

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF STEEL

RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2559  
FOR ANSWER ON 08/08/2022

**DECLINING TREND IN STEEL PRODUCTION**

2559 SMT. PRIYANKA CHATURVEDI:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the State-wise list of steel capacity and production in the country from 2016 to present;
- (b) whether it is a fact that there is a decline in steel production during the last five years;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) Government initiatives to increase steel production and the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)

(a) The details of the State-wise list of steel capacity and production in the country from 2016 to present are given at **Annexure I**.

(b)&(c): Data on production of crude steel in India from 2017-18 to 2021-22 along with percentage change over same period of last year are given below. The data indicate a decline in 2019-20 and 2020-21 whereas growth was registered during rest of the said five-year period. The decline in production was mainly due to various constraints including COVID-19 pandemic and resultant lockdown measures, disruption in supply chains, logistics, human resources etc.

Year	Crude Steel	
	Production (mt)	% change (YOY*)
2017-18	103.13	--
2018-19	110.92	7.6
2019-20	109.14	-1.6
2020-21	103.54	-5.1
2021-22	120.29	16.2

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

\* Year on Year

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(d) Steel being a de-regulated sector, the Government acts as a facilitator, by creating enabling environment for development of the sector. Further, the action taken includes the following: -

- i. National Steel Policy (NSP), 2017 has mission to provide environment for attaining “self sufficiency” in steel production by providing policy support and guidance to steel producers. NSP aims to attain a steel production capacity of 300 MT by 2030. It has a long-term vision to enhance domestic consumption, produce high-quality steel and make the sector globally competitive.
- ii. Notification of Production-Linked Incentive (PLI) Scheme for Specialty Steel with an outlay of Rs. 6,322 Crore to promote the manufacturing of specialty steel within the country for domestic use and export by attracting Capital investments.
- iii. Make in India initiative and the PM Gati-shakti National Master Plan with further engagement with potential users, including from Railways, Defence, Petroleum and Natural Gas, Housing, Civil Aviation, Road Transport and Highways, Agriculture and Rural Development sectors to enhance the steel usage, overall demand for steel and investment in steel sector in the country.

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## Crude Steel: State Wise

## Annexure 1

State	2016-17		2017-18		2018-19		2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
	Capacity (in '000 tonnes)	Production (in '000 tonnes)	Capacity (in '000 tonnes)	Production (in '000 tonnes)	Capacity (in '000 tonnes)	Production (in '000 tonnes)	Capacity (in '000 tonnes)	Production (in '000 tonnes)	Capacity (in '000 tonnes)	Production (in '000 tonnes)	Capacity (in '000 tonnes)	Production (in '000 tonnes)
Arunachal Pradesh	74	56	74	62	125	39	125	29	125	0	72	69
Assam	293	217	314	229	205	83	131	67	131	59	163	108
Bihar	1138	675	1138	703	837	563	803	540	830	465	812	529
Jharkhand	19149	16326	19995	17113	19415	17238	19707	17209	19488	15549	20506	17094
Meghalaya	313	158	185	74	185	65	181	92	181	37	201	56
Odisha	23662	17741	27239	16968	26417	19299	25370	20253	25330	21432	24587	23241
Tripura	30	23	30	20	30	7	30	12	30	7	30	17
West Bengal	10634	7689	10128	7840	10820	7471	9935	7764	10172	7076	11403	8836
Chhattisgarh	14182	11539	16464	13033	18064	13164	18785	13534	19191	13183	20900	14900
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	292	258	291	246	316	291	296	285	168	145	286	253
Daman and Diu	54	22	41	33	44	50	46	46	46	40	50	46
Goa	738	482	509	345	474	429	481	423	405	400	495	407
Gujarat	11809	6351	12337	8260	12646	8654	12754	8680	13688	8403	13512	9189
Madhya Pradesh	252	177	170	144	555	506	553	438	457	369	987	569
Maharashtra	10141	8748	10884	8457	11791	9114	11961	8260	12030	7925	18038	11370
Chandigarh	77	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delhi	14	10	14	12	16	13	16	12	16	10	16	5
Haryana	926	793	931	806	953	803	953	596	1037	731	1056	941
Himachal Pradesh	682	498	698	458	862	730	1139	864	1144	766	1740	1265
Jammu and Kashmir	184	129	187	130	189	136	189	114	189	118	189	146
Punjab	2662	2043	3878	2779	4800	3611	4924	3310	5064	2917	5506	3663
Rajasthan	1078	791	1093	793	1286	1158	1176	749	1005	589	933	621
Uttar Pradesh	1347	901	1245	1001	1551	1321	1617	1198	1617	1005	1606	1197
Uttarakhand	477	371	604	438	1389	1069	1559	1077	1524	950	1512	991
Andhra Pradesh	8207	5285	8205	6156	8256	6933	8391	6539	8614	5898	8512	7096
Karnataka	13715	12404	14266	12766	15180	13327	15149	12875	15261	11688	14249	13045
Kerala	616	345	622	336	535	349	480	304	480	253	473	325
Puducherry	488	252	343	162	249	190	340	210	364	179	451	215
Tamil Nadu	3628	2663	4316	2699	3841	3036	3766	2505	3722	2159	3744	2633
Telangana	1415	958	1774	1070	1205	1274	1443	1154	1605	1192	2033	1464
<b>Total</b>	<b>128277</b>	<b>97936</b>	<b>137975</b>	<b>103131</b>	<b>142236</b>	<b>110921</b>	<b>142299</b>	<b>109137</b>	<b>143914</b>	<b>103545</b>	<b>154062</b>	<b>120293</b>

Source: Joint Plant Committee(JPC)

