

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3490  
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APPLE EXPORTS  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether India exports Apples in large quantity;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the quantity of Apples imported during the last three years, year-wise details thereof; and
- (d) the amount of foreign exchange earned by the country from export of Apples during the said period?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY ( SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGO VAN)

(a)&(b): The quantity of apples exported from India during the last three year is as under:

Qty: Metric Tonnes

2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004 (Apr-Sep.)
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19296	15632	1590
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(Source: DGCI&S)

(c): The quantity of apples imported during last three years is as under:

Qty: Metric Tonnes

2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004 (Apr-Sep.)
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17028	18197	15075
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(Source: DGCI&S)

(d): The amount of foreign exchange earned by the country from export of apples during last three years is as under:

Value: Rs. crores

2001-2002    2002-2003    2003-2004 (Apr-Sep.)

13.39    15.72    1.61

(Source: DGC&S)