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## **Key Economic Indicators**

Forex Rates: 1US\$ = Rs. 71  
1 Euro = Rs. 79  
(As on 16.08.2019)

Forex Reserves: US \$ 430.6 billion  
(As on 20.09.2019)

NIFTY 11,108 (As on 20.09.2019)

SENSEX 37,591 (As on 20.09.2019)

## India's fuel demand rises 2.8% y/y in August, at 9-month low

India revised down its fuel consumption for July to 17.68 million tonnes, an increase of 3.9% from the previous year, its biggest year-on-year percentage gain since January. India's fuel demand rose 2.8% in August compared with the same month last year, but were at their lowest level in nine months. **Full [article](#)**

## Russian investors keen on Ladakh solar power project: Invest India

VLADIVOSTOK: Exploring business opportunities in India, Russian investors have shown interest in solar power programme in Ladakh, which was recently made a Union Territory and has a huge potential in this sector. **full [article](#)**

## India's solar energy addition dips 14 pc to 1.5 GW in June quarter

Solar installations in the country declined 14 per cent to 1,510 megawatts (MW) in the second quarter of 2019, compared to 1,761 MW in the previous quarter, according to a report by Mercom India Research on Thursday. **full [article](#)**

## India restores duty-free replenishment facility for jewellery exporters

NEW DELHI: The government has again permitted gold and silver jewellery exporters to replenish the precious metal duty free after selling it at international exhibitions, a move which would help in promoting growth of the sector. **full [article](#)**

## India, Uzbekistan explore joint economic projects ahead of SCO Summit

TNEW DELHI: Key Central Asian State Uzbekistan besides Kazakhstan has taken lead in inviting business delegation from the PM's home state of Gujarat to push joint economic projects ahead of Narendra Modi's visit to the region for the June 13-14 SCO Summit. **full [article](#)**

### Trade & Investment Inquiries from India

1	<b>Commander Vitrified Pvt. Ltd</b> <b>Email: <a href="mailto:shakti@creanza.in">shakti@creanza.in</a></b>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of ceramic tiles
2	<b>Rising Venture Services</b> <b>Mob: +91 7874493382</b> <b>Email: <a href="mailto:nishit@ceramixexpo.com">nishit@ceramixexpo.com</a></b>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Tiles
3	<b>Pragati Sales Corporation</b>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of

	<b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:info@pragatisales.com">info@pragatisales.com</a>	Mining machinery
4	<b>Sandeep Agarwal</b> Mob: +91 9999765048 Email: <a href="mailto:texoindia191@gmail.com">texoindia191@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of textile and garments
5	<b>IMS QUALITY CONTROL</b> Mob: +91-9227236110 Email: <a href="mailto:info@freshproduce.asia">info@freshproduce.asia</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of fresh onion, peeled onion
6	<b>London United Medimpex Pvt.Ltd</b> Mob: +91 20-26121565 Email: <a href="mailto:Exports.lumex@lumex.co.in">Exports.lumex@lumex.co.in</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Pharmaceutical Formulations.
7	<b>SHREEOSWAL PSYLLIUM EXPORTS INDIA LIMITED</b>  Mob: <b>+917423297006</b>  Email: <a href="mailto:Oswalgroups2002@gmail.com">Oswalgroups2002@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of pulses, oil seed, grains and pulses
8	<b>G.M. International Marketing</b>  Email: <a href="mailto:export@indiantoners.com">export@indiantoners.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Office Equipment, Photocopiers, Laser Printers
9	<b>TRIDENT INC</b>  Mob: +91-9673064629  Email: <a href="mailto:corporate@sathyamscale.com">corporate@sathyamscale.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Electronic Weighing Scales
10	<b>Arihant Traders</b>  Mob: +91-9979667722  Email: <a href="mailto:svj93531@gmail.com">svj93531@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of chainsaw, Lawn remover, Circular Saw

