

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF STEEL

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FOR ANSWER ON 24/07/2019

DECLINE OF STEEL EXPORTS

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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

- (a) what are the reasons that country's finished steel exports recently fell to their lowest in the last three years as shipments to traditional markets shrank, the details thereof; and
- (b) the details of the countries where steel exports declined, in the past three years and the steps taken by Government to boost steel exports, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STEEL

(SHRI DHARMENDRA PRADHAN)

- (a) India's finished steel exports have declined during the last three years due to the imposition of protective trade measures imposed by US, EU, Canada and initiation of other trade investigations by other countries.
- (b) County-wise details of exports during the last three years alongwith percentage growth/decline is **Annexed**. The government provides assistance to exporters through Foreign Trade Policy 2015-20 in the form of export incentives, market access initiatives etc.

ANNEXURE**Export of Steel from India during the last three Financial Years**

Country	Export in Million USD			% Growth		
	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
ERITREA		0.11				-100.00
MARTINIQUE		0.13				-100.00
N. MARIANA IS.		0.01				-100.00
NAURU RP		0.01				-100.00
SAHARWI A.DM RP		0.00				-100.00
SWAZILAND	0.01	0.45		-88.97	5334.24	-100.00
HAITI	2.25	3.99	0.08	-0.31	77.29	-98.07
MACEDONIA	0.14	0.06	0.00	8963.20	-53.70	-97.64
MALTA	0.00	0.02	0.00	-97.40	420.32	-96.73
SYRIA	0.18	2.04	0.08	-14.47	1033.71	-96.06
BURKINA FASO	3.38	7.44	0.33	41.61	120.41	-95.60
BRUNEI	0.01	0.33	0.02	-42.09	3460.50	-93.47
KAZAKHSTAN		0.00	0.00			-92.87
NICARAGUA	0.87	0.61	0.05	526.78	-29.96	-92.44
PANAMA REPUBLIC	3.82	3.56	0.32	1219.36	-6.73	-91.15
GUADELOUPE	0.00	0.15	0.01		1272366.67	-90.84
PUERTO RICO	0.12	0.34	0.04	-95.54	176.51	-88.25
TOGO	0.95	5.40	0.64	-80.18	468.99	-88.12
CHAD	1.15	2.03	0.31	46870.81	75.83	-84.85
GAMBIA	3.45	6.18	1.21	2.98	79.23	-80.44
GABON	0.81	2.58	0.54	40.78	219.55	-79.06
MYANMAR	34.19	108.65	23.95	63.53	217.81	-77.96
REUNION	0.54	0.77	0.18	-53.30	42.93	-76.83
DOMINICA	0.16	0.48	0.11		199.92	-76.57
MAURITANIA	0.19	0.09	0.02	-73.74	-51.41	-74.99
LIBERIA	3.51	6.51	1.70	-55.34	85.35	-73.96
TURKMENISTAN	0.02	0.46	0.13	-98.04	2768.47	-71.49
SIERRA LEONE	6.58	4.72	1.53	-24.89	-28.31	-67.62
PERU	45.64	44.95	16.34	21.64	-1.49	-63.66
LAO PD RP	0.02	0.27	0.10	-71.07	1626.37	-63.01
CROATIA	0.74	3.18	1.22	-51.39	330.37	-61.64
SINGAPORE	36.55	110.00	44.38	178.27	200.95	-59.65
MADAGASCAR	10.28	8.88	3.67	-23.04	-13.62	-58.63
MALAWI	4.38	3.34	1.44	-47.38	-23.83	-56.74
IRAN	95.22	137.21	63.08	-71.25	44.09	-54.03
COTE D'IVOIRE	12.02	8.66	3.99	-36.44	-27.93	-53.93

