

FMIs and Payment Oversight Highlights

August, 2026

RTGS																				
Total RTGS Transactions					Customer Transactions					Interbank Transactions										
		Previous Month		Previous Year				Previous Month		Previous Year				Previous Month		Previous Year				
Volume	32,689		33,161		30,459		Volume	28,497		28,587		26,118		Volume	4,192		4,574		4,341	
	Change		▼1.42%		▲7.32%			Change		▼0.31%		9.11%			Change		▼8.35%		▼3.43%	
Value	BHD		BHD		BHD		Value	BHD		BHD		BHD		Value	BHD		BHD		BHD	
	7,128,695,210.182		9,009,247,511.217		10,352,529,935.782			819,401,438.220		967,969,888.490		896,213,916.121			6,309,293,771.962		8,041,277,622.727		9,456,316,019.661	
Change		▼20.87%		▼31.14%		Change		▼15.35%		▼8.57%		Change		▼21.54%		▼33.28%				

BCTS														
Total Cleared Cheques					Technical Returns					Financial Returns				
		Previous Month		Previous Year			Previous Month		Previous Year			Previous Month		Previous Year
Volume	127,779	133,407	143,525		Volume	812	807	817		Volume	2,637	2,265	2,461	
	Change	▼4.22%	▼10.97%			Change	▲0.62%	▼0.61%			Change	▲16.42%	▲7.15%	
Value	BHD 451,384,670.369	BHD 507,659,546.242	BHD 473,339,105.553		Value	BHD 3,406,601.786	BHD 4,961,261.770	BHD 2,128,472.246		Value	BHD 5,383,086.832	BHD 6,112,957.229	BHD 8,436,718.739	
	Change	▼11.09%	▼4.64%			Change	▼31.34%	▲60.05%			Change	▼11.94%	▼36.19%	

EFTS			
Total EFTS			
		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	45,252,099	45,015,639	39,079,094
	Change	▲0.53%	▲15.80%
Value	BHD 3,231,265,233.741	BHD 3,247,524,942.231	BHD 3,121,301,293.341
	Change	▼0.50%	▲3.52%
Fawri			
		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	1,216,356	1,381,459	1,119,762
	Change	▼11.95%	▲8.63%
Value	BHD 2,157,324,222.921	BHD 2,190,162,889.867	BHD 2,146,542,839.893
	Change	▼1.50%	▲0.50%

Fawri+			
		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	43,056,385	42,673,536	36,985,510
	Change	▲0.90%	▲16.41%
Value	BHD 941,720,705.110	BHD 928,795,701.335	BHD 813,613,312.722
	Change	▲1.39%	▲15.75%
Fawateer			
		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	979,358	960,644	973,822
	Change	▲1.95%	▲0.57%
Value	BHD 132,220,305.710	BHD 128,566,351.029	BHD 161,145,140.726
	Change	▲2.84%	▼17.95%

SWITCH			
ATM Cash Withdrawal			
		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	580,774	623,122	661,257
	Change	▼6.80%	▼12.17%
Value	BHD 67,768,218.989	BHD 74,712,956.687	BHD 74,106,136.949
	Change	▼9.30%	▼8.55%
Payment Gateway (PG)			
		Previous Month	Previous Year
Volume	2,266,422	2,242,451	875,539
	Change	▲1.07%	▲158.86%
Value	BHD 88,892,876.535	BHD 93,218,550.310	BHD 52,915,582.190
	Change	▼4.64%	▲67.99%

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.