

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1164
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.03.2015

Manufacturing of Cars

1164. PROF. SAUGATA ROY:
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the car manufacturing business is growing rapidly in the country and if so, the details thereof;
(b) whether it is true that the Indian small car maker, Maruti Suzuki Alto has emerged as the largest selling small car company in the world in 2014 and if so, the details thereof;
(c) whether a manufacturing unit is proposed to be setup in Tamil Nadu; and
(d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC
ENTERPRISES (SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWARA)

- (a): The production of cars manufacturing faced slow down during the last three years. The production of cars during the current year has improved. The details of the production of cars during the last five years are as follows:-

Year	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15(from April, 14 to Jan,15)
Production	2,357,411	2,987,296	3,146,069	3,231,058	3,072,651	19,79,347
YoY growth	28.22	26.72	5.31	2.70	-4.90	

(No. of Cars)

(Source: SIAM)

- (b): No specific data is available for sale of small cars of various models in other countries. Maruti Suzuki Alto has emerged as the largest selling small car company in India in 2014. The sale of various car models in India during 2014-15 (January, 2014 to December, 2014) is as follows:-

Domestic Sales (In Nos)	
Models	2014 (Jan-Dec)
Alto	264,544
Swift	202,831
DZIRE	197,750
Wagon R	159,260
Grand i10	103,749
Eon	80,361
City	77,346
Celerio	67,616
Amaze	65,505
Xcent	51,614

Source: SIAM

- (c) & (d): No such proposal is under consideration.
