

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 458
ANSWERED ON 15TH SEPTEMBER, 2020

MEGA FOOD PARKS SCHEME

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

- (a) the salient features of the Mega Food Parks Scheme and the current status of its implementation in the country;
- (b) the number of jobs that are expected to be created under this scheme and the details thereof;
- (c) the number of Agro-Processing Clusters proposed to be set up under the scheme, State/UT-wise; and
- (d) whether this scheme will have any impact on crop wastage and is so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
(SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a): Ministry of Food Processing Industries is implementing Mega Food Park Scheme (MFPS) to create modern infrastructure for the food processing industries since 2008. This scheme is now a component of the new Central Sector Umbrella Scheme— Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY). The Mega Food Park Scheme (MFPS) aims at providing modern infrastructure facilities for food processing along the value chain from farm to market. The salient features of the scheme are mentioned in **Annexure-I**. Total 42 Mega Food Parks (MFPs) were envisaged by the Government. As on date, Ministry has accorded final approval to 37 MFPs in 23 States/UTs which are under various stages of implementation. Out of this, 19 MFPs are operational. Current status of implementation is mentioned in **Annexure-II**.

(b): As per the scheme guidelines, each fully operational Mega Food Park will provide direct/indirect employment to about 5000 persons. The details of employment provided by the 19 operational Mega Food parks as on date is mentioned in **Annexure-III**.

(c): Agro-Processing Clusters are not set-up under the Mega Food Park scheme of the Ministry. However, there is a separate scheme of the Ministry for Creation of Infrastructure for Agro-Processing Clusters. Details of Agro Processing Clusters proposed to be set-up under the Ministry's scheme for Creation of Infrastructure for Agro-Processing Clusters is mentioned in **Annexure-IV**.

(d): The scheme of Mega Food Park has the primary objective of providing modern infrastructure facilities for the food processing along the value chain from the farm to the market. It will include creation of infrastructure near farm (i.e. collection centres & Primary Processing centres), transportation, logistics and centralized processing centres etc. This will have impact on increased realization of farmers, reduction in wastage and creation of an efficient supply chain backed by collection centres, primary processing centres and logistic infrastructure.

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SALIENT FEATURES OF THE MEGA FOOD PARKS SCHEME:

Objective of the Scheme

The primary objective of the MFPS is to provide modern infrastructure facilities for the food processing along the value chain from the farm to the market. It will include creation of processing infrastructure near the farm, transportation, logistics and centralized processing centres.

The scheme functions with a cluster based approach based on a hub and spokes model by establishing Mega Food Parks. It includes creation of infrastructure for primary processing and storage near the farm in the form of Primary Processing Centres (PPCs) and Collection Centres (CCs) and common facilities and enabling infrastructure like roads, electricity, water, Effluent Treatment Plant (ETP) facilities etc. at Central Processing Centre (CPC). These PPCs and CCs act as aggregation and storage points to feed raw material to the processing units located in the CPC. The scheme will be demand-driven, and will facilitate food processing units to meet environmental and safety standards.

Pattern of Assistance

The scheme provides for a capital grant at the rate of 50 percent of the project cost (excluding land cost) in general areas and at the rate of 75 percent of the project cost (excluding land cost) in difficult and hilly areas i.e. North East Region including Sikkim, J&K, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand and ITDP notified areas of the States subject to a maximum of Rs.50 crore per project.

Land

The requirement of land for establishing the CPC is minimum 50 acres either by purchase or on lease of at least 75 years for the Central Processing Centre of the Mega Food Park.

Key Project Components

- **Enabling Basic Infrastructure** -Internal Roads, drainage, water supply, electricity supply including captive power plant, ETP & STP, weighbridges etc.
- **Core Processing** -Sorting & grading, packaging, warehouses & Specialized storage, Pre-cooling and Ripening chambers, IQF, Cold chain infrastructure, Steam generation, QC Lab etc.
- **Standard Design Facility Sheds for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs)** - plug and play facility for small units.
- **Non - Core Infrastructure** - Admin buildings, training centres, canteen, workers' hostel, trade/display centre etc

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Current status of implementation of Mega Food Park scheme in the country:

