

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION  
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3447  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23<sup>RD</sup> MARCH, 2022**

**PROCUREMENT OF FOOD GRAINS AT MSP**

**3447. SHRIMATI SUMALATHA AMBAREESH:**

**Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government procured various food grains from across the country at Minimum Support Price (MSP) as per procurement policy;
- (b) if so, the details of various food grains procured during the last three years and current year; State and year-wise;
- (c) whether any limit has been set for the procurement of fair average quality (FAQ) food grains from farmers at Minimum Support Price as per procurement policy;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the details of total number of farmers benefitted under the said policy along with the MSP for the last three years, year and State-wise?

**A N S W E R  
MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND  
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION  
(SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)**

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(a) and (b): State-wise foodgrain procured at Minimum Support Price (MSP) for central pool during last three years and current year are as under:

- I. Wheat at Annexure-I  
II. Paddy at Annexure-II  
III. Coarsegrain at Annexure-III  
IV- Pulses at Annexure-IV &V**

**(c) and (d): Procurement in a State depends not only upon production but also upon other multiple factors like marketable surplus, MSP, prevailing market rate, demand & supply situation and participation of private traders etc.**

**State Government agencies and Food Corporation of India (FCI) purchase wheat & paddy within the stipulated period with prescribed Fair Average Quality (FAQ) specification at Minimum Support Price (MSP) for Central Pool.**

**Coarsegrains are procured at MSP by State Governments as per the procurement plan prepared in consultation with FCI and approved by the Central Government, subject to its distribution by the State Government under National Food Security Act (NFSA)/ Other Welfare Schemes (OWS).**

**The Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (DAC&FW) implements the Price Support Scheme (PSS) for procurement of oil seeds and pulses through Central nodal agencies. This scheme is implemented at the request of the concerned State Government which agrees to exempt the procured commodities from levy of mandi tax and assist central nodal agencies in logistic arrangements, including gunny bags, working capital for state agencies, creation of revolving fund for PSS operations, etc. as required under the scheme guidelines. The procurement of oilseeds and pulses are undertaken by Central agencies at Minimum Support Price (MSP) announced by the Government as and when prices fall below the MSP and compliances of State/UT Govt. to PSS guidelines.**

**(e): State-wise farmers benefited through procurement of foodgrains at MSP for central pool during last three years are as under:**

- I. Wheat at Annexure-I**
- II. Paddy at Annexure-II**
- III. Coarsegrain at Annexure-III**
- IV. Pulses at Annexure-IV &V**

The Minimum Support Price (MSM) announced by Government of India for during last three crop years for wheat, paddy, coarsegrain and pulses are as under:

(Rs. Per Quintal)

Sl. No.	Commodity	Variety	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
1	Paddy	Common	1750	1815	1868	1940
		Grade 'A'	1770	1835	1888	1960
2	Jowar	Hybrid	2430	2550	2620	2738
		Maldandi	2450	2570	2640	2758
3	Bajra		1950	2000	2150	2250
4	Ragi		2897	3150	3295	3377
5	Maize		1700	1760	1850	1870
6	Tur(Arhar)		5675	5800	6000	6300
7	Moong		6975	7050	7196	7275
8	Urad		5600	5700	6000	6300
9	Wheat		1840	1925	1975	2015
10	Gram		4620	4875	5100	5230
11	Masur (Lentil)		4475	4800	5100	5500

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**ANNEXURE-I**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a), (b) & (e) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3447 FOR ANSWER ON 23.03.2022 IN THE LOK SABHA.**

