

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1459
ANSWERED ON 13TH FEBRUARY, 2025

FOOD PROCESSING UNITS IN PUNJAB

1459. SHRI AMRINDER SINGH RAJA WARRING:

Will the Minister of *FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES* be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has received any proposal from the State Governments for setting up of food processing units during the last five financial years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise including Punjab;
- (c) whether the Government has conducted any study to assess the requirement of food processing facilities in various States including Punjab and if so, the details and outcome thereto; and
- (d) the details of the schemes launched by the Government to provide necessary facilities for the development of food processing industries in Punjab along with the steps taken/proposed to be taken in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
(SHRI RAVNEET SINGH)

(a) & (b): The Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) does not setup any food processing Industries on its own. However, it incentivizes setting up of such industries through its Central Sector Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY) Scheme, and Production Linked Incentive Scheme for Food Processing Industry (PLISFPI) and Centrally sponsored Prime Minister Formalization of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PMFME) scheme across the country. The details of approved projects from the State Governments under these schemes since 2019-20 is placed at **Annexure-I**.

(c): Though MoFPI has not conducted any study specifically for setting up/ expansion of Food Processing Industries, it has commissioned “Assessment Studies for identifying gaps in infrastructure & processing facilities” for development of potential value chains for perishable products for 11 crops in identified clusters. A brief of its findings are placed at **Annexure-II**.

(d): In order to promote and ensure overall development of Food Processing Industries across the country including Punjab, MoFPI has been incentivizing setting up/ expansion of related infrastructure through PMKSY Scheme, PLISFPI Scheme and PMFME Scheme. These schemes are not region specific but demand driven.

Under PMKSY, credit linked financial assistance (capital subsidy) is provided to entrepreneurs for setting up of food processing industries with total outlay of Rs 5520 Cr for 15th Finance Commission Cycle.

Under PMFME scheme, financial, technical and business support is provided for setting up / upgradation of micro food processing enterprises. The scheme is operational for a period of upto 2025-26 with an outlay of Rs.10,000 Crore.

PLISFPI is, inter alia, intended to support creation of global food manufacturing champions and support Indian brands of food products in international market. The Scheme is operational for a period from 2021-22 to 2026-27 with an outlay of Rs. 10,900 crores.

These schemes aim towards creation of modern infrastructure with efficient supply chain management from farm gate to retail outlet which includes storage, transportation, value addition, etc., thereby help in providing better returns to farmers and creating huge employment opportunities, reducing wastage of agricultural produce and increasing the processing level.

The details of food processing projects sanctioned by MoFPI under the said three scheme in the State of Punjab is given at **Annexure-III**.

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Details of approved projects from State Governments under schemes of MoFPI since 2019-20

A. List of approved projects from State Government under Component Scheme of PMKSY since 2019-20

S. No.	Project Name	District & State	Date of Approval	Project Cost (Rs. in Cr)	Approved Grant-in-aid (Rs. in Cr)
Component Scheme-Mega Food Parks					
1	M/s Meghalaya Industrial Development Corporation Ltd	North Garo Hills, Meghalaya	23.11.2021	65.86	48.3
2	M/s Tamil Nadu State Agricultural Marketing Board,	Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu	23.06.2021	77.024	23.64
3	M/s Bihar Industrial Area Development Authority,	Muzaffarpur, Bihar	07.04.2022	180.57	45.4
Component Scheme-Infrastructure for Agro-Processing Clusters Scheme					
4	M/s Tiruvannamalai Market Committee	Tiruvannamalai, Tamil Nadu	29.04.2020	25.506	5.7487
5	M/s Salem Market Committee	Salem, Tamil Nadu	29.04.2020	25.252	5.9753
6	M/s Theni Market Committee	Theni, Tamil Nadu	29.04.2020	26.308	5.9955
7	M/s Dharmapuri Market Committee	Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu	29.04.2020	26.826	5.8937
8	M/s Madurai Market Committee	Madurai, Tamil Nadu	29.04.2020	32.066	5.7912
9	M/s Dindigul Market Committee	Dindigul, Tamil Nadu	29.04.2020	29.018	6.7357
10	M/s Cuddalore Market Committee	Cuddalore, Tamil Nadu	29.04.2020	25.002	5.9793
Component Scheme- Creation / Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities Scheme					

