

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN  
THE MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE  
AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI  
NITIRAJ SINGH CHAUDHARY):

(a) Government are not aware of any such statement.

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

**Quantity of Plastic Imported and Indigenously produced**

4780. SHRI VEKARIA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of plastic imported during the last three years, year-wise; and  
(b) the quantity of plastic manufactured in India during the last three years, year-wise?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI DALBIR SINGH)

(a)

Item	Quantity imported in tonnes		
	1969-70	1970-71	1971-72
Polyethylene (L.D.)	2069	310	1056
Polyethylene (H.D.)	289	37	76
Polystyrene	388	175	147
P.V.C. (Compounds)	161	23	21
P.V.C. Resin (both emulsion & Suspension)	81.3	179	39.5
Cellulose Acetate Moulding Powder	91	86	100
Cellulose Acetate Butyrate Moulding Powder	684	553	713
Nylon Moulding Powder	512	548	664
Acrylic Moulding Powder	61	77.5	128
Polymethyl Methacrylate Powder	72	31	27
Polypropylene Moulding Powder	903	603	175
Phenol Formaldehyde Moulding Powder	10	80.5	25.8
Urea Formaldehyde Moulding Powder	86	0.27	1.4

(b)	Item	Quantity manufactured in the country (Tonne Estimated)		
		1970	1971	1972
	Polyethylene (L.D.)	23000	27500	28000
	Polyethylene (H.D.)	18350	23000	20000
	Polystyrene	9300	11000	12500
	Cellulose Acetate Moulding Powder	1050	1276	1100
	P.V.C. Resin	38700	40326	46000
	P.F. Moulding Powder	3246	3876	2669
	U.F. Moulding Powder	1680	1945	1865