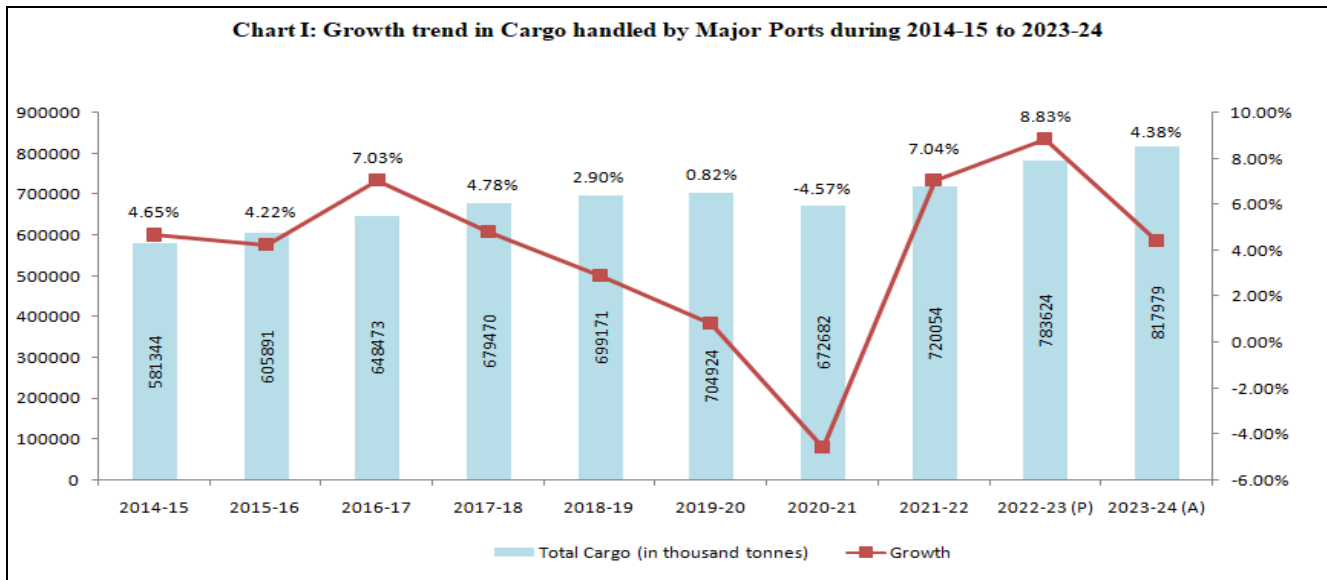


CARGO HANDLING STATUS FOR MAJOR PORTS DURING MARCH 2024

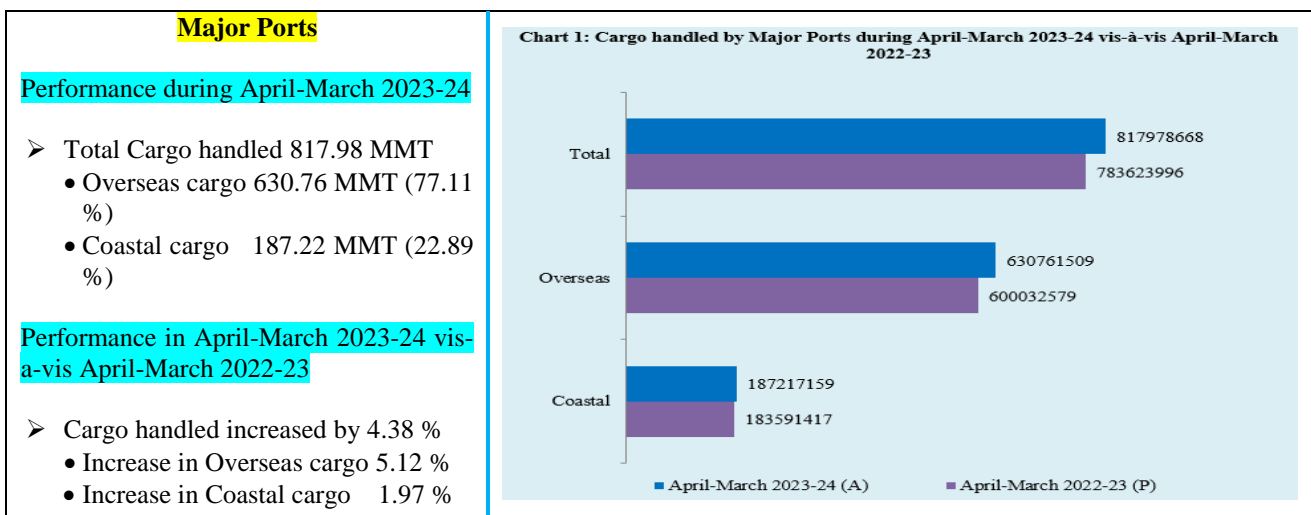
Cargo Traffic of Major Ports in India

Maritime transport activity is driven by the growth in output and trade worldwide. The volume of seaborne cargo handled by ports is comprised of the global (i.e. overseas cargo) and domestic (i.e. coastal cargo) activities. There are 12 Major Ports under Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways which provides information on Port Data Management Portal (PDMP) of Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways on cargo handled by them.

