

# Annual Fact File 2011

Textile industry contributes about 60% to the total export earnings of the country, accounts for 46% of the total manufacturing and provides employment to 38% of the manufacturing labour force. The availability of basic raw material for textile industry, cotton, has played a principal role in the growth of the industry. Pakistan is 4<sup>th</sup> largest producer and 3<sup>rd</sup> largest consumer of cotton. The textile and clothing industry will continue to be the driving force of Pakistan's economic growth; as there is no substitute industry or service sector that has the potential to benefit the economy with foreign currency earnings and new jobs creation. Pakistan's textile industry had proved its strength in the global market during the last four decades. It has proved its strength in post-quota era by sustaining its position and growth. In annual fact file PTJ has collected all information/ statistics from various institutions/organizations related to Pakistan textile industry for our readers. For further details, please contact PTJ office.

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