





Apparel Trade Scenario in Key Global Markets and India

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Summary

US Market

- US monthly apparel store sales continued to be more than pre-covid level in June (4 months in a row now). On YTD basis, sales in 2021 are 75% higher than 2020 and 2% higher than 2019.
- In 2020, the online sales of clothing and accessories registered a significant growth of 28%. In Q1 2021, it again registered a significant growth of 27% over Q1 2020.
- US home furnishing store sales are showing promising growth rates. On YTD basis, sales are 42% higher than 2020 and 15% higher than 2019.
- US apparel imports in May. 2021 were 7% higher than last month but continue to be less than pre-covid level. On YTD basis, the imports are about 22% higher than last year but has still not recovered to pre-covid levels.
- China's share has reduced by 10% since 2019, whereas Vietnam's and Bangladesh's share has gone up by 4% and 2%, respectively. India has also managed to gain 1% market share since 2019.

• EU Market

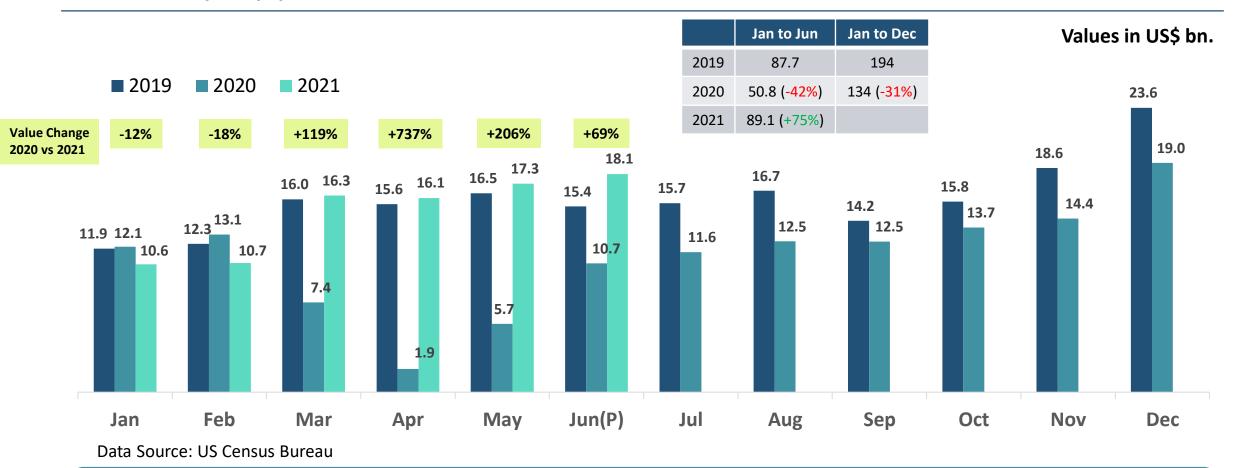
- EU apparel imports in May. 2021 were approx. 26% higher compared to last year. On YTD basis, the imports in 2021 are almost equal to that in 2020.
- In the EU market, China's share has reduced by 2% while Bangladesh and Turkey have increased share by 2% each since 2019. India has also managed to gain 1% market share since 2019.
- Japan Market
 - Japan's apparel imports in Apr. 2021 were 5% lower compared to last year. On YTD basis, the imports in 2021 are 4% less than 2020 and 12% less than 2019 values.
 - In the Japan apparel market, China's share has reduced by 1% whereas Bangladesh and Cambodia's share has increased by 1% each, compared to 2019.
- Indian Exports
 - India's apparel exports in May 2021 were 15% lower than last month. On YTD basis, the export value in 2021 is 38% higher than 2020 but 16% lower than 2019 value.
 - In India's apparel export basket, US and UAE's share has increased by 1% and 2%, respectively compared to 2019.





