

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS**

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1169  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9<sup>th</sup> February, 2021

**Growth of Pharma Industries**

**1169. SHRI UPENDRA SINGH RAWAT:**

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there has been a considerable growth/ development of pharmaceutical industry during the last three years;
- (b) if so, the growth rate of the said industry during the said period;
- (c) the growth rate in the production of medicines and the prices thereof during the said period;
- (d) whether any difference has been noticed in the growth rate of medicine production under scheduled and non scheduled categories; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof, category-wise?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS  
(SHRI D. V. SADANANDA GOWDA)**

(a) to (e): Yes, Sir. The growth rate of pharmaceutical industry is estimated as under:-

	Moving Annual Turnover (MAT) Value (Rs. in Crore)				Rate of Growth (in percentage)		
	Jan-Dec 2017	Jan-Dec 2018	Jan-Dec 2019	Jan-Dec 2020	2018	2019	2020
Indian Pharma Market	118246	128884	141033	145354	9.0	9.4	3.1
Non- Scheduled Drugs	96959	106342	116582	120250	9.7	9.6	3.1
Scheduled Drugs	21287	22543	24450	25104	5.9	8.5	2.7

[Source: Pharmatrac-NPPA]

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