

Discussion Paper 1

Export Competitiveness of Cotton Yarn HS 520511: (CARDED, >85%, <8.27)



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Preface

The Textiles Committee has been providing valuable databases on different facets of T&C industry to the industry stakeholders and policy makers for deriving well informed policy decision & business strategy. Due to the onslaught of RTA, FTA & Multilateral Trade Agreements under the framework of WTO, the competition among the textile exporting countries has also been growing giving rise to challenges in the form of price and quality competitiveness. To deal with the situation successfully countries, may require comprehensive product wise database on production, export, import, cost competitiveness etc.

In order to support the trade & industry through analysis and dissemination, the Textiles committee is preparing a comprehensive database on the different facets of the textiles sector like production, demand, exports, cost of production, tariffs etc. , through Market Intelligence in Textiles (MIT).

This discussion paper "Export Competitiveness of Cotton Yarn HS 520511: (Carded, >85%, <8.27)" attempts to delineate the global players in this product through their global exports, imports vis-e-vis India. Efforts are made to present the information in user friendly format. I hope this paper will be useful to the readers and help in understanding the international trade in Cotton Yarn (HS 520511) in a better way. The valued suggestions and comments from the readers are welcome.

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Table 1.1-Analysis for Importance of 520511 in Cotton Yarn Basket and India's position: 2012

Top 10 CY importers	Total CY Import Value (Mn USD)	Total Import of 520511 (Mn USD)	% Share of 520511 in Product Basket	Average Imports (2010-2013) (Mn USD)	CAGR (2004-2012) for World Import of 520511	India's exports to trade partners in 520511	India's % Share in total Imports of 520511	CAGR (2004-2012) for Indian Imports
China	4952.82	400.75 (51.30)	8.09	343.63	19.49%	10.68	2.66	28.44%
Hong Kong	1511.08	75.78 (9.70)	5.01	66.75	3.05%	1.87	2.47	3.23%
European Union	1116.23	31.39 (4.02)	2.81	42.1	-1.06%	5.7	18.14	35.93%
Korea Republic	584.53	4.17 (0.53)	0.71	5.9	12.96%	0.22	5.25	-12.86%
Turkey	344.73	11.75 (1.50)	3.41	7.59	-1.82%	0.31	2.68	-2.11%
Russia	288.75	7.51 (0.96)	2.6	6.6	25.75%	0.08	1.1	NA
Japan	271.39	4.77 (0.61)	1.76	3.72	-5.33%	0.13	2.83	NA
Germany	248.67	15.79 (2.02)	6.35	21.42	-4.52%	0.12	0.74	NA
Egypt	238.27	38.05 (4.87)	15.97	47.27	-13.20%	19.86	52.19	-3.43%
Guatemala	212.84	0.29 (0.04)	0.13	0.51	33.04%	0.16	54.56	NA
Portugal	211.41	3.98 (0.51)	1.88	3.69	-6.23%	0.49	12.38	NA
US	164.79	4.16 (0.53)	2.52	5.8	-12.86%	0.14	3.45	NA
El Salvador	151.82	9.11 (1.17)	6	5.96	1.59%	0.14	1.53	NA
Mexico	148.85	6.15 (0.79)	4.13	8.64	12.98%	0	0	NA
Sri Lanka	127.44	11.90 (1.52)	9.34	16.56	-11.46%	2.59	21.77	-18.89%
Malaysia	126.62	25.11 (3.21)	19.83	34.06	-4.06%	3.92	15.59	-10.42%
Spain	114.01	8.30 (1.06)	7.28	10.04	-2.88%	2.5	30.09	38.47%
Czech Republic	112.05	2.53 (0.32)	2.25	3.16	1.38%	0.09	3.5	NA
France	100.25	4.00 (0.51)	3.99	4.88	-3.83%	0.12	3.04	NA
World Total	11970.47	781.17	520511 contribute 6.53% of total CY imports across the globe.					

Table 1.2- % share of top exporters in total export of 520511 in the world

Exporting Country	Trade Value Mn USD	% share in total world import of 520511
Pakistan	313.07	40.10%
China	108.85	13.94%
United States	84.70	10.85%
India	63.08	8.08%
Other Asia, nes	32.95	4.22%
Vietnam	31.87	4.08%
Thailand	21.07	2.70%
Turkmenistan	19.49	2.50%
Spain	17.13	2.19%
Turkey	15.83	2.03%
Italy	11.10	1.42%
Hong Kong, China	10.76	1.38%
Indonesia	9.27	1.19%
Rest of the world	41.62	5.33%
World total import	780.81	100.00%

Figure (a)-Graphical representation of top exporters 520511 with their market share

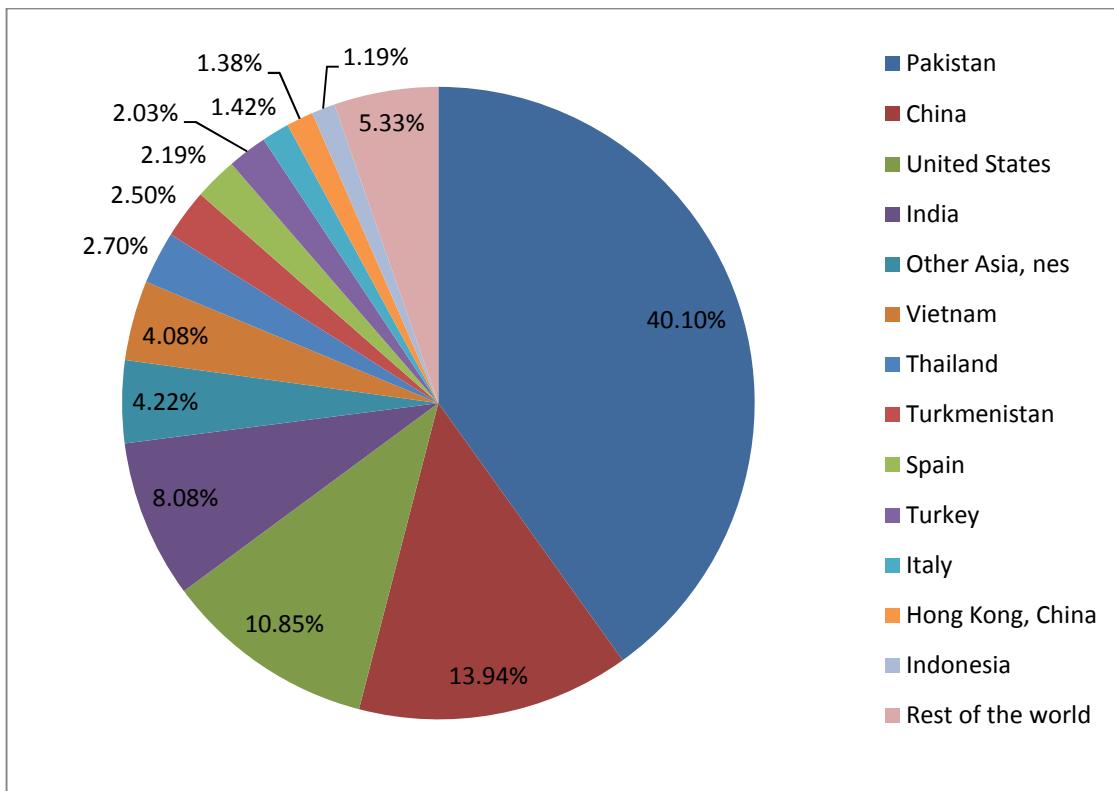


Table 1.3-Market share of India and Its Competitors in the top import markets of cotton yarn in the world 2012

