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The Export Development Board (EDB), the apex body for promoting and developing the local export sector, came under spotlight at World Trade Promotions Awards 2022 (WTPO), as it bagged the runner-up title for inclusive and sustainable trade.

The EDB was recognised for demonstrating competency and excellence internationally under the category of Best Initiative for Inclusive and Sustainable Trade for its SME Export Coaching programme, which was conducted in late 2021.

WTPA 2022 was announced at the World Trade Promotion Organisations Conference and Awards in Accra, Ghana, on May 17.

This year's award ceremony recognised innovative programmes launched by trade promotion organisations that helped small firms to benefit from opportunities in international trade at a time of uncertainty. The organisations had to demonstrate that their initiatives assisted micro, small and medium-sized enterprises to become competitive in international markets.

The EDB emerged as the runner-up after going through three highly competitive rounds of selection. The other trade promotion organisations that were nominated under the same category for the final round were from South Korea, the Netherlands, Zambia and Zimbabwe. Zimtrade – Zimbabwe was judged as the winner.

The award-winning SME Export Coaching programme was implemented last year by the EDB – Regional Development division. The effort was rolled out for 25 selected, export-ready SMEs that were registered under the EDB – New Exporter Development Programme. The aim was to aid them to develop their capacities to enter the export market.

Under this initiative, individual coaching sessions on export marketing planning were conducted by 11 EDB officers. The SMEs were then guided by the EDB officers to develop their export marketing, which was evaluated by an external evaluation panel with details of their funding requirements to obtain the services that are identified as key to expand their businesses internationally.

The panel selected the 10 best export marketing plans and the winners were granted financial assistance by the EDB to implement their next stages of development, according to their proposed export marketing plans. Following this programme, SMEs identified export market entry requirements and the programme improved rural development, with farmer clusters getting developed as a supply base. It also brought opportunities to women and youth in rural areas.

The World Trade Promotion Awards, open to all national trade promotion organisations, is organised by the International Trade Centre (ITC) as a biannual event to recognise outstanding trade promotion organisations that excel in export development initiatives.

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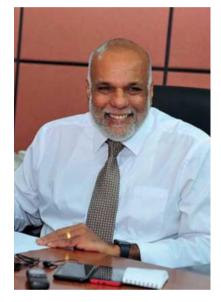
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This clarion call comes despite exports having achieved its 10th consecutive month of over \$ 1 billion per month performance between June 2021 and March 2022 proving the private sector's resilience. In April however the performance fell short to \$ 915 million.

The EDB Chief was optimistic about the resilience of the exporter community and reassured its continuous support to the private sector or 50% of Sri Lanka's entire working population.

"Despite the disruptions we may stumble upon with the multiple internal crises, our exporters have proved to the world that the sector is up and running and credible. Therefore, our interest to trade with the world remains unchanged," de Mel pointed out.

As key Government institutions that encourage exports, the EDB and the Board of Investment (BOI) would extend their fullest support to continue export operations without disruptions. **Cont. >>>**

He assured that they have taken steps to ensure that the exporters are given priority to obtain fuel and be provided with uninterrupted electricity, which otherwise could cause a thumping economic impact of \$ 50 million export revenue loss per day.

"The short supply of fuel and electricity still remains a major concern for the export community. We are in continuous discussion with the Government to introduce a mechanism to resolve the power and energy crisis without any further delay."

"If no action is taken right now, then the remaining buyers will also opt for alternative suppliers or markets — and we cannot afford it. So, we sincerely hope that the authorities will extend support to stop the total economic standstill," de Mel said.

In terms of the service exports, he cautioned there could be a large brain drain if solutions are not provided immediately.

"IT/BPM as well as financial professionals have high demand for overseas employment and we see that happening at a faster pace than predicted," he added.

Sri Lanka's single largest export market is the US, which accounted for 27% of total merchandise exports last year, while Europe accounts for 30%.

He pointed out that products originating from Sri Lanka gained 'supply chain credibility' among global customers despite having to deal with multiple internal and external challenges since the pandemic.

The EDB Chief requested exporters to take pride in playing a major role in the development of the country.

"Many of our customers are concerned about the economic, social and political situation in the country. However, the deep relationships our exporters have maintained for decades are helping them to continue with the business amidst chaos situations. The resilience of our exporters should be celebrated," de Mel said.

