

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

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 230
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9TH JULY, 2019

ORGANIC FARMING

*230. SHRI NARANBHAI KACHHADIYA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the State-wise details of the present status of organic farming in the country; and
- (b) the State/UT-wise details of the number of farmers participated in the training workshop organized on organic farming across the country during the last three years and the current year?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री

(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 230 DUE FOR REPLY ON 9TH JULY, 2019.

(a): As per the report received from States and Agriculture Processed Food and Export Development Authority (APEDA), at present organic farming is taken up in an area of 27.70 lakh hectares in the country including 5.98 lakh hectares under Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY), 0.639 lakh hectares under Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region (MOVCDNER), 19.38 lakh hectares under National Program for Organic Production (NPOP) of APEDA and 1.70 lakh hectares under other initiatives. The State-wise details of the area covered under PKVY, MOVCDNER, NPOP and others is given at **Annexure-I**

(b): The total number of farmers participated in trainings / workshop organised on organic farming in the last three years and in current year is 15.14 lakh. The state/ UT wise details of farmers participated in trainings is at **Annexure- II**.

Awareness generation among farmers through trainings, field visits are integral part of organic farming schemes of PKVY, MOVCDNER. Similarly, National Centre for organic Farming (NCOF), the subordinate office of DAC&FW is also involved in extension activities and conducts Farmers' Training and Field Demonstration Programmes (FTFD) under Sansad Aadarsh Gram Yojana (SAGY) and jaivik sammelan programmes. Indian Council of Agriculture Research (ICAR) under All India-National Project on Organic Farming (AI-NPOF) conducts training, exposure visit and field demonstrations of technologies besides exhibition of technologies in Kisan Mela.

Annexure-I

State wise area covered under Organic Farming for the year 2019-20 till date (Area in Ha)						
Sl. No.	State Name	National Program of Organic Produce(NPOP)*		Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY)	Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region (MOVCDNER)	Other initiatives (including State programmes)
		Organic area	In Conversion			
1	Andhra Pradesh	13763.38	18747.33	106000	0	5955
2	Arunachal Pradesh	627.15	8619.79	380	5000	4010
3	Assam	15223.47	12951.20	4400	5000	3118
4	Bihar	1.20	3518.31	8540	0	150
5	Chhattisgarh	7356.54	13869.17	24000	0	26106
6	Goa	10696.37	2612.45	10080	0	
7	Gujarat	60185.40	33655.88	2000	0	7601
8	Haryana	2291.85	3686.63	400	0	560
9	Himachal Pradesh	8527.13	4537.90	4200	0	1127
10	Jammu &Kashmir	17558.76	7444.13	560	0	129
11	Jharkhand	2977.17	21339.70	5000	0	1343
12	Karnataka	57018.08	26080.70	10900	0	17415
13	Kerala	19232.89	19171.34	12380	0	3354
14	Lakshadweep	895.51	0.00	2700		
15	Madhya Pradesh	379996.68	294055.17	76560		5625
16	Maharashtra	158097.14	92837.19	25160	0	7650
17	Manipur	241.40	5219.42	600	12500	561
18	Meghalaya	1612.69	46797.05	900	6000	
19	Mizoram	0.00	7039.89	680	6656	64
20	Nagaland	2751.17	5517.39	480	13000	1112
21	Delhi	0.72	0.00	10000	0	15
22	Odisha	73124.10	22615.61	20800	0	1388
23	Pondicherry	2.84	0.00	560	0	
24	Punjab	317.75	8590.84	5000	0	3116
25	Rajasthan	110240.21	113751.25	123000	0	2564
26	Sikkim	73654.88	2144.04	3000	10694	63565
27	Tamil Nadu	4314.61	18144.94	6240	0	1301
28	Telangana	6322.92	2436.60	13800	0	5030
29	Tripura	203.56	2330.96	1000	5000	
30	Uttar Pradesh	44802.36	18035.77	12400	0	3923
31	Uttarakhand	20052.26	16606.29	89700	0	1419
32	West Bengal	4984.20	1305.45	2400	0	145
33	Andaman	-	7484.00	1360	0	
34	Daman & Diu	-	-	1100	0	21
35	Dadar Nagar	-	-	10000	0	
36	Chandigarh	-	-	1300	0	2002
Total		1097074.39	841146.40	597580	63850	170369

Total area under Organic Farming- 2770019.791 (or 27.70 lakh ha)

Annexure-II

State/UTs wise details of no. of farmers participated in the training workshop organized on organic farming in the last three years and in current year					
	Name of the State	Training/Workshop Organized by states	Organized by	Training/Workshop Organized by NCOF	Training/Workshop Organized by AI-NPOF, ICAR
		Farmers participated under PKVY Scheme	Farmers participated under MOVCNDR	SAGY/Jaivik Sammelan	
1	Andhra Pradesh	265000	-	1079	-
2	Bihar	26450	-	916	-
3	Chhattisgarh	60000	-	617	-
4	Gujarat	5000	-	1229	-
5	Goa	25200	-	118	-
6	Haryana	1000	-	913	-
7	Jharkhand	36350	-	616	-
8	Karnataka	52250	-	692	-
9	Kerala	44000	-	761	1852
10	Madhya Pradesh	191400	-	1124	2045
11	Maharashtra	60848	-	1636	-
12	Odisha	28923	-	2481	-
13	Punjab	17500	-	2543	-
14	Rajasthan	307500	-	229	37731
15	Tamil Nadu	15600	-	505	5595
16	Telangana	23000	-	870	-
17	Uttar Pradesh	56000	-	14717	-
18	West Bengal	6000	-	750	-
19	Assam	11000	5165	768	-
20	Arunachal Pradesh	950	4960	51	-
21	Mizoram	1700	1804	152	-
22	Manipur	1500	12500	204	-
23	Nagaland	1200	13504	102	-
24	Sikkim	7500	13444	202	250
25	Tripura	2500	6865	-	-
26	Meghalaya	2250	6000	-	-
27	Himachal Pradesh	14250	-	120	-
28	Jammu & Kashmir	2650	-	654	-
29	Uttarakhand	30477	-	616	967
30	Andman & Nicobar	3400	-	164	-
31	Daman & Diu	2750	-	-	-
32	Dadar & Nagar	25000	-	-	-
33	Delhi	25000	-	-	-
34	Puducherry	1400	-	0	-
35	Chandigarh	3250	-	55	-
36	Lakshadweep	6750	-	-	-
	Total	1365548	64242	34884	49456
	Grand Total			1514130	
