

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3851
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EXPORT OF SOYABEAN AND GRAM
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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantum of exports of soyabean and gram during the last three years;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to provide additional financial assistance for the said purpose; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

- (a) The details regarding export of soyabean and Gram are as under:

	Quantity (In Tons)	
Year	Kabuli Chana	Soyabean
2006-07	61303.9	3527.66
2007-08	161772.4	7459.75
2008-09	107677.5	36232.48
(up to Feb. 2009)		

- (b) and (c). Madam, Government, in general, has been promoting agricultural exports directly and through various agencies. In order to boost exports, the Government provides various incentives for infrastructure development, quality control, market development and incentives for promotion, packaging, publicity, information dissemination etc.