

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2443
ANSWERED ON 21/03/2025

INITIATIVE FOR COMPILATION OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE DATA

2443. SHRI JOSE K. MANI:

Will the Minister of Commerce and Industry be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether Government has taken any initiative to compile sector-wise international trade data in more swift manner; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the details of the service export in the FY 2023-24, State-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

(a) to (c) The details of country's International Merchandise Export and Import for 31 Major Commodities for the current financial year 2024-25 are attached at Annexure1. The data relating to India's Merchandise export and import is available on DGCI&S' Data Dissemination Portal (Link- <https://ftddp.dgciskol.gov.in/dgcis/>).

Based on RBI's data, services exports were US\$ 341.1 billion in 2023-24. RBI does not compile state-wise services export figures.

Statement referred to in reply of part (a) & (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred question no. 2443 for answer on 21st March 2025.

The country's International Merchandise Export and Import for 31 Major Commodities for the current financial year 2024-25 are as follows:

Table 1: India's Merchandise Export of Major Commodities in current year				
<i>(Value in US\$ Million)</i>				
S. No.	Major Commodities	Apr-Feb, 2023-24	Apr-Feb, 2024-25	% Change
1	Engineering Goods	98034.28	105845.12	7.97
2	Petroleum Products	78740.84	58617.85	-25.56
3	Electronic Goods	25600.79	34015.88	32.87
4	Gems And Jewellery	30087.82	26917.63	-10.54
5	Drugs And Pharmaceuticals	25045.99	26785.69	6.95
6	Organic & Inorganic Chemical	25582.53	25837.08	1.00
7	Rmg Of All Textiles	13059.37	14458.00	10.71
8	Rice	9321.59	11293.50	21.15
9	Cotton Yarn/Fabs./Madeups, Handloom Products Etc.	10589.32	10938.03	3.29
10	Plastic And Linoleum	7297.77	8114.30	11.19
11	Marine Products	6846.82	6729.94	-1.71
12	Meat, Dairy And Poultry Products	4111.94	4612.05	12.16
13	Mica, Coal And Other Ores, Minerals Including Process	4195.62	4490.28	7.02
14	Man-Made Yarn/Fabs./Madeups Etc.	4239.78	4432.09	4.54
15	Leather And Leather Manufactures	3939.43	4015.63	1.93
16	Spices	3673.65	3932.20	7.04
17	Ceramic Products And Glassware	3904.35	3631.59	-6.99
18	Fruits And Vegetables	3223.32	3391.60	5.22
19	Cereal Preparations And Miscellaneous Processed Item	2582.00	2821.52	9.28
20	Iron Ore	3644.86	1844.80	-49.39
21	Tobacco	1328.17	1840.70	38.59
22	Handicrafts Excl. Hand Made Carpet	1522.80	1635.86	7.42
23	Coffee	1096.59	1541.52	40.57
24	Carpet	1266.15	1403.97	10.88
25	Oil Seeds	1302.95	1232.70	-5.39
26	Oil Meals	1571.66	1227.26	-21.91
27	Tea	752.89	842.59	11.91
28	Jute Mfg. Including Floor Covering	310.42	349.28	12.52
29	Cashew	310.25	313.32	0.99
30	Other Cereals	489.58	243.11	-50.34
31	Others	21705.74	22273.61	2.62
India's Total Export		395379.29	395628.70	0.06

Source: DGCI&S (Data for 2024-25 is provisional)

Table 2: India's Merchandise Import of QE Groups in current year				
(Value in US\$ Million)				
S. No.	Major Commodities	Apr-Feb, 2023-24	Apr-Feb, 2024-25	% Change
1	Petroleum, Crude & products	162390.31	166725.82	2.67
2	Electronic goods	80318.44	89303.93	11.19
3	Gold	44009.82	53530.36	21.63
4	Machinery, electrical & non-electrical	44717.23	48892.65	9.34
5	Transport equipment	27293.17	30602.37	12.12
6	Coal, Coke & Briquettes, etc.	35661.50	28844.71	-19.12
7	Organic & Inorganic Chemicals	24579.39	26165.44	6.45
8	Non-ferrous metals	19568.46	22547.97	15.23
9	Iron & Steel	22111.22	20862.88	-5.65
10	Artificial resins, plastic materials, etc.	20455.86	20627.14	0.84
11	Vegetable Oil	13806.61	16101.55	16.62
12	Pearls, precious & Semi-precious stones	21346.35	15871.19	-25.65
13	Chemical material & products	11876.86	11562.46	-2.65
14	Metaliferrous ores & other minerals	8716.92	10299.56	18.16
15	Fertilisers, Crude & manufactured	9939.03	9608.75	-3.32
16	Medcnl. & Pharmaceutical products	7562.82	8193.25	8.34
17	Professional instrument, Optical goods, etc.	7007.44	7596.59	8.41
18	Wood & Wood products	5894.29	6442.63	9.30
19	Machine tools	4423.66	5173.14	16.94
20	Pulses	3174.11	5038.90	58.75
21	Silver	4621.73	4707.96	1.87
22	Dyeing/tanning/colouring mtrls.	4623.79	3912.17	-15.39
23	Fruits & vegetables	2678.67	2983.21	11.37
24	Textile yarn Fabric, made-up articles	2116.74	2282.50	7.83
25	Pulp and Waste paper	1685.32	1862.95	10.54
26	Cotton Raw & Waste	549.86	1140.28	107.38
27	Project goods	1036.82	1041.29	0.43
28	Leather & leather products	858.59	907.59	5.71
29	Newsprint	395.74	389.56	-1.56
30	Sulphur & Unroasted Iron Pyrts	194.42	295.53	52.01
31	Others	27572.46	33169.90	20.30
India's Total Import		621187.64	656684.23	5.71

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