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**Commodity Exim Report for 3rd week of February, 2026**  
**dated 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2026**

**EXPORT**

**ITCHS 6907– Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics**

**IMPORT**

**ITCHS 8479 – Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter**

## **Commodity EXIM Report** **DGCI & S, I T J Division**

1. The weekly EXIM Report published by ITJ Division of DGCI&S, Kolkata presents some basic insights into India's export and import trade patterns with respect to selected set of commodities identified each week in order to facilitate preliminary commodity group/sector specific analysis for informed trade decision making.
2. For both categories of trades, one commodity group is chosen from the entire ITC-HS 4-digit Classification (latest being 2024 classification system). The Indian Trade Classification based on Harmonized System has been adopted in India for Export and Import Operations. While India specific data is sourced from DGCI&S, M/o C&I Database, global export-import data of exactly those sets of commodities are sourced from UN-COMTRADE Database.
3. As regards the time-period, this report outlines trade statistics over a period of four years, i.e., 2021 to 2024. The latest finalized data available on the UN Comtrade Database is only up to year 2024 (Calendar Year) and on the DGCI&S Database up to November, 2025. So, for each commodity group dealt in this report, trends from 2021 to 2024 have been showcased where data has been sourced from UN Comtrade and from DGCI&S database.
4. In the instant report [3<sup>rd</sup> weekly Commodity Exim Report of February, 2026 dated 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2026] the following two commodities have been dealt with.

**Export: Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics (ITCHS Code – 6907)** - In 2024 this commodity group had 0.49% share in India's total Export value basket as per DGCI&S database. India occupied the 4<sup>th</sup> slot in export of this commodity with (2131.85million USD) 11.98% share of total global exports in the year 2024.

**Import : Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter [ITCHS Code – 8479]** – In 2024 this commodity group had share of 0.47% in India's total Import value basket as per DGCI&S database. India (imports USD 3273.70 million) having 3.58 % share of total global imports of this commodity occupied 5<sup>th</sup> slot in 2024.

## EXPORT

Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics classified as **ITCHS Code – 6907** which falls under **Chapter -69 (Ceramic products)** of **Section XIII (Articles Of Stone, Plaster, Cement, Asbestos, Mica Or Similar Materials; Ceramic Products; Glass And Glassware)** of ITC-HS classification.

India is engaged in the process of exporting this commodity and in 2024 this commodity group had 0.49% share in India’s total Export value basket as per DGCI&S database.

**Table – 1**

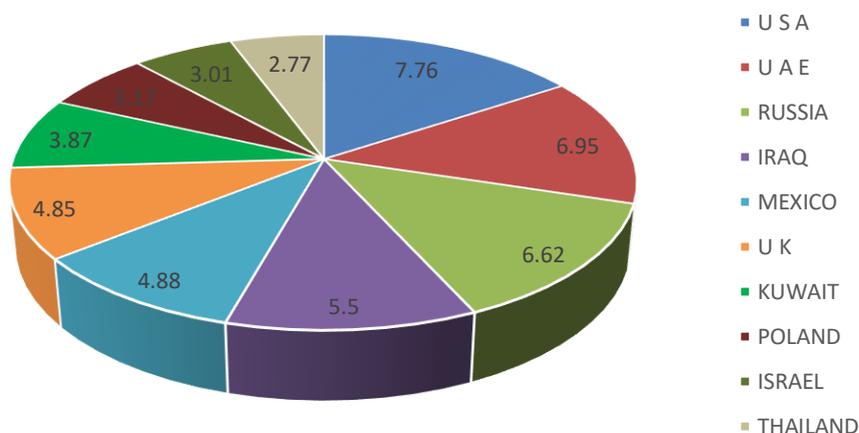
India’s Top 10 destination for Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics (HS Code - 6907)

