

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4397**  
ANSWERED ON 28.03.2023

**POTENTIAL OF FPIs**

**4397. SHRI SATYADEV PACHAURI:**

Will the Minister of **FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has conducted a study to ascertain the potential of Food Processing Industries (FPIs) in contributing towards the country's economic growth;
- (b) if so, the steps taken/being taken by the Government to develop the food processing sector;
- (c) whether the Government maintains a record of the food processing units established in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof for the financial years 2021-22 and 2022-23 State wise and if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES  
(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

**(a) & (b):** The Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) has not undertaken any specific study to ascertain the potential of Food Processing Industries (FPIs) in contributing towards the country's economic growth. However, the Ministry had commissioned a "Study to Determine the Level of Food Processing in India" through M/s Deloitte in 2021. Given the large and varied agricultural resources in the country, there is lot of potential for development of food processing industries in India. The Ministry promotes the overall development of food processing sector through the implementation of various schemes like Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) for providing credit linked financial assistance for creation of modern post-harvest infrastructure across the country; PM Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises Scheme (PMFME) for providing financial, technical and business support for setting up/upgradation of two lakh micro food processing enterprises. The Ministry also implements a Production Linked Incentive (PLI) scheme to incentivize creation of global food manufacturing champions and improving the visibility of Indian food brands abroad.

**(c) & (d):** The Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation collects data on various registered manufacturing sectors including the food processing industries through the Annual Survey of Industries(ASI). As per the latest report of ASI, covering data for the year 2019-20, the total number of registered food processing units in the country were 41,484. As per the ASI data, the state-wise details of the registered food processing units in 2018-19 & 2019-20 are placed at **Annex**.

**ANNEX REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) & (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 4397 FOR ANSWER ON 28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2023 REGARDING “POTENTIAL OF FPIs”**

Sl.no.	State	Number of units as per ASI	
		2018-19	2019-20
1	A & N Islands	4	4
2	Andhra Pradesh	5653	5737
3	Arunachal Pradesh	27	29
4	Assam	1569	1582
5	Bihar	884	896
6	Chandigarh	17	19
7	Chhattisgarh	1630	1761
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	9	10
9	Daman & Diu	33	33
10	Delhi	169	175
11	Goa	106	103
12	Gujarat	2245	2356
13	Haryana	1045	1066
14	Himachal Pradesh	157	172
15	Jammu and Kashmir	176	179
16	Jharkhand	240	237
17	Karnataka	2343	2361
18	Kerala	1708	1743
19	Lakshadweep	0	0
20	Madhya Pradesh	927	1018
21	Maharashtra	2791	2728
22	Manipur	30	30
23	Meghalaya	30	32
24	Mizoram	0	29
25	Nagaland	20	20
26	Odisha	1188	1211
27	Puducherry	66	68
28	Punjab	3114	3267
29	Rajasthan	898	956
30	Sikkim	20	19
31	Tamil Nadu	4982	4995
32	Telangana	3900	3989
33	Tripura	105	117
34	Uttar Pradesh	2105	2127
35	Uttarakhand	362	345
36	West Bengal	2026	2067
	<b>Total</b>	<b>40579</b>	<b>41484</b>