**SAARC Trade Fairs**

1. Twelve SAARC Trade Fairs have been held so far, as given below:

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| 1. | First SAARC Trade Fair | New Delhi, 9-14 January 1996 |
| 2. | Second SAARC Trade Fair | Colombo, 8-15 September 1998 |
| 3. | Third SAARC Trade Fair | Karachi, 21-26 April 2001 |
| 4. | Fourth SAARC Trade Fair | Kathmandu, 25-29 October 2002 |
| 5. | Fifth SAARC Trade Fair | Dhaka, 27-31 December 2003 |
| 6. | Sixth SAARC Trade Fair | New Delhi, 6-10 January 2005 |
| 7. | Seventh SAARC Trade Fair | Karachi, 16-18 June 2006 |
| 8. | Eighth SAARC Trade Fair | Colombo, 28-31 August 2008 |
| 9. | Ninth SAARC Trade Fair | Thimphu, 11-14 September 2009 |
| 10. | Tenth SAARC Trade Fair | Kathmandu, 15-19 December 2010 |
| 11. | Eleventh SAARC Trade Fair | Dhaka, 30 March – 1 April 2012 |
| 12. | Twelfth SAARC Trade Fair | Lahore, Pakistan, 4-6 December 2015 |

1. As decided by the Thirty-seventh Session of the Standing Committee, Observers to SAARC are now being invited to participate in the SAARC Trade Fairs.
2. The venue for holding the Thirteenth SAARC Trade Fair is yet to be determined.