

*B. Details of top 10 sector-wise FDI equity inflows from  
April, 2014 to March, 2018*

Sl.No	Sector	Amount (in US\$ million)	% age with Inflows
1.	Services Sector (Fin., Banking, Insurance, Non Fin/Business, Outsourcing, R&D, Courier, Tech. Testing and Analysis, Other)	26,725.37	16.78
2.	Computer Software and Hardware	18,005.31	11.31
3.	Telecommunications	15,994.87	10.04
4.	Trading	13,259.80	8.33
5.	Construction (Infrastructure) Activities	9,971.38	6.26
6.	Automobile Industry	8,951.30	5.62
7.	Chemicals (Other than Fertilizers)	4,933.41	3.10
8.	Power	4,309.83	2.71
9.	Hotel and Tourism	4,157.80	2.61
10.	Drugs and Pharmaceuticals	4,119.35	2.59

**Low growth of exports**

846. DR. L. HANUMANTHAIAH: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that exports have registered low growth during the recent years, if so, the details of the export of various commodities for the last three years, year-wise, commodity-wise;

(b) whether Government has examined the reasons for decline in the exports in the country, if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether Government has made any provisions for promotion of exports, if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI C. R. CHAUDHARY): (a) and (b) India's merchandise exports have increased since 2016-17. During the current period 2018-19 (April-June), India's

exports registered a high positive growth of 14.21% as compared to the corresponding period of previous year. The details of India's exports for last three years and the current year are as follows:—

Years	Value of Export (in US\$ billions)	% Change
2015-16	262.29	-15.49
2016-17	275.85	5.17
2017-18	303.38	9.98
2017-18 (April-June)	72.21	--
2018-19 (April-June)*	82.47	14.21

Source: DGCI&S, Kolkata.

\*: Quick Estimates.

The details of commodity-wise India's export for last three years are as follows:

Sl.No.	Commodities	(Value in US\$ millions)		
		2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
1.	Engineering Goods	61949.53	67216.12	78706.35
2.	Petroleum Products	30582.64	31545.26	37456.65
3.	Gems and Jewellery	39284.27	43412.76	41544.45
4.	Organic and Inorganic Chemicals	13696.98	14476.86	18497.62
5.	Drugs and Pharmaceuticals	16909.49	16785.00	17282.44
6.	RMG of all Textiles	16964.36	17368.15	16706.75
7.	Cotton Yarn/Fabs./Madeups, Handloom Products etc.	10119.36	9862.20	10257.65
8.	Rice	5846.62	5733.79	7733.87
9.	Plastic and Linoleum	5764.18	5796.46	6850.86
10.	Electronic Goods	5959.52	5962.93	6393.93
11.	Marine Products	4767.51	5903.06	7387.72
12.	Man-Made Yarn/Fabs./Madeups	4621.66	4557.08	4826.35
13.	Leather and Leather Manufactures	5407.84	5165.60	5288.93
14.	Meat, Dairy and Poultry Products	4575.47	4368.79	4610.08
15.	Mica, Coal and Other Ores, Minerals Including Process	3656.04	3578.16	3775.04
16.	Spices	2541.46	2851.95	3105.93
17.	Fruits And Vegetables	2268.81	2454.72	2450.00

Sl.No.	Commodities	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
18.	Ceramic Products and Glassware	1712.05	1856.63	2131.35
19.	Handicrafts Excl. Hand Made Carpet	1648.00	1926.75	1822.54
20.	Cereal Preparations and Miscellaneous Processed Item	1319.75	1270.85	1416.81
21.	Carpet	1440.07	1490.19	1429.76
22.	Oil Seeds	1246.89	1355.23	1174.34
23.	Oil Meals	553.01	805.45	1089.88
24.	Iron Ore	191.46	1533.53	1471.06
25.	Coffee	783.87	842.84	968.57
26.	Tobacco	982.01	958.69	934.23
27.	Tea	720.03	731.26	837.33
28.	Cashew	768.55	786.93	922.41
29.	Other Cereals	261.18	212.30	248.26
30.	Jute Mfg. Including Floor Covering	295.36	309.95	335.08
31.	Others	15453.12	14732.96	15719.96
INDIA'S TOTAL EXPORT		262291.09	275852.43	303376.22

*Source:* DGCI&S, Kolkata.

\*: Provisional.

(c) In order to promote India's exports, the Government announced a major relief package for exporters in October, 2017 by extending the Advance Authorization (AA)/Export Promotion of Capital Goods (EPCG)/100% EOU schemes to sourcing inputs etc. from abroad as well as domestic suppliers. During the mid-term review of Foreign Trade Policy in December, 2017, export incentives under Merchandise Exports from India Scheme (MEIS) have been increased by 2% for labour intensive and MSME sectors leading to additional annual incentive of ₹ 4,567 crore. This was in addition to already announced increase in MEIS incentives from 2% to 4% for Ready-made Garments and Made Ups in the labour intensive Textiles Sector with an additional annual incentive of ₹ 2,743 crore. Further, incentives under Services Exports from India Scheme (SEIS) have also been increased by 2% leading to additional annual incentive of ₹ 1,140 crore.