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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 1931

TO BE ANSWERED ON 23/12/2022

MSP OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCES

1931. SHRI JAVED ALI KHAN: SHRI RAM NATH THAKUR:

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

- (a) the details of Minimum Support Price (MSP) of various agricultural produces in 2017, cropwise;
- (b) the details of MSP of various agricultural produces as in 2022, crop-wise;
- (c) the details of cost of production per quintal as in 2017 and in 2022, crop-wise along with the facts considered for determining the cost, item-wise; and
- (d) the details of percentage of weightage of facts for determining the cost of production as in 2017 and 2022?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): The details of Minimum Support Price (MSP) and Cost of Production of mandated agricultural crops for 2017 and 2022 are given at **Annexure.**

While MSP, Commission Prices recommending for Agricultural Costs & (CACP) considers important factors like overall demand-supply conditions, cost of production, domestic and international prices, inter-crop price parity, terms of trade between agricultural and non-agricultural sectors, the likely effect on the rest of the economy, besides ensuring rational utilization of land, water and other production resources and a minimum of 50 percent as the margin over all India weighted average cost of production, which has been in operation since, 2018-19. The Cost of production, being an important factor in the determination of MSP, CACP projects cost for current year on the basis of actual paid out costs such as those incurred on account of hired human labour, bullock labour/machine labour, rent paid for leased in land, expenses incurred in cash and kind on the use of material inputs like seeds, fertilizers, manures, irrigation charges, depreciation on implements and farm buildings, interest on working capital, diesel/electricity for operation of pump sets etc., miscellaneous expenses and imputed value of family labour.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) to (d) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1931 due for reply on 23.12.2022

Minimum Support Price (MSP) and Cost of Production* of mandated Agricultural Crops

(Cost, MSP in ₹ per quintal)

Sl. No.	Commodity	2017-18		2022-23	
		Cost	MSP	Cost	MSP
	KHARIF CROPS				
1	PADDY(Common)	1117	1550	1360	2040
2	JOWAR (Hybrid)	1556	1700	1977	2970
3	BAJRA	949	1425	1268	2350
4	RAGI	1861	1900	2385	3578
5	MAIZE	1044	1425	1308	1962
6	ARHAR(Tur)	3318	5450	4131	6600
7	MOONG	4286	5575	5167	7755
8	URAD	3265	5400	4155	6600
9	COTTON (Medium Staple)	3276	4020	4053	6080
10	GROUNDNUT IN SHELL	3159	4450	3873	5850
11	SUNFLOWER SEED	3481	4100	4113	6400
12	SOYABEAN	2121	3050	2805	4300
13	SESAMUM	4067	5300	5220	7830
14	NIGERSEED	3912	4050	4858	7287
	RABI CROPS				
1	WHEAT	817	1735	1065	2125
2	BARLEY	845	1410	1082	1735
3	GRAM	2461	4400	3206	5335
4	MASUR (LENTIL)	2366	4250	3239	6000
5	RAPESEED/MUSTARD	2123	4000	2670	5450
6	SAFFLOWER	3125	4100	3765	5650
OTHER CROPS					
1	COPRA (Milling)	4758	6500	6974	10590
2	JUTE	2160	3500	2959	4750

^{*}Includes all paid out cost and imputed value of family labour.