**Quantity of wheat Procured and Number of Farmers Benefitted**

S. No.	STATES/ UTs	RMS 2018-19		RMS 2019-20		RMS 2020-21		RMS 2021-22	
		Qty. of wheat procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted	Qty. of wheat procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted	Qty. of wheat procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted	Qty. of wheat procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted
1	Punjab	126.92	897905	129.12	830528	127.14	1049982	132.22	887521
2	Haryana	87.84	883783	93.20	902937	74.00	780962	84.93	760636
3	Uttar Pradesh	52.94	1127649	37.00	749858	35.77	663810	56.41	1152311
4	Madhya Pradesh	73.13	959940	67.25	961338	129.42	1594383	128.16	1725133
5	Bihar	0.18	3128	0.03	554	0.05	1002	4.56	96701
6	Rajasthan	15.32	122344	14.11	102031	22.25	219873	23.40	227090
7	Uttrakhand	1.10	16071	0.42	6886	0.38	4656	1.44	24860
8	Chandigarh	0.14	1557	0.13	1691	0.11	1410	0.17	2039
9	Delhi	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	6	0.06	760
10	Gujarat	0.37	20768	0.05	922	0.77	18824	1.71	34959
11	Maharashtra	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.01	496
12	Himachal Pradesh	0.01	318	0.01	335	0.03	1061	0.13	3258
13	Jammu & Kashmir	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	3	0.24	4127
<b>Total</b>		<b>357.95</b>	<b>4033463</b>	<b>341.32</b>	<b>3557080</b>	<b>389.92</b>	<b>4335972</b>	<b>433.44</b>	<b>4919891</b>

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**ANNEXURE-II**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a), (b) & (e) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3447 FOR ANSWER ON 23.03.2022 IN THE LOK SABHA.**

**Quantity of paddy Procured and Number of Farmers Benefited**

S. No.	STATES/ UTs	KMS 2018-19		KMS 2019-20		KMS 2020-21		KMS 2021-22*	
		Qty. of paddy procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted	Qty. of paddy procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted	Qty. of paddy procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted	Qty. of paddy procured (in LMT)	No. of Farmers benefitted
1	Andhra Pradesh	71.73	581839	82.58	679789	84.57	803945	37.78	583074
2	Telangana	77.46	1474828	111.26	1988630	141.09	2164354	70.22	1062428
3	Assam	1.53	12921	3.15	26537	2.12	20401	0.95	13324
4	Bihar	14.16	210028	20.02	279402	35.59	497097	44.9	642175
5	Chandigarh	0.19	3028	0.22	1537	0.28	1575	0.27	1781
6	Chhattisgarh	58.40	1571414	74.86	1838593	71.25	2053490	92.01	2105972
7	Gujarat	0.14	4370	0.21	5115	1.1	23799	1.22	25081
8	Haryana	58.83	830792	64.28	1891622	56.55	549466	55.31	310083
9	Himachal Pradesh	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.28	5851
10	Jharkhand	2.28	34595	3.8	53305	6.29	104092	5.2	100419
11	Jammu & Kashmir	0.14	3034	0.15	3143	0.38	7385	0.41	8724
12	Karnataka	0.88	25120	0.61	27123	2.06	54319	1.84	61850
13	Kerala	6.94	172795	7.1	220066	7.65	252160	2.85	112351
14	Madhya Pradesh	20.82	362089	25.97	436399	37.27	587223	45.83	661756
15	Maharashtra	8.66	269148	17.42	526476	18.99	624292	13.36	474855
16	Odisha	65.41	1010390	70.57	1161796	77.33	1394647	56.35	1263720
17	Puducherry	0.00	0	0.00	84	0.00	0	0	37
18	Punjab	169.16	1143713	162.33	1125238	202.82	1057674	186.86	924299
19	Rajasthan	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.07	563
20	Tripura	0.10	5506	0.21	13613	0.24	14434	0.31	14575
21	Tamilnadu	19.03	498097	32.41	585241	44.9	852152	25.07	370883
22	Uttar Pradesh	48.25	684013	56.57	706549	66.84	1022286	65.53	947326
23	Uttarakhand	6.89	62564	10.18	83910	10.72	78129	11.56	56034
24	West Bengal	29.11	733357	27.03	805186	27.79	949362	16.03	643401
<b>Total</b>		<b>660.11</b>	<b>9693641</b>	<b>770.93</b>	<b>12459354</b>	<b>895.83</b>	<b>13112282</b>	<b>734.21</b>	<b>10390562</b>

\*Data upto 15.03.2022

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## ANNEXURE-III

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a), (b) & (e) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3447 FOR ANSWER ON 23.03.2022 IN THE LOK SABHA.

