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Report Highlights:

India's seed imports rose to \$21.4 million during Indian Fiscal Year 2004/05 (Apr-Mar) over the previous year's \$18.1 million, while the US share fell from 18.5 percent to 16.7 percent over the same period.

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Table 1: India – Seed Imports IFY 2004/05 (Apr-Mar)

HS Code	Product/Origin	Quantity (Kg)	Value (\$)
12091000	Sugar beet	200	1,481
	USA	200	1,481
12092200	Clover	1,040,000	916,793
	Egypt	1,040,000	916,793
12092400	Kentucky blue grass	1,062	5,245
	USA	1,062	5,245
12092990	Other forage crops	550	4,631
	USA	550	4,631
12093000	Herbaceous plants	11,287	973,072
	Australia	20	2,789
	Bangladesh	24	10,537
	Taiwan	1,154	386,371
	France	123	21,067
	Italy	5	115
	Japan	2	12,585
	Mauritius	100	2,455
	Netherlands	1,942	55,857
	South Africa	41	5,680
	Thailand	560	97,242
	Turkey	100	3,334
	UK	225	14,787
	USA	6,991	360,252
12099110	Cabbage	48,285	3,793,844
	Australia	2,451	208,347
	Chile	750	77,486
	Taiwan	527	147,517
	Denmark	2,500	61,242
	France	838	42,729
	Italy	387	33,412
	Japan	5,638	666,565
	Korea RP	7,975	850,990
	Netherlands	6,398	752,177
	New Zealand	2,779	120,416
	USA	18,042	832,965
12099120	Cauliflower	38,065	3,190,930
	Australia	4,028	199,201
	Chile	96	1,728
	Taiwan	1,013	73,686
	China	1,025	135,231
	Denmark	47	9,689
	France	4,214	628,530
	Italy	4	215
	Japan	1,215	283,723

	Korea RP	1,024	65,518
	Netherlands	7,734	624,801
	New Zealand	6,403	24,089
	USA	11,262	1,144,519
12099130	Onion	6,531	92,150
	Netherlands	96	102
	South Africa	6,085	78,901
	USA	350	13,148
12099150	Radish	104,862	496,132
	Australia	45,450	190,256
	Hong Kong	1,000	32,401
	Italy	92	467
	Japan	4,016	22,511
	Korea RP	41,602	200,845
	New Zealand	12,702	49,651
12099160	Tomato	2,419	315,696
	China	484	60,088
	France	474	14,640
	Hong Kong	267	38,745
	Japan	20	6,707
	Korea RP	40	15,253
	Netherlands	79	38,922
	Thailand	754	102,131
	USA	301	39,212
12099190	Other vegetable	699,872	10,274,644
	Australia	13,144	142,139
	Bulgaria	25	322
	Chile	19,459	325,380
	Taiwan	720	355,206
	China	25,546	1,082,785
	Denmark	10,957	220,735
	France	25,600	430,238
	Germany	2	63
	Iran	19,000	6,054
	Israel	100	11,976
	Italy	41,470	165,481
	Japan	35,941	483,943
	Korea RP	18,678	1,505,295
	Malaysia	6	28
	Myanmar	221,150	42,564
	Netherlands	54,334	2,112,613
	New Zealand	6,617	81,718
	Pakistan	66,000	39,632
	Singapore	205	4,888
	Tanzania	11,000	148,634
	Thailand	63,242	2,154,088

	UK	2	101
	USA	66,546	928,451
	Vietnam	128	32,310
12099910	Fruits	101,549	560,619
	Afghanistan	18,000	4,670
	Australia	25	191
	Taiwan	1,803	50,097
	China	9,966	277,905
	Korea RP	50	12,059
	Netherlands	500	1,425
	Pakistan	51,880	50,307
	Thailand	100	8,214
	USA	19,225	155,752
12099990	Other seeds	94,725	795,194
	Australia	2	1,138
	Taiwan	2,650	307,695
	China	1,032	27,920
	Costa Rica	760	43,000
	Italy	540	3,409
	Japan	200	304
	Korea RP	303	46,084
	Mauritania	510	5,131
	Mauritius	879	15,486
	Netherlands	3,700	58,136
	Thailand	77,568	195,153
	USA	6,324	90,725
	Zimbabwe	257	1,014
	TOTAL	2,149,407	21,420,433
	FROM USA	130,853	3,576,382
	US Share	6.1	16.7

