

Export – Import (EXIM Report) **DGCI & S, I T J Division**

The weekly EXIM Report published by ITJ Division of DGCI&S, Kolkata presents some basic insights into India's export and import trade patterns w.r.t. select set of commodities identified each week in order to formulate a preliminary overview and to facilitate Export and Import commodity group/sector specific analysis for better policy making.

2. For both categories of trades, commodities are chosen from the entire ITC-HS 4 Digit Classification (latest being 2022 classification). 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-COMTRDADE Database.

3. As regards the time-period, this report outlines trade statistics over a period of four years. Currently (for reports being prepared in CY 2023) we are considering the time-period of 2019-2022 (Calendar year data).

4. In the instant report [which is 4th& 5th weekly combine Report of November,2023 dated 22nd& 29th November' 2023] the following four commodities have been dealt with

Export : (In this report the export items that have been dealt with have only limited contribution in our export basket and India is rather importing these commodities.

- a) **Dried Leguminous Vegetables (ITCHS Code – 0713)**
- b) **Polymer of Ethylene, in Primary Form (ITCHS Code- 3901)**

Import : (In this report the import items that have been dealt with are where India's share in global import pictures of both commodities are less than 10%).

- a) **Reaction Initiators, Accelerators and Catalytic Reaction Initiators (ITCHS Code – 3815)**
- b) **Gold :Unwrought or in Semi-Manufactured Forms, or in Powder form (ITCHS Code-7108)**

EXPORT

a) **Dried Leguminous Vegetables** classified as H.S. Code – 0713 which falls under Chapter - 07 (Edible vegetables and certain roots and tubers) of ITCHS classification.

India is engaged in the process of exporting this commodity and in 2022 this commodity group had share of 0.12% share in India's total Export value basket as per DGCIS data base.

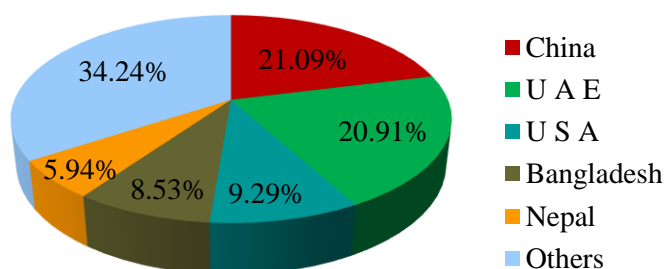
Table - 1
India's Top 10 destination for export of Dried Leguminous Vegetables HS Code – 0713)

Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	China	36.24	16.91	20.47	7.62	77.33	23.73	119.36	21.09
2.	U A E	10.37	4.84	20.73	7.71	73.22	22.47	118.39	20.91
3.	U S A	27.23	12.71	44.40	16.52	42.90	13.16	52.60	9.29
4.	Bangladesh	14.60	6.81	19.85	7.39	4.64	1.42	48.29	8.53
5.	Nepal	7.04	3.29	22.63	8.42	23.54	7.22	33.61	5.94
6.	Iran	0.67	0.31	7.54	2.81	5.89	1.81	26.77	4.73
7.	Sri Lanka	16.05	7.49	15.18	5.65	7.21	2.21	22.16	3.91
8.	Canada	8.66	4.04	11.80	4.39	10.17	3.12	16.45	2.91
9.	Algeria	31.53	14.72	20.47	7.62	5.74	1.76	11.47	2.03
10.	Saudi Arab	6.52	3.04	6.43	2.39	7.21	2.21	11.08	1.96
	Others	55.32	25.82	79.27	29.49	68.05	20.88	105.91	18.71
	Total	214.24	100	268.78	100	325.90	100	566.08	100

Source: DGCIS, Ministry of Commerce & Industry

Note: India's Export includes re-export also

India's top 5 export destinations of Dried Leguminous Vegetables in 2022 (% share)



