

Department of Commerce

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Table 2: India's Merchandise Import of QE Groups: Growth for last 2 years and current year

(Value in

S. No.	QE Groups	2024-25	2025-26	% Change	August, 2025	August, 2026	% Change	July, 2026	% Change over July, 2026	Apr - Aug, 2025-26	Apr - Aug, 2026-27	% Change
1	Petroleum, Crude & products	185779	173942	-6.4	13261	16688	25.8	18313	-8.9	78069	95571	22.4
2	Electronic goods	98723	116147	17.6	9721	13658	40.5	14366	-4.9	46306	66479	43.6
3	Machinery, electrical & non-electrical	53539	61714	15.3	5145	5708	10.9	6086	-6.2	24581	28459	15.8
4	Gold	58006	71977	24.1	5439	2298	-57.7	4163	-44.8	16899	17471	3.4
5	Transport equipment	33167	35670	7.5	2624	3018	15.0	3114	-3.1	13533	14497	7.1
6	Non-ferrous metals	24653	28863	17.1	2476	3033	22.5	2930	3.5	11752	14460	23.0
7	Coal, Coke & Briquettes, etc.	31093	27896	-10.3	2062	2574	24.8	3046	-15.5	12172	14079	15.7
8	Organic & Inorganic Chemicals	28417	27913	-1.8	2486	2473	-0.5	2659	-7.0	12251	13306	8.6
9	Artificial resins, plastic materials, etc.	22509	22754	1.1	2018	2124	5.3	2240	-5.2	9853	10881	10.4
10	Vegetable Oil	17333	19488	12.4	2027	2027	0.0	1964	3.2	8250	9180	11.3
11	Iron & Steel	22640	21479	-5.1	2020	1784	-11.7	1960	-9.0	9268	8825	-4.8
12	Fertilisers, Crude & manufactured	10226	16437	60.7	1660	1886	13.6	2476	-23.8	5355	8206	53.2
13	Metaliferrous ores & other minerals	11100	14127	27.3	1099	1794	63.3	1357	32.2	5341	7290	36.5
14	Pearls, precious & Semi-precious stones	18014	18445	2.4	1414	1438	1.7	1752	-17.9	7869	6973	-11.4
15	Chemical material & products	12819	16057	25.3	1003	1140	13.6	1224	-6.9	8834	6135	-30.6
16	Professional instrument, Optical goods, etc.	8414	9452	12.3	784	892	13.7	936	-4.7	3816	4472	17.2
17	Medcnl. & Pharmaceutical products	8937	9596	7.4	781	720	-7.9	825	-12.8	3888	4005	3.0
18	Machine tools	5662	6479	14.4	527	617	17.1	628	-1.8	2787	2928	5.1
19	Wood & Wood products	6971	6778	-2.8	555	538	-3.2	574	-6.4	2769	2693	-2.7
20	Dyeing/tanning/colouring mtrls.	4267	4287	0.5	303	435	43.5	541	-19.5	1725	2198	27.4
21	Fruits & vegetables	3268	3824	17.0	264	354	33.9	364	-2.8	1342	1752	30.5
22	Silver	4827	12051	149.6	452	1026	127.1	172	497.4	1912	1744	-8.8
23	Pulses	5477	3573	-34.8	115	203	77.0	245	-17.1	841	1165	38.5
24	Textile yarn Fabric, made-up articles	2475	2602	5.1	227	209	-8.1	237	-11.9	1080	1054	-2.5
25	Cotton Raw & Waste	1219	1889	54.9	127	213	67.7	176	21.5	510	802	57.2
26	Pulp and Waste paper	2014	1959	-2.7	173	149	-13.8	150	-0.4	850	766	-9.9
27	Sulphur & Unroasted Iron Pyrts	326	778	139.1	27	220	700.3	60	267.6	265	475	78.9
28	Project goods	1078	1060	-1.6	23	101	337.9	91	11.0	435	450	3.6
29	Leather & leather products	982	937	-4.6	90	88	-1.3	90	-1.8	389	427	9.8
30	Newsprint	414	306	-26.2	31	28	-10.8	26	7.2	139	128	-8.2
31	Others	35888	37234	3.8	3021	3237	7.2	3456	-6.3	14009	16130	15.1
India's Total Import		720241	775713	7.7	61956	70670	14.1	76223	-7.3	307092	363001	18.2
Total Import Excluding Petroleum crude & Products		534462	601771	12.6	48695	53983	10.9	57910	-6.8	229023	267430	16.8
Total Import Excl Petroleum Crude & Products and Gold, Pearls, Precious & Semi-precious stones		458442	511349	11.5	41841	50247	20.1	51994	-3.4	204254	242986	19.0

Source: DGCIS, based on Quick Estimate August, 2026

US\$ Million)
% Share
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