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TEXTILES AND APPAREL IMPORT REPORT

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The Office of Textiles and Apparel reported today that imports of cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blends, and non-cotton vegetable fiber textile and apparel products totaled 9,051.9 million square meter equivalents (MSME) in November 2021, an increase of 32.7 percent compared to November 2020. Imports of textiles were 6,543.4 MSME in November 2021, up 35.8 percent from November 2020. Imports of apparel were 2,508.5 MSME in November 2021, up 25.2 percent from November 2020.

Imports of textiles and apparel were 85,318.3 MSME for the year-to-date November 2021, an increase of 39.1 percent from year-to-date November 2020. Imports of textiles were 58,360.7 MSME for the year-to-date November 2021, an increase of 45.5 percent from the year-to-date November 2020. Apparel imports for the year-to-date November 2021 were 26,957.6 MSME, up 26.9 percent from the year-to-date November 2020.

**U.S. GENERAL IMPORTS OF COTTON, WOOL
MAN-MADE FIBER, SILK BLEND AND NON-COTTON
VEGETABLE FIBER TEXTILES AND APPAREL
DATA IN MILLION SME**

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November 2021

TOTAL (TEXTILE AND APPAREL IMPORTS)

| | | | |
|----|----|---|----------|
| 1. | a. | November Imports | 9,051.9 |
| | b. | Percent change: Same month, previous year | +32.7 |
| 2. | a. | Year-to-Date Imports | 85,318.3 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous calendar year..... | +39.1 |
| 3. | a. | Year Ending Imports | 91,622.6 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous year ending | +37.8 |

TEXTILE IMPORTS (YARN, FABRICS, MADE-UP AND MISC.)

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|----|----|---|----------|
| 1. | a. | November Imports | 6,543.4 |
| | b. | Percent change: Same month, previous year | +35.8 |
| 2. | a. | Year-to-Date Imports | 58,360.7 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous calendar year..... | +45.5 |
| 3. | a. | Year Ending Imports | 62,783.8 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous year ending | + 44.9 |

APPAREL IMPORTS

| | | | |
|----|----|---|----------|
| 1. | a. | November Imports | 2,508.5 |
| | b. | Percent change: Same month, previous year | +25.2 |
| 2. | a. | Year-to-Date Imports | 26,957.6 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous calendar year..... | +26.9 |
| 3. | a. | Year Ending Imports | 28,838.7 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous year ending | +24.6 |

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UNITED STATES GENERAL IMPORTS OF COTTON, WOOL, MAN-MADE FIBER,VEGETABLE FIBERS EXCEPT COTTON AND SILK BLEND TEXTILES

(MILLION SQUARE METERS EQUIVALENT)

