

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

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 113
TO BE ANSWERED ON 7TH DECEMBER, 2015

EXPORT OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

***113(H). SHRI RAJU SHETTY:**
SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL:

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

- a) the total quantum and value of agricultural products exported from the country during the last three years and the current year, product, country and yearwise;
- b) India's share in world export of agricultural products and its position in comparison with world leading exporters of agricultural products;
- c) the steps taken by the Government to boost the export of agricultural products from the country; and
- d) whether the Government is considering to export organic agricultural products under the 'Make in India' programme and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती निर्मला सीतारमण)(स्वतंत्र प्रभार)
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

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

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA
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REGARDING “EXPORT OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS ”

- (a) The details of total quantum and value of agricultural products exported from the country, product-wise and year-wise, are at **Annexure-I**. Country-wise details (Top 5 countries) in respect of major commodities are at **Annexure-II**.
- (b) As per World Trade Organization (WTO) International Trade Statistics 2015 (based on trade in 2014), India's share in world exports of agricultural products was 2.5%. India ranks 7th among the leading exporters of agricultural products.
- (c) Encouraging exports of agricultural products is a continuous process. The Government is taking steps to encourage exports of agro products through measures and incentives under Plan schemes of the Commodity Boards and Export Promotion Councils. Besides these measures, the Ministry of Commerce & Industry has put in place various schemes namely Market Development Assistance (MDA), Market Assistance Initiative (MAI) and Merchandise Export Incentive Scheme (MEIS) etc. to provide assistance to encourage exports.
- (d) Organic products are exported under the National Programme for Organic Production (NPOP) notified by Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT) under the Foreign Trade (Development & Regulations) Act, 1992. This programme involves accreditation of Certification Bodies, standards for organic production, promotion of organic farming etc. The NPOP standards for production and accreditation system have been recognized by the European Commission and Switzerland as equivalent to their country standards. Similarly, USDA has recognized NPOP conformity assessment procedures of accreditation as equivalent to that of US. With these recognitions, Indian organic products, duly certified by the accredited Certification Bodies of India, are accepted by these importing countries.

