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WELFARE SCHEMES FOR TRIBAL THROUGH NABARD

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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is implementing any scheme for the welfare of the people of the tribal areas of the various States of the country through National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD);
- (b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise including Maharashtra, Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu;
- (c) the details of funds allocated for the said schemes/programmes to the tribals through the said schemes/programmes in Maharashtra, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman and Diu;
- (d) the benefits accrued through this scheme to the tribals, State-wise;
- (e) the steps taken by the NABARD to provide assistance to the backward tribal community of the country; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof specially in Maharashtra, Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(DR. BHAGWAT KARAD)

- (a) Yes, NABARD is implementing Integrated Tribal Development Programme since 2005-06, under which, projects are funded through Tribal Development Fund (TDF), aiming to provide sustainable livelihoods to tribal families of the country.
- (b) & (c) The state-wise details of projects sanctioned under TDF during the last three years and the current year are at *Annexure-I*.
- (d) The benefits accrued through Tribal Development Fund (TDF) across States are as follows:
 1. Horticulture development focusing on fruit/plantation/herbal crops and forest plants.
 2. Allied agricultural activities such as sericulture, apiculture, animal husbandry, and micro-enterprise development. These activities aim to explore other sources of income generation and establish sustainable livelihood options for tribal families.
 3. Plantation of forest species along the boundaries ensures staggered income in the long term.

4. Water resource development and soil conservation are integral parts of the project, aiding climate-resilient agriculture
5. Measures are undertaken to enhance the quality of life for tribal families.
6. The project emphasizes institution building through the formation of cooperatives and producer organizations. Support is provided for processing and marketing of farm produce.
7. The project adopts a family-based approach to development, emphasizing sustainability as a key factor for success.
8. Women's development is prioritized through initiatives such as reducing drudgery, promoting on-farm and off-farm income generation activities, and facilitating the formation of self-help groups to foster thrift and credit habits.

(e) & (f) NABARD created a dedicated fund viz. Tribal Development Fund, in the year 2003-04, out of its own profit, for providing support to tribal families of India for generating sustainable livelihood opportunities. The first project from TDF was sanctioned in the year 2005-06 and since then, 968 projects have been sanctioned by NABARD, benefitting 6.08 lakh families covering 5.71 lakh acre area. Grant support is provided for developing small orchards (called wadi), agri-allied activities, microenterprise development, tribal handicraft promotion activities, etc. In addition to this, support is provided for promoting awareness about health and sanitation, women development activities and providing training and capacity building to the project beneficiaries.

The details of assistance provided under Tribal Development Fund in Maharashtra & Dadra and Nagar Haveli are given at *Annexure-II*. There is no Tribal Development Project of NABARD in Daman and Diu.

Annexure-I

The state-wise details of the funds sanctioned under Tribal Development Fund (TDF) during last three years and the current year

Sl. No.	State/Union Territory	2020-21			2021-22			2022-23			2023-24		
		Physical Projects	Financial (₹ Crore)		Physical Projects	Financial (₹ Crore)		Physical Projects	Financial (₹ Crore)		Physical Projects	Financial (₹ Crore)	
			Sanction amount	Disbursement amount		Sanction amount	Disbursement amount		Sanction amount	Disbursement amount		Sanction amount	Disbursement amount
1	Andaman and Nicobar Island	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.01	0	0.00	0.00	NIL		
2	Andhra Pradesh	4	11.36	1.77	2	6.19	4.84	2	6.16	5.35			
3	Arunachal Pradesh	1	1.30	0.00	3	4.50	3.20	2	2.88	2.05			
4	Assam	2	2.55	3.47	2	2.87	2.78	5	12.81	4.91			
5	Bihar	2	4.19	5.68	2	5.68	6.78	1	1.99	4.31			
6	Chandigarh	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00			
7	Chhattisgarh	2	3.66	3.39	2	5.80	5.93	2	5.56	5.27			
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00			
9	Delhi	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00			
10	Goa	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00			
11	Gujarat	4	11.16	7.03	4	12.41	7.35	4	5.85	7.13			
12	Haryana	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00			
13	Himachal Pradesh	2	2.66	2.63	2	2.88	2.81	1	1.62	3.03			
14	Jammu & Kashmir	1	3.12	0.98	1	1.51	0.60	1	1.36	1.17			
15	Jharkhand	2	5.95	7.86	6	20.07	7.22	0	0.00	6.64			
16	Karnataka	2	5.08	4.66	2	6.53	5.06	4	8.32	5.58			
17	Kerala	2	5.66	2.98	2	5.04	3.74	2	6.24	5.31			
18	Ladakh	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00			
19	Lakshadweep	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00			
20	Madhya Pradesh	4	11.93	4.12	6	15.93	6.65	6	12.61	7.20			
21	Maharashtra	2	5.88	4.55	1	3.12	5.90	3	9.75	6.08			
22	Manipur	2	2.59	1.57	1	1.30	1.61	3	4.30	2.29			
23	Meghalaya	1	1.30	2.24	1	1.44	2.07	1	1.44	1.81			
24	Mizoram	1	1.30	1.40	1	1.36	1.48	1	1.37	1.45			