Rank	Countries	2021		2022		2023		2024	
		Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value ( million\$)	Share (%)	Value ( million\$)	Share (%)
1.	U S A	105.17	5.95	142.54	7.72	182.14	7.47	168.13	7.76
2.	U A E	89.08	5.04	105.35	5.71	134.05	5.50	150.52	6.95
3.	RUSSIA	55.08	3.12	52.96	2.87	113.02	4.63	143.44	6.62
4.	IRAQ	87.62	4.96	106.03	5.74	129.57	5.31	119.13	5.50
5.	MEXICO	70.68	4.00	56.01	3.03	118.42	4.86	105.66	4.88
6.	U K	57.46	3.25	48.93	2.65	108.74	4.46	105.03	4.85
7.	KUWAIT	74.64	4.23	77.55	4.20	92.30	3.78	83.75	3.87
8.	POLAND	52.45	2.97	50.85	2.75	59.06	2.42	68.64	3.17
9.	ISRAEL	42.47	2.40	45.72	2.48	96.96	3.98	65.19	3.01
10.	THAILAND	54.46	3.08	60.61	3.28	68.76	2.82	60.09	2.77
	Others	1077.07	60.98	1099.18	59.55	1335.96	54.78	1096.96	50.63
	Total	1766.18	100.00	1845.74	100.00	2438.98	100.00	2166.56	100.00

**Source: DGCI&S, Ministry of Commerce & Industry**

**Note: India’s Export includes re-export also**

India’s top 10 destinations of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics by Percentage in 2024



In the year 2024 India exported Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics worth of USD 2166.56 million, decreased from 2023 figures of USD 2438.98 million. USA (importing USD 168.13 million worth of goods in this segment from India) held the top slot as an export destination in this segment with 7.76 % share of India’s total exports of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics recorded for the year 2024. In second and third place were UAE (USD 150.52 million) and Russia (USD 143.44 million) to where India exported 6.95% and 6.62 % share of total of this commodity respectively in 2024. Over the period under review India’s exports in this segment increased till 2023 from 2021 levels and then decreased in 2024 over 2023 levels.

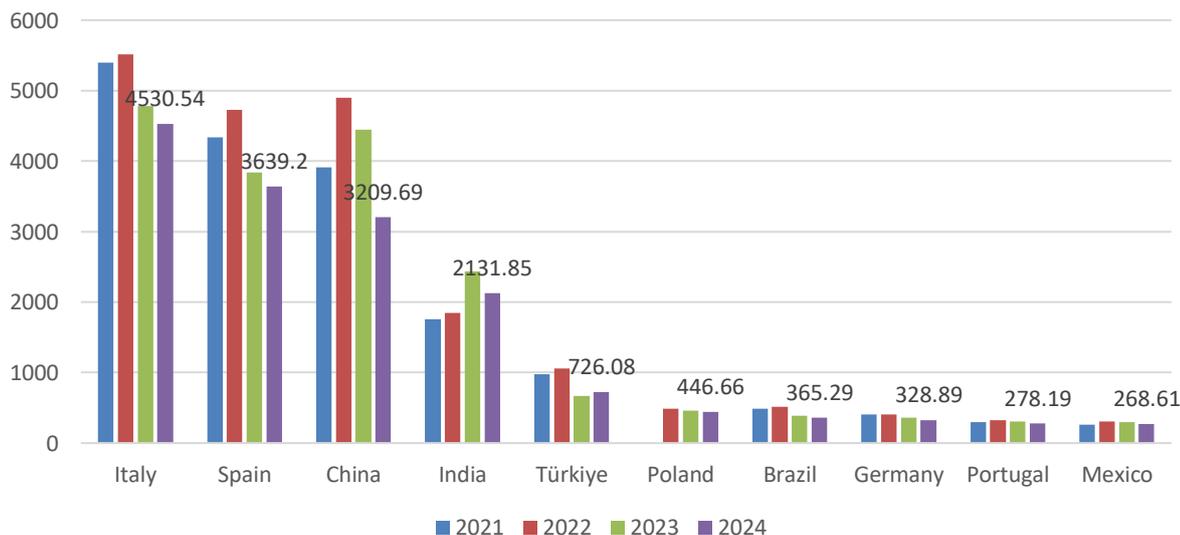
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World’s Top 10 exporters of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics (HS Code - 6907)

