# The Export Processing Zone and Pioneer Status Enterprises, 

## 2nd Quarter 2001

## Introduction

This issue of the "Economic and Social Indicators" presents the findings of the Quarterly Survey of Employment carried out at the end of June 2001. Figures are given separately for the Export Processing Zone and Pioneer Status Enterprises. The latter are "small and medium" enterprises engaged mainly in activities involving the application of high technology.

Provisional figures on EPZ imports and exports for the second quarter 2001 as well as revised figures for the previous years are also given.

## 2. The Export Processing Zone (EPZ)

### 2.1 Number of enterprises

With the closure of three enterprises during the 2nd quarter, the total number of EPZ enterprises at the end of June 2001 was 524 . Enterprises with fewer than 10 workers numbered 119 , representing nearly $23 \%$ of the total number of enterprises but less than $1 \%$ of the workforce.

The number of enterprises in "Wearing apparel", the most important group in the EPZ, stood at 242 compared to 243 at the end of March 2001. The "Textile, yarn and fabrics" group was operating with 47 enterprises and the "Flowers" group with 39 enterprises at the end of June 2001. Other details on the number of enterprises by product group are given in Table 1.2.

### 2.2 Employment evolution, 2nd quarter 2001

At the end of June 2001, employment in the EPZ stood at 92,966, a decline of 252 compared to the previous quarter. The number of female employees dropped by 149 from 62,435 to 62,286 whilst male employment decreased by 103 from 30,783 to 30,680 . The ratio of male to female employment in the EPZ workforce remains at approximately 1 to 2 .

During the 2 nd quarter of 2001, a total of 1,882 jobs were created solely through expansion in 19 existing enterprises. On the other hand, 2,134 jobs were lost: 2,091 through reduction in 26 existing enterprises and 43 following the closure of 3 enterprises (Table 1.5).

Employment in the "Wearing apparel" product group decreased by 258 during the second quarter, bringing the number of employees to 77,111 . Within the group, employment in "Pullovers" declined by 229, coupled with a drop of 29 in "Other Garments". Details of other changes in employment by product group are shown in Table 1.7.

Foreign workers, who numbered 15,560 at the beginning of the quarter, rose by 441 to reach 16,001 at the end of June 2001. Among females, employment rose by 290 and among males, there was an increase of 151 . Table 1.8 shows expatriate employment by product group and sex. It is noted that the majority of foreign workers in the EPZ are employed in the "Wearing apparel" sector.

### 2.3 Employment evolution, June 2000 - June 2001

Comparison of June 2000 and June 2001 figures shows a net gain of 5 in the number of EPZ enterprises and a growth of 2,201 in the workforce.

In the group "Wearing apparel", employment increased by 1,416 from 75,695 to 77,111 . Within this group, growths of 387 in "Pullovers" and 1,029 in "Other garments" were registered. Employment also rose by 307 in the group "Food" and by 442 in "Textile yarn and fabrics". Details of changes in employment by product group are given in Table 1.7.

### 2.4 Imports and exports

Provisional figures show that EPZ exports during the 2nd quarter of 2001 amounted to Rs. 8,731 million bringing the total for the first semester to Rs 16,085 million, which represents an increase of $10 \%$ over the figure of the corresponding period of last year.

Imports for the 2 nd quarter of 2001 were Rs 4,701 million, bringing the total for the first semester to Rs 8,545 , i.e. an increase of $5 \%$ compared to Rs 8,173 million for the same period of 2000 . This was mainly due to an increase of $8 \%$ in the bill of raw materials which amounted to Rs 7,912 million, whilst imports on machinery and equipment dropped by $28 \%$ to Rs. 633 million.

Net exports, i.e., exports minus imports, for the first six months of 2001 amounted to Rs. 7,540 million, which is $47 \%$ of total exports (Table 1.9).

During the first semester of 2001, exports of manufactured articles of apparel and clothing went up by Rs. 839 million to Rs. 12,318 million, representing $77 \%$ of EPZ exports (Table 1.10).

The United Kingdom, France and the United States of America remained our principal EPZ markets with $70 \%$ of our total exports. An analysis by country of destination (Table 1.12) shows increases to these markets: United States of America by 15\% (from Rs. 3,496 million to Rs. 4,030 million), France by $4 \%$ (from Rs. 3,619 million to Rs. 3,775 million) and the United Kingdom by $2 \%$ (from Rs. 3,321 million to Rs. 3,404 million).

## 3. The Pioneer Status Enterprises (PSE)

### 3.1 Number of enterprises

During the 2 nd quarter of 2001, the number of PSE enterprises stood at 233, following the closure of 7 enterprises. Among these, 80 were operating with 10 or more workers. Further details are given in Table 2.1. The highest number of enterprises was in "Other support services" (49), followed by "Informatics" (38), and "Light engineering" (41).