Top 10 Cotton Yarn (CY) importers	Total Import Value (Mn USD)	Major Competitors in export destinations with their Market Share	India's % share
China	400.75	Pakistan (67.35), Other Asia(6.56), Vietnam(6.11), Thailand(4.80)	2.66
Hong Kong	75.78	China(57.44), Pakistan(31.57), Other Asia(8.02)	2.47
European Union	31.39	Turkey (45.87), Pakistan (14.74), Bosnia and Herzegovina (9.24%)	18.14
Korea Republic	4.17	Vietnam(57.43), Indonesia(16.66), China(10.07), Pakistan(4.95)	5.25
Turkey	11.75	Turkmenistan(87.94), Pakistan(3.32)	2.68
Russian Federation	7.51	Turkmenistan(55.24), Uzbekistan(33.54), Turkey(3.35), Korea(2.46), Pakistan(1.97)	1.10
Japan	4.77	Indonesia(66.21), Pakistan(16.49), Thailand (12.72)	2.83
Germany	15.79	Spain(46.64), Italy(32.46), Turkey(10.22), Czech Republic(5.27)	0.74
Egypt	38.05	Syrian Arab Republic(19.41), Indonesia(8.25), China(6.83), Turkey(4.54), UAE(2.33)	52.19
Guatemala	0.29	China(27.11), Honduras(12.67), El Salvador(5.62)	54.56
Portugal	3.98	Spain(39.28), Pakistan(19.37), Turkmenistan(8.06)	12.38
United States	4.16	Pakistan(47.86), Mexico(41.02), Canada(3.62)	3.45
El Salvador	9.11	United States(94.62), Indonesia(3.81)	1.53
Mexico	6.15	United States(97.68), El Salvador(1.24)	0.00
Sri Lanka	11.90	China(53.43), Pakistan(10.54), Hong Kong(3.71), Indonesia(3.30)	21.77
Malaysia	25.11	China(43.02), Pakistan(27.03), Vietnam(6.82), Thailand(3.43)	15.59
Spain	8.30	Turkey(25.97), Italy(15.37), Pakistan(13.40)	30.09
Czech Republic	2.53	Spain(57.27), Germany(21.68), Turkey(14.39)	3.50
France	4.00	Belgium(45.82), Spain(13.92), Turkey(11.18), Italy(9.17), Poland(5.68), Czech Republic(4.70), Germany(3.73)	3.04

Note: The figures in parenthesis are percentage contributions to the total imports of a particular country

Table 1.4-UVR of India and Its Competitors: 2012

Top 10 Cotton Yarn (CY) importers	Major Competitors in export destinations with their UVR
China	Pakistan (2.70), Other Asia (2.01), Vietnam (3.08), Thailand(3.08), India(2.19)
Hong Kong	China(2.51), Pakistan(2.75), Other Asia(2.63), India(2.25)
European Union	Turkey(2.72), Pakistan(5.25), Bosnia and Herzegovina (4.02), India(2.71)
Korea Republic	Vietnam(1.59), Indonesia(1.72), China(6.39), Pakistan(3.27), India(2.30)
Turkey	Turkmenistan(2.16), Pakistan(3.77), India(3.01)
Russian Federation	Turkmenistan(2.04), Uzbekistan(1.90), Turkey(2.46), Korea(2.60), Pakistan(2.55), India(2.30)
Japan	Indonesia(3.45), Pakistan(2.88), Thailand(3.44), India(2.71)
Germany	Spain(2.51), Italy(3.05), Turkey (2.24), Czech Republic(4.80), India(2.69)
Egypt	All Competitors (3.84)
Guatemala	China(2.63), Honduras(4.58), El Salvador(1.19), India(3.05)
Portugal	Spain(2.59), Pakistan(4.31), Turkmenistan(2.52), India(2.88)

Top 10 Cotton Yarn (CY) importers Major Competitors in export destinations with their UVR

United States	Pakistan(3.60), Mexico(3.29), Canada(12.43), India(3.47)
El Salvador	United States(2.79), Indonesia(1.88), India(2.37)
Mexico	United States(2.82), El Salvador(1.21)
Sri Lanka	China(6.80), Hong Kong(4.80), Indonesia(3.13), Pakistan(4.76), India(5.79)
Malaysia	China(4.72), Pakistan(3.45), Vietnam(3.22), Thailand(3.75), India(2.65)
Spain	Turkey(2.52), Italy(2.67), Pakistan(4.14), India(2.45)
Czech Republic	Spain(2.43), Germany(4.27), Turkey(3.47),
France	Belgium(3.12), Spain (3.00), Turkey(3.67), Italy(3.50), Poland (3.67), Czech Republic (3.01), Germany (3.41), India (3.28)

Table 1.5- RCA of India and Its Competitors 2012 (520511)

Country	RCA (W)	Analysis
China	0.87	RCD
Hong Kong, China	1.36	RCA
India	6.50	RCA
Indonesia	0.09	RCD
Korea, Rep.	0.04	RCD
Other Asia, nes	2.93	RCA
Pakistan	4.80	RCA
Thailand	3.76	RCA
Turkmenistan	3.47	RCA
Turkey	0.63	RCD
United States	0.70	RCD
Vietnam	2.24	RCA

Table 1.6- Prospective Markets of India (520511)

Import Market	Import Quantity from world
Mexico	6.14 Mn
Argentina	0.93 Mn
Slovak Republic	5.73 Mn
Austria	1.20 Mn

The above markets are open to India for exports of 520511. However, whether India will be able to export to these countries or not is a matter of concern. As far as, Slovak Republic and Austria are concerned, India can export to these regions as tariff applicable is same as that for other European Union nations. Mexico and Argentina have very high tariff rates for imports from India.

