

EXPORT AND IMPORT OF TEXTILE PRODUCTS

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

- (a) the percentage of total textile imported and the percentage of domestic textiles production which is exported;
- (b) the quantity and value of the export/import made during each of the last five years, State-wise;
- (c) the names of the countries with which majority of textile trade is being done;
- (d) whether the Government has formulated any action plan to promote textile trade; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

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ANSWER

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(a): The percentage of textile imports as well as exports in domestic textiles production cannot be readily ascertained as textile products comprise of different commodities ranging from fibre to finished products with heterogeneous units of quantity of production. However, textile and apparel including handicrafts had a share of 1.6% and 14.4% in India's total import and export respectively during 2016-17.

(b): Quantity and value wise Textiles and Apparel export and import for last five years are as follows:

- (i) Quantity of Exports in the last five years:

Category	Unit	India's T&A export (in mn unit)					CAGR
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	
Fibre	KGS	2899	2905	2134	2492	2298	-6%
Yarn	KGS	1991	2260	2209	2239	2211	3%
Fabric	KGS	67	65	72	70	80	4%
	SQM	2653	2905	3369	3365	3310	6%
Apparel	KGS	132	120	129	106	106	-5%
	NOS	2637	3007	3369	3470	3699	9%
	PRS	71	96	103	98	116	13%
Made Ups	KGS	249	255	268	260	275	3%
	NOS	448	481	444	489	523	4%
Others	KGS	1037	537	552	572	593	-13%
	SQM	168	188	187	168	161	-1%

Source: DGCIS&S

(ii) Quantity of Imports in the last five years:

Category	Unit	India's T&A import (in mn unit)					CAGR
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	
Fibre	KGS	588	479	611	660	967	13%
Yarn	KGS	306	310	355	348	338	3%
Fabric	KGS	123	116	148	167	176	9%
	SQM	952	1079	1360	1474	1463	11%
Apparel	KGS	4	4	6	7	8	18%
	NOS	49	69	95	154	164	35%
	PRS	93	63	63	70	76	-5%
Made Ups	KGS	1	1	2	3	9	66%
	NOS	49	53	100	146	155	33%
Others	KGS	614	611	685	774	729	4%
	SQM	14	12	12	24	13	-2%

Source: DGCI&S

(iii) Value of Imports and Exports in the last five years:

(Value in US\$ mn)

Year	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	CAGR
Import	5,360	5,308	6,059	6,025	6,312	4%
Export	35,419	40,134	40,404	39,550	39,664	3%

Source: DGCI&S

Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics (DGCIS) does not maintain State-wise export and import data on its website.

(c) In 2016-17, USA, UAE, UK, Bangladesh and Germany were top five textile and apparel export destinations for India, while China, USA, Australia, Bangladesh and Vietnam were top five textile and apparel suppliers to India.

(d) & (e): To boost exports of textile and apparel sector, Government announced a special package for garments and made-ups. Under the scheme of Rebate of State Levies, Rs 2230 crore has been released to exporters of garment and made-ups since September 2016. The rates under Merchandise Exports from India Scheme (MEIS) have been enhanced from 2% to 4% for apparel and made-ups w.e.f. 1st November 2017. Further, IGST has been exempted on import under Advance Authorisation and Export Promotion Capital Goods Scheme (EPCG). Government is also providing interest rate subvention for pre and post shipment credit for the textile sector and gives assistance to exporters under Market Access Initiative (MAI) Scheme.