Exports in the first four months of 2022 amounted to \$ 4.16 billion, up 9% from a year earlier.

In 2021, Sri Lanka's exports recorded \$ 15.12 billion, up by 23% from 2020 sustaining its resilience, despite an unprecedented economic crisis. The year 2021 performance comes second only to \$ 15.91 billion recorded in 2018.

TRADE FAIRS PARTICIPATION DURING THE YEAR 2022



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ort Development Board in collaboration with the Sri Lanka Missions in selected markets will be organizing Sri Lanka's participation at the following ng the year 2022.									
	Trade Fairs in China & Nepal	ade Fair in Canada							
2	September 2022, Katmandu, Nepal October 20	novations Canada (GIC) Trade Fair in 22.							

November, 2022 Sectors to be promoted : Food & Agriculture, Consumer Goods, Gem & Jewellery, Life style products and Trade in Services Contact Person : Ms. Kasuni Chethana/ EPO

Contact Details : 011 -2300705-11, Ext : 256 Email : kasuni@edb.gov.lk

The application closing date : 31.01.2022

Trade Fairs in South Korea

September 2022, Katmandu, Nepal Sectors to be promoted : Food & Beverage Contact Person : Ms Apsara Arampath/AD Contact Details : 011 -2300705-11, Ext: 271 Email : apsara@edb.gov.lk

The application closing date : 30.06.2022

Sectors to be promoted : Processed Food, Spice & Concentrates, Herbal & Organic Food, Coconut

Coir Products Contact Person : Ms. Erandi Shyamali/ AD

Contact Details : 011 -2300705-11, Ext: 260

Email : erandi@edb.gov.lk

The application closing date : 31.03.2022

Online Trade Fairs in China

Korea Import Goods Fair in June/July 2022 Sectors to be promoted : Food & Beverage Contact Person : Ms. Manuka Perera / EPO Contact Details : 011 -2300705-11, Ext : 264 Email : manuka@edb.gov.lk The application closing date : 31.03.2022	15th Seoul Food & Hotel Show in July 2022, Seoul, South Korea. Sectors to be promoted : Food & Beverage Contact Person : Ms. Manuka Perera / EPO Contact Details : 011 -2300705-11, Ext: 264 Email : manuka@edb.gov.lk The application closing date : 31.03.2022	Canton Fair in April and October 2022, China Sectors to be promoted : Food & Agriculture, Consumer Goods, Gem & Jewellery and Life style products Contact Person : Ms. Kasuni Chethana / EPO Contact Details : 011 -2300705-11, Ext: 256 Email : kasuni@edb.gov.lk The application closing date : 15.02.2022	South and South East Asia Commodity Expo and Investment Fair (SSACEIF) in October, 2022 Sectors to be promoted : Food & Agriculture, Consumer Goods, Gem & Jewellery and Life style products. Contact Person : Ms. Kasuni Chethana / EPO Contact Details : 011 -2300705-11, Ext: 256 Email : kasuni@edb.gov.lk The application closing date : 15.02.2022
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Cost of Participation

All costs related to participation including cost of stall, freight cost of samples, air fare, accommodation etc. to be borne by the participating companies. EDB will coordinate Sri Lanka's participation in collaboration with the Sri Lanka Mission in respective markets.

How to Apply

Prescribed application forms could be obtained from the **Market Development Division**, EDB or downloaded from the EDB website : www.srilankabusiness.com under "**Announcements**". The duly completed applications should reach the **Director**/ **Market Development, EDB on or before the stipulated closing date for each event.**

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SRI LANKA'S MERCHANDISE EXPORT EARNINGS INCREASED BY 11.9% TO US\$ 915 MILLION IN APRIL 2022

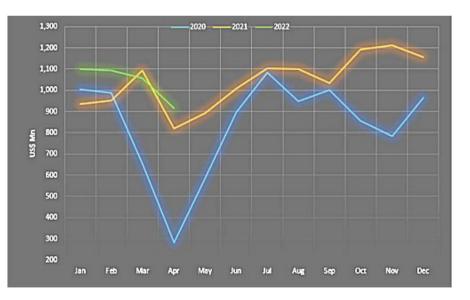
Sri Lanka's earnings from the merchandise exports increased by 11.87% to US\$ 915.3 million in April 2022, compared to April 2021 as per the data released by the Sri Lanka Customs. Further it is the highest monthly value recorded for the month of April.