### 3.2 Employment

The total workforce in the PSE sector at the end of June 2001 was 2,858 ( 2,115 males and 743 females), a drop of 72 compared to the previous quarter (Table 2.2).

During the 2nd quarter of 2001, 218 jobs were created following expansion in 48 existing enterprises. On the other hand, 290 jobs were lost due to reduction of 242 in existing 66 enterprises and 48 following the closure of 7 enterprises (Table 2.4).

The number of expatriates employed as at the end of the 2nd quarter 2001 stood at 166 ( 157 males and 9 females).

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Table 1.1:- Main economic indicators: 1990-2000, EPZ Sector

|  | 1990 | 1991 | 1992 | 1993 | 1994 | $\underline{1995}$ | 1996 | $\underline{1997}$ | 1998 | $1999{ }^{1}$ | $2000{ }^{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. No of enterprises as at December | 568 | 586 | 558 | 536 | 494 | 481 | 481 | 480 | 495 | 512 | 518 |
| - New | 62 | 52 | 33 | 38 | 27 | 25 | 43 | 26 | 48 | 37 | 34 |
| - Closures | 57 | 34 | 61 | 60 | 69 | 38 | 43 | 27 | 33 | 20 | 28 |
| 2. Employment as at December | 89,906 | 90,861 | 86,937 | 85,621 | 82,176 | 80,466 | 79,793 | 83,391 | 90,116 | 91,374 | 90,682 |
| - Net change | +1,248 | +955 | -3,924 | -1,316 | -3,445 | -1,710 | -673 | +3,598 | +6,725 | +1,258 | -692 |
| - Growth rate (\%) | +1.4 | +1.1 | -4.5 | -1.5 | -4.2 | -2.1 | -0.8 | +4.5 | +8.1 | +1.4 | -0.8 |
| 3. Exports (f.o.b, Rs Million) | 11,474 | 12,136 | 13,081 | 15,821 | 16,533 | 18,267 | 21,001 | 23,049 | 26,075 | 29,131 | 31,174 |
| 4. Imports (c.i.f, Rs Million) : | 7,348 | 7,067 | 7,133 | 9,326 | 10,125 | 10,856 | 12,077 | 13,880 | 16,179 | 15,735 | 16,331 |
| - Raw materials | $(6,554)$ | $(6,348)$ | $(6,456)$ | $(8,221)$ | $(9,016)$ | $(9,869)$ | $(10,960)$ | $(12,442)$ | $(14,693)$ | $(13,891)$ | $(14,635)$ |
| - Machinery \& spare parts | (794) | (719) | (677) | (1105) | (1109) | (987) | $(1,117)$ | $(1,438)$ | $(1,486)$ | $(1,844)$ | $(1,696)$ |
| 5. Net Exports (Rs Million) | 4,126 | 5,069 | 5,948 | 6,495 | 6,408 | 7,411 | 8,924 | 9,169 | 9,896 | 13,396 | 14,843 |
| 6. Net Exports to Exports (\%) | 36.0 | 41.8 | 45.5 | 41.1 | 38.8 | 40.6 | 42.5 | 39.8 | 38.0 | 46.0 | 48.0 |
| 7. Value added at current prices (Rs Million) | 3,975 | 4,406 | 5,000 | 5,705 | 6,373 | 7,096 | 8,163 | 9,086 | 10,512 | 11,700 | 12,526 |
| - Share in Manufacturing(\%) | 51.1 | 50.3 | 50.4 | 51.0 | 50.2 | 49.6 | 49.6 | 49.8 | 50.4 | 51.9 | 50.5 |
| - Share in GDP(\%) | 12.5 | 12.2 | 11.8 | 11.9 | 11.7 | 11.7 | 12.0 | 12.1 | 11.9 | 12.3 | 11.8 |
| 8. Value added at constant ' 82 prices (Rs Million) | 1,766 | 1,854 | 1,965 | 2,083 | 2,173 | 2,281 | 2,441 | 2,587 | 2,766 | 2,932 | 3,108 |
| - Growth rate (\%) | +7.0 | +5.0 | +6.0 | +6.0 | +4.3 | +5.0 | +7.0 | +6.0 | +6.9 | +6.0 | +6.0 |
| 9. Investment (Rs Million) | 690 | 648 | 560 | 900 | 900 | 815 | 930 | 1,245 | 1,445 | 1,710 | 1,861 |
| - Machinery | (640) | (610) | (540) | (875) | (880) | (805) | (915) | (1200) | (1355) | (1635) | (1730) |