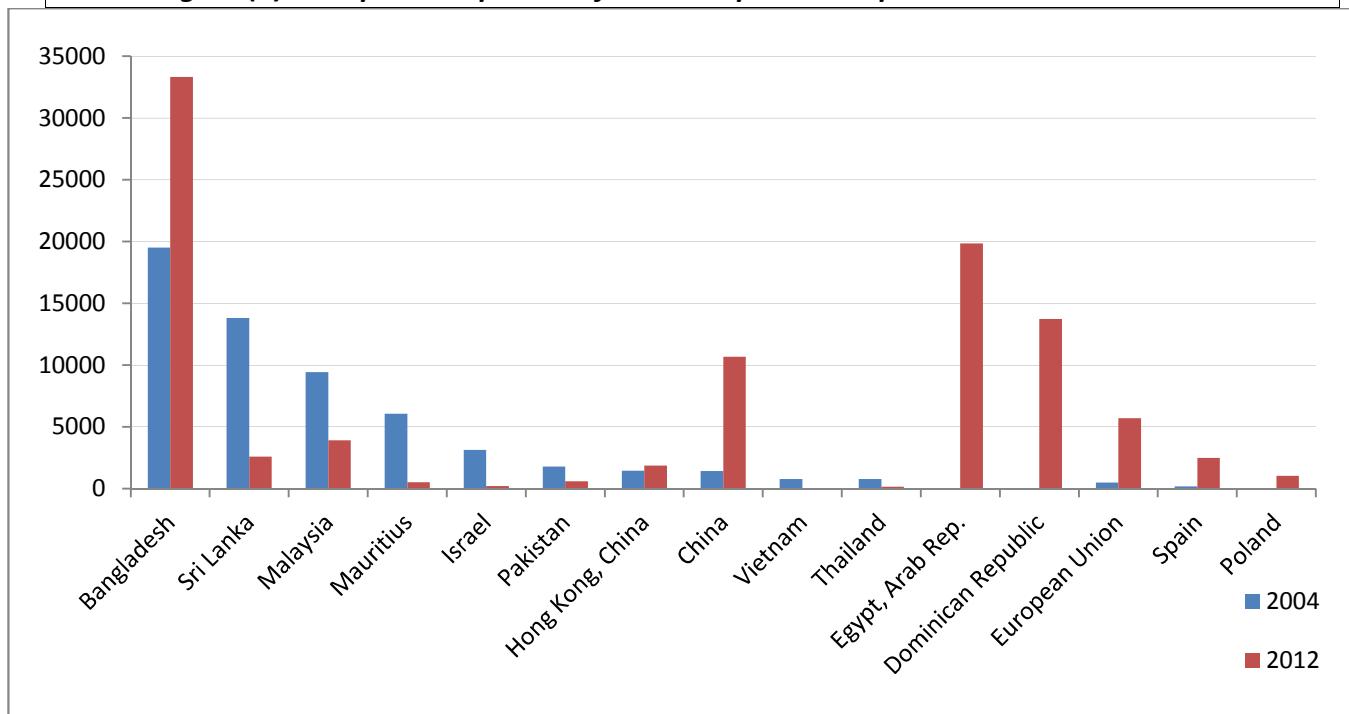
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Table 1.7-India's export partners 2004		
Reporter Name	Trade Value in 1000 USD	Quantity
Bangladesh	19518.325	7158363
Sri Lanka	13823.477	4710272
Malaysia	9439.128	3614855
Mauritius	6079.261	2514631
Israel	3134	1481155
Pakistan	1797.938	833250
Hong Kong, China	1449.1	895143
China	1441.769	1035989
Vietnam	792.782	337961
Thailand	774.339	326955
ROW	2936.506	1319240

- In 2004, the major destinations for Indian exports of Product 520511 were Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Malaysia, Mauritius, Israel, Pakistan, Hong Kong, China, Vietnam and Thailand. But, over the last 9 years from 2004-2012 the export destinations have undergone a reform and the current top export destinations include Egypt, Arab Rep, Dominican Republic, China, European Union, Malaysia, Sri Lanka, Spain, Hong Kong, China, Poland and Pakistan.
- Since, Bangladesh import figures are not available we have estimated them by India's exports to Bangladesh in 520511 which amount to 33310 (1000 USD) in 2012. By that figure, Bangladesh is the top most import partner for India in 520511.

Table 1.8-India's export partners 2012		
Reporter Name	Trade Value in 1000 USD	Quantity
Egypt, Arab Rep.	19856.081	5164156
Dominican Republic	13734.664	NA
China	10676.403	4876643
European Union	5695.478	2105368
Malaysia	3915.311	1476791
Sri Lanka	2590.472	447709
Spain	2498.409	1020083
Hong Kong, China	1869.122	828887
Poland	1029.101	443770
Pakistan	608.642	156938
ROW	6298.83	4654972

Figure (b)- Comparative picture of India's top 10 trade partners in 2004 and 2012



In 2004, the total import from India in the world amounted to 60.70 Mn USD for a quantity of 24.10 Mn Kg. While in 2012, the total import from India in the world was 63.08 Mn USD for a quantity of 19.06 Mn Kg.

Figure(c)- Top ten export destination pattern of growth in imports: Comparison 2004, 2008 & 2012

