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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2389**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2021

**TARGET FOR AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION**

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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 target for production of foodgrains and fruits in the country during the current Five Year Plan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof as on date;
- (c) the proposal of investment likely to be made by the Government in this regard; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to achieve this goal?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b) Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare fixes targets of food grains production on annual basis. No specific targets for the production of fruits have been set for the current Finance Commission period. However, fruits production has increased from 979.67 Lakh Tonne in 2018-19 to 1020.28 Lakh Tonne in 2019-20. Food grains, production targets and achievement for last four years and current year is at **Annexure – I**.

(c) & (d) Government has been implementing various schemes viz. National Food Security Mission (NFSM), Bringing Green Revolution to Eastern Indian (BGREI), Soil Health Card (SHC) scheme, Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY), Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojana (PMKSY), etc to attain the production target.

National Food Security Mission is being implemented on 60:40 sharing basis between central & state Govt. for general states and 90:10 between central & state Govt. for NER & Himalayan states. Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) a Centrally Sponsored Scheme has been approved for implementation w.e.f. 2014-15, for holistic growth of the horticulture sector covering fruits, vegetables, root and tuber crops, mushrooms, spices, flowers, aromatic plants, coconut, cashew, cocoa and bamboo. Mission subsumes National Horticulture Mission (NHM), Horticulture Mission for North East and Himalayan States (HMNEH), National Horticulture Board (NHB) Coconut Development Board (CDB) and Central Institute of Horticulture (CIH), Nagaland. While Government of India contributes 60% of total outlay for development programmes in all the States except the States in North East and Himalayas, 40% share is contributed by State Governments. In case of North Eastern States and Himalayan States, Government of India contribution is 90%. Similarly, for programmes of National Horticulture Board, Coconut Development Board, Central Institute for Horticulture, Nagaland, UTs and the National Level Agencies, Govt. of India contribution is 100%.

## Annexure -I

**Crop Production Targets of Foodgrains and achievements for last four years and current year as referred in part (a) & (b) of the Question No. 2389.**

(In: Million tonnes)

Crop	Season	2016-17		2017-18		2018-19		2019-20		2020-21*	
		Targets	Achi.	Targets	Achi.	Targets	Achi.	Targets	Achi.	Targets	Achi.
Rice	Kharif	93.00	96.02	94.50	96.30	99.00	102.04	102.00	102.28	102.60	103.75
	Rabi	15.50	12.84	14.00	13.40	15.00	14.44	14.00	16.59	17.00	16.57
	Total	<b>108.50</b>	<b>108.86</b>	<b>108.50</b>	<b>109.70</b>	<b>114.00</b>	<b>116.48</b>	<b>116.00</b>	<b>118.87</b>	<b>119.60</b>	<b>120.32</b>
Wheat	Rabi	<b>96.50</b>	<b>96.64</b>	<b>96.50</b>	<b>98.51</b>	<b>102.20</b>	<b>103.60</b>	<b>100.50</b>	<b>107.86</b>	<b>108.00</b>	<b>109.24</b>
Jowar	Kharif	3.00	1.92	2.75	1.96	2.10	1.74	2.10	1.70	2.15	1.85
	Rabi	3.00	2.84	3.00	2.60	2.80	1.74	2.80	3.08	2.85	2.89
	Total	<b>6.00</b>	<b>4.75</b>	<b>5.75</b>	<b>4.57</b>	<b>4.90</b>	<b>3.48</b>	<b>4.90</b>	<b>4.77</b>	<b>5.00</b>	<b>4.74</b>
Bajra	Kharif	<b>9.50</b>	<b>9.42</b>	<b>9.50</b>	<b>9.73</b>	<b>9.50</b>	<b>8.66</b>	<b>9.50</b>	<b>10.36</b>	<b>9.57</b>	<b>10.30</b>
Maize	Kharif	17.50	19.27	19.00	18.92	21.20	19.41	21.30	19.43	22.00	21.41
	Rabi	7.00	6.89	7.00	6.98	7.50	8.30	7.60	9.34	7.00	8.75
	Total	<b>24.50</b>	<b>26.15</b>	<b>26.00</b>	<b>25.90</b>	<b>28.70</b>	<b>27.72</b>	<b>28.90</b>	<b>28.77</b>	<b>29.00</b>	<b>30.16</b>
Ragi	Kharif	<b>2.00</b>	<b>1.75</b>	<b>2.00</b>	<b>1.39</b>	<b>2.30</b>	<b>1.24</b>	<b>2.30</b>	<b>1.76</b>	<b>1.78</b>	<b>1.87</b>
Small Millets	Kharif	<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.42</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.44</b>	<b>0.60</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0.60</b>	<b>0.37</b>	<b>0.65</b>	<b>0.31</b>
Barley	Rabi	<b>1.85</b>	<b>1.85</b>	<b>1.90</b>	<b>1.75</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>1.63</b>	<b>2.10</b>	<b>1.72</b>	<b>1.80</b>	<b>1.99</b>
Total Coarse Cereals	Kharif	32.50	32.77	33.75	32.44	35.70	31.38	35.80	33.61	36.15	35.74
	Rabi	11.85	11.57	11.90	11.33	12.40	11.67	12.50	14.13	11.65	13.63
	Total	<b>44.35</b>	<b>44.34</b>	<b>45.65</b>	<b>43.77</b>	<b>48.10</b>	<b>43.06</b>	<b>48.30</b>	<b>47.75</b>	<b>47.80</b>	<b>49.36</b>
Tur (Arhar)	Kharif	<b>3.62</b>	<b>4.23</b>	<b>4.25</b>	<b>4.87</b>	<b>4.50</b>	<b>3.32</b>	<b>4.60</b>	<b>3.89</b>	<b>4.82</b>	<b>3.88</b>
Gram	Rabi	<b>9.60</b>	<b>9.12</b>	<b>9.60</b>	<b>9.38</b>	<b>11.50</b>	<b>9.94</b>	<b>11.60</b>	<b>11.08</b>	<b>11.00</b>	<b>11.62</b>