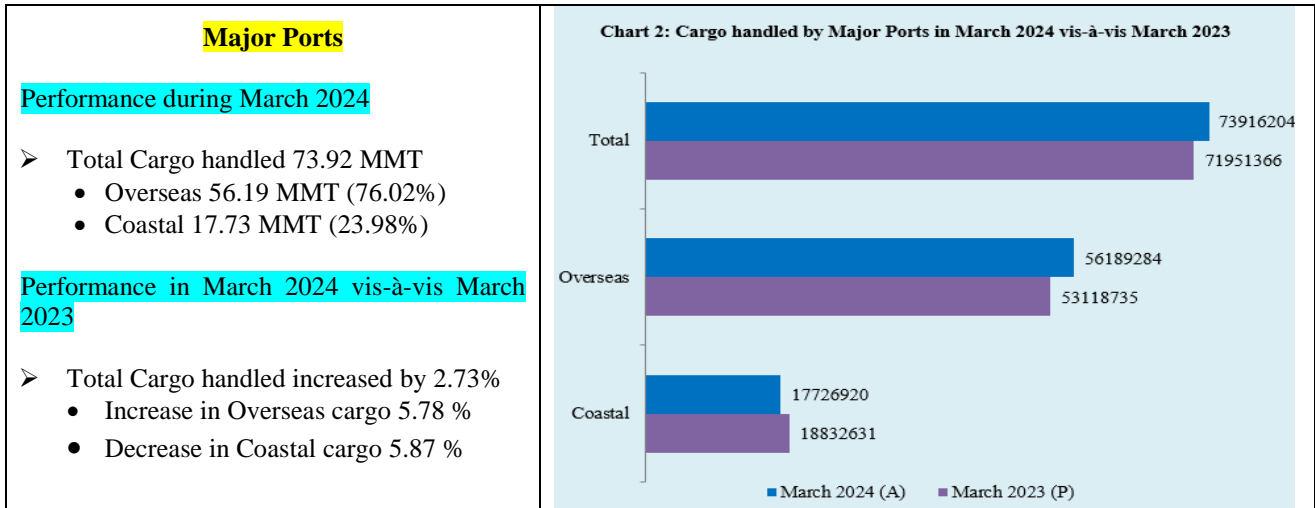
This edition provides advanced estimates for 2023-24 compared with provisional estimates of 2022-23. During April-March 2023-24 cargo handled at Major Ports has increased by 4.38% as compared to April-March 2022-23. During April-March 2023-24 total cargo handled had increased to 817.98 million tonnes (MMT) from 783.62 MMT handled during April-March 2022-23. The overall trend and growth in the cargo handled at Major Ports during the past ten years may be seen in Chart-I.



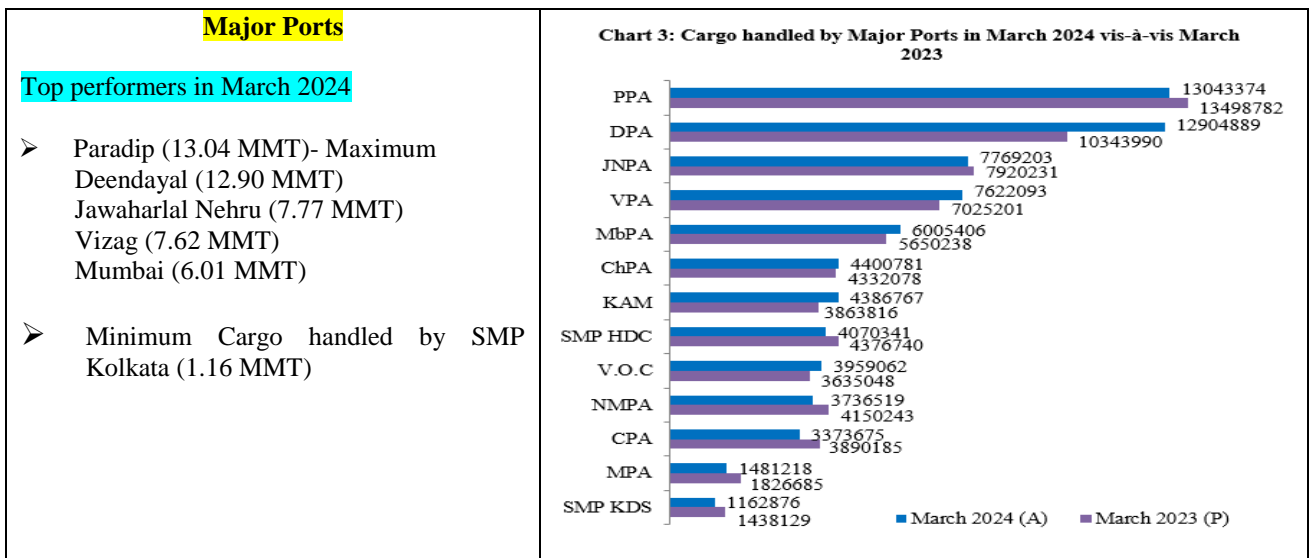
Cargo handled by Major Ports during April-March 2023-24



