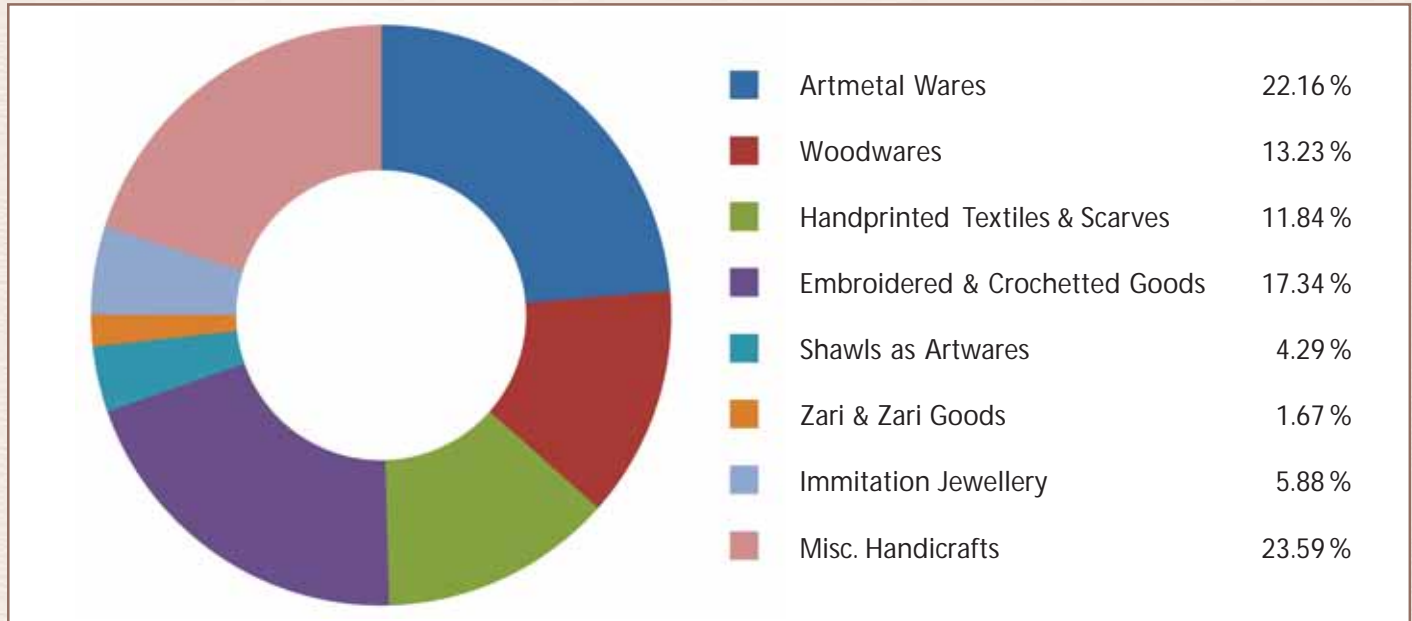


Review of Handicraft Exports

During 2014-15 (April- November)

According to the provisional data available, the exports of Handicrafts have shown an increase of Rs. 2641.09 crores, from Rs. 11041.88 Crores to Rs. 13682.97 Crores, an increase of 23.92% in Rupees term. In Dollar terms, the exports increased by US \$ 415.40 million from US \$ 1845.05 million to US \$ 2260.45 million, an increase of 22.51% over the similar period in 2013- 2014. Details are as under:



Statement showing provisional export figure of handicrafts during the period April-November 2014-2015 compared to the corresponding period of April-November 2013-2014.

Items	In Crores		Increase in % over 2013-14	US\$ In Millions		Increase in % over 2013-14
	2013-14	2014-15		2013-14	2014-15	
	(April-November)			(April-November)		
				59.85	60.53	
Artmetal Wares	2525.98	3032.16	20.04	422.08	500.92	18.68
Woodwares	1413.68	1810.49	28.07	236.22	299.10	26.62
Handprinted Textiles & Scarves	1440.08	1620.35	12.52	240.63	267.68	11.24
Embroidered & Crocheted Goods	2166.13	2372.76	9.54	361.95	391.98	8.30
Shawls As Artwares	412.39	586.53	42.23	68.91	96.90	40.62
Zari & Zari Goods	208.62	228.31	9.44	34.86	37.72	8.20
Immitation Jewellery	539.45	805.04	49.23	90.14	132.99	47.54
Misc. Handicrafts	2335.55	3227.33	38.18	390.26	533.16	36.62
Total	11041.88	13682.97	23.92	1845.05	2260.45	22.51

During the period, the exports of Artmetal Ware, Woodwares, Handprinted Textiles & Scarves, Embroidered & Crocheted Goods, Shawls as Artwares, Zari & Zari Goods, Immitation Jewellery and Misc. Handicrafts showed an increasing trend of 20.04%, 28.07%, 12.52%, 9.54%, 42.23%, 9.44%, 49.23% and 38.18% in Rupees terms respectively and 18.68%, 26.62%, 11.24%, 8.30%, 40.62%, 8.20%, 47.54% and 36.62% in US\$ terms respectively. Overall the increase in Rupee terms was 23.92% and in US \$ terms was 22.51%.