<b>Urad</b>	<b>Kharif</b>	1.45	2.11	1.85	2.18	2.80	2.36	2.90	1.33	2.90	1.77
	<b>Rabi</b>	0.70	0.78	0.75	0.66	0.80	0.70	0.80	0.75	0.70	0.68
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2.15</b>	<b>2.89</b>	<b>2.60</b>	<b>2.83</b>	<b>3.60</b>	<b>3.06</b>	<b>3.70</b>	<b>2.08</b>	<b>3.60</b>	<b>2.45</b>
<b>Moong</b>	<b>Kharif</b>	1.22	1.51	1.50	1.64	1.55	1.78	1.60	1.83	1.88	2.02
	<b>Rabi</b>	0.65	0.62	0.65	0.52	0.70	0.67	0.70	0.68	0.60	0.60
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1.87</b>	<b>2.13</b>	<b>2.15</b>	<b>2.17</b>	<b>2.25</b>	<b>2.46</b>	<b>2.30</b>	<b>2.51</b>	<b>2.48</b>	<b>2.62</b>
<b>Other Kharif Pulses</b>	<b>Kharif</b>	<b>0.96</b>	<b>0.87</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>0.89</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>0.63</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>0.87</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>0.79</b>
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<b>Total Pulses</b>	<b>Kharif</b>	7.25	8.72	8.60	9.58	9.85	8.09	10.10	7.92	10.60	8.46
	<b>Rabi</b>	13.50	13.42	13.75	13.55	16.10	13.98	16.20	15.10	15.00	15.96
	<b>Total</b>	<b>20.75</b>	<b>22.14</b>	<b>22.35</b>	<b>23.13</b>	<b>25.95</b>	<b>22.08</b>	<b>26.30</b>	<b>23.03</b>	<b>25.60</b>	<b>24.42</b>
<b>Total Foodgrains</b>	<b>Kharif</b>	132.75	137.51	136.85	138.33	144.55	141.52	147.90	143.81	149.35	147.95
	<b>Rabi</b>	137.35	134.47	136.15	136.78	145.70	143.69	143.20	153.69	151.65	155.40
	<b>Total</b>	<b>270.10</b>	<b>271.98</b>	<b>273.00</b>	<b>275.11</b>	<b>290.25</b>	<b>285.21</b>	<b>291.10</b>	<b>297.50</b>	<b>301.00</b>	<b>303.34</b>

\* As per 2nd Advance Estimates of 2020-21

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