

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES  
LOK SABHA**

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FOOD PROCESSING UNITS  
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**Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the foreign exchange earned by the export of processed food items during each of the last three years;
- (b) the amount of funds invested in different food processing industries during the said period, State-wise; and
- (c) the number of food processing units assisted by the Government during the last three years, State-wise including West Bengal?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (DR. CHARAN DAS MAHANT)

(a) The value of export of processed food items during the last three years, in US \$ terms, is given as under:-

Year    Export (million US \$)

2010-11    20,427

2011-12    31,762

2012-13    36,212

(b) The amount of capital invested, State-wise, in different food processing industries during the three years ending 2010-11 for which information is available, as per the Annual Survey of Industries, is given in Annexure- I.

(c) The number of food processing units assisted under the scheme of Technology Upgradation/ Establishment/ Modernisation of Food Processing Industries during the last three years ending 2012-13, State-wise including West Bengal, is given in Annexure- II.