

# **MARKET AND COUNTRY**

## **BRIEF ON**

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

Belarus is the 92<sup>nd</sup> export destination for Sri Lanka. Total export value from Sri Lanka to Belarus was USD 4.65 Mn in 2024 and total imports from Belarus to Sri Lanka for the same period were USD 0.21 Mn. Belarus is the 111<sup>th</sup> import origin for Sri Lanka in 2024.

Sri Lanka's exports to Belarus has increased by 26% in 2024 when compared to the year 2023. Imports from Belarus has decreased significantly in 2024 when compared to the year 2023.

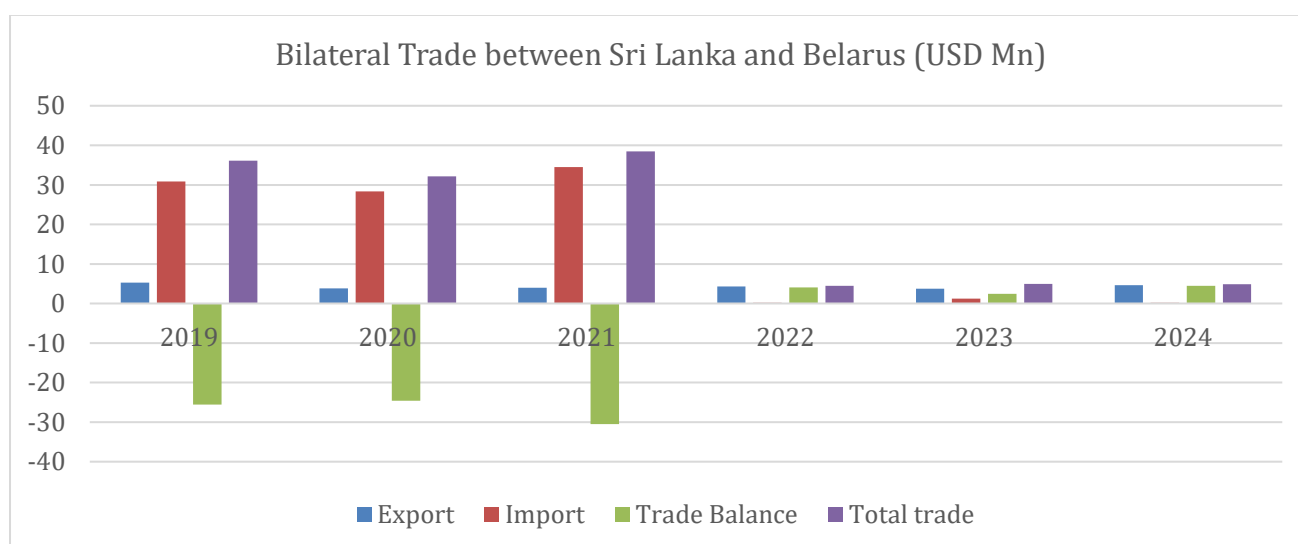
Sri Lanka's main export products to Belarus in 2024 were Tea Packets, Mixed Coir Fiber, Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes, and Mattress Fiber, Coco Peat, and Fiber Pith & Moulded products, Plants and Parts of Plants, Coconut Oil, Tea in Bulk, Other Tea, and Coconut Milk Powder.

Sri Lanka's main imports products from Belarus in 2024 were Fertilizers, Paper & Paper Products, Labels Printed, Plastic Products.

## 2. SRI LANKA'S BILATERAL TRADE WITH BELARUS (2019-2024)

*All Values in USD Million*

| Year | Export | Import | Trade Balance | Total trade |
|------|--------|--------|---------------|-------------|
| 2019 | 5.27   | 30.85  | -25.58        | 36.12       |
| 2020 | 3.79   | 28.38  | -24.59        | 32.17       |
| 2021 | 3.98   | 34.49  | -30.51        | 38.47       |
| 2022 | 4.29   | 0.19   | 4.10          | 4.48        |
| 2023 | 3.70   | 1.27   | 2.43          | 4.97        |
| 2024 | 4.65   | 0.21   | 4.44          | 4.86        |



