

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF STEEL

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.579**  
FOR ANSWER ON 01/12/2021

**STEEL PLANTS**

579. DR. MANOJ RAJORIA:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the State-wise total number of steel plants functioning in public and private sector in the country at present;
- (b) whether the Government is working on any scheme for modernisation and expansion of the said plants and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of extent to which the production of steel has been increased in public and private sector during the last five years?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI RAM CHANDRA PRASAD SINGH)

- (a) State-wise details of steel plants functioning in public and private sector producing crude steel, and which were operational in the country during 2020-21 are at **Annexure**.
- (b) Steel being a deregulated sector, specific decisions regarding setting up of the steel plants, modernisation and expansion of the steel plants are taken by individual steel companies/investors based on commercial considerations and market dynamics.
- (c) Details of production of crude steel by public and private sector in India during the last five years are given below:-

Year	Crude steel Production		
	Public Sector	Private Sector	Total
	Qty. (in mt)	Qty. (in mt)	Qty. (in mt)
2016-17	18.46	79.48	97.94
2017-18	19.75	83.38	103.13
2018-19	21.50	89.43	110.92
2019-20	20.90	88.23	109.14
2020-21	19.51	84.03	103.54

Source: Joint Plant Committee (JPC); mt=million tonnes

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**Details of Statewise No. of Units (2020-21)**

<b>A. PRIVATE SECTOR</b>	
<b>State</b>	<b>Units</b>
Andhra Pradesh	24
Arunachal Pradesh	3
Assam	6
Bihar	13
Chhattisgarh	80
Goa	10
Gujarat	71
Haryana	14
Himachal Pradesh	25
Jammu and Kashmir	8
Jharkhand	30
Karnataka	24
Kerala	29
Madhya Pradesh	9
Maharashtra	54
Meghalaya	5
Odisha	52
Punjab	114
Rajasthan	31
Tamil Nadu	90
Telangana	27
Tripura	1
Uttar Pradesh	46
Uttarakhand	39
West Bengal	39
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	10
Daman and Diu	3
Delhi	2
<b>Total: Private Sector</b>	<b>869</b>
<b>Total: Public Sector</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>All Region Total</b>	<b>878</b>
Source: Joint Plant Committee (JPC)	

<b>B. PUBLIC SECTOR</b>	
<b>State</b>	<b>Unit</b>
Andhra Pradesh	1
Chhattisgarh	1
Jharkhand	1
Karnataka	1
Odisha	1
Tamil Nadu	1
West Bengal	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>

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