[^0]Table 1.2: - Net change in number of enterprises by product group: June 2000 - June 2001, EPZ Sector

| Product group | No. of enterprises |  |  | Net change from |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | June 2000 | March 2001 | June 2001 | March 2001 to June 2001 | June 2000 to June 2001 |
| 1. Food <br> 2. Flowers <br> 3. Textile yarn and fabrics ${ }^{1}$ <br> 4. Wearing apparel ${ }^{1}$ : <br> Pullovers <br> Other garments <br> 5. Leather products and footwear <br> 6. Wood and paper products <br> 7. Optical goods <br> 8. Electronic watches and clocks <br> 9. Electric and electronic products ${ }^{1}$ <br> 10. Jewellery and related articles <br> 11. Toys and carnival articles <br> 12. Other ${ }^{1}$ | 11 39 45 243 $(37)$ $(206)$ 8 33 6 6 8 24 7 89 | 11 39 47 243 $(37)$ $(206)$ 8 32 6 6 7 29 7 92 | 10 39 47 242 $(37)$ $(205)$ 8 32 6 6 7 29 7 91 | $-1$ <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> $-1$ <br> (0) <br> (-1) <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> -1 | $-1$ <br> 0 <br> 2 <br> $-1$ <br> (0) <br> (-1) <br> 0 <br> $-1$ <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> $-1$ <br> 5 <br> 0 <br> 2 |
| TOTAL | 519 | 527 | 524 | -3 | 5 |

[^1]Table 1.3:- New enterprises and closures, 1st and 2nd Quarter 2001, EPZ Sector.

| Product group | 1st Quarter 2001 |  |  |  | 2nd Quarter 2001 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | New projects |  | Closures |  | New projects |  | Closures |  |
|  | Enterprise | Employment | Enterprise | Employment | Enterprise | Employment | Enterprise | Employment |
| 1. Food | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 23 |
| 2. Flowers | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3. Textile yarn and fabrics ${ }^{1}$ | 1 | 92 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4. Wearing apparel ${ }^{1}$ : | 6 | 317 | 3 | 89 | - | - | 1 | 16 |
| Pullovers | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) | (-) |
| Other garments | (6) | (317) | (3) | (89) | (-) | (-) | (1) | (16) |
| 5. Leather products and footwear | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 6. Wood and paper products | - | - | 2 | 27 | - | - | - | - |
| 7. Optical goods | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 8. Electronic watches and clocks | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 9. Electric and electronic products ${ }^{1}$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 10. Jewellery and related articles | 3 | 53 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 11. Toys and carnival articles | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 12. Other ${ }^{1}$ | 4 | 29 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 4 |
| TOTAL | 14 | 491 | 5 | 116 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 43 |

Table 1.4:- Employment by size and sex: June 2000 - March 2001 - June 2001, EPZ Sector

|  | Enterprise |  |  | Employment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Category | Number as at |  |  | June 2000 |  |  | March 2001 |  |  | June 2001 |  |  |
|  | June 2000 | March 2001 | June 2001 | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total |
| Enterprises with less than 10 employees | 108 | 123 | 119 | 288 | 213 | 501 | 331 | 245 | 576 | 299 | 253 | 552 |
| Enterprises with 10 or more employees | 411 | 404 | 405 | 29,294 | 59,801 | 89,095 | 30,333 | 61,425 | 91,758 | 30,261 | 61,267 | 91,528 |
| Outworkers | - | - | - | 115 | 1,054 | 1,169 | 119 | 765 | 884 | 120 | 766 | 886 |
| TOTAL | 519 | 527 | 524 | 29,697 | 61,068 | 90,765 | 30,783 | 62,435 | 93,218 | 30,680 | 62,286 | 92,966 |
| of which, expatriates | - | - | - | 4,317 | 9,841 | 14,158 | 4,928 | 10,632 | 15,560 | 5,079 | 10,922 | 16,001 |

Table 1.5 :- Analysis of net change in EPZ employment, 2nd quarter 2001

| A. Total employment creation: | Evolution 2nd quarter 2001 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Enterprises | Employment |
|  | ... | 1,882 |
| Expansion in existing enterprises ${ }^{1}$ | 19 | 1,882 |
| New enterprises | 0 | 0 |
| B. Total employment lost: | $\cdots$ | 2,134 |
| Reduction in existing enterprises ${ }^{1}$ | 26 | 2,091 |
| Closures | 3 | 43 |
| C. Net change ( A-B ) | $\cdots$ | -252 |
| Male | $\cdots$ | -103 |
| Female | $\cdots$ | -149 |