GUINEA BISSAU	3.10	0.43	0.21	397.49	-86.06	-51.31
MALI	2.19	1.61	0.79	394.09	-26.61	-50.68
SLOVAK REP	1.36	3.20	1.58	-15.66	135.21	-50.49
SUDAN	25.96	21.93	10.92	-12.31	-15.55	-50.18
DENMARK	11.51	34.95	17.59	2.36	203.67	-49.67
INDONESIA	300.74	540.83	276.76	121.64	79.84	-48.83
YEMEN REPubLC	2.98	1.40	0.72	-36.33	-52.93	-48.54
ARGENTINA	16.95	55.50	29.61	-47.73	227.42	-46.66
GREECE	27.67	39.27	21.46	-15.11	41.94	-45.36
SWEDEN	10.65	18.93	10.46	15.65	77.70	-44.73
HONG KONG	7.41	117.11	65.23	40.22	1479.42	-44.30
PARAGUAY	32.35	48.78	27.59	201.65	50.78	-43.44
PORTUGAL	84.23	105.21	59.57	103.73	24.91	-43.38
TRINIDAD	15.23	16.59	9.52	-12.81	8.95	-42.61
PHILIPPINES	33.54	176.42	101.84	138.99	425.98	-42.27
ARMENIA	0.00	0.00	0.00	-76.29	24.06	-39.98
GHANA	47.71	29.82	18.27	30.60	-37.51	-38.73
TAIWAN	261.84	358.36	223.73	93.42	36.86	-37.57
SOUTH AFRICA	49.73	52.19	32.88	44.02	4.95	-37.00
ST LUCIA	0.88	1.59	1.01	81.37	80.84	-36.68
IRAQ	5.87	5.77	3.70	41.54	-1.70	-35.86
EGYPT A RP	31.35	69.81	45.27	-20.82	122.69	-35.15
COSTA RICA	1.75	2.07	1.36	21.57	18.52	-34.39
SRI LANKA DSR	121.31	245.57	161.56	40.83	102.44	-34.21
U S A	330.18	372.27	247.40	-18.63	12.75	-33.54
SURINAME	0.35	0.97	0.65	-47.76	181.07	-32.86
NIGER		0.73	0.49	-100.00		-32.41
ECUADOR	51.45	33.16	23.31	102.18	-35.54	-29.72
EL SALVADOR	3.92	3.96	2.80	-20.30	1.03	-29.37
PAKISTAN IR	39.85	72.97	51.90	23.85	83.11	-28.88
HUNGARY	4.86	3.00	2.18	158.73	-38.25	-27.55
SPAIN	321.12	420.55	311.08	167.52	30.96	-26.03
BULGARIA	10.40	13.58	10.06	68.71	30.57	-25.92
ROMANIA	23.49	37.77	28.23	0.49	60.78	-25.26
CONGO P REP	1.62	1.16	0.87	-43.85	-28.27	-25.08
TURKEY	128.94	226.07	172.63	7.49	75.33	-23.64
MEXICO	147.24	137.85	105.53	123.11	-6.38	-23.44
SLOVENIA	5.43	15.39	11.80	-26.81	183.33	-23.32
BELGIUM	738.88	777.50	600.82	194.18	5.23	-22.72
CYPRUS	2.07	2.17	1.68	1.58	4.64	-22.45
ETHIOPIA	118.75	108.13	85.81	2.38	-8.94	-20.64

