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AGREEMENT ON TEXTILES AND CLOTHING

Notification under Articles 2.6 and 2.7(b)

ESTONIA

The Textiles Monitoring Body has received a notification from Estonia pursuant to Articles 2.6 and 2.7(b).

The TMB, in accordance with Article 2.7(b), is circulating this notification to WTO Members for their information.

Notified by e-mail to the Central Registry of Notifications (CRN) on 9 April 2001.

To: TEXTILES MONITORING BODY

Notifying Member: ESTONIA

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER ARTICLES 2.6, 2.7(b), 2.8(a) AND (b),
AND 2.11 OF THE AGREEMENT ON TEXTILES AND CLOTHING

The Republic of Estonia has the honour to submit the notifications under Articles 2.6, 2.7(b), 2.8(a) and (b), and 2.11 of the Agreement on Textiles and Clothing.¹

Enclosed lists of import data of first, second and third stages of integration programmes are based on import data for the year 1994. This year represents the first fully reliable statistical year based on HS in Estonia.

The products integrated within the first stage of the integration programme represent 16.14 per cent; within the second stage 17.12 per cent; and within the third stage 18.27 per cent of the total volume of Estonia's imports of products listed in the Annex to the Agreement on Textiles and Clothing.

¹ The notifications submitted pursuant to Articles 2.8(a) and 2.11, and Articles 2.8(b) and 2.11 are contained in documents G/TMB/N/395 and G/TMB/N/396, respectively.

HS code	Product description	Total integrated in Stage I	Total integrated in Stage I
		tons	%
530720	Yarn of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303. -Multiple (folded) or cabled	2.64	0.01219
531010	Woven fabrics of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303. -Unbleached	7.595	0.03507
531090	Woven fabrics of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303. -Other	1.324	0.00611
540110	Sewing thread of man-made filaments, whether or not put up for retail sale. -Of synthetic filaments	98.219	0.45351
560110	Wadding of textile materials and articles thereof, textile fibres, not exceeding 5 mm in length (flock), textile dust and mill neps. -Sanitary towels and tampons, napkins and napkin liners for babies and similar sanitary articles, of wadding	120.787	0.55772
560121	Wadding of textile materials and articles thereof, textile fibres, not exceeding 5 mm in length (flock), textile dust and mill neps. -Wadding; other articles of wadding: --Of cotton	29.839	0.13778
560122	Wadding of textile materials and articles thereof, textile fibres, not exceeding 5 mm in length (flock), textile dust and mill neps. -Wadding; other articles of wadding: --Of man-made fibres	50.683	0.23402
560129	Wadding of textile materials and articles thereof, textile fibres, not exceeding 5 mm in length (flock), textile dust and mill neps. -Wadding; other articles of wadding: --Other	8.065	0.03724
560300	Nonwovens, whether or not impregnated, coated, covered or laminated	196.914	0.90923
560410	Rubber thread and cord, textile covered; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No 5404 or 5405, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics. -Rubber thread and cord, textile covered	9.746	0.04500
560420	Rubber thread and cord, textile covered; textile yarn, and strip and the like of heading No 5404 or 5405, impregnated, coated, covered or sheathed with rubber or plastics. -High tenacity yarn of polyesters, of nylon or other polyamides or of viscose rayon,	6.788	0.03134
560500	Metallised yarn, whether or not gimped, being textile yarn, or strip or the like of heading No 5404 or 5405, combined with metal in the form of thread, strip or powder or covered with metal	1.033	0.00477
560600	Gimped yarn, and strip and the like of heading No 5404 or 5405, gimped (other than those of heading No 5605 and gimped horsehair yarn); chenille yarn (including flock chenille yarn); loop wale-yarn	3.309	0.01528
570190	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, knotted, whether or not made up. -Of other textile materials	1.538	0.00710
580610	Narrow woven fabrics, other than goods of heading No 5807; narrow fabrics consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs). -Woven pile fabrics (including terry towelling and similar terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics	2.583	0.01193
580620	Narrow woven fabrics, other than goods of heading No 5807; narrow fabrics consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs). -Other woven fabrics, containing by weight 5 % or more of elastomeric yarn or rubber thread	22.738	0.10499
580631	Narrow woven fabrics, other than goods of heading No 5807; narrow fabrics consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs). -Other woven fabrics: --Of cotton	24.102	0.11129
580632	Narrow woven fabrics, other than goods of heading No 5807; narrow fabrics consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs). -Other woven fabrics: --Of man-made fibres	282.314	1.30355
580639	Narrow woven fabrics, other than goods of heading No 5807; narrow fabrics consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs). -Other woven fabrics: --Of other textile materials	2.529	0.01168