Table 2: India – Seed Exports IFY 2004/05 (Apr-Mar)

HS Code	Product/Origin	Quantity (Kg)	Value (\$)
12091000	Sugar beet seed	1,370	3,986
	New Zealand	20	987
	USA	1,350	2,999
12092100	Lucerne	27,000	9,118
	Malaysia	27,000	9,118
12092200	Clover	16,000	2,640
	Cyprus	16,000	2,640
12092600	Timothy grass	502,000	144,173
	Pakistan	334,000	96,674
	Saudi Arabia	168,000	47,499
12092910	Australian Lupine seeds	18,550	6,771
	Canada	150	28
	Italy	18,400	6,743
12092990	Other forage seeds	663,609	624,511
	Australia	105	842
	Bangladesh	240	1,467
	Taiwan	145,000	63,871
	China	1,000	11,121
	El Salvador	30	495
	France	7,540	91,840
	Germany	792	7,251
	Italy	7,983	54,769
	Nepal	8,100	5,673
	Oman	200	320
	Pakistan	444,235	164,432
	Saudi Arabia	5,160	28,074
	South Africa	2,000	7,923
	Spain	120	3,741
	Sri Lanka	1,000	2,622
	Sweden	6	350
	UK	813	1,993
	USA	39,195	175,893
	Vietnam	90	1,834
12093000	Herbaceous plants	18,481	371,183
	Australia	1,267	2,866
	China	2,000	13,588
	France	331	4,029
	Germany	7,010	14,553
	Hong Kong	150	13,224
	Italy	419	4,281
	Japan	798	19,884
	Mauritius	35	320
	Nepal	58	586

	Netherlands	1,146	117,410
	Saudi Arabia	600	20,799
	UK	2,000	108,255
	USA	2,667	51,388
12099110	Cabbage	82,889	317,833
	Bangladesh	52,000	27,472
	China	2	730
	France	50	752
	Jordan	86	1,144
	Malaysia	16,765	105,200
	Maldives	100	344
	Myanmar	1,800	18,884
	Netherlands	2,500	29,111
	Pakistan	6,552	27,874
	Saudi Arabia	1,460	8,392
	Singapore	986	4,375
	Sri Lanka	50	1,174
	Thailand	19	7,938
	UAE	1	582
	USA	518	83,861
12099120	Cauliflower	1,091	70,630
	Bangladesh	222	10,437
	Japan	525	51,711
	Maldives	10	723
	Nepal	25	1,657
	New Zealand	9	77
	Pakistan	200	1,663
	USA	100	4,362
12099130	Onion seeds	138,050	449,050
	Bahrain	31	2,252
	Bangladesh	12,000	22,715
	Canada	50	363
	Germany	30	125
	Japan	970	9,632
	Kenya	5,000	30,380
	Netherlands	1,410	27,942
	Pakistan	96,800	291,789
	South Africa	1,234	4,078
	Sri Lanka	13,000	43,658
	Trinidad	1,000	3,479
	UAE	400	1,611
	UK	6,100	10,830
	USA	25	197
12099140	Peas	473,759	260,003
	Canada	800	2,262
	Japan	1,500	6,554

	Malaysia	300	381
	Pakistan	466,600	217,413
	Saudi Arabia	199	31,392
	Singapore	4,110	1,724
	UAE	250	277
12099150	Radish	31,300	37,298
	Bangladesh	25,000	15,823
	Oman	300	653
	Yemen	6,000	20,823
12099160	Tomato	11,642	1,051,308
	Bahrain	105	5,371
	Bangladesh	1,832	136,311
	Canada	64	10,798
	Denmark	37	10,543
	Egypt	159	11,451
	France	67	27,317
	Germany	372	39,215
	Indonesia	76	4,545
	Italy	1,074	152,016
	Japan	125	16,825
	Jordan	6	1,692
	Kenya	13	4,215
	Mauritius	52	4,960
	Nepal	1	647
	Netherlands	1,708	135,216
	Pakistan	675	8,405
	Qatar	100	2,136
	Thailand	324	29,861
	Trinidad	67	4,209
	Turkey	6	2,181
	USA	4,646	429,010
	Vietnam	133	14,383
12099190	Other vegetable	2,236,165	5,498,490
	Argentina	200	7,724
	Australia	387	15,693
	Bahrain	326	2,662
	Bangladesh	594,078	441,894
	Canada	7	358
	Taiwan	51	2,504
	China	45,386	166,523
	Cyprus	501	8,875
	Czech Republic	63	2,342
	Egypt	1,205	14,826
	France	1,764	24,639
	Germany	11,173	265,871
	Ghana	50	485

