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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 905

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 7TH FEBRUARY, 2023

BENEFICIARIES UNDER MIDH

905. SHRI ANUMULA REVANTH REDDY:

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

- (a) the details of number of beneficiaries who got benefited under the Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) with financial assistance to set up cold storages across the country since the inception of the Mission, State-wise and year-wise;
- (b) the details of the “Capital Investment Subsidy for Construction/Expansion /Modernization of Cold Storages and Storages for Horticulture Products” Scheme;
- (c) the details of cold storages which have been modernized in the country during the last five years, State and year-wise;
- (d) the details of new cold storages constructed in the State of Telangana since 2020; and
- (e) the details of steps taken by the Government to increase the storage capacity of the country?

ANSWER

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (e): As per available information, there are 1301 number of cold storages with financial assistant of Rs. 2184.28 crore is available in the country under Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH). The State/UT- wise and year wise details of cold storage are at **Annexure-I**. Under MIDH scheme, powers for sanction of projects costing up to Rs. 500.00 lakh have been delegated to States. As such no separate details of modernized cold storage in the country are maintained at central level.

Government is implementing various schemes under which financial assistance is available for setting up of cold storage throughout the country including Telangana to increase the storage capacity of the country.

Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare is implementing MIDH under which financial assistance is provided for various horticulture activities including construction/Expansion/ Modernization of cold storages of capacity up to 5000 MT in the country. The component is demand/entrepreneur driven for which Government assistance in the form of credit linked back ended subsidy is available at the rate of 35% of the project cost in general areas and 50% of the project cost in hilly and scheduled areas through respective State Horticulture Missions.

Besides, National Horticulture Board (NHB) is implementing a scheme namely "Capital Investment Subsidy for Construction/Expansion /Modernization of Cold Storages and Storages for Horticulture Products". Under the scheme, credit linked back-ended subsidy at the rate of 35% of the capital cost of the project in general areas and 50% in case of North East, hilly & scheduled areas for construction/expansion/modernization of cold storage and Controlled Atmosphere (CA) storage of capacity above 5000 MT and up to 10000 MT is available. In case of North East region, the units with capacity above 1000 MT are also eligible for assistance.

Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MOFPI) is implementing a Scheme for Integrated Cold Chain, Value Addition and Preservation Infrastructure as one of the component of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana with the objective of reducing post-harvest losses of horticulture and non-horticulture produce and providing remunerative price to farmers for their produce. Under the scheme, Ministry provides financial assistance in the form of grant-in-aid at the rate of 35% for general areas and 50% for North East and Himalayan States, ITDP areas and Islands for storage and transport infrastructure and at the rate of 50% and 75% respectively for value addition and processing infrastructure subject to a maximum grant-in-aid of Rs. 10 crore per project for setting up integrated cold chain projects including irradiation facility. Standalone cold storages are not covered under the Scheme.

Further, to strengthen agriculture infrastructure in the country, Government has launched Agriculture Infrastructure Funds (AIF) of Rs. 1.00 lakh crore. Under AIF, there is provision for collateral free term loan upto Rs. 2.00 crore and interest subvention of 3% on the term loan availed for creation of post harvest infrastructure including establishment of cold storages.

As per the report received from Telangana, a total number of 9 new cold storages with financial assistance of Rs. 1084.61 lakh have been constructed since 2020.

Annexure- I

State wise Year wise cold storage projects sanctioned under MIDH (NHB, NHM & HMNEH) scheme since inception (as on 31.12.2022)
(Rs. In crore)

S. No.	State	2014-15		2015-16		2016-17		2017-18		2018-19		2019-20		2020-21		2021-22		2022-23		Total	
		P	F	P	F	P	F	P	F	P	F	P	F	P	F	P	F	P	F	P	F
1	Andhra Pradesh	9	9.97	6	4.75	11	14.29	2	2.84	2	1.92	5	10.20	0	0.00	11	14.96	3	6.77	49	65.70
2	Assam	1	3.68	2	5.81	2	3.91	0	0.00	2	5.36	1	3.40	1	2.91	0	0.00	2	3.75	11	28.82
3	Bihar	1	1.25	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	5.26	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	4	6.51
4	Chandigarh	1	0.25	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.25
5	Chhattisgarh	8	11.00	1	1.88	0	0.64	0	0.00	1	2.70	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	10	16.22
6	Gujarat	62	80.43	62	60.94	72	193.03	116	178.42	68	72.65	12	11.82	1	1.58	8	11.31	9	4.13	410	614.31
7	Haryana	13	19.99	8	8.53	24	22.45	9	11.41	4	9.43	0	0.00	0	0.00	2	4.89	4	3.59	64	80.29
8	Himachal Pradesh	2	20.39	19	53.80	10	0.00	0	0.00	9	11.49	0	0.00	1	3.64	0	0.00	3	2.69	44	92.01
9	Jammu & Kashmir	1	16.25	4	65.78	4	12.41	17	132.52	3	13.85	5	27.96	7	34.09	7	37.74	4	21.76	52	362.36
10	Jharkhand	1	2.46	1	0.00	1	3.40	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	2.27	4	8.13
11	Karnataka	3	2.41	1	1.37	5	6.40	7	7.84	5	6.57	6	10.43	0	0.00	1	1.83	7	12.16	35	49.01
12	Kerala	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.46	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.46
13	Madhya Pradesh	13	14.27	18	23.81	0	0.05	3	6.19	3	5.55	1	1.50	0	0.00	1	2.38	3	3.83	42	57.58
14	Maharashtra	16	23.64	8	7.84	6	5.93	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.49	4	6.31	9	15.13	44	60.34
15	Manipur	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.80	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.80
16	Odisha	9	11.61	47	57.23	7	11.74	2	0.20	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	65	80.78
17	Punjab	12	15.60	33	69.04	1	0.39	14	18.02	19	25.64	5	7.30	6	8.78	14	14.94	7	8.66	111	168.37
18	Rajasthan	3	2.37	2	7.92	2	2.43	1	1.20	10	10.44	1	1.54	4	6.91	0	0.00	1	1.12	24	33.93
19	Sikkim	1	3.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	3.00
20	Tamil Nadu	1	1.35	1	1.20	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	3.29	3	5.42	0	0.00	1	1.19	0	0.00	9	12.45
21	Telangana	0	5.45	10	10.60	2	2.44	8	12.02	4	0.70	13	18.80	9	9.80	3	1.40	2	3.65	51	64.86
22	Tripura	1	1.20	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1.20
23	Uttar Pradesh	27	37.81	38	45.81	42	60.54	61	77.62	41	56.93	7	9.02	17	22.35	1	0.12	15	21.26	249	331.46
24	Uttarakhand	1	0.61	10	36.34	1	1.75	1	4.20	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	13	42.90
25	West Bengal	3	1.03	2	1.51	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	5	2.54
	Total	189	286.01	273	464.15	190	341.79	243	453.73	177	231.79	59	107.40	47	91.55	53	97.07	70	110.77	1301	2184.28

P – No. of Projects

F – Assistance Sanctioned by MIDH

NHB - National Horticulture Board

NHM - National Horticulture Mission

HMNEH - Horticulture Mission for North East & Himalayan States
