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KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Forex Rates: 1US\$ = Rs. 64.31

1 Euro = Rs. 72.13

(As on 14.06.2017)

Forex Reserves: US \$ 381.168 billion

(As on 02.06.2017)

NIFTY 9,614 (As on 14.06.2017)

SENSEX 31,166 (As on 14.06.2017)

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India's sea food exports up 23 per cent at to \$5.78 bn in 2016-17

Buoyed by robust demand for its shrimp and frozen fish in international market, Indian exports of seafood touched their record high in 2016-17. Data released by the commerce ministry on Wednesday showed India exported seafood worth \$5.78 billion in 2016-17 compared with \$4.69 billion a year ago. India exported seafood worth an all time high in 2016-17 with USA and South East Asia continuing to be the major importers while the demand from the European Union grew substantially during the period. **Full [article](#)**

India, Sri Lanka sign pact for \$ 318 million line of credit

India today signed an agreement with Sri Lanka to provide USD 318 million as line of credit to develop the island nation's railway sector. The agreement was signed by RHS Samaratinga, Secretary, Ministry of Finance and Mass media, and David Rasquinha, Managing Director of India's Export-Import Bank in Colombo. During his first visit to Sri Lanka as prime minister in 2015, India had declared a line of credit of USD 318 million for the development of Sri Lanka's railway sector. **For full [article](#)**

India's coffee exports up 11.51 per cent in April

India's coffee exports grew by 11.5 per cent year-on-year to USD 92.42 million in April this fiscal on account of strong demand in the global markets. The country had shipped coffee worth USD 82.88 million in April last year, according to the commerce ministry data. In rupee terms, the exports recorded a growth of 8.22 per cent at Rs 596.17 crore in April. India mainly ships robusta and arabica varieties of coffee besides instant coffee. Coffee is one of the most widely traded agricultural commodities in the world. **For full [article](#)**

Pharma market grows 7%

The organised pharma retail market witnessed a decent growth of over 7% in May, debunking fears of a slower growth with GST around the corner. In fact, the market continued with its trend of steady growth this year, starting in January with 10%, then 7% in February, nearly 10% in March, and 8.3% in April. The growth was buoyed by 10 therapies including gastrointestinal drugs, which outgrew the market, and anti-diabetic drugs showing strong double-digit growth. **For full [article](#)**

Trade & Investment Enquiries from India

S/No.	Company	Enquiry
1	(Mahesh Patel) White Zone Impex Gujarat, India Mob: +919727498000 Email: leatherexport0004@gmail.com	Looking for: List of ceramic tiles, leather products, agro products, gypsum products, mineral products.
2	(Priyank Shah) lovson industries India Email: lov@vsnl.com	Looking for: Importers/dealers of grocery items & food items.
3	(Melitta Fernandes) FABTECH TECHNOLOGIES INTERNATIONAL LIMITED Mumbai, India Mob: +91 9820444763 Email: mel.ferns@fabtechnologies.com	Looking for List of potential clients/business partners in Tanzania.
4	(Mr. SHESHANT SANTOKI) Anax Impex RAJKOT ,INDIA Mob: +919909895432 Email: anaximpex@gmail.com	Looking for: Importers/dealers of kitchen utensils,housewa,reitms,cleanin g ware items.
5	(Mr. Venkat) Venkat sole proprietor of Maple TamilNadu ,India Mobile: + venkatkns@gmail.com	Looking for: Importers / exporters of textiles product, food, herbs and agro.
6	(Kapil Senjaliya) World Exim Gujarat -INDIA Mob: +919510900755 Email: worldexim.in@gmail.com	Looking for: Importers/dealers of peanut butter,(creamy, crunchy and more flavors available) ,raw peanuts bold & java.