11	M/s Goa Bagayatdar Sahakari Kharedi Vikri Sanustha Maryadit	North Goa, Goa	09.07.2019	12.45	2.91
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B. List of approved Incubation Centre and approved Marketing & Branding proposal from State Government since 2019-20 under PMFME scheme

List of approved Incubation Centre proposal from the State Government since 2019-20

S.No.	State	District	Host Institute Name
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	South Andamans	FTC, Marine Hills of Dept. of Fisheries, Andaman & Nicobar Islands
2	Jammu And Kashmir	Jammu	Jammu & Kashmir Horticulture Produce Marketing Corporation , Narwal
3	Jammu And Kashmir	Baramulla	Jammu & Kashmir Horticulture Produce Marketing Corporation, Doabgarh.
4	Jammu And Kashmir	Anantnag	Jammu & Kashmir Horticulture Produce Marketing Corporation, Anantnag
5	Ladakh	Leh	Common Facility Centre, Chuchot, Leh
6	Ladakh	Kargil	Common Facility Centre, Chanigound, Kargil
7	Maharashtra	Nagpur	Noga Factory, Hingana, Maharashtra Agro Industries Development Corporation Ltd, Nagpur
8	Rajasthan	Jaipur	Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti, Jaipur
9	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti ,Jodhpur
10	Rajasthan	Tonk	Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti, Tonk
11	Rajasthan	Alwar	Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti, Alwar
12	Rajasthan	Bhilwara	Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti, Bhilwara
13	Rajasthan	Udaipur	Krishi Upaj Mandi Samiti, Udaipur
14	Sikkim	South Sikkim	MSME Division, Commerce & Industries Department Government of Sikkim
15	Tripura	South Tripura	Tripura Industrial Development Corporation Ltd., Belonia
16	Uttar Pradesh	Agra	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Agra
17	Uttar Pradesh	Bareilly	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Bareilly
18	Uttar Pradesh	Varanasi	Govt. Food Science Training Center Varanasi
19	Uttar Pradesh	Aligarh	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Aligarh
20	Uttar Pradesh	Ayodhya	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Ayodhya
21	Uttar Pradesh	Basti	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Basti
22	Uttar Pradesh	Gorakhpur	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Gorakhpur
23	Uttar Pradesh	Jhansi	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Jhansi
24	Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow	Govt. Food Science Training Center, Lucknow
25	Uttar Pradesh	Meerut	Govt. Food Science Training Center, , Meerut
26	Uttar Pradesh	Mirzapur	Govt. Food Processing and Canning Center , Mirzapur
27	Uttar Pradesh	Kaushambi	Govt. Food Preservation and Canning Center Center , Kaushambi
28	Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Dehat	Govt. Food Processing and Canning Center, Kanpur Dehat

29	Uttar Pradesh	Saharanpur	Govt. Food Processing and Canning Center, Saharanpur
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**List of approved Marketing & Branding proposal from State Governments
since 2019-20**

S.No	Name of the Entity	Districts	State	Brand
1	Karnataka State Pulses Abhivridhi Mandali Limited	Kalaburagi	Karnataka	Bhima
2	Temi Tea Estate, Commerce and Industries Department, Government of Sikkim	Gangtok, Mangan, Namchi, Gyalshing, Pakyong, Soreng	Sikkim	Temi Tea
3	Maharashtra State Rural Livelihood Mission	All 35 districts	Maharashtra	Umed
4	Bihar Rural Livelihoods Promotion Society	Muzzafarpur, Rohtas, Patna, Samastipur, Motihari, Darbhanga, Vaishali, Siwan, Bhojpur, E. Champaran, Nalanda, Buxar, Madhubani, Saran and Jahanabad	Bihar	Jeevika
5	Puducherry State Rural Livelihood Mission	Pondicherry and Karaikal	Puducherry	Neithal
6	Goa State Biodiversity Board	North & South in Goa	Goa	Govan
7	Government Fruit Preservation Factory	Mangan, Namchi, Gyalshing and Gangtok	Sikkim	Sikkim Supreme
8	Karnataka Coffee Board	Kodagu, Chikkamagaluru	Karnataka	India Coffee

