

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1107
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ALLOCATIONS FOR S T
Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram

Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Union Government proposes to increase the allocation for Science and Technology;and
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the amount spent on science and technology during the last three years and the current year?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY; MINISTER OF THE STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES; MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE; MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS; AND MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN)

(a) Yes Madam.

(b) Plan allocation for Science and Technology since 2006-07 to 2009-10 has been increased by 45% from 2836.00 crores to 4125.00 crores. The details of allocations, amount spent on science and technology during the last three years and the current year are given in the Annexure.