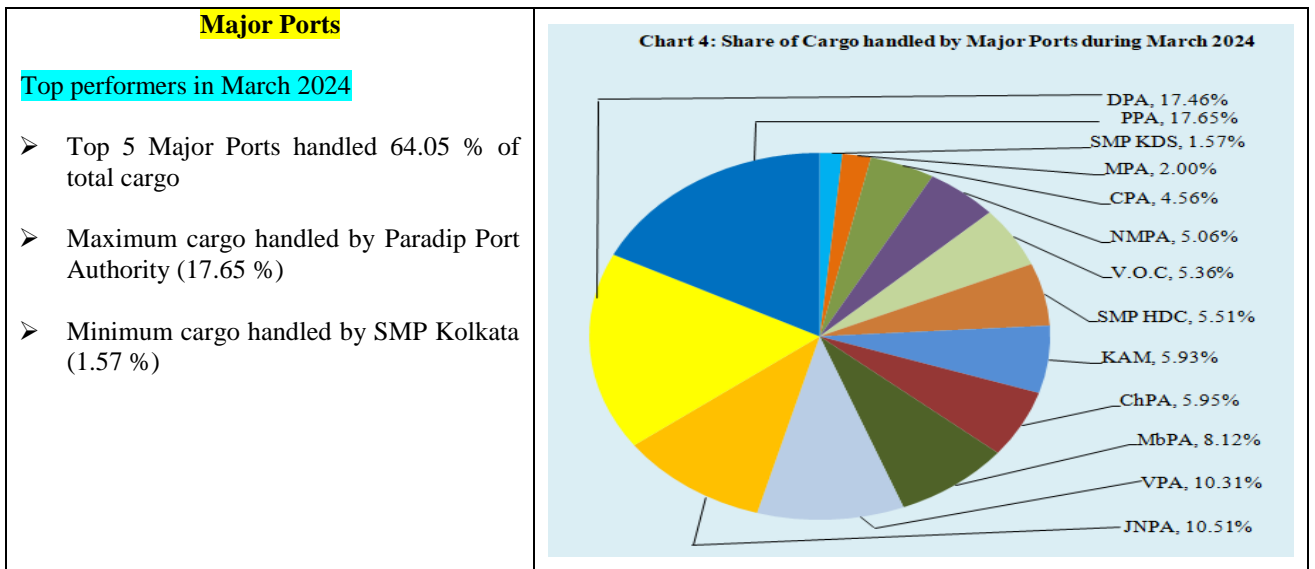
Cargo handled by Major ports in March 2024



Growth of Cargo handled by Major Ports in March 2024



Share of Cargo handled by Major Ports in March 2024



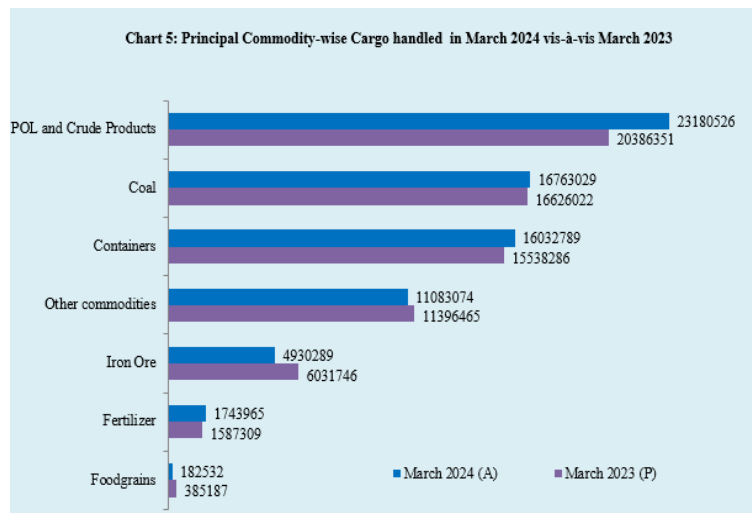
Commodity-wise Cargo handled in March 2024

Principal Commodities handled by Major Ports

Broadly commodities are categorized in 7 Principal commodities.