US Market Scenario

Monthly Apparel Store Sales Trend



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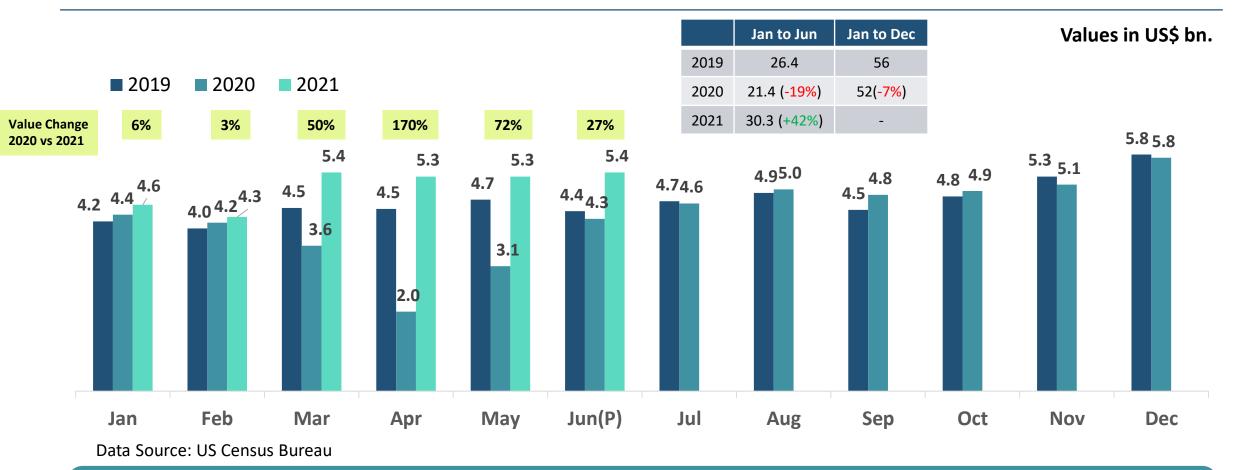
Quarterly Clothing and Accessories E-Commerce Sales



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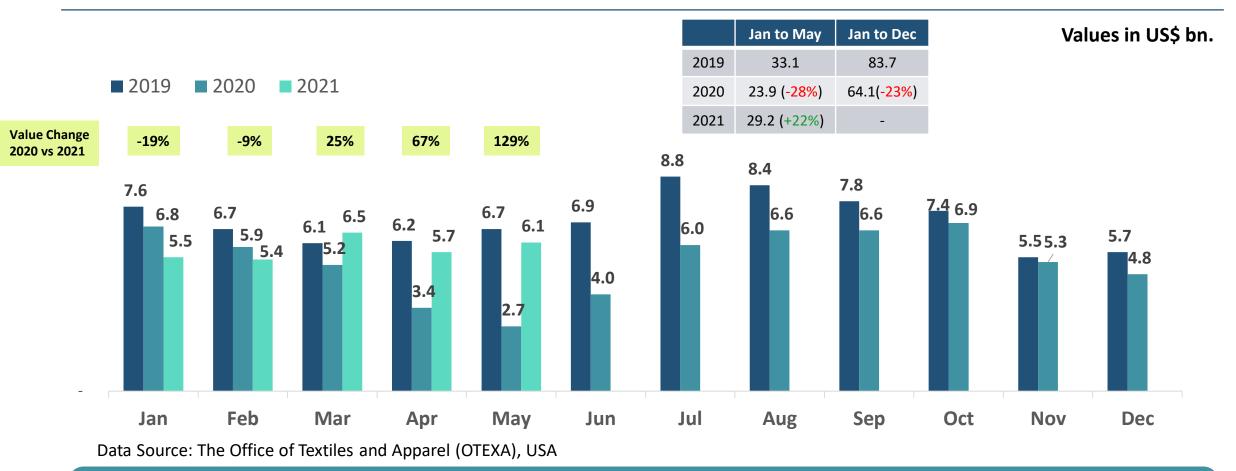
Monthly Home Furnishings Store Sales Trend



US home furnishing store sales are showing promising growth rates. On YTD basis, sales are 42% higher than 2020 and 15% higher than 2019.