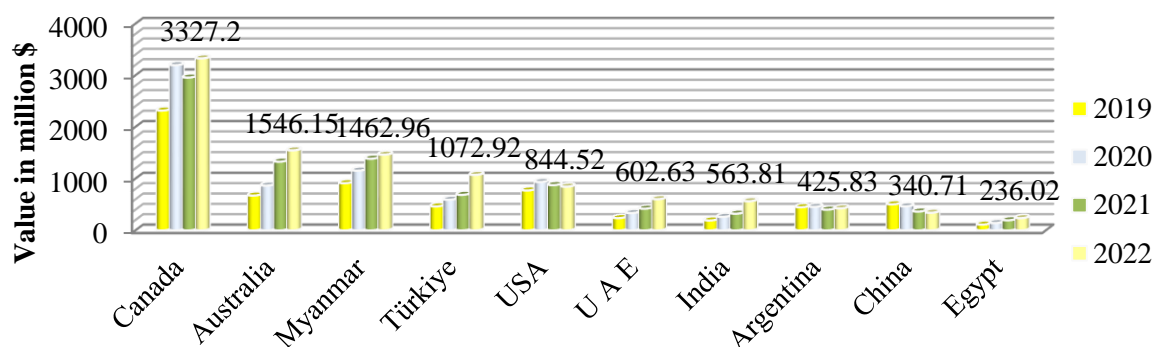
The total value of exports of Dried Leguminous Vegetables from India amounted to US\$566.08 million in 2022 with an increase of over 73.70% compared to 2021 figures of US\$ 325.90. China (US\$ 119.36 million) has held the top slot as an export destination in this segment from India with 21.09% share of India's total export. In second and third place were UAE(US\$ 118.39 million) and USA (US\$ 52.60 million) to where India exported around 20.91% and 9.29% share of Dried Leguminous Vegetables respectively in 2022.

Table - 2
World's Top 10 exporters of Dried Leguminous Vegetables HS Code – 0713)

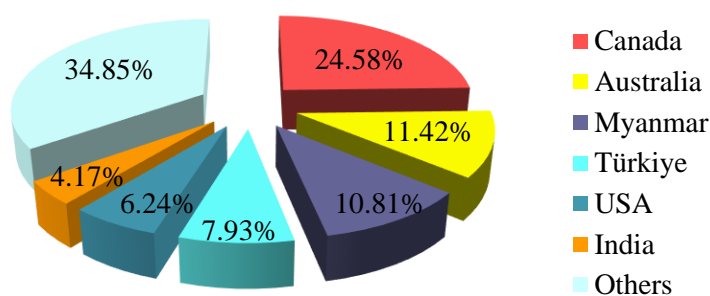
Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	Canada	2316.79	24.30	3196.12	27.70	2955.32	23.15	3327.20	24.58
2.	Australia	673.00	7.06	864.76	7.50	1327.99	10.40	1546.15	11.42
3.	Myanmar	912.12	9.57	1153.71	10.00	1385.17	10.85	1462.96	10.81
4.	Türkiye	463.48	4.86	591.59	5.13	686.81	5.38	1072.92	7.93
5.	USA	771.00	8.09	934.68	8.10	875.07	6.85	844.52	6.24
6.	U A E	236.87	2.48	335.17	2.91	419.53	3.29	602.63	4.45
7.	India	191.56	2.01	261.01	2.26	322.77	2.53	563.81	4.17
8.	Argentina	447.43	4.69	453.68	3.93	400.56	3.14	425.83	3.15
9.	China	503.33	5.28	464.05	4.02	364.05	2.85	340.71	2.52
10.	Egypt	111.54	1.17	141.35	1.23	195.47	1.53	236.02	1.74
	Others	2908.91	30.50	3141.57	27.23	3835.67	30.04	3111.18	22.99
	Total	9536.04	100	11537.69	100	12768.42	100	13533.94	100

Source: UN Comtrade

Top 10 Exporters of Dried Leguminous Vegetables globally from 2019 to 2022
Data labels signified for 2022



World's 5 leading exporters of Dried Leguminous Vegetables by percentage in 2022



The Dried Leguminous Vegetables exports globally amounted to US\$ 13533.94 million in 2022 increasing by 5.95% over the previous year. Canada(US \$ 3327.30 million), Australia (US \$ 1546.15 million) and Myanmar(US \$ 1462.96 million),occupied the top three slots with the highest levels of exports in 2022, with 24.58%, 11.42% and 10.81% shares in global exports of Dried Leguminous Vegetables in 2022 respectively.

In the same year **India** occupied the 7th position with 4.17% share of world exports of Dried Leguminous Vegetables totaling to US \$ 563.81 million as per UN Comtrade Statistics which closely falls in line with DGCI&S data minor variation.

