

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
RAJYA SABHA
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ACHIEVEMENTS IN ELECTRONIC AND IT SECTOR

1527. SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR:

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the details of achievements in electronics and IT sector in respect of 'Make in India' in the last five years; and

(b) how has it impacted the trade, economy, innovation and employment ?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a) and (b): Government of India's goal is to make India a significant Electronics System Design and Manufacturing hub as part of its AtmaNirbhar Bharat economic policies. In this regard, Government has taken several strategic steps and initiatives for broadening and deepening our electronic manufacturing ecosystem. As a result of these initiatives, the production and export of electronic goods has grown at a CAGR of 17.9% and 16% respectively in the last five years. Also, India's share in global electronics manufacturing has grown from 1.3% in 2012 to 8% in FY 21-22 and it contributed to about 4% of India's total GDP in FY21-22.

India has emerged as the 2nd largest manufacturer of mobile handsets in the world in volume terms. Over 200 units are manufacturing cellular mobile phones and parts / components thereof in the country, up from only 2 units in 2014. In volume terms, the production of Mobile Phones has gone up from about 6 crore mobile phones in 2014-15 to approximately 32 crore mobile phones in 2021-22.

India is fast emerging as a trusted source/ Country in the global supply chain for electronics. Electronics and IT is one of the emerging sectors for employment growth in India. The initiatives taken by the government has facilitated an eco-system for development of ESDM Sector in the entire country which has resulted in employment generation for over 57 lakh persons across the country as per industry estimates.
