

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA
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EXPORT IN AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY

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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES भारी उद्योग एवं लोक उद्यम मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantity and value of exports made by automobile industry like cars and other items during each of the last three years and the current year, country-wise and item-wise;
- (b) the impact of global economic slowdown on Indian industries and particularly on automobiles across the country;
- (c) the number of jobs lost by workers involved in all industries during the last three years across the country; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to raise production in the sector and encourage exports to protect the interest of labour and industry?

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES & PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
(SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR)

(a): As per the information made available by Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers the details of quantum and value of exports made by Automobile Industry is as given below:

Automobile export ▼	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Number of vehicles Exported (in thousands)	3480	4042	4629
Value in US\$ Million	9634.33	10935.76	11026.99
Growth %		16.15	14.50

(Source: SIAM)

Further details regarding exports of Indian automobile industry are available at www.dgciskol.gov.in < **Data Dissemination Portal** of Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

(b) & (c): There is cyclical slowdown across sectors including automobile sector since last few months. But the festival demand has shown year on year growth @ 0.3% in the Passenger Vehicle Segment. Retrenchment of temporary workers has been reported by the industry. However, no confirmed data on job loss is available with the Government.

(d): The Government, as a policy maker, always attempts to keep and improve momentum of the economy through a package of measure for comprehensive and continued development of the industry as and when required.