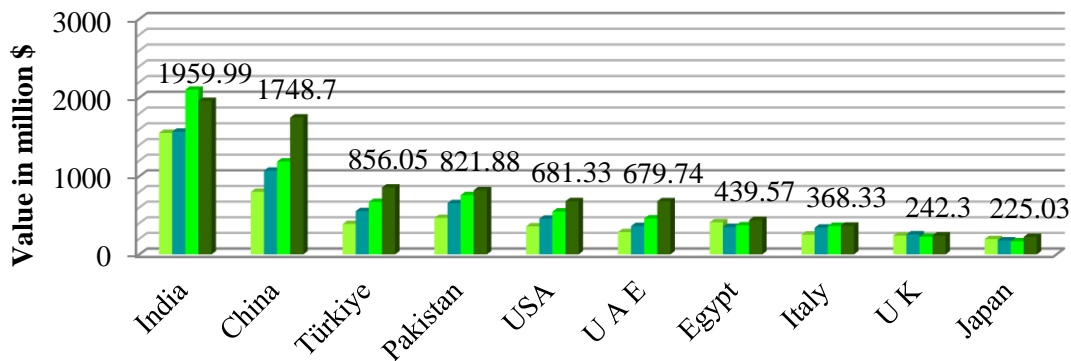
Quite notably, while India exports 9.29% of its total dried leguminous vegetables to USA, USA as country occupies a higher position (5th slot) as global exporter of this commodity.

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World’s Top 10 Importers of Dried Leguminous Vegetables HS Code – 0713)

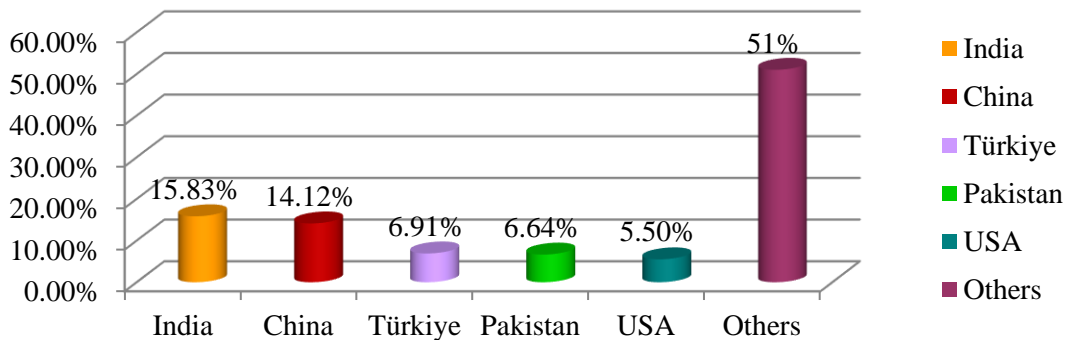
Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	India	1553.17	18.08	1568.30	15.18	2102.26	18.02	1959.99	15.83
2.	China	799.59	9.31	1070.56	10.36	1187.61	10.18	1748.70	14.12
3.	Türkiye	388.66	4.52	553.42	5.36	670.37	5.75	856.05	6.91
4.	Pakistan	466.04	5.42	655.15	6.34	758.07	6.50	821.88	6.64
5.	USA	358.46	4.17	456.49	4.42	548.60	4.70	681.33	5.50
6.	U A E	284.38	3.31	363.55	3.52	459.73	3.94	679.74	5.49
7.	Egypt	410.88	4.78	351.33	3.40	372.16	3.19	439.57	3.55
8.	Italy	253.26	2.95	342.64	3.32	364.20	3.12	368.33	2.97
9.	U K	240.36	2.80	256.25	2.48	224.96	1.93	242.30	1.96
10.	Japan	196.01	2.28	178.78	1.73	167.32	1.43	225.03	1.82
	Others	3640.75	42.38	4536.04	43.90	4812.68	41.25	4360.45	35.21
	Total	8591.56	100	10332.51	100	11667.95	100	12383.38	100

Source :UNComtrade

Leading Importers of Dried Leguminous Vegetables globally from 2019 to 2022
Data labels signified for 2022

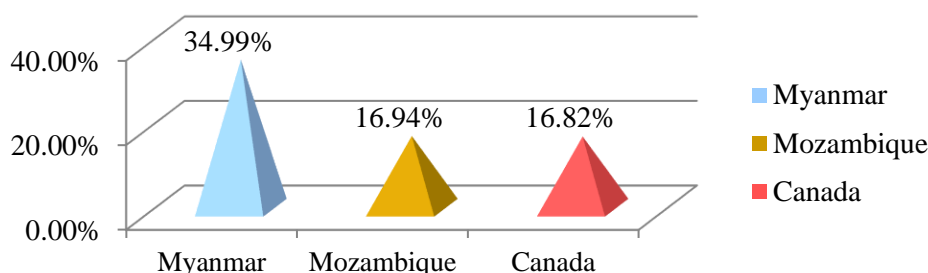


World’s 5 leading importers of Dried Leguminous Vegetables by percentage share in 2022



The Dried Leguminous Vegetables imports worldwide was US\$ 12383.38 Million in 2022, increasing by 6.13% from 2021 levels. Over the period under review (i.e. 2019-2022), global imports were at record high 2022. The lead importer in this segment was India with 15.83% share in total global imports of this product in 2022 followed closely by China (14.12%) and Türkiye (6.91%).

