

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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IMPORT OF DEFENCE EQUIPMENT

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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the percentage of defence equipments being manufactured and being imported in the country;
- (b) the details of the investments made in the field of defence manufacturing in the country after allowing foreign direct investment in this sector; and
- (c) the details of expenditure incurred by the Government in importing defence products during each of the last three years and the current year, category-wise and country-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI MANOHAR PARRIKAR)

(a) to (c): The expenditure on Capital acquisition in respect of orders placed on Indian vendors and foreign vendors during the period 2011-12 to 2013-14 was 53.9% and 46.1% respectively.

After opening up the Defence Industry Sector for Private Sector Participation in Defence Production, FDI amounting to Rs.24.36 crore (US \$ 4.94 million) has been received in the Sector up to December 2014.

The details of expenditure in respect of orders placed on foreign vendors during the last three financial years are given below:

(Rs. In crore)				
	Air Force	Navy	Army	
2011-12	15258.11	6700.91	506.07	
2012-13	19220.95	6100.38	991.67	
2013-14	20927.54	12653.56	1501.00	