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Brief of finding of Assessment Studies for identifying gaps in infrastructure & processing facilities

Crop	Clusters	Deficient Infrastructure
ANDHRA PRADESH		
Banana	Cluster-1- Ananthapuramu & Kadapa (YSR)	Integrated pack house with ripening chamber, reefer van and secondary processing facilities of chips/ flour unit/ puree/ value addition unit
	Cluster-2- East Godavari, West Godavari, Visakhapatnam & Vizianagaram	
Mango	Cluster-1- Ananthapuramu, Chittoor & Kadapa (YSR)	Integrated pack house with pre cooling, cold storage, sorting/ grading/ packing line, reefer van and secondary processing facilities of aseptic pulp line with concentrate facility/ RTSB packing line/ IQF unit/ blast freezing unit
	Cluster-2- Krishna	
Shrimp	Cluster-1- East Godavari, Krishna & West Godavari	Automatic grading, weighing & packing with X -ray vision graders and packer, value addition facility (Breaded Prawn Processing & Marinated Prawn Processing)
ASSAM		
Pineapple	Cluster-1-Dima Hasao, East Karbi Anglong, Kamrup & West Karbi Anglong	Integrated pack house with pre cooling, sorting/ grading/ packing line, reefer van and canning line
BIHAR		
Guava	Cluster-1- Muzaffarpur, Nalanda & Patna	Integrated pack house with cold storage and secondary processing facility of ascetic pulp line with concentrate facility/ RTSB packing line
Litchi	Cluster-1- Muzaffarpur, Pashchim Champaran Purbi Champaran, Sitamarhi & Vaishali,	integrated pack house with sulphitation chamber/acid dip chamber and secondary processing facility of pulping canning &

		bottling unit facility/ RTSB packing line/ blast freezing unit with deshelling & deseeding machine for frozen pulp
GUJARAT		
Banana	Cluster-1- Anand, Bharuch, Chhotaudepur, Narmada, Surat & Vadodara	Integrated pack house with ripening chamber, reefer van and secondary processing facilities of chips/ flour unit/ puree/ value addition unit
Mango	Cluster-1- Navsari & Valsad	Integrated pack house with pre cooling, cold storage, sorting/ grading/ packing line, reefer van and secondary processing facilities of aseptic pulp line with concentrate facility/ RTSB packing line/ IQF unit/ blast freezing unit
	Cluster-2- Junagadh & Rajkot	
Pomegranate	Cluster-1- Banaskantha & Kachchh	Integrated pack house with reefer van and secondary processing facility of juice line/ frozen aril unit / fresh aril unit
HIMACHAL PRADESH		
Apple	Cluster-1- Kinnaur, Kullu & Shimla	Integrated pack house with sorting/ grading/ packing line, CA store with optical grader, reefer van and secondary processing juice concentrate line
JAMMU & KASHMIR		
Apple	Cluster-1- Anantnag, Baramulla, Budgam, Kulgam, Kupwara, Pulwama & Shopian	Integrated pack house with sorting/ grading/ packing line, CA store with optical grader, reefer van and secondary processing juice concentrate line
MADHYA PRADESH		
Amla (Aonla)	Cluster-1- Chhindwara, Katni, Rewa, Shahdol & Sidhi	Integrated pack house and secondary processing facilities of juice, murabba, powder, candy
Guava	Cluster-1- Dhar, Indore & Khargone	Integrated pack house with cold storage and secondary processing facility of aseptic pulp line with concentrate facility/ RTSB packing line
	Cluster-2- Bhopal, Sehore & Vidisha	
	Cluster-3- Gwalior, Morena & Sheopur	