While in 2022 India occupied the 7th slot in global exports of this commodity, it incidentally occupies the first slot in global imports list with its major suppliers being -----



Myanmar (34.99%) in 2022 followed by Mozambique (16.94%) and Canada (16.82%) as per UN Comtrade data base.

Note : Additionally from UN Comtrade data base it is observed that there exists a difference of US \$ 1150.56 million between world exports and world imports of Dried Leguminous Vegetables.

b) Polymer of Ethylene, in Primary Form is classified as ITCHS Code-3901 under the chapter 39 of ITCHS classification dealing with Plastics and Articles thereof globally.

In 2022 India had exported US \$ 527.96 million worth of Polymer of Ethylene, in Primary form which had a 0.12% share of India's total export basket.

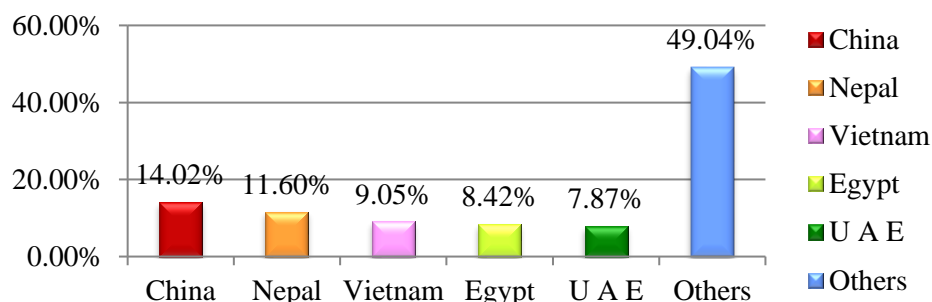
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India's Top 10 destinations for export of Polymer of Ethylene, in Primary Forms (H.S Code-3901)

Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	China	718.91	66.97	510.60	60.40	207.80	26.88	74.00	14.02
2.	Nepal	42.16	3.93	50.16	5.93	81.24	10.51	61.26	11.60
3.	Vietnam	55.04	5.13	62.28	7.37	60.57	7.83	47.78	9.05
4.	Egypt	3.83	0.36	12.28	1.45	37.54	4.86	44.46	8.42
5.	U A E	16.70	1.56	12.83	1.52	27.45	3.55	41.53	7.87
6.	Bangladesh	35.24	3.28	36.12	4.27	36.01	4.66	33.43	6.33
7.	Turkey	43.93	4.09	31.33	3.71	47.93	6.20	28.97	5.49
8.	Kenya	23.62	2.20	24.48	2.90	35.31	4.57	24.13	4.57
9.	Saudi Arab	3.83	0.36	8.04	0.95	11.33	1.46	20.32	3.85
10.	Algeria	3.34	0.31	3.49	0.41	4.44	0.57	13.41	2.54
	Others	126.86	11.82	93.78	11.09	223.47	28.91	138.68	26.27
	Total	1073.46	100	845.38	100	773.10	100	527.96	100

Source: DGCI&S, Ministry of Commerce & Industry

Note: India's Export includes re-export also

India's top 5 export destinations of Polymer of Ethylene by percentage share in 2022:



