

REPORTING PROFORMA FOR COMMERCIAL WINGS

(Data Source: Statistics Austria)

Name of the Mission (Country): Embassy of India, Vienna, AUSTRIA.

I. MONTHLY (NOVEMBER 2022) REPORT FOR AUSTRIA
(Data – JULY 2022)

1 \$ = Rs. 78.73 July 2022

1 € = Rs. 83.46 July 2022

A. Trade in goods

a) Total trade in goods during

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|---|---|--|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 7 | | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
|---|---|--|---|---|---|---|

| | Export (US\$ million) | Import (US\$ million) | Status (P) Provisional/ (F) Final |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Country's trade with India | 100.71 | 129.90 | |
| Country's total global trade | 16595.74 | 17459.94 | |

b) Preferential trade in goods during

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|

| S.No. | Preferential / Free Trade Agreement with India | Preferential Imports from India (US\$ million) | Preferential Imports from World (US\$ million) |
|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 | | | |
| 2 | | | |
| | | | |

NIL

| S.No. | Preferential / Free Trade Agreement with India | Preferential Exports to India (US\$ million) | Preferential Exports to World (US\$ million) |
|-------|--|--|--|
| 1 | | | |
| 2 | | | |
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NIL

c) Top 10 items of import from India during

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| 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|

| S.No. | Commodity | Value (US\$ million) | Quantity | Unit of Measurement | % Share in total import of the commodity |
|-------|---|----------------------|-------------|---------------------|--|
| 1. | 85; Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles | 15.70 | 1109537.00 | KG | 0.90 |
| 2. | 26; Ores, slag and ash | 12.59 | 44674992.00 | KG | 8.59 |
| 3. | 87; Vehicles other than railway or tramway rolling stock, and parts and accessories thereof | 12.16 | 610135.00 | KG | 0.78 |
| 4. | 62; Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, not knitted or crocheted | 10.04 | 156948.00 | KG | 4.48 |
| 5. | 64; Footwear, gaiters and the like; parts of such articles | 9.20 | 246140.00 | KG | 5.05 |
| 6. | 84; Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof | 9.10 | 704448.00 | KG | 0.43 |

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|-----|--|------|------------|----|------|
| 7. | 61; Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted | 7.15 | 200658.00 | KG | 2.54 |
| 8. | 72; Iron and steel | 6.57 | 1750097.00 | KG | 1.11 |
| 9. | 29; Organic chemicals | 6.47 | 325398.00 | KG | 1.61 |
| 10. | 40; Rubber and articles thereof | 3.68 | 686922.00 | KG | 2.19 |

d) Top 10 items of export to India during

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|

| S.No. | Commodity | Value (US\$ million) | Quantity | Unit |
|-------|---|----------------------|------------|------|
| 1. | 84; Nuclear reactors, boilers, machinery and mechanical appliances; parts thereof | 18.96 | 817625.00 | KG |
| 2. | 85; Electrical machinery and equipment and parts thereof; sound recorders and reproducers, television image and sound recorders and reproducers, and parts and accessories of such articles | 14.70 | 596904.00 | KG |
| 3. | 90; Optical, photographic, cinematographic, measuring, checking, precision, medical or surgical instruments and apparatus; parts and accessories thereof | 8.66 | 39412.00 | KG |
| 4. | 55; Man-made staple fibres | 6.93 | 2129019.00 | KG |
| 5. | 29; Organic chemicals | 4.80 | 459259.00 | KG |

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| 6. | 22; Beverages, spirits and vinegar | 4.07 | 2900065.00 | KG |
| 7. | 39; Plastics and articles thereof | 4.05 | 524164.00 | KG |
| 8. | 73; Articles of iron or steel | 3.50 | 774490.00 | KG |
| 9. | 86; Railway or tramway locomotives, rolling stock and parts thereof; railway or tramway track fixtures and fittings and parts thereof; mechanical (including electromechanical) traffic signalling equipment of all kinds | 3.27 | 147264.00 | KG |
| 10. | 69; Ceramic products | 3.26 | 1926216.00 | KG |