[^2]Table 1.6:- EPZ Employment by product group and sex: June 2000 - June 2001

| Product group | June 2000 |  |  |  | June 2001 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No of Enterprises | Employment |  |  | No of Enterprises | Employment |  |  |
|  |  | Male | Female | Total |  | Male | Female | Total |
| 1. Food | 11 | 596 | 1,035 | 1,631 | 10 | 645 | 1,293 | 1,938 |
| 2. Flowers | 39 | 252 | 295 | 547 | 39 | 244 | 294 | 538 |
| 3. Textile yarn and fabrics ${ }^{1}$ | 45 | 3,452 | 1,075 | 4,527 | 47 | 3,816 | 1,153 | 4,969 |
| 4. Wearing apparel ${ }^{1}$ : | 243 | 21,974 | 53,721 | 75,695 | 242 | 22,578 | 54,533 | 77,111 |
| Pullovers | (37) | $(4,121)$ | $(14,463)$ | $(18,584)$ | (37) | $(4,226)$ | $(14,745)$ | $(18,971)$ |
| Other garments | (206) | $(17,853)$ | $(39,258)$ | $(57,111)$ | (205) | $(18,352)$ | $(39,788)$ | $(58,140)$ |
| 5. Leather products and footwear | 8 | 206 | 651 | 857 | 8 | 192 | 602 | 794 |
| 6. Wood and paper products | 33 | 636 | 216 | 852 | 32 | 601 | 208 | 809 |
| 7. Optical goods | 6 | 294 | 257 | 551 | 6 | 242 | 236 | 478 |
| 8. Electronic watches and clocks | 6 | 306 | 644 | 950 | 6 | 282 | 575 | 857 |
| 9. Electric and electronic products ${ }^{1}$ | 8 | 177 | 333 | 510 | 7 | 228 | 422 | 650 |
| 10. Jewellery and related articles | 24 | 589 | 730 | 1,319 | 29 | 638 | 834 | 1,472 |
| 11. Toys and carnival articles | 7 | 91 | 916 | 1,007 | 7 | 95 | 819 | 914 |
| 12. Other ${ }^{1}$ | 89 | 1,124 | 1,195 | 2,319 | 91 | 1,119 | 1,317 | 2,436 |
| TOTAL | 519 | 29,697 | 61,068 | 90,765 | 524 | 30,680 | 62,286 | 92,966 |

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Table 1.7:- Net change in employment by product group: June 2000 - June 2001, EPZ Sector

| Product group | Employment |  |  | Net change from |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | June 2000 | March 2001 | June 2001 | March 2001 to June 2001 | June 2000 to June 2001 |
| 1. Food | 1,631 | 1,936 | 1,938 | 2 | 307 |
| 2. Flowers | 547 | 539 | 538 | -1 | -9 |
| 3. Textile yarn and fabrics ${ }^{1}$ | 4,527 | 4,778 | 4,969 | 191 | 442 |
| 4. Wearing apparel ${ }^{1}$ : | 75,695 | 77,369 | 77,111 | -258 | 1,416 |
| Pullovers | $(18,584)$ | $(19,200)$ | $(18,971)$ | (-229) | (387) |
| Other garments | $(57,111)$ | $(58,169)$ | $(58,140)$ | (-29) | $(1,029)$ |
| 5. Leather products and footwear | 857 | 818 | 794 | -24 | -63 |
| 6. Wood and paper products | 852 | 795 | 809 | 14 | -43 |
| 7. Optical goods | 551 | 517 | 478 | -39 | -73 |
| 8. Electronic watches and clocks | 950 | 886 | 857 | -29 | -93 |
| 9. Electric and electronic products ${ }^{1}$ | 510 | 651 | 650 | -1 | 140 |
| 10. Jewellery and related articles | 1,319 | 1,477 | 1,472 | -5 | 153 |
| 11. Toys and carnival articles | 1,007 | 960 | 914 | -46 | -93 |
| 12. Other ${ }^{1}$ | 2,319 | 2,492 | 2,436 | -56 | 117 |
| TOTAL | 90,765 | 93,218 | 92,966 | -252 | 2,201 |

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Table 1.8 :- Expatriate employment by product group and sex: June 2000 - June 2001, EPZ Sector

| Product group | June 2000 |  |  | June 2001 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total |
| 1. Food | 89 | 152 | 241 | 94 | 246 | 340 |
| 2. Flowers | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. Textile yarn and fabrics ${ }^{1}$ | 401 | 249 | 650 | 494 | 296 | 790 |
| 4. Wearing apparel ${ }^{1}$ : | 3,687 | 9,388 | 13,075 | 4,305 | 10,330 | 14,635 |
| Pullovers | (371) | $(1,454)$ | $(1,825)$ | (546) | $(1,921)$ | $(2,467)$ |
| Other garments | $(3,316)$ | $(7,934)$ | $(11,250)$ | $(3,759)$ | $(8,409)$ | $(12,168)$ |
| 5. Leather products and footwear | 6 | 1 | 7 | 10 | 2 | 12 |
| 6. Wood and paper products | 9 | 0 | 9 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| 7. Optical goods | 5 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 8. Electronic watches and clocks | 9 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 1 | 10 |
| 9. Electric and electronic products ${ }^{1}$ | 7 | 0 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 6 |
| 10. Jewellery and related articles | 40 | 2 | 42 | 37 | 3 | 40 |
| 11. Toys and carnival articles | 19 | 43 | 62 | 16 | 38 | 54 |
| 12. Other ${ }^{1}$ | 45 | 5 | 50 | 97 | 6 | 103 |
| TOTAL | 4,317 | 9,841 | 14,158 | 5,079 | 10,922 | 16,001 |