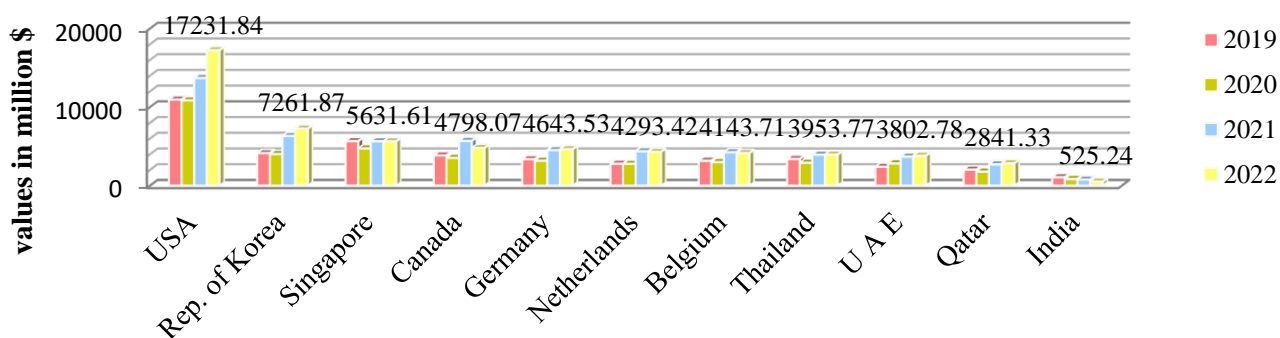
The total value of exports of Polymers of Ethylene in Primary form from India amounted to US\$ 527.96 million in 2022, declining by 31.71% from 2021 levels. China (US\$ 74 million) has held the top position as an export destination in this segment from India with 14.02% share of India's total exported followed by Nepal (US\$ 61.26 million) and Viet Nam (US\$ 47.78 million) to where India exported around 11.60% and 9.05% share of Polymers of Ethylene in Primary form respectively in 2022. Export share from India in this segment has been steadily decreasing over the years as observable from 2020 to 2022 in above table with major decline explained on account reduced exports to China. India's exports in this segment are primarily routed to Asian and African nations.

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World's Top 10 exporters of Polymer of Ethylene, in Primary Forms (H.S Code-3901)

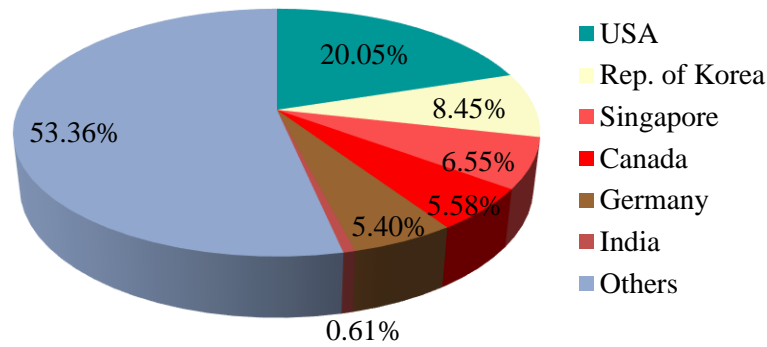
Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	USA	10965.55	14.61	10859.25	15.50	13697.84	13.92	17231.84	20.05
2.	Rep. of Korea	4139.64	5.52	4028.46	5.75	6315.24	6.42	7261.87	8.45
3.	Singapore	5659.25	7.54	4742.11	6.77	5647.56	5.74	5631.61	6.55
4.	Canada	3850.15	5.13	3533.15	5.04	5693.16	5.78	4798.07	5.58
5.	Germany	3360.95	4.48	3165.74	4.52	4523.77	4.60	4643.53	5.40
6.	Netherlands	2782.61	3.71	2779.27	3.97	4375.56	4.45	4293.42	4.99
7.	Belgium	3170.21	4.23	3001.25	4.28	4261.07	4.33	4143.71	4.82
8.	Thailand	3394.47	4.52	2907.53	4.15	3939.03	4.00	3953.77	4.60
9.	U A E	2394.62	3.19	2834.64	4.05	3691.42	3.75	3802.78	4.42
10.	Qatar	2034.03	2.71	1793.77	2.56	2710.83	2.75	2841.33	3.31
27.	India	1073.27	1.43	851.18	1.21	771.78	0.78	525.24	0.61
	Others	32209.70	42.93	29569.23	42.20	42805.90	43.49	26831.66	31.21
	Total	75034.45	100	70065.58	100	98433.16	100	85958.83	100

Source: UN Comtrade

Leading Exporters of Polymers of Ethylene in Primary form globally from 2019 to 2022
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World's 5 leading exporters of Polymers of Ethylene exports percentage share in 2022:



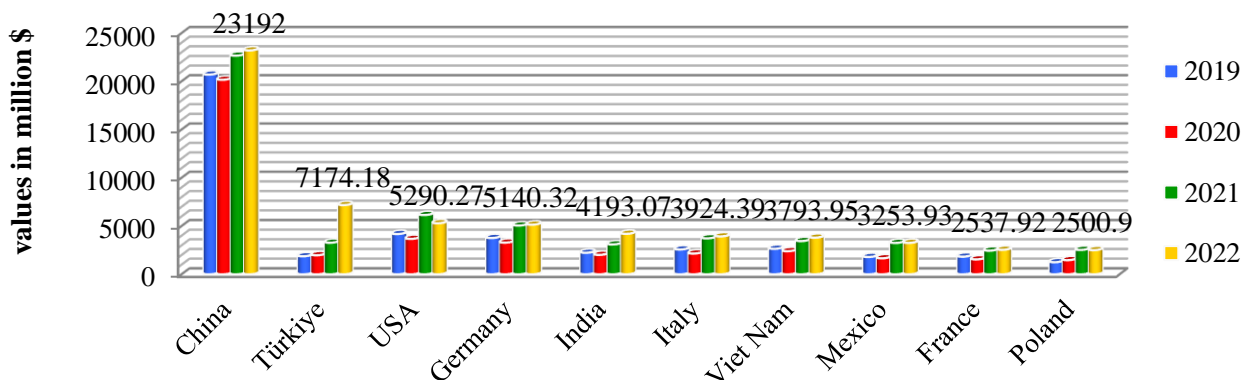
The Polymers of Ethylene in Primary form exports worldwide was US \$ 85958.83 million in 2022, declining by 12.67% from 2021 levels. Over the period under review, global exports were at record high at US \$ 98433.16 million in 2021. The lead Exporter in this segment has been USA (US \$ 17231.84 million) with 20.05% share of world exports in 2022. Distantly followed by Rep. of Korea (US \$ 7261.87 million) and Singapore (US \$ 5631.61.million) with 8.45% and 6.55% shares respectively. **India**(US \$ 525.24 million) with a show of 0.61% share, occupied 27th position as per UN Comtrade Statistics in global exports landscape of this commodity group.

Table - 6
World's top 10 Importers of Polymer of Ethylene, in Primary Forms (H.S Code-3901)

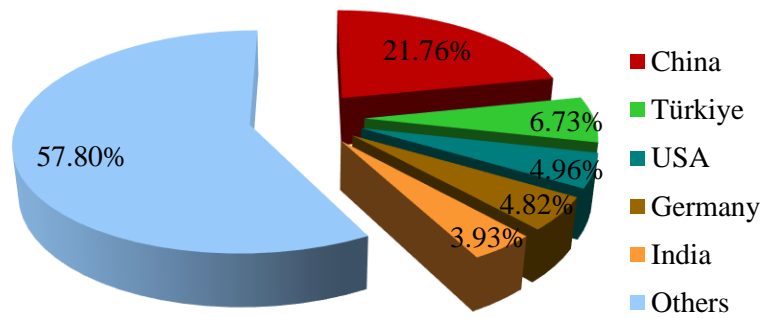
Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	China	20690.90	26.18	20155.39	28.29	22653.72	22.60	23192.00	21.76
2.	Türkiye	1867.61	2.36	1973.10	2.77	3270.50	3.26	7174.18	6.73
3.	USA	4172.46	5.28	3670.22	5.15	6143.83	6.13	5290.27	4.96
4.	Germany	3758.43	4.75	3281.17	4.61	5050.81	5.04	5140.32	4.82
5.	India	2230.39	2.82	2013.21	2.83	3094.86	3.09	4193.07	3.93
6.	Italy	2570.71	3.25	2150.25	3.02	3721.61	3.71	3924.39	3.68
7.	Viet Nam	2641.73	3.34	2395.83	3.36	3443.95	3.44	3793.95	3.56
8.	Mexico	1795.19	2.27	1658.10	2.33	3250.51	3.24	3253.93	3.05
9.	France	1826.67	2.31	1543.18	2.17	2450.18	2.44	2537.92	2.38
10.	Poland	1250.26	1.58	1465.68	2.06	2526.38	2.52	2500.90	2.35
	Others	36243.00	45.85	30940.74	43.43	44623.83	44.52	45581.25	42.77
	Total	79047.35	100	71246.86	100	100230.19	100	106582.19	100

Source :UNComtrade

Leading Importers of Polymers of Ethylene in Primary form globally from 2019 to 2022
Data labels signified for 2022



World's 5 leading importers of Polymers of Ethylene imports by percentage share in 2022 :



The Polymers of Ethylene in Primary form imports worldwide was US \$ 106582.19 Million in 2022, increasing by 6.34% from 2021 levels. Over the period under review, global imports were at record high in this year. The lead importers in this segment in 2022 have been China(21.76%), Türkiye (6.73%), and USA (4.96 %) and India with a show of 3.93% share, stood at 5th position. India's share in this segment has been gradually increasing over the years as observable from 2019 to 2022 in above table.

