

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

- (a) the number of passenger cars exported by the country during each of the last three years, model-wise;
- (b) whether there has been any increase in the export of passenger cars during the current year;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the foreign exchange earned by the country during the aforesaid period?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGO VAN)

(a) The number of passenger cars exported by the country during the last three years is given in Table `A` below. Information pertaining to model-wise exports of passenger cars is not available.

Table `A`

Year Number of Passenger Cars exported

2001-02	50108
2002-03	70828
2003-04	126249

(Source: Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM))

(b) & (c) There appears to be an increase in the export of passenger cars during the current year 2004-05 (April-May 04) compared to the exports in the corresponding period last year as per the figures given in Table `B` below :

Table `B`

Year No. of Passenger Cars exported Value of passenger cars exported

2004-05 (April -May)	23551	Rs.715.95 crores
2003-04 (April-May)	15928	Rs.484.21 crores

(Source: Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers, (SIAM))

(d) the foreign exchange earned during the last three years, in equivalent Indian Rupees, is given in Table `C` below:

Table `C`

Year Value of Passenger Cars exported

2001-02	Rs.418.28 Crores
2002-03	Rs.897.11 Crores
2003-04#	Rs.787.89 Crores

(April-November)

(Source: DGCI&S Kolkata) #Export figures for the year 2003-04 are yet to be finalised.