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Table 1.9-Net EPZ exports, 1999-2001

|  |  |  | Value : Million Rupees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1999 | $2000{ }^{1}$ | $2000{ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |  | $2001{ }^{2}$ |  |  |
|  |  |  | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun | 3rd Qr | 4th Qr | July - Dec | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun |
| A. Total exports ( f.o.b ) | 29,131 | 30,961 | 6,703 | 7,867 | 14,570 | 7,609 | 8,782 | 16,391 | 7,354 | 8,731 | 16,085 |
| B. Total imports ( c.i.f ) | 15,735 | 16,399 | 3,639 | 4,534 | 8,173 | 4,276 | 3,950 | 8,226 | 3,844 | 4,701 | 8,545 |
| Raw materials | $(13,891)$ | $(14,700)$ | $(3,239)$ | $(4,056)$ | 7,295 | $(3,884)$ | $(3,521)$ | 7,405 | $(3,545)$ | $(4,367)$ | 7,912 |
| Machinery | $(1,844)$ | $(1,699)$ | (400) | (478) | 878 | (392) | (429) | 821 | (299) | (334) | 633 |
| Net Exports (A-B) | 13,396 | 14,562 | 3,064 | 3,333 | 6,397 | 3,333 | 4,832 | 8,165 | 3,510 | 4,030 | 7,540 |
| Net Exports as \% of total exports | 46 | 47 | 46 | 42 | 44 | 44 | 55 | 50 | 48 | 46 | 47 |

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${ }^{2}$ Provisional

Table 1.10-EPZ exports by section/commodity, 1999-2001


[^3]Table 1.11-EPZ imports by section/commodity, 1999-2001

| Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Description | Year |  | $2000{ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  | $2001^{2}$ |  |  |
|  | 1999 | $2000{ }^{1}$ | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun | 3rd Qr | 4th Qr | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun |
| Total imports | 15,735 | 16,399 | 3,639 | $\underline{4,534}$ | 8,173 | 4,276 | 3,950 | 3,844 | 4,701 | 8,545 |
| Food and live animals | 407 | 482 | 137 | 91 | 228 | 132 | 122 | 174 | 302 | 476 |
| Crude materials, inedible, except fuels of which : | 1,023 | 1,035 | 229 | 271 | 500 | 312 | 223 | 218 | 327 | 545 |
| Cotton | 460 | 518 | 122 | 110 | 232 | 163 | 123 | 68 | 180 | 248 |
| Synthetic fibres suitable for spinning | 23 | 23 | 7 | 6 | 13 | 9 | 1 | 6 | 21 | 27 |
| Wool and other animal hair | 244 | 260 | 65 | 97 | 162 | 57 | 41 | 62 | 81 | 143 |
| Mineral fuels, lubricants and related products | 9 | 43 | 3 | 37 | 40 | - | 3 | 3 | - | 3 |
| Chemicals and related products, n.e.s | 587 | 634 | 151 | 172 | 323 | 139 | 172 | 151 | 168 | 319 |
| Manufactured goods classified chiefly by material of which : | 10,208 | 10,887 | 2,344 | 3,064 | 5,408 | 2,887 | 2,592 | 2,598 | 3,146 | 5,744 |
| Leather | 77 | 114 | 28 | 26 | 54 | 31 | 29 | 38 | 34 | 72 |
| Textile yarn and fabrics | 8,931 | 9,313 | 1,979 | 2,665 | 4,644 | 2,515 | 2,154 | 2,144 | 2,632 | 4,776 |
| Pearls, precious and semi-precious stones | 578 | 778 | 174 | 197 | 371 | 168 | 239 | 173 | 273 | 446 |
| Machinery \& transport equipment | 1,844 | 1,699 | 400 | 478 | 878 | 392 | 429 | 299 | 334 | 633 |
| Miscellaneous manufactured articles of which : | 1,584 | 1,567 | 368 | 404 | 772 | 402 | 393 | 378 | 404 | 782 |
| Optical goods, watches \& clocks | 446 | 326 | 93 | 79 | 172 | 84 | 70 | 61 | 67 | 128 |
| Jewellery, goldsmiths \& silversmiths wares | 260 | 267 | 68 | 58 | 126 | 69 | 72 | 91 | 88 | 179 |
| Other commodities \& transactions, n.e.s | 73 | 52 | 7 | 17 | 24 | 12 | 16 | 23 | 20 | 43 |

