

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

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EXPORT OF READYMADE GARMENTS
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) the year-wise quantum of readymade garments exported during the last three years;
- (b) whether India has received fresh orders for export of readymade garments;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the time by which the Garments are likely to be exported ?

Answer

MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI SHANKERSINH VAGHELA)

(a) As per available DGC&S data, the readymade garments exports during the last three years i.e. 2000-01, 2001-02 and 2002-03 has been as given below:-

Year	Value
(in US\$ Million)	
April 2000-March 2001	5087.0
April 2001-March 2002	4618.7
April 2002-March 2003	5031.5

(b) to (d) Government is not directly engaged in the export of readymade garments. The exports are effected by the Indian readymade garment exporters on the basis of the individual contracts entered into with their respective overseas buyers.

However, as per available Directorate General of Commerce Intelligence & Statistics (DGC&S) data, readymade garment exports during the period April-February 2003-2004 have amounted to US\$ 4946.7 million as compared to export of US\$ 4746.4 million during the corresponding period of 2002, recording a growth of 4.2%.