	Hong Kong	1	1,214
	Indonesia	20,164	28,312
	Iran	80,000	224,840
	Israel	39	2,902
	Italy	1,441	31,595
	Japan	29,192	539,839
	Jordan	453	28,604
	Kenya	230	5,889
	Korea DP RP	50	2,665
	Korea RP	4,232	19,876
	Kuwait	525	8,192
	Luxembourg	2,000	9,704
	Malaysia	24,987	130,103
	Maldives	65	112
	Mali	33	2,110
	Mauritius	469	12,810
	Myanmar	30,400	191,464
	Morocco	400	14,567
	Namibia	40	5,521
	Nepal	68,758	74,342
	Netherlands	19,730	605,511
	New Zealand	30	2,052
	Oman	6,017	65,893
	Pakistan	1,015,775	1,218,768
	Panama	200	5,687
	Philippines	1,462	31,613
	Qatar	200	1,640
	Russia	1,183	33,969
	Saudi Arabia	52,895	143,855
	Singapore	457	17,841
	South Africa	38,951	160,191
	Spain	1,208	14,372
	Sri Lanka	4,810	28,111
	St. Kitts	3	103
	Switzerland	5,000	29,931
	Syria	2,000	11,892
	Thailand	2,820	57,326
	Turkey	20,000	23,755
	Uganda	310	3,049
	UAE	1,360	16,225
	UK	200	28,910
	USA	138,962	629,585
	Vietnam	1,222	39,371
	Yemen	2,700	39,786
12099910	Fruit	30,666	484,622
	Czech Republic	10	341

	Egypt	50	366
	France	320	1,918
	Germany	350	7,674
	Italy	23,000	323,246
	Japan	620	21,716
	Korea RP	325	823
	Kuwait	250	4,035
	Mauritius	10	196
	New Zealand	80	4,379
	Pakistan	1,400	27,122
	Saudi Arabia	50	880
	Singapore	102	1,129
	Switzerland	2,040	4,624
	Turkey	6	999
	UAE	140	2,555
	USA	1,913	82,618
12099990	Other seeds	2,073,303	4,683,220
	Australia	425	11,571
	Bahrain	10,002	3,199
	Bangladesh	1,064,256	664,900
	Belgium	2,371	15,075
	Canada	425	21,715
	Taiwan	285,985	206,761
	China	50	969
	Czech Republic	98	2,555
	Denmark	60	2,212
	France	5,199	98,111
	Germany	2,560	27,939
	Hong Kong	750	9,000
	Indonesia	408	5,826
	Israel	12	174
	Italy	55,705	77,052
	Japan	28,899	721,956
	Jordan	1,108	15,260
	Kenya	10	825
	Korea RP	2,116	31,781
	Kuwait	2,000	1,432
	Malaysia	26,920	305,608
	Maldives	19,047	39,745
	Mauritius	56	1,444
	Myanmar	1,000	4,092
	Mexico	140	2,355
	Morocco	200	7,817
	Nepal	770	7,521
	Netherlands	105,225	302,045
	New Zealand	200	8,011

	Oman	1,000	14,136
	Pakistan	279,375	146,010
	Philippines	600	10,880
	Portugal	575	17,811
	Qatar	40	703
	Romania	50	1,712
	Russia	1,733	65,293
	Saudi Arabia	14,215	28,403
	Singapore	70	2,184
	Slovenia	100	999
	South Africa	918	18,035
	Spain	1,231	8,321
	Sri Lanka	681	34,777
	Sweden	31	1,809
	Syria	100	2,420
	Thailand	22,424	126,341
	Turkey	70	27,189
	UAE	210	1,874
	UK	80,047	440,281
	USA	52,524	1,117,053
	Vietnam	210	13,737
	Yemen	1,102	6,300
	TOTAL	6,325,875	14,014,835
	TO USA	241,900	2,576,966
	US Share	3.8	18.4

Table 3: India – Seed Imports IFY 2003/04 (Apr-Mar)