[^4]Table1.12 - EPZ exports by countries of destination, 1999-2001

| Country of destination | Year |  | $2000{ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  | $2001{ }^{2}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1999 | $2000{ }^{1}$ | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun | 3rd Qr | 4th Qr | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun |
| Total exports | 29,131 | 30,961 | 6,703 | $\underline{7,867}$ | 14,570 | 7,609 | 8,782 | 7,354 | 8,731 | 16,085 |
| 1. Preferential Tariff Countries | 28,267 | 30,110 | 6,491 | 7,667 | 14,158 | 7,399 | 8,553 | 7,110 | 8,490 | 15,600 |
| (a) European Union Countries | $(19,214)$ | $(19,845)$ | $(4,342)$ | $(5,123)$ | $(9,465)$ | $(4,704)$ | $(5,676)$ | $(4,498)$ | $(5,635)$ | $(10,133)$ |
| Belgium | 833 | 809 | 207 | 206 | 413 | 226 | 170 | 176 | 174 | 350 |
| France | 6,911 | 7,510 | 1,516 | 2,103 | 3,619 | 1,560 | 2,331 | 1,588 | 2,187 | 3,775 |
| Germany | 1,567 | 1,339 | 271 | 323 | 594 | 379 | 366 | 381 | 355 | 736 |
| Italy | 1,158 | 1,434 | 303 | 271 | 574 | 313 | 547 | 408 | 400 | 808 |
| Netherlands | 886 | 602 | 144 | 105 | 249 | 153 | 200 | 131 | 198 | 329 |
| Reunion | 328 | 302 | 61 | 81 | 142 | 77 | 83 | 51 | 82 | 133 |
| Spain | 912 | 815 | 159 | 202 | 361 | 291 | 163 | 120 | 124 | 244 |
| Sweden | 108 | 155 | 44 | 42 | 86 | 40 | 29 | 45 | 62 | 107 |
| United Kingdom | 6,289 | 6,622 | 1,567 | 1,754 | 3,321 | 1,581 | 1,720 | 1,519 | 1,885 | 3,404 |
| Other | 222 | 257 | 70 | 36 | 106 | 84 | 67 | 79 | 168 | 247 |
| (b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries | $(9,053)$ | $(10,265)$ | $(2,149)$ | $(2,544)$ | $(4,693)$ | $(2,695)$ | $(2,877)$ | (2,612) | $(2,855)$ | $(5,467)$ |
| Australia | 72 | 90 | 16 | 24 | 40 | 22 | 28 | 41 | 23 | 64 |
| Canada | 247 | 274 | 54 | 64 | 118 | 94 | 62 | 44 | 81 | 125 |
| Hong Kong(S.A.R) | 98 | 124 | 38 | 33 | 71 | 26 | 27 | 20 | 26 | 46 |
| Malagasy, Republic of | 1,439 | 1,470 | 365 | 373 | 738 | 371 | 361 | 408 | 436 | 844 |
| Singapore | 15 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| South Africa, Republic of | 97 | 151 | 22 | 27 | 49 | 40 | 62 | 21 | 73 | 94 |
| U.S.A | 6,824 | 7,715 | 1,571 | 1,925 | 3,496 | 2,022 | 2,197 | 1,943 | 2,087 | 4,030 |
| Zimbabwe | 84 | 126 | 24 | 29 | 53 | 37 | 36 | 45 | 33 | 78 |
| Other | 177 | 303 | 57 | 67 | 124 | 81 | 98 | 88 | 93 | 181 |
| 2. General Tariff Countries | 864 | 851 | 212 | 200 | 412 | 210 | 229 | 244 | 241 | 485 |
| Japan | 160 | 120 | 29 | 23 | 52 | 31 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 77 |
| Switzerland | 413 | 407 | 94 | 111 | 205 | 106 | 96 | 110 | 103 | 213 |
| Other | 291 | 324 | 89 | 66 | 155 | 73 | 96 | 96 | 99 | 195 |

[^5]Table1.13-EPZ imports by main countries of origin, 1999-2001
Value (c.i.f) : Million Rupees