This was mainly due to the increase in earnings from export of Apparel & Textiles, Coconut based products and Rubber based products. Further, a sizable increase was recorded in the exports of Electrical & Electronic Components and in the Seafood sector.

Sri Lankan merchandise exports grew to an all-time record for the month of April to US\$ 915.3 million this year, surpassing the previous high of US\$ 799 million achieved in 2021, Suresh D de Mel, Chairman - Export Development Board (EDB) said.

It must also be highlighted that, efficient facilitation of the supply of fuel and energy to our exporters is imperative to keep this momentum going while appealing for an expedited solution to the current crisis.

Further, we need to focus on niche markets while consolidating the market share in the US and EU. Export product diversification must simultaneously happen so that we can create more billion-dollar industries for Sri Lanka which we are lacking today."



Monthly Merchandize Export Performance, 2020 - April 2022 in Millions of US \$

Major Exports in April 2022

Major product sectors except Spices & Concentrates, Apparel & Textiles, Tea, Rubber-based products, Coconut based products, Electronics & Electronic Components, Food & Beverages and Seafood as shown in the table 1 below, recorded increased exports in April 2022.

Exports of Apparel & Textiles increased by 22.12% y-o-y to US\$ 445.79 million in April 2022. The increase was driven by both Apparel and Textiles.

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Export earnings from tea in April 2022 which made up 12% of merchandise exports, increased by 1.49% y-o-y to US\$ 80.44 million. Export of bulk tea increased by 9.52% in April 2022 compared to April 2021.

Export earnings from Rubber and Rubber Finished products have increased by 10.09% y-o-y to \$ 71.27 million in April 2022, with good performance in exports of Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tires & Tubes (23.21%).

On monthly analysis, export earnings of kernel products, fiber products and shell products categorized under the Coconut based increased by 19.21%, 24.33% and 52.43% respectively in April 2022 compared to April 2021.

Export earnings from Seafood increased by 10.58% to US\$ 21.22 million in April 2022 compared to April 2021. The expansion was contributed mainly by higher exports of Fish Fresh fish (22.79%) and Shrimps (119.61%).

Further, export earnings from Ornamental fish decreased by 17.6% to US\$ 1.03 million in April 2022 compared to April 2021.

However, export earnings from the Electrical & Electronics Components increased by 27.05 % y-o-y to US\$ 34.38 million in April 2022 with strong performance in exports of Insulated Wires & Cables (26.56%) and Electrical Transformers (71.36%).

In addition, export earnings from Spices and Essential Oils decreased by 4.05% to US\$ 23.46 million in the month of April 2022 compared to month of April 2021 due to the poor performance in Pepper (-49.14%) and cloves (-50.31%). Despite the decline in the sector, earnings from Cinnamon, Essential Oils and Oleoresins increased by 50.26%, 19.89% & 542.11% respectively in April 2022 compared to April 2021.

Major Exports during the period of January - April 2022

For the period of January to April 2022, merchandise exports increased by 9.6 % to US\$ 4,165.2 Million compared to the corresponding period of 2021. Major product sectors except Tea and Spices & Concentrates; Apparel & Textiles, Coconut based products, Rubber-based products, Electronics & Electronic Components, Food & Beverages, Seafood and Ornamental fish as shown in the table below, recorded increased exports.

Apparel & Textile exports increased by 13.27% to US\$ 1,917.95 million during the period of January to April 2022 compared to the same period of 2021. Except Gloves, Mitts & Mittens of Textile (-2.28%) and Made-up Clothing Accessories (-13.58%), Yarn (-39.79%) and Made-up Textile Articles (-4.82%), exports of other sub categories of Apparel & Textiles sector increased.

Export earnings from Tea decreased by 12.02% to US\$ 367.21 million during the period of January to April 2022 compared with the corresponding period of 2021. Exports of all the sub categories of tea sector except Tea Bags; Tea packets (-15.3%), Bulk Tea (-8.79%,), Instant Tea (-30.87%) and Green Tea (-20.63%) decreased during the period of January to April 2022 compared with the same period of 2021.

