

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & DAIRYING
L O K S A B H A
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.3787
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16TH JULY, 2019

CENSUS OF MILCH ANIMALS

3787 SHRIR.K. SINGH PATEL:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the census of milch animals has been done in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Union Government is implementing any action plan for conservation of milch animals to promote dairying; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & DAIRYING
(DR. SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN)

(a) Yes, as per 19th Livestock Census the total number of milch animals in the country is 18.01 crore.

(b) A statement showing State-wise number of milch animals is placed at **Annexure I**

(c) & (d) In order to supplement and complement the efforts made by the State Governments, the Rashtriya Gokul Mission has been initiated in the year 2014 with an objective of development and conservation of indigenous bovine breeds and to undertake breed improvement programme for indigenous cattle breeds so as to improve their genetic makeup and increase the stock.

STATEMENT GIVEN UNDER PART (B) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION 3787

Milch animal according to 19th livestock census -2012		
Sl. No.	State/ UT	Milch Animal*
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	43775
2	ANDHRA PRADESH **	12491417
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	204796
4	ASSAM	5216480
5	BIHAR	12492103
6	CHANDIGARH	15257
7	CHHATTISGARH	4242083
8	DADRA & N HAVELI	10467
9	DAMAN & DIU	1924
10	GOA	43812
11	GUJARAT	11444035
12	HARYANA	3729573
13	HIMACHALPRADESH	1852630
14	JAMMU & KASHMIR	2565622
15	JHARKHAND	5152403
16	KARNATAKA	8328704
17	KERALA	1159827
18	LAKSHADWEEP	17783
19	MADHYA PRADESH	14305418
20	MAHARASHTRA	12774773
21	MANIPUR	115767
22	MEGHALAYA	428407
23	MIZORAM	21241
24	NAGALAND	105256
25	NCT OF DELHI	144645
26	ODISHA	5926381
27	PUDUCHERRY	59447
28	PUNJAB	4109303
29	RAJASTHAN	24126853
30	SIKKIM	90539
31	TAMIL NADU	7812745
32	TRIPURA	495303
33	UTTAR PRADESH	29111915
34	UTTARAKHAND	1971964
35	WEST BENGAL	9542348
Total		180154996

*Includes cattle, buffalo and goat.

** Andhra Pradesh includes Telangana