India's Export of Agricultural Products year-wise

Quantity in thousand MT; Values in US\$ Millions

S. No.	Commodity	2012-2013		2013-2014		2014-2015		2015-2016 (April - October)(P)	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
1	Marine Products	965.10	3464.08	1000.82	5016.46	1073.97	5510.49	581.52	2899.85
2	Buffalo Meat	1076.10	3201.14	1365.64	4350.23	1475.54	4781.18	716.11	2257.02
3	Rice -Basmati	3459.83	3564.04	3754.10	4864.69	3698.93	4516.28	2388.82	2172.52
4	Rice(Other than Basmati)	6687.85	2651.97	7148.47	2925.05	8278.23	3336.84	3824.16	1398.39
5	Spices	932.59	2786.12	896.57	2497.22	926.02	2430.35	491.29	1472.71
6	Cotton Raw Incl. Waste	-	3747.73	1947.70	3637.53	1142.53	1900.19	398.01	589.79
7	Guergam Meal	406.32	3919.23	601.97	1979.63	665.11	1551.87	182.93	320.66
8	Oil Meals	6578.17	3038.60	6576.51	2796.34	3904.59	1324.17	1332.90	362.48
9	Cashew	104.09	746.97	120.74	842.30	134.57	909.26	59.08	452.58
10	Sugar	2793.78	1574.62	2477.64	1177.03	1955.19	871.41	1639.48	611.81
11	Other Cereals	5441.31	1505.16	4637.54	1204.11	3514.35	869.11	645.48	162.33
12	Wheat	6514.82	1934.24	5572.03	1569.03	2924.05	828.75	415.92	102.50
13	Coffee	254.02	866.13	253.90	798.80	221.40	814.02	147.70	460.25
14	Sesame Seeds	299.48	528.08	257.44	592.14	375.66	772.27	162.15	251.83
15	Castor Oil	565.99	792.75	544.80	725.68	546.53	770.49	324.35	408.59
16	Fresh Vegetables	2343.88	627.08	2291.75	886.12	2061.00	763.24	923.63	388.05
17	Groundnut	535.64	747.39	509.75	525.67	708.39	760.37	219.74	278.07
18	Tea	268.80	865.97	249.91	798.76	215.41	681.79	137.70	414.98
19	Tobacco Unmanufactured	230.41	701.44	237.11	789.04	219.57	680.01	111.90	351.37
20	Processed Fruits & Juices	-	473.42	-	547.12	-	592.26	-	330.38
21	Fresh Fruits	534.62	496.06	525.22	608.96	486.94	516.26	231.06	244.56
22	Cereal Preparations	292.69	411.79	319.55	471.31	305.43	496.41	188.15	298.47
23	Misc Processed Items	-	340.62	-	418.03	-	453.66	-	268.07
24	Alcoholic Beverages	-	355.19	-	401.51	-	369.59	-	184.14
25	Dairy Products	-	427.53	-	727.52	-	355.83	-	161.67
26	Processed Vegetables	-	202.66	-	213.04	-	281.75	-	145.82
27	Tobacco Manufactured	-	222.69	-	222.31	-	278.61	-	169.05
28	Pulses	202.67	236.39	345.55	290.27	222.14	199.86	130.44	122.51
29	Other Oil Seeds	87.59	76.28	194.46	155.17	247.54	185.03	116.89	86.13
30	Milled Products	273.55	111.07	419.26	166.15	419.86	168.76	259.99	101.10
31	Cocoa Products	19.08	54.03	16.23	93.96	20.88	138.87	19.55	108.34
32	Sheep/Goat Meat	15.29	78.35	22.61	115.36	23.61	135.71	13.92	81.15
33	Poultry Products	-	91.22	-	93.02	-	106.38	-	71.37
34	Vegetable Oils	36.09	85.92	23.01	53.38	42.05	94.56	15.23	46.35
35	Floriculture Products	-	77.79	-	75.31	-	75.40	-	43.32
36	Fruits / Vegetable Seeds	17.17	63.70	19.34	68.80	12.50	69.96	3.61	42.48
37	Shellac	3.60	73.84	7.75	84.95	5.24	43.80	3.52	14.40
38	Mollases	342.15	40.83	211.65	24.53	247.61	31.61	179.77	32.42
39	Niger Seeds	17.90	16.55	20.84	18.69	18.16	17.71	10.30	13.97
40	Cashew Nut Shell Liquid	9.19	5.50	9.48	6.35	10.94	9.10	6.84	5.82
41	Natural Rubber	31.59	108.61	10.03	27.49	3.06	7.06	3.52	24.20
42	Animal Casings	0.65	3.94	0.35	4.73	0.26	3.18	0.15	1.80
43	Processed Meat	0.80	1.73	0.51	1.29	0.41	2.29	0.28	0.95
44	Other Meat	0.19	0.43	0.27	0.55	0.26	0.44	0.00	0.00
	Total		41318.88		42865.63		38706.18		17954.25

Source: DGCI&S;
(P) Provisional

Annexure – II

Top 5 destinations for India's Export of Agricultural Products Marine Products

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
U S A	127.06	737.86	110.02	1267.88	128.80	1457.50	100.28	859.20
Vietnam	187.23	483.42	256.75	963.53	276.38	1102.91	129.24	513.23
Japan	70.54	356.93	70.29	406.95	78.61	447.27	46.93	270.94
Belgium	23.69	143.25	25.04	214.60	23.60	202.99	14.35	106.68
Spain	44.86	171.00	43.97	166.27	50.47	205.36	30.23	114.70
Others	511.72	1571.62	494.76	1997.23	516.10	2094.46	260.49	1035.10
Total	965.10	3464.08	1000.82	5016.46	1073.97	5510.49	581.52	2899.85

Buffalo Meat

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Vietnam	302.13	943.65	524.18	1795.57	633.35	2152.86	279.03	942.96
Egypt	71.25	230.59	107.82	338.22	128.08	422.34	83.49	265.86
Malaysia	115.36	357.44	121.71	388.67	130.88	422.94	78.70	242.26
Saudi Arabia	69.62	215.53	74.60	247.11	73.82	259.01	35.08	122.79
Algeria	41.72	117.56	48.84	139.63	42.67	125.14	21.94	64.18
Others	476.02	1336.37	488.49	1441.03	466.74	1398.89	217.87	618.97
Total	1076.10	3201.14	1365.64	4350.23	1475.54	4781.18	716.11	2257.02