Progress in March 2024

- POL and Crude Products registered maximum (13.71%) growth and share (31.36%) share in total cargo handled
- Coal had share of 22.68%
- Containers had 3.18% growth with cargo share of 21.69%
- Growth was negative for Foodgrains (52.61%), Iron ore (18.26%) and Other Commodities (2.75%)



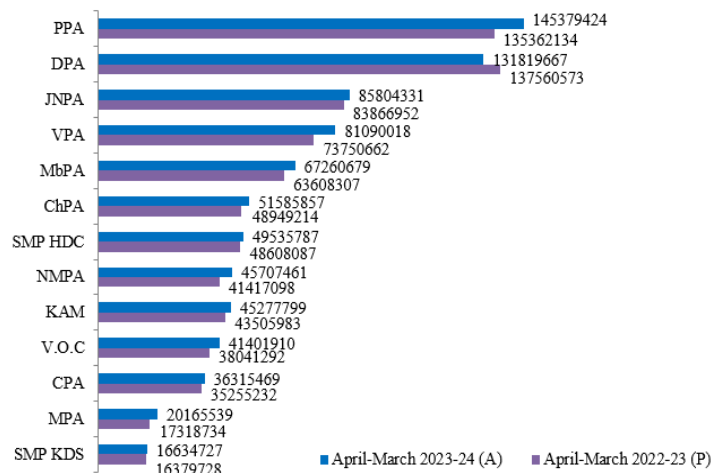
Major Port-wise Cargo handled during April-March 2023-24

Major Port-wise Cargo handling

Top performers during April-March 2023-24

- Paradip (145.38 MMT) -Maximum
- Deendayal (131.82 MMT)
- Jawaharlal Nehru (85.80 MMT)
- Vizag (81.09 MMT)
- Mumbai (67.26 MMT)
- Minimum Cargo (16.63 MMT) was handled by SMP Kolkata

Chart 6: Cargo handled by Major Ports during April-March 2023-24 vis-à-vis April-March 2022-23



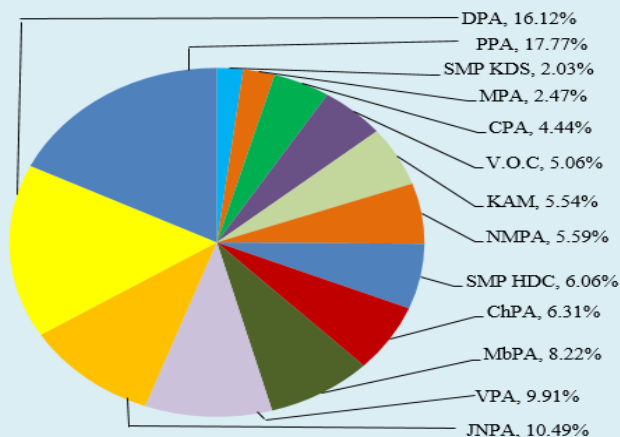
Share of Cargo handled by Major Ports during April-March 2023-24

Major Port-wise cargo handling

Top performers during April-March 2023-24

- Top 5 Major Ports handled 62.51 % of total cargo
- Maximum cargo handled by Paradip (17.77 %)
- Minimum cargo (2.03%) handled by SMP Kolkata

Chart 7: Share of Cargo handled by Major Ports during April-March 2023-24



Commodity-wise Cargo handled and its Growth during April-March 2023-24

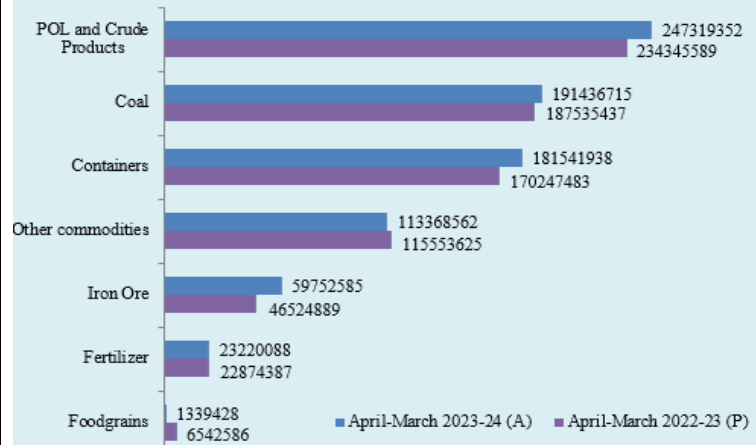
Commodity-wise cargo handled

Broadly commodities are categorized in 7 Principal commodities.