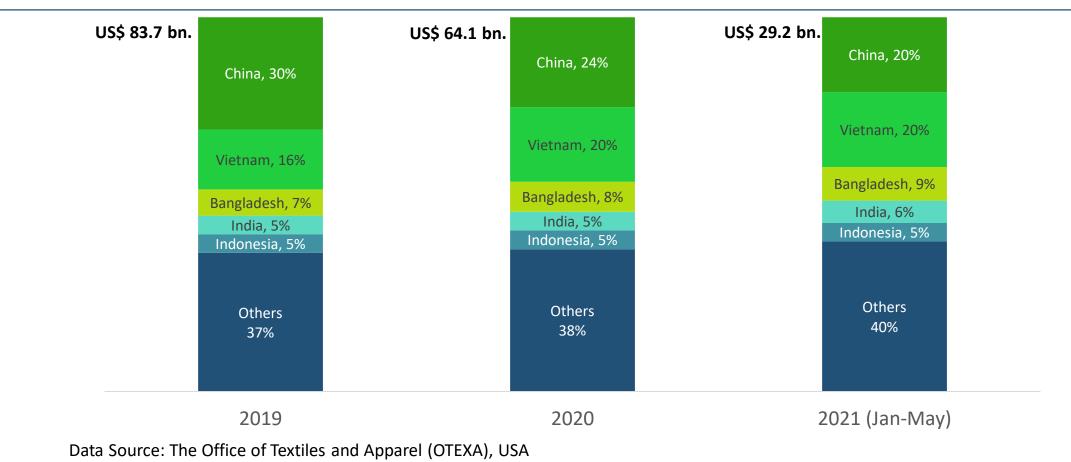


US Monthly Apparel Import Trend



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Share Change of Major Apparel Suppliers



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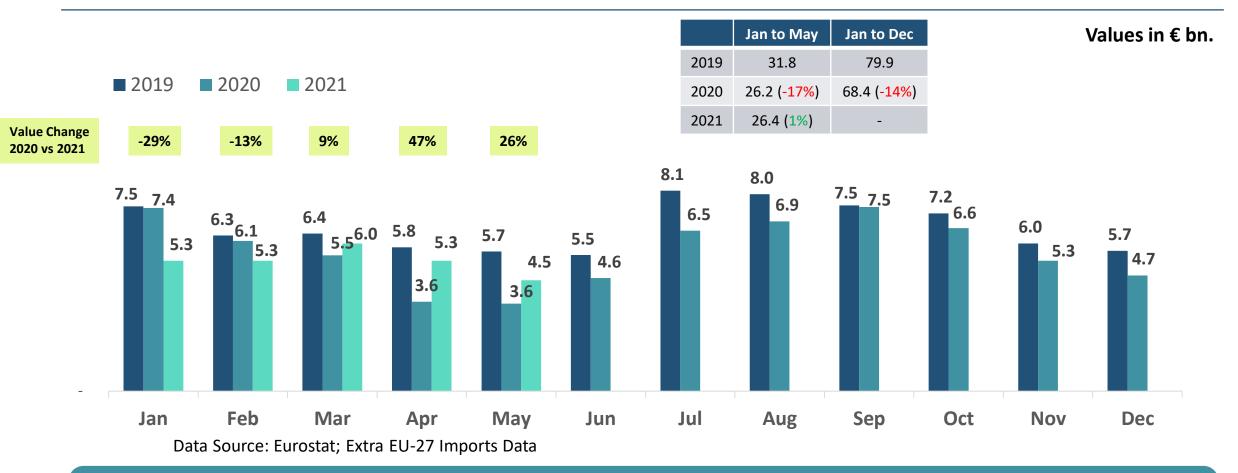