India's Healthcare Portal

The National Health Portal is an authentic and dynamic information source which can effectively be used by any treatment seeker/potential medical tourist from across the globe. At present, the portal covers accredited medical facilities which include medical centres, Ayurveda & Wellness centres and special category centre. Facilities are located in Tier cities and the rest are in Tier II cities. The Healthcare Portal can be seen at <http://www.indiahealthcaretourism.com/>

Duty Free Tariff Preference Scheme (DFTP) of Government of India

India announced the DFTP Scheme for Least Developed Countries (LDCs) in the year 2008. In order to expand trade with Africa, India amended its Duty Free Tariff Preference (DFTP) scheme to cover around 96 per cent of the tariff lines in April 2014. Only 1.8% tariff lines are under the exclusion list. Duty Free and Positive Lists cover about 98.2% of global exports of LDCs. Tanzania was the first LDC in Africa to convey its intention to join DFTP in June 2008. All formalities for the Scheme were completed and notified in 2009. Details of the DFTP Scheme are available on the following links:

i) http://commerce.gov.in/trade/international_tpp_DFTP.pdf

ii) <http://www.cbec.gov.in/htdocs-cbec/customs/cs-act/notifications/notfns-2014/cs-tarr2014/cs08-2014>

iii) www.focusafrica.gov.in/DFTP_Scheme.html

For further information on the DFTP Scheme kindly contact the High Commission of India at www.hcindiatz.org

I. Forthcoming Events – Tanzania

*** 41st Dar es Salaam International Trade Fair (28 June to 8 July 2017)**

The 41st DITF will be held at the Mwalimu J.K. Nyerere Trade Fair Exhibition Grounds located along Kilwa Road in Dar es Salaam on 28 June to 8 July 2017. This is the largest trade fair in Tanzania. The Trade Fair provides exhibition space at the International Hall including Other Hall and an Open Area for outdoor space to display products such as machinery. Tanzania Trade Development Authority (TANTRADE) organizes and manages all the affairs of DITF. More information is available at <http://tantrade.or.tz>

*** Nane Nane 2017 (1-8 August 2017)**

The annual agricultural exhibitions will be held at a number of places in Tanzania including Morogoro, Dodoma, Mwanza, Arusha, Mbeya and Lindi. These exhibitions will showcase technologies, innovations and products in the agriculture sector.

*** BUILDEXPO 2017 (10-12 August 2017)**

This will be held at the Mlimani Conference Centre in Dar es Salaam. More information at: <http://www.expogr.com/tanzania/buildexpo/>

*** AUTOEXPO 2017/OIL & GAS/POWER & ENERGY (16-18 August 2017)**

This will be held at the Mlimani Conference Centre in Dar es Salaam. More information at: <http://expogr.com/>

*** EAITE/FOODAGRO/MEDEXPO/PPPEXPO (22-24 August 2017)**

This will be held at the Mlimani Conference Centre in Dar es Salaam. More information at: <http://expogr.com/>

*** Swahili International Tourism Expo 2017 (October 2017)**

The Swahili International Tourism Expo (SITE) one of the largest tourism trade platforms in the East African region is expected to be held at the Mlimani City Conference Complex in Dar es Salaam in October 2017. More information at: <http://www.site.co.tz/>

II. Forthcoming Events – India

*** India soft 2018 & India Electronics Expo**

The Electronics and Computer Software Export Promotion Council (ESC) will be organizing the 18th edition of INDIASOFT during 24th & 25th January 2018 at Bangalore-India. There will be around 200 Indian IT companies displaying a world of innovations in various verticals of IT including **Software Development, Software Products Embedded Systems, Informations Security, Web & Mobile, Cloud Computing, IoT/M2M**, more details can be accessed from the Indiasoft2018 website (www.indiasoft.org). For the first time, the Council is colocating **INDIA ELECTRONICSEXPO** with INDIASOFT 2018 wherein India's electronics hardware industry will also display the latest products, innovations, the website for INDIA ELECTRONICS EXPO is (www.indiaelectronicsexpo.com). Tanzanian ICT business/firms are encouraged to participate for further information contacts:

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*** Rough Gem Show-August 2017 at Jaipur, India**

The Gem & Jewellery Export Promotion Council of India will organize a Rough Gem Show in August 2017 at Jaipur, India. The show will facilitate the miners from Tanzania to showcase/display and sell their rough precious and semi precious gemstones to the gemstone manufacturers. Tanzanian miners/dealers of precious and semi-precious stones are encouraged to participate. For further information please contact: Sabyasachi Ray, Email: usha@gjepcindia.com / ed@gjepcindia.com

Tenders floated by Tanzania as of 30 May, 2017

a) **Entity:** MSD

Tender No: IE/009/2016-17/HQ/G/11

Tender Name: Supply of Laboratory Commodities for Vertical Programs.

Contact Address: TB Secretary, MSD, P.O.BOX 9081, Dar es Salaam

Tender deadline 27th June 2017

b) **Entity:** Ministry of Natural Resource and Tourism

Tender No:

Tender Name: Expression of interest for provision of consultancy services for preparation of project implementation manual.

Contact Address TB Secretary, Ministry of Natural Resource and Tourism, Mpango house 4. Julius Nyerere Road, Dar es Salaam

Tender deadline 12th June 2017

c) **Entity:** Ministry of water and irrigation

Tender No: ME/011/ 2016-17/C/12

Tender Name: Provision of Consultancy Services for Conducting Technical Audit of the Water Sector Development Programme.

Contact Address TB Secretary, Ministry of Water and Irrigation, P.O.BOX 9153, Dar es Salaam

Tender deadline 28th June 2017

d) **Entity:** Ilala Municipal Council

Tender No: LGA/015/2016/2017/HQ/CS/01

Tender Name: Expression of Interest for Provision of Consultancy services for Carrying out Environment and social impact Assessment, Detailed Engineering design and preparation of Tender document for ilala Mc.

Contact Address: TB Secretary, Ilala municipal council, P.O.BOX 20950, Dar es Salaam

Tender deadline 20th June 2017

e) **Entity:** Tanroads-mwanza

Tender No: AE/01/2017-2018/MZA/C/05

Tender Name: Expression of Interest for Provision of Consultancy Services for Carrying Out Feasibility Study, Environment and Social Impact Assessment Detailed Engineering Design and Preparation of Tender Document for Upgrading to Double Surface Dressing of Sengerema.

Contact Address: TB Secretary, Tanroads, P.O.BOX 1410, Mwanza

Tender deadline 28th June 2017

f) Entity: Tanroads-Mwanza

Tender No: AE/001/2016-2017HQ/C/51

Tender Name: Consultancy Services for a Financial Management Staff to TANROADS.

Contact Address: TB Secretary, Tanroads, P.O.BOX 11364,dare s salaam.

Tender deadline 23th June 2017

For further information, please visit: www.ppra.go.tz

Websites for Economic, Business Opportunities and Social Information on India

- Interactive web-portal under the 'Make in India' programme:
www.makeinindia.gov.in
- Health Portal for medical services/treatment/opportunities in India:
www.healthcareportal.com
- Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI):
<http://www.ficci.com>
- Confederation of Indian Industry (CII): www.cionline.org
- Directory of Indian Suppliers (CII): www.indianindustry.com
- Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT): <http://dgft.delhi.nic.in>
- India Trade Promotion Organization (ITPO):
www.indiatradefair.com ; <http://www.tradeportalofindia.com>
- Innovative Technology in Manufacturing: www.itm-india.com
- Indian Exporters' Guide: www.indianexporters.com
- Export Promotion Organizations:
<http://tradeportalofindia.com/contentmgmt/Desktops2.html?compid=itpo&itemcode=I051>
- Federation of Indian Export Organizations (FIEO): <http://www.fieo.org>
- National Small Industries Corporation [NSIC): <http://www.nsic.co.in>
- MMTC LIMITED - India's Largest International Trading Company:
<http://mmtclimited.com>

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