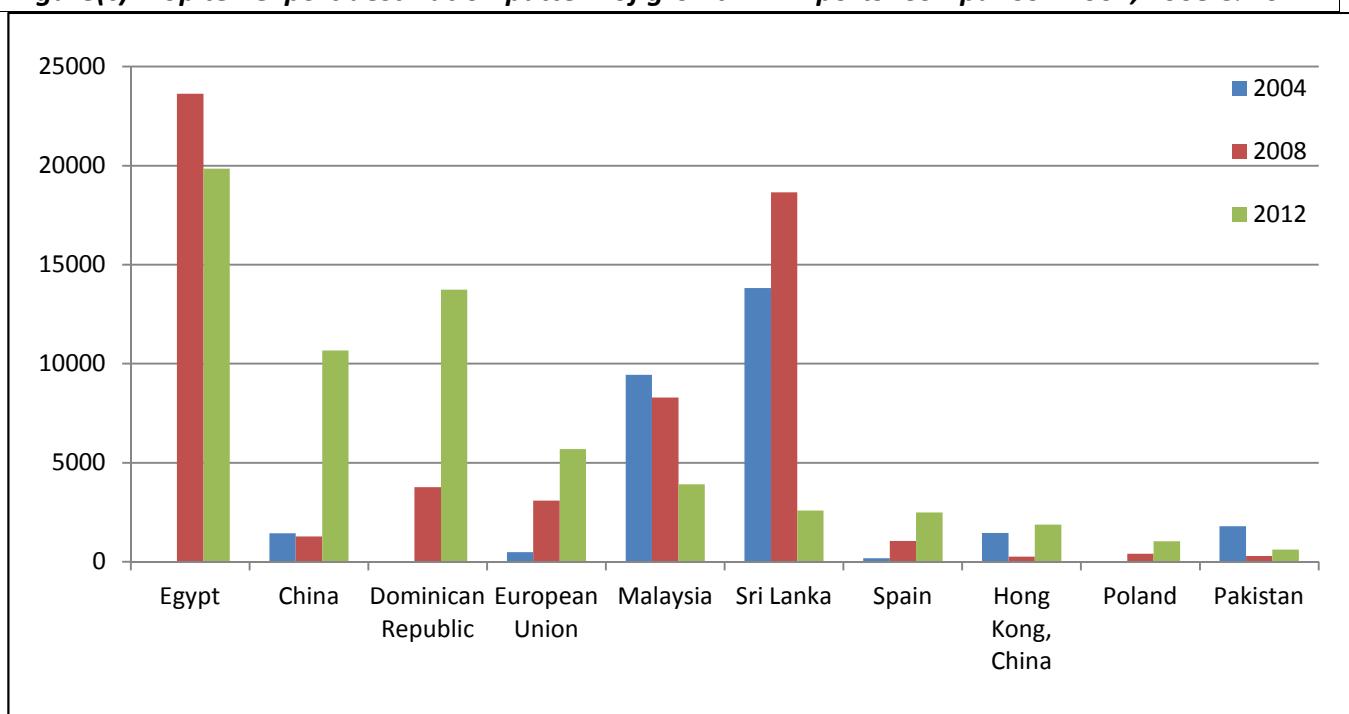


Figure (d)-Comparative Picture of India's Top 10 Trade Partners in 2004 and 2012

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2012

Poland	1029.101
Spain	2498.409
European Union	5695.478
Dominican Republic	13734.664
Egypt, Arab Rep.	19856.081
Thailand	156.095
Vietnam	0
China	10676.403
Hong Kong, China	1869.122
Pakistan	608.642
Israel	206
Mauritius	525.888
Malaysia	3915.311
Sri Lanka	2590.472
Bangladesh	33310

Table 1.9- India's trade partners and partner change continent wise 2004 and 2012

Continent	Major Countries 2004	2004 (Mn USD)	CAGR	Major Countries 2012	2012 (Mn USD)	CAGR
ASIA	Bangladesh	19.52	6.91%	Bangladesh	33.31	6.91%
	Sri Lanka	13.82	-18.89%	China	10.67	28.44%
	Malaysia	9.44	-10.42%	Malaysia	3.91	-10.42%
	Israel	3.13	-28.84%	Sri Lanka	2.59	-18.89%
	Pakistan	1.80	-12.66%	Hong Kong	1.86	3.23%
	ROC	5.65	-	ROC	1.96	-
AFRICA	Mauritius	6.08	-26.36%	Egypt	19.85	-4.26%
	ROC	0.22	-	Mauritius	0.52	-26.36%
				South Africa	0.27	24.38%
				Algeria	0.19	NA
				ROC	0.21	-
EUROPE	European Union	0.49	35.93%	European Union	5.69	35.93%
	Tunisia	0.31	NA	Spain	2.49	38.47%
	Italy	0.28	NA	Poland	1.03	127.98%
	ROC	0.23	-	Portugal	0.49	18.64%
				United Kingdom	0.34	46.47%
				ROC	1.02	-
NORTH AMERICA	Canada	0.07	-67.10%	Dominican Republic	13.73	64.91%
	ROC	0.00	-	Guatemala	0.15	-16.80%
				United States	0.14	-5.64%
				El Salvador	0.14	166.19%
				ROC	0.01	-
SOUTH AMERICA	Columbia	0.16	8.29%	Peru	0.60	33.08%
	ROC	0.00	-	Chile	0.54	62.98%
				Columbia	0.30	8.29%
				ROC	0.10	-
OCEANIA	ROC	0.00	-	Australia	0.07	-2.16%
				ROC	0.00	-

Table 1.10- Top 10 Export Markets for India and its position vis a vis competitors

Egypt	China	Dominican Republic	European Union	Malaysia	Sri Lanka	Spain	Hong Kong	Poland	Pakistan
India	Pakistan	United States	India	India	India	India	India	India	India
Syrian Arab Republic	China	India	United Arab Emirates	Canada	China	Belgium	Bulgaria	Belgium	United Arab Emirates
Indonesia	Other Asia	Pakistan	Argentina	China	Germany	China	China	China	Bangladesh
China	Vietnam	Unspecified	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Germany	Hong Kong, China	Germany	Germany	Czech Republic	China
Turkey	Thailand	Guatemala	Switzerland	Hong Kong, China	Indonesia	France	United Kingdom	Germany	Denmark
United Arab Emirates	India	Indonesia	China	Indonesia	Korea, Rep.	Italy	Italy	Spain	United Kingdom
Malaysia	Hong Kong, China	Sri Lanka	Egypt, Arab Rep.	Japan	Macao	Nigeria	Japan	United Kingdom	Indonesia
Germany	Turkmenistan	Honduras	Hong Kong, China	Korea, Rep.	Other Asia	Pakistan	Other Asia	Hungary	Turkmenistan
Italy	Italy	Vietnam	Croatia	Other Asia	Pakistan	Portugal	Pakistan	Italy	Turkey
Pakistan	Malaysia	China	Indonesia	Pakistan	Thailand	Slovenia	Peru	Japan	South Africa
United States	South Africa	Turkey	Japan	Thailand	Vietnam	Tunisia	Thailand	Nigeria	
Thailand	Japan	El Salvador	Nigeria	United States		Turkey		Netherlands	
Other Asia	Belgium	Israel	Pakistan	Vietnam		South Africa		Pakistan	
Vietnam	Bangladesh	Mexico	Russian Federation					Portugal	
Austria	Korea, Rep.	Spain	Saudi Arabia					Turkmenistan	
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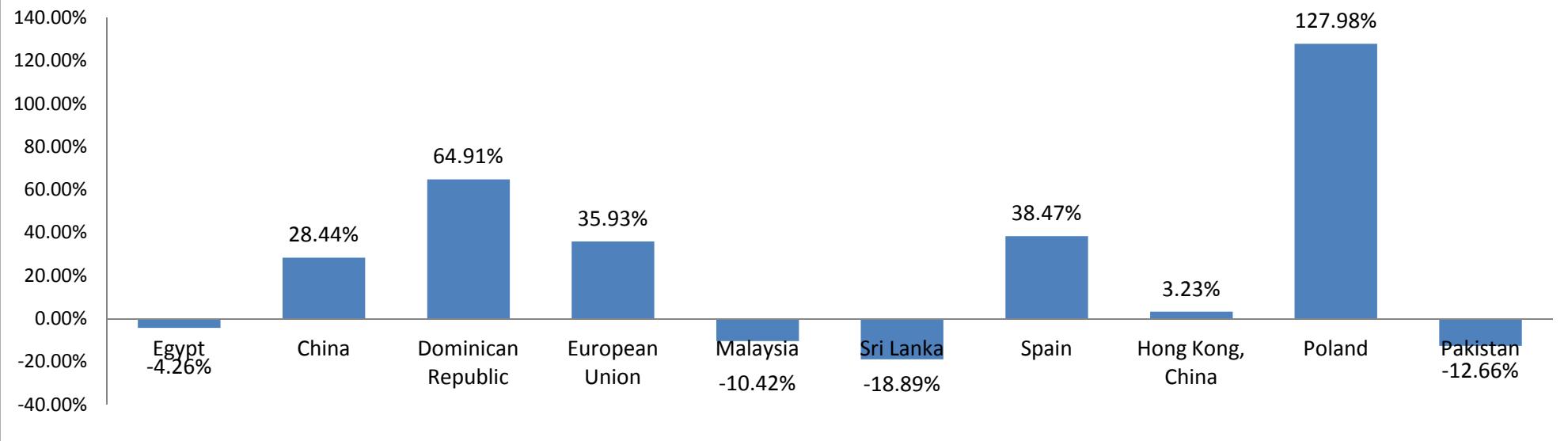
Table 1.11-India's exports to major partners in 1000 USD