Basmati Rice

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Saudi Arabia	681.19	672.64	826.12	1108.90	966.93	1188.23	573.72	535.91
Iran	1082.22	1187.23	1440.45	1834.55	935.57	1108.50	389.82	342.84
UAE	234.64	240.42	147.90	196.51	278.60	314.76	363.74	299.54
Iraq	204.26	196.73	219.61	271.14	235.45	259.13	280.14	236.54
Kuwait	163.32	194.73	175.54	247.95	166.47	250.53	123.02	154.85
Others	1094.20	1072.29	944.48	1205.64	1115.91	1395.13	658.38	602.84
Total	3459.83	3564.04	3754.10	4864.69	3698.93	4516.28	2388.82	2172.52

Non-Basmati Rice

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Senegal	854.56	267.90	651.98	195.74	765.02	226.03	545.88	148.48
Benin	576.55	239.73	1166.85	485.17	598.57	247.12	415.95	145.47
Guinea	281.85	106.01	221.77	87.67	397.72	152.88	237.59	80.54
Nepal	396.59	106.18	406.16	119.80	621.89	214.31	278.30	95.10
Cote D' Ivoire	596.85	216.21	261.51	98.67	259.69	97.93	225.61	77.02
Others	3981.47	1715.94	4440.20	1938.00	5635.34	2398.57	2120.83	851.78

Total	6687.85	2651.97	7148.47	2925.05	8278.23	3336.84	3824.16	1398.39
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Source: DGCI&S; (P) Provisional

Annexure – II
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Spices

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
U S A	92.18	452.71	68.64	391.53	66.45	410.06	55.41	280.19
Vietnam	85.91	137.45	98.11	175.38	122.86	210.17	55.41	119.48
China	48.71	501.19	47.69	384.42	25.57	245.27	12.19	98.33
U K	34.52	111.99	28.00	104.11	40.27	101.18	19.33	71.90
Thailand	38.71	65.09	47.23	76.97	50.18	85.97	37.48	66.01
Others	632.56	1517.69	606.89	1364.81	620.67	1377.70	311.47	836.80
Total	932.59	2786.12	896.57	2497.22	926.02	2430.35	491.29	1472.71

Cotton Incl. Waste

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Bangladesh	NA	610.06	353.67	698.88	331.36	577.48	204.25	318.35
China	NA	2237.38	1036.77	1912.95	448.72	743.28	61.24	83.25
Vietnam	NA	166.51	120.53	220.34	151.37	241.95	39.05	55.33
Pakistan	NA	392.78	178.43	343.35	63.61	105.03	30.14	45.67
Thailand	NA	24.84	28.11	51.47	17.46	27.98	9.30	12.36
Others	NA	316.16	230.20	410.54	130.01	204.47	54.03	74.83
Total		3747.73	1947.70	3637.53	1142.53	1900.19	398.01	589.79

Guargum Meal

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
U S A	242.61	3180.85	332.27	1445.01	384.78	1148.60	80.45	178.25
China	32.27	252.64	56.97	160.08	38.58	83.56	17.18	28.19
Germany	12.09	69.12	16.96	55.36	19.12	45.19	8.86	16.94
Russia	5.39	54.23	10.97	51.46	15.93	43.47	7.16	14.47
Canada	5.46	66.32	8.73	37.23	16.75	50.56	5.45	11.32
Others	108.50	296.07	176.07	230.49	189.95	180.49	63.83	71.49
Total	406.32	3919.23	601.97	1979.63	665.11	1551.87	182.93	320.66

Oilmeals

Quantity in thousand MT; Value in US \$ Million

Country	2012-13		2013-14		2014-15		2015-16 (April - October)(P)	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Korea	950.18	259.27	1178.78	252.76	962.76	183.43	471.95	88.76
Bangladesh	354.23	168.84	560.86	221.49	450.51	182.96	168.47	58.70
Vietnam	768.07	310.91	486.12	145.08	357.70	76.16	231.70	42.86
Nepal	109.92	49.87	109.27	45.96	112.78	53.75	49.59	20.61
Thailand	593.88	291.95	419.06	161.46	294.73	77.39	57.83	14.89
Others	3801.89	1957.76	3822.42	1969.59	1726.11	750.48	353.36	136.66
Total	6578.17	3038.60	6576.51	2796.34	3904.59	1324.17	1332.90	362.48

Source: DGCI&S; (P) Provisional
