

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2592
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th MARCH, 2021

EXPORT OF MSME PRODUCTS

2592. SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) the percentage of MSME products that are exported out of the total exports of the country during the last five years and the current year;
- (b) whether the Government has any proposal to encourage the producers and exporters of MSME products with better infrastructure and also for adopting new techniques being used in other countries; and
- (c) if so, the details of the steps taken thereon?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री हरदीप सिंह पुरी)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a): The percentage share of estimated value of export of 358 items which are reserved for manufacturing by MSME and the percentage share of estimated value of exports of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) related products in India's total exports during last five years and current year is as follows:

Value in US\$ Billions

Years	India's Total Exports	Export of Products reserved for manufacturing by MSME	% Share	Export of MSME related Products	% Share
2015-16	262.29	24.18	9.22	130.77	49.86
2016-17	275.85	23.96	8.69	137.07	49.69
2017-18	303.53	26.82	8.84	147.39	48.56
2018-19	330.08	27.53	8.34	158.76	48.10
2019-20	313.36	27.20	8.68	155.91	49.75
2020-21 (Apr-Dec)*	201.28	18.34	9.11	99.58	49.47

Source: DGCI&S, Kolkata & Ministry of MSME. (*: Provisional)

(b) & (c): In order to support Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs), Government has initiated various schemes for infrastructure development such as Micro & Small Enterprises-Cluster Development Programme (MSE-CDP), Scheme for Promotion of MSMEs in NER & Sikkim, Scheme of Fund for Regeneration of Traditional Industries (SFURTI), Entrepreneurship & Skill Development Programme (ESDP) and upskilling through testing/technology centers, support for tooling/technology services etc.

Government has also taken various initiatives to enhance MSME competitiveness by way of Credit Linked Capital Subsidy, Lean Manufacturing, Design Improvement, Zero Defect Zero effect Certification, Support for Incubators, Awareness of Intellectual Property Rights & Digital Empowerment of MSMEs, Procurement and Marketing Scheme (PMS), A scheme for Promoting Innovation, Rural Industry and Entrepreneurship (ASPIRE), Credit Guarantee Scheme (CGTMSE), Interest Subvention Scheme for MSMEs etc.