*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*

### 3. SRI LANKA'S TOP EXPORT PRODUCTS TO BELARUS (2022-2024)

*All Values in USD Thousands*

| No | Product                                   | 2021            | 2022            | 2023            | % Avg. Growth |
|----|---|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| 1  | Tea Packets                               | 2,096.44        | 2,719.10        | 2,969.77        | 17.41         |
| 2  | Mixed Coir Fiber                          | 1,375.82        | 415.33          | 453.41          | -55.5         |
| 3  | Electrical & Electronic Products          | -               | -               | 429.14          | -             |
| 4  | Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber products     | 428.94          | 399.84          | 357.76          | -9.07         |
| 5  | Manufactures                              | -               | -               | 322.9           | 591.53        |
| 6  | Plants and Parts of Plants                | 31.47           | 24.48           | 33.18           | 2.65          |
| 7  | Coconut Milk Powder                       | 3.45            | 6.23            | 23.16           | 95.16         |
| 8  | Cinnamon                                  | 6.21            | 5.84            | 21.29           | 61.6          |
| 9  | Coco Peat, Fiber Pith & Moulded products  | -               | 30.5            | 14.04           | -             |
| 10 | Telephone Sets, Audio/Video Equipment     | -               | -               | 12.49           | -             |
| 11 | Mattress Fiber                            | 344.42          | 44.97           | 7.76            | -189.65       |
| 12 | Coconut Oil                               | -               | 18.11           | 7.35            | -             |
| 13 | Electronic Circuits, Transistors, Valves, | -               | -               | 0.98            | -             |
| 14 | Switches, Boards & Panels                 | -               | -               | 0.73            | -             |
| 15 | Coconut Flour                             | -               | -               | 0.54            | -             |
| 16 | Products of Plastics                      | -               | -               | 0.18            | 304.77        |
| 17 | Jewellery Boxes, Cloth Hangers            | -               | 2.29            | 0.13            | 276.14        |
| 18 | Paper & Paper Products                    | -               | -               | 0.02            | 170.03        |
| 19 | Wood & Wooden Products                    | -               | -               | 0.01            | -             |
| 20 | Tableware & Kitchenware                   | -               | 0.01            | 0.01            | -             |
|    | Other Products                            | 4.96            | 31.75           | -               | -389.79       |
|    | <b>Total:</b>                             | <b>4,291.72</b> | <b>3,698.45</b> | <b>4,654.86</b> | <b>4.06</b>   |

*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*

#### 4. SRI LANKA'S TOP IMPORT PRODUCTS FROM BELARUS (2022-2024)

*All Values in USD Thousands*

| No | Product                            | 2022          | 2023            | 2024          | % Avg. Growth |
|----|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1  | Fertilizers                        | -             | 1,159.38        | 177.42        | -             |
| 2  | Labels Printed or Not              | 20.58         | 17.87           | 15.66         | -13.66        |
| 3  | Products of Plastics               | 6.81          | 0.38            | 5.54          | -10.39        |
| 4  | Manufactures                       | 13.47         | 16.91           | 4.35          | -56.54        |
| 5  | Paper & Paper Products             | 141.49        | 79.13           | 1.48          | -228.16       |
| 6  | Automatic Data Processing Machines | -             | -               | 0.88          | -             |
| 7  | Tea                                | -             | 0.05            | -             | -             |
| 8  | Electrical & Electronic Products   | 8.38          | -               | -             | -             |
| 9  | Miscellaneous Edible Preparations  | 0.02          | -               | -             | -             |
|    | <b>Total:</b>                      | <b>190.76</b> | <b>1,273.72</b> | <b>205.31</b> | <b>3.68</b>   |

*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*

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

- Apparel
- Spices
- Cotton
- Textile fabric
- Machinery, electricity
- Food products
- Fruits
- Synthetic textile fabric
- Tea & mate

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

## 6. TOP SRI LANKAN EXPORTERS TO BELARUS - 2024

| No | Company Details                         | Products Exported within this Period  |
|----|---|---------------------------------------|
| 1  | REGENCY TEAS PVT LTD                    | Tea Packets                           |
| 2  | BASILUR TEA EXPORT PVT LTD              | Tea Packets, Plants, Jewellery Boxes  |
| 3  | HAYLEYS FREE ZONE LTD                   | Electrical & Electronic Products      |
| 4  | ATIRE PVT LTD                           | Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber products |
| 5  | KARPOS CONSULTANTS PVT LTD              | Mixed Coir Fiber                      |
| 6  | EMPIRE BRANDS PVT LTD                   | Tea Packets                           |
| 7  | GEORGE STEUART TEAS PVT LTD             | Tea Packets                           |
| 8  | JAFFERJEE BROTHERS                      | Tea Packets                           |
| 9  | MASKELIYA TEA GARDENS CEYLON LTD        | Tea Packets, Cinnamon                 |
| 10 | IMPERIAL TEA EXPORTS PVT LTD            | Tea Packets                           |
| 11 | CHAMAKA LANKA COCONUT PRODUCT EXPORTERS | Mixed Coir Fiber                      |
| 12 | VENTURE TEA PVT LTD                     | Tea Packets                           |
| 13 | ROYAL TOUCH CEYLON TEA PVT LTD          | Tea Packets                           |
| 14 | MANISHA EXPORTS PVT LTD                 | Mixed Coir Fiber, Mattress Fiber      |
| 15 | ASSOCIATED MOTORWAYS PVT LTD            | Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber products |

*Source: Sri Lanka Customs*