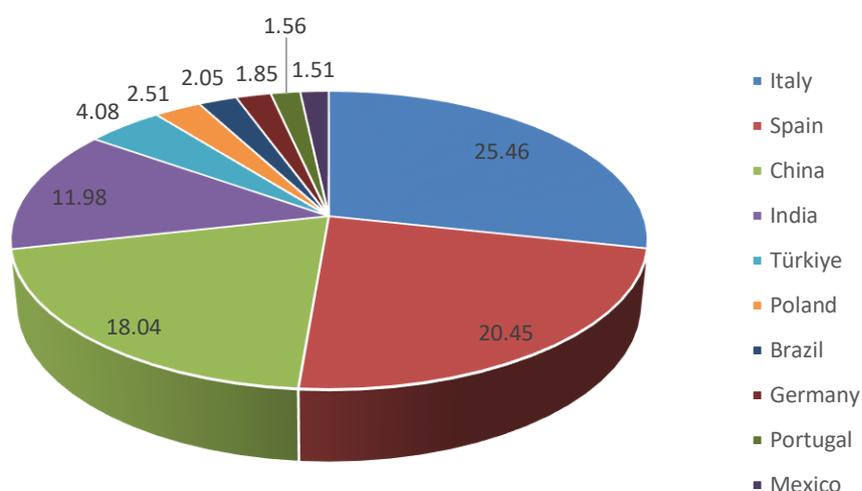
Rank	Countries	2021		2022		2023		2024	
		Value (million\$)	Share (%)						
1.	Italy	5398.39	26.15	5517.04	24.10	4782.95	23.31	4530.54	25.46
2.	Spain	4335.01	21.00	4725.43	20.64	3841.81	18.72	3639.20	20.45
3.	China	3915.20	18.97	4899.49	21.40	4446.98	21.67	3209.69	18.04
4.	India	1758.29	8.52	1846.83	8.07	2439.05	11.89	2131.85	11.98
5.	Türkiye	981.07	4.75	1061.87	4.64	665.27	3.24	726.08	4.08
6.	Poland	0.00	0.00	483.73	2.11	464.76	2.27	446.66	2.51
7.	Brazil	488.14	2.36	512.55	2.24	391.72	1.91	365.29	2.05
8.	Germany	409.14	1.98	409.37	1.79	361.79	1.76	328.89	1.85
9.	Portugal	293.53	1.42	326.90	1.43	302.15	1.47	278.19	1.56
10.	Mexico	263.40	1.28	305.40	1.33	301.80	1.47	268.61	1.51
	Others	2801.95	13.57	2803.75	12.25	2519.48	12.28	1869.52	10.51
	Total	20644.14	100.00	22892.34	100.00	20517.76	100.00	17794.53	100.00

Source: UN Comtrade

Leading Exporters of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics globally from 2021 to 2024 (Data labels signified for 2024)



World's 10 leading exporters of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics by percentage in 2024



Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics exports worldwide amounted to USD 17794.53 million in 2024, decreased from the previous year level of USD 20517.76 million. The lead Exporter in this segment has consistently been Italy (exporting goods worth a total of USD 4530.54 million) with 25.46 % share in 2024. **India** ( exporting goods worth a total of USD 2131.85 million in this category)with 11.98 % share, stood at 4<sup>th</sup> slot in 2024 of world exports of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics. Spain (USD 3639.20 million) with 20.45 % share and China (USD 3209.69 million) with 18.04% share of world export in this segment in 2024 stood at 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> slot respectively. World export in this segment increased in 2022 over the year 2021 and then decreased up to the year 2024.

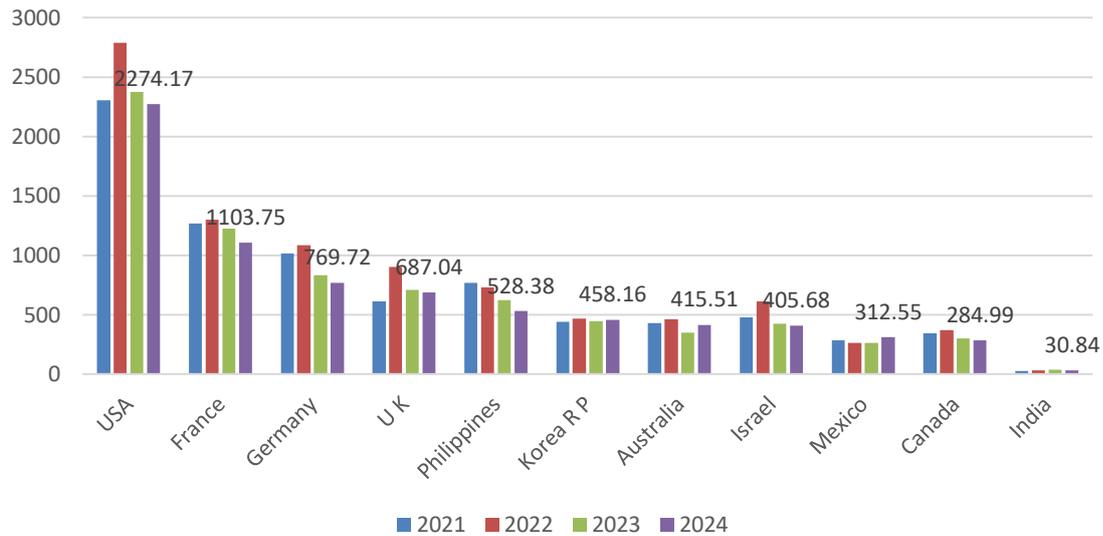
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World's Top 10 Importers of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics (HS Code - 6907)

