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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 648 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05/12/2025

IMPLEMENTATION OF NATIONAL MISSION ON EDIBLE OILS

648. SHRI K.R. SURESH REDDY:

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

- (a) details of specific measures implemented to meet the agenda of National Mission on Edible Oils-Oilseed, budgetary allocation, disbursal and spending on each measure by States/UTs over past five years;
- (b) State/UT-wise data on physical targets vs actual achievement of hectares covered under oilseed crops, hectares covered under palm cultivation, quantity of seeds, planting material distributed, number and capacity of oil processing units achieved during FY 2024- 25; and
- (c) whether Ministry has undertaken yield benchmarking analysis for edible oil crops in regions that were already major producers of palm oil, if so, region-wise data on yield before and after implementation of scheme?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE (SHRI RAMNATH THAKUR)

(a) & (b): The Union Cabinet approved the National Mission on Edible Oils – Oilseeds (NMEO-OS) on 3rd October, 2024 to boost domestic oilseed production and to strive toward self-sufficiency in edible oils. The mission aims to increase primary oilseed production to 69.7 million tonnes, expand area coverage to 33 million hectares, and improve productivity to 2,112 kg/ha by 2030–31. State/ UT wise allocation & release under NMEO-OS since inception of mission is at Annexure-I.

The Mission is being implemented in a cluster-based approach with market linkage. Value Chain Clusters are managed by Value Chain Partners such as Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs), cooperatives and other agencies. Under these clusters, farmers are provided free high-quality seeds upto area of 1 hectare each and training on good agricultural practices. The Mission also supports the establishment and upgradation of post-harvest infrastructure (oil mills) to improve recovery from primary and secondary sources.

The Mission also focuses on improving the productivity of oilseed crops through Frontline Demonstrations (FLDs), Cluster Frontline Demonstrations (CFLDs) and Block-Level Demonstrations (BLDs) to help farmers adopt good agricultural practices and access essential inputs.

The mission strengthens availability of certified seeds through 100% support for breeder seed production using seed rolling plan on the Central Seed Portal (SATHI). The mission supports establishment of new seed hubs and seed storage units in the public sector to enhance production and storage capacity.

State/UT-wise area, production and yield of oilseed crops as per Upag portal are enclosed at Annexure–II. State-wise oil palm area expansion targets and achievements, along with planting material distributed under National Mission on Edible Oils- Oil Palm (NMEO-OP) during 2024–25, are at Annexure–III.

Summer/Zaid, 2024-25 was the first season of the Mission. Accordingly, 27,467.13 quintals of seeds have been distributed under NMEO-Oilseeds. State-wise distribution of certified seeds of oilseed crops during 2024-25 under the erstwhile NFSM-Oilseeds is at Annexure-IV. Details of oil palm and oilseed processing units sanctioned during 2024-25 are as under:

S. No.	Name of the State	No of Mills	Mill Capacity (Mt/hr)
1	Arunachal Pradesh	2	10 and 5 (Oil Palm)
2	Telangana	2	30 and 30 (Oil Palm)
3	Uttar Pradesh	2	Small Oil Extraction unit (Oilseeds)
4	Maharashtra	1	Small Oil Extraction unit (Oilseeds)

(c): No, Sir. The Ministry has not undertaken any region-wise yield benchmarking analysis for edible oil crops in regions that are major producers of palm oil, as oil palm is a perennial crop that takes about four years for first fruiting and nearly eight years to reach its full production potential, with a life span of up to 40 years.

State-wise allocation & release under NMEO- OS since inception of mission:

(Rs. in Crore)

State	2024-25		2025-26	
	Allocation	Release	Allocation	Release*
Andhra Pradesh	17.90	11.19	35.78	16.13
Bihar	8.14	8.14	19.68	7.68
Chhattisgarh	16.31	16.31	24.52	12.26
Goa	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.02
Gujarat	33.75	24.93	107.54	39.14
Haryana	7.70	3.85	15.53	6.48
Jharkhand	6.66	3.33	15.00	7.25
Karnataka	21.25	21.25	47.64	23.82
Kerala	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Madhya Pradesh	62.50	39.38	147.54	71.25
Maharashtra	72.57	69.45	94.53	47.27
Orissa	30.87	16.03	27.90	13.95
Punjab	1.28	0.64	8.47	2.01
Rajasthan	82.78	41.39	122.77	61.73
Tamil Nadu	39.47	39.48	98.49	68.49
Telangana	8.60	4.30	41.11	20.55
Uttar Pradesh	18.09	15.53	47.84	23.92
Uttarakhand	0.85	0.53	3.25	1.61
West Bengal	32.21	19.93	39.37	19.69
Arunachal Pradesh	6.43	3.21	7.03	3.51
Assam	32.50	32.51	46.61	23.20
Manipur	7.25	5.43	8.13	4.04
Meghalaya	0.54	0.34	1.69	0.84
Mizoram	8.70	5.43	10.80	5.40
Nagaland	10.00	10.00	11.60	8.69
Sikkim	4.22	3.69	6.25	3.12
Tripura	6.69	4.18	9.90	4.93
Jammu & Kashmir	3.43	1.71	7.28	1.56
Ladakh	0.19	0.05	0.44	0.11
Puducherry	0.38	0.09	1.07	0.53
Total	541.28	402.27	1007.77	499.17