MALAYSIA	281.73	304.80	242.37	496.05	8.19	-20.48
POLAND	91.56	164.84	131.59	19.80	80.04	-20.17
SOMALIA	16.23	17.14	13.70	13.70	5.60	-20.07
THAILAND	223.32	250.32	201.62	83.26	12.09	-19.46
BAHARAIN IS	14.35	32.38	26.21	-8.16	125.70	-19.05
FINLAND	9.07	11.71	9.51	-0.96	29.19	-18.76
MALDIVES	10.51	16.36	13.48	20.90	55.70	-17.60
VIETNAM SOC REP	561.49	579.78	486.22	691.87	3.26	-16.14
SEYCHELLES	1.06	0.66	0.56	32.75	-37.56	-15.74
BELARUS	0.37	0.62	0.53	3.66	68.58	-15.00
VIRGIN IS US		0.07	0.06			-14.98
ITALY	764.45	1033.72	887.32	96.29	35.22	-14.16
MOZAMBIQUE	2.18	2.70	2.40	-58.79	24.04	-11.42
JAMAICA	4.83	6.48	5.76	96.97	34.32	-11.21
NETHERLAND	147.24	187.56	168.29	8.79	27.38	-10.27
URUGUAY	5.23	5.44	4.95	23.14	4.06	-8.98
U K	114.95	101.33	93.14	333.94	-11.85	-8.08
JAPAN	154.98	252.49	235.59	9.24	62.92	-6.69
UGANDA	2.45	3.23	3.02	-69.39	31.63	-6.48
ZIMBABWE	0.54	1.68	1.58	-72.32	212.98	-6.16
KENYA	30.73	54.77	52.41	6.55	78.21	-4.32
CHILE	13.05	18.06	17.49	-1.39	38.44	-3.18
COLOMBIA	29.55	31.96	31.04	13.96	8.15	-2.87
MONTENEGRO	0.29	0.52	0.51	-64.66	78.39	-2.09
BRAZIL	51.51	90.71	89.00	15.52	76.11	-1.88
CONGO D. REP.	1.59	1.94	1.91	-35.02	22.49	-1.62
CHINA P RP	344.84	324.12	318.91	136.83	-6.01	-1.61
RWANDA	7.72	7.53	7.60	-14.97	-2.49	1.03
ISRAEL	13.77	14.77	14.94	-3.37	7.26	1.11
TANZANIA REP	12.62	11.62	11.76	-32.23	-7.97	1.26
CAMEROON	2.12	3.99	4.05	-53.42	88.19	1.62
TUNISIA	3.77	6.84	6.96	61.93	81.68	1.78
ESTONIA	6.09	4.43	4.52	7.77	-27.23	1.86
SAUDI ARAB	83.29	155.65	158.72	33.78	86.89	1.97
NORWAY	5.82	4.86	4.98	148.74	-16.63	2.51
U ARAB EMTS	516.06	711.60	733.45	78.64	37.89	3.07
MAURITIUS	3.87	5.22	5.49	438.56	34.85	5.18
SENEGAL	11.49	11.52	12.17	3.33	0.27	5.62
GUATEMALA	3.68	6.80	7.25	289.45	84.68	6.69
BENIN	1.39	0.78	0.84	-60.13	-43.59	7.40
RUSSIA	62.21	74.20	80.99	18.28	19.27	9.15

CZECH REPUBLIC	2.55	2.66	2.91	59.00	4.16	9.74
OMAN	54.71	76.67	84.32	71.28	40.12	9.98
UKRAINE	8.91	14.95	16.48	36.06	67.68	10.27
DOMINIC REP	6.88	3.51	3.88	43.14	-48.99	10.58
ANGOLA	1.32	2.53	2.86	-18.77	91.95	12.87
EQU TL GUINEA	0.47	0.29	0.33	-15.39	-37.49	13.72
BELIZE	0.51	1.77	2.02	-14.55	243.16	14.20
AUSTRALIA	28.02	33.37	38.25	2.58	19.08	14.62
JORDAN	2.06	2.98	3.42	-1.66	44.86	14.82
NEW ZEALAND	4.01	9.22	10.84	-19.74	130.13	17.51
BANGLADESH PR	372.65	269.78	323.46	66.47	-27.61	19.90
CUBA	1.27	0.20	0.24	-36.37	-84.54	23.50
GERMANY	97.87	129.94	161.35	-1.14	32.77	24.17
NEPAL	627.21	880.52	1140.03	32.76	40.39	29.47
IRELAND	3.48	11.01	14.35	-19.63	216.18	30.35
GUINEA	4.13	2.76	3.64	103.61	-33.17	31.91
MOLDOVA	0.02	0.02	0.03		24.85	32.29
KOREA RP	333.95	339.16	449.00	52.19	1.56	32.39
QATAR	20.13	48.97	64.83	-23.35	143.22	32.39
KUWAIT	34.38	25.20	33.72	-4.38	-26.69	33.82
HONDURAS	2.43	3.41	4.57	33.86	40.60	33.82
GRENADA	0.50	0.47	0.63	20.16	-6.20	34.17
GUYANA	2.66	2.02	2.74	-24.15	-24.12	35.60
SWITZERLAND	3.49	3.92	5.32	-1.38	12.35	35.64
LIBYA	9.78	5.64	7.72	133.15	-42.32	36.82
LATVIA	25.90	18.15	24.97	818.89	-29.93	37.59
NIGERIA	17.12	36.35	52.12	-41.11	112.32	43.37
BHUTAN	8.19	38.01	55.10	-58.56	364.32	44.95
COMOROS	0.61	0.42	0.62	-6.44	-30.24	47.71
DJIBOUTI	30.83	45.58	68.89	34.73	47.87	51.13
LEBANON	1.60	1.55	2.37	-21.13	-3.14	53.23
BURUNDI	0.91	0.47	0.72	213.32	-48.89	53.78
KYRGHZSTAN	0.09	0.09	0.15	11.95	8.12	57.80
FRANCE	18.28	17.56	28.81	-13.52	-3.96	64.10
CANADA	30.26	37.00	61.14	33.54	22.27	65.23
LITHUANIA	3.18	2.32	3.91	-36.65	-26.97	68.13
BOLIVIA	0.05	0.08	0.14	-94.89	80.13	70.55
BARBADOS	1.07	1.34	2.31	8.85	25.40	72.94
AFGHANISTAN	0.11	0.46	0.84	19.42	302.19	83.59
MOROCCO	6.21	4.53	8.47	37.91	-27.02	86.72
AUSTRIA	0.89	1.90	3.71	2.22	113.23	95.47
GEORGIA	0.15	0.33	0.68	-76.89	124.86	108.71

