

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
LOK SABHA**

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MANUFACTURING OF CARS
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Car Industry in the country has grown appreciably; and
- (b) if so, the details of car manufacturing business and their production during the last two years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES AND MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b): The passenger Car Industry in India has grown steadily during the last few years except during the year 2000-01 when there was negative growth due to global economic recession. Passenger Car Industry in India has 15 manufacturers with an installed capacity of 12,37,000 units. Production of cars during the years 2001-02 and 2002-03 was 564052 nos. and 606088 nos. respectively.