Export earnings from Rubber & Rubber finished products increased by 1.29 % to US\$ 337.58 million in January - April 2022 compared with the same period of 2021 attributed to higher exports of Pneumatic & Retreated Rubber Tyres & Tubes (10.31%). However, exports of Industrial & surgical Gloves decreased by 13.45% during the period of January to April 2022 compared with the same period of 2021.

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For the period of January to April 2022, export earnings from Coconut & Coconut based products expanded by 11.56% to US\$ 279.44 million from the same period last year. Earnings from all the major categories of Coconut based products increased in the period of January – April 2022 compared with the corresponding period of 2021 due to the improved performance in export of Liquid Coconut Milk, Coconut cream, Coconut Milk Powder, Cocopeat, Mattress Fiber, & Activated Carbon, Coconut Oil and Desiccated Coconut.

Meanwhile earnings from export of Electrical and Electronic Components (EEC) increased by 13.47 % to US\$ 146.48 million in the period of January to April 2022 compared to the corresponding period of 2021. Export of Insulated wires increased by 19.94 % in during the period of January to April 2022 to US\$ 26.59 million compared with the corresponding period of previous year. In addition, export of Switches, Boards & Panels, Electrical Transformers and Other Electrical & Electronic Products increased by 4.42%, 38.8% and 5.85 % respectively during the period of January to April 2022 compared with the corresponding period of previous year.

Export earnings from Seafood increased by 17.72% to US\$ 88.94 million in the period of January to April 2022 compared to year 2021 due to the better performance in all the sub categories; Frozen Fish (9.42%), Fresh Fish (46.47%) and Prawns (52.22%).

Exports of Goods	Jan-Apr 2020	Jan-Apr 2021	Jan-Apr 2022	% Growth	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	% Growth
Apparel & Textiles	1,315.78	1,693.31	1,917.95	13.27	365.04	445.79	22.12
Tea	348.44	417.38	367.21	-12.02	79.26	80.44	1.49
Rubber-based	229.11	333.28	337.58	1.29	64.74	71.27	10.09
Coconut-based	164.81	250.49	279.44	11.56	55.76	70.73	26.85
Diamond, Gems & Jewelry	54.44	92.86	98.20	5.75	27.77	25.49	- 8.21
Electronics & Electronic Components	91.42	129.09	146.48	13.47	27.06	34.38	27.05
Spices and Essential Oils	63.49	136.76	107.13	-21.67	22.46	21.55	-4.05
Food & Beverages	100.82	117.44	132.47	12.80	24.60	30.92	25.69
Seafood	63.26	75.55	88.94	17.72	19.19	21.22	10.58
Omamental Fish	3.94	5.03	5.83	15.90	1.25	1.03	-17.60
Vegetables	7.92	7.83	7.98	1.92	1.87	1.74	-6.95
Fruits & Nuts	11.34	11.98	10.50	-12.35	2.87	2.67	-6.97
Other Export Crops	24.77	19.00	23.28	22.53	4.84	8.28	71.07
Flowers & Foliage	4.37	4.74	4.94	4.22	1.02	0.95	-6.86
Boat Building	0.91	0.95	5.10	436.84	0.31	0.34	9.68
Petroleum Products	114.41	23.42	65.07	177.84	13.46	4.30	-68.05
Others	332.67	481.19	567.10	17.85	106.70	94.20	-11.72
Total Merchandize Exports	2,931.90	3,800.30	4,165.20	9.60	\$18.20	915.30	11.87

Table 1: Merchandise Export Performance

Sri Lanka's Export Performance in Major Markets

Strong Export Growth recorded for top 5 export markets in the month of April 2022 and the period of January to April 2022.

During the month of April 2022, exports to United States, Sri Lanka's single largest export destination, increased by 21.35% to US\$ 249.02 million compared to the month of April 2021. The better performance led by increase in exports of Apparel & Textile (13.2%), Rubber based products (35.3%) and Coconut based products (62.6%).

The single largest export destination of United States of America recorded US\$ 1,097.66 million worth of exports in the period of January to April 2022 – a significant year on year increase of 19.23 % in comparison to US\$ 920.6 million recorded in 2021.

