

Table 6.5. India's Share in World Exports by Commodity Divisions and Groups

Div. Sl. No.	Code Group	Commodity Division/Group	(US \$ million)					
			1980			1985		
			World	India	India's share (%)	World	India	India's share (%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
01		Meat and meat preparations	17832	67	0.4	15755	61	0.4
03		Fish, crustaceans and molluscs & preparations	12258	242	2.0	14335	337	2.4
04		Cereals and cereal preparations	41989	201	0.5	32643	211	0.6
	042	Rice	4355	160	3.7	2916	162	5.6
05		Vegetables and fruits	24018	259	1.1	23606	332	1.4
06		Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	16183	46	0.3	10113	0	0.0
07		Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures	22121	879	4.0	20779	971	4.7
	071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	12979	271	2.1	11676	226	1.9
	074	Tea and mate	1631	452	27.7	1973	517	26.2
	075	Spices	1072	156	14.5	1188	229	19.3
08		Feeding stuff for animals	10322	164	1.6	8515	127	1.5
12		Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	3423	151	4.4	7822	140	1.8
	121	Unmanufactured tobacco and refuse	3423	151	4.4	3798	113	3.0
	122	Manufactured tobacco	...	...	...	4024	27	0.7
22		Oilseeds and oleaginous fruit	9487	30	0.3	7896	20	0.3
28		Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	30239	465	1.5	23137	557	2.4
	281	Iron ore and concentrates	6515	411	6.3	6154	478	7.8
51		Organic chemicals	31841	17	0.1	36923	25	0.1
52		Inorganic chemicals	15491	26	0.2	16318	22	0.1
53		Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	7986	65	0.8	8024	62	0.8
54	541	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	13918	109	0.8	15920	130	0.8
55		Essential oils and perfume materials soap, cleansing etc.	7647	86	1.1	8136	56	0.7
58		Artificial resins, plastic materials, cellulose esters & ethers	27223	3	0.0	28456	5	0.0
59		Chemical materials and products n.e.s.	15960	8	0.0	16613	28	0.2
61		Leather, leather manufactures & dressed fur skins	5967	405	6.8	6444	534	8.3
	611	Leather	3415	342	10.0	4185	331	7.9
	612	Manufactures of leather or of composition leather	975	62	6.3	1233	202	16.4
	613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed etc.	1577	1	0.1	1026	0	0.0
65		Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles	48884	1145	2.3	48218	1037	2.1
	652	Woven cotton fabrics	6632	351	5.3	6804	327	4.8
	653	Woven fabrics of man made fibres	9325	44	0.5	9735	20	0.2
	654	Woven fabrics other than of cotton or man-made fibres	3188	204	6.4	3462	167	4.8
66	667	Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones	18563	579	3.1	12073	1165	9.6
67		Iron and steel	68231	87	0.1	61891	46	0.1
69		Manufactures of metals n.e.s.	36840	221	0.6	32884	125	0.4
71		Power-generating machinery & equipment	35722	88	0.2	38433	59	0.2
72		Machinery specialized for particular industries	58495	65	0.1	54707	97	0.2
73		Metal-working machinery	15671	32	0.2	12696	55	0.4
74		General industrial machinery & equipment & machine parts thereof	59443	67	0.1	53954	60	0.1
75		Office machinery and ADP equipment	24750	2	0.0	53604	30	0.1
76		Telecommunication and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	26799	11	0.0	47318	4	0.0
77		Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	60947	114	0.2	75739	121	0.2
78		Road vehicles (including air cushion vehicles)	127347	208	0.2	157446	126	0.1
79		Other transport equipment	41291	32	0.1	50709	27	0.1
84		Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	32365	590	1.8	38718	887	2.3
		Total Exports	1997686	8486	0.4	1930849	8904	0.5

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Table 6.5. India's Share in World Exports by Commodity Divisions and Groups (Contd....)