Export Destination	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	CAGR	UVR 2012
Egypt	-	-	-	-	23636.25	18813.38	9573.49	26940.38	19856.08	-4.26%	3.84
China	1441.77	2324.60	2896.53	1694.06	1273.33	1729.30	4111.53	4843.02	10676.40	28.44%	2.18
Dominican Republic	-	-	682.87	789.24	3760.75	3378.00	13899.78	8651.02	13734.66	64.91%	2.19
European Union	488.7	1273.21	930.04	2331.84	3096.36	1509.98	6776.22	10094.04	5695.47	35.93%	2.71
Malaysia	9439.13	6415.32	6284.82	6379.22	8299.16	2908.73	9079.49	4427.52	3915.31	-10.42%	2.65
Sri Lanka	13823.48	19890.80	26739.46	22907.91	18657.51	13220.73	19748.15	2575.29	2590.47	-18.89%	5.79
Spain	184.89	764.10	157.65	476.89	1055.54	678.18	3842.34	4729.56	2498.40	38.47%	2.45
Hong Kong, China	1449.1	1340.12	846.72	649.77	263.40	143.08	1580.94	2700.82	1869.12	3.23%	2.25
Poland	1.41	435.89	1020.37	564.37	399.99	150.40	852.09	2323.73	1029.10	127.98%	2.32
Pakistan	1797.94	389.96	21.89	69.39	287.31	119.90	2227.01	382.46	608.64	-12.66%	3.88

Table 1.12-India's RCA in major export destinations

Export Destination	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis
China	0.43	0.46	0.17	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.12	RCD
Dominican Republic	-	-	15.98	24.39	17.32	33.47	1.99	1.47	3.45	All time RCA
Egypt, Arab Rep.	-	-	-	-	1.36	2.09	0.96	2.92	1.85	All time RCA
European Union	0.13	0.38	0.37	0.61	0.71	0.29	0.95	1.41	1.23	RCD to RCA
Hong Kong, China	0.78	1.09	0.54	0.32	0.17	0.07	0.45	1.39	0.43	Cyclical
Malaysia	2.74	3.25	2.08	2.62	2.69	2.24	1.53	0.93	2.02	All time RCA
Pakistan	8.63	15.62	1.20	0.49	1.48	3.06	1.55	0.82	0.85	Cyclical
Poland	0.01	4.01	8.57	3.21	2.35	0.93	3.49	5.35	3.13	RCA
Spain	0.30	0.90	0.15	0.48	1.51	1.91	5.54	3.17	3.56	RCD to RCA
Sri Lanka	3.01	3.49	2.76	2.98	3.11	2.51	2.51	0.74	0.65	RCA to RCD

Figure (e)-Growth over a period of 2004-2012 in exports of 520511 from India to top 10 export destinations



Note: Interestingly India is also importing 520511 from other countries to a trade value of 3507.239 (1000 USD), quantity of 836506 Kg from Bangladesh, China, Egypt, France, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Korea, Sri Lanka, Mozambique, Malaysia, Pakistan, Portugal, Slovenia, Thailand, Turkey, United States and Vietnam. **The following pie chart depicts the % share of export destinations in India's total exports.**