e) Potential products of imports from India- **July 2022** (India Export data from DGCIS/ Statistic Austria)

| S.No. | Commodity | Rationale (Max.200 words) |
|-------|---|--|
| 1. | 02; Meat and edible meat offal | Austria Import from the World – 89.20 million USD. India Export to the World- 237.44 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period. |
| 2. | 18; Cocoa and cocoa preparations | Austria Import from the World – 39.87 million USD. India Export to the World- 13.61 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period. |
| 3. | 24; Tobacco and manufactured tobacco substitutes | Austria Import from the World – 37.61 million USD. India Export to the World- 113.47 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period. |
| 4. | 51; Wool, fine or coarse animal hair; horsehair yarn and woven fabric | Austria Import from the World – 5.36 million USD. India Export to the World- 14.45 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period |
| 5. | 75; Nickel and articles thereof | Austria Import from the World – 42.57 million USD. India Export to the World- 9.89 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period |
| 6. | 78; Lead and articles thereof | Austria Import from the World – 5.81 million USD. India Export to the World- 26.24 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period. |
| 7. | 80; Tin and Articles thereof | Austria Import from the World – 8.49 million USD. India Export to the World- 1.90 million USD. |

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| | | India Export to Austria- Nil during this period |
| 8. | 88; Aircraft, spacecraft, and parts thereof | Austria Import from the World – 60.55 million USD. India Export to the World- 114.75 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period. |
| 9. | 89; Ships, boats and floating structures | Austria Import from the World – 8.46 million USD. India Export to the World- 634.72 million USD. India Export to Austria- Nil during this period. |

B. QUALITATIVE

1. Market Access Alerts (attach copy of notification):

Austria is a part of EU and follows the EU regulations on external trade. Latest updates on market access, custom tariffs, non- tariff measures, regulations can be assessed on the following links:

- **EU-Tariffs:** <https://madb.europa.eu/madb/euTariffs.htm>
- **Trade Tariffs:**
https://ec.europa.eu/taxation_customs/dds2/taric/taric_consultation.jsp?Lang=en
- **India trade portal:**
https://www.indiantradeportal.in/alerts_notified_spstbt.jsp
- **The EU has also set up a help desk for exporters willing to export their products into the EU. Answer to specific queries like EU Import duties, product requirement, import procedure, internal taxes etc. can be accessed on the following link:**
<https://trade.ec.europa.eu/tradehelp/>

a. Alerts on customs tariff changes: -

| S.No. | Notification no. and date | HS code | Description | Original customs tariff | Present customs tariff | Effective from | Remarks if any |
|-------|---------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 1. | | | | | | | |
| 2. | | | | | | | |

NIL

b. Alerts on non-tariff measures (SPS/TBT/ import and export procedures/ restrictions/ prohibitions, licensing/ STEs etc.)

| S. No | Notification no./ date | Measure | Details (including HS Codes) | Effective from | Remarks if any |
|-------|------------------------|---------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 1. | | | | | |
| 2. | | | | | |

NIL

- c. Alerts on standards, technical regulations and conformity assessment procedures:

| S.No. | Notification no./ date | Standard/ technical regulation/ conformity assessment procedure | HS Codes | Effective from | Remarks if any |
|-------|------------------------|---|----------|----------------|----------------|
| 1. | | | | | |
| 2. | | | | | |

NIL

- d. Alerts on trade defense measures taken by respective country:
(Safeguards including special safeguard, antidumping, CVD or anti- subsidy)

| S.No. | Notification no., date or other references | Type (initiation, final, prov., sunset, consultations, new shipper review) | Details of products/ sectors affected (including HS codes) | Effective from | Remarks if any |
|-------|--|--|--|----------------|----------------|
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NIL

- e. Alert on services, regulatory regime, qualification requirement, licensing procedures, visa regime, barriers etc.

