

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TEXTILES  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-2074**  
ANSWERED ON- 23/12/2022

**DEMAND FOR INDIAN TEXTILES ABROAD**

2074. DR. FAUZIA KHAN:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has taken cognizance of the fact that there is high demand for Indian textiles abroad;
- (b) the quantum of textile exports from 2017 year-wise till date;
- (c) whether Government has fixed any target for the export of textiles; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES  
(SMT. DARSHANA JARDOSH)

**(a):** Government has taken cognizance of the potential for boosting exports of Indian textiles in view of a large global market.

**(b):** Details of textile exports from 2017 year-wise till date are as follows:

(USD bn)

	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23 (Apr-Oct, 22)
Textiles & apparel exports including Handicrafts	37.55	38.40	35.18	31.59	44.44	21.15

Source: DGCIS provisional data, figures are rounded off

**(c) & (d):** The Government targets to achieve US\$ 100 Billion export for textile products by 2030.

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