(US \$ million)								
Div. Sl. No.	Code Group	Commodity Division/Group	1990			2000		
			World	India	India's share (%)	World	India	India's share (%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
01		Meat and meat preparations	34118	77	0.2	44690	324	0.7
03		Fish, crustaceans and molluscs & preparations	32847	521	1.6	50875	1391	2.7
04		Cereals and cereal preparations	45314	285	0.6	53575	783	1.5
	042	Rice	3995	254	6.4	6411	654	10.2
05		Vegetables and fruits	50225	400	0.8	68355	856	1.3
06		Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	14236	21	0.1	13866	118	0.9
07		Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures	21131	842	4.0	27953	956	3.4
	071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	8659	148	1.7	11559	264	2.3
	074	Tea and mate	2650	585	22.1	3087	431	14.0
	075	Spices	1415	109	7.7	2541	261	10.3
08		Feeding stuff for animals	15603	336	2.2	20295	469	2.3
12		Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	17860	145	0.8	21628	147	0.7
	121	Unmanufactured tobacco and refuse	5187	107	2.1	5525	147	2.7
	122	Manufactured tobacco	12674	39	0.3	16103	0	0.0
22		Oilseeds and oleaginous fruit	10477	83	0.8	14388	244	1.7
28		Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	35734	753	2.1	49515	510	1.0
	281	Iron ore and concentrates	7653	578	7.6	9229	363	3.9
51		Organic chemicals	70721	232	0.3	134109	1491	1.1
52		Inorganic chemicals	26079	59	0.2	33117	99	0.3
53		Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	19952	233	1.2	34105	481	1.4
54	541	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	37753	453	1.2	107482	1255	1.2
55		Essential oils and perfume materials soap, cleansing etc.	21027	240	1.1	44279	216	0.5
58		Artificial resins, plastic materials, cellulose esters & ethers	65712	29	0.0	123353	174	0.1
59		Chemical materials and products n.e.s.	33418	76	0.2	63411	437	0.7
61		Leather, leather manufactures & dressed fur skins	13226	832	6.3	24440	808	3.3
	611	Leather	9295	447	4.8	16551	388	2.3
	612	Manufactures of leather or of composition leather	2868	385	13.4	6831	421	6.2
	613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed etc.	1063	0	0.0	1058	0	0.0
65		Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles	105147	2180	2.1	167528	6000	3.6
	652	Woven cotton fabrics	15559	571	3.7	22387	1103	4.9
	653	Woven fabrics of man made fibres	22021	156	0.7	32151	506	1.6
	654	Woven fabrics other than of cotton or man-made fibres	8466	195	2.3	9432	370	3.9
66	667	Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones	27577	2710	9.8	54105	6477	12.0
67		Iron and steel	106342	283	0.3	146147	1481	1.0
69		Manufactures of metals n.e.s.	66088	341	0.5	125259	1167	0.9
71		Power-generating machinery & equipment	81675	126	0.2	158329	218	0.1
72		Machinery specialized for particular industries	118617	236	0.2	167582	346	0.2
73		Metal-working machinery	31051	58	0.2	41413	117	0.3
74		General industrial machinery & equipment						
		& machine parts thereof	130836	132	0.1	225981	78	0.0
75		Office machinery and ADP equipment	126743	112	0.1	378980	0	0.0
76		Telecommunication and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	100965	31	0.0	299356	0	0.0
77		Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	185364	241	0.1	640575	92	0.0
78		Road vehicles (including air cushion vehicles)	312550	344	0.1	549596	370	0.1
79		Other transport equipment	96250	15	0.0	157654	53	0.0
84		Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	94577	2211	2.3	201379	7093	3.5
		Total Exports	3303563	18143	0.5	6254511	41543	0.7

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Table 6.5. India's Share in World Exports by Commodity Divisions and Groups (Contd....)