| | Calendar Years | | | Nov. | | | Jan.-Nov. | | | YE-Nov. | | |
|-------------------|----------------|----------|--------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|----------|--------|
| | 2019 | 2020 | CHANGE | 2020 | 2021 | CHANGE | 2020 | 2021 | CHANGE | 2020 | 2021 | CHANGE |
| MULTIPLE FIBERS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 69,556.1 | 67,652.9 | -2.7 | 6,822.4 | 9,051.9 | 32.7 | 61,348.6 | 85,318.3 | 39.1 | 66,496.6 | 91,622.6 | 37.8 |
| YARN | 3,502.6 | 3,031.1 | -13.5 | 283.7 | 301.5 | 6.2 | 2,743.9 | 3,142.2 | 14.5 | 2,984.7 | 3,429.4 | 14.9 |
| FABRICS | 12,640.7 | 15,135.1 | 19.7 | 1,593.4 | 3,132.8 | 96.6 | 13,732.5 | 25,472.4 | 85.5 | 14,694.6 | 26,875.0 | 82.9 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 25,764.9 | 26,357.8 | 2.3 | 2,941.9 | 3,109.2 | 5.7 | 23,624.6 | 29,746.1 | 25.9 | 25,663.4 | 32,479.4 | 26.6 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 41,908.2 | 44,524.0 | 6.2 | 4,819.0 | 6,543.4 | 35.8 | 40,100.9 | 58,360.7 | 45.5 | 43,342.7 | 62,783.8 | 44.9 |
| APPAREL | 27,647.9 | 23,128.8 | -16.3 | 2,003.3 | 2,508.5 | 25.2 | 21,247.7 | 26,957.6 | 26.9 | 23,153.9 | 28,838.7 | 24.6 |
| Top Ten | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| China | 32,670.5 | 31,488.6 | -3.6 | 3,478.1 | 3,696.2 | 6.3 | 28,408.3 | 35,913.9 | 26.4 | 30,762.7 | 38,994.3 | 26.8 |
| India | 6,072.1 | 6,142.4 | 1.2 | 644.8 | 818.0 | 26.9 | 5,518.9 | 8,147.5 | 47.6 | 5,967.1 | 8,771.1 | 47.0 |
| Vietnam | 5,352.1 | 5,086.5 | -5.0 | 468.2 | 485.0 | 3.6 | 4,676.0 | 5,860.6 | 25.3 | 5,072.4 | 6,271.1 | 23.6 |
| Pakistan | 2,791.0 | 2,839.5 | 1.7 | 284.7 | 312.5 | 9.8 | 2,560.5 | 3,163.4 | 23.5 | 2,803.2 | 3,442.4 | 22.8 |
| Mexico | 2,560.3 | 2,523.0 | -1.5 | 221.2 | 376.2 | 70.0 | 2,314.6 | 2,958.0 | 27.8 | 2,498.5 | 3,166.3 | 26.7 |
| Bangladesh | 2,318.2 | 2,243.3 | -3.2 | 179.0 | 261.8 | 46.3 | 2,054.6 | 2,791.9 | 35.9 | 2,215.3 | 2,980.6 | 34.5 |
| Turkey | 992.7 | 1,186.2 | 19.5 | 113.1 | 340.5 | 201.1 | 1,062.1 | 2,707.6 | 154.9 | 1,144.0 | 2,831.7 | 147.5 |
| Israel | 390.4 | 553.4 | 41.8 | 57.1 | 817.8 | 1331.6 | 499.5 | 2,072.1 | 314.8 | 530.1 | 2,126.0 | 301.0 |
| Egypt | 326.7 | 343.7 | 5.2 | 24.0 | 162.5 | 578.4 | 306.8 | 1,953.4 | 536.7 | 331.7 | 1,990.2 | 500.0 |
| Korea, South | 2,117.3 | 1,882.9 | -11.1 | 174.5 | 165.4 | -5.2 | 1,715.2 | 1,886.6 | 10.0 | 1,868.2 | 2,054.4 | 10.0 |

UNITED STATES GENERAL IMPORTS OF COTTON, WOOL, MAN-MADE FIBER,VEGETABLE FIBERS EXCEPT COTTON AND SILK BLEND TEXTILES

(MILLION SQUARE METERS EQUIVALENT)

