

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF EARTH SCIENCES  
LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 4427  
TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 20, 2020  
GRAMIN KRISHI MAUSAM SEVA SCHEME**

**4427. SHRI BASANTA KUMAR PANDA :**

**Will the Minister of EARTH SCIENCES be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of farmers benefitted under Gramin Krishi Mausam Seva Scheme; and**
- (b) the number of beneficiaries under the said scheme from Kalahandi and Nuapada districts of Odisha?**

**ANSWER  
MINISTER FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
AND EARTH SCIENCES  
(Dr. HARSH VARDHAN)**

- (a) As per the available statistics, about 42 million farmers in the country are benefitted by directly getting Agromet Advisories through SMS, Mobile Apps etc. under Gramin Krishi Mausam Seva Scheme.**
- (b) At present 103517 registered farmers in Kalahandi district and 47429 registered farmers in Naupada district of Odisha are the beneficiaries under the Gramin Krishi Mausam Seva Scheme.**

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