Div. Sl. No.	Code Group	Commodity Division/Group	(US \$ million)					
			2005			2010		
			World	India	India's share (%)	World	India	India's share (%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)
01		Meat and meat preparations	73937	620	0.8	112000	1821	1.6
03		Fish, crustaceans and molluscs & preparations	71559	1590	2.2	101800	2403	2.4
04		Cereals and cereal preparations	72416	1753	2.4	94300	3136	3.3
	042	Rice	9841	1411	14.3	20300	2296	11.3
05		Vegetables and fruits	114274	1586	1.4	180700	2338	1.3
06		Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	24042	196	0.8	45500	1096	2.4
07		Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures	44914	1042	2.3	80700	2233	2.8
	071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	15729	363	2.3	29600	558	1.9
	074	Tea and mate	4159	393	9.4	7200	720	10.0
	075	Spices	2995	281	9.4	6000	927	15.4
08		Feeding stuff for animals	30390	1127	3.7	57600	2067	3.6
12		Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	24759	232	0.9	35100	879	2.5
	121	Unmanufactured tobacco and refuse	6875	0	0.0	10800	713	6.6
	122	Manufactured tobacco	17884	0	0.0	24300	165	0.7
22		Oilseeds and oleaginous fruit	22888	319	1.4	56400	911	1.6
28		Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	124604	4899	3.9	299000	8475	2.8
	281	Iron ore and concentrates	27673	3816	13.8	105200	6147	5.8
51		Organic chemicals	217584	4536	2.1	335000	7735	2.3
52		Inorganic chemicals	55240	0	0.0	92200	972	1.1
53		Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	50885	846	1.7	66300	1604	2.4
54	541	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	67107	564	0.8	134700	1357	1.0
55		Essential oils and perfume materials	82162	511	0.6	122900	1159	0.9
		soap, cleansing etc.						
58		Artificial resins, plastic materials, cellulose esters & ethers	72911	0	0.0	108400	910	0.8
59		Chemical materials and products n.e.s.	106894	1153	1.1	174100	2136	1.2
61		Leather, leather manufactures & dressed fur skins	25347	773	3.1	28200	915	3.2
	611	Leather	20500	638	3.1	23500	785	3.3
	612	Manufactures of leather or of composition leather	3125	0	0.0	3100	130	4.2
	613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed etc.	1722	0.0	0.0	1600	0.0	0.0
65		Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles	213619	8462	4.0	259700	12833	4.9
	652	Woven cotton fabrics	28814	861	3.0	28600	1050	3.7
	653	Woven fabrics of man made fibres	32121	981	3.1	36200	1987	5.5
	654	Woven fabrics other than of cotton or man-made fibres	11076	495	4.5	9900	518	5.2
66	667	Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones	91907	11929	13.0	129500	22589	17.4
67		Iron and steel	312975	4959	1.6	416400	10612	2.5
69		Manufactures of metals n.e.s.	215402	2774	1.3	301800	4169	1.4
71		Power-generating machinery & equipment	252199	926	0.4	330700	2335	0.7
72		Machinery specialized for particular industries	264538	1125	0.4	364800	2230	0.6
73		Metal-working machinery	63925	268	0.4	69400	381	0.5
74		General industrial machinery & equipment & machine parts thereof	375374	1825	0.5	527900	3886	0.7
75		Office machinery and ADP equipment	488065	470	0.1	572700	619	0.1
76		Telecommunication and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	492806	0	0.0	626200	2408	0.4
77		Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	852088	2126	0.2	1240100	5522	0.4
78		Road vehicles (including air cushion vehicles)	896733	3088	0.3	1063500	8746	0.8
79		Other transport equipment	214311	1023	0.5	333500	5804	1.7
84		Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	286840	9212	3.2	372000	11229	3.0
		Total Exports	10355384	99618	1.0	15102605	226334	1.5

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Table 6.5. India's Share in World Exports by Commodity Divisions and Groups (Contd....)