| | Calendar Years | | | Nov. | | | Jan.-Nov. | | | YE-Nov. | | |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------|--------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|----------|--------|
| | 2019 | 2020 | CHANGE | 2020 | 2021 | CHANGE | 2020 | 2021 | CHANGE | 2020 | 2021 | CHANGE |
| COTTON | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 18,833.0 | 16,950.7 | -10.0 | 1,639.1 | 1,784.4 | 8.9 | 15,409.6 | 19,397.4 | 25.9 | 16,818.9 | 20,938.6 | 24.5 |
| YARN | 258.7 | 271.9 | 5.1 | 26.9 | 34.1 | 26.5 | 253.5 | 334.7 | 32.0 | 272.1 | 353.1 | 29.8 |
| FABRICS | 1,470.8 | 1,847.0 | 25.6 | 196.5 | 167.4 | -14.8 | 1,693.3 | 1,705.0 | 0.7 | 1,821.7 | 1,858.6 | 2.0 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 5,883.7 | 5,493.7 | -6.6 | 564.0 | 569.8 | 1.0 | 4,948.8 | 6,085.4 | 23.0 | 5,410.4 | 6,630.3 | 22.5 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 7,613.2 | 7,612.6 | -0.0 | 787.4 | 771.3 | -2.1 | 6,895.6 | 8,125.1 | 17.8 | 7,504.2 | 8,842.0 | 17.8 |
| APPAREL | 11,219.8 | 9,338.1 | -16.8 | 851.7 | 1,013.1 | 19.0 | 8,513.9 | 11,272.4 | 32.4 | 9,314.7 | 12,096.6 | 29.9 |
| WOOL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 236.3 | 161.5 | -31.6 | 14.4 | 19.9 | 38.4 | 149.6 | 189.6 | 26.8 | 163.8 | 201.6 | 23.1 |
| YARN | 23.1 | 17.7 | -23.4 | 1.4 | 2.4 | 70.9 | 15.8 | 23.6 | 48.9 | 17.5 | 25.4 | 45.1 |
| FABRICS | 16.6 | 12.5 | -24.6 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 10.0 | 11.3 | 12.4 | 10.6 | 12.5 | 13.7 | 9.4 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 32.0 | 26.9 | -15.8 | 2.7 | 3.0 | 10.5 | 23.9 | 33.4 | 39.9 | 26.6 | 36.5 | 37.1 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 71.6 | 57.1 | -20.3 | 5.2 | 6.6 | 26.9 | 51.0 | 69.4 | 36.3 | 56.6 | 75.6 | 33.5 |
| APPAREL | 164.6 | 104.4 | -36.6 | 9.2 | 13.3 | 44.9 | 98.6 | 120.2 | 21.9 | 107.1 | 126.0 | 17.6 |
| MAN-MADE-FIBER | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 49,330.9 | 49,368.5 | 0.1 | 5,066.8 | 7,113.3 | 40.4 | 44,715.0 | 64,427.7 | 44.1 | 48,358.5 | 69,081.2 | 42.9 |
| YARN | 3,217.2 | 2,736.7 | -14.9 | 255.2 | 264.4 | 3.6 | 2,470.3 | 2,778.7 | 12.5 | 2,690.7 | 3,045.2 | 13.2 |
| FABRICS | 11,128.5 | 13,250.7 | 19.1 | 1,392.8 | 2,961.0 | 112.6 | 12,006.2 | 23,729.7 | 97.6 | 12,836.0 | 24,974.1 | 94.6 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 19,088.5 | 20,061.5 | 5.1 | 2,301.0 | 2,436.9 | 5.9 | 17,949.1 | 22,751.9 | 26.8 | 19,467.1 | 24,864.3 | 27.7 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 33,434.1 | 36,048.9 | 7.8 | 3,949.0 | 5,662.3 | 43.4 | 32,425.6 | 49,260.3 | 51.9 | 34,993.8 | 52,883.6 | 51.1 |
| APPAREL | 15,896.8 | 13,319.6 | -16.2 | 1,117.8 | 1,451.0 | 29.8 | 12,289.3 | 15,167.4 | 23.4 | 13,364.8 | 16,197.6 | 21.2 |
| VEG FB EX COT & SLK B | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 1,156.0 | 1,172.2 | 1.4 | 102.0 | 134.3 | 31.6 | 1,074.5 | 1,303.5 | 21.3 | 1,155.4 | 1,401.2 | 21.3 |
| YARN | 3.7 | 4.8 | 30.7 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 168.0 | 4.3 | 5.2 | 21.2 | 4.4 | 5.7 | 28.4 |
| FABRICS | 24.8 | 25.0 | 0.6 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 2.1 | 21.6 | 25.3 | 16.7 | 24.4 | 28.6 | 17.4 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 760.8 | 775.7 | 2.0 | 74.1 | 99.5 | 34.2 | 702.8 | 875.4 | 24.6 | 759.3 | 948.4 | 24.9 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 789.2 | 805.5 | 2.1 | 77.4 | 103.2 | 33.3 | 728.7 | 905.8 | 24.3 | 788.1 | 982.6 | 24.7 |
| APPAREL | 366.8 | 366.7 | -0.0 | 24.6 | 31.1 | 26.1 | 345.8 | 397.7 | 15.0 | 367.3 | 418.6 | 14.0 |