Progress during April-March 2023-24 vis-à-vis April-March 2022-23

- POL and Crude Products had maximum (30.24%) share in the total cargo handled
- Iron ore registered maximum (28.43%) growth
- Growth is minimum (1.51%) for Fertilizer with cargo share of 2.84%
- Growth is negative for Food grains (79.53%) and other commodities (1.89%)

Chart 8: Principal Commodity-wise Cargo handled during April-March 2023-24 vis-à-vis April-March 2022-23



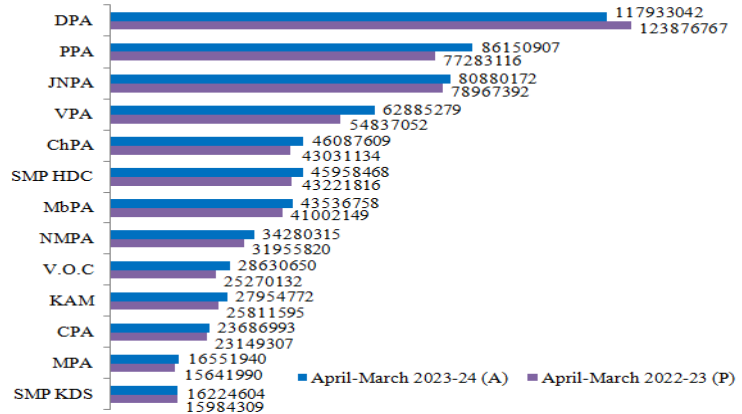
Major Port-wise Overseas Cargo handling during April-March 2023-24

Overseas Cargo handled by Major Ports

Top performers during April-March 2023-24

- Top 5 Major Ports handled 62.45 % of total cargo
- Maximum cargo handled by Deendayal (18.70 %)
- Minimum cargo (2.57%) handled by SMP Kolkata

Chart 9: Overseas Cargo handled by Major Ports during April-March 2023-24 vis-à-vis April-March 2022-23



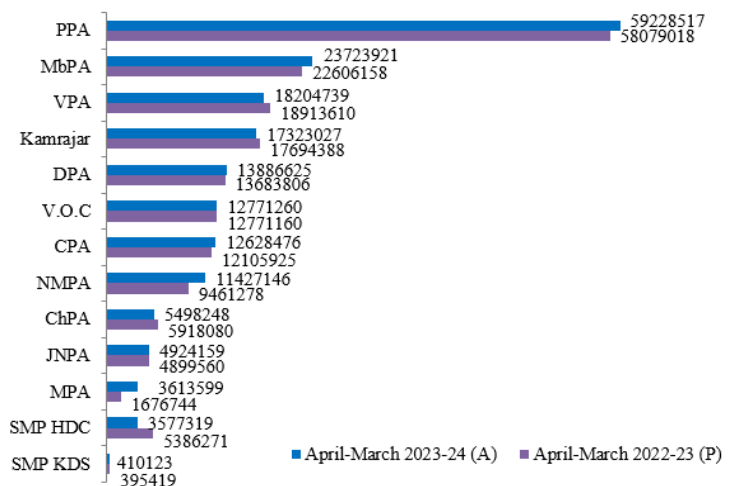
Major Port-wise Coastal Cargo handled during April-March 2023-24

Coastal Cargo handled by Major Ports

Top performers during April-March 2023-24

- Top 5 Major Ports handled 70.70 % of total cargo
- Maximum cargo handled by Paradip (31.64 %)
- Minimum cargo (0.22%) was handled by SMP Kolkata

Chart 10: Coastal Cargo handled by Major Ports during April-March 2023-24 vis-à-vis April-March 2022-23



Monthly Cargo Handled by Major Ports during April-March 2023-24 vis-a-vis April-March 2022-23

