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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5685 TO BE ANSWERED ON 6TH APRIL, 2022

FOODGRAIN STORAGE FACILITIES

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

- (a) the details of the foodgrain storage facilities available at present, Statewise;
- (b) the data regarding the quantity of the food grains stored, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Ministry has any data regarding the food grains destroyed in these storage facilities; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

(a) & (b): As on 01.03.2022, Covered Storage capacity available with Food Corporation of India (FCI) and State agencies for storage of central pool foodgrain stock is 793.81 Lakh MT against total stock of 521.92 LMT.

State-wise details of Storage facilities along with the quantity of foodgrain stored are Annexed.

(c) & (d): Very negligible quantity of food grain accrued as damaged mainly due to natural calamities like cyclone, flood, rain etc.

Accrual of damaged foodgrains for the years 2020-21 & 2021-22 is as under:

Year	Quantity of Damaged foodgrains (in Lakh Tonnes)	Offtake quantity (in Lakh Tonnes)	% Damaged foodgrain against offtake quantity
2020-21	0.02	688.57	0.003
2021-22 (as on 28.02.2022)	0.017	691.403	0.002

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5685 FOR ANSWER ON 06.04.2022 IN THE LOK SABHA.

Central Pool Storage Capacity with FCI /State Govt. Agencies and Stock position as on 01.03.2022

(Fig. in LMT)

		Grand Total		
Sr. No.	Region	Storage Capacity	Qty. of Foodgrain (Wheat+Rice)	
1	BIHAR	15.74	15.11	
2	JHARKHAND	4.37	2.76	
3	ODISHA	12.96	6.44	
4	WEST BENGAL	19.93	6.98	
5	ASSAM	5.39	3.22	
6	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0.40	0.00	
7	MEGHALAYA	0.26	0.13	
8	MIZORAM	0.32	0.09	
9	TRIPURA	0.48	0.12	
10	MANIPUR	0.80	0.32	
11	NAGALAND	0.65	0.38	
12	DELHI	3.27	2.29	
13	HARYANA	99.90	53.69	
14	HIMACHAL PRADESH	0.90	0.66	
15	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	2.43	1.66	
16	PUNJAB	178.56	146.45	
17	RAJASTHAN	22.94	10.36	
18	UTTAR PRADESH	55.49	36.04	
19	UTTRAKHAND	2.75	1.86	
20	ANDHRA PRADESH	29.00	15.04	
21	TELANGANA	23.86	5.71	
22	KERALA	9.01	4.59	
23	KARNATAKA	9.82	18.38	
24	TAMILNADU	31.20	30.89	
25	GUJARAT	8.97	5.05	
26	MAHARASHTRA	20.38	10.80	
27	MADHYA PRADESH	203.52	123.53	
28	CHATTISGARH	30.51	19.37	
	Grand Total	793.81	521.92	
