

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1362
FOR ANSWER ON 10/02/2020

EXPORT OF STEEL

1362. SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI:

Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantity of steel being exported and the revenue earned therefrom during the last two years, country-wise;
- (b) whether the export oriented policy of steel is the primary cause for escalation of steel prices in the domestic market; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the corrective measures taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to bring down the steel prices?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) Details of country-wise export of steel for the last two financial years and current year (upto December, 2019) are given in **Annexure**.

(b)&(c): Indian steel sector is a de-regulated sector and the Government does not regulate the steel prices or trade. Moreover, steel prices in the country are stable and no abnormal price rise has been noticed.

Annexure

Statement referred to in reply to part(a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1362 for 10.2.2020						
Country-wise Export of Steel for the last two Financial Years and current year (upto December 2019)						
Country	2017-18		2018-19		2019-20 (Apr-Dec)	
	Qty. in ton	Val in Million US\$	Qty in ton	Val in Million US\$	Qty. in ton	Val in Million US\$
AFGHANISTAN	244	0.46	344	0.84	732	0.84
ALGERIA	838	1.04	2100	2.48	2582	2.88
ANGOLA	2186	2.53	2860	2.86	9339	6.93
ANTIGUA	27	0.02	574	0.50	102	0.08
ARGENTINA	58194	55.50	17152	29.61	10450	18.07
ARMENIA	0	0.00	1	0.00	0	0.00
ARUBA			48	0.05	4	0.01
AUSTRALIA	26259	33.37	26111	38.25	12166	22.19
AUSTRIA	850	1.90	1482	3.71	542	1.34
AZERBAIJAN			0	0.00	325	0.58
BAHAMAS					1	0.00
BAHARAIN IS	28528	32.38	18270	26.21	17382	15.75
BANGLADESH PR	593797	269.78	713475	323.46	644335	262.98
BARBADOS	1648	1.34	2672	2.31	1216	0.91
BELARUS	253	0.62	200	0.53	206	0.44
BELGIUM	1005251	777.50	671103	600.82	380694	350.63
BELIZE	2173	1.77	2258	2.02	2585	1.97
BENIN	736	0.78	832	0.84	33	0.05
BHUTAN	106488	38.01	136060	55.10	182094	61.61
BOLIVIA	41	0.08	162	0.14	178	0.19
BOTSWANA	61	0.06	295	0.56	72	0.16
BRAZIL	75467	90.71	55205	89.00	49963	66.92
BRUNEI	667	0.33	8	0.02	3	0.01
BULGARIA	8738	13.58	5004	10.06	5369	7.40
BURKINA FASO	8875	7.44	297	0.33	281	0.28
BURUNDI	535	0.47	189	0.72	1732	1.57
C AFRI REP	0	0.00	4	0.01	38	0.09
CAMBODIA	6	0.01	79	0.15	11	0.01
CAMEROON	4527	3.99	4281	4.05	2196	2.12
CANADA	31363	37.00	42307	61.14	27172	37.86
CAPE VERDE IS					112	0.05
CHAD	2291	2.03	330	0.31	296	0.21
CHILE	12561	18.06	11107	17.49	10235	11.72
CHINA P RP	300803	324.12	302623	318.91	787668	451.80
COLOMBIA	29490	31.96	25140	31.04	16198	17.11
COMOROS	464	0.42	775	0.62	545	0.37
CONGO D. REP.	1688	1.94	1867	1.91	1645	1.56