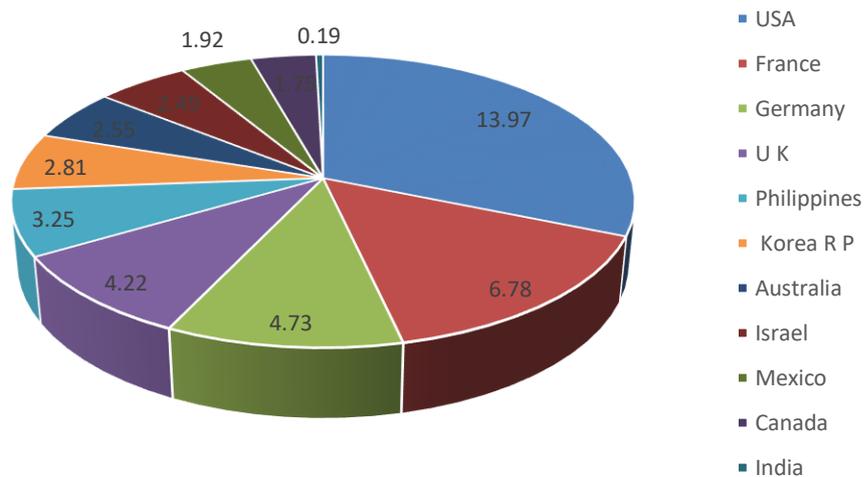
Rank	Countries	2021		2022		2023		2024	
		Value (million\$)	Share (%)						
1.	USA	2306.55	11.74	2787.63	13.46	2373.14	13.31	2274.17	13.97
2.	France	1265.35	6.44	1301.74	6.28	1226.57	6.88	1103.75	6.78
3.	Germany	1012.08	5.15	1083.65	5.23	830.61	4.66	769.72	4.73
4.	U K	610.25	3.11	901.04	4.35	707.75	3.97	687.04	4.22
5.	Philippines	766.79	3.90	727.38	3.51	623.82	3.50	528.38	3.25
6.	Korea R P	441.09	2.25	467.13	2.26	446.71	2.51	458.16	2.81
7.	Australia	427.69	2.18	460.84	2.22	348.53	1.96	415.51	2.55
8.	Israel	475.77	2.42	610.27	2.95	423.01	2.37	405.68	2.49
9.	Mexico	283.00	1.44	262.79	1.27	263.19	1.48	312.55	1.92
10.	Canada	342.73	1.74	368.64	1.78	300.40	1.69	284.99	1.75
<b>89.</b>	<b>India</b>	<b>27.13</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>30.53</b>	<b>0.15</b>	<b>33.97</b>	<b>0.19</b>	<b>30.84</b>	<b>0.19</b>
	Others	11683.60	59.48	11711.33	56.54	10246.25	57.49	9008.84	55.34
	Total	19642.04	100.00	20712.96	100.00	17823.94	100.00	16279.63	100.00

Source: UN Comtrade

Leading Importers of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics globally from 2021 to 2024 (Data labels signified for 2024)



World's 5 leading importers of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics (by percentage share in 2024)

