

Table A22: Top 10 exporters and importers of textiles, 2005

Edition 2006, trade in 2005. Rebuilt on 30 September 2026 from WTO data as published on 29 September 2026, in the layout of the World Trade Statistical Review. Frozen: WTO revisions after that date do not change it.

TOP EXPORTER European Union 32.5% of world	TOP IMPORTER European Union 29.2% of world	INDIA No. 7 exporter 4.1% of world, US\$ 8.3 bn	ECONOMIES RANKED 139 / 144 exporters / importers, 2005
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Exporters of textiles, 2005

Value in US\$ billion; shares of world textiles exports, per cent; 2000-05 is the compound annual rate; other changes are against the year before.

Economy	Value 2005	Share in world exports				Annual percentage change			
		1990	1995	2000	2005	2000-05	2003	2004	2005
European Union	66	45.2	40.8	33.4	32.5	5	14	12	-3
<i>Extra-EU</i>	23	...	...	11.5	11.3	5	11	14	-3
China	41	6.9	9.1	10.3	20.2	21	31	24	23
Hong Kong, China	14	7.9	9.1	8.6	6.8	1	5	9	-3
United States of America	12	4.8	4.8	7.0	6.1	3	2	10	3
Korea, Republic of	10	5.8	8.1	8.1	5.1	-4	-2	1	-4
Chinese Taipei	10	5.9	7.8	7.6	4.8	-4	-2	8	-3
India	8	2.1	2.9	3.6	4.1	8	11	15	12
Pakistan	7	2.6	2.8	2.9	3.5	9	21	5	16
Türkiye	7	1.4	1.7	2.4	3.5	14	24	22	10
Japan	7	5.6	4.7	4.5	3.4	0	7	11	-3
Above 10	183	88.1	91.8	88.4	89.9	-	-	-	-

Importers of textiles, 2005

Value in US\$ billion; shares of world textiles imports, per cent; 2000-05 is the compound annual rate; other changes are against the year before.

Economy	Value 2005	Share in world imports				Annual percentage change			
		1990	1995	2000	2005	2000-05	2003	2004	2005
European Union	63	42.7	34.0	29.7	29.2	5	16	11	-1
<i>Extra-EU</i>	21	...	...	9.6	9.8	6	16	13	3
United States of America	23	6.2	6.7	9.2	10.5	8	8	13	9
China	16	4.9	7.0	7.8	7.2	4	9	8	1
Hong Kong, China	14	9.4	10.8	8.3	6.4	0	7	9	-2
United Kingdom	8	6.5	4.6	4.4	3.5	1	6	13	-7
Mexico	6	0.9	1.1	3.5	2.8	1	-2	5	5
Japan	6	3.8	3.8	3.0	2.7	3	11	11	4
Türkiye	4	0.5	1.2	1.3	2.1	16	21	21	6
Canada	4	2.2	2.0	2.5	2.0	1	1	7	5
Korea, Republic of	4	1.8	2.5	2.0	1.6	1	-3	8	5
Above 10	146	72.5	69.1	71.6	68.1	-	-	-	-

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- Economies ranked in 2005: 139 exporters, 144 importers.
- "Above 10" is the sum of the ten ranked economies. "..." means not available.
- In the "Above 10" shares for years before 2000, the United Kingdom is counted once, as part of the added-up EU, not a second time on its own.
- Shares are of world textiles exports or imports. 2000-05 is the compound annual rate of change.
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- Source: WTO Timeseries, indicators ITS_MTV_AX and ITS_MTV_AM, product MATE (SITC 65), via WTO Timeseries API v1 (api.wto.org).

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TOP EXPORTER European Union 29.3% of world	TOP IMPORTER European Union 37.4% of world	INDIA No. 5 exporter 3.1% of world, US\$ 8.7 bn	ECONOMIES RANKED 141 / 144 exporters / importers, 2005
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Exporters of clothing, 2005

Value in US\$ billion; shares of world clothing exports, per cent; 2000-05 is the compound annual rate; other changes are against the year before.

Economy	Value 2005	Share in world exports				Annual percentage change			
		1990	1995	2000	2005	2000-05	2003	2004	2005
European Union	81	35.1	30.6	26.4	29.3	9	19	13	3
<i>Extra-EU</i>	24	...	...	8.1	8.6	8	14	11	4
China	74	8.9	15.2	18.2	26.6	16	26	19	20
Hong Kong, China	27	14.2	13.4	12.2	9.8	2	3	8	9
Türkiye	12	3.1	3.9	3.3	4.2	13	24	12	6
India	9	2.3	2.6	3.0	3.1	8	8	10	26
Mexico	7	0.5	1.7	4.4	2.6	-3	-6	2	-2
Bangladesh	7	0.6	1.2	2.6	2.5	6	17	11	9
United States of America	5	2.4	4.2	4.4	1.8	-10	-8	-8	-1
United Kingdom	5	2.8	2.7	2.1	1.8	4	18	15	-3
Indonesia	5	1.5	2.1	2.4	1.8	1	5	6	16
Above 10	233	68.7	75.0	78.9	83.5	-	-	-	-

Importers of clothing, 2005

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Economy	Value 2005	Share in world imports				Annual percentage change			
		1990	1995	2000	2005	2000-05	2003	2004	2005
European Union	104	45.2	43.4	32.7	37.4	10	21	14	6
<i>Extra-EU</i>	54	...	...	16.4	19.4	10	22	16	10
United States of America	80	24.0	25.4	31.7	28.7	4	7	6	6
United Kingdom	24	6.2	4.9	7.5	8.7	10	14	14	6
Japan	23	7.8	11.5	9.7	8.1	3	11	11	4
Hong Kong, China	18	6.2	7.8	7.9	6.6	3	2	7	8
Canada	6	2.1	1.7	1.8	2.1	10	12	16	14
Switzerland	4	3.1	2.3	1.6	1.6	7	15	9	2
Australia	3	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.1	11	20	22	17
Korea, Republic of	3	0.1	0.7	0.6	1.0	17	13	8	6
Mexico	3	0.5	1.2	1.8	0.9	-7	-9	-15	-2
Above 10	269	89.6	94.7	96.1	96.2	-	-	-	-

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