

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4269  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.12.2019

INDIAN TEXTILE EXPORTS

4269. SHRI SHIVAKUMAR C. UDASI:  
SHRI MANOJ KOTAK:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the targets fixed and achieved regarding export of textiles, item-wise;
- (b) the share of major textile exporting countries of the world, country-wise and the steps taken by the Government to augment the share of Indian textile exports; and
- (c) whether the textile workers are facing problems due to global and domestic textile industry due to falling exports, rising imports and slow down, if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken by the Government to protect them?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्रीमती स्मृति जूबिन इरानी)

MINISTER OF TEXTILES  
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a): A target of USD 20,100 million was fixed for cotton, man-made, woollen and silk textiles during 2018-19 against which exports were valued at USD 18,254 million:

(b): Details of share of major textile exporting countries of the world:

Country	2018 (Bn USD)	% Share
China	121	34%
USA	22	6%
India	21	6%
Germany	16	4%
Italy	13	4%
Turkey	13	4%
Rep. of Korea	12	3%
Taiwan	10	3%
Pakistan	8	2%
Viet Nam	8	2%

Source: Trademap

(c): As per the data of Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, textile exports have increased by 7% from USD 19 billion in 2017-18 to USD 20.4 billion in 2018-19 while textile imports have remained stagnant at USD 5.6 billion in 2018-19. To curtail imports of textiles, Government has doubled the Basic Custom Duty from 10% to 20% on 383 apparel HS lines (8 digit) w.e.f. 16th July 2018. Further, Government has raised BCD (from 10% to 20%) on other textile products i.e. 298 MMF fabric, 5 Silk fabric, 22 other fabric, 75 Carpet, 9 Made-ups and 15 other textiles HS lines (8 digit).

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