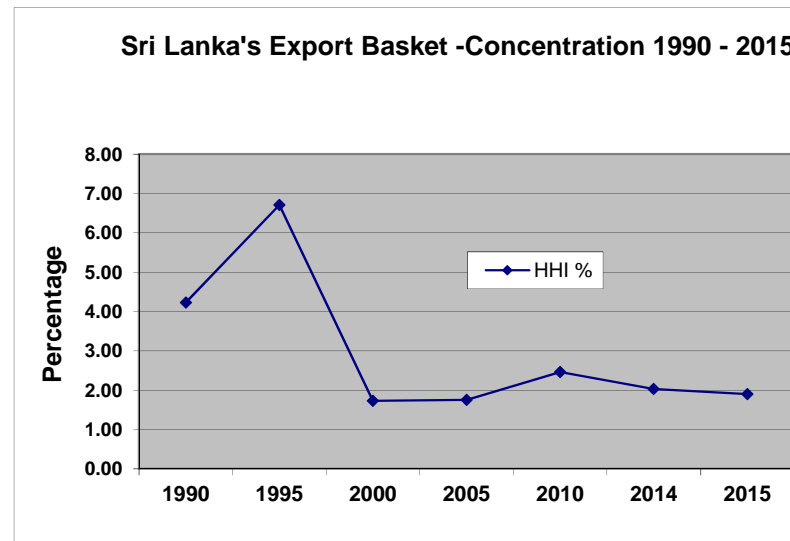


Table :14

Sri Lanka's Export Basket - Concentration 1990 - 2015

Year	Export Value in Mn. U S \$	No of products @HS 6 degit Level	HH Index %
1990	1983	2019	4.23
1995	3799	2565	6.71
2000	5522	2702	1.73
2005	6344	3026	1.75
2010	10394	2534	2.46
2014	11130	2930	2.03
2015	10505	2884	1.9



The Herfindhal Index

This index is widely used to measure the concentration of products mix exported by the country and is defir

$$\text{as } HHI = \sum_{i=1}^N [x_i/X]^2$$

where xi is the export of commodity, X the country's total exports and N the no of export products. Index approaching zero indicates less degree of concentration and index(%) approaching 100 implies a high degr concentration



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