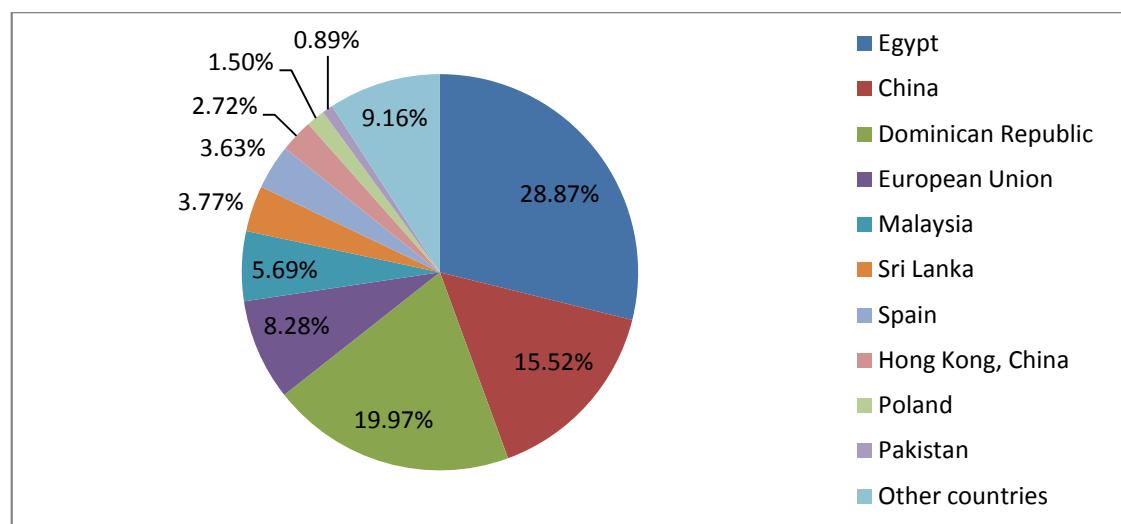


Table 1.13-Markets where India does not have presence

Importing Country	Import Value 2012	Imported Quantity 2012	Exporting Countries
Mexico	6148.755	2211570	Spain, Pakistan, El Salvador, United States
Slovak Republic	5735.277	1781271	Czech Republic, Germany, Spain, Italy, Turkey, Unspecified
Hungary	2729	502984	Germany, Spain, Italy, Pakistan, Turkey
Austria	1206.895	293900	Germany, France, Greece, Italy, Portugal, Romania, Turkey
Argentina	930.727	220848	Brazil
Madagascar	341.121	155637	France, Japan, Mauritius
Paraguay	260.854	58647	Brazil, Pakistan
Yugoslavia	228.399	77176	Bulgaria, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Macedonia, FYR, Pakistan,
Albania	221.895	86836	Italy
Bulgaria	216.651	58266	China, Indonesia, Italy, Korea Rep., Turkey
Macedonia, FYR	139.793	64179	China, Greece, Italy, Portugal, Yugoslavia, Turkey
Kazakhstan	132	64600	China, Turkey, Uzbekistan
Philippines	112.157	42088	China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Other Asia
Greece	110.64	25159	France, Italy, Portugal, Turkey
Senegal	106.424	103843	Italy
Armenia	103.685	43370	Turkey
Netherlands	87.626	78507	Belgium, France, Italy, Turkey
Sweden	86.675	20205	Austria, China, Germany, Spain, United Kingdom, Italy
Bosnia & Herzegovina	56.988	5026	Macedonia, FYR
Mozambique	32.64	17900	China
Bahamas, The	31.986	2217	United States
Singapore	31.247	2074	China, Malaysia, Other Asia
Slovenia	26.317	4121	Germany, Turkey, Unspecified
Costa Rica	23.361	9245	United States
Norway	18.245	1167	Austria, Germany, Portugal, Sweden, United States
Lebanon	16.107	4392	Spain, Italy, Pakistan
Ghana	16.03	9343	Nigeria, Togo
Ecuador	15.407	7514	Indonesia
Cyprus	6.853	1900	Greece
Iceland	4.911	406	Other Asia, nes , United States
Cameroon	4.136	1090	China
Sudan	3.784	3870	China, Egypt, Arab Rep.
Yemen	1.782	1200	China
Croatia	0.883	76	Austria, Czech Republic
Nicaragua	0.837	52	China
Burundi	0.612	1007	Belgium, Tanzania
Kiribati	0.404	78	Japan
Cape Verde	0.379	1080	China
Luxembourg	0.301	16	Belgium
Brunei	0.26	68	China
Niger	0.159	150	Nigeria
Qatar	0.15	45986	Germany, Italy, Thailand
Uganda	0.085	178	China, Italy, Kenya
Tonga	0.059	15	New Zealand
Rwanda	0.041	11	Tanzania, Congo, Dem. Rep.

Table 1.14-Market wise competitive performance of India Vis a Vis competitors in terms of RCA (2004-2012)

Egypt Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Austria					0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.17	RCD	3.84
China					0.08	0.07	0.12	0.14	0.36	RCD	3.84
Germany					0.21	0.00	0.01	0.15	1.08	RCD to RCA	3.84
Greece					0.01	0.01	0.08	0.10	0.04	RCD	3.85
Hong Kong, China					0.03	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.29	RCD	3.85
Hungary					8.92	0.00	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	16.60	RCA	3.85
India					1.36	2.09	0.96	2.92	1.85	All time RCA	3.84
Indonesia					0.39	0.44	0.93	3.26	9.63	RCD to RCA	3.84
Italy					0.10	0.13	0.16	0.36	0.28	RCD	3.84
Jordan					0.00	0.00	0.89	0.00	4.16	RCD to RCA	3.84
Malaysia					2.47	1.76	1.04	0.12	0.68	RCA to RCD	3.84
Other Asia, nes					0.08	0.31	0.04	0.00	0.25	RCD	3.84
Pakistan					0.07	0.25	0.02	0.28	0.06	RCD	3.84
Philippines					0.00	0.00	0.00	0.54	14.19	RCD to RCA	3.85
Slovenia					#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	14.65	11.28	RCD to RCA	3.84
Syrian Arab Republic					3.84	3.96	4.32	2.97	6.55	All time RCA	3.84
Thailand					0.23	0.03	0.36	0.00	0.73	RCD	3.84
Turkey					0.46	0.34	0.26	0.31	0.27	RCD	3.84
United Arab Emirates					0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.62	RCD to RCA	3.84
United Kingdom					0.16	0.00	0.00	1.41	0.23	Cyclical	3.84
United States					0.29	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.18	RCD	3.84
Vietnam					0.00	1.52	0.00	0.00	2.21	Cyclical	3.84

- Egypt market has tough competition primarily on the basis of price and India enjoys an all time RCA in this market though the growth Rate is declining at a rate of -4.26%.

China Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Bangladesh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	RCD	3.72
Belgium	2.15	0.39	0.21	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.78	RCA to RCD	3.44
China	0.55	0.33	0.38	0.34	0.17	0.31	0.51	0.50	1.38	RCD to RCA	2.56
Hong Kong, China	1.75	1.60	2.39	1.83	1.58	0.69	1.45	2.00	2.51	All time RCA	2.34
India	0.43	0.46	0.17	0.08	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.12	RCD	2.19
Italy	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.06	0.22	RCD	25.84
Japan	0.44	0.47	0.44	0.43	0.44	0.15	0.14	0.04	0.01	RCD	20.09
Korea, Rep.	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.07	0.02	0.00	RCD	15.00
Malaysia	2.13	0.31	0.00	0.00	1.72	0.08	0.94	0.00	0.24	Cyclical	3.10
Other Asia, nes	5.74	6.51	7.48	5.86	5.89	3.60	5.15	3.27	2.85	All time RCA	2.01
Pakistan	4.44	4.83	5.45	4.75	6.20	3.34	4.44	7.23	6.14	All time RCA	2.70
Slovenia	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	RCD	5.00
South Africa	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.70	RCD	3.44
Thailand	13.86	9.62	12.33	10.74	8.28	5.33	8.96	13.11	11.18	All time RCA	3.08
Turkmenistan	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.69	0.00	3.56	RCA	2.37
Vietnam	16.10	8.58	9.24	6.79	5.16	5.01	5.31	2.71	1.83	All time RCA	3.08

- In spite of India's UVR being competitive India faces RCD in the Chinese market although the growth rate is promising at 28.44%.

Dominican Republic Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
China			0.63	0.82	0.21	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.04	RCD	NA
El Salvador			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.51	0.56	RCD	NA
Guatemala			2.18	16.36	0.00	0.66	0.00	0.23	3.13	Cyclical	NA
Honduras			10.82	7.20	1.40	0.00	0.23	0.12	0.64	RCA to RCD	NA
India			15.98	24.39	17.32	33.47	1.99	1.47	3.45	All time RCA	NA
Indonesia			0.00	0.00	38.32	0.00	0.00	0.90	0.89	RCD	NA
Israel			0.00	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	6.65	RCA	NA
Mexico			0.48	2.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	RCD	NA
Pakistan			17.90	25.54	8.76	4.37	0.45	0.50	0.88	RCA to RCD	NA
Spain			1.62	1.97	0.00	2.13	0.05	0.00	0.00	Cyclical	NA
Sri Lanka			#DIV/0!	0.00	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	3.18	RCD to RCA	NA
Turkey			6.15	67.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.39	RCA to RCD	NA
United States			0.15	0.49	0.24	0.35	1.24	1.14	1.00	RCD to RCA	NA
Unspecified			#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	1.79	RCA	NA
Vietnam			0.00	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	1.03	0.00	0.74	Cyclical	NA

- India enjoys an all time RCA in the Dominican Republic market supported by the high growth rate of 64.91%.

