

India-Guyana Trade Brief

Agriculture & Allied Trade between India and Guyana

1. **Exports:** In the year 2021-22, India's total export of agricultural and allied commodities to Guyana was of the order of US \$ 1.75 million, approximately 12 % lower than the previous year. (Table -1)
 - a) **Major Exports:**Spices, Cereal Preparations, Ayush and Herbal Products, Processed Fruits and Juices,Misc Processed Itemsetc.
 - b) **Minor Exports:**Rice –Basmati, Cocoa Products,Castor Oiletc.
2. **Potential Items of Export:**
 - a. **New Items:**Wheat and meslin (excluding seed for sowing, and durum wheat), Maize seed for sowing, Maize (excluding seed for sowing),Oilcake and other solid residues, whether or not ground or in the form of pelletsetc. (Table -3)
3. **Imports:** In the year 2021-22, India's total import of agricultural and allied commodities from **Guyana** was Nil. (Table -2)

Table 1- India's top Agri and Allied Export to Guyana

(Value in USD million)

S. No.	Commodity	2020-21	2021-22	Growth (%)
1	SPICES	0.68	0.93	37.02
2	CEREAL PREPARATIONS	0.33	0.28	-16.36
3	AYUSH AND HERBAL PRODUCTS	0.11	0.15	30.04
4	PROCESSED FRUITS AND JUICES	0.44	0.12	-72.48
5	MISC PROCESSED ITEMS	0.20	0.08	-57.63
6	GUERGAM MEAL	0.02	0.07	171.57
7	FRESH FRUITS	0.07	0.06	-3.47
8	RICE -BASMOTI	0.00	0.03	635.37
	India's Agri and allied export to Guyana	2.00	1.75	-12.22

Source: Department of Commerce

4. Potential agriculture items of India's export to Guyana

a. New Items Methodology

- Items in which Guyana's imports of agricultural items from India were negligible during 2021.
- The global import of Guyana in these tariff lines and global exports of these commodities by India is over US \$ 5 million.
- Guyana may explore the possibility of sourcing these agricultural items from India. Sanitary Phyto-sanitary (SPS) and other requirements in respect of these products may be sought from Guyana.

b. Existing Items Methodology

- To arrive at the potential items in existing agricultural items, share of India's exports in Guyana's import along with share of India's exports to Guyanaviz-a viz world has been studied.

Table 3: India's potential in New agricultural items for exports to Guyana

Unit: US\$ million

Product code	Product label	India's exports to Guyana		Guyana 's imports from world		India's exports to world	
		Value in 2020	Value in 2021	Value in 2020	Value in 2021	Value in 2020	Value in 2021
'070190	Fresh or chilled potatoes (excluding seed)	0.00	0.00	3.28	3.23	70.75	70.57
'070310	Fresh or chilled onions and shallots	0.00	0.00	2.14	2.16	346.64	449.46
'070320	Garlic, fresh or chilled	0.00	0.00	3.69	3.46	5.07	3.20
'071310	"Dried, shelled peas ""Pisumsativum"" , whether or not skinned or split"	0.00	0.00	1.43	1.64	3.95	12.04
'071320	"Dried, shelled chickpeas ""garbanzos"" , whether or not skinned or split"	0.07	0.00	1.56	2.22	140.66	89.10
'071339	"Dried, shelled beans ""Vigna and Phaseolus"" , whether or not skinned or split"	0.00	0.00	1.02	1.29	14.30	5.53
'080610	Fresh grapes	0.00	0.00	0.95	1.27	286.12	323.52
'080810	Fresh apples	0.00	0.00	1.15	1.70	14.07	14.35
'100199	Wheat and meslin (excluding seed for sowing, and durum wheat)	0.00	0.00	11.07	22.52	241.89	1720.56
'100510	Maize seed for sowing	0.00	0.00	6.34	18.19	36.44	53.08
'100590	Maize (excluding seed for sowing)	0.00	0.00	5.08	4.00	352.84	882.53
'120810	Soya bean flour and meal	0.00	0.00	12.67	18.97	17.45	13.49
'230400	Oilcake and other solid residues, whether or not ground or in the form of pellets	0.00	0.00	3.04	5.39	701.36	900.82

Note: International Trade Centre, Trade Map did not identify any existing potential agricultural item for seeking market access with Guyana.