

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

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TEXTILE INDUSTRY IN KERALA
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has evaluated the share of textile industry of Kerala in the field of textiles manufactured in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government plans to give special impetus to the textile industry of Kerala; and
- (d) if so, the complete details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SMT. PANABAAGA LAKSHMI)

(a) & (b): Share of Textile Industry of Kerala in the field of Textiles manufactured in the Country is as follows: -

Kerala India

No. of Mills	34	2804
No. of powerloom	2804	2248842
Production of Yarn (MT)	3607	4188
Production of cloth (Mn.Sqm.)	1.69	1796.34

(c) & (d): Ministry of Textiles has a number of Schemes that are designed to give impetus to textiles industry in the country, including Kerala State, such as:-

- (i) Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme
- (ii) Scheme of Integrated Textile Park
- (iii) Integrated Powerloom Cluster Development
- (iv) Powerloom Group Insurance & Group Workshed Scheme
- (v) Integrated Skill Development Scheme