11	<b>Indranil Exports Corporation</b> Email: <a href="mailto:indranilexports@gmail.com">indranilexports@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of steel billets, ingots, sponge iron, plant & machinery, plants
12	<b>Macfil Industries</b> Email: <a href="mailto:autoridelhi@gmail.com">autoridelhi@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Air Filters, Oil Filters, Fuel Filters, Hydraulic Filters
13	<b>Heda Industries Pvt. Ltd.</b> Email: <a href="mailto:hedaindustriesexim@gmail.com">hedaindustriesexim@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Poly Vinyl Chloride (PVC) pipes
14	<b>SOINDJO INTERNATIONAL EXPORTER PVT LTD</b> Email: <a href="mailto:soindjointernational@gmail.com">soindjointernational@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of stationaries
15	<b>Octiva Ceramic</b> Email: <a href="mailto:shabbir.octiva@gmail.com">shabbir.octiva@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Exporter of Ceramic Tiles
16	<b>ALONZA INTERNATIONAL</b> Email: <a href="mailto:alonzaint@gmail.com">alonzaint@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of ceramic tiles
17	<b>Apis pharma</b> Email: <a href="mailto:apistrade21@gmail.com">apistrade21@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Pharmaceuticals
18	<b>RAJ CERAMIC TILES</b> Email: <a href="mailto:mmrajceramictiles52@gmail.com">mmrajceramictiles52@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of tiles
19	<b>Aarav Exim</b> Mob: +91-79-22202074 Email: <a href="mailto:aaravexim99@gmail.com">aaravexim99@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Automobiles
20	<b>Patel Global Exports</b> Mob: +(91)9925631591 Email: <a href="mailto:patelglobalexports@gmail.com">patelglobalexports@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of tea and coffee

21	<b>Deal Global Fashions Private Ltd</b> Email: <a href="mailto:rohan.d@dealjeans.com">rohan.d@dealjeans.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Tops, Dresses, Tees, Tunics, Jumpsuits, Skirts, Jeans etc
22	<b>Aarav Exim</b> Mob: +91-79-22202074 Email: <a href="mailto:aaravexim99@gmail.com">aaravexim99@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Automobiles
23	<b>Patel Global Exports</b> Mob: +(91)9925631591 Email: <a href="mailto:patelglobalexports@gmail.com">patelglobalexports@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of tea and coffee
24	<b>Allwin industries</b> Email: <a href="mailto:b.dave@allcabcable.com">b.dave@allcabcable.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of LT power and control cables
25	<b>AQWIN EXIM</b> Mob: +91 9898978717 Email: <a href="mailto:hardikmakasana712@gamil.com">hardikmakasana712@gamil.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of Ceramic Wall & Porcelain Floor tiles
26	<b>Haulihauli international</b> Mob: +(91)9789232016 Email: <a href="mailto:hihaulihauli@gmail.com">hihaulihauli@gmail.com</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of leather wallets, leather bags, leather footwear, leather goods, leather jackets.
27	<b>Hamilton Writing Instruments Pvt. Ltd</b> Mob: +(91)9930814133 Email: <a href="mailto:balkrishna.prabhu@hamiltonindia.in">balkrishna.prabhu@hamiltonindia.in</a>	<b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of stationery business, office supplies

28	<p><b>Hamilton Writing Instruments Pvt. Ltd</b></p> <p>Mob: +(91)9930814133</p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:balkrishna.prabhu@hamiltonindia.in">balkrishna.prabhu@hamiltonindia.in</a></p>	<p><b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of stationery business, office supplies</p>
29	<p><b>Ayatty Overseas Services LLP</b></p> <p>Email: <a href="mailto:nikhil@ayatty.com">nikhil@ayatty.com</a></p>	<p><b>Looking for:</b> Importers / dealers of PP woven sacks and bags</p>

### **Duty Free Tariff Preference Scheme (DFTP) of Government of India**

India announced the DFTP Scheme for Least Developed Countries (LDCs) in the year 2008. In order to expand trade with Africa, India amended its Duty Free Tariff Preference (DFTP) scheme to cover around 96 per cent of the tariff lines in April 2014. Only 1.8% tariff lines are under the exclusion list. Duty Free and Positive Lists cover about 98.2% of global exports of LDCs. Tanzania was the first LDC in Africa to convey its intention to join DFTP in June 2008. All formalities for the Scheme were completed and notified in 2009. Details of the DFTP Scheme are available on the following links:

i) [http://commerce.gov.in/trade/international\\_tpp\\_DFTP.pdf](http://commerce.gov.in/trade/international_tpp_DFTP.pdf)

ii) <http://www.cbec.gov.in/htdocs-cbec/customs/cs-act/notifications/notfns-2014/cs-tarr2014/cs08-2014>

iii) [www.focusafrica.gov.in\DFTP\\_Scheme.html](http://www.focusafrica.gov.in/DFTP_Scheme.html)

