

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1492
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28th JULY, 2021

TOTAL IMPORTS

1492. SHRIMATI MALA ROY:

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

- (a) the value of the total imports during the last one year, items and country-wise;
- (b) whether there is any impact on imports due to Atmanirbhar Bharat project; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

(a) to (c): The value of India's merchandise import was US\$ 393.61 billion in 2020-21 as compared to US\$ 474.71 billion in 2019-20, showing a reduction of 17.08%. The details of commodity group-wise import during 2020-21 are at **Annexure-I** and details of top 30 country-wise import during 2020-21 are at **Annexure-II**. Reduction of imports besides due to impact of COVID-19 pandemic is also due to measures taken under Atmanirbhar Bharat initiative.

Annexure-I

Statement referred to in reply of part (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred question no. 1492 for answer on 28th July 2021

India's Commodity group-wise Import during 2020-21 (Value in US\$ million)

S. No.	Commodity Groups	2020-21 (P)
1	Petroleum, Crude and products	82683.88
2	Electronic goods	54287.79
3	Machinery, electrical and non-electrical	30084.26
4	Gold	34603.94
5	Pearls, precious and Semi-precious stones	18887.96
6	Organic and Inorganic Chemicals	19825.23
7	Coal, Coke and Briquettes, etc.	16276.25
8	Artificial resins, plastic materials, etc.	13509.10
9	Vegetable Oil	11088.09
10	Non-ferrous metals	11716.65
11	Transport equipment	17874.20
12	Iron and Steel	12051.02
13	Chemical material and products	8441.21
14	Medcnl. and Pharmaceutical products	6973.64
15	Professional instrument, Optical goods, etc.	4528.24
16	Fertilisers, Crude and manufactured	7597.30
17	Metaliferrous ores and other minerals	4626.08
18	Wood and Wood products	4449.65
19	Machine tools	3169.59
20	Dyeing/tanning/colouring material.	2733.89
21	Fruits and vegetables	2273.42
22	Textile yarn Fabric, made-up articles	1501.47
23	Project goods	1498.94
24	Pulp and Waste paper	851.10
25	Pulses	1611.72
26	Leather and leather products	579.79
27	Cotton Raw and Waste	385.85
28	Newsprint	294.09
29	Sulphur and Unroasted Iron Pyrts	149.74
30	Silver	790.36
31	Others	18266.09
Total Import Excl Petroleum Crude and Products and Gold, Pearls, Precious and Semi-precious stones		393610.56

Source: DGCI&S, Kolkata (P: provisional)

Annexure-II

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India's top 30 Country-wise Import during 2020-21

S. No.	Countries	Value of Import (US\$ Million)
1	China	65,212.3
2	U S A	28,876.9
3	U Arab Emts	26,624.5
4	Switzerland	18,231.1
5	Saudi Arabia	16,186.8
6	Hong Kong	15,172.8
7	Iraq	14,287.1
8	Singapore	13,304.9
9	Germany	13,064.5
10	Republic of Korea	12,772.9
11	Indonesia	12,470.9
12	Japan	10,924.7
13	Malaysia	8,388.7
14	Australia	8,247.9
15	Qatar	7,930.2
16	South Africa	7,570.8
17	Belgium	6,940.7
18	Vietnam	6,120.7
19	Thailand	5,682.3
20	Nigeria	5,672.4
21	Russia	5,485.8
22	Kuwait	5,214.2
23	U K	4,956.0
24	France	4,175.4
25	Taiwan	4,036.8
26	Italy	3,849.1
27	Netherland	3,314.3
28	Oman	3,087.9
29	Brazil	3,016.0
30	Mexico	2,845.9
Total of Above		3,43,664.0
% Share		87.3
India's Total Import		3,93,610.6

Source: DGCI&S, Kolkata
