

## Foreign Trade Of India

## Principle Sources of Imports in 1964-65

(Rs crores)

	1964-65	1963-64	1962-63	1961-62
<b>African Countries</b>	<b>65.75</b>	<b>50.77</b>		
Congo	2.05	1.26	2.09	1.45
Kenya	7.43	3.41	5.66	11.68
Mozambique	10.79	8.06	5.34	5.69
Rhodesia	1.16	2.42	2.61	3.83
Sudan	9.01	8.52	17.11	10.56
Tanganyika	6.73	4.99	5.64	2.47
Tunisia	1.62	1.00	0.61	0.64
Uganda	2.20	0.80	1.30	1.60
United Arab Republic	17.35	15.25	9.78	12.04
Zambia	3.25	0.86	2.56	9.44
<b>North America</b>	<b>462.66</b>	<b>473.94</b>		
Canada	26.52	23.97	14.70	18.35
United States of America	436.14	449.97	315.26	255.54
<b>Latin American Countries</b>	<b>4.69</b>	<b>1.27</b>		
Peru	3.31	0.24	0.12	0.08
<b>Other American Countries</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>0.36</b>		
<b>E C A F E Countries</b>	<b>196.17</b>	<b>189.18</b>		
Afghanistan	5.56	4.97	5.26	1.82
Australia	24.49	17.92	22.86	24.17
Burma	8.76	8.45	8.71	11.24
Ceylon	5.65	5.93	8.18	4.50
Indonesia	2.66	1.69	1.37	1.78
Iran	28.81	47.99	45.88	47.35
Japan	77.33	65.87	62.75	59.45
Malaysia	14.26	17.43		
Nepal	7.21	5.39	0.02	0.03
Pakistan	15.75	9.35	16.67	13.86
Thailand	2.81	0.84	0.95	2.04
<b>Other Asian and Oceanic Countries</b>	<b>23.30</b>	<b>32.03</b>		
Aden	1.94	2.20	2.00	2.48
Bahrein Islands	2.45	5.11	5.06	4.35
Iraq	3.01	1.63	2.01	2.33
Saudi Arabia	13.46	21.18	11.72	18.91
<b>East European Countries</b>	<b>143.86</b>	<b>129.26</b>		
Bulgaria	2.41	3.74	2.33	0.96
Czechoslovakia	19.84	17.33	19.71	15.02
German Democratic Republic	8.92	9.80	7.94	5.64
Hungary	6.90	6.65	2.91	5.61
Poland	15.09	10.54	7.84	9.16
Rumania	1.77	1.82	2.61	3.83
U S S R	77.98	68.46	55.50	39.94
Yugoslavia	10.95	10.89	7.35	7.46
<b>E C M Countries</b>	<b>169.36</b>	<b>141.01</b>		
Belgium	8.69	7.98	8.30	11.86
France	16.70	14.42	12.99	16.78
Federal Republic of Germany	108.69	90.46	96.48	122.88
Italy	21.70	17.42	21.81	26.33
Netherlands	13.58	10.74	12.84	13.25
<b>European Free Trade Area Countries</b>	<b>192.88</b>	<b>202.19</b>		
Austria	3.62	3.39	2.85	6.41
Denmark	2.40	2.11	2.28	1.85
Sweden	11.18	11.81	8.40	14.34
Switzerland	11.65	12.07	10.23	10.75
United Kingdom	162.11	171.46	178.31	200.15

Notes : Sub-totals of imports from different groups of countries are not available from official statistics for years prior to 1963-64. All groups of countries indicated in the latest official statistics have been included in the above table; the figures for them are printed in bold type. However, only those countries are shown separately, the value of imports from whom in 1964-65 was at least Rs 1 crore.

Source : Department of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Government of India, Calcutta.

