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RWF milestones

Rail Wheel factory touched a new high in the first quarter of 2019-20 with a 109% jump in wheel set production compared to the previous fiscal, from 6151 sets in April-June 2018 to 12,838 in April-June 2019.

Average wheelsets assembled per day doubled in April 2019 compared to April 2018. Cast wheels and forged axles production increased 11% and 8% respectively. June 11, 2019 saw the best ever daily out turn of 402 wheel sets assembled.

The Railways Ministry chose RWF as the best performing production unit for environment management, 2018-19. RWF planted 46,000 tree saplings, set up an off grid system of renewable energy of solar roof top system and a hybrid, Solar plus wind stream system. It is a primary recycler of old railway wheels being melted and used for casting new wheels. Last year approx. 70,000 tons of steel scrap was recycled.