

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

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3394**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 6<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2016

**AVAILABILITY OF QUALITY SEEDS**

3394. SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE **‡ãðŠãäÓã** एवं किसान कल्याण **½ãã"ããè** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government carries out regular assessment and coordination of demand and availability of certified quality seeds;
- (b) if so, the details of the estimated demand and supply of seeds in the country particularly in Maharashtra;
- (c) whether the Government is aware that these shortage of quality seeds at resonable prices in the market which has an adverse impact on agricultural production; and
- (d) if so, the details of action to be taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

**‡ãðŠãäÓã** एवं किसान कल्याण **½ãã"ããè** **½ãã"ããè** **½ãã"ããè** ( SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b): The crop-wise details of estimated demand and availability/supply of certified quality seeds in the country for the year 2016-17 are at Annexure-I. The State-wise details of estimated demand and availability/supply of certified quality seeds including Maharashtra for the year 2016-17 are at Annexure-II.
- (c): No, Madam.
- (d): Question does not arise.



## Annexer-I

## Cropwise details of Demand/Requirement and Availability/Supply of Certified/Quality seeds for 2016-17

Quantity in Quintals

Crop	Kharif 2016			Rabi-2016-17			TOTAL		
	Demand/ Requirement	Avilability /Supply	Status	Demand/ Requirement	Avilability /Supply	Status	Demand/ Requirement	Avilability /Supply	Status
WHEAT				11754762	13657342	1902580	11754762	13657342	1902580
PADDY	6750849	7764603	1013754	2022687	2282966	260279	8773536	10047569	1274033
BARLEY				244495	294971	50476	244495	294971	50476
MAIZE	1011711	1045896	34185	235080	308133	73053	1246791	1354029	107238
JOWAR	160931	163479	2548	121316	125549	4233	282247	289028	6781
BAJRA	222437	248149	25712	13783	16144	2361	236220	264293	28073
RAGI	27574	42535	14961	6288	13484	7196	33862	56019	22157
KODO MILLET	3110	1058	-2052	42	1000	958	3152	2058	-1094
ITALIAN MILLET	1700	1920	220	576	2295	1720	2276	4215	1940
LITTLE MILLET	590	590	0	540	935	395	1130	1525	395
BANYARD MILLET	760	641	-119				760	641	-119
AMARANTHUS	40	10	-30				40	10	-30
<b>TOTAL CEREALS</b>	<b>8179702</b>	<b>9268881</b>	<b>1089179</b>	<b>14399568</b>	<b>16702819</b>	<b>2303251</b>	<b>22579270</b>	<b>25971700</b>	<b>3392430</b>
GRAM				1764630	1600776	-163855	1764630	1600776	-163855
MOONG	201495	233584	32089	66850	93159	26309	268345	326742	58398
URD	158670	186652	27982	108627	103582	-5045	267297	290235	22937
ARHAR	270163	295337	25174	1297	1446	149	271460	296783	25323
LENTIL				147377	115200	-32178	147377	115200	-32178
PEAS	12	0	-12	267113	290789	23677	267125	290789	23665
COWPEA	15566	18642	3076	3855	4179	324	19421	22821	3400
HORSE GRAM	16945	25631	8686	8840	9492	652	25785	35123	9338
FABA BEAN				500	500		500	500	
MOTH	20000	21122	1122				20000	21122	1122
GUAR	81000	94001	13001				81000	94001	13001
KHESARI /LETHYRUS				7950	7902	-48	7950	7902	-48
RICE BEAN	1464	970	-494				1464	970	-494
INDIAN BEAN /RAJMASH	15266	16696	1430	8042	8210	168	23308	24906	1598
OTHER LOCAL PULSES				56	56		56	56	
<b>TOTAL PULSES</b>	<b>780581</b>	<b>892635</b>	<b>112054</b>	<b>2385138</b>	<b>2235291</b>	<b>-149846</b>	<b>3165719</b>	<b>3127926</b>	<b>-37792</b>
GROUNDNUT	1812882	1833220	20338	535581	682744	147163	2348463	2515964	167501
SOYABEAN	2900154	2963275	63121				2900154	2963275	63121
SUNFLOWER	15267	16048	781	23450	24027	577	38717	40075	1358
SAFFLOWER				11905	12621	716	11905	12621	716
R&M				249105	246403	-2702	249105	246403	-2702
NIGER	1142	1093	-49				1142	1093	-49
CASTOR	58107	84061	25954	73	75	2	58180	84136	25956
SESAME	20490	31611	11121	7619	8620	1001	28109	40231	12122
LINSEED				13112	10287	-2825	13112	10287	-2825
<b>TOTAL OILSEEDS</b>	<b>4808043</b>	<b>4929308</b>	<b>121266</b>	<b>840845</b>	<b>984776</b>	<b>143931</b>	<b>5648887</b>	<b>5914084</b>	<b>265197</b>