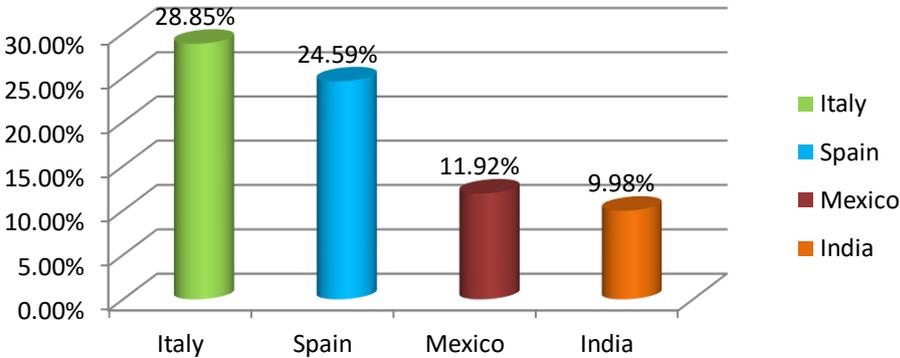


Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics imports worldwide was USD 16279.63 million in 2024, decreased from 2023 levels of USD 17823.94 million. Over the period under review (i.e. 2021-2024), global imports were at record high in 2022 at USD 20712.96 million. The lead importers in this segment had highest share of import were USA (13.97%) in 2024 followed next by France (6.78%) and Germany (4.73%). **India** had 0.19 % share of world importing trade in this segment in 2024 and stood at 89<sup>th</sup> slot in the world. World import of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics increased in 2022 over 2021 levels and then decreased till 2024.

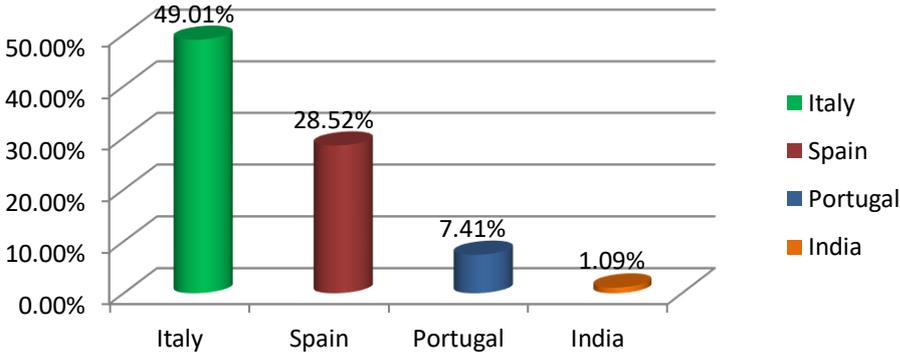
As per UN Comtrade database the top 3 importers of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics globally were **USA, France and Germany**. These 3 countries imported 9.98 %, 1.09 % and 1.69 % respectively of their

total import of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics from India in 2024 which is presented below:

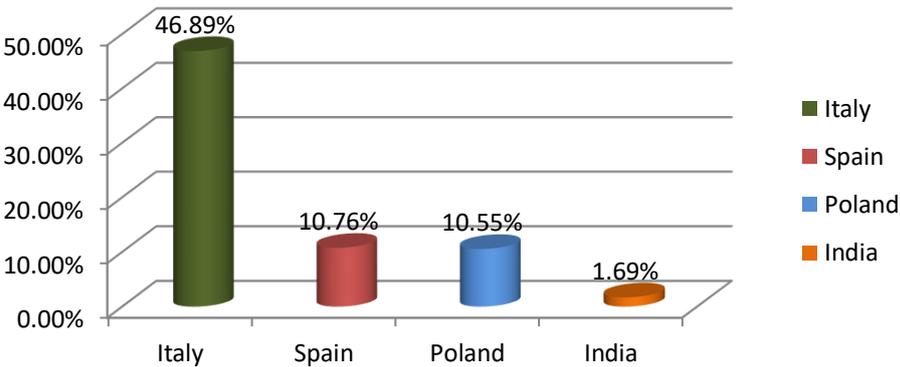
i) Top 3 supplier nations of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics to USA in 2024 (Percentage share)



ii) Top 3 supplier nations of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics to France in 2024 (Percentage share)



iii) Top 3 supplier nations of Ceramic Flags And Paving, Hearth Or Wall Tiles; Ceramic Mosaic Cubes And The Like, Whether Or Not On A Backing; Finishing Ceramics to Germany in 2024 (Percentage share)



## IMPORT

**Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter** classified as ITC/HS Code – 8479 which falls under Chapter -84 (*Nuclear Reactors, Boilers, Machinery And Mechanical Appliances; Parts Thereof*) and Section XVI (*Machinery And Mechanical Appliances; Electrical Equipment; Parts Thereof; Sound Recorders And Reproducers, Television Image And Sound Recorders And Reproducers, And Parts And Accessories Of Such Articles*) of ITC/HS classification.

