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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 6,717.6 million square meter equivalents (MSME) in January 2024, a decline of 1.4 percent compared to January 2023. Imports of textiles were 4,725.5 MSME in January 2024, up 1.5 percent from January 2023. Imports of apparel were 1,992.1 MSME in January 2024, down 7.6 percent from January 2023.

Imports of textiles and apparel were 92,681.9 MSME for the year ending January 2024, a decline of 10.9 percent from year ending January 2023. Imports of textiles were 68,510.1 MSME for the year ending January 2024, down 6.6 percent from the year ending January 2023. Apparel imports for the year ending January 2024 were 24,171.8 MSME, down 21.0 percent from the year ending January 2023.

Note to our trade data users and recipients of the press release: the Office of Textiles and Apparel is pleased to announce the launch of new and modernized trade data applications/tools, [OTEXA TRADE DATA PAGE](#). Thanks to new and upgraded trade data tools, it's now easier than ever to view and analyze our regularly published trade data. The PPE tools include interactive pie charts and graphs which make it easy to visualize data and explore trends. Interactive reports enable customizable data by category, country, and more. In addition, you can still look at raw data in tables as you used to, but now you can export all data to an Excel spreadsheet. If you have questions, contact the [OTEXA Data Team](#). For help navigating the trade data tools, see the [User Guide](#).

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

JANUARY 2024

TOTAL (TEXTILE AND APPAREL IMPORTS)

| | | | |
|----|----|---|----------|
| 1. | a. | January Imports | 6,717.6 |
| | b. | Percent change: Same month, previous year | - 1.4 |
| 2. | a. | Year Ending Imports | 92,681.9 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous year ending | - 10.9 |

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

| | | | |
|----|----|---|----------|
| 1. | a. | January Imports | 4,725.5 |
| | b. | Percent change: Same month, previous year | + 1.5 |
| 2. | a. | Year Ending Imports | 68,510.1 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous year ending | - 6.6 |

APPAREL IMPORTS

| | | | |
|----|----|---|----------|
| 1. | a. | January Imports | 1,992.1 |
| | b. | Percent change: Same month, previous year | - 7.6 |
| 2. | a. | Year Ending Imports | 24,171.8 |
| | b. | Percent change: Previous year ending | - 21.0 |

