

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2964
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 18TH MARCH, 2025

COLD STORAGES FACILITY FOR FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

2964. SHRI K GOPINATH:

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

- (a) the details of cold storage facilities available in the country for storage of fruits and vegetables, State-wise;
- (b) the details of requirement and shortage of cold storage facility in the country, State-wise; and
- (c) the details of cold storage facility augmented during 2022-23, 2023-24 and 2024-25 till date, year-wise and State-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण राज्य मंत्री (SHRI RAMNATH THAKUR)

(a): The State-wise details of cold storage facilities available in the country for storage of fruits and vegetables are at **Annexure – I**.

(b): The State-wise details of requirement of cold storage facility in the country as per NABCONS report titled “All India Cold-chain Infrastructure Capacity (AICIC-2015)” published in 2015 are at **Annexure – II**.

(c): The Year-wise and State-wise details of cold storage facility augmented during 2022-23, 2023-24 and 2024-25 till date are at **Annexure – III**.

Annexure – I

State-wise details of cold storage facilities available in the country for storage of fruits and vegetables as on 31.01.2025

S. No.	Name of the State	No. of Project	Capacity (MT)
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands (UT)	4	2210
2	Andhra Pradesh & Telangana	480	1996340
3	Arunachal Pradesh	2	6000
4	Assam	43	206742
5	Bihar	316	1490200
6	Chandigarh (UT)	7	12462
7	Chhattisgarh	130	577663
8	Delhi	97	129857
9	Goa	29	7705
10	Gujarat	1023	4042770
11	Haryana	386	870703
12	Himachal Pradesh	89	181318
13	Jammu & Kashmir	92	151833
14	Jharkhand	59	242655
15	Karnataka	268	912417
16	Kerala	202	96655
17	Lakshadweep (UT)	1	15
18	Madhya Pradesh	320	1381827
19	Maharashtra	665	1219851
20	Manipur	2	4500
21	Meghalaya	4	8200
22	Mizoram	3	4071
23	Nagaland	5	8150
24	Orissa	182	579321
25	Pondicherry (UT)	4	185
26	Punjab	770	2604206
27	Rajasthan	190	648908
28	Sikkim	2	2100
29	Tamil Nadu	188	399690
30	Telangana	116	617131
31	Tripura	14	46354
32	Uttar Pradesh	2488	15096476
33	Uttarakhand	62	206848
34	West Bengal	517	5952997
	Total	8760	39708361

(Source: Directorate of Marketing and Inspection (DMI) upto 2009, National Horticulture Board (NHB), National Horticulture Mission (NHM), Horticulture Mission for North East & Himalayan States (HMNEH)) and MoFPI.

**State-wise details of requirement of cold storage facility in the country as per
NABCONS report**

State	Cold storage required Capacity (in MT)
Andhra Pradesh	530925
Arunachal	7508
Assam	71996
Bihar	5123982
Chhattisgarh	513830
Delhi	40122
Goa	2271
Gujarat	2239476
Haryana	240395
HP	306147
J&K	907842
Jharkhand	24951
Karnataka	210313
Kerala	45874
MP	1867179
Maharashtra	157709
Manipur	5062
Meghalaya	18704
Mizoram	8920
Nagaland	8675
Odisha	305500
Punjab	1693408
Rajasthan	53395
Sikkim	2621
Tamil Nadu	194640
Telangana	277129
Tripura	8554
Uttar Pradesh	10675137
Uttarakhand	72931
West Bengal	9480929
UT &Others	4539
Total	35100664

**Year-wise and State-wise details of cold storage facility augmented during
2022-23, 2023-24 and 2024-25 in the country**

S. No.	Name of the State	2022-23		2023-24		2024-25	
		No. of Project	Capacity in MT	No. of Project	Capacity in MT	No. of Project	Capacity in MT
1	Andhra Pradesh	26	165961	19	162059		
2	Assam	2	9646				
3	Bihar	1	890	3	13643		
4	Chhattisgarh	21	66570	7	23831		
5	Gujarat	10	39738	28	129459		
6	Haryana	6	8341	4	15774		
7	Himachal Pradesh	5	5529	3	8477		
8	Jammu & Kashmir	5	20088	3	20956	5	24496
9	Jharkhand	1	5975				
10	Karnataka	14	94339	23	104237	2	18850
11	Kerala	1	250				
12	Madhya Pradesh	4	22035	3	16752	3	17307
13	Maharashtra	23	81938	11	45352	9	52886
14	Orissa	3	7000				
15	Pondicherry (UT)	1	100				
16	Punjab	25	69661	20	59269		
17	Rajasthan	2	10655	1	6684		
18	Tamil Nadu	1	3750				
19	Telangana	7	32764	9	85000	1	8096
20	Uttar Pradesh	28	122059	29	121477	3	18205
21	Uttarakhand			1	227		
22	West Bengal			2	4681		
		186	767289	166	817878	23	139841

(Source: National Horticulture Board (NHB), National Horticulture Mission (NHM), Horticulture Mission for North East & Himalayan States (HMNEH)) and Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI)
