

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.647
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03/12/2021

IMPLEMENTATION OF SEED RELATED SCHEMES

647. SHRI Y. S. CHOWDARY:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of steps taken to make available quality seeds to farmers under various schemes like National Food Security Mission etc.;

(b) whether financial assistance is provided for seed related activities for the welfare of farmers; and

(c) if so, the amount disbursed under various seeds related schemes during the last three years, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a): The Government is implementing various schemes to strengthen the seed production chain & to enhance availability of quality seeds & planting material of crops to farmers across the country through various schemes viz., National Food Security Mission (NFSM), Sub-Missions under National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA) [Sub-Mission on Seeds & Planting Material (SMSP) & Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region] and Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana RAFTAAR (RKVY-RKVY-RAFTAAR) which provides provision for seed production and distribution.

Besides, the Indian Council of Agricultural Research- Indian Institute of Seed Science (ICAR-IISS), Mau is coordinating two nation-wide network projects viz. All India Coordinated Research Project (AICRP) - National Seed Project (Crops) and ICAR Seed Project. AICRP-NSP (Crops) is mandated to produce breeder seed as per the national requirement. The breeder seed thus produced, is supplied to indenting agencies including public and private sector for downstream production of foundation and certified seed in subsequent years for supply to the farmer. During the last three years, 349861.6 quintals of breeder seed of more than 1300 varieties of 57 field crops has been produced. ICAR Seed Project is also operating at 63 cooperating centers under National Agricultural Research System which is contributing quality seed production of newly released varieties in the country.

(b) & (c): The funds are released to the states/implementing agencies for seed components. Under NFSM, funds are released for implementation of annual action plan including seed related activities. The state-wise release under NFSM & SMSP is at **Annexure-I**.

Annexure Referred in the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 647 due for 03.12.2021

Annexure-I

The state-wise release under NFSM & SMSP is as under;

(Rs. in crore)

S.No.	States/Uts	NFSM-Foodgrain & Commercial Crops*			NFSM-Oilseeds*			SMSP (seed village Programme)*		
		2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
1	Andhra Pradesh	62.54	44.12	38.75	41.65	31.71	28.47	5.09	2.65	3.10
2	Arunachal Pradesh	7.20	5.81	8.56	6.52	2.27	13.00	0.00	0.00	1.13
3	Assam	105.58	115.01	156.14	0.00	8.00	18.55	30.55	0.00	14.87
4	Bihar	46.63	42.61	14.06	0.00	0.00	0.33	3.00	0.00	5.41
5	Chhattisgarh	78.58	85.32	53.40	6.42	4.50	9.33	5.56	5.17	3.40
6	Goa	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7	Gujarat	17.21	16.08	16.96	22.37	22.93	31.37	0.66	0.00	1.56
8	Haryana	11.42	3.55	3.40	0.00	0.00	20.43	0.85	2.18	0.00
9	Himachal Pradesh	12.11	11.44	11.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.16	5.41	6.46
10	J & K	6.21	7.07	3.78	0.55	0.00	0.17	5.49	9.74	8.41
11	Jharkhand	44.90	22.15	12.64	0.98	3.74	7.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
12	Karnataka	131.91	120.89	93.12	9.61	7.73	8.13	0.63	0.00	0.36
13	Kerala	0.00	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	Madhya Pradesh	104.40	187.98	14.14	5.00	12.20	28.25	14.99	8.80	19.34
15	Maharashtra	112.56	107.94	128.56	39.58	24.12	19.59	32.00	16.95	11.26
16	Manipur	7.44	11.76	6.54	0.94	1.69	1.88	0.09	0.00	0.00
17	Meghalaya	4.94	2.82	4.74	0.00	0.12	0.13	0.55	0.00	0.44
18	Mizoram	2.28	2.39	1.44	11.64	4.20	6.68	0.00	0.24	0.03
19	Nagaland	18.73	16.81	17.00	3.40	6.03	7.15	1.03	0.79	1.31
20	Odisha	84.91	75.51	72.84	10.80	11.53	13.10	0.10	0.00	0.00
21	Punjab	0.15	0.06	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.95	0.00	0.00	0.00
22	Sikkim	9.39	5.96	5.71	0.05	0.52	0.90	0.47	0.00	0.04
23	Rajasthan	116.27	138.99	140.25	28.00	26.44	92.48	0.00	6.53	2.55
24	Tamil Nadu	55.20	48.11	34.10	11.84	11.39	13.60	14.76	11.10	17.76
25	Telangana	9.61	15.05	7.10	2.50	5.13	1.81	3.00	0.00	4.28
26	Tripura	17.84	4.25	6.02	0.71	0.88	0.79	0.00	0.00	0.00
27	Uttar Pradesh	131.24	79.46	100.13	9.74	4.78	25.39	7.44	0.66	15.87
28	Uttarakhand	17.83	7.82	10.36	0.43	0.00	0.20	6.59	5.46	5.55
29	West Bengal	92.51	89.93	63.87	29.81	23.78	27.45	0.85	0.00	0.00
30	Ladakh	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
31	Puducherry	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.01	0.00	0.00
	Total	1309.59	1269.49	1025.27	242.54	213.70	371.01	140.11	88.93	128.30

*Progress is subject to change based on revised receipts from states.