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580640	Narrow woven fabrics, other than goods of heading No 5807; narrow fabrics consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs). -Fabrics consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive (bolducs)	0.45	0.00208
580790	Labels, badges and similar articles of textile materials, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size, not embroidered. -Other	18.473	0.08530
590110	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances, of a kind used for the outer covers of books or the like; tracing cloth; prepared painting canvas; buckram and similar stiffened textile fabrics of a kind used for hat foundations. -Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances, of a kind used for the outer covers of books or the like	159.071	0.73449
590190	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances, of a kind used for the outer covers of books or the like; tracing cloth; prepared painting canvas; buckram and similar stiffened textile fabrics of a kind used for hat foundations. -Other	26.487	0.12230
590310	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with plastics, other than those of heading No 5902. -With polyvinyl chloride	79.898	0.36892
590320	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with plastics, other than those of heading No 5902. -With polyurethane	77.093	0.35597
590390	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with plastics, other than those of heading No 5902. -Other	90.509	0.41791
590410	Linoleum, whether or not cut to shape; floor coverings consisting of a coating or covering applied on a textile backing, whether or not cut to shape. -Linoleum	238.137	1.09957
590491	Linoleum, whether or not cut to shape; floor coverings consisting of a coating or covering applied on a textile backing, whether or not cut to shape. -Other: --With a base consisting of needleloom felt or nonwovens	6.228	0.02876
590492	Linoleum, whether or not cut to shape; floor coverings consisting of a coating or covering applied on a textile backing, whether or not cut to shape. -Other: --With other textile base	32.973	0.15225
590610	Rubberised textile fabrics, other than those of heading No 5902. -Adhesive tape of a width not exceeding 20 cm	1.134	0.00524
590699	Rubberised textile fabrics, other than those of heading No 5902. -Other: --Other	27.913	0.12888
590700	Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated, coated or covered; painted canvas being theatrical scenery, studio back-cloths or the like	26.904	0.12423
600121	Pile fabrics, including «long pile» fabrics and terry fabrics, knitted or crocheted. -Looped pile fabrics: --Of cotton	8.683	0.04009
600122	Pile fabrics, including «long pile» fabrics and terry fabrics, knitted or crocheted. -Looped pile fabrics: --Of man-made fibres	8.955	0.04135
600129	Pile fabrics, including «long pile» fabrics and terry fabrics, knitted or crocheted. -Looped pile fabrics: --Of other textile materials	1.145	0.00529
600191	Pile fabrics, including «long pile» fabrics and terry fabrics, knitted or crocheted. -Other: --Of cotton	24.533	0.11328
600192	Pile fabrics, including «long pile» fabrics and terry fabrics, knitted or crocheted. -Other: --Of man-made fibres	2.903	0.01340

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600199	Pile fabrics, including «long pile» fabrics and terry fabrics, knitted or crocheted. -Other: --Of other textile materials	0.592	0.00273
600220	Other knitted or crocheted fabrics. -Other, of a width not exceeding 30 cm	9.367	0.04325
600292	Other knitted or crocheted fabrics. -Other: --Of cotton	126.156	0.58251
610311	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted. -Suits: --Of wool or fine animal hair	0.175	0.00081
610312	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted. -Suits: --Of synthetic fibres	1.129	0.00521
610319	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted. -Suits: --Of other textile materials	8.476	0.03914
610322	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted. -Ensembles: --Of cotton	3.86	0.01782
610323	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted. -Ensembles: --Of synthetic fibres	0.109	0.00050
610329	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted. -Ensembles: --Of other textile materials	1.379	0.00637
611231	Track suits, ski suits and swimwear, knitted or crocheted. -Men's or boys' swimwear: --Of synthetic fibres	1.596	0.00737
611239	Track suits, ski suits and swimwear, knitted or crocheted. -Men's or boys' swimwear: --Of other textile materials	0.932	0.00430
611241	Track suits, ski suits and swimwear, knitted or crocheted. -Women's or girls' swimwear: --Of synthetic fibres	1.503	0.00694
611249	Track suits, ski suits and swimwear, knitted or crocheted. -Women's or girls' swimwear: --Of other textile materials	2.842	0.01312
611300	Garments, made up of knitted or crocheted fabrics of heading No 5903, 5906, or 5907	0.302	0.00139
611511	Panty hose, tights, stockings, socks and other hosiery, including stockings for varicose veins and footwear without applied soles, knitted or crocheted. -Panty hose and tights: --Of synthetic fibres, measuring per single yarn less than 67 decitex	44.597	0.20592
611520	Panty hose, tights, stockings, socks and other hosiery, including stockings for varicose veins and footwear without applied soles, knitted or crocheted. -Women's full-length or knee-length hosiery, measuring per single yarn less than 67 decitex	16.092	0.07430
611593	Panty hose, tights, stockings, socks and other hosiery, including stockings for varicose veins and footwear without applied soles, knitted or crocheted. -Other: --Of synthetic fibres	21.162	0.09771
611790	Other made up clothing accessories, knitted or crocheted; knitted or crocheted parts of garments or of clothing accessories. -Parts	245.442	1.13330
620322	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Ensembles: --Of cotton	14.092	0.06507
620323	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Ensembles: --Of synthetic fibres	25.692	0.11863
620329	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Ensembles: --Of other textile materials	12.583	0.05810

