

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA**

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INDIA'S SHARE IN WORLD TEXTILE MARKET
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have conducted any study to find out India's share in the World textile market;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is any proposal to create cluster of readymade garment/fabric for export purpose only;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the support provided by the Government for such projects ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI BASANAGOUDA R. PATIL (YATNAL))

- (a) & (b) As per the WTO data (2000), India's share in the world textile market is 3.4%.
- (c) to (e) Government has launched a centrally sponsored scheme titled 'Apparel Parks for Exports Scheme', with the following objectives:-
 - (i) To give a focussed thrust for setting up of modern apparel manufacturing units of international standards, which will work as one-stop-shop for reputed international buyers.
 - (ii) To give fillip to domestic production to meet competition from imports and to promote exports in this sector.

The detailed guidelines of the Scheme are available on Ministry of Textiles' website <http://www.texmin.nic.in>. Under the Scheme, Government of India assistance to the tune of 75% of the infrastructure development cost subject to a maximum of Rs. 10 crores is given. Besides, central assistance upto a maximum of Rs. 5 crores is available for setting up of an effluent treatment plant, creche/s, any multi purpose centre/hall for marketing /display etc and assistance to the tune of 50% subject to a maximum of Rs. 2 crores is available for the cost of any training facility created in the park.