

# FMIs and Payment Oversight Highlights

April, 2026

## RTGS

### Total RTGS Transactions

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	32,791	33,813	34,070
	Change	▼ 3.02%	▼ 3.75%
Value	BHD 10,170,848,980.517	BHD 8,574,075,519.315	BHD 11,322,937,303.193
	Change	▲ 18.62%	▼ 10.17%

### Customer Transactions

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	27,951	29,617	29,155
	Change	▼ 5.63%	▼ 4.13%
Value	BHD 1,166,660,675.033	BHD 985,024,840.681	BHD 952,061,905.876
	Change	▲ 18.44%	▲ 22.54%

### Interbank Transactions

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	4,840	4,196	4,915
	Change	▲ 15.35%	▼ 1.53%
Value	BHD 9,004,188,305.484	BHD 7,589,050,678.634	BHD 10,370,875,397.317
	Change	▲ 18.65%	▼ 13.18%

## BCTS

### Total Cleared Cheques

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	136,363	127,024	164,274
	Change	▲ 7.35%	▼ 16.99%
Value	BHD 491,902,293.777	BHD 407,219,048.005	BHD 647,717,858.737
	Change	▲ 20.80%	▼ 24.06%

### Technical Returns

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	880	1,592	896
	Change	▼ 44.72%	▼ 1.79%
Value	BHD 2,164,476.152	BHD 4,547,668.712	BHD 4,314,900.559
	Change	▼ 52.40%	▼ 49.84%

### Financial Returns

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	2,627	3,112	2,770
	Change	▼ 15.58%	▼ 5.16%
Value	BHD 6,920,711.828	BHD 7,567,112.804	BHD 9,560,955.776
	Change	▼ 8.54%	▼ 27.61%

## EFTS

### Total EFTS

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	44,026,642	41,367,463	40,874,475
	Change	▲ 6.43%	▲ 7.71%
Value	BHD 3,492,578,248.516	BHD 3,077,095,073.495	BHD 3,435,671,162.344
	Change	▲ 13.50%	▲ 1.66%

### Fawri+

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	41,687,384	39,241,248	38,341,501
	Change	▲ 6.23%	▲ 8.73%
Value	BHD 865,434,350.233	BHD 908,364,764.736	BHD 757,469,826.292
	Change	▼ 4.73%	▲ 14.25%

## SWITCH

### ATM Cash Withdrawal

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	612,064	761,954	711,225
	Change	▼ 19.67%	▼ 13.94%
Value	BHD 73,400,190.967	BHD 107,180,570.800	BHD 81,819,632.422
	Change	▼ 31.52%	▼ 10.29%

### Fawri

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	1,359,644	1,167,161	1,396,899
	Change	▲ 16.49%	▼ 2.67%
Value	BHD 2,517,134,920.222	BHD 2,078,579,848.249	BHD 2,554,742,908.876
	Change	▲ 21.10%	▼ 1.47%

### Fawateer

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	979,614	959,054	1,136,075
	Change	▲ 2.14%	▼ 13.77%
Value	BHD 110,008,978.061	BHD 90,150,460.510	BHD 123,458,427.176
	Change	▲ 22.03%	▼ 10.89%

### Payment Gateway (PG)

		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	2,120,332	2,157,360	1,001,502
	Change	▼ 1.72%	▲ 111.72%
Value	BHD 81,124,625.433	BHD 92,792,893.710	BHD 53,140,949.630
	Change	▼ 12.57%	▲ 52.66%

#### Notes:

**Based on Settlement Date:** Successful RTGS Transactions (inc. CBB Transactions), Total Cleared Cheques through BCTS, Successful Fawri and Fawateer Transactions.

**Based on Value Date (reflecting weekends and public holidays):** Successful Fawri+ Transactions, ATM Cash Withdrawals and Payment Gateway Transactions.