HS Code	Product/Origin	Quantity (Kg)	Value (\$)
12091000	Sugar beet	2,815	20,949
	Korea RP	1,015	7,725
	Netherlands	50	712
	USA	1,750	12,512
12092100	Lucerne	115	67
	France	115	67
12092200	Clover	413,000	338,674
	Egypt	413,000	338,674
12092990	Other forage seeds	6,951	78,677
	UK	81	568
	USA	6,870	78,109
12093000	Herbaceous plants	10,337	1,035,337
	Ecuador	14	11,486
	France	44	4,984
	Germany	111	12,378
	Hong Kong	170	6,457
	Japan	22	7,867
	Martinique	100	1,408
	Mauritius	18	873
	Mexico	5,000	135,377
	Netherlands	472	101,248
	Thailand	2,702	461,327
	UK	610	54,378
	USA	1,074	237,553
12099110	Cabbage	60,350	4,569,119
	Australia	3,555	349,432
	Chile	400	41,831
	Taiwan	1,147	22,732
	China	2,927	315,008
	Denmark	4,980	55,534
	France	7,278	88,080
	Italy	2,559	22,840
	Japan	9,765	998,648
	Korea RP	11,505	1,246,717
	Netherlands	4,912	563,377
	Thailand	688	86,569
	USA	10,634	778,351
12099120	Cauliflower	13,496	1,808,858
	Australia	1,493	141,184
	Chile	500	52,122
	Taiwan	426	48,765
	China	1,163	171,563
	Denmark	321	53,288

	France	1,184	175,442
	Hong Kong	50	9,185
	Italy	10	402
	Japan	2,532	353,292
	Korea RP	200	2,826
	Netherlands	2,143	301,474
	New Zealand	289	2,681
	USA	3,185	496,634
12099130	Onion	6,748	77,022
	Japan	30	363
	Philippines	2,124	25,661
	South Africa	2,500	29,535
	USA	2,094	21,462
12099140	Pea	900	5,228
	USA	900	5,228
12099150	Radish	137,674	768,381
	Australia	20,477	103,686
	Italy	5	25
	Japan	24,172	185,087
	Korea RP	67,049	354,123
	Nepal	700	1,484
	Netherlands	6	144
	New Zealand	25,065	123,214
	USA	200	619
1209160	Tomato	3,857	771,393
	Taiwan	10	2,027
	China	796	108,019
	Denmark	668	339,475
	Egypt	8	42
	France	614	8,692
	Germany	1	31
	Hong Kong	100	14,193
	Israel	12	4,275
	Italy	58	1,151
	Korea RP	850	146,233
	Netherlands	357	61,845
	Thailand	175	35,638
	USA	208	49,773
12099190	Other vegetable	390,467	7,726,724
	Australia	20,219	180,493
	Chile	10,717	162,587
	Taiwan	6,354	185,251
	China	25,808	733,412
	Colombia	66	542
	Denmark	8,870	41,469
	France	26,224	522,064

	Hong Kong	1,508	69,738
	Indonesia	129	10,749
	Israel	106	14,438
	Italy	11,174	60,213
	Japan	44,623	696,819
	Korea RP	10,013	1,235,313
	Mauritius	25	61
	Netherlands	21,388	845,367
	New Zealand	14,092	47,621
	Pakistan	10,575	2,677
	Philippines	12	76
	Saudi Arabia	100	2,632
	South Africa	25	38
	Thailand	43,538	1,582,571
	UK	9	1,179
	USA	134,582	1,328,335
	Venezuela	30	1,212
	Vietnam	280	1,865
12099910	Fruit	100,845	491,782
	Taiwan	37	14,514
	China	3,333	76,452
	France	8,055	49,728
	Iran	20,032	19,678
	Italy	639	1,745
	Japan	695	6,778
	Korea RP	35	7,157
	Netherlands	47	5,299
	Pakistan	56,300	24,292
	Thailand	1,660	121,959
	USA	10,012	164,180
12099990	Other seeds	114,631	429,348
	Australia	10,489	67,043
	Taiwan	400	1,607
	China	715	10,445
	Colombia	53	779
	Denmark	350	13,894
	France	1,119	11,577
	Iran	80,000	24,336
	Japan	3,000	37,089
	Korea RP	45	9,324
	Madagascar	49	502
	Mauritius	180	2,471
	Mexico	213	4,739
	Netherlands	795	58,782
	Singapore	16	1,279
	Thailand	8	351

	UK	3	158
	USA	17,196	184,974
	TOTAL	1,262,186	18,121,558
	FROM USA	188,705	3,357,730
	US Share	15.0	18.5