

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

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 220
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16th MARCH, 2022

INDO-UKRAINE TRADE

*220. SHRI SANJAY SADASHIVRAO MANDLIK:
SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Indo-Ukraine trade during the last three years and the current year;
- (b) whether the Government has made any assessment of the trade between India-Russia and India-Ukraine due to the present crisis and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the likely impact of present Russia-Ukraine war on India's trade with Ukraine and Russia in terms of India's exports to these countries;
- (d) whether the Union Government is apprised of present business scenario in the light of Russia-Ukraine war and if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has assessed the post war scenario in Ukraine and if so, the details thereof and the likely future of Indian companies post war; and
- (f) whether the present Ukraine-Russia crisis could provide an opportunity to India to export its bumper wheat stock to the countries in need and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री (श्री पीयूष गोयल)

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (f): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (f) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 220 FOR ANSWER ON 16th MARCH, 2022 REGARDING “ INDO-UKRAINE TRADE”.

(a) : Details of Indo-Ukraine Trade during the last three years and the current year are as follows:

Value in USD Million

Years	Ukraine		
	Exports	Imports	Total Trade
2018-2019	390.8	2,341.03	2,731.82
2019-2020	463.81	2,060.79	2,524.60
2020-2021	450.97	2,139.86	2,590.83
April-January 2022 (P)	426.43	2,444.91	2,871.34

Source: DGC I &S

(b): Yes Sir, major items of export from India to Russia is Pharmaceuticals, Telecom Instruments, Iron and Steel, Tea, Chemical Products and import is Petroleum, Pearl and Semi-precious stones, Coal, Fertilizers, Vegetable oils.

Major items of export from India to Ukraine is Pharmaceuticals, Telecom Instruments, Ground Nut, Ceramic, Iron & Steel and import is Vegetable oils, Fertilizers, Inorganic Chemicals, Plastic and Plywood and allied products.

(c) & (d) : Department of Commerce is apprised of the present situation and holding regular consultation with all stakeholders to ensure availability of essential imports. As per the feedback received from the Industry, exports of some products from India are likely to be affected including Pharmaceuticals, Telecom Instruments, Tea, Coffee, Marine Products, etc.

(e) : The more precise implication of the post war scenario can be assessed only after the situation stabilizes.

(f) : As both Ukraine and Russia are major exporters of wheat with more than 25% share in global wheat trade, disruption of exports from these countries does provide India an opportunity to increase our export of wheat.
