

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Delhi | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Dadra and Nagar Haveli | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Goa | 7 | 3 | 0 |
| Gujarat | 45 | 32 | 17 |
| Haryana | 46 | 35 | 4 |
| Jharkhand | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Karnataka | 62 | 41 | 20 |
| Kerala | 29 | 20 | 6 |
| Madhya Pradesh | 19 | 6 | 2 |
| Maharashtra | 103 | 64 | 18 |
| Nagaland | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Odisha | 10 | 5 | 1 |
| Puducherry | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Punjab | 8 | 2 | 1 |
| Rajasthan | 10 | 10 | 5 |
| Tamil Nadu | 68 | 52 | 33 |
| Uttar Pradesh | 34 | 21 | 8 |
| Uttarakhand | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| West Bengal | 20 | 11 | 6 |
| GRAND TOTAL: | 585 | 385 | 160 |

Increase in trade deficit

2042. SHRI NARESH AGRAWAL: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the balance of trade deficit has been increasing continuously;

(b) if so, the details of the total imports, exports and balance of trade in the last five years; and

(c) the details of steps Government has taken to decrease the deficit in balance of trade?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI) : (a) and (b) Trade deficit decreased during 2009-10 and increased during remaining years of the last five years albeit at variable pace. The details of Exports, Imports and Trade Deficit during last five years and current year (April-October) is as below:

| Value in US \$ Billion | | | |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| Year | Export (A) | Import (B) | Trade deficit (=A-B) |
| 2007-08 | 163.1 | 251.6 | -88.5 |
| 2008-09 | 185.3 | 303.7 | -118.4 |
| 2009-10 | 178.8 | 288.4 | -109.6 |
| 2010-11 | 251.1 | 369.8 | -118.7 |
| 2011-12 | 306.0 | 489.3 | -183.3 |
| 2012-13 (April-October) | 165.0@ | 279.5@ | -114.5@ |

Source : DGCI and S, Kolkata @: Provisional

(c) To increase our exports and reduce trade deficit a strategy paper to double our exports by 2013-14 was released in May 2011 as part of plan of action. Earlier measures taken by the Government and RBI include the announcements made in the Budget 2009-10 and 2010-11; in the Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2009-14; thereafter in January/March 2010; in the Annual Supplement to FTP released on 23rd August, 2010; and in announcements made in February and October, 2011. In the wake of continuous economic slowdown which has impacted the trade, a number of measures/incentives as part of the Annual Supplement to Foreign Trade Policy were announced on 5th June 2012. DGFT has also undertaken a midterm review with detailed discussions with all the Export Promotion Councils and other stake holders.