25	Nagaland	2	2.60	1.23	2	2.84	1.76	2	2.88	1.90	NIL
26	Odisha	2	6.00	7.40	6	20.08	8.72	9	30.13	14.10	
27	Puducherry	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	
28	Punjab	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	
29	Rajasthan	2	5.95	7.01	2	5.43	5.12	2	4.36	4.72	
30	Sikkim	1	0.97	0.65	2	3.02	1.15	2	1.94	1.52	
31	Tamil Nadu	3	4.50	3.71	2	4.99	4.01	2	6.57	3.84	
32	Telangana	3	8.35	3.33	2	4.49	5.69	2	6.63	4.42	
33	Tripura	0	0.00	0.17	0	0.00	0.46	1	1.44	0.11	
34	Uttar Pradesh	1	2.94	6.44	6	18.99	8.31	6	13.93	12.77	
35	Uttarakhand	1	0.78	0.35	1	1.08	0.39	2	2.72	0.80	
36	West Bengal	2	4.03	7.58	2	5.35	8.11	2	5.13	6.63	
	Total	51	115.81	92.23	63	162.88	111.75	68	157.98	120.40	

Annexure-II

The details of assistance provided under Tribal Development Fund (TDF) in Maharashtra, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu

State/Union Territory	Project Name	District	Block	Area (acre)	No. of families	Sanctioned Grant Assistance (₹ Crore)	Status
Maharashtra	TDF-Chikhaldara-NCT	Amravati	Chikhaldara	2000	2208	8.60	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Chikhaldara Additional-NCT	Amravati	Chikhaldara	2000	2242	8.76	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Parshivani-NCT	Nagpur	Parshivani	812	932	3.48	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Korchi-NCT	Gadchiroli	Korchi	1500	1638	6.42	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Kurkheda-NCT	Gadchiroli	Kurkheda	1000	1109	4.31	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Korchi Exp-NCT	Gadchiroli	Korchi	1000	1706	4.69	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF- Deori-NCT	Gondia	Deori	1000	1108	4.66	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF Surgana-MITTRA	Nashik	Surgana	1000	1998	4.42	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Nandurbar-MITTRA	Nandurbar	Nandurbar	750	824	3.28	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Jawhar-MITTRA	Palghar	Jawhar	1000	1100	4.42	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Dharni-MITTRA	Amravati	Dharni	750	824	3.30	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Mokhada-MITTRA	Palghar	Mokhada	1000	1098	4.40	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF Ramtek - MITTRA	Nagpur	Ramtek	1000	1999	4.34	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF Shirpur-MITTRA	Dhule	Shirpur	1000	641	4.40	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Dahanu-MITTRA	Palghar	Dahanu	891	674	2.36	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Junnar II-Lupin	Pune	Junnar	500	505	1.71	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Junnar I-Lupin	Pune	Junnar	1000	1464	2.60	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF- Bhivapur-Lupin	Nagpur	Bhivapur	500	660	2.25	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Igatpuri- Dilasa	Nashik	Igatpuri	1000	999	4.40	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Patur	Akola	Patur	1000	1078	3.95	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Navapur-HSS	Nandurbar	Navapur	500	549	2.04	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Akole	Ahmednagar	Akole	1000	1078	4.23	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Mawal-JBGVS	Pune	Mawal	900	1014	2.49	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Deori-SARDA	Gondia	Deori	1000	1013	4.03	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Salekasa-SARDA	Gondia	Salekasa	500	501	1.96	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Sakri-SIED	Dhule	Sakri	1000	2074	4.14	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Kinwat -JBGVM	Nanded	Kinwat	900	999	3.86	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF- Aundha-SEDT	Hingoli	Aundha	500	540	2.17	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Sakri-Lupin	Dhule	Sakri	1000	1036	3.07	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF- Shirpur-Lupin	Dhule	Shirpur	1000	1080	3.08	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Amoni-Lupin	Nandurbar	Amoni	500	553	2.21	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF- Padalpur-Lupin	Nandurbar	Padalpur	500	551	2.21	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Arvi-KJBF	Wardha	Arvi	1000	1128	2.82	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Karanja-KJBF	Wardha	Karanja	800	905	2.42	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Deoli -Arvi-KJBF	Wardha	Deoli-Arvi	900	1173	4.72	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Dhadgaoni- CINI	Nandurbar	Dhadgaon	500	1315	2.00	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Seloo- KJBF	Wardha	Selo	700	780	2.12	Completed

Maharashtra	TDF-Dhadgaon2- CINI	Nandurbar	Dhadgaon	500	1492	2.00	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Dindori-MPSM	Nashik	Dindori	1000	0	4.24	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF-Kinwat-SSM	Nanded	Kinwat-Mahur	594	0	3.38	Completed
Maharashtra	TDF Dahanu - Lupin	Palghar	Dahanu	450	1047	2.75	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Vikramgad	Palghar	Vikramgad	500	499	1.89	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Surgana II	Nashik	surgana	500	607	3.00	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Ashti-KJBF	Wardha	Ashti	475	1158	8.76	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Akkalkuwa-Lupin	Nandurbar	Akkalkuwa	450	471	3.00	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Sakri II-SIED	Dhule	Sakri	450	485	2.91	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF- Raver-BAIF	Jalgaon	Raver	500	400	3.12	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Warora	Chandrapur	Warora	450	0	3.33	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Etapalli	Gadchiroli	Etapalli	452	0	3.29	On Going
Maharashtra	TDF-Natavad	Nandurbar	Nandurbar	450	0	3.11	On Going
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	Integrated Tribal Development Programme	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	Mandoni,Randha & Dudhani	800	800	2.62	Completed

Note: There is no Tribal Development Project of NABARD in Daman and Diu