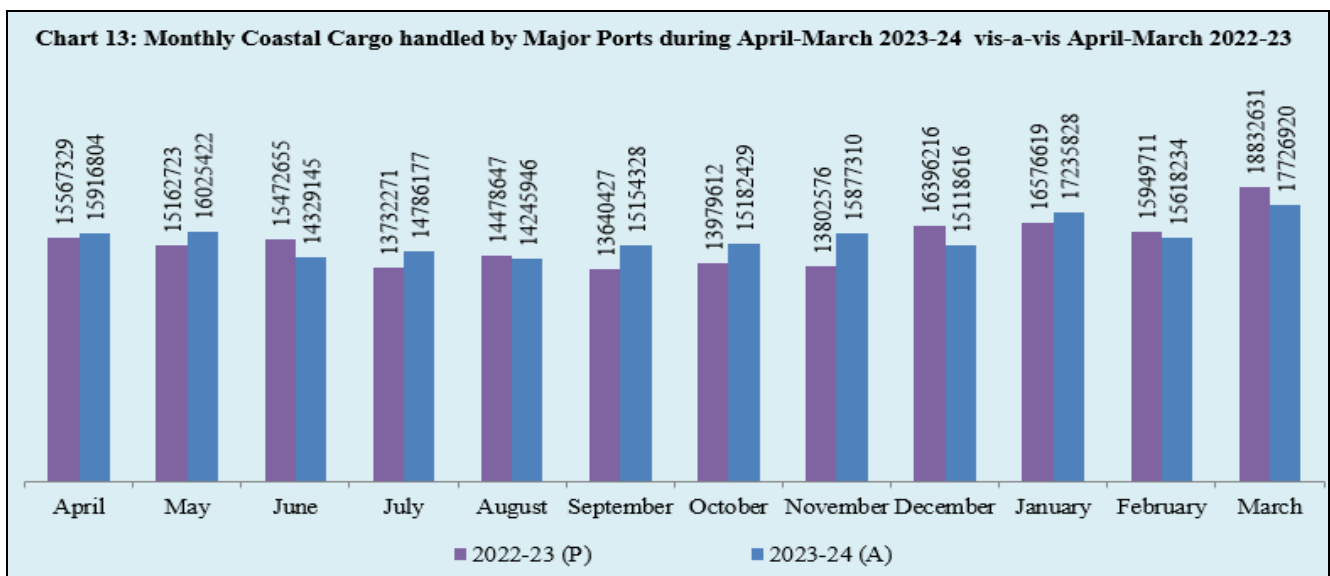
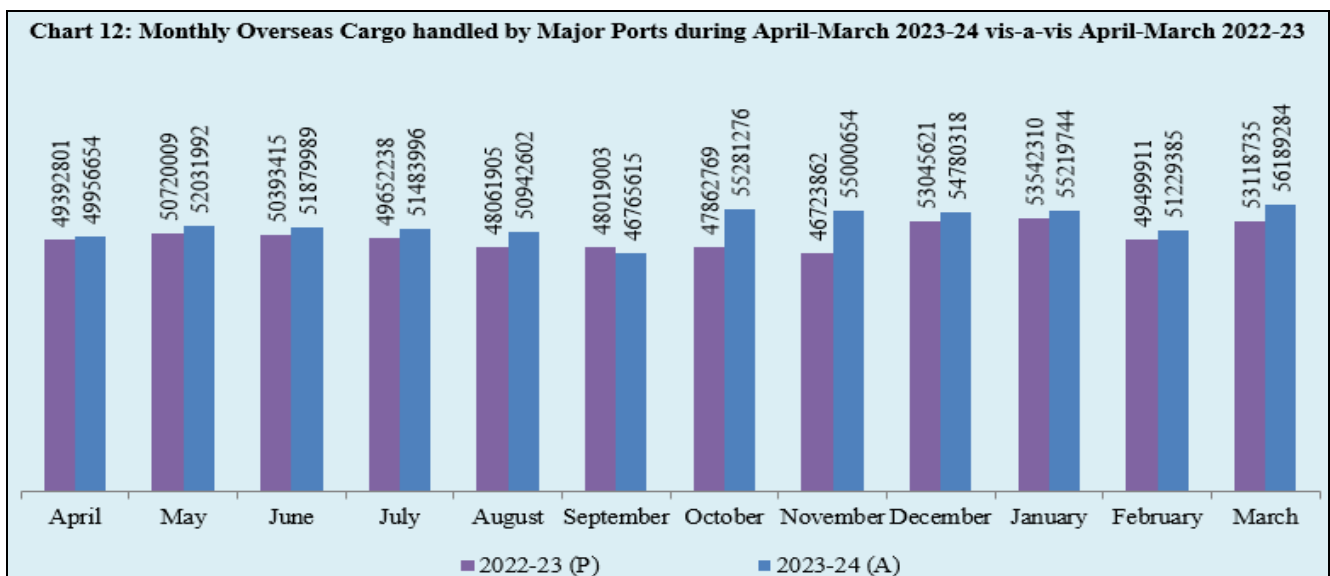
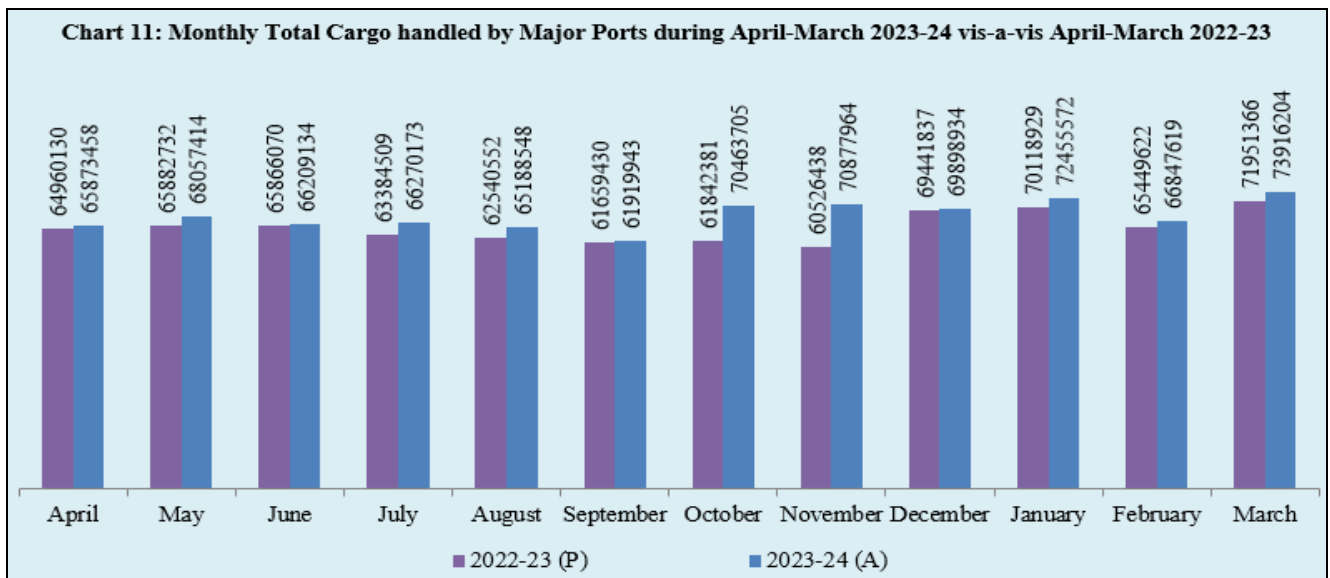


