

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF POWER
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3074
ANSWERED ON 04.08.2022**

ELECTRICITY-BASED COOKING

3074. SHRI JASWANT SINGH BHABHOR:

**Will the Minister of POWER
be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of electricity-based cooking penetration which helps in reduction in energy import dependency thereby achieving the goal of Atmanirbhar Bharat;**
- (b) the penetration of electricity-based cooking in urban and rural areas; and**
- (c) the details of city/town/village having the highest penetration of electricity-based cooking in the country including the State of Gujarat?**

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF POWER AND NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY

(SHRI R.K. SINGH)

(a) to (c) : No assessment has been carried out with respect to penetration of electricity based cooking by the Ministry of Power or the PSUs/Organizations under its administrative control. However, with an objective to promote clean and safe cooking, Bureau of Energy Efficiency (BEE), a statutory body under the administrative control of Ministry of Power, has developed the performance benchmarks for Induction hobs and carried out a market assessment study to understand the market acceptability of the product category wherein the market size for Induction hobs was estimated to be around 40 lakhs units in the FY 2018-19. Further, based on the market data received, it was reported that approximately 60% of the units are being assembled locally while their components are imported, with remaining 40% units being imported in the fully assembled state.