European Union Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Argentina	0.51	5.21	0.00	6.50	0.00	9.92	2.25	1.07	1.06	RCD to RCA	2.26
Bosnia & Herzegovina	0.12	0.36	2.49	51.53	132.60	82.61	55.97	12.21	19.25	RCD to RCA	4.02
China	3.50	2.11	0.62	0.09	0.07	0.11	0.12	0.13	0.12	RCA to RCD	3.22
Croatia	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.51	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.80	RCD	3.10
Egypt, Arab Rep.	0.24	0.14	0.25	0.38	0.24	0.42	0.15	0.13	0.15	RCD	4.31
Hong Kong, China	42.97	34.21	14.48	17.05	10.74	0.00	2.36	0.11	2.47	Cyclical	100.91
India	0.13	0.38	0.37	0.61	0.71	0.29	0.95	1.41	1.23	RCD to RCA	2.71
Indonesia	0.32	0.65	0.26	0.16	0.01	0.21	0.36	0.61	0.09	RCD	1.28
Japan	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.05	RCD	42.76
Nigeria	0.21	0.00	0.00	3.02	3.48	1.15	3.59	1.25	5.63	RCD to RCA	2.29
Pakistan	0.14	0.30	0.82	0.78	0.52	0.52	0.63	0.90	0.92	RCD	5.25
Russian Federation	0.02	0.04	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.59	RCD	3.01
Saudi Arabia	4.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.07	RCA	3.00
South Africa	0.00	8.87	9.09	0.00	0.56	0.03	1.31	0.00	1.33	Cyclical	2.57
Switzerland	0.05	0.14	0.04	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.00	RCD	8.66
Syrian Arab Republic	0.15	0.00	0.55	0.27	0.33	0.11	0.24	0.92	0.53	RCD	2.78
Thailand	0.99	0.96	0.11	0.28	0.00	0.15	0.08	0.09	0.01	RCD	39.59
Tunisia	1.08	1.84	1.04	0.99	0.70	1.32	1.08	3.06	3.65	Cyclical	2.58
Turkey	1.92	1.76	2.41	2.90	2.27	1.63	1.69	2.33	1.87	All time RCA	2.72
Turkmenistan	2.49	3.22	2.80	2.59	3.17	6.94	3.70	2.13	4.70	All time RCA	2.36
United Arab Emirates	0.39	11.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.04	RCD	3.02
United States	0.19	1.58	3.46	2.04	0.06	0.02	0.07	0.00	0.00	Cyclical	3.02

- Over the years, India has moved from RCD to RCA in the European Union market with a competitive UVR of 2.71 and a growth rate of 35.93%.

Malaysia Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Canada	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	9.51	RCA	5.04
China	1.19	1.11	0.98	0.48	0.94	1.75	1.62	2.19	3.44	Cyclical	4.72
Germany	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	RCD	7.99
Hong Kong, China	0.69	0.03	0.05	0.23	0.50	1.17	0.91	0.64	0.13	Cyclical	4.15
India	2.74	3.25	2.08	2.62	2.69	2.24	1.53	0.93	2.02	All time RCA	2.65
Indonesia	2.35	2.21	1.15	0.76	0.98	1.16	0.68	1.38	0.46	Cyclical	2.54
Japan	0.75	0.36	0.02	0.22	0.15	0.05	0.06	0.02	0.08	RCD	6.00
Korea, Rep.	1.18	1.50	1.99	2.90	3.91	3.46	5.22	2.66	4.07	All time RCA	4.45
Other Asia, nes	0.12	0.10	0.01	0.27	0.91	0.50	0.18	2.25	0.15	Cyclical	10.47
Pakistan	2.05	4.00	2.62	4.30	2.26	4.11	3.60	6.67	11.05	All time RCA	3.45
Thailand	0.71	0.66	0.16	0.66	0.99	0.82	0.63	1.27	1.86	RCD to RCA	3.75
United States	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.09	0.16	0.11	RCD	4.14
Vietnam	1.86	2.50	4.27	3.12	0.97	2.51	0.86	2.52	2.75	All time RCA	3.22

- India enjoys an all time RCA in the Malaysia market with the second lowest UVR of 2.65 but faces negative growth of -10.42%.

Sri Lanka Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
China	0.27	0.30	0.62	0.57	0.28	0.20	0.34	1.68	1.66	RCD to RCA	6.80
Germany	1.15	0.98	0.58	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.25	2.21	Cyclical	32.58
Hong Kong, China	0.61	0.22	0.14	0.05	0.18	0.28	0.68	0.65	0.49	RCD	4.80
India	3.01	3.49	2.76	2.98	3.11	2.51	2.51	0.74	0.65	RCA to RCD	5.79
Indonesia	5.18	4.45	4.09	2.32	0.31	0.28	1.29	3.40	2.24	All time RCA	3.13
Korea, Rep.	0.40	1.27	0.94	0.57	0.00	0.00	0.82	1.57	0.02	Cyclical	4.65
Macao	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	0.00	#DIV/0!	23.38	23.84	11.52	1.22	10.48	All time RCA	10.24
Other Asia, nes	0.02	0.17	0.24	0.74	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.28	1.39	RCD to RCA	4.68
Pakistan	0.80	0.45	0.48	0.45	0.16	0.19	0.05	0.39	0.72	RCD	4.76
Thailand	0.08	0.09	0.15	0.07	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.79	RCD	12.54
Vietnam	0.00	0.28	1.24	3.65	4.67	7.74	3.53	5.98	9.10	All time RCA	2.91

- In the Sri Lanka market, India has lost its competitiveness and moved from RCA to RCD with a UVR of 5.79 and negative growth of -18.89%.

Spain Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Belgium	0.13	0.12	0.17	1.91	0.00	0.00	0.34	0.02	0.23	RCD	2.86
China	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.07	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.41	RCD	3.52
France	0.06	0.15	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.02	RCD	8.68
Germany	4.27	1.68	0.65	0.54	0.24	0.10	0.10	0.19	0.05	RCA to RCD	2.80
India	0.30	0.90	0.15	0.48	1.51	1.91	5.54	3.17	3.56	RCD to RCA	2.45
Italy	1.49	1.65	2.64	2.27	2.14	1.84	1.16	0.65	0.85	RCA to RCD	2.67
Nigeria	0.42	0.00	0.00	26.00	77.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.85	RCA	2.25
Pakistan	0.00	0.00	0.44	0.76	1.20	1.72	1.52	1.14	0.96	Cyclical	4.14
Portugal	0.61	1.00	0.91	0.81	0.71	0.33	0.07	0.08	0.18	RCD	4.98
Slovenia	7.78	0.00	1.20	0.95	2.14	0.00	6.43	8.22	2.89	RCA	5.66
South Africa	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.09	0.00	3.45	0.00	6.33	RCA	2.55
Tunisia	0.00	0.43	0.94	0.24	1.97	7.05	0.00	15.17	23.44	Cyclical	2.66
Turkey	0.41	0.24	0.48	0.96	1.37	0.81	0.44	2.69	1.53	Cyclical	2.52

- India has moved from RCD to RCA in the Spain market with a UVR of 2.45 and a growth rate of 38.47%.

