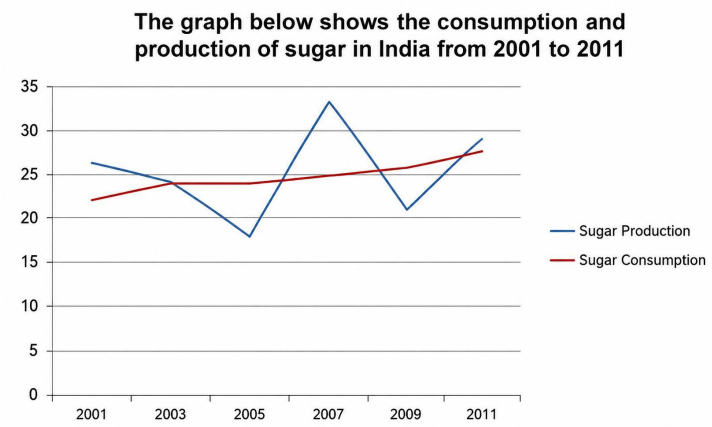
The graph below shows the consumption and production of sugar (in thousands of tons) in India from 2001 to 2011.



The line graph illustrates changes in the production and consumption rates of sugar, in thousand tons, in India between 2001 and 2011. Overall, there was an upward trend in the figure for both consumption and manufacturing of sugar over the years, whereas the volume of manufacturing exceeded that of consumption for most of the period. The production rate demonstrated pronounced changes, whilst the trend for consumption was relatively stable.

Overview:
1st key feature - both categories increased
2nd key feature - more production than consumption
3rd key feature - noticeable changes in production, more stable figure in consumption.

With regard to the manufacturing rate of sugar, nearly 27 thousand tons were produced in 2001. This figure was noticeably down 10 thousand tons in 2005, which quickly recovered in 2007, a figure which peaked at almost 34 thousand tons. However, there was a drastic drop to just above 20 thousand tons by 2009, which again showed a further increase to nearly 30 thousand tons in 2011.

In comparison, the trend for consumption of sugar was on a steady surge from 2001 to 2011. It started at approximately 22 thousand tons, the result of which accounted for 25 thousand tons in 2007. In 2011, about 28 thousand tons of sugar was being consumed in the country.

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