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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 | | | Jan. | | | Jan.-Jan. | | | YE-Jan. | | |
|------------------------|----------------|----------|--------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|---------|--------|-----------|----------|--------|
| | 2022 | 2023 | CHANGE | 2023 | 2024 | CHANGE | 2023 | 2024 | CHANGE | 2023 | 2024 | CHANGE |
| MULTIPLE FIBERS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 105,764.0 | 92,774.9 | -12.3 | 6,810.7 | 6,717.6 | -1.4 | 6,810.7 | 6,717.6 | -1.4 | 103,973.7 | 92,681.9 | -10.9 |
| YARN | 3,583.4 | 3,016.3 | -15.8 | 287.2 | 257.6 | -10.3 | 287.2 | 257.6 | -10.3 | 3,570.5 | 2,986.7 | -16.4 |
| FABRICS | 42,899.9 | 39,393.9 | -8.2 | 2,375.5 | 2,310.3 | -2.7 | 2,375.5 | 2,310.3 | -2.7 | 42,081.7 | 39,328.8 | -6.5 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 28,216.0 | 26,029.8 | -7.7 | 1,992.8 | 2,157.6 | 8.3 | 1,992.8 | 2,157.6 | 8.3 | 27,712.8 | 26,194.6 | -5.5 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 74,699.3 | 68,440.0 | -8.4 | 4,655.5 | 4,725.5 | 1.5 | 4,655.5 | 4,725.5 | 1.5 | 73,365.0 | 68,510.1 | -6.6 |
| APPAREL | 31,064.7 | 24,334.9 | -21.7 | 2,155.2 | 1,992.1 | -7.6 | 2,155.2 | 1,992.1 | -7.6 | 30,608.8 | 24,171.8 | -21.0 |
| Top Ten | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| China | 35,188.4 | 30,657.9 | -12.9 | 2,276.0 | 2,729.8 | 19.9 | 2,276.0 | 2,729.8 | 19.9 | 34,342.6 | 31,111.7 | -9.4 |
| India | 10,008.7 | 8,759.4 | -12.5 | 697.8 | 668.3 | -4.2 | 697.8 | 668.3 | -4.2 | 9,823.3 | 8,729.9 | -11.1 |
| Vietnam | 7,139.9 | 5,695.2 | -20.2 | 504.2 | 486.5 | -3.5 | 504.2 | 486.5 | -3.5 | 7,101.9 | 5,677.5 | -20.1 |
| Egypt | 3,289.5 | 4,528.7 | 37.7 | 53.8 | 325.8 | 505.2 | 53.8 | 325.8 | 505.2 | 3,085.7 | 4,800.6 | 55.6 |
| Turkey | 7,569.9 | 5,300.8 | -30.0 | 485.9 | 314.2 | -35.3 | 485.9 | 314.2 | -35.3 | 7,600.4 | 5,129.0 | -32.5 |
| Malaysia | 4,135.9 | 5,217.0 | 26.1 | 396.9 | 287.3 | -27.6 | 396.9 | 287.3 | -27.6 | 4,466.3 | 5,107.4 | 14.4 |
| Pakistan | 3,459.7 | 3,092.6 | -10.6 | 297.4 | 233.3 | -21.5 | 297.4 | 233.3 | -21.5 | 3,441.2 | 3,028.6 | -12.0 |
| Bangladesh | 3,627.3 | 2,534.7 | -30.1 | 297.0 | 191.2 | -35.6 | 297.0 | 191.2 | -35.6 | 3,601.7 | 2,428.8 | -32.6 |
| Mexico | 4,315.7 | 6,220.4 | 44.1 | 297.7 | 181.2 | -39.1 | 297.7 | 181.2 | -39.1 | 4,351.5 | 6,103.9 | 40.3 |
| Czech Republic | 2,369.5 | 2,449.6 | 3.4 | 88.0 | 133.2 | 51.4 | 88.0 | 133.2 | 51.4 | 2,075.4 | 2,494.9 | 20.2 |

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

(MILLION SQUARE METERS EQUIVALENT)