SERBIA	0.29	0.21	0.47	2293.14	-26.23	120.72
ALGERIA	3.07	1.04	2.48	802.86	-66.14	138.68
ZAMBIA	1.25	1.89	4.54	-49.72	51.72	140.25
PAPUA N GNA	0.22	0.09	0.22	-20.29	-59.60	148.54
MONGOLIA		0.00	0.00			192.77
NETHERLANDANTIL	0.02	0.02	0.06		-14.75	206.12
UZBEKISTAN	0.07	0.32	1.05	6820.16	353.19	226.45
ICELAND	0.07	0.51	2.25		675.01	337.39
FIJI IS	0.01	0.03	0.13	12.06	349.00	382.43
NAMIBIA	0.21	0.01	0.03	-14.90	-96.97	449.23
BOTSWANA	0.08	0.06	0.56	-85.30	-30.98	876.20
CAMBODIA	0.12	0.01	0.15	49.04	-88.66	938.01
LUXEMBOURG	0.01	0.00	0.06		-38.28	1412.01
VENEZUELA	0.86	0.01	0.23	0.02	-98.35	1507.49
ANTIGUA	0.17	0.02	0.50	-31.63	-86.03	2011.14
C AFRI REP	0.40	0.00	0.01		-99.96	6625.85
NEW CALEDONIA		0.00	0.04	-100.00		7957.12
MARSHALL ISLAND		0.00	0.00			11800.00
ALBANIA	0.09				-100.00	
ARUBA			0.05			
AZERBAIJAN			0.00			
BAHAMAS				-100.00		
BOSNIA-HRZGOVIN				-100.00		
BR VIRGN IS				-100.00		
CAYMAN IS				-100.00		
FR GUIANA	0.12			269.47	-100.00	
GUAM	0.00				-100.00	
KIRIBATI REP	0.00				-100.00	
KOREA DP RP	1.68		0.04	149.03	-100.00	
LIECHTENSTEIN				-100.00		
MONTSERRAT	0.00				-100.00	
PALAU			0.00			
SAO TOME	0.23			200.90	-100.00	
ST KITT N A	0.00				-100.00	
ST VINCENT			0.02	-100.00		
UNSPECIFIED	1.17		0.00	1289.80	-100.00	
US MINOR OUTLYING ISLANDS	0.03				-100.00	
VANUATU REP			0.00			
Total of Steel Export	8683.01	11244.74	9742.01	58.09	29.50	-13.36

Source: DGCIS. Figures for 2018-19 are provisional and subject to change.