

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1375
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03RD DECEMBER, 2024

PM- KISAN IN ODISHA

1375. SHRI PRADEEP PUROHIT:

Will the Minister of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

(a) the data on the number of beneficiaries in Jharsuguda, Bargarh and other districts in the State of Odisha who have received assistance under the PM-KISAN scheme;

(b) whether the Government has outlined any plan to increase the coverage or improve the disbursement process in the region; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण राज्य मंत्री (SHRI BHAGIRATH CHOUDHARY)

(a) to (c) The PM-KISAN scheme is a central sector scheme launched in February 2019 by the Hon'ble Prime Minister to supplement the financial needs of land-holding farmers. Under this scheme, the financial benefit of Rs 6,000/- per year in three equal instalments every four months is transferred into the bank accounts of farmers' families across the country through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) mode. The PM-KISAN scheme is one of the largest DBT Schemes of the World.

A farmer-centric digital infrastructure has ensured the benefits of the scheme reach all the farmers across the country without any involvement of the middlemen. Maintaining absolute transparency in registering and verifying beneficiaries, the Government of India has disbursed over Rs 3.46 lakh Cr in 18 instalments, so far.

District-wise details of number of beneficiaries who have received assistance under PM-KISAN during the release of 18th installment in the State of Odisha is attached at Annexure.

The Government of India is committed to include all eligible left out farmers in the Scheme and to saturate the scheme with all eligible farmers, the Government has launched several campaigns. A major saturation drive was taken up from the 15th Nov 2023, under the Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra, with more than 1 Cr. eligible farmers included under the scheme. The Government of India also undertook another

saturation drive from June, 2024 and within first 100 days of the new Government, over 25 lakh eligible farmers were included in the Scheme. With the significant efforts taken by the Government, the number of beneficiaries who have received benefits in the 18th instalment increased to 9.58 Cr.

District-wise details of number of beneficiaries, who received benefits under PM-Kisan Scheme during the 18th Installment in the State of Odisha

S. No.	District	No. of Beneficiaries
1	Anugul	120,464
2	Balangir	176,562
3	Baleshwar	224,086
4	Bargarh	142,957
5	Bhadrak	151,542
6	Boudh	45,483
7	Cuttack	143,678
8	Deogarh	35,107
9	Dhenkanal	98,284
10	Gajapati	38,899
11	Ganjam	157,469
12	Jagatsinghapur	112,872
13	Jajapur	133,667
14	Jharsuguda	28,662
15	Kalahandi	130,110
16	Kandhamal	58,919
17	Kendrapara	117,989
18	Kendujhar	172,100
19	Khordha	67,392
20	Koraput	62,069
21	Malkangiri	37,139
22	Mayurbhanj	223,605
23	Nabarangpur	88,667
24	Nayagarh	68,852
25	Nuapada	79,013
26	Puri	154,778
27	Rayagada	41,942
28	Sambalpur	55,460
29	Sonepur	54,523
30	Sundargarh	126,703
	Grand Total	3,148,993