Hong Kong Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Bulgaria	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.11	RCA	16.98
China	0.41	0.36	0.39	0.35	0.33	0.60	0.58	0.76	0.83	RCD	2.51
Germany	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.09	0.14	0.07	RCD	38.46
India	0.78	1.09	0.54	0.32	0.17	0.07	0.45	1.39	0.43	Cyclical	2.25
Italy	0.32	0.19	0.16	0.14	0.11	0.21	0.10	0.28	0.15	RCD	27.28
Japan	0.11	0.09	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.20	0.06	RCD	52.70
Other Asia, nes	3.21	2.35	2.84	2.75	3.52	4.38	5.26	1.94	2.36	All time RCA	2.63
Pakistan	4.57	5.90	5.56	6.41	7.54	4.84	4.02	3.97	4.27	All time RCA	2.75
Peru	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	RCD	15.88
Thailand	4.55	0.21	0.14	0.00	0.03	0.08	0.22	0.45	0.16	RCA to RCD	4.64
United Kingdom	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.05	0.00	RCD	33.25

- India has shown an inconsistent performance in the Hong Kong market with a UVR of 2.25 and a growth rate of 3.23%.

Poland Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Belgium	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.04	RCD	4.24
China	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.28	RCD	2.22
Czech Republic	0.65	3.02	0.82	0.51	2.77	1.25	1.91	0.86	0.53	Cyclical	1.61
Germany	0.07	0.04	0.03	0.38	0.50	0.14	1.43	0.25	0.24	Cyclical	3.64
Hungary	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7.35	RCA	9.66
India	0.01	4.01	8.57	3.21	2.35	0.93	3.49	5.35	3.13	RCA	2.32
Italy	3.28	2.01	1.47	1.34	0.91	1.07	0.04	0.02	0.16	RCA to RCD	14.70
Japan	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	RCD	6.00
Netherlands	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.01	0.00	RCD	2.71
Nigeria	#DIV/0	0.00	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.59	RCA	2.40
Pakistan	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.63	2.60	0.00	3.38	0.26	Cyclical	5.45
Portugal	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	RCD	10.65
Spain	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.27	3.86	RCA	2.68
Turkey	2.09	1.83	1.15	2.10	1.65	2.86	1.28	0.61	1.42	All time RCA	2.56
Turkmenistan	0.00	2.45	8.23	0.00	5.66	17.46	0.00	0.00	21.98	RCA	2.26
United Kingdom	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	1.34	1.20	5.35	4.04	RCD to RCA	11.54

- India has moved to a competitive position in the Poland market with a UVR of 2.32 and a promising growth rate of 127.98%.

Pakistan Market	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	Analysis	UVR 2012
Bangladesh	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.77	107.57	RCA	3.49
China	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.04	7.38	0.00	2.13	2.38	2.33	All time RCA	4.45
Denmark	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	0.00	20.03	#DIV/0!	30.54	50.91	RCA	4.28
India	8.63	15.62	1.20	0.49	1.48	3.06	1.55	0.82	0.85	Cyclical	3.88
Indonesia	0.00	0.00	10.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	48.81	50.31	36.94	RCA	5.30
South Africa	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!	0.00	#DIV/0!	3.35	RCA	3.40
Turkey	33.67	0.00	0.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	28.56	0.00	0.46	Cyclical	4.28
Turkmenistan	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.38	0.00	29.97	RCD to RCA	3.50
United Arab Emirates	1.07	0.00	0.00	3.06	32.18	13.86	0.01	0.00	0.01	RCA to RCD	3.45
United Kingdom	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	RCD	5.86

- India has lost its competitiveness in the Pakistan market with a UVR of 3.88 and a negative growth of -12.66%

Reasoning

China exports to Hong Kong, the items of cotton yarn concerned with “Cotton yarn, not for retail” which indicates that the products are intra industry. It is conceived that China sends some semi treated cotton yarn to some plants in Hong Kong for some slight further processing. Most exports of Hong Kong in this basket are in fact Re-exports, that implies that only slight processing handling is done at the plants in Hong Kong (like re-packaging, which in case of yarn could be like re-distribution of large volumes yarn to machine ready sizes of yarn).

- **Reasons for the growth of Indian exports to the Chinese market are due to multiple reasons:**

1. Imports free of quota limits, are cheaper than domestic yarn
2. Stockpiling makes domestic cotton about 40% more expensive
3. Mills in China also face rising labor costs and manpower shortages, with many having sold their spinning machines to plants in Malaysia, Pakistan and Vietnam

- **Reasons for the increase in exports during 2008-12 to Egypt include:**

1. Agricultural land under cotton production has reduced to 1/4th of its size in the 1990's.
2. The old industries require long staple fiber; they can't produce fabric from short staple fiber which is most widely used these days.
3. There are irrigation problems and lack of government support in Egypt for development of cotton industry.

- **Reasons for decline in exports to Egypt over last two years:**

1. Wrongful imposition of penal duties on cotton yarn imported from India.
2. Imposition of safeguard duties to the extent of 13-14% over the customs duty.
3. India has asked WTO to intervene and solve the matter.

- Major markets in the world in terms of import value where India doesn't have presence include Mexico (North America), Slovak republic, Hungary, Austria (Europe), Argentina (South America), Madagascar(Africa) and many more. To figure out the most lucrative markets amongst these, we must consider not only the import value but the tariff structures in these countries, their distance from India to cover the transit cost, logistic problems etc.
- If we look at the tariff rates, we understand why India has not been able to export to Argentina and Madagascar and probably Mexico. However, the European nations with lower tariff rate should be targeted as we are already exporting to some of their neighboring countries so the transportation cost problem, tariff issues are already resolved.
- The trade partners to whom we have been exporting since 2004 but have lost considerable market share in these markets are also to be analyzed to study the reasons behind the lost markets and possible solutions in terms of competitor analysis, government intervention, and policy measures and cost analysis to capture these markets again. Also, the prospective countries to which we can export and have still not been able to tap those markets should be analyzed elaborately.

Absence of Trade with Latin American Countries

- Though there exists immense potential for trade between India and Latin American countries, India has not been able to leverage that due to the following reasons:

1. There is no direct shipping service from India to LA countries. Goods have to be shipped to Europe or Singapore which increases freight costs and shipping times. Transport costs acts as a significant trade barrier between these regions. China has direct shipping links with Latin America through the Panama Canal. Also, it is planning to build a rail link through Columbia to trade with LA countries.
 2. Also, China so as to overcome existing barriers of trade with Latin America has taken an indirect route and adopted strategic moves to increase their trade in the region.
- China is rivalling with World Bank and Inter-American Development Bank as a major lender to Latin America. Latin America gets trade financing from the Bank of China and investments by the China Investment Corporation. This benefits their co-operation in diverse areas from agriculture to space technology.
 - China has joined the Washington-based IDB with a \$350 million loan to develop LAC's small businesses. China has signed free trade agreements with Chile, Peru and Costa Rica, for example Chile and China have signed agreements to increase cooperation in mining, banking and telecommunications.