CONGO P REP	1266	1.16	829	0.87	1007	0.70
COSTA RICA	1602	2.07	862	1.36	555	0.77
COTE D' IVOIRE	10325	8.66	4682	3.99	2065	1.93
CROATIA	2320	3.18	440	1.22	370	0.89
CUBA	155	0.20	284	0.24	83	0.09
CYPRUS	2310	2.17	1611	1.68	1027	0.92
CZECH REPUBLIC	1186	2.66	1085	2.91	1100	2.54
DENMARK	43582	34.95	11913	17.59	15796	16.48
DJIBOUTI	59155	45.58	78683	68.89	45560	29.51
DOMINIC REP	4024	3.51	3973	3.88	1334	1.14
DOMINICA	441	0.48	123	0.11		
ECUADOR	36724	33.16	22686	23.31	9685	8.95
EGYPT A RP	85739	69.81	36194	45.27	42778	48.01
EL SALVADOR	4034	3.96	2813	2.80	5418	4.02
EQU TL GUINEA	392	0.29	340	0.33	271	0.23
ERITREA	95	0.11				
ESTONIA	2663	4.43	2130	4.52	1036	2.47
ETHIOPIA	137110	108.13	91202	85.81	46157	41.66
FIJI IS	19	0.03	43	0.13	1003	0.49
FINLAND	6314	11.71	5025	9.51	2460	5.01
FRANCE	11172	17.56	23881	28.81	19049	30.12
GABON	2880	2.58	568	0.54	623	0.44
GAMBIA	7901	6.18	1275	1.21	879	0.50
GEORGIA	134	0.33	299	0.68	468	0.47
GERMANY	53888	129.94	60304	161.35	45807	118.37
GHANA	33758	29.82	21053	18.27	20538	15.83
GREECE	39807	39.27	19164	21.46	24507	21.62
GRENADA	544	0.47	626	0.63	388	0.32
GUADELOUPE	153	0.15	5	0.01	2	0.00
GUATEMALA	5928	6.80	6243	7.25	3092	3.31
GUINEA	2689	2.76	4122	3.64	2682	2.15
GUINEA BISSAU	446	0.43	326	0.21	189	0.20
GUYANA	2493	2.02	3370	2.74	2343	1.81
HAITI	5112	3.99	89	0.08	264	0.24
HONDURAS	4793	3.41	5971	4.57	10573	7.57
HONG KONG	224379	117.11	121236	65.23	128842	63.48
HUNGARY	2362	3.00	970	2.18	297	0.77
ICELAND	366	0.51	1713	2.25	1616	2.38
INDONESIA	770302	540.83	334900	276.76	236351	147.22
IRAN	113645	137.21	46023	63.08	7508	14.78
IRAQ	7069	5.77	3956	3.70	4987	4.32
IRELAND	14399	11.01	16777	14.35	4588	5.06
ISRAEL	10549	14.77	8147	14.94	5245	9.67

ITALY	1520321	1033.72	1234435	887.32	865240	539.92
JAMAICA	7729	6.48	6402	5.76	3592	2.99
JAPAN	224728	252.49	210936	235.59	160265	148.51
JORDAN	2804	2.98	3134	3.42	18551	9.01
KAZAKHSTAN	1	0.00	0	0.00	10	0.02
KENYA	97778	54.77	96271	52.41	40433	21.66
KOREA DP RP			50	0.04	45	0.09
KOREA RP	288689	339.16	394596	449.00	207586	226.99
KUWAIT	27143	25.20	33766	33.72	12392	13.29
KYRGHYZSTAN	52	0.09	101	0.15	52	0.09
LAO PD RP	301	0.27	92	0.10		
LATVIA	25833	18.15	34765	24.97	13804	9.10
LEBANON	654	1.55	1192	2.37	954	1.77
LESOTHO					0	0.00
LIBERIA	7230	6.51	1650	1.70	2247	1.89
LIBYA	4682	5.64	5882	7.72	5542	6.20
LITHUANIA	1767	2.32	2854	3.91	2755	3.79
LUXEMBOURG	1	0.00	21	0.06	1	0.00
MACEDONIA	50	0.06	0	0.00	475	0.42
MADAGASCAR	12599	8.88	6579	3.67	3580	1.79
MALAWI	3858	3.34	1498	1.44	229	0.24
MALAYSIA	558928	304.80	379881	242.37	375479	203.34
MALDIVES	23176	16.36	17475	13.48	8697	6.76
MALI	1730	1.61	799	0.79	128	0.17
MALTA	19	0.02	1	0.00	30	0.03
MARSHALL ISLAND	0	0.00	0	0.00		
MARTINIQUE	129	0.13				
MAURITANIA	83	0.09	21	0.02	2296	1.07
MAURITIUS	10861	5.22	9294	5.49	7664	4.76
MEXICO	155070	137.85	87075	105.53	39637	54.09
MOLDOVA	10	0.02	24	0.03	3	0.01
MONGOLIA	1	0.00	1	0.00	0	0.00
MONTENEGRO	638	0.52	395	0.51	93	0.22
MOROCCO	3687	4.53	6821	8.47	2322	3.25
MOZAMBIQUE	3249	2.70	2971	2.40	4573	5.32
MYANMAR	208520	108.65	42979	23.95	36166	18.92
N. MARIANA IS.	5	0.01				
NAMIBIA	10	0.01	14	0.03	0	0.00
NAURU RP	20	0.01				
NEPAL	1863556	880.52	2186349	1140.03	1601313	714.47
NETHERLAND	129700	187.56	106453	168.29	57564	96.92
NETHERLANDANTIL	21	0.02	70	0.06	52	0.04
NEW CALEDONIA	0	0.00	22	0.04		