Sr. No.	State/UT	SPV/ IA Name	Date of Final Approval	Project Cost (INR in Cr)	Amount of grant approved (INR in Cr)	Amount of grant released (INR in Cr)	Status
1.	Andhra Pradesh (3 Projects)	Srini Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Chittoor	30.03.2009	121.1	50	49.92	Operational
2.		Godavari Mega Aqua Food Park Pvt. Ltd., West Godavari	16.12.2013	122.6	50	44.53	Operational
3.		Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation (APIIC), Krishna	31.12.2015	93.63	43.55	32.69	Under Implementation
4.	Arunachal Pradesh (1 Project)	Rongoge Mega Food Park, Pvt. Ltd, Papum Pare	12.09.2019	73.02	43.25	0	Under Implementation
5.	Assam (1 Project)	North East Mega Food Park Ltd., Nalbari	30.03.2009	84.96	48.84	45	Operational
6.	Bihar (1 Project)	Pristine Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Khagaria	06.08.2014	120.13	41.9	28.51	Under Implementation
7.	Chhattisgarh (1 Project)	Indus Best Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Raipur	04.06.2014	96.58	43.96	36.03	Under Implementation
8.	Gujarat (2 Projects)	Gujarat Agro Infrastructure Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Surat	22.05.2014	121.86	50	45	Operational
9.		Fanidhar Mega Food Park Pvt. Limited, Mehsana	16.08.2017	165.79	50	28.17	Under Implementation
10.	Haryana (2 Projects)	Haryana State Industrial & Infra Dev. Corp Limited (HSIIDC), Sonipat	06.11.2015	155.58	44.94	27.88	Under Implementation
11.		Haryana State Coop. Supply and Marketing Federation Ltd (HAFED), Rohtak	21.02.2018	179.75	50	15	Under Implementation
12.	Himachal	Cre mica Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Una	06.08.2014	107.34	50	43.86	Operational

	Pradesh (1 Project)						
13.	J&K (1 Project)	RFK Greens Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Pulwama	19.02.2014	79.43	50	29.09	Under Implementation
14.	Karnataka (2 Projects)	Integrated Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Tumkur	29.03.2011	144.33	50	48.72	Operational
15.		Favorich Infra Pvt Ltd., Mandya	19.12.2017	113.83	50	28.57	Under Implementation
16.	Kerala (2 Projects)	Kerala State Industrial Dev Corpt Ltd (KSIDC), Alappuzha	27.11.2015	129.15	50	37.8	Under Implementation
17.		Kerala Industrial Infra. Development Corpt. (KINFRA), Palakkad	27.11.2015	102.13	40.57	37.72	Under Implementation
18.	Madhya Pradesh (2 Projects)	Indus Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Khargaoan	27.08.2012	131.28	50	49.37	Operational
19.		Avantee Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Dewas	31.12.2015	144.12	50	39.44	Operational
20.	Maharashtra (3 Projects)	Paithan Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Aurangabad	08.03.2013	124.52	48.82	42.96	Operational
21.		Satara Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Satara	06.08.2014	139.33	50	44.78	Operational
22.		Wardha Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd, Wardha	13.01.2016	92.36	50	15	Under Implementation
23.	Manipur (1 Project)	Manipur Food Industries Corporation Ltd., Kakching, Manipur	30.01.2020	60.64	43.25	0	Under Implementation
24.	Mizoram (1 Project)	Zoram Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Kolasib	10.06.2015	75.2	50	44.24	Operational
25.	Nagaland (1 Project)	Doys Agri Resources Pvt Ltd, Dimapur, Nagaland	16.08.2017	71.79	50	29.78	Under Implementation
26.	Odisha (2 Projects)	Odisha Industrial Infrastructure Development Corporation (IDCO), Khurda	06.11.2015	121.95	50	37.8	Under Implementation
27.		MITS Mega Food Park Ltd., Rayagada	16.04.2012	87.88	45.94	44.95	Operational

28.		International Mega Food Park Ltd. , Fazilka, Punjab	25.05.2011	130.38	50	45	Operational
29.	Punjab (3 Projects)	Punjab Agro Industries Corporation Ltd., (PAIC) Ludhiana	27.11.2015	117.61	50	37.62	Under Implementation
30.		Sukjhith Mega Food Park & Infra Ltd. Kapurthala	06.11.2015	107.83	48.7	38.76	Under Implementation
31.	Rajasthan (1 Project)	Greentech Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Ajmer	19.02.2014	119.82	49.88	44.04	Operational
32.		Smart Agro Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Nizamabad	10.06.2015	108.95	50	44.78	Operational
33.	Telangana (2 Projects)	Telangana State Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Ltd., Khammam	05.02.2016	109.44	50	28.49	Under Implementation
34.	Tripura (1 Project)	Sikaria Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., West Tripura	30.11.2011	77.79	48.39	43.5	Operational
35.		Patanjali Food & Herbal Park Pvt. Ltd., Haridwar	30.03.2009	95.08	50	50	Operational
36.	Uttarakhand (2 Projects)	Himalayan Food Park Pvt Ltd, Udham Singh Nagar	23.01.2014	98.08	48.12	43.31	Operational
37.	West Bengal (1 Project)	Jangipur Mega Food Park Ltd., Murshidabad	16.03.2010	132.7	50	45	Operational
TOTAL				4157.96	1790.11	1347.31	
Operational: 19, Under implementation: 18							