| S.No. | Notification no., and date or other references | Sectors affected | Modes | Effective from | Remarks if any |
|-------|--|---------------------------|---|--|---|
| 1. | Barrier ID: 10709 SPS - Restrictions on imports of plants and plant products (alternatives to methyl bromide) - Slow and uncertain pre- | Agriculture and Fisheries | Treatments (e.g., methyl bromide, cold treatment) Plant health reasons | Active: Last update: 02 August 2022 | https://trade.ec.europa.eu/access-to-markets/en/barriers/details?barrier_id=10709&sps=true |

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| | shipments' process | | | | |
| 2. | Barrier ID: 17182 Quality Control Order for Man-made Fibres | Chemicals | Standards and Other technical requirements | Active; Last update: 26 Apr 2022 | https://trade.ec.europa.eu/access-to-markets/en/barriers/details?barrier_id=17182&sps=false |
| 3. | Barrier ID: 16842 Quality Control Orders on Footwear | Textiles and Leather | Standards and Other technical requirements | Active; Last update: 04 Feb 2022 | https://trade.ec.europa.eu/access-to-markets/en/barriers/details?barrier_id=16842&sps=false |
| 4. | Barrier ID: 16542 COVID-19 - related export restrictions on several products | Other Industries Covid-19 | Export prohibition and other quantitative restrictions | Active; Last update: 25 Feb 2022 | https://trade.ec.europa.eu/access-to-markets/en/barriers/details?barrier_id=16542&sps=false |
| 5. | Barrier ID: 16462 Request for GM-free certificate for certain agricultural crops import | Agriculture and Fisheries | Standards and Other technical requirements | Active; Last update 02 Feb 2022 | https://trade.ec.europa.eu/access-to-markets/en/barriers/details?barrier_id=16462&sps=false |
| 6. | Barrier ID: 16143 Licensing scheme for importing tyres | Automotive | Non-automatic import licensing | Active; Last update 07 Feb 2022 | https://trade.ec.europa.eu/access-to-markets/en/barriers/details?barrier_id=16143&sps=false |

2. Feedback

- a. Feedback from major Indian industries/other commercial concerns and Indian trade visitors to Austria.

| S.No. | Name of business house | Activity sector | Trade barrier issues if any (incl. HS codes) | General Feedback (Max.200 words) |
|-------|------------------------|-----------------|--|----------------------------------|
| 1. | | | | |
| 2. | | | | |

NIL

b. Feedback on major trade activities **including logistic events** (trade fairs/BSM including Indian participation) July 2022

| S.No. | Activity (trade fair, BSM etc.) | Date and venue | Number of participants from India | Name(s) of large/ key participants from India | Feedback received (Max.200 words) | Source of funding (MAI, TA/TC) |
|-------|---------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
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NIL

c. Feedback from local commercial visitors to trade fairs in India, including under BSM; number of Business Visas issued: (July 2022)

| S. No. | Activity (trade fair) | Date and venue | Number of participants from the relevant country | List of large/ key participants from the relevant country | Number of Business Visas issued (July 2022) | Feedback received (Max.200 words) |
|--------|-----------------------|----------------|--|---|---|-----------------------------------|
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3. Trade and Investment:

a. Significant trends in trade and investment

| S.No. | Category | Details of significant trends (Max.200 words) | Analysis (Max. 200 words) |
|-------|-------------------|--|---|
| 1. | Trade in Goods | The year-on-year rise in trade between India and Austria has shown an upward trend. In 2018 Austria- India bilateral trade stood at 2.08 billion USD whereas in 2019 it stood at 2.16 billion USD. | Due to the outbreak of COVID-19 Pandemic, the bilateral trade was also affected. In 2020, |
| 2. | Trade in Services | | |

