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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1370
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9TH FEBRUARY, 2021

PRODUCTION OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

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

- (a) whether the Government has set any targets for the production of fruits and vegetables in various States of the country during the last five year plan and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the production of fruits and vegetables in various States of the country during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (c) the details of assistance provided by the Government to various States for promotion of horticulture crops during the last five year plan, Statewise;
- (d) the various steps taken by the Government to achieve the said targets during the said period;
- (e) whether the Government proposes to help vegetable and fruit cultivators in marketing of their produce so they may get remunerative prices, if so, the assistance provided by the Government in this regard; and
- (f) the steps taken by the Government to encourage research in the field of vegetable and fruit production in the country?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

- (a): A total production target of 310.00 Million Metric Ton for the horticulture produce including fruits and vegetables in various States of the country was set during the last five year plan (XII Plan - 2012-2017).
- (b): The State-wise production of Fruits and Vegetables during 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20 (3rd Advance Estimates), are at **Annexure I**. The details (1st Estimate) of Fruits and Vegetables production in various States of the Country for the current financial year, 2020-21 is yet to be finalized.

(c): The State-wise details of the funds released (Gol Share) to various States under Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) for promotion of horticulture during last five year plan (XII Plan - 2012-2017) are at **Annexure II**.

(d): During the last five year plan, for promotion of horticulture throughout the country, financial & technical assistance was provided to States/UTs under MIDH for following major interventions/activities:

- Setting up of nurseries, tissue culture units for production of quality seed and planting material.
- Area expansion i.e. Establishment of new orchards and gardens for fruits, vegetables, and flowers.
- Rejuvenation of unproductive, old, and senile orchards.
- Protected cultivation, i.e. poly-house, green-house, etc, to improve the productivity & grow off season high value vegetables and flowers.
- Organic farming and certification.
- Creation of water resources structures and watershed management.
- Bee-keeping for pollination.
- Horticulture Mechanization.
- Creation of Post Harvest Management and Marketing infrastructure.

(e): Under MIDH, financial assistance is also provided for setting up of terminal markets, wholesale markets, Rural Market /apni mandies, retail markets/outlets, static/mobile vending cart/ platform with cool chamber and functional infrastructures under the component of Market Infrastructures for which credit linked back ended subsidy is provided at the rate of 25% to 55% of admissible project cost. Apart from the above, Government is also implementing Market Intervention Scheme (MIS) for procurement of agricultural and horticultural commodities which are perishable in nature and are not covered under the Price Support Scheme (PSS).

(f): Under MIDH, assistance is also provided for promotion of research activities through Central Government Institutes under ICAR, CSIR, SAUs, National Level Govt. Agencies and others location specific Institutes to take up need based applied research and development works in areas of seed and planting material including import of planting material, technology standardization and technology acquisition and imparting training and FLD, on project mode with 100% assistance.

The research steps are also being taken by 23 Institutes/ Directorates/ NRCs and 12 AICRPs under Horticulture Science Division of ICAR to help increase in Fruits and Vegetables production in the country.

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Production of Fruit & Vegetable Crops

