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# AECCI UPCOMING EVENTS & SEMINARS

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DIVISION PROUDLY  
PRESENTS CAPTIVATING  
WORKSHOP

October - 2023

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10:00AM-4.00PM

TRADE IN  
RUPEE WITH  
RUSSIA



10:00AM-4.00PM

HOW TO FIND  
INTERNATIONAL  
BUYERS



10:00AM-4.00PM

CROSS BORDER  
TRADE  
DOCUMENTATION



10:00AM-4.00PM

LATEST UPDATE  
AND IMPACT OF  
GST ON EXPORTS /  
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## INDIA'S RUSSIA OIL BUYING SPREE GOES ON EVEN AS PRICES RISE

Indian buyers, key consumers of cheap Urals crude since the invasion of Ukraine, have no plans to turn away from Moscow even as the discount to global benchmarks narrows, arguing Russian barrels remain among their most affordable options.

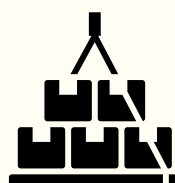
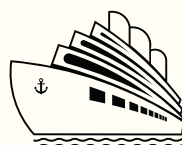
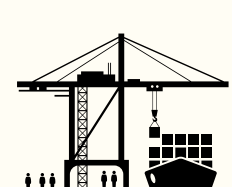
India's consumption of Russian crude has soared since last year, with the country becoming a leading supplier, ousting Saudi Arabia and Iraq from the top spots. Much of that has been driven by price — and by Prime Minister Narendra Modi's efforts to control energy inflation — but that

dynamic is changing. Earlier this year, the gap between Russian crude and the Dubai benchmark stood at around \$20 on a delivered basis. Today, the discounts offered for Urals cargoes are closer to \$8.

Pricing data from Argus Media Ltd. puts Urals crude delivered to the west coast of India close to \$83 a barrel on Aug. 10, compared with about \$70 a month earlier.

Still, officials at four major refiners in India said they would continue purchasing Russia's flagship Urals blend, arguing similar-quality barrels from the Middle East remain significantly more expensive. They asked not to be identified as the information is private.

Source : Mint







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# INDIA DOMINATES VIETNAM'S FIBRE EXPORTS WITH 32% SHARE

The textile and apparel (T&A) exports constitute about 15% of Vietnam’s exports turnover. T&A exports of Vietnam earned US\$ 39.4 bn. in 2019, while growing at a CAGR of 10% from US\$ 27.3 bn. in 2015. While Vietnam’s exports have seen a stable growth, the imports of T&A commodities have also grown at a significant pace.

Vietnam’s T&A imports in 2015 were worth US\$ 15.4 bn, which has grown since at a CAGR of 8% to reach US\$ 20.8 bn in 2019. This signifies that Vietnam mostly relies on imports for conversation of textile and apparel domestically. These large imports of textile raw materials are attractive

for textile producing countries like India and China.

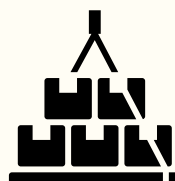
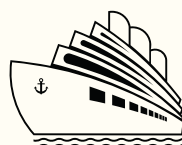
China is the largest supplier of T&A products to Vietnam with exports worth US\$ 10.7 bn, accounting for 51% of Vietnam’s total T&A imports. South Korea and Taiwan are the second and the third largest suppliers with a share of 13% and 11%, respectively.

Man-made (MMF) textiles dominates the T&A imports of Vietnam’s with a ~46% share and is followed by cotton textiles (28%), other textiles (which includes home textiles and other textile material not comprised of Cotton or MMF), apparel (2%), and carpets (1%).

Raw cotton fibre, dyed woven synthetic fabrics, knitted cotton fabrics.



Source : KNN News



# HEADLINES

## LATEST HEADLINES OF THE DAY



- The introduction of these new services aligns with the National Strategy for Transport and Logistics Services, which aims to further cement Saudi Arabia's position as an international logistics center and a hub connecting three continents.

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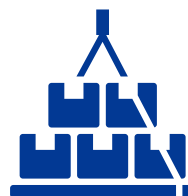
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- In the period from January to May 2023, India was the largest market for Vietnam's fibre exports, accounting for 32.20 per cent of total shipments.
- India imported fibre worth \$36.387 million from Vietnam, who was the eighth largest source.
- The two countries are looking to expand trade in textiles, with significant trade volumes in raw fibre, fabric, and yarn.
- Indian export curbs on parboiled and basmati rattle the world rice market. India's restrictions on rice exports have caused panic in the global market, with rice prices in Asia nearing a 15-year high.





# SAUDI PORTS AUTHORITY ADDS 20 NEW SHIPPING SERVICES IN H1

*Industry news*



In a bid to boost supply chains and consolidate its position as a global logistics center, Saudi Ports Authority added 20 new shipping services in the first half of 2023.

Also referred to as Mawani, the authority added these new shipping services across Jeddah Islamic Port, King Abdulaziz Port in Dammam and Jubail Commercial Port to link the

Kingdom with other global ports while facilitating trade and export, the Saudi Press Agency reported.

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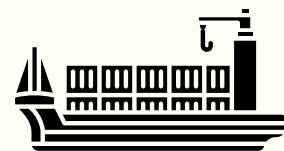
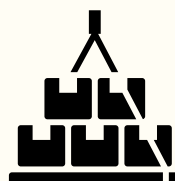
In terms of operational performance, the first half of 2023 witnessed an increase in the number of standard containers handled at the authority’s ports by 15.12 percent to reach 4.08 million, compared to 3.55 million in the same period last year. The number of transshipment containers also rose by 12.19 percent to reach 1.56 million compared to 1.39 million in the corresponding period of the previous year.

Ship traffic surged by 10.6 percent to reach 5,918 vessels, compared to 5,347 in the same period in 2022.

The ports also recorded 10.8 million tons of foodstuff, reflecting an increase of 9.82 percent compared to the 9.86 million tons in the same period a year ago.

Moreover, the number of cars reached 496,949, an increase of 26 percent, compared to 394,151 recorded in the first half of 2022.

**Source : Times Today**





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