India is engaged in the process of importing this commodity and in 2024 this commodity group had 0.47% share in India's total Import value basket as per DGCIS database.

**Table – 4**

India's Top 10 Source of Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter (HS Code 8479)

Rank	Countries	2021		2022		2023		2024	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	CHINA	677.45	33.91	765.58	35.40	994.97	35.31	1488.90	44.46
2.	GERMANY	301.21	15.08	309.04	14.29	467.26	16.58	405.92	12.12
3.	JAPAN	202.78	10.15	199.64	9.23	302.62	10.74	319.99	9.56
4.	KOREA R P	109.87	5.50	173.52	8.02	111.33	3.95	199.78	5.97
5.	ITALY	116.38	5.83	108.69	5.03	160.85	5.71	181.48	5.42
6.	U S A	97.71	4.89	121.98	5.64	164.60	5.84	123.10	3.68
7.	SINGAPORE	51.47	2.58	49.97	2.31	67.15	2.38	62.41	1.86
8.	BELGIUM	43.80	2.19	62.93	2.91	86.93	3.08	55.68	1.66
9.	FRANCE	28.53	1.43	38.80	1.79	57.75	2.05	51.92	1.55
10.	TAIWAN	31.58	1.58	31.83	1.47	42.39	1.50	44.05	1.32
	Others	337.12	16.87	300.80	13.91	362.08	12.85	415.37	12.40
	Total	1997.90	100.00	2162.77	100.00	2817.92	100.00	3348.61	100.00

Source: DGCI&S, Ministry of Commerce & Industry

Note: India's Import includes re-import also

The total amount of India's import of Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter in 2024 stood at USD 3348.61 million, increased from 2023 levels of USD 2817.92 million. Over the period under review, India's imports in this segment were at record high in 2024. In 2024, China stood out as India's top importing partner in this segment with a share of 44.46 % of India's total import in this segment followed next by Germany (12.12%) and Japan (9.56 %). For the period under review, India's import in this segment had been steadily increasing from 2021 till 2024.

**Table – 5**

World’s Top 10 Importers of Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter (HS Code 8479)

Rank	Countries	2021		2022		2023		2024	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	USA	10354.24	11.59	12035.90	13.53	13009.54	14.01	14223.45	15.54
2.	China	14361.25	16.08	12933.03	14.54	11227.73	12.09	9380.33	10.25
3.	Germany	6029.70	6.75	6312.18	7.09	6720.73	7.24	6358.58	6.95
4.	Mexico	3163.14	3.54	4127.63	4.64	4470.69	4.82	4690.97	5.12
5.	India	1997.33	2.24	2166.17	2.43	2819.89	3.04	3273.70	3.58
6.	U K	1922.91	2.15	2217.84	2.49	2586.42	2.79	2899.81	3.17
7.	France	2613.95	2.93	2677.54	3.01	2906.38	3.13	2787.32	3.04
8.	Canada	1917.35	2.15	2047.92	2.30	2224.68	2.40	2515.79	2.75
9.	Korea R P	2445.46	2.74	2286.31	2.57	2249.79	2.42	2145.77	2.34
10.	Singapore	2247.77	2.52	2044.23	2.30	1767.60	1.90	2103.68	2.30
	Others	42251.73	47.31	40122.74	45.10	42848.85	46.16	41159.53	44.96
	Total	89304.84	100.00	88971.48	100.00	92832.30	100.00	91538.92	100.00

Source: UN Comtrade

Worldwide import of Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter was USD 91538.92 million in 2024, decreased from 2023 levels of USD 92832.30 million. Over the period under review, global imports were at record high in 2023. **India’s** imports of Machines And Mechanical Appliances Having Individual Functions, Not Specified Or Included Elsewhere In This Chapter amounted to USD 3273.70 million in the year 2024 as per UN Comtrade database and **India** ranked 5<sup>th</sup> slot in the world with the share of 3.58% of total global imports of this commodity. The lead Importers in this segment were USA (USD 14223.45 million) with 15.54% share of world imports in 2024, occupied top slot followed by China (USD 9380.33 million & 10.25% share) and Germany (USD 6358.58 million & 6.95 % share) respectively. Global import in this segment decreased in 2022 over 2021 levels, then increased in 2023 compared to 2022 and again decreased in 2024 over 2023 levels.

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