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### **Myanmar's sugar sales to China boom**

The Myanmar Commerce Ministry has revealed that the country has re-exported US\$677 million (Bt24.1 billion) worth of sugar to China in more than seven months in this fiscal year.

The country earned just \$28 million from re-exporting sugar to China during the same period last year.

"It was just the beginning last year. Last year's sugar re-exports started in August and September.

"We imported sugar from Brazil, India, Thailand and others. We re-export sugar, mainly to China," said Khin Maung Lwin, a senior official from the ministry.

The ministry said the green light was ready for re-exporters of other products that had excellent potential.

Myanmar's foreign trade is expected to reach \$31 billion this fiscal year.

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