

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) the industries of the country in which investment has been made by Japan during each of the last three years;
- (b) Whether Japan has also set up some joint ventures in India during the said period;
- (c) If so, the details thereof;
- (d) the capital investment made by Japan in each of these joint ventures;
- (e) whether Japan propose to invest in some more joint ventures during the current financial year; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DR. RAMAN SINGH)

(a) to (d): The year wise details of FDI proposals from Japan approved during the last three years together with FDI inflows received from Japan during this period are as follows :-

Year Number of proposals Amount of FDI Approved Amount of FDI Inflow

(Jan to Dec.) (Rs. in crore) (Rs. in crore)

1998	67	1282.82	780.56
1999	91	1594.73	635.64
2000	65	827.54	681.55

The main sectors of Japanese investments are transportation industry, telecommunications and chemicals.

The details of joint ventures pertaining to Japan that have already been approved and the percentage of foreign equity proposed in each of those are contained in the Monthly SIA Newsletter brought out by Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion, which is widely circulated, including the Library of the House and also posted on the SIA Website(<http://www.nic.in/indmin>).

(e) & (f): Japan has also been granted approval to make investment in 18 FDI projects with proposed investment of Rs. 77.59 crore in the current financial year till 30.6.2001.