

# Mineral Import of Thailand (Fiscal) Year 2015 - 2016

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Quantity : Tonnes Value : Million Baht

Mineral	2015		2016		Percentage	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Aluminium ore	30,982	280.5	32,575	277.0	5.14%	-1.25%
Andalusite, Kyannite and Sillimanite	2,310	27.0	5,357	59.3	131.95%	119.63%
Anthracite	189,831	791.3	111,769	475.7	-41.12%	-39.88%
Antimony ore	5,808	358.6	3,581	89.2	-38.34%	-75.13%
Apatite (ground)	488	2.6	1,350	5.6	176.44%	115.38%
Asbestos	34,009	617.1	36,195	598.6	6.43%	-3.00%
Attapulqite	167	6.4	175	7.4	4.79%	15.63%
Ball Clay	9,787	45.8	13,588	81.4	38.84%	77.73%
Barite	86,027	175.3	95,112	167.1	10.56%	-4.68%
Basalt	25,554	177.0	40,637	303.3	59.03%	71.36%
Bentonite	108,522	738.0	107,453	784.2	-0.98%	6.26%
Bituminous coal	10,931,279	26,961.0	10,123,803	23,362.9	-7.39%	-13.35%
Chalk	77	5.2	64	1.8	-	-
Chromite ore	1,981	25.6	2,309	29.4	16.55%	14.84%
Coal Solid Fuels from Coal	10,712,314	18,146.9	10,547,882	15,711.2	-1.53%	-13.42%
Cobalt ore	0.02	0.01	-	-	-	-
Coke	28,657	337.9	26,751	295.9	-6.65%	-12.43%
Columbite	319	143.1	25	9.8	-92.16%	-93.15%
Copper	19,905	823.8	20,451	619.7	2.74%	-24.78%
Dolomite	2,101	33.8	941	9.5	-55.21%	-71.89%
Ecaussine	476	3.9	-	-	-	-
Emery	22,012	201.6	10,348	99.2	-52.99%	-50.79%
Feldspar						
- Potassium	40,634	136.8	25,515	93.5	-37.21%	-31.65%
- Sodium	1,674	6.9	1,901	8.3	13.56%	20.29%
- Other Feldspar	14,377	82.9	7,741	59.5	-46.16%	-28.23%
Fireclay	514	6.8	1,375	17.3	167.58%	154.41%
Flint	38,668	16.8	11,001	11.7	-71.55%	-30.36%
Fluorite	411	7.6	461	7.0	12.17%	-7.89%
Granite	121,065	537.3	115,828	481.2	-4.33%	-10.44%
Graphite	5,325	123.6	5,692	131.3	6.89%	6.23%
Gypsum	423	7.6	270	4.4	-	-
Ilmenite ore	146	4.9	176	5.3	20.56%	8.16%
Iron ore	2,239	16.7	2,172	11.7	-3.00%	-29.94%
Iron Pyrites	352	4.9	256	4.0	-27.36%	-18.37%
Kaolin						
- Ceramic	121,340	189.1	23,849	195.6	-80.35%	3.44%
- Paper	4,901	51.4	4,556	51.3	-7.03%	-0.19%
- Others	71,396	710.8	65,742	684.0	-7.92%	-3.77%
Kieserite	9,229	52.8	5,367	32.8	-41.85%	-37.88%
Lead ore	1	0.03	30	0.4	2900.00%	1233.33%
Lignite	39,305	57.5	35,211	51.7	-10.42%	-10.09%
Limestone	2,131	4.6	14,832	15.2	595.97%	230.43%
Lucite, Nepheline and Nepheline Syenite	646	7.7	386	11.8	-40.24%	53.25%
Magnesite	4,184	53.1	2,685	34.8	-35.83%	-34.46%
Manganese ore	22,566	48.7	12,843	23.2	-43.09%	-52.36%
Marble	47,001	486.4	61,999	601.8	31.91%	23.73%
Mica	5,204	159.3	5,711	169.8	9.74%	6.59%
Molybdenite ore	14,434	1,068.2	7,100	628.0	-50.81%	-41.21%
Mullite	1,796	26.8	2,213	37.0	23.21%	38.06%
Nickel ore	0.1	0.1	7	2.5	6900.00%	2400.00%
Niobium and Vanadium ore	7,238	1,258.7	22,753	1,808.1	214.34%	43.65%
Orpiment	166	1.2	14	0.7	-91.57%	-41.67%
Peat	12,198	102.6	14,756	125.1	20.97%	21.93%
Phosphate						
- Ground	1	0.0**	0.02	0.01	-98.10%	-
- Unground	0.03	0.0**	250	1.2	833233.33%	-
Pumice stone	5,060	50.0	4,700	50.8	-7.12%	1.60%
Pyrophyllite	0.1	0.0*	-	-	-	-
Quartz	8,395	71.3	12,209	112.5	45.44%	57.78%
Sandstone	5,631	15.3	8,043	7.7	42.85%	-49.67%
Silica sand	141,661	266.8	141,506	275.2	-0.11%	3.15%
Silver ore	12	1.3	6	0.4	-51.92%	-69.23%
Slate	119	1.4	189	2.2	59.10%	57.14%
Steatite	641	13.9	542	15.9	-15.39%	14.39%
Sulphur	124,461	769.7	117,478	544.1	-5.61%	-29.31%
Talc	135,128	1,618.3	139,372	1,687.7	3.14%	4.29%
Tantalite	346	636.6	216	353.4	-37.48%	-44.49%
Tin ore	6,304	2,048.5	7,176	2,309.1	13.83%	12.72%
Titanium ore						
- Rutile	4,849	160.6	4,618	146.8	-4.76%	-8.59%
- Leucoxene	2,698	92.4	2,620	88.2	-2.89%	-4.55%
- Ilmenite	1,020	15.1	960	14.4	-5.88%	-4.64%
- Other Titanium ore	3,768	48.2	26	0.7	-99.31%	-98.55%
Travertine	-	-	-	0.0**	-	-
Tungsten (other)	0.4	0.8	-	-	-	-
Vermiculite, Perlite and Chlorites	4,655	41.8	5,394	57.6	15.88%	37.80%
Witherite	143	2.0	253	3.7	76.92%	85.00%
Xenotime	40	0.5	-	-	-	-
Zinc ore	100,339	2,366.6	34,922	800.5	-65.20%	-66.18%
Zirconium ore	97,957	984.1	44,974	577.5	-54.09%	-41.32%
<b>Total</b>		<b>64,339.4</b>		<b>55,346.8</b>		<b>-13.98%</b>

0\* denoting the amount of less than 0.01 metric tonnes

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