NEW ZEALAND	7084	9.22	7954	10.84	6042	7.59
NICARAGUA	759	0.61	43	0.05	5	0.06
NIGER	977	0.73	420	0.49	28	0.27
NIGERIA	45018	36.35	65557	52.12	21321	19.98
NORWAY	4876	4.86	3507	4.98	3273	3.55
OMAN	144624	76.67	101120	84.32	136524	84.65
PAKISTAN IR	85779	72.97	55674	51.90	18080	15.78
PALAU			0	0.00		
PANAMA REPUBLIC	4180	3.56	292	0.32	101	0.21
PAPUA N GNA	19	0.09	313	0.22	225	0.20
PARAGUAY	60251	48.78	32276	27.59	24261	17.84
PERU	48673	44.95	13244	16.34	3097	5.14
PHILIPPINES	357579	176.42	179730	101.84	126071	61.82
POLAND	162093	164.84	100773	131.59	57866	87.74
PORTUGAL	136742	105.21	65397	59.57	90702	63.66
PUERTO RICO	366	0.34	33	0.04	147	0.14
QATAR	53268	48.97	61383	64.83	31983	29.42
REUNION	930	0.77	192	0.18	108	0.11
ROMANIA	40146	37.77	28566	28.23	32185	29.03
RUSSIA	31933	74.20	32686	80.99	35504	85.40
RWANDA	8500	7.53	7818	7.60	1144	1.53
SAHARWI A.DM RP	0	0.00				
SAO TOME					269	0.22
SAUDI ARAB	259617	155.65	215424	158.72	92350	67.90
SENEGAL	12983	11.52	13619	12.17	5467	4.52
SERBIA	80	0.21	176	0.47	238	0.62
SEYCHELLES	958	0.66	726	0.56	431	0.29
SIERRA LEONE	5784	4.72	1730	1.53	1101	0.78
SINGAPORE	203394	110.00	64106	44.38	48892	29.70
SLOVAK REP	1501	3.20	831	1.58	1585	3.03
SLOVENIA	11528	15.39	6772	11.80	5014	7.71
SOMALIA	20425	17.14	15396	13.70	5109	4.12
SOUTH AFRICA	64144	52.19	15993	32.88	11489	22.93
SPAIN	596377	420.55	375519	311.08	244557	181.76
SRI LANKA DSR	455054	245.57	282364	161.56	322189	151.08
ST LUCIA	1816	1.59	1117	1.01	438	0.37
ST VINCENT			22	0.02		
SUDAN	36350	21.93	15746	10.92	15383	6.24
SURINAME	1248	0.97	803	0.65	99	0.07
SWAZILAND	667	0.45				
SWEDEN	19256	18.93	6153	10.46	6859	9.59
SWITZERLAND	2060	3.92	2275	5.32	1993	3.92
SYRIA	1819	2.04	28	0.08	3	0.01
TAIWAN	416499	358.36	240276	223.73	354849	211.18

TANZANIA REP	16032	11.62	12641	11.76	18059	10.18
THAILAND	435009	250.32	311373	201.62	266740	142.57
TIMOR-LESTE					0	0.00
TOGO	7090	5.40	691	0.64	997	0.87
TRINIDAD	21410	16.59	11699	9.52	7334	5.50
TUNISIA	7513	6.84	6280	6.96	2167	2.38
TURKEY	284961	226.07	151419	172.63	74311	100.84
TURKMENISTAN	495	0.46	161	0.13	108	0.08
U ARAB EMTS	1014527	711.60	954513	733.45	805749	569.42
U K	131096	101.33	104503	93.14	100775	73.27
U S A	349027	372.27	156805	247.40	90036	135.09
UGANDA	2903	3.23	2623	3.02	2408	2.36
UKRAINE	8102	14.95	8405	16.48	7068	14.29
UNSPECIFIED			0	0.00		
URUGUAY	6557	5.44	5331	4.95	1766	1.60
UZBEKISTAN	80	0.32	276	1.05	78	0.27
VANUATU REP			0	0.00	1	0.00
VENEZUELA	4	0.01	345	0.23	150	0.06
VIETNAM SOC REP	1087687	579.78	860678	486.22	1941622	902.35
VIRGIN IS US	29	0.07	18	0.06		
YEMEN REPubLC	1950	1.40	764	0.72	917	0.77
ZAMBIA	1673	1.89	4073	4.54	4064	3.53
ZIMBABWE	1721	1.68	1471	1.58	228	0.37

Figures for 2019-20 are provisional and subject to change

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