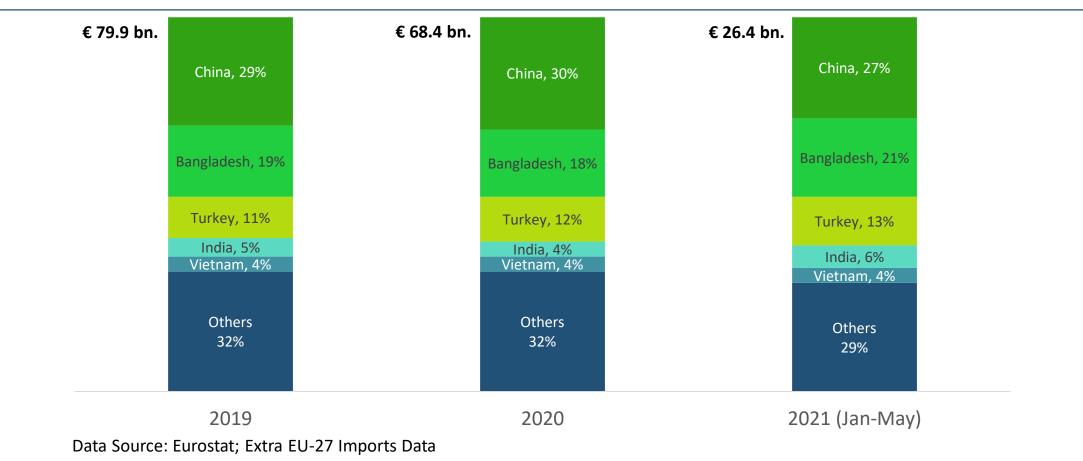
EU Market Scenario

EU Monthly Apparel Import Update



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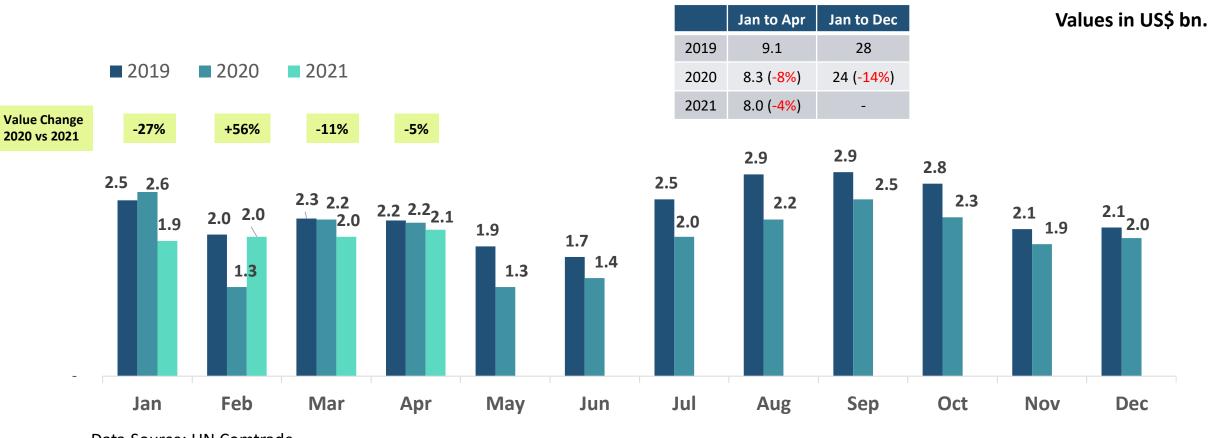






