GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE PRODUCTION LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4871 TO BE ANSWERED ON 31st March, 2023

INDIGENOUS DEFENCE PRODUCTION

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the value of indigenous defence production comparatively increased after the launch of Atmanirbhar initiative; and

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the relevant details of defence equipment and technology sectors which have shown a remarkable upsurge?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

(SHRI AJAY BHATT)

(a) & (b): With focus on Aatmanirbharta and efforts made to achieve self-reliance, the value of Defence Production has increased as follows in last three years: -

Financial Year	Value of Defence Production
	(Rs. in crores)
2019-2020	79,071
2020-2021	84,643
2021-2022	94,845

Further, with consistent efforts in last few years, many significant projects including 155mm Artillery Gun system 'Dhanush', Advanced Towed Artillary Guns (ATAGs), Light Combat Aircraft 'Tejas', Surface to Air Missile system 'Akash', Main Battle Tank 'Arjun', T-90 Tank, T-72 Tank, Armoured Personnel Carrier 'BMP-II/IIK', Su-30 MK1, Cheetah Helicopter, Advanced Light Helicopter, Dornier Do-228, High Mobility Trucks, INS Kalvari, INS Khanderi, INS Chennai, Anti-Submarine Warfare Corvette (ASWC), Arjun Armoured Repair and Recovery Vehicle, Bridge Laying Tank, Bi-Modular Charge System (BMCS) for 155mm Ammunition, Medium Bullet Proof Vehicle (MBPV), Weapon Locating Radar (WLR), Integrated Air Command and Control System (IACCS), Software Defined Radios (SDR), Lakshya Parachute for Pilotless Target Aircraft, Opto Electronic Sights for Battle Tanks, Water Jet Fast Attack Craft, Inshore Patrol Vessel, Offshore Patrol Vessel, Fast Interceptor Boat, Landing Craft Utility, 25 T Tugs, etc. have been produced in the country.