

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

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EXPORTS AND IMPORTS STATUS  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of the increase in exports and imports during the last three years, percentage-wise and the targets fixed for the next two years;
- (b) whether the previous targets fixed by the Government in respect of export and import have been achieved;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to achieve future targets of export and import?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

- (a) The percentage change in values of exports and imports in term of US \$ during the last three years is as under:

	2008-09	2009-2010	2010-2011
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Export	13.6	-3.5	42.3
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Import	20.7	-5.1	22.6
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Source: DGCI&S

It is aimed to achieve US \$ 450 billion in 2013-14.

- (b) No target was fixed for import. However, the total value of export is US \$ 254 billion (provisional) as against the targeted value of US \$ 200 billion for 2010-11.

- (c) Does not arise.

- (d) To increase our exports and diversify the markets and products, incentives have been provided under Schemes, viz. Focus Market Scheme [FMS], Focus Products Scheme [FPS], Market Linked Focus Product Scheme [MLFPS] and Vishesh Krishi And Gram Udyog Yojana [VKGUY]; in the Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2009-14, thereafter in January and in March 2010; in the Annual Supplement to FTP released on 23rd August, 2010; and in announcement made in February, 2011.