Japan Market Scenario

Japan Monthly Apparel Import Update

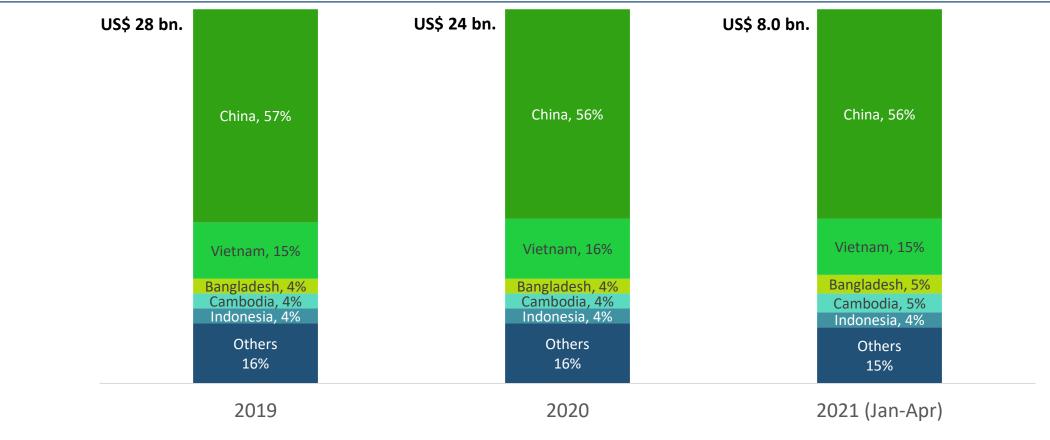


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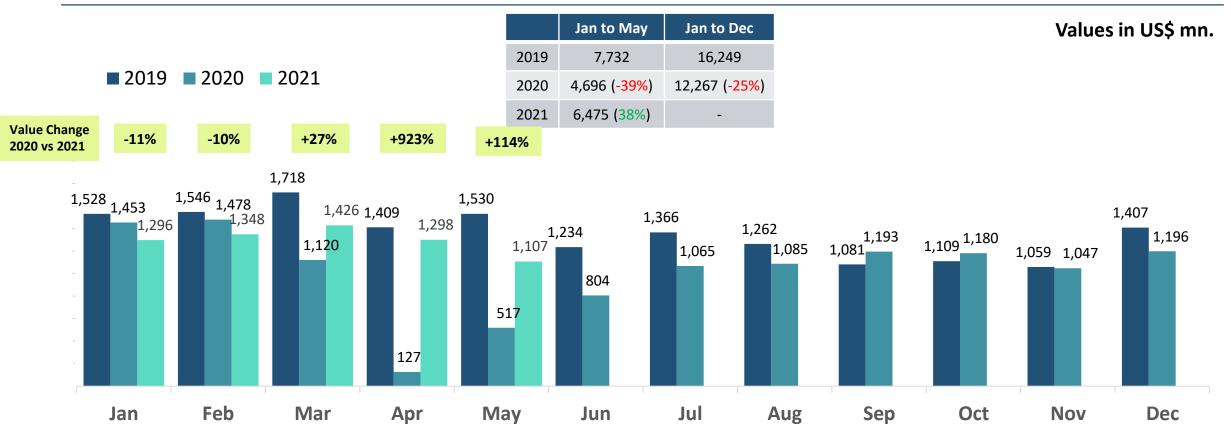






Indian Exports Update

Monthly Apparel Exports Trend

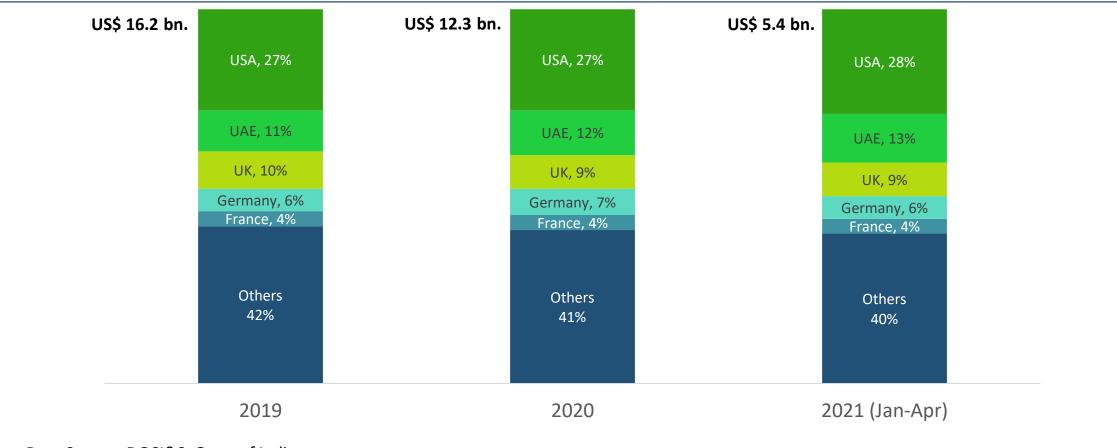


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Share Change of Major Apparel Markets



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