

Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Department of Consumer Affairs

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3575
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.12.2019

IMPORT AND EXPORT OF ONION

3575. SHRI ANTO ANTONY:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any statistics regarding production and consumption of onion in the country, if so, the details of production and consumption of onion during the last ten years, year-wise and State-wise;
- (b) whether the import and export of onion is taking place in the country;
- (c) if so, the details of import and export of onion during the last ten years, year-wise, country-wise and price-wise;
- (d) whether there is any income generated through import and export of onion; and
- (e) if so, the details of such income generation during the last ten years, year-wise and country-wise?

ANSWER

उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण राज्य मंत्री
(श्री दानवे रावसाहेब दादाराव)

THE MINISTER OF STATE
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SHRI DANVE RAOSAHEB DADARAO)

(a) : Production of horticulture crops including that of onions are brought out by Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and farmers Welfare and is available at link <http://agricoop.nic.in/statistics/state-level>

The all India Household Consumer Expenditure Survey of the National Sample Survey Office (NSSO) provides the per-capita consumption of onions. The monthly per-capita consumption of various items including that of onions as per the 68th NSS Round is available at link http://mospi.nic.in/sites/default/files/publication_reports/Report_no558_rou68_30june14.pdf

(b) to (e) : Details of import and export of onions in quantity and value terms as published by Department of Commerce, Government of India is at link <https://commerce-app.gov.in/eidb/>.
