

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.02.2017

PERFORMANCE OF TEXTILE SECTOR

1. SHRI B.V. NAIK:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री
be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of segments that have performed well in Textile and Clothing sectors during the last two years and the current year, year-wise and segment-wise;
- (b) the extent to which the global gloom is impacting export of clothing and textile from the country and the steps being taken by the Government to deal with the situation and boost the exports from the country;
- (c) whether the exports of handicrafts, including handmade carpets, has shown improvement in the first half of 2016-17 as compared to the same period in the last year and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) The manner in which the Government is planning to push the exports of said items?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्रीमती स्मृति जूबिन इरानी)
MINISTER OF TEXTILES
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) & (b): The details of exports segment-wise and year-wise of textiles and clothing in the last two years and the current year is at Annexure-I. The segments that are doing well are Apparel, Carpets and Handicrafts. Due to global slowdown, the exports of total Textiles & Clothing including handicraft has shown a negative growth of 4% during April-November, 2017 in US\$ terms compared to the same period previous year.

The government is implementing schemes like Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS), Pradhan Mantri Paridhan Rojgar Protsahan Yojna (PMPRPY), Scheme of Rebate of State Levies (RoSL) on export of garments, Schemes for Technical textiles Scheme for Integrated Textile Parks (SITP), Integrated Skill Development Scheme etc. to modernize textile industry, increase production and global competitiveness.

Besides, the Government has taken following initiatives to augment the textile exports:-

- (i) MEIS Scheme under new Foreign Trade Policy 2015-20.
- (ii) Restoring Interest rate subvention for pre and post shipment credit for the textile sector,

(iii) Expanding the scope of Merchandise Export from India Scheme (MEIS) since 29.10.2015 to 110 new tariff lines and increase rates or country coverage or both for 2228 existing tariff lines.

(iv) Increased Duty Drawback rates for some textile articles.

(v) Market Access Initiative (MAI) Scheme.

(vi) Market Development Assistance (MDA) Scheme.

(vii) Duty Free import of trimmings, embellishments and other specified item under Export Performance Certificate Entitlement Scheme.

(c) & (d): Yes, as per details at Annexure-II. The exports of Handicrafts has increased from Rs. 10995 crores in April-September (i.e. first half) 2015-16 to Rs. 13005 crores in April-September 2016-17 by 18% in rupees term. In dollar terms, the exports has increased from US\$ 1712 million to US\$ 1943 million by 13.5% over the similar period. Government is providing assistance to all exports as mentioned in part (a) & (b) above.

India's Textiles exports at a glance (Principal Commodities)

Sl. No.	Item	2014-15 (Apr-March.)		2015-16 (Apr-March.)		% change	2015-16 (Apr-Nov.)		2016-17(Apr-Nov.) (P)		% Change
		Crore	US\$ Mn	Crore	US\$ Mn	US\$ Mn	Crore	US\$ Mn	Crore	US\$ Mn	US\$ Mn
A	Readymade Garment	99207.71	16221.61	107686.29	16452.27	0.01	68258.45	10592.66	71654.30	10696.52	1%
	RMG of cotton incl. accessories	56763.03	9282.83	59541.74	9090.44		36990.93	5738.65	36053.34	5382.00	
	RMG of Man-made fibre	24448.34	3997.13	27321.27	4178.31		17643.13	2740.45	20671.33	3085.75	
	RMG of other textile material	17996.34	2941.65	20823.28	3183.52		13624.39	2113.56	14929.63	2228.77	
B	Cotton Textiles	71918.80	11753.61	72993.96	11133.92	-0.05	45932.99	7108.74	41139.25	6140.22	-14%
	Cotton Yarn	24103.19	3937.41	23600.90	3607.93		15822.36	2451.23	13396.67	1999.47	
	Other Textile Yarn, Fabric, Madeup Article	2443.92	399.59	2169.71	331.57		1467.02	227.25	1576.98	235.39	
	Cotton raw including waste	11642.64	1900.19	12815.90	1937.87		5910.87	909.39	3452.48	514.31	
	Cotton fabrics & madeups	33729.05	5516.42	34407.45	5256.55		22732.74	3520.87	22713.12	3391.05	
C	Man-made textiles	35629.30	5826.62	34091.95	5213.17	-0.11	22914.82	3549.11	22093.49	3298.50	-7%
	Manmade staple fibres	3374.69	551.59	3541.86	539.99		2205.61	341.31	2500.63	373.26	
	Manmade yarn, fab. & madeups	32254.61	5275.03	30550.09	4673.18		20709.21	3207.80	19592.86	2925.24	
D	Wool & Woollen textiles	3112.44	509.64	3012.84	461.64	-0.09	45932.99	335.48	41139.25	269.48	-20%
	RMG of Wool	1878.11	307.75	1724.87	264.90		1334.85	206.88	1063.46	158.68	
	Wool raw	0.24	0.04	3.05	0.46		1.23	0.19	1.30	0.19	
	Woollen yarn, fabrics & madeups	1234.09	201.85	1284.92	196.28		828.59	128.41	740.83	110.61	