Annexure-III

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Details of employment provided by the 19 operational Mega Food parks as on date:

Sr. No.	State/UT name	District Name	SPV/IA Name	Number of Direct Employment	Number of Indirect Employment	Number of Total (Direct + Indirect) Employment
1	Andhra Pradesh	West Godavari	Godavari Mega Aqua Food Park Pvt Ltd	50	200	250
2	Andhra Pradesh	Chittoor	Srini Food Park Pvt Ltd	1200	16000	17200
3	Assam	Nalbari	North East Mega Food Park Ltd	395	350	745
4	Gujarat	Surat	Gujarat Agro Infrastructure Mega Food Park Pvt Ltd	100	500	600
5	Himachal Pradesh	Una	Cremica Food Park Pvt Ltd	100	500	600
6	Karnataka	Tumkur	Integrated Food Park Ltd	900	4500	5400
7	Madhya Pradesh	Khargone	Indus Mega Food Park Pvt Ltd	300	300	600
8	Madhya Pradesh	Dewas	Avantee Mega Food Park Pvt Ltd	50	150	200
9	Maharashtra	Satara	Satara Mega Food Park Pvt Ltd	149	80	229
10	Mizoram	Kolasib	Zoram Mega Food Park Pvt Ltd	23	120	143
11	Maharashtra	Aurangabad	Paithan Mega Food Park Pvt Ltd	33	375	408
12	Odisha	Rayagada	MITS Mega Food Park Ltd	31	2093	2124
13	Punjab	Fazilka	International Mega Food Park Ltd	61	75	136
14	Rajasthan	Ajmer	Greentech Mega Food Park Ltd	50	250	300
15	Telangana	Nizamabad	Smart Agro Food Park Pvt Ltd	25	100	125
16	Tripura	West Tripura	Sikaria Mega Food Park (P) Ltd	50	250	300
17	Uttarakhand	Udham Singh Nagar	Himalayan Food Park Pvt Ltd	1040	15000	16040
18	Uttarakhand	Haridwar	Patanjali Food and Herbal Park Pvt Ltd	16363	596893	613256
19	West Bengal	Murshidabad	Jangipur Bengal Mega Food Park Ltd	52	421	473
TOTAL				20972	638157	659129*

***INFORMATION AS PROVIDED BY SPVs/IAs. FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES BEING SEASONAL IN NATURE, THE ABOVE FIGURES MAY CHANGE FROM TIME TO TIME**

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 458 FOR ANSWER ON 15TH SEPTEMBER, 2020 REGARDING "MEGA FOOD PARKS SCHEME".

Details of Agro Processing Clusters proposed to be set-up under the scheme for Agro-Processing Clusters:

Sl. No.	State	No. of proposed
1	Andhra Pradesh	5
2	Assam	2
3	Bihar	5
4	Chhattisgarh	1
5	Goa	1
6	Gujarat	3
7	Haryana	3
8	Himachal Pradesh	1
9	Jammu & Kashmir	1
10	Jharkhand	1
11	Karnataka	4
12	Kerala	1
13	Madhya Pradesh	4
14	Maharashtra	6
15	Odisha	1
16	Punjab	3
17	Rajasthan	5
18	Tamil Nadu	3
19	Telangana	1
20	Uttar Pradesh	12
21	Uttarakhand	1
22	West Bengal	6
23	Arunachal Pradesh	3
24	Manipur	
25	Meghalaya	
26	Mizoram	
27	Nagaland	
28	Tripura	
29	Sikkim	
30	A & N Islands	2
31	Chandigarh	
32	D & N Haveli	
33	Delhi	
34	Daman & Diu	
35	Lakshadweep	
36	Pondicherry	
37	Ladakh	
	Total	75