAS PVT LTD | Tea in Bulk, Other Tea, Green Tea, Instant Tea, Tea Packets |
| 2 | JACOBI CARBONS LANKA PVT LTD | Activated Carbon |
| 3 | AGROMET ASIA PVT LTD | Refined Copper & Lead Alloys |
| 4 | TEA TANG PVT LTD | Tea in Bulk, Miscellaneous Edible Preparations, Instant Tea, Tea Packets |
| 5 | HAYCARB PLC | Activated Carbon |
| 6 | IKON EXIM PVT LTD | Oil Seed |
| 7 | CONTINENTAL TEA PVT LTD | Tea in Bulk, Other Tea, Tea Packets |
| 8 | VINTAGE TEAS CEYLON PVT LTD | Tea in Bulk |
| 9 | EARTHFOAM PVT LTD | Rubber Plates, Sheets Rods of Vulcanized or Unhardened Rubber |
| 10 | MANISHA EN CARBON PVT LTD | Activated Carbon |
| 11 | ALPEX MARINE PVT LTD | Crabs, Shrimps and Prawns, Edible Fish |
| 12 | C W MACKIE PLC | Oil Seed, Sacs & Bags of Plastics |
| 13 | S & S LANKA GLOVES PVT LTD | Industrial & Surgical Gloves of Rubber, Sacs & Bags of Plastics |
| 14 | MAS CAPITAL PVT LTD | Electrical & Electronic Products, T-shirts, Warm Cloths (Jerseys, Pullovers etc) |
| 15 | CEYLON FRESH TEAS PVT LTD | Tea Packets, Tea in Bulk |

Source: Sri Lanka Customs