

# Mineral Import of Thailand (Fiscal Year) 2014 - 2015 (Oct.-Mar)

Quantity : Tonnes  
Value : Million Baht

Mineral	2014		2015		Percentage	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Aluminium ore	21,487	158.5	22,636	183.1	5.35%	15.52%
Andalusite, Kyanite and Sillimanite	2,055	25.4	1,268	14.8	-38.31%	-41.73%
Anthracite	50,592	319.7	88,791	379.8	75.51%	18.80%
Antimony ore	3,656	128.4	2,688	167.9	-26.49%	30.73%
Apatite (ground)	1,214	6.2	401	2.3	-66.93%	-63.09%
Asbestos	20,688	339.8	17,163	306.4	-17.04%	-9.82%
Attapulgit	40	1.5	82	3.0	105.00%	100.00%
Ball Clay	5,984	24.2	5,714	24.5	-4.51%	1.24%
Barite	51,192	199.4	37,553	89.5	-26.64%	-55.11%
Basalt	11,288	83.2	13,717	86.3	21.52%	3.73%
Bentonite	49,772	315.8	50,709	348.2	1.88%	10.27%
Bituminous coal	4,794,405	13,486.4	5,074,563	12,621.0	5.84%	-6.42%
Calcite	41	0.1	-	-	-100.00%	-100.00%
Chalk	63	1.0	26	1.7	-58.43%	64.33%
Chromite ore	1,124	16.2	685	9.2	-39.01%	-43.20%
Coal Solid Fuels from Coal	4,634,553	8,411.2	4,686,591	8,159.4	1.12%	-2.99%
Cobalt ore	-	-	0*	0.0**	-	-
Coke	18,494	235.5	17,967	202.1	-2.85%	-14.18%
Columbite	21	10.3	132	54.6	539.32%	428.52%
Copper	5,076	27.7	10,841	459.8	113.59%	1560.36%
Dolomite	384	5.0	1,393	23.2	262.77%	362.51%
Ecaussine	1,618	19.8	476	3.9	-70.58%	-80.30%
Emery	5,686	58.5	13,630	126.2	139.73%	115.68%
Feldspar						
- Potassium	14,566	47.3	21,066	73.6	44.62%	55.56%
- Sodium	1,801	7.3	503	2.0	-72.07%	-72.64%
- Other Feldspar	2,540	16.7	5,479	34.9	115.69%	108.92%
Fireclay	374	6.6	343	3.9	-8.29%	-40.63%
Flint	577	4.7	17,905	9.1	3003.08%	93.03%
Fluorite	280	5.7	242	4.4	-13.53%	-22.15%
Granite	60,115	236.9	62,500	283.7	3.97%	19.78%
Graphite	787	58.3	3,642	69.6	363.08%	19.43%
Gypsum	179	2.9	324	5.1	80.73%	77.32%
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Iron ore	2,155	17.6	1,277	10.2	-40.75%	-41.93%
Iron Pyrites	133	1.8	138	1.9	4.02%	2.74%
Kaolin						
- Ceramic	7,330	71.5	105,397	89.0	1337.94%	24.49%
- Paper	2,249	21.5	3,282	32.5	45.89%	51.31%
- Others	31,018	318.4	34,406	354.9	10.92%	11.47%
Kieserite	3,497	20.9	1,336	8.3	-61.80%	-60.24%
Lignite	14,317	19.6	16,641	25.1	16.23%	28.30%
Limestone	751	2.0	1,581	1.4	110.54%	-30.00%
Lucite, Nepheline and Nepheline Syenite	550	5.8	610	6.6	10.82%	13.26%
Magnesite	3,832	43.2	2,343	30.4	-38.85%	-29.63%
Manganese ore	7,559	16.6	6,568	13.5	-13.11%	-18.64%
Marble	14,721	146.2	20,239	200.9	37.48%	37.42%
Mica	2,141	52.9	2,636	76.4	23.13%	44.54%
Molybdenite ore	4,577	323.3	7,438	650.5	62.51%	101.22%
Mullite	972	13.9	1,023	15.8	5.24%	13.68%
Niobium and Vanadium ore	6,228	407.3	6,864	743.6	10.22%	82.57%
Orpiment	6	0.3	81	0.5	1250.00%	66.67%
Peat	3,751	33.6	4,500	34.9	19.98%	3.96%
Phosphate (ground)	0*	0.0*	1	0.03	-	-
Pumice stone	2,486	26.9	2,460	23.9	-1.02%	-11.15%
Pyrophyllite	15	0.7	0*	0.0**	-	-
Quartz	2,901	19.8	2,007	13.9	-30.83%	-29.69%
Sandstone	379	5.7	659	8.2	73.88%	43.86%
Silica sand	62,453	128.7	87,682	166.6	40.40%	29.49%
Silver ore	8	0.8	4	0.4	-41.67%	-50.56%
Slate	98	0.6	52	0.4	-47.05%	-34.85%
Steatite	335	6.3	390	8.1	16.30%	28.84%
Sulphur	58,536	283.1	63,384	384.1	8.28%	35.68%
Talc	68,659	816.0	68,547	849.0	-0.16%	4.04%
Tantalite	29	49.9	174	342.9	490.40%	587.80%
Tin ore	898	411.2	3,457	1,253.8	284.80%	204.92%
Titanium ore						
- Rutile	3,016	116.8	2,584	86.0	-14.34%	-26.34%
- Leucoxene	600	22.5	1,100	37.1	83.33%	64.75%
- Ilmenite	520	8.8	500	7.7	-3.85%	-12.69%
- Other Titanium ore	22	1.1	3,733	47.4	16860.08%	4263.41%
Travertine	17	0.1	-	-	-100.00%	-100.00%
Tungsten						
- Scheelite	-	0.0*	-	-	-	-
- Wolfram	5	1.3	-	-	-100.00%	-100.00%
Vermiculite, Perlite and Chlorites	1,964	18.1	2,511	22.4	27.85%	23.63%
Witherite	100	1.4	48	0.7	-51.93%	-49.64%
Zinc ore	40,316	814.8	46,382	1,112.6	15.05%	36.55%
Zirconium ore	10,546	239.2	40,640	415.2	285.37%	73.60%
<b>Total</b>		<b>28,751.3</b>		<b>30,832.5</b>		<b>7.24%</b>

0\* denoting the amount of less than 0.1 metric tonnes

0.0\*\* denoting the amount of less than 0.05 million baht

Source : Department of Primary Industries and Mines, in cooperation with the Customs Department.