

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3066
ANSWERED ON 18TH DECEMBER, 2025
AGRO PROCESSING CLUSTER UNDER PMKSY

3066. MS IQRA CHOUDHARY:

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

- (a) the number of agro-processing cluster projects sanctioned and implemented under the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) since its inception and if so, the details thereof, year wise, State-wise and district-wise particularly in the State of Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) the number of such clusters led by SC,ST and OBC entrepreneurs, year-wise, State-wise and district-wise particularly in the State of Uttar Pradesh;
- (c) the financial assistance sanctioned and disbursed to agro-processing cluster projects led by SC/ST/OBC/General Category enterprises, since 2020, year-wise;
- (d) the number of applications received under this component since 2020 and the number of applications approved, rejected or under consideration, year wise, State-wise, district-wise and social category-wise particularly for the State of Uttar Pradesh; and
- (e) the measures being taken to enhance awareness, accessibility and technical handholding for SC, ST and OBC beneficiaries to encourage their participation in the agro-processing cluster components?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): The Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) has been implementing a Scheme for Creation of Infrastructure for Agro Processing Clusters (APC), a component scheme of the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) for development of modern infrastructure to encourage entrepreneurs to set up food processing units based on cluster approach in the country since 2017. The year-wise details including State, district and category in respect of 66 approved agro processing clusters are attached as **Annexure-I**.

(c): The details of the financial assistance sanctioned and disbursed to the agro-processing cluster projects led by SC/ST/General Category enterprises is attached as **Annexure-II**. There are four Heads of Accounts namely Scheduled Caste Sub Plan (SCSP), Tribal Sub Plan (TSP), General and North East Region under which projects are sanctioned. There is no specific Head of Account for OBC projects. Accordingly, the OBC projects are sanctioned under General Head.

(d): As on date, Ministry has received a total 402 number of proposals from SC/ST/General category applicants against which 66 proposals have been approved under the APC scheme. Out

of 66 approved projects, 1 project is of ST Category, 7 projects are of SC Category and 58 projects are of General Category. The year-wise, district-wise, State-wise, category wise (including the State of Uttar Pradesh) details of 66 approved agro processing clusters are attached as **Annexure-I**. Further, Ministry has received 41 number of proposals against Expression of Interest (EOI) dated 14.05.2025.

(e): The APC scheme is demand driven scheme. The interested applicants/ entrepreneurs from across the country may apply online for availing benefits under this scheme. To ensure equal opportunities to all category entrepreneurs, scheme awareness activities through national and state level awareness campaigns such as newspaper advertisement, PIB press notes, social media campaigns/posts, exhibitions and expos etc. are conducted with aim to enhance the awareness, accessibility to general public and for their participation for availing benefits under the scheme. Ministry also floats Expression of Interest (EOIs) from time to time specifically for SC/ST/NER category applicants. Further, under APC scheme the following relaxations have been provided to enhance the participation of SC/ST entrepreneurs:-

- (i) Net worth required is equal to the grants-in-aid/subsidy sought for SC/ST category applicants in comparison to the 1.5 times of grants-in-aid/subsidy sought for General category applicants.
- (ii) Term Loan required is 10% of the total project cost for SC/ST category applicants in comparison to 20% of the total project cost for General category applicants.
- (iii) Infusion of equity required is 10% of the total project cost for SC/ST category applicants in comparison to 20% of the total project cost for General category applicants.
- (iv) The eligible grants-in-aid/subsidy is 50% of the eligible project cost for SC/ST category applicants in comparison to the 35% of eligible project cost for General category applicants.

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Year-2018								
State	District	Name of the Project	Category	Date of approval	Project cost (In Cr.)	Grant Approved (in Cr.)	Total Grant released (in Cr.)	Status
Gujarat	Banaskantha	M/s Shukun Builders Private Limited	General	31.08.2018	31.65	10.00	6.9123	Operational
Haryana	Karnal	M/s Karnal Food Pack Cluster Limited	General	06.04.2018	32.97	9.863	6.936	Under Implementation
Jammu & Kashmir	Shopian	M/s Zum Zum Agri Fresh	General	05.11.2018	24.39	10.00	7.424	Operational
Madhya Pradesh	Barwani	M/s Nimar Agro Park	General	08.06.2018	31.55	10.00	7.15	Operational
	Betul	M/s Bharti Agro Cluster	General	19.12.2018	26.13	9.80	6.9342	Operational
Maharashtra	Nashik	M/s Sahyadri Farmers Producer Company Limited	General	15.03.2018	33.27	8.656	8.4396	Completed
	Nanded	M/s India Mega Agro Anaj Limited	General	15.03.2018	30.99	10.00	6.5	Operational
	Kolhapur	M/s Swabhimani Co-op Industrial Estate Ltd. (cooperative)	General	15.03.2018	31.97	10.00	6.95964	Operational
	Nagpur	M/s Kisan Sampada Food Park Industries	General	08.06.2018	29.96	9.69	8.3365	Completed
	Dhule	M/s Madhur Food Park LLP	General	31.08.2018	25.84	10.00	6.5447	Operational
Punjab	Muktsar	M/s Big Belly Brothers Gourmet Grounds	General	08.06.2018	27.86	8.66828	6.1666	Under Implementation
Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Dehat	M/s Govindgreen Foods Infratech	General	06.04.2018	34.31	9.02	7.1139	Operational
	Mathura	M/s CRD Foods	SC	07.12.2018	21.05	10.00	9.729	Completed
Year-2019								
State	District	Name of the Project	Category	Date of approval	Project cost (In Cr.)	Grant Approved (in Cr.)	Total Grant released (in Cr.)	Status
Assam	Kamrup (Rural)	M/s Subh Karan Food Park	General	03.10.2019	22.513	10.00	7.2945	Under Implementation
	Tinsukia	M/s Jai Shree Krishna Developers	General	03.12.2019	19.117	8.7268	6.04763	Under Implementation

