

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA**

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PRODUCTION OF STEEL
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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the target set and achievements made in the production of various kinds of steel in various public sector steel plants during 1998-99, 1999-2000 and 2000-2001, plant-wise;
- (b) whether the Government are making efforts to increase the production of steel in these steel plants, particularly in VSP and Rourkela Steel Plants; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the target fixed in this regard during 2001-2002?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL (SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY)

(a) The production target is normally set for saleable steel. Plant-wise saleable steel target and actual production from 1998-99 to 2000-2001 is as follows :

Unit` MT

Plant	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-2001
	Target	Actual	Target
	Actual	Target	Actual
	Actual	Annual	Actual
	Target	(upto Jan`01)	

BSP	3.615	3.352	3.270	3.411	3.500	2.774
DSP	1.588	1.319	1.532	1.402	1.520	1.228
RSP	1.390	1.114	1.238	1.170	1.490	1.066
BSL	3.062	2.541	3.210	3.246	3.430	2.757
ASP	0.145	0.099	0.070	0.083	0.090	0.065
SSP	0.225	0.119	0.120	0.148	0.120	0.107
VISL	0.072	0.057	0.060	0.069	0.065	0.069
IISCO	0.327	0.285	0.242	0.250	0.305	0.228
VSP	2.580	1.933	2.305	2.382	2.217	2.400

+ anticipated for the year

(b) The quantum of production is regulated by the plants depending on the market conditions. However, production performance of the public sector steel plants including VSP & RSP is reviewed periodically to improve their performance.

(c) The tentative targets fixed for Saleable Steel production by the public sector steel plants are given below :

Unit`000 T

Plant Saleable Steel

BSP	3400
DSP	1542
RSP	1532
BSL	3250
ASP	80
SSP	120
VISL	80

IISCO 319
VSP 245