TABLE-1 : Major Port -wise Monthly Cargo handled

(in Tonnes)

S. No.	Name of Ports		March 2023 (P)	March 2024 (A)		Percentage Change in March 2024 over March 2023	April-March 2022-23 (P)	April-March 2023-24 (A)		Percentage Change in April-March 2023-24 over April-March 2022-23
			Cargo handled	Cargo handled	Percent share		Cargo handled	Cargo handled	Percent share	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1	SMP Kolkata	Overseas	5407173	4652079	8.28	-13.96	59206125	62183072	9.86	5.03
		Coastal	407696	293916	1.66	-27.91	5781690	3987442	2.13	-31.03
		Total	5814869	4945995	6.69	-14.94	64987815	66170514	8.09	1.82
	KDS	Overseas	1416192	1133013	2.02	-20.00	15984309	16224604	2.57	1.50
		Coastal	21937	29863	0.17	36.13	395419	410123	0.22	3.72
		Total	1438129	1162876	1.57	-19.14	16379728	16634727	2.03	1.56
	HDC	Overseas	3990981	3769807	6.71	-5.54	43221816	45958468	7.29	6.33
		Coastal	385759	300534	1.70	-22.09	5386271	3577319	1.91	-33.58
		Total	4376740	4070341	5.51	-7.00	48608087	49535787	6.06	1.91
2	Paradip	Overseas	7629500	7546340	13.43	-1.09	77283116	86150907	13.66	11.47
		Coastal	5869282	5497034	31.01	-6.34	58079018	59228517	31.64	1.98
		Total	13498782	13043374	17.65	-3.37	135362134	145379424	17.77	7.40
3	Visakhapatnam	Overseas	5044544	5371764	9.56	6.49	54837052	62885279	9.97	14.68
		Coastal	1980657	2250329	12.69	13.62	18913610	18204739	9.72	-3.75
		Total	7025201	7622093	10.31	8.50	73750662	81090018	9.91	9.95
4	Kamarajar	Overseas	2325317	2574407	4.58	10.71	25811595	27954772	4.43	8.30
		Coastal	1538499	1812360	10.22	17.80	17694388	17323027	9.25	-2.10
		Total	3863816	4386767	5.93	13.53	43505983	45277799	5.54	4.07
5	Chennai	Overseas	3869879	3868910	6.89	-0.03	43031134	46087609	7.31	7.10
		Coastal	462199	531871	3.00	15.07	5918080	5498248	2.94	-7.09
		Total	4332078	4400781	5.95	1.59	48949214	51585857	6.31	5.39
6	V.O.C.	Overseas	2244947	2795277	4.97	24.51	25270132	28630650	4.54	13.30
		Coastal	1390101	1163785	6.57	-16.28	12771160	12771260	6.82	0.00
		Total	3635048	3959062	5.36	8.91	38041292	41401910	5.06	8.83
7	Cochin	Overseas	1737471	2278956	4.06	31.17	23149307	23686993	3.76	2.32
		Coastal	2152714	1094719	6.18	-49.15	12105925	12628476	6.75	4.32
		Total	3890185	3373675	4.56	-13.28	35255232	36315469	4.44	3.01
8	New Mangalore	Overseas	3309184	2780098	4.95	-15.99	31955820	34280315	5.43	7.27
		Coastal	841059	956421	5.40	13.72	9461278	11427146	6.10	20.78
		Total	4150243	3736519	5.06	-9.97	41417098	45707461	5.59	10.36
9	Mormugao	Overseas	1559499	1220040	2.17	-21.77	15641990	16551940	2.62	5.82
		Coastal	267186	261178	1.47	-2.25	1676744	3613599	1.93	115.51
		Total	1826685	1481218	2.00	-18.91	17318734	20165539	2.47	16.44
10	Mumbai	Overseas	3670867	3739007	6.65	1.86	41002149	43536758	6.90	6.18
		Coastal	1979371	2266399	12.79	14.50	22606158	23723921	12.67	4.94
		Total	5650238	6005406	8.12	6.29	63608307	67260679	8.22	5.74
11	JNPA	Overseas	7446109	7300384	12.99	-1.96	78967392	80880172	12.82	2.42
		Coastal	474122	468819	2.64	-1.12	4899560	4924159	2.63	0.50
		Total	7920231	7769203	10.51	-1.91	83866952	85804331	10.49	2.31
12	Deendayal	Overseas	8874245	11811281	21.02	33.10	123876767	117933042	18.70	-4.80
		Coastal	1469745	1093608	6.17	-25.59	13683806	13886625	7.42	1.48
		Total	10343990	12904889	17.46	24.76	137560573	131819667	16.12	-4.17
Total	Overseas	53118735	56189284	76.02	5.78	600032579	630761509	77.11	5.12	
	Coastal	18832631	17726920	23.98	-5.87	183591417	187217159	22.89	1.97	
	Total	71951366	73916204	100.00	2.73	783623996	817978668	100.00	4.38	