Bihar	Begusarai	M/s Shreekangan Food Park	General	15.03.2019	30.434	7.9081	2.4911	Under Implementation
Gujarat	Kutch	M/s Patel Retail Pvt. Ltd.	General	07.02.2019	13.7	4.36	3.9814	Completed
	Navsari	M/s J R Foods & Beverages	General	01.07.2019	30.158	8.75	6.13495	Operational
Haryana	Hisar	M/s Shree Shyam Snacks Food Private Limited	General	18.02.2019	10.26	3.09	2.4884	Operational
Karnataka	Devanagere	M/s GEM Food Park LLP	General	15.03.2019	40.01	9.77	6.92565	Operational
Kerala	Wayanad	M/s Chendayad Granites Private Limited	General	03.10.2019	29.5	9.8981	9.65064	Completed
Maharashtra	Nandurbar	M/s Reva Tapi Valley Industrial Development	ST	01.08.2019	27.06	10.00	6.75	Under Implementation
Punjab	Jalandhar	M/s SMS Food Park	General	15.03.2019	15.197	4.6877	3.19425	Under Implementation
	Firozpur	M/s T R Mega Foods and Beverages LLP	General	03.07.2019	27.44	6.7598	5.1452	Operational
Tamil Nadu	Coimbatore	M/s JFK International	General	01.08.2019	16.71	4.1921	3.7784405	Completed
	Tiruppur	M/s P Duraisamy Maharaja Rice Mills Pvt Ltd	General	03.10.2019	26.83	8.7682	6.2284	Under Implementation

Year-2020

State	District	Name of the Project	Category	Date of approval	Project cost (In Cr.)	Grant Approved (in Cr.)	Total Grant released (in Cr.)	Status
Assam	Sonitpur	M/s Surindera Agro Processing Cluster	General	09.01.2020	20.536	9.1446	8.2235	Completed
Gujarat	Bhavnagar	M/s Maharaja Dehydration Pvt. Ltd.	General	08.06.2020	16.11	4.31	3.08237	Operational
Kerala	Ernakulam	M/s Synthite Industries Private Limited	General	30.04.2020	42.222	9.0504	8.37561	Completed
Madhya Pradesh	Dhar	M/s Prashun Foods Pvt Ltd	General	24.12.2020	23.6	9.8655	6.65921	Under Implementation
Maharashtra	Satara	M/s Pravin Masalewale	General	24.12.2020	64.69	10.00	6.75	Under Implementation
Tamil Nadu	Tiruvannamalai	M/s Tiruvannamalai Market Committee	General	29.04.2020	25.506	5.7487	1.81084	Under Implementation
	Salem	M/s Salem Market Committee	General	29.04.2020	25.252	5.9753	1.88222	Under Implementation
	Theni	M/s Theni Market Committee	General	29.04.2020	26.308	5.9955	1.88858	Under Implementation

	Krishnagiri	M/s Dharmapuri Market Committee	General	29.04.2020	26.826	5.8937	1.85651	Under Implementation
	Madurai	M/s Madurai Market Committee	General	29.04.2020	32.066	5.7912	1.82423	Under Implementation
	Dindigul	M/s Dindigul Market Committee	General	29.04.2020	29.018	6.7357	2.12174	Under Implementation
	Cuddalore	M/s Cuddalore Market Committee	General	29.04.2020	25.002	5.9793	1.88348	Under Implementation
	Pudukkottai	M/s Delta Foods	General	08.06.2020	24.3125	7.472	6.26154	Operational
Telangana	Siddipet	M/s Kakumanu Seeds	General	29.04.2020	39.8	7.4333	5.0243	Under Implementation

