

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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PRODUCTION OF HONEY
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of honey in tones produced in the country naturally through honey bees during the last three years and the current year; and

(b) the percentage of honey exported out of the said quantity, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARIQ ANWAR)

(a) & (b): The details of production and export of honey in the country are as under:-

i. Production of honey during last three years.

Year	Production (MT)
2008-09	65,000
2009-10	65,000
2010-11	65,000

Source:- Indian Horticulture Database - 2011

ii. Export of honey during last three years and current year.

Year	Quantity (MT)
2009-10	13310.77
2010-11	25979.24
2011-12	26089.03
2012-13	13938.43

(April to Sept.)
Source: DGCIS