## PROCUREMENT OF COARSEGRAINS AND NUMBER OF FARMERS BENEFITED

Position as on 16.03.2022

Year	COMMODITY	GUJARAT		HARYANA		KARNATAKA		MADHYA PRADESH		MAHARASHTRA		UTTAR PRADESH		Odisha	
		Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers benefited	Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers benefited	Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers benefited	Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers benefited	Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers benefited	Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers benefited	Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers benefited
2018-19	BAJRA	891	231	100000		0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	-	-
	MAIZE	0	-	0		0	-	0	-	6987	2541	5116	1339	-	-
	RAGI	0	-	0		94390	27,201	0	-	0	-	0	-	-	-
	<b>Total</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>100000</b>		<b>94390</b>	<b>27,408</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6987</b>	<b>8303</b>	<b>5116</b>	<b>1339</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
2019-20	JOWAR (Kharif)	0	-	0		838		5469	1332	1468		0	-	-	-
	JOWAR (Rabi)	0	-	0		8418	2727	0	-	7145	3676	0	-	-	-
	BAJRA	0	-	100000		0	-	76	31	0	-	0	-	-	-
	MAIZE (Kharif)	0	-	0		0	-	0	-	19		25	8	-	-
	MAIZE (Rabi)	0	-	0		0	-	0	-	115094	26283	0	-	-	-
	RAGI	0	-	0		193243	93026	0	-	0	-	0	-	-	-
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100000</b>		<b>202499</b>	<b>95753</b>	<b>5545</b>	<b>1,363</b>	<b>123726</b>	<b>29959</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
2020-21	JOWAR(Kharif)	0	-	0		80722	13468	29582	6499	17784		0	-	-	-
	JOWAR(Rabi)	0	-	0		0	-	0	-	18384	18123	0	-	-	-
	BAJRA	11515	5,187	150000		0	-	195351	35933	5005	3046	0	-	-	-
	MAIZE(Kharif)	4133	1,630	0		0	-	0	-	88283		106413	24,859	-	-
	MAIZE(Rabi)	0	-	0		0	-	0	-	6486	27523	0	-	-	-
	RAGI	0	-	0		474098	206269	0	-	0		0	-	-	-
	<b>Total</b>	<b>15648</b>	<b>6,817</b>	<b>150000</b>		<b>554820</b>	<b>219737</b>	<b>224933</b>	<b>42,432</b>	<b>135942</b>	<b>48692</b>	<b>106413</b>	<b>24,859</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
2021-22 #	JOWAR(Kharif)	0	-	0		8652	100000	32501	8000	20270	13007	0	-	0	-
	JOWAR(Rabi)	0	-	0		0	-	0	-	0		0	-	0	
	BAJRA	7284	10,000	267		0	-	5662	50,000	567	4355	0	-	0	
	MAIZE(Kharif)	389	3,000	0		0	-	0	-	19615	31910	2763	20000	0	
	MAIZE(Rabi)	0	-	0		0	-	0	-	0		0	-	0	
	RAGI	0	-	0		118903	150000	0	-	253	400	0	-	27389	37000
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7673</b>	<b>13,000</b>	<b>267</b>		<b>127555</b>	<b>250000</b>	<b>38163</b>	<b>58000</b>	<b>40705</b>	<b>49,672</b>	<b>2763</b>	<b>20000</b>	<b>27389</b>	<b>37000</b>

\*State Government of Haryana has not captured the data of farmers benefitted.

#Figures are likely number of farmers benefitted during KMS 2021-22 as per procurement plan submitted by State Government.

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## ANNEXURE-IV

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a), (b) & (e) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3447 FOR ANSWER ON 23.03.2022 IN THE LOK SABHA.