| Country of origin | Year |  | $2000{ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  | $2001{ }^{2}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1999 | $2000{ }^{1}$ | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun | 3rd Qr | 4th Qr | 1st Qr | 2nd Qr | Jan - Jun |
| Total imports | 15,735 | 16,399 | 3,639 | 4,534 | 8,173 | 4,276 | 3,950 | 3,844 | 4,701 | 8,545 |
| 1. Preferential Tariff Countries | 11,177 | 11,177 | 2,377 | 2,981 | 5,358 | 2,941 | 2,878 | 2,720 | 3,136 | 5,856 |
| (a) European Union Countries | $(5,005)$ | $(4,723)$ | $(1,030)$ | $(1,289)$ | $(2,319)$ | $(1,135)$ | $(1,269)$ | $(1,186)$ | $(1,316)$ | $(2,502)$ |
| Belgium | 714 | 588 | 113 | 153 | 266 | 159 | 163 | 108 | 116 | 224 |
| France | 1,482 | 1,354 | 333 | 346 | 679 | 330 | 345 | 442 | 399 | 841 |
| Germany | 674 | 689 | 143 | 185 | 328 | 154 | 207 | 106 | 169 | 275 |
| Italy | 1,071 | 1,011 | 169 | 352 | 521 | 238 | 252 | 236 | 287 | 523 |
| Netherlands | 27 | 26 | 5 | 9 | 14 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 7 | 12 |
| Sweden | 72 | 48 | 9 | 14 | 23 | 10 | 15 | 17 | 6 | 23 |
| Spain | 402 | 451 | 118 | 86 | 204 | 114 | 133 | 106 | 199 | 305 |
| United Kingdom | 452 | 433 | 105 | 93 | 198 | 108 | 127 | 118 | 116 | 234 |
| Other | 111 | 123 | 35 | 51 | 86 | 18 | 19 | 48 | 17 | 65 |
| (b) Other Preferential Tariff Countries | $(6,172)$ | $(6,454)$ | $(1,347)$ | $(1,692)$ | $(3,039)$ | $(1,806)$ | $(1,609)$ | $(1,534)$ | $(1,820)$ | $(3,354)$ |
| Australia | 175 | 202 | 40 | 57 | 97 | 57 | 48 | 38 | 55 | 93 |
| Bahamas | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Hong kong(S.A.R) | 1,737 | 1,529 | 393 | 400 | 793 | 387 | 349 | 276 | 290 | 566 |
| India | 2,579 | 2,687 | 538 | 659 | 1,197 | 834 | 656 | 594 | 580 | 1,174 |
| Malagasy, Republic of | 136 | 116 | 19 | 17 | 36 | 34 | 46 | 40 | 73 | 113 |
| Malaysia | 188 | 214 | 34 | 74 | 108 | 53 | 53 | 52 | 96 | 148 |
| New Zealand | 31 | 26 | 6 | 12 | 18 | 8 | - | 9 | 10 | 19 |
| Pakistan | 357 | 342 | 73 | 68 | 141 | 101 | 100 | 99 | 132 | 231 |
| Singapore | 179 | 152 | 32 | 53 | 85 | 27 | 40 | 27 | 35 | 62 |
| South Africa, Republic of | 458 | 718 | 122 | 213 | 335 | 194 | 189 | 198 | 325 | 523 |
| U.S.A | 282 | 329 | 63 | 91 | 154 | 81 | 94 | 106 | 163 | 269 |
| Other | 50 | 139 | 27 | 48 | 75 | 30 | 34 | 95 | 61 | 156 |
| 2. General Tariff Countries | 4,558 | 5,222 | 1,262 | 1,553 | 2,815 | 1,335 | 1,072 | 1,124 | 1,565 | 2,689 |
| Burkina Faso | 155 | 116 | 21 | 47 | 68 | 18 | 30 | 16 | 74 | 90 |
| Cameroon | 66 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 25 | 25 |
| China | 2,000 | 2,608 | 601 | 830 | 1,431 | 607 | 570 | 655 | 765 | 1,420 |
| Indonesia | 184 | 289 | 59 | 92 | 151 | 82 | 56 | 64 | 93 | 157 |
| Japan | 452 | 314 | 109 | 73 | 182 | 71 | 61 | 34 | 64 | 98 |
| Korea, Republic of | 149 | 327 | 48 | 120 | 168 | 116 | 43 | 53 | 60 | 113 |
| Macau | 15 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - |
| Mali | 173 | 242 | 80 | 41 | 121 | 102 | 19 | - | 71 | 71 |
| Mexico | 7 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - |
| Switzerland | 470 | 480 | 115 | 123 | 238 | 120 | 122 | 137 | 124 | 261 |
| Taiwan | 641 | 553 | 138 | 161 | 299 | 149 | 105 | 83 | 197 | 280 |
| Thailand | 128 | 160 | 57 | 40 | 97 | 29 | 34 | 42 | 38 | 80 |
| Other | 118 | 127 | 33 | 25 | 58 | 39 | 30 | 40 | 54 | 94 |

${ }^{1}$ Provisional

Table 2.1: -Net change in number of enterprises by product group, June 2000 - June 2001 Pioneer Status Enterprises

| Product group | No of enterprises |  |  | Net change |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | June 2000 | Mar. 2001 | June 2001 | March 2001 to June 2001 | June 2000 to June 2001 |
| Informatics | 42 | 41 | 38 | -3 | -4 |
| Electric and electronic products | 33 | 33 | 33 | 0 | 0 |
| Light engineering | 39 | 42 | 41 | -1 | 2 |
| Support to jewellery | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Support to printing and publishing | 15 | 14 | 14 | 0 | -1 |
| Other support services | 41 | 49 | 49 | -1 | 8 |
| Plastic and rubber product | 26 | 27 | 26 | -2 | 0 |
| Other | 22 | 30 | 28 | $\mathbf{- 7}$ | 6 |
| TOTAL | $\mathbf{2 2 2}$ | $\mathbf{2 4 0}$ | $\mathbf{2 3 3}$ | $\mathbf{0}$ | 2 |