Orange / Mandarin / Kinnow	Cluster-1- Agar Malwa, Rajgarh & Shajapur	Integrated pack house and secondary processing facility of juice concentrate/ pulp processing/ tertiary unit (pectin & citrus peel oil)
MAHARASHTRA		
Banana	Cluster-1- Jalgaon	Integrated pack house with ripening chamber, reefer van and secondary processing facilities of chips/ flour unit/ puree/ value addition unit
Grapes	Cluster-1- Nashik & Pune	Integrated pack house with cold storage and secondary processing facility of drying
	Cluster-2- Sangli & Solapur	
Mango	Cluster-1- Raigad, Ratnagiri & Sindhudurg	Integrated pack house with pre cooling, cold storage, sorting/ grading/ packing line, reefer van and secondary processing facilities of aseptic pulp line with concentrate facility/ RTSB packing line/ IQF unit/ blast freezing unit
Orange / Mandarin / Kinnow	Cluster-1- Akola, Amravati & Nagpur	Integrated pack house and secondary processing facility of juice concentrate/ pulp processing/ tertiary unit (pectin & citrus peel oil)
Pomegranate	Cluster-1- Ahmednagar, Nashik & Pune	Integrated pack house with reefer van and secondary processing facility of juice line/ frozen aril unit / fresh aril unit
	Cluster-2- Sangli & Solapur	
MEGHALAYA		
Pineapple	Cluster-1- Ri Bhoj	Integrated pack house with pre cooling, sorting/ grading/ packing line, reefer van and canning line
	Cluster-2 - East Garo Hills & West Garo Hills	
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Orange / Mandarin / Kinnow	Cluster-1- Bathinda, Fazilka & Sri Muktsar Sahib	Integrated pack house and secondary processing facility of juice concentrate/ pulp processing/ tertiary unit (pectin & citrus peel oil)
RAJASTHAN		
Orange / Mandarin / Kinnow	Cluster-1-Jhalawar	Integrated pack house and secondary processing facility of juice concentrate/ pulp processing/ tertiary unit (pectin & citrus peel oil)
TAMIL NADU		
Amla (Aonla)	Cluster-1- Dindigul, Theni & Tirunelveli	Integrated pack house and secondary processing facilities of juice, murabba, powder, candy
Banana	Cluster-1- Coimbatore & Erode	Integrated pack house with ripening chamber, reefer van and secondary processing facilities of chips/ flour unit/ puree/ value addition unit
	Cluster-2- Madurai, Theni & Thoothukudi	
TRIPURA		
Pineapple	Cluster-1- Dhalai & North Tripura	Integrated pack house with pre cooling, sorting/ grading/ packing line, reefer van and canning line
UTTAR PRADESH		
Amla (Aonla)	Cluster-1- Pratapgarh, Prayagraj, Banda, Chitrakoot	i. Integrated Pack House with Cold Storage & Secondary Processing Facility of Juice, Murabbas & others
Banana	Cluster-1-Gorakhpur, Kushi Nagar, Maharajganj	i. Pack house/Collection Centre with Ripening Chamber, Chips/Flour Unit & Refrigerated Vehicle; and ii. Puree Unit
	Cluster-2- Fatehpur, Kaushambi	
Guava	Cluster-1 -Budaun, Kasganj, Aligarh, Farrukhabad, Etah	i. Pack house with Multi Commodity Cold Storage, Secondary Processing Facilities [Integrated Pulping Unit, Jelly & others]
Mango	Cluster-1-Lucknow, Unnao, Sitapur	i. Integrated Pack house with pre Cooling Unit, Cold Storage,

	Cluster-2-Saharanpur, Bijnor, Meerut, Amroha, Bulandshahar	Refrigerated Van & Secondary Processing Facility (Aseptic/ Canning Line)
WEST BENGAL		
Pineapple	Cluster-1-Darjeeling, Uttar Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri	Juice pet bottle packing line

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Food Processing Industries approved/completed in Punjab state under corresponding component schemes of PMKSY since inception

Sl. No.	Component Scheme	No. of projects Approved	No. of projects Completed	Grants –in–aid Approved (Rs. Crore)
1	Mega Food Park	3	2	136.43
2	Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure	24	21	153.55
3	Infrastructure for Agro-Processing Clusters Scheme	3	1	20.11
4	Creation / Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities Scheme	17	10	66.25
5	Scheme for Creation of Backward and Forward Linkages	4	4	12.62
6	Operation Greens	1	0	9.84

Micro Food Processing Industry based proposals approved in Punjab state under PMFME

No of Micro Food Processing Industries approved with credit linked subsidy : 2516

Food Processing Projects based proposals approved in Punjab state under PLISFPI

No of Food Processing Projects approved with project cost of Rs 126.31 Crore : 09