Table 2: Top 10 Export Destinations

Country	Jan-Apr 2020	Jan-Apr 2021	Jan-Apr 2022	% Growth	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	% Growth
United States	759.58	920.60	1,097.66	19.23	205.20	249.02	21.35
United Kingdom	253.65	294.23	333.40	13.31	68.34	84.14	23.12
India	184.90	247.35	282.48	14.20	53.91	59.47	10.31
Germany	157.76	232.20	247.35	6.52	52.03	66.53	27.87
Italy	117.57	185.57	192.42	3.69	33.52	42.57	27.00
Belgium	78.70	105.47	95.03	-9.90	22.26	25.93	16.49
Netherlands	71.60	134.99	130.40	-3.40	28.21	27.71	-1.77
Canada	59.19	94.51	116.06	22.80	22.37	28.68	28.21
China	58.25	96.05	79.32	-17.42	18.81	14.72	-21.74
UAE	61.62	70.17	89.19	27.11	16.33	15.00	-8.14
Other Markets	1,129.08	1,419.16	1,501.89	5.83	297.22	301.53	1.45
Total	2,931.90	3,800.30	4,165.20	9.60	818.20	915.30	11.87

Values in US\$ Mns

Exports to FTA Partners

During the period of January to April 2022, exports to Free Trade Agreement (FTA) partners accounted for 7.2% of total merchandise exports increased by 11.81 % to US\$ 310.57 million.

Although Exports to India increased by 14.2% y-o-y to US\$ 282.48 million, exports to Pakistan decreased by 7.63% to US\$ 28.09 million during the period of January to April 2022 compared with the corresponding period of 2021.

Increased Exports to India is mainly supported by increased exports of Animal Feed (14.2%), Textile (14.88%), Pulp of Wood, waste & Scrap of Paper/ Paper Boards (40.70%) and Apparel (13.59%) in January - April 2022.

Sri Lanka's Export Performance in Regions

On a region wise comparison exports to all regions except CIS countries increased during the period of January to April 2022 compared with the corresponding period of 2021 and exports to EU, South Asia and ME increased in the month of April 2022 compared to April 2021.

Exports to the European Union (EU) which comprised 20% of Sri Lanka's exports increased by 20 % y-o-y to US\$ 230.91 million during the month of April 2022.

During the period of January to April 2022, breakdown of exports to the top five EU markets which accounted for 80% of Sri Lanka's total exports to the EU were; Germany US\$ 247.35 million (increased by 6.52 %), Italy US\$ 192.42 million (increased by 3.69%), Netherlands US\$ 130.4 million (decreased by -3.4%), Belgium US\$ 95.03million (decreased by 9.9%) and France US\$ 83.74 million. (increased by 14.49%).

Export of Services

The estimated value of services exports for the period of January to April 2022 was 1,188.8 Million dollars, increasing 96.2 % over the corresponding period of 2021. The services exports estimated by EDB consists of ICT/BPM, Construction, Financial services and Transport & Logistics.

SRI LANKA'S GARMENT EXPORTS UP 11.6% AT \$1.36 BN IN JAN-MAR 2022



Garment exports from Sri Lanka stood at \$1360.6 million in January-March 2022 registering an increase of 11.6 per cent over exports of \$1,219.1 million in the same period of previous year, according to the statistics released by the Central Bank of Sri Lanka. Textile exports increased by 7.1 per cent year-on-year to \$84 million during the same period.

However, exports of other made-up textile articles stood at \$32.4 million during January-March 2022, registering a decline of 10 per cent year-on-year, according to the central bank's report 'External Sector Performance – March 2022'.

Textiles and garments exports accounted for 56.22 per cent of all industrial exports from Sri Lanka during the three -month period, the report showed.

Imports of textiles and textile articles rose by 24 per cent to \$880.5 million, while clothing and accessories imports were up by 29.2 per cent to \$72 million during January-March 2022.

During the month of March 2022, Garments export slipped 0.1 per cent to \$424.9 million. Exports of textiles declined 7.8 per cent to \$28.5 million from same period of last year. While exports of other made-up textile articles lowered 0.2 per cent to \$11 million in the same period.

EDB CONDUCTS THE 160TH CERTIFICATE COURSE ON IMPORT AND EXPORT PROCEDURES

Training Courses

- Certificate course on Export / Import Procedures
- Certificate Course on Operational Aspects of International Trade

Sri Lanka Export Development Board (EDB) started the 160th course on Import and Export Procedures on May 28th, 2022 with both local and internationals participants. Majority of them are holding middle-level or senior executive positions in both private and public sector organizations which are involved in international trade.