Table 2.2:- Net change in employment by product group, June 2000 -June 2001 Pioneer Status Enterprises

| Product group | Employment |  |  | Net change |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | June 2000 | Mar. 2001 | June 2001 | March 2001 to June 2001 | June 2000 to June 2001 |
| Informatics | 427 | 440 | 407 | -33 | -20 |
| Electric and electronic products | 383 | 383 | 364 | -19 | -19 |
| Light engineering | 385 | 515 | 545 | 30 | 160 |
| Support to jewellery | 65 | 62 | 57 | -5 | -8 |
| Support to printing and publishing | 183 | 167 | 162 | -5 | -21 |
| Other support services | 403 | 504 | 474 | -30 | 71 |
| Plastic and rubber products | 425 | 458 | 457 | -1 | 32 |
| Other | 285 | 401 | 392 | -9 | 107 |
|  | $\mathbf{2 , 5 5 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 9 3}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 8 5 8}$ | $\mathbf{- 7 2}$ | $\mathbf{3 0 2}$ |

Table 2.3:- Employment by size and sex: June 2000 - March 2001 - June 2001, Pioneer Status Enterprises

| Employment size | No. of enterprises |  |  | Employment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | June 2000 |  |  | March 2001 |  |  | June 2001 |  |  |
|  | June 2000 | Mar. 2001 | June 2001 | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total | Male | Female | Total |
| less than 10 | 148 | 156 | 153 | 497 | 140 | 637 | 524 | 164 | 688 | 485 | 152 | 637 |
| 10 to < 25 | 50 | 55 | 52 | 594 | 203 | 797 | 671 | 202 | 873 | 634 | 227 | 861 |
| 25 and above | 24 | 29 | 28 | 824 | 298 | 1,122 | 984 | 385 | 1,369 | 996 | 364 | 1,360 |
| TOTAL | 222 | 240 | 233 | 1,915 | 641 | 2,556 | 2,179 | 751 | 2,930 | 2,115 | 743 | 2,858 |
| Of which, expatriates | - | - | - | 118 | 11 | 129 | 129 | 8 | 137 | 157 | 9 | 166 |

Table 2.4 :- Analysis of net change in employment: 2nd quarter 2001, Pioneer Status Enterprises

| A. Total employment creation : | Evolution <br> 2nd quarter 2001 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Enterprises | Employment |
|  | ... | 218 |
| Expansion in existing enterprises | 48 | 218 |
| New enterprises | 0 | 0 |
| B. Total employment lost : | $\cdots$ | 290 |
| Reduction in existing enterprises | 66 | 242 |
| Closures | 7 | 48 |
| C. Net change (A-B) | $\cdots$ | -72 |
| Male | $\cdots$ | -64 |
| Female | $\ldots$ | -8 |

Table 2.5:- Employment by product group and sex: June 2000 - June 2001, Pioneer Status Enterprises

| Product group | June 2000 |  |  |  | June 2001 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. of enterprises | Employment |  |  | No. of enterprises | Employment |  |  |
|  |  | Male | Female | Total |  | Male | Female | Total |
| Informatics | 42 | 277 | 150 | 427 | 38 | 274 | 133 | 407 |
| Electric and Electronic products | 33 | 257 | 126 | 383 | 33 | 225 | 139 | 364 |
| Light engineering | 39 | 341 | 44 | 385 | 41 | 476 | 69 | 545 |
| Support to jewellery | 4 | 37 | 28 | 65 | 4 | 24 | 33 | 57 |
| Support to printing and publishing | 15 | 144 | 39 | 183 | 14 | 120 | 42 | 162 |
| Other support services | 41 | 250 | 153 | 403 | 49 | 289 | 185 | 474 |
| Plastic and rubber products | 26 | 382 | 43 | 425 | 26 | 410 | 47 | 457 |
| Other | 22 | 227 | 58 | 285 | 28 | 297 | 95 | 392 |
| TOTAL | 222 | 1,915 | 641 | 2,556 | 233 | 2,115 | 743 | 2,858 |


[^0]:    1 revised
    2 provisional

[^1]:    Revised

[^2]:    ${ }^{1}$ No. of enterprises relates to those reporting expansion/reduction in their workforce by more than 25 while employment is total expansion/reduction.

[^3]:    ${ }^{1}$ Revised
    ${ }^{2}$ Provisional

[^4]:    ${ }^{1}$ Revised
    ${ }^{2}$ Provisional

[^5]:    ${ }^{1}$ Revised
    ${ }^{2}$ Provisional
    3 Special Administrative Region of China