E	Silk	2748.08	446.91	2239.26	343.89	-0.23	1611.85	250.60	1117.15	166.68	-33%
	RMG of Silk	1875.36	303.97	1600.00	245.91		1161.83	180.75	754.92	112.59	
	Natural silk yarn, fab. & madeups	762.91	124.97	548.03	84.02		390.09	60.54	290.77	43.42	
	Silk Raw	0.69	0.11	1.43	0.22		1.36	0.21	0.24	0.04	
	Silk waste	109.12	17.86	89.80	13.74		58.57	9.10	71.22	10.63	
F	Handloom Product	2259.73	369.56	2408.68	368.54	0.00	1616.56	250.69	1558.51	232.68	-7%
G	Carpets	8,317.73	1,360.79	9,438.58	1,441.95	0.06	6,140.55	951.40	6,518.69	973.19	2%
	Carpets (excluding silk) handmade	8301.76	1358.17	9421.76	1439.37		6129.90	949.74	6492.16	969.22	
	Silk carpets	15.97	2.62	16.82	2.58		10.65	1.66	26.53	3.97	
H	Jute	2241.85	366.90	3802.51	577.05	0.57	1276.05	197.69	1389.97	207.39	5%
	Floor covering of jute	526.91	86.30	441.69	67.58		142.02	22.05	168.35	25.12	
	Other jute manufactures	686.92	112.55	2305.11	348.61		498.05	77.19	525.81	78.41	
	Jute Raw	119.20	19.41	112.29	16.99		50.33	7.80	51.45	7.69	
	Jute yarn	138.74	22.64	118.53	18.33		95.23	14.87	36.45	5.44	
	Jute hessian	770.08	126.00	824.89	125.54		490.42	75.78	607.91	90.73	
I	Coir and Coir Manufacturers	1742.82	285.15	1718.28	261.72	-0.08	1018.08	157.79	1279.68	191.08	21%
Sum of A to I	Total Textile & Clothing	227178.46	37140.79	237392.35	36254.15	-0.02	194702.34	23394.16	187890.29	22175.74	-5%
J *	Handicrafts (Excl. Handmade Crpts)*	20368.00	3233.00	22320.00	3410.00	0.05	14302.05	2215.16	16047.32	2395.43	8%
Sum of A to J	Total T&C including Handicrafts	247546.46	40373.79	259712.35	39664.15	-0.02	209004.39	25609.32	203937.61	24571.17	-4%
L	% Textile Exports	13.05%	13.01%	15.15%	15.14%		18.54%	14.66%	17.35%	14.00%	
M	India's overall exports	1896348.42	310338.48	1714424.26	262003.69		1127542.88	174740.28	1175370.66	175467.91	

Source : Foreign Trade Statistics of India(Principal Commodities & Countries), DGCI&S

*Export Promotion Council for Handicraft

Annexure II**Exports of Handicrafts from India**

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<i>Exports of Handicrafts from India during 2016-17 (April- September) in comparison to 2015-16 (April- September)</i>						
ITEMS	Rs. IN CR.		INCREASE IN % OVER 2015-16	US\$ IN MILLIONS		INCREASE IN % OVER 2015-16
	2015-16	2016-17		2015-16	2016-17	
	(April-September)			(April- September)		
				64.2232	66.9263	
ARTMETAL WARES	1940.29	2592.68	33.62	302.12	387.39	28.23
WOODWARES	1916.95	2187.82	14.13	298.48	326.90	9.52
HANDPRINTED TEXTILES & SCARAVES	1424.67	1611.36	13.10	221.83	240.77	8.54
EMBROIDERED & CROCHETTED GOODS	1430.08	1654.22	15.67	222.67	247.17	11.00
SHAWLS AS ARTWARES	2.70	2.93	8.52	0.42	0.44	4.76
ZARI & ZARI GOODS	62.47	56.54	-9.49	9.73	8.45	-13.15
IMITATION JEWELLERY	1074.58	1102.78	2.62	167.32	164.78	-1.52
MISC. HANDICRAFTS	3143.68	3797.02	20.78	489.49	567.34	15.90
TOTAL	10995.42	13005.35	18.28	1712.06	1943.23	13.50
