

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ATOMIC ENERGY  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 74**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.11.2016

**NUCLEAR POWER GENERATION**

74. SHRI ARKA KESHARI DEO:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the nuclear power generation in the country has increased in recent years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the estimated target of nuclear power generation during the 12th Five Year Plan?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSIONS AND PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (Dr. JITENDRA SINGH):

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- (a) & (b) Yes, Sir. The nuclear power generation over the last few years has registered an increase when compared to the previous years. The details in this regard are as follows:

Year	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17 (upto Oct. 2016)
Commercial Generation (MU)	32863	34228	35592	37456	22143

*In addition, infirm (non-commercial) power of 1106 MU, 2243 MU and 204 MU was generated in the years 2013-14, 2014-15, and 2015-16 upto October 2016 respectively.*

- (c) The nuclear power generation in the XII Plan is expected to be about 1,80,000 Million Units (MUs) as against the target of 2,41,746 MUs.

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