Details of Pulses procured at MSP alongwith farmers benefitted under Price Support Scheme (PSS) as per crop season since 2018-19 (as on 16.03.2022)			
Year/Commodity/States	MSP per MT	Quantity Procured (in MTs)	Number of farmers benefitted
<b>2018-19</b>		<b>1,944,653.25</b>	<b>1,369,888</b>
<b>GRAM</b>		<b>776,406.21</b>	<b>356,430</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>46,200</b>	3,470.85	1,677
GUJARAT		17,914.75	10,796
HARYANA		207.60	199
KARNATAKA		33.40	38
MADHYA PRADESH		576,745.58	243,188
MAHARASHTRA		22,392.32	17,861
RAJASTHAN		120,398.31	60,458
TELANGANA		34,500.00	21,833
UTTAR PRADESH		743.40	380
<b>MASOOR</b>			<b>56,237.87</b>
MADHYA PRADESH	<b>44,750</b>	56,075.02	45,580
UTTAR PRADESH		162.85	120
<b>MOONG</b>		<b>328,714.16</b>	<b>277,105</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>69,750</b>	12,671.25	6,805
GUJARAT		4,050.50	2,355
HARYANA		224.90	227
KARNATAKA		28,950.00	73,636
MADHYA PRADESH		3,037.46	3,551
MAHARASHTRA		18,230.48	25,472
ODISHA		6,148.19	7,386
RAJASTHAN		236,277.28	137,752
TAMILNADU		5,748.79	4,553
TELANGANA		13,375.31	15,368
<b>TOOR</b>		<b>291,000.87</b>	<b>281,849</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>56,750</b>	4,680.27	5,494
GUJARAT		32,541.70	19,644
KARNATAKA		125,938.10	123,980
MADHYA PRADESH		3,154.96	2,622
MAHARASHTRA		53,985.94	54,627
TAMILNADU		399.90	551
TELANGANA		70,300.00	74,931
<b>URAD</b>			<b>492,294.14</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>56,000</b>	13,290.05	10,302
GUJARAT		9,409.75	8,521
KARNATAKA		10.10	21
MADHYA PRADESH		345,000.00	296,819
MAHARASHTRA		11,374.09	12,927
ODISHA		1,103.00	1,056
RAJASTHAN		77,444.94	47,456
TAMILNADU		3,379.07	3,389
TELANGANA		1,540.19	1,372
UTTAR PRADESH		29,742.95	26,941

<b>2019-20</b>		<b>2,854,402.59</b>	<b>1,783,702</b>
<b>GRAM</b>		<b>2,158,434.06</b>	<b>1,108,514</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>48,750</b>	127,915.10	71,769
GUJARAT		124,031.55	126,898
HARYANA		10,636.46	6,119
KARNATAKA		101,843.45	123,254
MADHYA PRADESH		706,313.62	262,795
MAHARASHTRA		385,878.82	226,759
RAJASTHAN		615,716.88	238,259
TELANGANA		47,600.00	30,903
UTTAR PRADESH		38,498.18	21,758
<b>MASOOR</b>			<b>1,433.68</b>
MADHYA PRADESH	<b>48,000</b>	1,433.68	1,898
<b>MOONG</b>		<b>147,130.39</b>	<b>105,864</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>70,500</b>	1,193.30	741
HARYANA		1,065.90	873
KARNATAKA		5,874.21	14,696
MAHARASHTRA		4,272.23	7,384
ODISHA		7,011.38	6,196
RAJASTHAN		121,669.07	69,304
TAMILNADU		169.40	194
TELANGANA		5,874.90	6,476
<b>TOOR</b>			<b>547,272.15</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>58,000</b>	50,223.18	54,698
GUJARAT		13,140.25	6,284
KARNATAKA		227,500.00	253,360
MAHARASHTRA		204,183.13	202,503
ODISHA		98.34	159
TAMILNADU		502.25	461
TELANGANA		51,625.00	49,862
<b>URAD</b>			<b>132.31</b>
GUJARAT	<b>57,000</b>	88.85	58
MAHARASHTRA		10.11	23
RAJASTHAN		26.50	12
TAMILNADU		6.85	6
<b>2020-21</b>			<b>816,407.05</b>
<b>GRAM</b>		<b>636,905.98</b>	<b>402,694</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH	<b>51,000</b>	10,083.80	6,455
GUJARAT		151,427.70	158,705
KARNATAKA		22,030.77	18,265
MADHYA PRADESH		194,447.80	69,609
MAHARASHTRA		224,721.70	130,760
RAJASTHAN		17,450.37	8,593
TELANGANA		16,743.84	10,307
<b>MASOOR</b>			<b>18.35</b>
MADHYA PRADESH	<b>51,000</b>	18.35	39
<b>MOONG</b>		<b>167,391.20</b>	<b>84,732</b>
HARYANA	<b>71,960</b>	1,099.65	752
MADHYA PRADESH		147,250.00	72,171
MAHARASHTRA		559.74	972
ODISHA		862.35	711
RAJASTHAN		12,024.46	6,375
TAMILNADU		5,595.00	3,751



