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Value in Thousands of US Dollars

	Market	2011		2012		2013		2014		2015		% Avg. Growth
		Value	% Share	Value	% Share	Value	% Share	Value	% Share	Value	% Share	
01	United Arab Emirates	187.88	1.68	101.19	0.31	468.16	6.33	1,317.13	17.53	1,520.22	22.33	67.48
02	India	4,704.78	42.01	3,871.67	11.90	1,935.39	26.17	1,430.23	19.03	921.41	13.53	-42.57
03	Cambodia	607.32	5.42	258.48	0.79	362.80	4.91	617.21	8.21	502.02	7.37	4.90
04	Maldives	387.57	3.46	304.86	0.94	459.65	6.22	540.77	7.20	472.03	6.93	9.67
05	Afghanistan	--	--	0.02	--	0.01	--	0.53	0.01	387.49	5.69	--
06	Australia	451.71	4.03	442.69	1.36	118.51	1.60	198.30	2.64	284.65	4.18	-17.27
07	United Kingdom	301.31	2.69	240.74	0.74	360.06	4.87	370.88	4.94	260.35	3.82	1.40
08	Hong Kong	189.62	1.69	161.91	0.50	475.64	6.43	327.94	4.36	220.53	3.24	10.08
09	Singapore	130.51	1.17	24,664.57	75.82	191.15	2.58	271.08	3.61	201.45	2.96	-36.42
10	Bangladesh	5.43	0.05	3.65	0.01	6.26	0.08	30.00	0.40	193.96	2.85	92.58
11	Egypt	1.53	0.01	125.69	0.39	138.49	1.87	493.35	6.56	183.59	2.70	109.37
12	United States	60.32	0.54	83.40	0.26	244.85	3.31	255.47	3.40	181.86	2.67	33.27
13	Ethiopia	0.25	0.00	0.10	0.00	7.82	0.11	2.73	0.04	121.97	1.79	157.60
14	Italy	414.44	3.70	99.82	0.31	96.83	1.31	73.29	0.98	85.28	1.25	-34.71
15	Fiji	59.61	0.53	37.34	0.11	71.64	0.97	58.27	0.78	78.80	1.16	10.03
16	Greece	208.67	1.86	97.47	0.30	44.31	0.60	53.62	0.71	73.20	1.08	-26.93
17	Macau	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	70.50	1.04	--
18	Netherlands	309.67	2.76	77.86	0.24	77.55	1.05	172.25	2.29	68.41	1.00	-22.26
19	Nigeria	163.57	1.46	67.60	0.21	12.95	0.18	59.83	0.80	60.73	0.89	-21.04
20	Jordan	9.78	0.09	67.10	0.21	47.64	0.64	0.98	0.01	56.60	0.83	-7.20
21	China	9.01	0.08	9.10	0.03	26.05	0.35	87.64	1.17	51.00	0.75	57.32
22	Kuwait	82.84	0.74	66.80	0.21	24.51	0.33	102.48	1.36	50.91	0.75	-5.46
23	Norway	84.55	0.75	3.70	0.01	107.81	1.46	7.35	0.10	45.62	0.67	-5.49
24	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.77	0.01	0.36	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.09	0.00	45.03	0.66	66.99
25	Kenya	58.84	0.53	31.14	0.10	46.29	0.63	102.96	1.37	43.43	0.64	5.89
26	Northern Mariana Islands	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	43.17	0.63	--
27	Chile	83.92	0.75	50.76	0.16	83.85	1.13	25.01	0.33	43.06	0.63	-20.43
28	Oman	10.78	0.10	12.06	0.04	7.85	0.11	7.53	0.10	42.05	0.62	22.51
29	Seychelles	0.01	--	4.11	0.01	1.75	0.02	5.75	0.08	41.11	0.60	171.88
30	France	101.20	0.90	55.91	0.17	26.16	0.35	61.15	0.81	38.96	0.57	-18.19
31	Sweden	50.45	0.45	107.00	0.33	98.27	1.33	94.60	1.26	38.64	0.57	-6.57
32	Germany	25.24	0.23	27.36	0.08	37.27	0.50	45.37	0.60	32.71	0.48	10.24
33	Thailand	47.94	0.43	152.64	0.47	18.49	0.25	27.99	0.37	30.15	0.44	-26.24
34	Iran (Islamic Republic of)	691.42	6.17	419.37	1.29	157.16	2.13	102.31	1.36	28.26	0.42	-78.05
35	Lebanon	9.26	0.08	43.63	0.13	17.66	0.24	9.27	0.12	27.82	0.41	6.50
36	Mauritius	0.01	--	0.01	--	0.14	0.00	0.51	0.01	24.96	0.37	199.24
37	Saudi Arabia	19.00	0.17	1.37	0.00	10.95	0.15	30.90	0.41	23.98	0.35	35.82
38	Belgium	3.56	0.03	2.57	0.01	9.59	0.13	24.43	0.33	22.27	0.33	59.20
39	Switzerland	41.52	0.37	33.20	0.10	22.99	0.31	25.52	0.34	17.58	0.26	-19.82
40	Pakistan	14.85	0.13	62.58	0.19	26.96	0.36	12.03	0.16	15.01	0.22	-16.27
	Others	1,670.87	14.92	739.47	2.27	1,552.13	20.99	468.37	6.23	158.05	2.32	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>11,200.01</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>32,529.30</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>7,395.65</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>7,515.12</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>6,808.82</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>-24.61</b>

-- Export value, % Share is insignificant.

Sources: Sri Lanka Customs / Central Bank of Sri Lanka / Sri Lanka Export Development Board