For further information on the DFTP Scheme kindly contact the High Commission of India at [www.hcindiatz.org](http://www.hcindiatz.org)

## **I. Forthcoming Events – India**

### **\*14th Agrochemical Exhibition in New Delhi on November 14 & 15, 2019**

ICSCE provides opportunity to meet Distributors, Exports hit record in FY19, surpass earlier FY14 peak Suppliers, R&D Executives, Technical Executives, Manufacturers, Consultants, Exporters, Importers, Agronomists, Research Institutions, Scientists, Traders, Journalists, Supply chain management & cooperatives, Supporters Ventures capitalists & Financial Representatives, Service providers, Farmers & dealers , Allied Chemicals & Packaging material suppliers, Seed companies, spraying and irrigation equipment manufacturers, plantation and horticultural producers, Manufacturers & Distributors of Biopesticides, Bio-fertilizers, Micronutrients, Key Government officialstangatradeair/, Policy Makers & Researchers, Industry Associations, Chamber of Commerce etc.

For more information please visit <https://www.pmfaiindia.org/>

### **\*Vibrant Goa Global Expo and Summit 17-19 October 2019 at Goa**

Vibrant Goa Global Expo And Summit 2019 (VG GES 2019) will be an ideal convergence for Goan industries and business community to showcase their strengths, highlight business opportunities and facilitate knowledge dissemination across 12 countries worldwide and 20 states of India. VG GES 2019 will provide a practical opportunity to its participants to understand the potential of Goa across various sectors.

For more information please visit <http://www.vibrantgoa.com/>

### **\*Africa Higher Education and Skill Development Summit during 26 - 27 August 2019**

Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) with the support of Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India will be organizing the India – “*Africa Higher Education and Skill Development Summit during 26 - 27 August 2019*” at New Delhi, India.

The summit will be a two-day event comprising a conference, an exclusive exhibition and one on one meeting opportunities with various stakeholders in the education and skill development sector. It will be the first of its kind platform in India specifically aimed at multi-level collaboration between India and identified African countries.

### **\*Ceramix 2019 - 21st to 24th November, India**

After the 2 extremely successful editions in 2016 & 2017 with a combined visitor foot fall of over 200,000 from India and 3000+ from all over the world constituting

over 100+ countries, we are coming up with the 3rd edition of it, rebranded as Ceramix Expo 2019 in Gujarat (India) from 21st to 24th November 2019.

**\*Sponsoring importers/buyers from the overseas to visit CAPINDIA 2019 scheduled to be held in Mumbai between December 2-4, 2019**

CAPINDIA is a joint initiative of PLEXCONCIL, CHEMEXCIL, CAPEXIL and SHEFEXIL which is poised to be one of the largest and unique networking events in the Plastics & Chemicals Sector under the aegis of Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Govt. of India.

5th Edition of CAPINDIA will be organized in Mumbai from December 2 – 4, 2019. The first four editions of CAPINDIA was a grand success with more than 400 Foreign Delegates from 38 countries and more than 7,000 trade visitors visiting the exhibition

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### **Websites for Economic and Business Opportunities on India**

- Interactive web-portal under the 'Make in India' programme:  
[www.makeinindia.gov.in](http://www.makeinindia.gov.in)
- Health Portal for medical services/treatment/opportunities in India:  
[www.healthcareportal.com](http://www.healthcareportal.com)
- Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI):  
<http://www.ficci.com>
- Confederation of Indian Industry (CII): [www.cionline.org](http://www.cionline.org)
- Directory of Indian Suppliers (CII): [www.indianindustry.com](http://www.indianindustry.com)
- Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT): <http://dgft.delhi.nic.in>
- India Trade Promotion Organization (ITPO):  
[www.indiatradefair.com](http://www.indiatradefair.com) ; <http://www.tradeportalofindia.com>
- Innovative Technology in Manufacturing: [www.itm-india.com](http://www.itm-india.com)
- Indian Exporters' Guide: [www.indianexporters.com](http://www.indianexporters.com)
- Export Promotion Organizations:



<http://tradeportalofindia.com/contentmgmt/Desktops2.html?compid=itpo&itemcode=I051>

- Federation of Indian Export Organizations (FIEO): <http://www.fieo.org>
- National Small Industries Corporation [NSIC]: <http://www.nsic.co.in>
- MMTC LIMITED - India's Largest International Trading Company:  
<http://mmtclimited.com>

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