## Principal Imports in 1964-65

	1964-65	1963-64	1962-63	1961-62
<b>Food</b>	<b>248.48</b>	<b>214.40</b>	<b>152.33</b>	<b>147.07</b>
Milk and cream	6.67	8.54	8.14	8.43
Butter	3.55	0.53	...	...
Fish	3.34	5.48	6.15	3.85
Wheat and spelt	175.53	134.84	91.86	93.87
Rice	26.12	37.50	21.26	18.73
Maize	2.64	2.94	1.92	3.09
Cereals, milled, except wheat flour	3.33	3.34	1.52	0.44
Fruits and nuts, fresh	19.53	15.43	13.82	10.15
Dried fruits	6.00	2.91	4.13	4.15
Beverages and tobacco	0.77	1.11	1.66	1.65
<b>Crude Materials, inedible, except fuels</b>	<b>125.07</b>	<b>124.45</b>	<b>126.70</b>	<b>129.89</b>
Hides and skins	3.12	3.36	2.76	2.24
Oilseeds, oil nuts and kernels	7.04	9.16	10.01	9.43
Crude rubber, including synthetic and reclaimed	5.43	9.75	10.23	10.10
Wood	1.55	2.04	2.19	2.28
Pulp and waste paper	7.97	9.65	9.51	6.69
Wool and other animal hair	9.64	15.72	12.15	12.18
Cotton	58.08	48.84	59.91	62.66
Jute	7.37	2.06	3.35	6.27
Vegetable fibres, except cotton and jute	1.41	1.47	1.02	1.24
Synthetic fibres	2.66	3.46	1.67	0.28
Fertilisers, crude	3.90	3.12	2.98	2.74
Crude minerals, excluding coal, petroleum, fertiliser materials and precious stones	11.80	10.16	9.01	7.86
Non-ferrous metal scrap	1.27	0.68	0.68	1.31
Crude vegetable materials	2.05	1.64	1.84	2.12
<b>Mineral fuels, lubricants and related materials</b>	<b>68.66</b>	<b>104.49</b>	<b>87.98</b>	<b>95.86</b>
Petroleum, crude and partly refined	27.23	46.17	30.15	42.36
Petroleum products	41.33	50.22	57.51	53.29
<b>Animal and vegetable oils and fats</b>	<b>5.62</b>	<b>4.87</b>	<b>5.63</b>	<b>8.62</b>
Vegetable oils	4.80	4.20	3.96	5.42
<b>Chemicals</b>	<b>90.75</b>	<b>95.88</b>	<b>100.41</b>	<b>89.76</b>
Inorganic chemicals	13.96	13.07	16.68	13.20
Organic chemicals	20.80	19.04	21.11	22.40
Coal-tar dyestuffs and natural dyes	5.23	5.26	8.92	11.18
Dyeing and tanning extracts and synthetic tanning materials	2.74	1.57	1.75	1.44
Pigments, paints, varnishes and related materials	1.28	1.21	1.49	1.84
Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	8.27	8.64	9.24	11.30
Fertilisers manufactured	25.38	34.52	27.26	12.22
Explosives	1.40	2.18	2.46	2.61
Miscellaneous chemical materials	10.59	9.52	10.50	12.14
<b>Manufactured goods</b>	<b>221.81</b>	<b>200.41</b>	<b>198.48</b>	<b>221.16</b>
Rubber manufactures, nee s	1.17	1.75	1.54	3.35
Paper and paper board	12.85	12.25	13.06	15.59
Textile yarn and thread	12.78	10.70	13.06	13.26
Special textile fabrics	1.68	1.72	1.60	1.49
Made-up articles, wholly or chiefly of textile materials	1.08	0.57	...	0.34
Clay construction materials and refractory construction materials	2.45	0.99	1.46	2.73
Mineral manufactures, nee s	3.04	2.59	2.13	3.31
Precious and semi-precious stones	1.64	1.72	1.92	1.22
Iron and steel	107.35	93.14	86.65	107.81
Copper	24.41	26.04	25.24	23.45

## Principal Imports in 1964-65

	1964-65	1963-64	1962-63	1961-62		1964-65	1963-64	1962-63	1961-62
Nickel	1.54	1.81	1.44	1.46	Scientific, medical, optical, measuring and controlling instruments	9.70	8.11	7.78	8.22
Aluminium	7.24	6.46	10.50	7.93	Photographic and cinematographic supplies	4.21	3.92	4.04	4.09
Lead	4.62	3.35	2.69	2.59	Printed matter	4.07	3.38	2.92	2.90
Zinc	11.29	9.86	9.02	7.35	Manufactured articles, n e s	2.67	16.57	8.19	3.79
Tin	7.90	6.42	5.10	5.78	Miscellaneous transactions and commodities' n e s	6.18	6.70	6.51	6.84
Miscellaneous base metals	1.30	1.11	1.01	0.80	Postal packages, not classified	2.69	2.36	2.64	2.47
Manufactures of metals, n e s	16.23	14.81	17.77	16.74	Returned goods and special transactions	3.40	3.77	3.68	3.36
<b>Machinery and transport equipment</b>	<b>472.68</b>	<b>436.93</b>	<b>372.38</b>	<b>367.52</b>	<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>1263.31</b>	<b>1222.85</b>	<b>1077.09</b>	<b>1090.06</b>
Power generating machinery	43.78	38.83	42.75	30.49	Note : All sections indicated in the official classification of imports are included in the above table and are printed in bold type. However, only those groups of commodities have been included whose imports in 1964-65 were at least Rs. 1 crore. N e s stands for 'not elsewhere stated'. Two dots (..) denote imports less than Rs. 1 lakh.				
Agricultural machinery and implements	2.01	1.46	1.07	0.68	Source : Department of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Government of India, Calcutta.				
Tractors other than steam	7.13	5.26	4.62	4.91					
Office machinery	4.11	1.86	1.65	3.66					
Metal working machinery	59.34	52.81	39.39	45.19					
Mining, construction and other industrial machinery	199.94	180.90	157.66	151.82					
Electric machinery apparatus and appliances	88.77	84.80	62.16	65.91					
Railway vehicles	22.15	27.17	22.58	15.50					
Aircraft	8.52	11.51	12.47	12.97					
Ships and boats	3.36	3.68	1.78	1.86					
<b>Miscellaneous Manufactured articles</b>	<b>22.10</b>	<b>33.54</b>	<b>2501</b>	<b>21.69</b>					