The certificate course on Import and Export Procedures conducted by Sri Lanka Export Development Board provides a wealth of knowledge to exporters and potential exporters and is an integral component in the system enriching young minds on Export and related cross border trade. The demand for this course has increased, today more than previous instances as many are interested in exporting.

Designed for any interested individual, be it small and medium scale business owner looking forward to enter into International Trade, an entry level employee seeking to expand awareness on the procedures involved, this course provides vital knowledge on operations in cargo clearance, freight forwarding and shipping, customs procedures, payment methods related to International Trade and other inter-related subject areas. Certificates are also awarded to participants who successfully complete the course.

The course on Operational Aspects of International Trade the higher level course which is conducted for 10 consecutive Saturdays is also tentatively scheduled to commence during the month of August Further details of the course could be obtained from the EDB website – <u>https://www.srilankabusiness.com/edb/training-programs.html</u> or contact Ms. Helmalie Vitharana, Assistant Director, Trade Facilitation and Trade Information Division on 011-2300677 or 011-2300705-11 (Ext. 316).

SRI LANKA CUSTOMS - RATES OF EXCHANGE EFFECTIVE FROM 30.05.2022 TO 05.06.2022

Country	Country Code	Currency	Currency Code	Rate of Exchange (Rs.)
1 Australia	AU	Dollar	AUD	259.5495
2 Bahrain	BH	Dinar	BHD	966.0347
3 Bangladesh	BD	Taka	BDT	4.1449
4 Brazil	BR	Brazil Real	BRL	76.3583
5 Brunei	BN	Brunei Dollar	BND	265.6375
6 Canada	CA	Canadian Dollar	CAD	285.4682
7 China	CN	Renminbi	CNY	54.0002
8 China	CN	Offshore	CNH	53.8422
9 Czechoslovakia	CZ	Koruna	CZK	15.8581
LO Denmark	DK	Kroner	DKK	52.6468
L1 Egypt	EG	Pound	EGP	19.5769
L2 Euro Zone		Euro	EUR	391.6371
L3 Ghana	GH	Cedi	GHS	46.8462
14 Hongkong	HK	Dollar	HKD	46.4012
	HU	Forint	HUF	0.9991
15 Hungary 16 India	IN		INR	4.6917
17 Indonesia	ID	Rupee	IDR	0.0250
		Rupiah	IRR	0.0087
18 Iran	IR	Riyal	JPY	2.873
19 Japan	JP	Yen		
20 Jordan	30	Dinar	JOD	512.240
21 Korea	KR	Won	KRW	0.2898
22 Kuwait	KW	Dinar	KWD	1,191.731
23 Macau	MO	Pataca	MOP	45.050
24 Malaysia	MY	Ringgit	MYR	83.015
25 Maldives	MV	Rufiya	MVR	23.559
26 Mauritius	MU	Rupee	MUR	8.450
27 Myanmar	MM	Kyat	MMK	0.196
28 Nepal	NP	Rupee	NPR	2.934
29 New Zealand	NZ	Dollar	NZD	236.821
30 Nigeria	NG	Naira	NGN	0.877
31 Norway	NO	Kroner	NOK	38.284
32 Oman	OM	Riyal	OMR	946.036
33 Pakistan	PK	Rupee	PKR	1.797
34 Papua New Guinea	PG	Kina	PGK	103.441
35 Philippines	PH	Peso	PHP	6.959
36 Poland	PL	Zloty	PLN	85.072
37 Qatar	QA	Riyal	QAR	99.474
38 Russia	RU	Rouble	RUB	5.631
39 Saudi Arabia	SA	Riyal	SAR	97.088
40 Seychelles	SC	Rupee	SCR	27.264
41 Singapore	SG	Dollar	SGD	265.637
42 South Africa	ZA	Rand	ZAR	23.231
43 Sweden	SE	Krona	SEK	37.02
44 Switzerland	CH	Francs	CHF	380.47
45 Taiwan	TW	Dollar	TWD	12.39
46 Thailand	TH	Baht	THB	10.66
47 U.A.E.	AE	Dirham	AED	99.16
48 United Kingdom	GB	Sterling Pound		460.62
49 United States of America	US	Dollar	USD	364.22
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52 Zimbabwe	ZW		ZWD	0.95





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