

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3311  
ANSWERED ON:12.02.2014  
EXPORT BY MSME SECTOR  
Ram Shri Purnmasi

**Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the total exports made by the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) sector during each of the last three years and the major markets for these exports;
- (b) whether the Government has identified the areas where there has been decline in exports;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefore; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to increase export of MSME products?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES  
(SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) As per Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics (DGCI&S) data, the total exports from Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) sector have been provisionally estimated as follows:-

US\$ Million

Sl.No. Year MSME Exports

1. 2010-11 1,11,403

2. 2011-12 1,31,483

3. 2012-13 1, 28,162

The main markets of 20 most exported MSME product groups, which constituted more than 91% of MSME exports during 2010-13 included USA, European Union (EU), UAE, Australia, Turkey, Russia, Indonesia, Singapore, Srilanka, South Africa, Hong Kong, and Israel.

(b&c) The exports of 20 most exported MSME product groups did not decline during 2010-11 to 2012 -13. The list of these 20 Product groups is at Annexure.

(d) Government has been implementing various schemes/programmes to increase the export of MSME products. Some of these schemes/programmes include National Manufacturing Competitiveness Programme (NMCP); Credit Guarantee Scheme; Credit Linked Capital subsidy Scheme; Cluster Development Programme; Market Development Assistance Scheme; and Vendor Development Programme for Ancillarisation.