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| | | <p>bilateral trade between India and Austria stood at 2.05 billion USD with a decrease of more than 5% from the previous year.</p> <p>2021, India's and Austria's bilateral trade stood at 2.47 billion USD. It was an increase of 20.48% from the previous year.</p> <p><i>Sources: Statistic Austria</i></p> |
| 3. | Investment | <p>The Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) from Austria to India has increased in the year 2021. According to the provisional data available for 2021 on the Austrian National Bank portal, Austria's investments to India was 830 million Euro. According to the revised data on the Austrian National Bank, in 2020 the Austrian direct investment in India was 742 million Euro.</p> <p>Comparing to 2020, there has been an increase of 11.85 % in FDI from Austria to India for the year 2021.</p> <p>The inward FDI from India to Austria has seen a major jump. According to the provisional data for 2021 available on the Austrian National Bank website, India's investment in Austria was 1145 million Euro in 2021. According to the revised data for 2020, FDI from India to Austria stood at 362 million Euro.</p> <p>Comparing to 2020, there has been an increase of 216.29 % in FDI from India to Austria for the year 2021.</p> <p><i>Source: Austrian National Bank (2020- revised data, 2021- provisional data as on Oct 2022)</i></p> |

b. Opportunities for investments/ assets on offer/major company divestment:

1.

| S.No. | Sector Name (List attached) | Particulars of the asset /company | Contact details |
|-------|--------------------------------|--|-----------------|
| 1. | Automotive Industry | <p>More information about the Automotive sector can be found on the following link:</p> <p>https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/automotive-industry/</p> | |

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| 2. | Chemical Industry | More information about the Chemical sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/chemical-industry/ |
| 3. | Data Center | More information about the Data Center can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/data-center/ |
| 4. | Electronics | More information about the Electronics sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/electronics/ |
| 5. | Environmental Technologies | More information about the Environmental Technologies sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/environmental-technologies/ |
| 6. | Digitalization | More information about the Digitalization sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/digitalization/ |
| 7. | Information and Communication Technology | More information about the Information and Communication Technology sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/information-technology/ |
| 8. | Life Sciences | More information about the Life Sciences sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/life-sciences/ |
| 9. | Logistics | More information about the logistics sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/logistics/ |
| 10. | Mechanical Engineering | More information about the Mechanical Engineering sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/mechanical-engineering/ |
| 11. | Tourism | More information about the Tourism sector can be found on the following link: https://investinaustria.at/en/sectors/tourism/ |

2. Furthermore, Advantage Austria, an initiative from the Federal Chamber of Commerce - Austria, maintains a list of current business opportunities that are either 'offered' or 'wanted' online at:
<https://www.advantageaustria.org/in/Oesterreich-in-Indien.en.html>

3. For Business opportunities in Austria please visit
<https://ted.europa.eu/TED/browse/browseByBO.do>

- c. Information on tender Notices for projects and procurements of interest to Indian project exporters/ suppliers (USD15 million & above)

| S.No. | Tender/ procurement notice No and date | Sector | Value of tender/ procurement |
|-------|---|--|------------------------------|
| 1. | In Austria, all public tenders are listed on the official website | http://www.bbg.gv.at/lieferanten/ausschreibungen/alle/ (The site is in German only) & https://www.usp.gv.at/en/foerderungenausschreibungen/vergabeverfahren/ausschreibungsdatenbanken-und-publikationsmedien.html | |
| 2. | Tender notices for opportunities in the public sector in Austria can be also accessed | http://ted.europa.eu/TED/browse/browseByBO.do (Please visit the website and select country- Austria, then select - Business opportunities- Design contest or Contract notice to see tender notices for public works in Austria) | |

- d. Trade Queries for Imports/ Exports (if not uploaded on the Indian trade portal)

INDIAN ENQUIRIES (July 2022)

| S. No | Enquiry originator | Product with HS Codes | Nature (Import / Export) | Value (US\$ million) | Action Taken (Max.200 words) |
|-------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|---|
| 1. | ANNEXURE-II | | | | Embassy has devised a detailed Performa for responding to trade inquiries. The detailed response is appreciated by most companies. |

4. Important India related statements of commercial significance by political leaders, think tanks, chambers, associations etc. / Significant stories/features on India related trade, investment, services and logistic sector, published in foreign journals/dailies, etc.:

- 1. iPhone manufacturer expands capacity in India**
<https://www.krone.at/2854349>

According to insiders, Apple supplier Foxconn wants to significantly expand its iPhone capacities in India in order to compensate for the production problems in China caused by lockdowns and the zero-Covid policy.