<b>TOOR</b>		<b>11,004.46</b>	<b>7,690</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH		184.55	218
GUJARAT	<b>60,000</b>	572.15	414
KARNATAKA		8,969.05	5,886
MAHARASHTRA		1,246.76	1,154
TAMILNADU		31.95	18
<b>URAD</b>		<b>1,087.06</b>	<b>1,378</b>
MADHYA PRADESH		949.90	1,205
MAHARASHTRA	<b>60,000</b>	137.16	173
<b>2021-22</b>		<b>216,869.44</b>	<b>144,304</b>
<b>GRAM</b>		<b>119,866.00</b>	<b>67,807</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH		399.40	207
GUJARAT	<b>52,300</b>	52,077.65	26,282
KARNATAKA		8,561.54	6,842
MAHARASHTRA		42,321.25	23,470
TELANGANA		16,506.16	11,006
<b>MOONG</b>		<b>75,476.98</b>	<b>59,467</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH		1,314.70	735
GUJARAT		1.50	3
HARYANA	<b>72,750</b>	1,283.70	898
KARNATAKA		13,980.37	24,945
MAHARASHTRA		1,636.71	3,271
RAJASTHAN		57,260.00	29,615
<b>TOOR</b>		<b>19,898.29</b>	<b>14,866</b>
ANDHRA PRADESH		21.70	61
GUJARAT		4,118.97	2,591
KARNATAKA	<b>63,000</b>	12,751.10	8,501
MAHARASHTRA		1,290.92	1,447
TAMILNADU		17.65	43
TELANGANA		1,697.95	2,223
<b>URAD</b>		<b>1,628.17</b>	<b>2,164</b>
GUJARAT		99.85	118
MAHARASHTRA	<b>63,000</b>	1,488.12	2,020
RAJASTHAN		40.20	26

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## ANNEXURE-V

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a), (b) & (e) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3447 FOR ANSWER ON 23.03.2022 IN THE LOK SABHA.

Procurement of pulses at MSP under Price Stabilization Fund (PSF) and number of farmers benefitted				
Year	Pulses	State	Quantity (In MT)	No. of Farmers Benefitted
2018-19	-	-	-	-
2019-20	Tur K 19	Telangana	88,339.01	1,02,315.00
		Karnataka	29,419.15	31,842.00
		<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>1,17,758.16</b>	<b>1,34,157.00</b>
2020-21	Tur K 19	Karnataka	47,777.60	62,635.00
		Andhra Pradesh	11,085.05	6,641.00
		Gujarat	6,132.64	3,168.00
		<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>64,995.29</b>	<b>72,444.00</b>
2021-22	Moong Summer 21*	Madhya Pradesh	1,00,000.00	50,615.00
		<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>1,00,000.00</b>	<b>50,615.00</b>
	Urad K 21*	Rajasthan	77.70	41.00
		Maharashtra	8.89	10.00
		Madhya Pradesh	141.32	47.00
		Gujarat	20.09	9.00
		Uttar Pradesh	14,642.40	2,874.00
		Assam	107.70	29.00
		<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>14,998.10</b>	<b>3,010.00</b>
	*As on 16.03.2022			
Source: NAFED				

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