

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4224
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28th MARCH, 2017

PROCUREMENT OF FOODGRAINS

4224. SHRI RAHUL KASWAN:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the total procurement made by the Food Corporation of India in the country during the last three years, State-wise including Rajasthan;
- (b) whether Private Sector Companies have been allowed to procure foodgrains;
- (c) if so, the names of the private companies engaged in procurement in Rajasthan; and
- (d) the details of the foodgrains along with their prices procured by the said companies during the last three years, State-wise including Rajasthan?

A N S W E R

MINISTER OF STATE FOR CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SHRI C. R. CHAUDHARY)

(a): The total quantum of paddy in terms of rice, wheat and coarsegrains procured by Govt. agencies including Food Corporation of India (FCI) for Central Pool during the last three years State-wise including Rajasthan is enclosed as Annexure-I, II & III respectively.

(b), (c) & (d): To increase outreach of Minimum Support Price (MSP) operations for paddy in eastern states of the country, private players have been engaged in paddy/rice procurement at MSP in Uttar Pradesh, Jharkhand & West Bengal.

No private player has been engaged for procurement operation in Rajasthan and no procurement has been done through private players in the State of Rajasthan during last three years.

Total procurement of rice by private players at MSP during Kharif Marketing Season (KMS) 2013-14 to KMS 2015-16 is as under:-

(Fig. in Metric Tonnes)

State	KMS 2013-14	KMS 2014-15	KMS 2015-16
U.P.	Nil	Nil	38477
Jharkhand	Nil	Nil	94977
West Bengal	Nil	Nil	36067
Total	Nil	Nil	169521

MSP of paddy for KMS 2015-16 for Common Paddy is Rs. 1410 per quintal and for Grade 'A' is Rs. 1450 per quintal.

ANNEXURE-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4224 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28TH MARCH, 2017 IN LOK SABHA.

State wise Procurement of Paddy in terms of Rice during last three years

(Fig. in LMT)

S.No.	STATES/ UTs	KMS 2013-14	KMS 2014-15	KMS 2015-16
1	A.P.	37.37	35.96	43.36
2	Telangana	43.53	35.04	15.79
3	Assam	0.00	0.15	0.42
4	Bihar	9.42	16.14	12.25
5	Chandigarh	0.12	0.10	0.16
6	Chattisgarh	42.90	34.23	34.42
7	Delhi	0.00	0.00	0.00
8	Gujarat	0.00	0.00	0.01
9	Haryana	24.06	20.15	28.61
10	H.P.	0.00	0.00	0.00
11	Jharkhand	0.00	0.06	2.06
12	J&K	0.00	0.00	0.07
13	Karnataka	0.00	0.88	0.55
14	Kerala	3.59	3.74	3.82
15	M.P.	10.45	8.07	8.49
16	Maharashtra	1.61	1.99	2.30
17	Nagaland	0.00	0.00	0.00
18	Odisha	28.01	33.57	33.69
19	Pondicherry	0.00	0.00	0.00
20	Punjab	81.06	77.86	93.50
21	Rajasthan	0.00	0.00	0.00
22	Tamilnadu	6.84	10.51	11.92
23	U.P.	11.27	16.98	29.10
24	Uttrankhand	4.63	4.65	5.98
25	West Bengal	13.59	20.32	15.68
	Total	318.45	320.40	342.18

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ANNEXURE-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4224 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28TH MARCH, 2017 IN LOK SABHA.

State wise procurement of wheat during last three years

(Fig in LMT)

S.N.	STATES/ UTs	RMS 2014-15	RMS 2015-16	RMS 2016-17
		Procurement	Procurement	Procurement
1	AP	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	Assam	0.00	0.00	0.00
3	Bihar	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Chhattisgarh	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	Gujarat	0.00	0.73	0.00
6	Haryana	64.95	67.78	67.52
7	H.P.	0.00	0.00	0.00
8	J&K	0.00	0.00	0.00
9	Jharkhand	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	Karnataka	0.00	0.00	0.00
11	M.P.	70.94	73.09	39.92
12	Maharashtra	0.00	0.00	0.00
13	Orissa	0.00	0.00	0.00
14	Punjab	116.41	103.44	106.49
15	Rajasthan	21.59	13.00	7.62
16	UP	6.28	22.67	7.97
17	Uttrakhand	0.01	0.04	0.02
18	West Bengal	0.00	0.00	0.00
19	Others	0.05	0.13	0.07
TOTAL		280.23	280.88	229.61

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ANNEXURE-III

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STATEMENT SHOWING PROCUREMENT OF COARSEGRAINS

Figures in
Tonnes

KMS	COMMODITY	A.P.	TELANGANA	BIHAR	C. GARH	HARYANA	KARNATAKA	M.P.	MAH.	RAJ.	TOTAL
2013 -2014	JOWAR						4	2	85		91
	BAJRA										0
	MAIZE	27918	288904	722	2587		713807	86573	95555		1216066
	RAGI						14788				14788
2014 -2015	JOWAR						6839	1643	5867		14349
	BAJRA										0
	MAIZE	4945	6438					301842	1619		314844
	RAGI						135955				135955
2015 -16	JOWAR						7129	4947	16569		28645
	BAJRA					5053					5053
	MAIZE							22962	11		22973
	RAGI						203769				203769