The Taiwan-based group plans to quadruple its workforce to 70,000 in two years at a plant it opened in India in 2019, two Indian government officials familiar with the matter said.

iPhone production suffers from corona measures

Apple recently had to agree with its customers that deliveries of the iPhone 14 model will be delayed due to the corona restrictions in China. Foxconn is responsible for 70 percent of iPhone production.

Most are manufactured at the plant in Zhengzhou, China, which employs around 200,000 people. However, there is currently only limited production there due to the corona lockdowns, and many employees fled the plant.

5. Details of trade research, information dissemination activity of the commercial wing (July 2022)

| S.No. | Nature of activity (trade research, information dissemination, seminars etc.) (Max.200 words) | Details of Seminar/ conference (date/ venue, no of participants) or research (Max.200 words) | Details of trade research (title of the report, executive summary, date of publication) (Max.200 words) |
|-------|---|--|--|
| 1. | Monthly Newsletter July 2022 | | Focus Sector- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Telecommunications • India@ World events • Offshore Wind Energy in India • Yoga workshops • India Business Portal • Embassy Events- Breakfast meeting hosted by the |

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| | | | <p>Guidance Tamil Nadu (TN) together with the Embassy of India, Vienna; Social innovation, A new field of cooperation between Austria and India.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Incredible India-Tourism. |
| 2. | Boiler India | 14- 16 September 2022 | |
| 3. | Khilona India Toys and Games fair | 26-28 August 2022 | |
| 4. | 8 th India International MSME Expo 2022 | 25-27 August 2022 | |
| 5. | India's international Water resources event | 1-5 November 2022 | |
| 6. | India ITME | 08-13 December 2022 | |

6. Details of activities conducted out of Trade promotion budget: (FY 2022-23)

| S.No. | BE for current financial year | BE for current financial year | Amount Utilized (INR) | Details of Activities |
|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 1. | Rs. 3,70,000.00 | Rs. 3,70,000.00 | Rs. 1,35,770.34 | Renewal of the Annual Subscription 2022 for Trade data received from the Statistic Austria. |
| 2. | Rs. 3,70,000.00 | Rs. 3,70,000.00 | Rs. 11,477.20 | Annual Membership fee for the Club for Trade delegates. |

7. Action taken on the previous JWG, Joint Commissions, Sub-Commissions etc. *_(issues that Mission had to follow up with host government):*

| S.No. | Detail of JWG/JEC with date and venue | Action Point (Max. 200 word) | Action Taken (Max. 200 words) |
|-------|--|--|---|
| 1 | 15th Session of the India-Austria Joint Economic Commission was held on 20th July 2017, in New Delhi, India. | <p>An operational level virtual meeting was held in between India and Austria in the month of September 2020. Due to the current situation of Covid 19, this step was taken and full JEC meeting would be scheduled once the COVID-19 situation subsides.</p> <p>During the meeting Austrian side proposed a new structure for holding JEC meeting. India's response to the proposal is awaited.</p> | <p>On 8th September 2022, the Indian side conveyed their proposal which has been shared with the Austrian side by the Mission.</p> <p>The Mission is following up with the request to commence the next India -Austria JEC in the 1st quarter of 2023 in Austria.</p> |

8. Complaints from foreign buyer/supplier on quality and trade dispute: (July 2022)

| Name of Foreign buyer/supplier | Address & contact details of foreign buyer/supplier | Name & address of Indian exporter/importer | Brief description of complaint | The authority to whom the matter was referred and the date on which the matter was referred. |
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NIL

9. Complaints of Indian exporter/importer: (July 2022)

| Name of Foreign buyer/supplier | Address & contact details of foreign buyer/supplier | Name & address of Indian exporter/importer | Brief description of complaint | The authority to whom the matter was referred and the date on which the matter was referred. |
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NIL**10. Any other issue of importance (July 2022)**

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| Social Innovation - A new field of cooperation between Austria & India? | 6th July 2022 | The Embassy of India together with the Austro- India Association organized a round table discussion on 6. July 2022 at the Embassy premises. The topic of the round table discussion was 'Social Innovation- new field of cooperation between Austria & India'. |
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