

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA**

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EXPANSION OF STEEL SECTOR
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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the performance of steel industry in terms of production and growth rates during the last three Five Year Plans, Plan-wise; and
(b) the targets set for Eleventh Plan?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STEEL (DR. AKHILESH DAS)

(a) The production and growth rate of finished (Carbon) steel in India at the terminal years of last three Five Years Plans are given below:-

Plan Period	Terminal Year	Production (million tonnes)	CAGR (%)
7th Plan	1991-92	14.33	
8th Plan	1996-97	22.72	9.7
9th Plan	2001-02	30.63	6.2
10th Plan	2006-07	49.35	10

(Source : Joint Plant Committee)

(b) The Working Group on Steel Industry for 11th Five Year Plan (2007-2012), constituted by the Planning Commission has projected over 77 million tonnes of finished steel availability by 2011-12.