It needs to be mentioned herein that global imports of this product is not exactly matching global exports of this product and there exists an observable difference of USD \$ 20,624 million between imports and exports as per UN Comtrade database.

IMPORT

a) **Reaction Initiators, Accelerators and Catalytic** is classified as ITCHS Code-3815 under the chapter 38(Miscellaneous chemical products) of ITCHS classification. In 2022 India's imports in this segment formed 0.08% share of India's total import as per DGCIS Statistics

Table - 7
India's Top10 Sources of Reaction Initiators, Accelerator and Catalytic (H.S. Code -3815)

Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	U S A	252.82	42.72	217.71	43.62	331.14	41.99	189.36	31.45
2.	Italy	49.28	8.33	31.44	6.30	83.27	10.56	74.22	12.33
3.	Japan	46.66	7.88	66.91	13.41	141.48	17.94	64.50	10.71
4.	Germany	29.59	5.00	18.36	3.68	26.99	3.42	49.28	8.18
5.	China	21.01	3.55	21.03	4.21	35.64	4.52	47.96	7.97
6.	Netherland	50.18	8.48	31.55	6.32	48.54	6.16	30.47	5.06
7.	Belgium	5.27	0.89	7.23	1.45	30.12	3.82	27.85	4.63
8.	Saudi Arab	4.72	0.80	9.96	1.99	0.88	0.11	20.44	3.40
9.	France	50.26	8.49	33.93	6.80	12.21	1.55	17.20	2.86
10.	U K	19.93	3.37	5.12	1.02	10.92	1.38	16.62	2.76
	Others	62.14	10.50	55.86	11.19	67.35	8.54	64.19	10.66
	Total	591.86	100	499.09	100	788.53	100	602.11	100

Source: DGCI&S, M/o Commerce &Industry

Note: India's Import including re-import

The total amount of India's import in this segment in 2022 stood at US\$ 602.11million registering a decline of approximately 23.65% over 2021 levels. In 2022, USA stood out as India's top importing partner in this segment with a share of 31.45% followed by Italy (12.33%) and Japan (10.71%). USA's share had been slightly above 40% mark between 2019 -2021 however it steeply declined to 31.45% in 2022.

Table - 8
World's Top Importer of Reaction Initiators, Accelerator and Catalytic(H.S.Code-3815)

Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	Germany	2816.40	13.29	2709.73	12.41	3978.99	13.37	4327.54	15.41
2.	China	1829.34	8.63	2348.63	10.76	2900.79	9.75	2735.57	9.74
3.	Mexico	1619.23	7.64	1588.38	7.28	2474.40	8.32	2705.09	9.63
4.	USA	1218.29	5.75	1337.64	6.13	2378.45	7.99	2249.01	8.01
5.	Thailand	879.70	4.15	1062.79	4.87	1788.27	6.01	1642.52	5.85
6.	Rep of Korea	1115.23	5.26	1026.96	4.70	1199.62	4.03	1195.51	4.26
7.	Czechia	556.49	2.63	905.25	4.15	1597.04	5.37	1153.72	4.11
8.	Portugal	794.86	3.75	906.11	4.15	1156.22	3.89	959.10	3.41
9.	Japan	574.05	2.71	667.10	3.06	1073.92	3.61	953.42	3.39
10.	Other Asia,nes	586.26	2.77	717.90	3.29	745.91	2.51	933.71	3.32
14.	India	592.42	2.79	499.84	2.29	789.06	2.65	605.70	2.16
	Others	8616.84	40.65	8059.25	36.92	9673.38	32.51	8628.07	30.72
	Total	21199.11	100	21829.60	100	29756.05	100	28088.96	100

Source :UNComtrade

In 2022, the total global imports of Reaction Initiators, Accelerator and Catalytic amounted to US\$ 28088.96 million, decreasing by more than 5.62% vis-a-vis the previous year's figure. In 2022 **India** had occupied the 14th slot by way of importing up to 2.16 % of global imports of Reaction Initiators, Accelerator and Catalytic. However, the top 3 importers of the commodity were Germany, China and Mexico with 15.41%, 9.74% and 9.63 % shares respectively.

b) Gold :Unwrought or in Semi-Manufactured Forms, or in Powder form classified as H.S. Code – 7108 falls under Chapter -71 (Natural or Cultured Pearls, Precious or Semi-Precious Stones, Precious Metals, Metals Clad with Precious Metal, and Articles there of; Imitation Jewellery; Coin) of ITCHS classification.

