PAKISTAN

Pakistan, officially the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, is a federal parliamentary republic in South Asia. It is the sixth-most populous country with a population.

Capital: Islamabad

Islamabad is the capital city of Pakistan located within the federal Islamabad Capital Territory. With a population of two million, it is the 10th largest city of Pakistan.

<u>Currency</u>: Pakistani rupee

Chamber of Commerce

Lahore Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Lahore

Financial Year	Exports from India	Imports to India	Total Trade	%age increase	Balance of Trade
2003-04	286.94	57.74	344.68	79.87	+229.2
2004-05	521.05	94.97	616.02	78.72	+426.08
2005-06	689.23	179.56	868.79	41.03	+454.23
2006-07	1,350.09	323.62	1,6373.71	92.64	+1,026.47
2007-08	1,950.53	287.97	2,238.50	85.23	+1,662.56
2008-09	1,440	370.17	1,810.17	7.52	+1,179.83
2009-10	1,573.32	275.94	1,849.26	2.1	+1,297.38
2010-11	2,039.53	332.52	2,372.05	28.27	+1,707.01
2011-12	1,541.28	397.66	1,939.21	-18.25	+1,140.37
2012-13	2,064.79	541.87	2,606.66	34.42	+1,523
2013-14	2,274.26	426.88	2,701.15	3.62	+1,847.38

Bilateral trade (in millions US\$)

2014-15	1,857.18	497.31	2,354.49	-12.83	+1,359.87
2015-16 (Till Feb'16)	1,964.65	407.75	2,372.40	0.76	+1556.90

(Source: Ministry of Commerce and Industry, GOI)

2. Main items of **export** from India to Pakistan are: cotton, organic chemicals, food products including prepared animal fodder, edible vegetables, plastic articles, man-made filament, coffee, tea, spices, dyes, oil seeds, dairy products, pharmaceuticals etc. Main items of **import** by India from Pakistan are: copper and copper articles, edible fruits and nuts, cotton, salt, sulphur and earths and stones, organic chemicals, mineral fuels, plastic products, wool, glassware, raw hides & skin etc.

India-Pakistan bilateral trade in 2013-14 touched a peak of US\$ 2.7 billion, before dropping marginally to US\$ 2.35 billion in 2014-15. In the same year, Indian exports to Pakistan were US\$ 1.85 billion and imports from Pakistan US\$ 490 million. [Trade through third countries is variously estimated at US\$ 3.5-4 billion]. Main items of export from India to Pakistan are: cotton, organic chemicals, machinery, food products including prepared animal fodder, vegetables, plastic articles, man-made filament, coffee, tea and spices, dyes, oil seeds and olea, etc. Main items of import by India from Pakistan are: copper and copper articles, fruits and nuts, cotton, salt, sulphur and earths and stones, organic chemicals, mineral fuels, rubber plastic products, wool, etc.

CLUSTERS:

Agro Food Processing Facilities, Multan

The main objective of the project is to provide processing facilities for pulp extraction of various fruits like Mango and Guava etc.

SME Subcontracting Exchange, Gujranwala

SME Subcontracting Exchange (SMX) aims at developing inter-firm linkages of small and medium sized manufacturers and vendors with large firms in the light engineering sector in Gujranwala

Revival of Hyderabad Leather Footwear Center, Hyderabad

The project aims at developing a skilled pool of human resources through offering various training programs in footwear for existing and aspiring workers in the sector. The project is supporting and facilitating the footwear manufacturing cluster

Glass Products Design & Manufacturing Center (GPDMC), Hyderabad

The project was established in collaboration with Sindh Small Industries Corporation, Government of Sindh in Hyderabad near the bangle manufacturing cluster. The project aims at imparting glass products manufacturing skills.