COTTON	214370	226772	12402	7213	8446	1233	221583	235218	13635
JUTE	43274	38001	-5272.5				43274	38001	-5273
SUNNHEMP	9250	8225	-1024.5				9250	8225	-1025
BERSEEM				2600	2600		2600	2600	
OAT				17570	17728	158	17570	17728	158
DHAINCHA	7500	5000	-2500				7500	5000	-2500
<b>TOTAL FIBRE/FODDER</b>	<b>274393</b>	<b>277998</b>	<b>3605</b>	<b>27383</b>	<b>28774</b>	<b>1391</b>	<b>301776</b>	<b>306772</b>	<b>4996</b>
POTATO	290	290		3652748	2708269	-944479	3653038	2708559	-944479
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>14043008</b>	<b>15369112</b>	<b>1326104</b>	<b>21305681</b>	<b>22659929</b>	<b>1354248</b>	<b>35348690</b>	<b>38029041</b>	<b>2680352</b>

Annexure-II								
Statewise details of Demand/Requirement and Availability/Supply of Certified/Quality seeds for 2016-17						Qty, in Lakh Qtls.		
State	KHARIF - 2016		Remarks	RABI-2016-17		Remarks	Total	
	Demand/ Requirement	Avilability /Supply		Demand/ Requirement	Avilability /Supply		Demand/ Requirement	Avilability /Supply
Andhra Pradesh	16.19	16.36		7.85	10.03		24.04	26.39
Aruanchal Pradesh	0.09	0.09		0.04	0.04		0.13	0.13
Assam	4.51	4.51		1.20	0.76	Meet from NSC and Private	5.71	5.27
Bihar	4.44	4.54		10.91	13.17		15.35	17.71
Chhatisgarh	7.72	8.94		1.40	1.41		9.12	10.35
Goa	0.04	0.04		0.01	0.01		0.05	0.05
Gujarat	7.83	8.24		5.26	5.70		13.09	13.94
Haryana	1.32	2.08		17.42	20.42		18.74	22.50
Himachal Pradesh	0.43	0.43		0.98	0.98		1.41	1.41
Jharkhand	3.70	3.33	Meet from NSC,HIL,SAU,KVK,Private and Farm saved seeds	2.24	1.49	Meet from NSC,HIL and Private	5.94	4.82
J&K	0.76	0.76		1.39	1.39		2.15	2.15
Karnataka	11.46	13.20		5.04	6.41		16.50	19.61
Kerala	0.47	0.48		0.45	0.60		0.92	1.08
Madhya Pradesh	19.20	19.06	Meet from NSC,HIL,Kribhco,Private and Farm saved seeds	21.50	23.00		40.70	42.06
Meghalaya	0.16	0.16		0.07	0.07		0.23	0.23
Maharashtra	14.53	14.76		8.00	8.42		22.53	23.18
Manipur	0.12	0.12		0.16	0.16		0.28	0.28
Mizoram	0.13	0.01	Meet from NSC	0.01	0.01		0.14	0.02
Nagaland	1.24	0.47	Meet from Farm saved Seeds	0.12	0.12		1.36	0.59
Orissa	7.81	11.43		2.73	1.61	Meet from NSC,HIL and Private	10.54	13.04
Puducherry	0.01	0.01		0.05	0.05		0.06	0.06
Punjab	2.69	3.29		10.45	17.33		13.14	20.62
Rajasthan	7.80	8.56		14.80	17.71		22.60	26.27
Sikkim	0.02	0.02		0.02	0.02	Meet from NSC	0.04	0.04
Tamilnadu	2.93	3.81		5.55	6.10		8.48	9.91
Telanagana	8.01	8.73		6.09	8.02		14.10	16.75
Tripura	0.18	0.20		0.09	0.15		0.27	0.35
Uttarakhand	0.42	0.46		0.45	2.07		0.87	2.53
Uttar Pradesh	10.88	11.02		51.98	44.58	Meet from Private	62.86	55.60
West Bengal	5.33	8.58		36.81	34.78	Meet from, HP, Punjab and Private	42.14	43.36
<b>TOTAL :</b>	<b>140.43</b>	<b>153.69</b>		<b>213.07</b>	<b>226.61</b>		<b>353.50</b>	<b>380.30</b>

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