(US \$ million)

Div. Sl. No.	Code Group	Commodity Division/Group	2015			2020		
			World	India	India's share (%)	World	India	India's share (%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)
01		Meat and meat preparations	132100	4347	3.3	154900	3109	2.0
03		Fish, crustaceans and molluscs & preparations	124200	4778	3.8	142300	5746	4.0
04		Cereals and cereal preparations	120000	7380	6.1	140800	9309	6.6
	042	Rice	23300	6380	27.4	25800	7980	30.9
05		Vegetables and fruits	230400	3176	1.4	278200	3642	1.3
06		Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	42800	1529	3.6	45100	2851	6.3
07		Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures	102600	3407	3.3	109500	4116	3.8
	071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	37400	813	2.2	37400	725	1.9
	074	Tea and mate	8500	713	8.4	9500	747	7.9
	075	Spices	10300	1701	16.5	13400	2501	18.7
08		Feeding stuff for animals	74100	1066	1.4	83800	1475	1.8
12		Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	39500	935	2.4	40700	848	2.1
	121	Unmanufactured tobacco and refuse	10900	639	5.9	8000	513	6.4
	122	Manufactured tobacco	28600	296	1.0	32700	335	1.0
22		Oilseeds and oleaginous fruit	72800	1408	1.9	91000	1347	1.5
28		Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	233100	1543	0.7	345800	4640	1.3
	281	Iron ore and concentrates	68800	211	0.3	142500	3875	2.7
51		Organic chemicals	334800	10124	3.0	359800	16093	4.5
52		Inorganic chemicals	89600	813	0.9	101900	1238	1.2
53		Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	68200	2452	3.6	72500	2921	4.0
54	541	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	180100	2339	1.3	270900	3126	1.2
55		Essential oils and perfume materials soap, cleansing etc.	149700	1833	1.2	193700	2385	1.2
58		Artificial resins, plastic materials, cellulose esters & ethers	123800	1223	1.0	140300	1651	1.2
59		Chemical materials and products n.e.s.	199200	3156	1.6	251500	5061	2.0
61		Leather, leather manufactures & dressed fur skins	29800	1312	4.4	18700	581	3.1
	611	Leather	23100	1095	4.7	13400	374	2.8
	612	Manufactures of leather or of composition leather	4700	216	4.6	4500	207	4.6
	613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed etc.	2000	0.8	0.0	800	0.1	0.0
65		Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles	297300	17263	5.8	329900	15042	4.6
	652	Woven cotton fabrics	29700	1771	6.0	20800	1573	7.6
	653	Woven fabrics of man made fibres	45100	2091	4.6	37100	1262	3.4
	654	Woven fabrics other than of cotton or man-made fibres	9700	301	3.1	7100	220	3.1
66	667	Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones	139500	22395	16.1	83100	16031	19.3
67		Iron and steel	376800	8289	2.2	359200	12562	3.5
69		Manufactures of metals n.e.s.	372000	7113	1.9	398000	6793	1.7
71		Power-generating machinery & equipment	372800	3637	1.0	376500	7697	2.0
72		Machinery specialized for particular industries	378200	4101	1.1	454900	4402	1.0
73		Metal-working machinery	78800	527	0.7	60900	434	0.7
74		General industrial machinery & equipment & machine parts thereof	633500	6179	1.0	680800	7316	1.1
75		Office machinery and ADP equipment	533600	590	0.1	775200	582	0.1
76		Telecommunication and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	774300	1315	0.2	649800	4530	0.7
77		Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	1451100	5975	0.4	1901400	7544	0.4
78		Road vehicles (including air cushion vehicles)	1305000	13079	1.0	1245700	12298	1.0
79		Other transport equipment	374500	7923	2.1	276900	5696	2.1
84		Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	470000	18168	3.9	447700	12973	2.9
		Total Exports	16361680	264381.01	1.6	17652972	275488.75	1.6

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Table 6.5. India's Share in World Exports by Commodity Divisions and Groups (Contd....)

