

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

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4510

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 23RD MARCH, 2021

WOMEN ENGAGED IN AGRICULTURE SECTOR

4510. SHRI AJAY NISHAD:

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

- (a) the details of and the total number of Women engaged in sowing, hoeing, weeding and harvesting in agriculture sector; and
- (b) the details of and the total women work force in this sector during the last three years and the current year?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b): As per the result of Agriculture Census 2015-16 , the total number of Women operational holders in the country is estimated as 20.44 million. Specific data on number of women engaged in sowing, hoeing, weeding and harvesting is not maintained in the Department of Agriculture, Co-operation and Farmers Welfare.