Year-2021

State	District	Name of the Project	Category	Date of approval	Project cost (In Cr.)	Grant Approved (in Cr.)	Total Grant released (in Cr.)	Status
Assam	Darrang	M/s Sumitra Agro Food Park	General	30.03.2021	19.4408	7.5911	5.6101	Under Implementation
	Morigaon	M/s Salt Range Agri Solutions LLP	General	17.03.2021	23.0664	9.8947	6.67883	Under Implementation
Karnataka	Udupi	M/s Udupi Food Park	General	16.03.2021	16.08	5.23	3.7516	Under Implementation
Maharashtra	Washim	M/s Baheti Krushi Samuha LLP	General	16.03.2021	12.544	2.8496	1.9976	Under Implementation
	Beed	M/s Chinteshwar Agro Processing Pvt Ltd	General	17.11.2021	22.504	8.2796	5.656336	Under Implementation
Tamil Nadu	Erode	M/s Vamsi RS Industrial Zone	General	17.11.2021	33.167	9.1351	0	Under Implementation

Year-2022

State	District	Name of the Project	Category	Date of approval	Project cost (In Cr.)	Grant Approved (in Cr.)	Total Grant released (in Cr.)	Status
Assam	Kamrup	M/s Nezone Foods	General	10.11.2022	25.546	10.00	3.3333	Under Implementation
Karnataka	Koppal	M/s Sri Lakshmibalaji Agro Park Private Ltd	General	10.11.2022	36.34	10.00	6.1666666	Under Implementation
Maharashtra	Pune	M/s Varsha Agro	General	10.11.2022	40.67	10.00	3.2833	Under Implementation
	Bhandra	M/s Divyansh Agro and Food Park	General	10.11.2022	26.652	10.00	3.3333	Under Implementation

Odisha	Nabarangpur	M/s Vijaya Nagar Biotech Private Limited	General	10.11.2022	50.524	10.00	9.7749334	Completed
Rajasthan	Jalore	M/s Garuda Urban Remedies Limited	General	10.11.2022	38.65	10.00	3.3333	Under Implementation
Telangana	Siddipet	M/s Mahadevi Agro Mills Private Limited	General	10.11.2022	44.48	10.00	6.6666	Under Implementation
	Nalgonda	M/s Gayatri Agro Industrial Power Limited	General	10.11.2022	23.393	5.8254	3.8836	Under Implementation
Year-2023								
State	District	Name of the Project	Category	Date of approval	Project cost (In Cr.)	Grant Approved (in Cr.)	Total Grant released (in Cr.)	Status
Andhra Pradesh	Eluru	M/s Ramansinghs Global Food Park	SC	20.11.2023	25.85	10.00	3.3333333	Under Implementation
	Nellore	M/s MR Agrotech Industries	SC	20.11.2023	28.76	10.00	0	Under Implementation
Assam	Cachar	M/s Kay Dee Agro Industries	General	20.11.2023	27.24	10.00	0	Under Implementation
Maharashtra	Solapur	M/s Arya Food and Other Products Processing Unit	SC	20.11.2023	28.545	10.00	0	Under Implementation
Rajasthan	Tonk	M/s Greenfields Agro Park	SC	20.11.2023	23.21	8.6411	2.8803	Under Implementation
Telangana	Siddipet	M/s Rajendar Feeds LLP	SC	20.11.2023	44.00	10.00	0	Under Implementation
Year-2024								
State	District	Name of the Project	Category	Date of approval	Project cost (In Cr.)	Grant Approved (in Cr.)	Total Grant released (in Cr.)	Status
Andhra Pradesh	East Godavari	M/s Sri Lalitha Enterprises Industries Private Limited	General	28.02.2024	48.66	10.00	0	Under Implementation
	Vizianagaram	M/s Aalamandha Food Park	SC	28.02.2024	20.78	10.00	0	Under Implementation
Chhattisgarh	Bemetara	M/s K K Agro Trade Ventures Private Limited	General	28.02.2024	68.866	10	0	Under Implementation
Himachal Pradesh	Solan	M/s APG Foods Division Private Limited	General	28.02.2024	22.664	10.00	0	Under Implementation
Maharashtra	Nagpur	M/s Harrshiv Healthy Foods and More Private Limited	General	28.02.2024	39.32	10	0	Under Implementation
Tamil Nadu	Thiruvallur	M/s Integrated Service Point Private Limited	General	28.02.2024	42.635	10	6.6666666	Under Implementation

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Rs. in Crore

Financial Year	2020-21		2021-22		2022-23		2023-24		2024-25		2025-26	
Head of Accounts	Sanctioned	Disbursed	Sanctioned	Disbursed	Sanctioned	Disbursed	Sanctioned	Disbursed	Sanctioned	Disbursed	Sanctioned	Disbursed
SCSP	0	0	0	1.35	0	0.94	58.64	3.60	0	2.88	0	3.33
TSP	0	3.50	0	1.30	0	1.00	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
General	115.82	38.22	17.42	42.03	75.83	30.65	60.00	35.40	0	32.28	0	15.69