| | Calendar Years | | | Jan. | | | Jan.-Jan. | | | YE-Jan. | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|----------|--------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|---------|--------|----------|----------|--------|
| | 2022 | 2023 | CHANGE | 2023 | 2024 | CHANGE | 2023 | 2024 | CHANGE | 2023 | 2024 | CHANGE |
| COTTON | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 20,275.2 | 15,867.3 | -21.7 | 1,389.6 | 1,294.6 | -6.8 | 1,389.6 | 1,294.6 | -6.8 | 19,840.4 | 15,772.3 | -20.5 |
| YARN | 337.1 | 256.9 | -23.8 | 22.4 | 20.5 | -8.8 | 22.4 | 20.5 | -8.8 | 324.4 | 254.9 | -21.4 |
| FABRICS | 1,717.0 | 1,203.8 | -29.9 | 95.6 | 101.2 | 5.8 | 95.6 | 101.2 | 5.8 | 1,662.3 | 1,209.3 | -27.3 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 5,845.9 | 5,204.5 | -11.0 | 451.8 | 425.0 | -5.9 | 451.8 | 425.0 | -5.9 | 5,740.7 | 5,177.8 | -9.8 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 7,900.0 | 6,665.2 | -15.6 | 569.9 | 546.6 | -4.1 | 569.9 | 546.6 | -4.1 | 7,727.4 | 6,642.0 | -14.0 |
| APPAREL | 12,375.2 | 9,202.1 | -25.6 | 819.8 | 747.9 | -8.8 | 819.8 | 747.9 | -8.8 | 12,113.0 | 9,130.3 | -24.6 |
| WOOL | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 249.3 | 209.0 | -16.2 | 15.4 | 12.2 | -20.7 | 15.4 | 12.2 | -20.7 | 249.0 | 205.8 | -17.4 |
| YARN | 25.6 | 20.4 | -20.4 | 2.0 | 1.4 | -26.7 | 2.0 | 1.4 | -26.7 | 25.6 | 19.9 | -22.3 |
| FABRICS | 14.6 | 13.6 | -6.8 | 1.2 | 0.9 | -28.5 | 1.2 | 0.9 | -28.5 | 14.8 | 13.3 | -10.4 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 38.3 | 33.4 | -12.8 | 2.9 | 2.6 | -12.5 | 2.9 | 2.6 | -12.5 | 38.0 | 33.0 | -13.1 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 78.6 | 67.4 | -14.2 | 6.1 | 4.9 | -20.2 | 6.1 | 4.9 | -20.2 | 78.4 | 66.2 | -15.6 |
| APPAREL | 170.7 | 141.5 | -17.1 | 9.2 | 7.3 | -21.0 | 9.2 | 7.3 | -21.0 | 170.6 | 139.6 | -18.2 |
| MAN-MADE-FIBER | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 83,524.7 | 74,870.3 | -10.4 | 5,250.8 | 5,214.6 | -0.7 | 5,250.8 | 5,214.6 | -0.7 | 82,173.3 | 74,834.1 | -8.9 |
| YARN | 3,216.4 | 2,735.9 | -14.9 | 262.6 | 235.6 | -10.3 | 262.6 | 235.6 | -10.3 | 3,216.5 | 2,708.9 | -15.8 |
| FABRICS | 41,145.3 | 38,158.9 | -7.3 | 2,276.5 | 2,206.6 | -3.1 | 2,276.5 | 2,206.6 | -3.1 | 40,381.7 | 38,089.0 | -5.7 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 21,231.4 | 19,624.8 | -7.6 | 1,448.1 | 1,608.1 | 11.1 | 1,448.1 | 1,608.1 | 11.1 | 20,855.7 | 19,784.9 | -5.1 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 65,593.1 | 60,519.7 | -7.7 | 3,987.2 | 4,050.4 | 1.6 | 3,987.2 | 4,050.4 | 1.6 | 64,454.0 | 60,582.8 | -6.0 |
| APPAREL | 17,931.7 | 14,350.6 | -20.0 | 1,263.6 | 1,164.2 | -7.9 | 1,263.6 | 1,164.2 | -7.9 | 17,719.4 | 14,251.3 | -19.6 |
| VEG FB EX COT & SLK B | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL TRADE | 1,714.7 | 1,828.3 | 6.6 | 154.9 | 196.3 | 26.7 | 154.9 | 196.3 | 26.7 | 1,710.9 | 1,869.7 | 9.3 |
| YARN | 4.3 | 3.1 | -27.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -46.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 | -46.4 | 4.1 | 3.0 | -26.4 |
| FABRICS | 23.0 | 17.6 | -23.5 | 2.1 | 1.7 | -19.9 | 2.1 | 1.7 | -19.9 | 22.8 | 17.2 | -24.7 |
| MADE-UP AND MISC | 1,100.3 | 1,167.0 | 6.1 | 90.0 | 121.8 | 35.4 | 90.0 | 121.8 | 35.4 | 1,078.3 | 1,198.9 | 11.2 |
| NON-APPAREL TOTAL | 1,127.6 | 1,187.7 | 5.3 | 92.2 | 123.6 | 34.0 | 92.2 | 123.6 | 34.0 | 1,105.2 | 1,219.1 | 10.3 |
| APPAREL | 587.1 | 640.6 | 9.1 | 62.6 | 72.7 | 16.1 | 62.6 | 72.7 | 16.1 | 605.7 | 650.6 | 7.4 |