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620332	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Jackets and blazers: --Of cotton	8.788	0.04058
620333	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Jackets and blazers: --Of synthetic fibres	6.999	0.03232
620339	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Jackets and blazers: --Of other textile materials	16.739	0.07729
620342	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts: --Of cotton	136.39	0.62976
620343	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts: --Of synthetic fibres	9.61	0.04437
620349	Men's or boys' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts: --Of other textile materials	67.128	0.30995
620422	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Ensembles: --Of cotton	11.764	0.05432
620423	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Ensembles: --Of synthetic fibres	2.693	0.01243
620429	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Ensembles: --Of other textile materials	3.937	0.01818
620432	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Jackets: --Of cotton	5.899	0.02724
620433	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Jackets: --Of synthetic fibres	4.137	0.01910
620439	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Jackets: --Of other textile materials	10.558	0.04875
620462	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts: --Of cotton	42.061	0.19421
620463	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts: --Of synthetic fibres	8.308	0.03836
620469	Women's or girls' suits, ensembles, jackets, blazers, dresses, skirts, divided skirts, trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear). -Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts: --Of other textile materials	32.336	0.14931
621010	Garments, made up of fabrics of heading No 5602, 5603, 5903, 5906 or 5907. -Of fabrics of heading No 5602 or 5603	3.046	0.01406
621220	Brassieres, girdles, corsets, braces, suspenders, garters and similar articles and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted. -Girdles and panty-girdles	0.478	0.00221
621230	Brassieres, girdles, corsets, braces, suspenders, garters and similar articles and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted. -Corselettes	0.425	0.00196

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621290	Brassieres, girdles, corsets, braces, suspenders, garters and similar articles and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted. -Other	22.415	0.10350
621320	Handkerchiefs. -Of cotton	4.068	0.01878
621390	Handkerchiefs. -Of other textile materials	0.224	0.00103
621420	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like. -Of wool or fine animal hair	0.314	0.00145
621430	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like. -Of synthetic fibres	2.939	0.01357
621440	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like. -Of artificial fibres	0.219	0.00101
621490	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like. -Of other textile materials	4.751	0.02194
621520	Ties, bow ties and cravats. -Of man-made fibres	0.386	0.00178
621590	Ties, bow ties and cravats. -Of other textile materials	0.805	0.00372
621600	Gloves, mittens and mitts	34.369	0.15869
621710	Other made up clothing accessories; parts of garments or of clothing accessories, other than those of heading No 6212. -Accessories	78.894	0.36428
621790	Other made up clothing accessories; parts of garments or of clothing accessories, other than those of heading No 6212. -Parts	414.631	1.91451
630120	Blankets and travelling rugs. -Blankets (other than electric blankets) and travelling rugs, of wool or of fine animal hair	12.359	0.05707
630130	Blankets and travelling rugs. -Blankets (other than electric blankets) and travelling rugs, of cotton	4.645	0.02145
630140	Blankets and travelling rugs. -Blankets (other than electric blankets) and travelling rugs, of synthetic fibres	1.143	0.00528
630190	Blankets and travelling rugs. -Other blankets and travelling rugs	5.145	0.02376
630210	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen. -Bed linen, knitted or crocheted	53.227	0.24577
630222	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen. -Other bed linen, printed: --Of man-made fibres	0.166	0.00077
630232	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen. -Other bed linen: --Of man-made fibres	0.23	0.00106
630240	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen. -Table linen, knitted or crocheted	0.156	0.00072
630253	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen. -Other table linen: --Of man-made fibres	1.006	0.00465
630510	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods. -Of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303	58.263	0.26902
630531	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods. -Of man-made textile materials: --Of polyethylene or polypropylene strip or the like	3.015	0.01392
630590	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods. -Of other textile materials	6.234	0.02878
630622	Tarpaulins, awnings and sunblinds; tents; sails for boats, sailboards or landcraft; camping goods. -Tents: --Of synthetic fibres	0.233	0.00108
630629	Tarpaulins, awnings and sunblinds; tents; sails for boats, sailboards or landcraft; camping goods. -Tents: --Of other textile materials	2.542	0.01174
630649	Tarpaulins, awnings and sunblinds; tents; sails for boats, sailboards or landcraft; camping goods. -Pneumatic mattresses: --Of other textile materials	3.32	0.01533

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630699	Tarpaulins, awnings and sunblinds; tents; sails for boats, sailboards or landcraft; camping goods. -Other: -- Of other textile materials	4.533	0.02093
630710	Other made up articles, including dress patterns. -Floor-cloths, dish-cloths, dusters and similar cleaning cloths	162.618	0.75087
	Total integrated in Stage I	3496.459	16.14512
	Total level of 1994 imports (special trade)	21656.44	100