^{*} As on 01.12.2025

(Area in Lakh Hectare, Production in Lakh Tonne and Yield in Kg/ Ha)

State	Area	Production	Yield	
Andhra Pradesh	4.04	4.16	1031	
Arunachal Pradesh	0.37	0.39	1067	
Assam	3.34	2.59	777	
Bihar	1.07	1.24	1162	
Chhattisgarh	1.10	0.66	601	
Delhi	0.05	0.07	1600	
Goa	0.00	0.00	1820	
Gujarat	33.45	76.69	2293	
Haryana	7.06	15.01	2125	
Himachal Pradesh	0.10	0.07	725	
Jammu & Kashmir	0.45	0.38	838	
Jharkhand	5.29	4.61	872	
Karnataka	9.21	10.04	1090	
Kerala	0.01	0.00	677	
Ladakh	0.00	0.00	823	
Madhya Pradesh	77.47	82.51	1065	
Maharashtra	54.51	77.93	1430	
Manipur	0.30	0.29	958	
Meghalaya	0.14	0.15	1069	
Mizoram	0.02	0.02	815	
Nagaland	0.37	0.41	1111	
Odisha	1.73	1.69	976	
Puducherry	0.01	0.01	1491	
Punjab	0.46	0.80	1730	
Rajasthan	60.76	92.03	1515	
Sikkim	0.02	0.02	870	
Tamil Nadu	4.06	8.12	1998	
Telangana	2.85	5.39	1889	
Tripura	0.14	0.13	892	
Uttar Pradesh	25.79	30.86	1196	
Uttarakhand	0.28	0.31	1105	
West Bengal	9.94	13.29	1338	
Total	304.40	429.89	1412	
Source: Upag portal, DA&FW				

Annexure-III

The State-wise oil palm area expansion targets & achievement and planting materials distributed under NMEO-OP during 2024-25:

(Area in Ha.)

S. No.	State	Target	Achievement
1	Andhra Pradesh	35000	22258
2	Chhattisgarh	1800	653
3	Goa	31	2
4	Gujarat	1500	46
5	Karnataka	4345	1886
6	Kerala	3180	123
7	Odisha	6500	2644
8	Tamil Nadu	250	181
9	Telangana	40000	16099
10	Arunachal Pradesh	18761	9640
11	Assam	20000	4572
12	Manipur	1500	2
13	Mizoram	2500	1690
14	Nagaland	3257	1805
15	Tripura	2200	1879
	Total	140824	63480

Norms for Oil Palm plantation is 143 plant per hectare. Accordingly, 90,77,658 number of plant have been distributed.

State wise certified seeds distribution of oilseed crops during 2024-25 under the erstwhile NFSM-Oilseeds:

(Qty in qtls)

State	Target	Achievement
Andhra Pradesh	18050	3960
Telangana	5501	0
Bihar	3360	2814
Chhattisgarh	5035	3965
Gujarat	40048	30487
Haryana	6804	8
Karnataka	12500	6613
Madhya Pradesh	50875	20921
Maharashtra	20613	25655
Odisha	9250	1450
Punjab	0	0
Rajasthan	50900	12996
Tamil Nadu	25647	28363
Uttar Pradesh	10374	5823
West Bengal	18716	1
Assam	18000	18000
Jammu & Kashmir	2100	1099
Jharkhand	3181	55
Nagaland	3645	3645
Tripura	2000	0
Ar. Pradesh	7025	0
Manipur	3450	0
Sikkim	1131	1035
Uttarakhand	315	212
Meghalaya	419	213
Mizoram	5540	4356
Puducherry	170	0
Ladakh	40	0
Goa	20	12
Total	324708	171681
