

The marble belt in the export record, 2023-24 to 2025-26

An owner's brief from Sol Gravitas™. Udaipur and Rajsamand districts, from the government's district-of-origin export record.

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What the record shows

Three things stand out in what exporters in Udaipur and Rajsamand declared over the last three financial years.

- 01** Finished stone exports fell year on year, from Rs 377 crore in 2023-24 to Rs 308 crore in 2025-26, down 18 per cent.
- 02** Unworked stone, mostly blocks and plain-sawn slabs, roughly doubled, from Rs 173 crore to Rs 350 crore. In 2025-26 it was worth more than finished stone for the first time in these three years. The change comes from Udaipur. In Rajsamand, finished stone is still ahead.
- 03** Artificial stone (customs heading 6810) rose 36 per cent in 2024-25 and fell 42 per cent in 2025-26, in both districts.

Declared exports, Udaipur and Rajsamand combined

UDAIPUR AND RAJSAMAND COMBINED	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Unworked stone (2514 to 2517)	Rs 173 cr (US\$ 21m)	Rs 214 cr (US\$ 25m)	Rs 350 cr (US\$ 40m)
Worked and finished stone (6801 to 6803)	Rs 377 cr (US\$ 46m)	Rs 348 cr (US\$ 41m)	Rs 308 cr (US\$ 35m)
Natural stone, total	Rs 550 cr (US\$ 66m)	Rs 562 cr (US\$ 66m)	Rs 658 cr (US\$ 75m)
Artificial stone (6810)	Rs 565 cr (US\$ 68m)	Rs 770 cr (US\$ 91m)	Rs 448 cr (US\$ 51m)

Rs crore; one crore is ten million rupees. Dollar values as reported by DGCI&S. Financial years, April to March.

What this means for a unit

A larger share of the belt's stone export value now leaves before the stone is finished. Polishing and finishing work, and the wages that come with it, then happen outside India.

Artificial stone has not been a steady export. It rose by more than a third in one year and fell by more than two-fifths the next. A unit thinking of moving into it should plan for swings, not steady growth.

The district written on the shipping bill decides which district gets counted. Government district export planning can draw on these figures.

Three things to check in your own records

- 01** The district code on your shipping bills. If your unit is in Rajsamand but your bills say Udaipur, your exports count for Udaipur.
- 02** The customs heading your goods go under. Blocks and plain-sawn slabs go under 2515 or 2516; polished and finished stone goes under 6802. That decides which side of this study your exports sit on.
- 03** Your own three-year trend. Put your export value for 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025-26 next to the table above and see whether you are moving with the belt or against it.

Questions Sol Gravititas can answer for one unit

What does my product sell for abroad, country by country, and is my price above or below the district's?

Which countries are buying more of what I make, and which are buying less?

Why did artificial stone exports fall in 2025-26, and which markets stopped buying?

Who else in India exports what I export, and are they growing faster?

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Source and limits

Source: Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics (DGCI&S), Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Foreign Trade Data Dissemination Portal, Export by State by District of Origin, Rajasthan. Records retrieved 13 and 14 October 2026; figures computed by Sol Gravititas. The district is what exporters declare on the shipping bill, and DGCI&S does not check it. Heading 6810 covers cement and concrete articles as well as artificial stone. The 2025-26 figures are the latest and may be revised. The full study, with method and limits: solgravitas.com/insights/marble-belt-ships-more-unworked-stone