

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION & FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 13
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 2ND FEBRUARY, 2021

ORGANIC FARMING

† *13. SHRI SUMEDHANAND SARASWATI:
SHRI BALAK NATH:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to promote organic farming in the country and if so, the rank of the country in terms of the area under organic farmland;
- (b) whether the country is exporting organic products;
- (c) if so, the details of organic products exported by the country during each of the last three years and the current year, country-wise;
- (d) the amount of foreign exchange earned by the country from export of organic products during the said period; and
- (e) the steps taken or proposed to be taken by the Government to promote organic branded products in the country?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री

(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 13 DUE FOR REPLY ON 2ND FEBRUARY, 2021.

(a): Government of India has been promoting Organic farming in the country through dedicated schemes namely Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) and Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region (MOVCDNER) since 2015-16 to cater to the needs of domestic and export markets respectively. Both the schemes stress on end to end support to organic farmers i.e from production to certification and marketing. Post harvest management support including processing, packing, marketing is made integral part of these schemes to encourage organic farmers. As on date 33.25 lakh ha area is under organic farming in the country including 10.26 lakh ha under PKVY and 22.99 lakh hectares under National Program for Organic Production (NPOP) of Agricultural & Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) which includes area coverage under Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region. The State-wise details of the area covered under various schemes is given at **Annexure- I**. India stands at **9th rank** in terms of certified area globally as per the report published by Research Institute of Organic Agriculture (FiBL) and the International Federation of Organic Agriculture Movements (IFOAM) taking base year as 2018.

(b) to (d): Yes, The country wise detail of organic products export during last three year (2017-2020) and the details of value of export of organic product are given at **Annexure-II**.

(e): Marketing, branding have been integral part of organic farming schemes. Assistance of Rs 6800/ ha under PKVY and Rs 5000/ ha under MOVCDNER have been provided for marketing, branding, trade. The details of brands developed under these Programmes in the country is given at **Annexure-III**.

Annexure-I

S.No.	Under National Program of Organic Produce(NPOP)			Area covered under Parampragat Krishi Vikas Yojana (In ha)		
	State Name	Organic area including conversion	Area Covered under Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Regions (MOVCDNER) (in ha)	Parampragat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY)	National Mission on Clean Ganga (NMCG)	Bhartiya Prakritik Krishi Paddati (BPKP) *
1	A &N Island	7484		1360		-
2	Andhra. P	37203.23		106000		100000
3	Arunachal. P	1657.66	9000	380		-----
4	Assam	16693.67	10000	4400		-----
5	Bihar	22712.55		8540	16060	-----
6	Chhattisgarh	22437.8		24000		85000
7	Goa	12436.48		10080		-----
8	Gujarat	95207.58		2000		-----
9	Haryana	6155.75		400		-----
10	H.P	12053.88		5700		12000
11	J & K	30275.95		560		-----
12	Jharkhand	25854.18		5000	540	3400
13	Karnataka	81065.23		20900		-----
15	Kerala	41780.49		12380		84000
14	Ladakh	64.221		0.00		-----
15	Lakshadweep	895.513		2700		-----
16	M.P	892896.4		76560		-----
17	Maharashtra	282496.3		25160		-----
18	Manipur	490.07	12500	600		-----
19	Meghalaya	38952.4	6430	900		-----
20	Mizoram	-23.11**	10053	680		-----
21	Nagaland	1254.97	13000	480		-----
22	Delhi	0.718		10000		-----
23	Odisha	88177.61		20800		-----
24	Pondicherry	23.645		160		-----
25	Punjab	8505.405		5000		-----
26	Rajasthan	287578.5		123000		-----
27	Sikkim	63282.65	12435	3000		-----
28	Tamil Nadu	26005.73		6240		-----
29	Telangana	8742.28		13800		-----
30	Tripura	-2487.82**	6027	1000		-----
31	Uttar Pradesh (including UPDASP)	60948.17		22400	56180	-----
32	Uttarakhand	42047.02		89700	50840	-----
33	West Bengal	6392.05		2400		-----
34	Daman& Diu	0		1100		-----
35	Dadar Nagar	0		10000		-----
36	Chandigarh	0		1300		-----
Total		2219261.17 (A)	79445 (B)	618680 (C)	123620 (D)	284400 (E)
Grand Total		(A) + (B) = 2298706.17		(C) + (D) + (E) = 1026700 ha		
Total area covered under organic farming (A+B+C+D+E) = 3325406.17 ha						
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The BPKP scheme Initiated in 2021 						
** First scope certificate yet to be received in Mizoram and Tripura						

Top 10 country-wise exports of organic products (past three years)

Sl. No.	Country Name	2019-2020		2018-2019		2017-2018	
		Exported Qty (In MT)	Value (In USD) million	Exported Qty (In MT)	Value (In USD) million	Exported Qty (In MT)	Value (In USD) million
1	U.S.A.	376070.03	353.31	334112.99	429.7	223853.602	234.587
2	European Union	175674.41	250.99	155253.86	223.11	129546.233	196.795
3	CANADA	64225.71	46.62	101942.71	68.6	82132.724	51.806
4	SWITZERLAND	5192.01	9.63	6199.11	9.89	8925.166	11.172
5	AUSTRALIA	2357.29	6.99	2130.76	7.47	2690.152	6.2
6	ISRAEL	2531.74	2.54	3069.92	1.87	1974.249	2.116
7	KOREA REPUBLIC	1292.16	1.39	1109.59	1.55	1611.76	1.051
8	VIETNAM	3270.25	1.66	3187.57	1.68	1446.909	1.09
9	NEWZEALAND	1758.12	1.8	1977.9	2.13	1282.187	1.486
10	JAPAN	1368.73	2.7	750.9	2.4	1073.32	2.374
	Others	5257.99	11.49	4353.07	9.11	3802.706	9.1213
	Total	638998.44	689.12	614088.38	757.51	458339.008	517.7983

Source: APEDA

Annexure-III

Brands under Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojan (PKVY) Brand name under PKVY

States	Brand Name
Madhya Pradesh	Made in Mandla
Uttarakhand	Organic Uttarakhand
Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu Organic Product (TOP)
Maharashtra	Sahi organic, Nasik Organic & Gadchiroli Organic Farming
Jharkhand	Jaivik Jharkhand , from the land of Jharkhand
Chhattisgarh	Aadim brand of BhoomiGadi FPO, Bastar Naturals
Punjab	Five Rivers
Tripura	Tripureshwari Fresh

Brands under Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region(MOVCDNER)

North eastern States have developed brand names under MOVCDNER Scheme.

S.No.	Name of the State	Brand Name / Trademarks
1	Arunachal Pradesh	Organic Arunachal
2	Manipur	Organic Manipur
3	Mizoram	Mission Organic Mizoram
4	Nagaland	Naga Organic
5	Sikkim	Sikkim Organic
6	Meghalaya	O Megha
7	Tripura	Tripura Organic
