

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1211
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9TH FEBRUARY, 2021

DECLINE IN FOOD GRAIN PRODUCTIVITY

1211. SHRI ASHOK MAHADEORAO NETE:

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

- (a) whether the production of food grains has declined during the last three years due to drought conditions;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of the farmers who have committed suicide during the last three years, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b): No sir, the production of food grains has not declined in the country during last three years. The details of production of foodgrains in the country during last three years are as under:

Year	Production (Million Tonnes)
2017-18	285.01
2018-19	285.21
2019-20 #	296.65

- Fourth Advance Estimates.

(c): The State-wise details of the farmers / cultivators suicide during 2017, 2018 and 2019 is at **Annexure**.

Annexure

State-wise and year-wise details of Farmers / Cultivators suicide, for the year 2017-2019

	State/UT	2017	2018	2019
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	375	365	628
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0	0	0
3	ASSAM	3	5	26
4	BIHAR	0	0	0
5	CHHATTISGARH	285	182	233
6	GOA	0	0	0
7	GUJARAT	4	21	3
8	HARYANA	0	0	0
9	HIMACHAL PRADESH	4	5	12
10	JAMMU & KASHMIR	0	5	0
11	JHARKHAND	0	0	0
12	KARNATAKA	1157	1365	1331
13	KERALA	42	25	22
14	MADHYA PRADESH	429	303	142
15	MAHARASHTRA	2426	2239	2680
16	MANIPUR	0	2	0
17	MEGHALAYA	0	0	0
18	MIZORAM	0	17	22
19	NAGALAND	0	0	0
20	ODISHA	0	0	0
21	PUNJAB	243	229	239
22	RAJASTHAN	3	2	2
23	SIKKIM	7	1	0
24	TAMIL NADU	19	6	6
25	TELANGANA	846	900	491
26	TRIPURA	0	0	0
27	UTTAR PRADESH	110	80	108
28	UTTARAKHAND	0	0	0
29	WEST BENGAL	0	0	0
30	A & N ISLANDS	2	4	5
31	CHANDIGARH	0	0	0
32	D & N HAVELI	0	7	7
33	DAMAN & DIU	0	0	0
34	DELHI (UT)	0	0	0
35	LAKSHADWEEP	0	0	0
36	PUDUCHERRY	0	0	0
	TOTAL (ALL INDIA)	5955	5763	5957

Source : Report on 'Accidental Deaths & Suicides in India' for relevant years, National Crime Records Bureau. Latest data pertains to the year 2019.