P-Provisional

A- Advanced Estimates

Source: - Port Data Management Portal, Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways

Table-2: Commodity-Wise Growth of Cargo handled by Major Ports

(in Tonnes)										
Principal Commodities	Commodities	March 2023 (P)	March 2024 (A)		Percent age Change in March 2024 over March 2023	April-March 2022-23 (P)	April-March 2023-24 (A)		Percentage Change in April-March 2023-24 over April-March 2022-23	
		Cargo handled	Cargo handled	% share		Cargo handled	Cargo handled	% share		
POL and Crude Products	POL Crude	13879307	15969793	21.61	15.06	161109028	169238616	20.69	5.05	
	POL Products	5276003	5730948	7.75	8.62	57404660	61642395	7.54	7.38	
	LPG or LNG	1231041	1479785	2.00	20.21	15831901	16438341	2.01	3.83	
Coal	Thermal Coal	9569510	10767116	14.57	12.51	106740110	111776945	13.67	4.72	
	Coking Coal	2972644	3244569	4.39	9.15	38740031	36615710	4.48	-5.48	
	Other Coal	4083868	2751344	3.72	-32.63	42055296	43044060	5.26	2.35	
Iron Ore	Iron Ore Pellets/ Fine	6031746	4930289	6.67	-18.26	46524889	59752585	7.30	28.43	
Fertilizer	FRM-Liquid	539370	355238	0.48	-34.14	6759550	5981377	0.73	-11.51	
	Ferti-lizer	461869	491761	0.67	6.47	7878942	7865199	0.96	-0.17	
	FRM-Dry	586070	896966	1.21	53.05	8235895	9373512	1.15	13.81	
Foodgrains	Food Grains excluding Pulses	385187	182532	0.25	-52.61	6542586	1339428	0.16	-79.53	
Other Commodities	Edible Oil	915092	820693	1.11	-10.32	11893385	11439701	1.40	-3.81	
	Other Ores	787131	912652	1.23	15.95	7669568	8632963	1.06	12.56	
	Pulses	113286	195545	0.26	72.61	716547	901560	0.11	25.82	
	Sugar	242872	648161	0.88	166.87	3299266	3281519	0.40	-0.54	
	Cement	328257	258233	0.35	-21.33	3417750	2871436	0.35	-15.98	
	Iron and Steel	976178	1113134	1.51	14.03	9435982	11398365	1.39	20.80	
	Project Cargo	80688	91232	0.12	13.07	888034	836793	0.10	-5.77	
Other Commodities	7952961	7043424	9.53	-11.44	78233093	74006225	9.05	-5.40		
Container	Container	Tonnes	15538286	16032789	21.69	3.18	170247483	181541938	22.19	6.63
		TEUs	1019746	1097571	1.48	7.63	11390551	12289862	1.50	7.90
Total		71951366	73916204	100.00	2.73	783623996	817978668	100.00	4.38	

P-Provisional A- Advanced Estimates *TEUs in Numbers

Source: - Port Data Management Portal, Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways

ABBREVIATIONS USED

ChPA	Chennai Port Authority	SMP HDC	Shyama Prasad Mukerjee Port
CPA	Cochin Port Authority		Haldia Dock Complex
DPA	Deendayal Port Authority	SMP Kolkata	Shyama Prasad Mukerjee Port
JNPA	Jawahar Lal Nehru Port Authority		Kolkata
KAM	Kamrajar Port Authority	TEU	Twenty Foot Equivalent Unit
KDS	Kolkata Dock System	V.O.C	V.O. Chidambaranar Port
MbPA	Mumbai Port Authority		Authority
MMT	Million Metric tones	VPA	Visakapatnam Port Authority
MPA	Mormugao Port Authority		
NMPA	New Manglore Port Authority		
PPA	Paradip Port Authority		