BANKING RETURNS		(Rs crores)			
Reserve Bank	June 11	June 4	May 14	June 5, 64	
1 Note circulation	2734.39	2748.45	2784.22	2576.73	
2 Rupee Coins	91.35	91.62	92.39	98.25	
3 Deposits					
(a) Central Govt	75.11	73.28	51.78	50.63	
(b) Other Govts	14.16	13.10	18.20	9.09	
(c) Banks	98.73	93.47	104.13	89.94	
(d) Others	170.47	171.15	178.37	158.86	
4 Foreign securities	70.00	70.00	72.46	98.45	
5 Balance abroad	2.67	3.53	8.78	10.48	
6 Rupee securities	2458.07	2453.07	2485.61	2262.26	
7 Investments	158.47	162.97	139.10	215.39	
8 Loans and advances to Govts	97.25	91.61	74.86	63.17	
9 Other Loans and advances	233.67	231.11	284.89	154.99	
Scheduled Banks	June 4	May 28	May 7	June 5, 64	
1 Aggregate Deposits (net)	2660.79	2667.35	2626.35	2341.60	
Demond (net)	1321.02	1331.74	1309.46	1140.18	
Time (net)	1459.69	1455.74	1434.51	1290.48	
2 Cash in hand	71.76	70.76	69.12	64.13	
3 Balances with the Reserve Bank	91.80	98.85	96.57	87.39	
4 (2) x (3) as % of (1)	6.15	6.36	6.31	6.47	
5 Borrowings from Reserve Bank	106.39	103.01	161.15	36.28	
(a) Against usance bills and or promissory notes	46.48	45.56	60.61	7.78	
(b) Others	59.91	57.45	100.54	28.50	
6 Advances	1786.96	1766.84	1780.43	1566.03	
(a) State Bank	...	...	...	...	
(b) Others	...	...	...	...	
7 Bills discounted					
(a) Inland	259.56	275.22	281.14	203.10	
(b) Foreign	75.88	76.69	76.96	68.45	
(c) Total	335.44	351.91	358.10	271.45	
(i) State Bank					
(ii) Others					
8 (6) x (7) as % of (1)	78.67	78.62	80.46	77.89	
9 Investment in Govt Securities	721.85	721.45	718.30	620.56	
10 (9) as % of (1)	27.13	27.05	27.35	26.50	

INDEX NUMBER OF WHOLESALE PRICES		(Base : 1952-53-100)		
Group and sub-group	MONTHLY AVERAGE			
	May 1965	April 1965	May 1964	
<i>Food Articles</i>	159.8	156.3	147.8	
Cereals	136.8	139.5	126.8	
Pulses	153.4	154.2	135.8	
Fruits & Vegetables	172.9	157.6	173.8	
Milk & Ghee	163.6	154.1	138.7	
Edible Oils	198.5	195.2	174.3	
Fish, Eggs & Meat	188.3	185.3	156.6	
Sugar & Gur	159.6	160.3	183.6	
Others	185.1	175.3	178.0	
<i>Liquor &amp; Tobacco</i>	138.6	138.6	122.5	
Tobacco	136.6	136.6	119.7	
<i>Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants</i>	145.7	146.4	142.7	
<i>Industrial Raw Materials</i>	174.2	169.9	149.7	
Fibres	159.0	152.2	135.6	
Oilseeds	209.5	205.5	175.5	
Minerals	129.3	129.3	103.2	
Others	139.6	138.8	130.8	
<i>Manufactures</i>	144.0	142.7	233.1	
<i>Intermediate Products</i>	159.8	157.9	146.2	
<i>Finished Products</i>	141.3	140.2	131.0	
Textiles	140.7	139.3	127.9	
Cotton Manufactures	138.4	138.8	135.7	
Jute Manufactures	144.1	137.3	98.9	
Woollen "	170.3	170.3	166.2	
Silk & Rayon "	140.1	139.9	141.9	
Metal Products	178.9	178.9	168.1	
Chemicals	124.4	124.5	119.3	
Oil Cakes	212.5	208.5	184.1	
<i>Machinery and Transport Equipment</i>	133.4	132.6	126.1	
Others	126.4	126.8	127.5	
<i>All Commodities</i>	156.1	153.8	14.13	