India is engaged in the process of importing this commodity and in 2022 this commodity group had share of 5.06% share in India's total Import value basket. Chapte – 71 in totality forms a major commodity group in India's overall import basket.

Table – 9
India's Top 10 Sources of Gold :Unwrought or in Semi-Manufactured Forms, or in Powder form (ITCHS Code : 7108)

Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	Switzerland	15159.92	48.53	9439.16	42.99	26995.62	48.40	13136.07	35.90
2.	South Africa	1604.62	5.14	1415.22	6.44	4100.64	7.35	3318.64	9.07
3.	U A E	3321.63	10.63	2515.56	11.46	7003.62	12.56	2935.78	8.02
4.	Bolivia	796.00	2.55	1018.05	4.64	1948.69	3.49	2792.96	7.63
5.	Guinea	224.09	0.72	811.84	3.70	3144.52	5.64	2450.32	6.70
6.	Peru	1605.72	5.14	1328.75	6.05	2270.07	4.07	2107.04	5.76
7.	U S A	1610.62	5.16	747.71	3.41	1290.79	2.31	1788.13	4.89
8.	Ghana	1883.54	6.03	851.46	3.88	988.06	1.77	1532.19	4.19
9.	Tanzania	578.64	1.85	161.58	0.74	499.53	0.90	946.95	2.59
10.	Brazil	375.36	1.20	241.13	1.10	650.40	1.17	804.00	2.20
	Others	4077.61	13.05	3428.71	15.61	6888.99	12.35	4779.35	13.06
	Total	31237.76	100	21959.17	100	55780.93	100	36591.42	100

Source: DGCI&S, M/o Commerce &Industry

Note: India's Imports including re-imports also

In 2022, India imported US \$ 36591.42 million of Gold : Un wrought or in Semi manufactured forms or in Powder forms which dipped by a significant 34.40% compared to 2021 figures of US \$ 55780.93 million. India imports Gold : Un wrought or in Semi manufactured forms or in Powder forms primarily from Switzerland (US \$ 13136.07 million), South Africa (US \$ 3318.64 million) and UAE (US \$ 2935.78 million) with 35.90%, 9.07% and 8.02% share of India's total import of this commodity group in 2022. In 2021 India had very high levels of imports in this segment immediately after the Covid – 19 pandemic hit year.

Table – 10
World's Top 10 Importers of Gold :Unwrought or in Semi-Manufactured Forms, or in Powder form (ITCHS Code : 7108)

Rank	Countries	2019		2020		2021		2022	
		Value (million \$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)	Value (million\$)	Share (%)
1.	Switzerland	60626.11	18.36	87931.54	21.83	92691.61	21.03	98951.88	20.54
2.	China	43917.76	13.30	11414.92	2.83	47279.40	10.73	76653.53	15.91
3.	U A E	32133.98	9.73	37256.65	9.25	48181.87	10.93	59497.63	12.35
4.	U K	70774.75	21.44	88335.07	21.93	53720.88	12.19	41833.95	8.68
5.	Hong Kong	13966.62	4.23	18877.65	4.69	29132.26	6.61	38013.80	7.89
6.	India	31178.36	9.44	21922.21	5.44	55782.96	12.65	36574.56	7.59
7.	Türkiye	11268.69	3.41	25183.79	6.25	5498.63	1.25	20440.35	4.24
8.	Singapore	10092.05	3.06	16626.71	4.13	14458.30	3.28	17718.79	3.68
9.	Thailand	6183.23	1.87	5044.70	1.25	8341.08	1.89	11345.05	2.36
10.	Germany	4427.25	1.34	8260.25	2.05	11080.17	2.51	10631.75	2.21
	Others	45598.14	13.81	81974.60	20.35	74635.96	16.93	70064.00	14.54
	Total	330166.94	100	402828.08	100	440803.12	100	481725.29	100

Source :UNComtrade

Worldwide import purchases of Gold : Un wrought or in Semi manufactured forms or in Powder forms totaled to US\$ 481725.29 million in 2022, up by 9.28% compared to US\$ 440803.12 million in 2021. Switzerland accounted for 20.54% of all gold imports worldwide in 2022, and was the world's largest importer in this segment based on value. China (15.91%) and UAE (12.35%) lined up in second and third place in 2022. The import value of Gold : Un wrought or in Semi manufactured forms or in Powder forms into **India** amounted to approximately US \$ 36574.56 million in the year 2022 as per UN Comtrade database and **India** ranked 6th in the world with the share of 7.59% of total global imports of this commodity, importing bulk of this product from Switzerland itself.