(US \$ million)

Div. Sl. No.	Code Group	Commodity Division/Group	2021			2022		
			World	India	India's share (%)	World	India	India's share (%)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)
01		Meat and meat preparations	175900	3386	1.9	183805	3255	1.8
03		Fish, crustaceans and molluscs & preparations	166700	7453	4.5	178534	7629	4.3
04		Cereals and cereal preparations	169900	13103	7.7	195805	15044	7.7
	042	Rice	27200	9624	35.4	30174	10767	35.7
05		Vegetables and fruits	304000	4210	1.4	305772	4250	1.4
06		Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	51200	4451	8.7	60824	6561	10.8
07		Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures	123300	4627	3.8	130437	4667	3.6
	071	Coffee and coffee substitutes	43500	966	2.2	53425	1180	2.2
	074	Tea and mate	10100	751	7.4	10172	826	8.1
	075	Spices	14100	2751	19.5	12996	2507	19.3
08		Feeding stuff for animals	100500	1900	1.9	115446	2016	1.7
12		Tobacco and tobacco manufactures	42600	912	2.1	42830	1216	2.8
	121	Unmanufactured tobacco and refuse	8600	555	6.5	10346	816	7.9
	122	Manufactured tobacco	34000	357	1.0	32484	400	1.2
22		Oilseeds and oleaginous fruit	108700	1235	1.1	129660	1326	1.0
28		Metalliferous ores and metal scrap	528200	5238	1.0	467332	2838	0.6
	281	Iron ore and concentrates	219000	4159	1.9	156909	1574	1.0
51		Organic chemicals	459500	19992	4.4	520844	20756	4.0
52		Inorganic chemicals	142400	1839	1.3	205942	2441	1.2
53		Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	87800	3840	4.4	86718	3609	4.2
54	541	Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	391700	3560	0.9	375889	3740	1.0
55		Essential oils and perfume materials	219200	2803	1.3	223110	3077	1.4
		soap, cleansing etc.						
58		Artificial resins, plastic materials, cellulose esters & ethers	173800	2222	1.3	179075	2296	1.3
59		Chemical materials and products n.e.s.	312600	6735	2.2	365921	8186	2.2
61		Leather, leather manufactures & dressed fur skins	25100	765	3.0	23234	749	3.2
	611	Leather	17500	449	2.6	16732	447	2.7
	612	Manufactures of leather or of composition leather	6200	316	5.1	5668	302	5.3
	613	Fur skins, tanned or dressed etc.	1400	0.0	0.0	833	0.0	0.0
65		Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles	355100	22233	6.3	350151	19339	5.5
	652	Woven cotton fabrics	25800	2258	8.8	25732	2304	9.0
	653	Woven fabrics of man made fibres	46500	1473	3.2	52008	1617	3.1
	654	Woven fabrics other than of cotton or man-made fibres	8700	309	3.6	8490	296	3.5
66	667	Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones	131100	26741	20.4	148293	26422	17.8
67		Iron and steel	576500	23610	4.1	614008	18399	3.0
69		Manufactures of metals n.e.s.	501200	9492	1.9	545692	10466	1.9
71		Power-generating machinery & equipment	425300	9072	2.1	451006	10539	2.3
72		Machinery specialized for particular industries	569800	6920	1.2	596776	7983	1.3
73		Metal-working machinery	72600	641	0.9	74201	713	1.0
74		General industrial machinery & equipment & machine parts thereof	803400	10035	1.2	828613	11487	1.4
75		Office machinery and ADP equipment	913100	806	0.1	786221	1046	0.1
76		Telecommunication and sound recording and reproducing apparatus and equipment	745000	7235	1.0	807593	11670	1.4
77		Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	2381200	9848	0.4	2531842	12055	0.5
78		Road vehicles (including air cushion vehicles)	1483200	17667	1.2	1576649	19788	1.3
79		Other transport equipment	299900	5777	1.9	300821	4775	1.6
84		Articles of apparel and clothing accessories	542400	16150	3.0	565705	17641	3.1
		Total Exports	22319100	394813.67	1.8	24917562	452684.21	1.8

Source: Various issues of United Nations' International Trade Statistics Year Book, and data accessed on 21st June 2024 from <http://comtrade.un.org/>