Sl. No.	STATES/UTs	Production in '000 MT					
		2017-18		2018-19		2019-20 (3 rd Adv. Est.)	
		Fruits	Vegetables	Fruits	Vegetables	Fruits	Vegetables
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	15215.85	6911.79	16995.65	7559.55	17515.92	7711.55
2	ARUNCHAL PRADESH	125.70	16.60	125.84	17.39	125.84	17.39
3	ASSAM	2123.62	3293.01	2166.77	3479.21	2562.30	3673.88
4	BIHAR	4207.29	15865.30	4403.70	16528.07	4256.21	16327.53
5	CHHATTISGARH	2666.20	7003.59	2496.74	7081.29	2480.64	7088.82
6	GUJARAT	8996.02	12265.49	9218.86	12550.47	9253.75	13153.59
7	HARYANA	793.35	7155.80	1178.92	7325.06	1197.97	6113.32
8	HIMACHAL PRADESH	565.26	1807.03	495.36	1755.43	828.23	1856.80
9	JAMMU & KASHMIR	2355.19	1226.64	2414.21	1337.12	2541.16	1337.12
10	JHARKHAND	1081.69	3475.42	1118.37	3508.32	1148.11	3575.93
11	KARNATAKA	7133.94	8395.33	6759.16	7338.81	7055.40	7519.51
12	KERALA	2045.75	2517.27	1801.66	2709.37	1731.44	2757.05
13	MADHYA PRADESH	7416.91	17545.50	7544.52	17970.26	7916.39	19832.27
19	MAHARASHTRA	11728.66	12322.72	10777.72	11356.15	11544.26	13642.86
15	MANIPUR	455.59	342.17	454.77	356.04	527.97	391.35
16	MEGHALAYA	316.51	519.70	406.87	514.75	393.51	515.87
17	MIZORAM	340.51	171.06	347.02	200.45	344.91	181.70
18	NAGALAND	380.52	555.12	314.10	455.08	315.05	453.65
19	ODISHA	2402.30	8765.61	2349.23	8670.13	1917.07	7937.16
20	PUNJAB	1908.85	4928.35	2001.69	5207.36	2106.12	5537.82
21	RAJASTHAN	761.95	1675.29	968.45	1652.62	1004.60	1877.34
22	SIKKIM	54.90	229.10	55.45	231.40	55.45	231.40
23	TAMIL NADU	5680.52	6406.01	5623.78	5669.27	5662.37	8928.58
24	TELANGANA	1939.39	2753.80	2012.81	2574.30	2077.12	2128.58
25	TRIPURA	547.52	795.78	559.90	808.78	562.46	811.67
26	UTTAR PRADESH	10539.78	27895.08	10657.75	27787.99	10952.73	26194.61
27	UTTARAKHAND	669.94	999.65	664.66	1006.30	674.21	1018.36
28	WEST BENGAL	3850.56	27697.34	3905.31	27014.55	3614.14	28113.03
29	OTHERS	142.73	505.25	147.41	504.12	82.45	535.25
	ALL INDIA TOTAL	96447.00	184040.79	97966.66	183169.61	100447.76	189463.97

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State-wise details of the funds released (Gol Share) to various States under MIDH for promotion of horticulture during the last five year plan

Sl. No.	State	Funds Released (Rs. in Crores)				
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
1	Andhra Pradesh	87.34	91.06	64.68	55.75	64.02
2	Bihar	35.06	20.00	17.00	4.00	17.96
3	Chhattisgarh	91.36	90.62	111.88	77.55	61.47
4	Goa	1.25	4.00	0.00	2.30	1.65
5	Gujarat	100.13	119.00	109.47	47.82	65.45
6	Haryana	90.82	93.63	65.45	50.75	59.55
7	Jharkhand	47.81	50.05	49.69	25.79	30.13
8	Karnataka	113.04	69.74	96.08	67.69	69.50
9	Kerala	35.00	30.00	40.00	25.00	15.00
10	Madhya Pradesh	30.09	75.00	42.23	40.50	35.62
11	Maharashtra	127.87	*674.6	140.00	96.25	50.44
12	Orissa	65.80	84.09	71.75	54.45	43.68
13	Punjab	57.90	58.19	58.50	30.35	30.00
14	Rajasthan	41.20	62.50	42.67	45.00	43.13
15	Tamil Nadu	56.00	92.87	55.36	58.73	47.14
16	Telangana	0.00	0.00	45.00	35.25	20.96
17	Uttar Pradesh	32.36	35.00	37.32	22.00	31.96
18	West Bengal	19.00	8.00	18.74	28.00	8.00
19	Delhi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
20	Puducherry	0.46	0.75	0.86	0.50	1.00
21	A & N Islands	2.65	1.32	1.42	2.50	0.00
22	Lakshadweep	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
23	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.00	0.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
24	Arunachal Pradesh	47.42	46.61	23.77	35.50	0.00
25	Assam	37.49	48.00	29.09	20.00	22.00
26	Manipur	48.93	58.00	44.17	35.75	10.00
27	Meghalaya	29.00	40.00	27.60	18.00	18.75
28	Mizoram	43.10	48.00	41.00	34.50	31.50
29	Nagaland	43.55	47.45	34.76	17.25	15.00
30	Sikkim	42.89	49.36	44.50	33.25	25.25
31	Tripura	44.80	56.14	37.00	32.75	23.50
32	Jammu & Kashmir	18.25	29.43	45.00	52.00	96.09
33	Himachal Pradesh	27.55	26.19	42.42	24.49	24.25
34	Uttarakhand	10.23	30.00	32.73	22.50	47.50
	Total	1428.36	2139.85	1470.14	1096.17	1010.50

*Rs. 557.60 Cr was released to Government of Maharashtra for rejuvenation of orchards in drought affected districts as Special Package during 2013-14.