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Northern	30386.21	26752.06
North Central	16695.57	10747.77
North Eastern	5719.46	8470.46
Northeast Frontier	6358.34	9205.34
North Western	6780.60	6552.85
Southern	14095.38	16259.70
South Central	22511.67	18274.62
South Eastern	21912.31	15522.95
South East Central	13779.36	7294.32
South Western	6283.84	5141.83
Western	23226.82	19869.49
West Central	11949.93	9301.45
Metro	240.09	585.06

Shortage of wagons

258. SHRI T.T.V. DHINAKARAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is an acute shortage of wagons in the country;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether shortage of wagons has hit cement distribution; and
- (d) if so, the action taken to increase the production of wagons?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI E. AHAMMED): (a) to (d) No, Sir. Cement loading on Indian Railways has grown by 8.9 percent in the current financial year (up to May'09) over corresponding period of last year.

Building of world class railway stations

259. SHRI T.T.V. DHINAKARAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is proposed to build world class railway stations;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI E. AHAMMED): (a) to (c) The Details are being worked out and will be laid on the Table of the House.