GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.183 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 22.07.2025

DISTRIBUTION OF IMPORTED DIAMMONIUM PHOSPHATE

183 Shri Sanjay Seth:

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) the data of Diammonium Phosphate (DAP) imported in 2025 and distributed among the States, State-wise;
- (b) the measures taken to minimise the impact of supply chain disruptions due to the Red Sea crisis;
- (c) the manner in which the increased consumption of NPK fertilizers by some States are being managed;
- (d) the long-term measures taken to ensure adequate fertilizers supplies for Rabi Crops; and
- (e) the details on the role of Public-Private Partnerships in maintaining fertilizer availability during challenging times?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

(a): The data of Diammonium Phosphate (DAP) imported in 2025, monthwise imports for the year 2025 are as under:

Month	Quantity(as reported by companies)		
	(in LMT)		
January	2.27		
February	1.10		
March	1.50		
April	2.89		
May	2.36		
June	4.49		

The information regarding the availability of DAP across the States, from 01.01.2025 to 30.06.2025, is placed at **Annexure.**

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- (b) to (e): Following steps are taken by the Government every season for ensuring timely and adequate supply of fertilizers in the country:
 - i. Before the commencement of each cropping season, Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (DA&FW), in consultation with all the State Governments, assesses the state-wise & month-wise requirement of fertilizers.
 - ii. On the basis of requirement projected, Department of Fertilizers allocates sufficient/adequate quantities of fertilizers to States by issuing monthly supply plan and continuously monitors the availability. However, allocation/ distribution of fertilizers within the states are ensured by respective state governments.
 - iii. The movement of all major subsidized fertilizers is monitored throughout the country by an on-line web based monitoring system called integrated Fertilizer Monitoring System (iFMS).
 - iv. Regular Weekly Video Conference is conducted jointly by DA&FW and D/o Fertilizers with State Agriculture Officials and corrective actions are taken to dispatch fertilizers as indicated by the State Governments.
 - v. Government has implemented Nutrient Based Subsidy Policy w.e.f. 01.04.2010 for Phosphatic and Potassic (P&K) fertilizers. Under the Policy, a fixed amount of subsidy, decided on annual/bi-annual basis, is provided on notified P&K fertilizers depending on their nutrient content. Under NBS policy, P&K fertilizers are covered under Open General License (OGL) and companies are free to import these fertilizers as per their business dynamics.
 - vi. The gap between demand (requirement) and production of fertilizers is met through imports. Further, to minimize the impact of supply chain disruptions due to geopolitical factors, the Fertilizer companies have entered in long term arrangements with DAP-producing nations to ensure continuous supplies.

ANNEXURE

Annexure referred to in reply to (a) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No 183 for answering on 22.07.2025

Diammonium Phosphate

State wise availability Position from 1st January, 2025 to 30th June, 2025

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S. No.	State	Availability from 01.01.2025 to			
	Andreas and Nicology	30.06.2025			
1	Andaman and Nicobar	0.00			
2	Andhra Pradesh	1.91			
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0.00			
4	Assam	0.37			
5	Bihar	2.42			
6	Chandigarh	0.00			
7	Chhattisgarh	2.02			
8	Dadra and Nagar	0.00			
9	Daman and Diu	0.00			
10	Delhi	0.02			
11	Goa	0.00			
12	Gujarat	2.41			
13	Haryana	1.24			
14	Himachal Pradesh	0.02			
15	Jammu and Kashmir	0.33			
16	Jharkhand	0.39			
17	Karnataka	3.09			
18	Kerala	0.11			
19	Lakshadweep	0.00			
20	Madhya Pradesh	3.67			
21	Maharashtra	3.11			
22	Manipur	0.03			
23	Meghalaya	0.00			
24	Mizoram	0.00			
25	Nagaland	0.00			
26	Odisha	1.53			
27	Puducherry	0.01			
28	Punjab	1.79			
29	Rajasthan	1.76			
30	Sikkim	0.00			
31	Tamil Nadu	1.39			
32	Telangana	1.93			
33	Tripura	0.03			
34	- Uttarakhand	0.30			
35	Uttar Pradesh	7.49			
36	West Bengal	2.06			
	All INDIA	39.43			
