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MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
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ANSWERED ON 25.03.2026
ASSISTANCE TO STATES FOR SOLAR ENERGY

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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government provides financial assistance to various State Governments for solar energy; and
- (b) if so, the details of the assistance provided to Rajasthan, district-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

- (a) The Government provides incentives/ assistance through various schemes to promote solar energy generation in the country including Rajasthan. The details of operational schemes are given at **Annexure-I**.
- (b) The details incentives/assistance provided to Rajasthan is given at **Annexure-II**.

**Annexure-I referred to in reply of part (a) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question
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**Details of operational schemes to promote solar energy generation in the country
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<p>a) PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana Yojana for installing rooftop solar and providing free electricity up to 300 units every month for One Crore households.</p>	<p>1. Under the PMSG: MBY, the CFA for installation of Rooftop Solar in the Residential Sector is given below:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="614 562 1337 1339"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="620 571 683 656">Sl. No.</th> <th data-bbox="689 571 954 656">Type of Residential Segment</th> <th data-bbox="960 571 1129 656">CFA</th> <th data-bbox="1136 571 1331 656">CFA (Special Category States/UTs)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="620 723 651 757">(i)</td> <td data-bbox="689 665 954 817">Residential Sector (first 2 kWp of Rooftop Solar (RTS) capacity or part thereof)</td> <td data-bbox="960 723 1129 757">₹30,000/kWp</td> <td data-bbox="1136 723 1331 757">₹33,000/kWp</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="620 880 667 913">(ii)</td> <td data-bbox="689 826 954 947">Residential Sector (with additional RTS capacity of 1 kWp or part thereof)</td> <td data-bbox="960 880 1129 913">₹18,000/kWp</td> <td data-bbox="1136 880 1331 913">₹19,800/kWp</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="620 1014 675 1048">(iii)</td> <td data-bbox="689 956 954 1077">Residential Sector (additional RTS capacity beyond 3 kWp)</td> <td data-bbox="960 987 1129 1048">No additional CFA</td> <td data-bbox="1136 987 1331 1048">No additional CFA</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="620 1193 667 1227">(iv)</td> <td data-bbox="689 1086 954 1330">Group Housing Societies/ Residential Welfare Associations (GHS/RWA) etc. for common facilities including EV charging up to 500 kWp (@ 3 kWp per house)</td> <td data-bbox="960 1193 1129 1227">₹18,000/kWp</td> <td data-bbox="1136 1193 1331 1227">₹19,800/kWp</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>2. The PMSG: MBY scheme includes the provision for incentive to DISCOMs to motivate and help them in activities such as create conducive regulatory and administrative mechanisms, achieve targets for implementation. The incentive is pegged at 5% of applicable benchmark cost for capacity achieved above 10% and less than 15% of installed base capacity; 10% of the applicable benchmark cost for capacity achieved beyond 15% of installed base capacity.</p> <p>3. To push the deployment of residential rooftop solar system (RTS) and undertake local mobilization efforts, the PMSG: MBY scheme also includes the provision for incentive to the Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) and Panchayat Raj Institutions</p>	Sl. No.	Type of Residential Segment	CFA	CFA (Special Category States/UTs)	(i)	Residential Sector (first 2 kWp of Rooftop Solar (RTS) capacity or part thereof)	₹30,000/kWp	₹33,000/kWp	(ii)	Residential Sector (with additional RTS capacity of 1 kWp or part thereof)	₹18,000/kWp	₹19,800/kWp	(iii)	Residential Sector (additional RTS capacity beyond 3 kWp)	No additional CFA	No additional CFA	(iv)	Group Housing Societies/ Residential Welfare Associations (GHS/RWA) etc. for common facilities including EV charging up to 500 kWp (@ 3 kWp per house)	₹18,000/kWp	₹19,800/kWp
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b) Solar Park Scheme	<p>₹ 20.00 lakh per MW or 30% of the project cost, whichever is lower, is provided for development of the parks. Beside this, CFA of up to ₹ 25 lakh per Solar Park is provided for preparation of Detailed Project Report (DPR).</p>						
<p>c) PM-KUSUM Scheme was launched by the Government in March, 2019 to enable the installation of standalone solar pumps, solarization of existing grid-connected agriculture pumps, and installation of solar power plants on farmer's land.</p>	<p>Component 'A': Setting up of 10,000 MW of Decentralized Ground/Stilt Mounted Grid Connected Solar or other Renewable Energy based Power Plants by the farmers on their land.</p> <p>Component 'B': Installation of 14 lakh standalone off-grid solar agriculture pumps.</p> <p>Component 'C': Solarization of 35 lakh existing grid-connected agriculture pumps including Feeder Level Solarization (FLS).</p> <p>The details of eligible financial assistance under PM KUSUM scheme are given below.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="571 1361 1378 2002"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="577 1370 861 1415">Components</th> <th data-bbox="868 1370 1372 1415">Financial Assistance available</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="577 1424 861 1621">Component A</td> <td data-bbox="868 1424 1372 1621">Procurement Based Incentive (PBI) is provided to the DISCOMs @ 40 paise/kWh or Rs.6.60 lakhs/MW/year, whichever is lower, for five years. There is no CFA under this Component.</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="577 1630 861 1993">Component B Component C (Individual Pump Solarisation)</td> <td data-bbox="868 1630 1372 1993"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFA of 30% of the benchmark cost issued by MNRE or the prices of the systems discovered in the tender, whichever is lower is provided. • However, in North Eastern States including Sikkim, Jammu & Kashmir, Ladakh, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand, Lakshadweep and A&N Islands, </td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Components	Financial Assistance available	Component A	Procurement Based Incentive (PBI) is provided to the DISCOMs @ 40 paise/kWh or Rs.6.60 lakhs/MW/year, whichever is lower, for five years. There is no CFA under this Component.	Component B Component C (Individual Pump Solarisation)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFA of 30% of the benchmark cost issued by MNRE or the prices of the systems discovered in the tender, whichever is lower is provided. • However, in North Eastern States including Sikkim, Jammu & Kashmir, Ladakh, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand, Lakshadweep and A&N Islands,
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		<p>CFA of 50% of the benchmark cost issued by MNRE or the prices of the systems discovered in the tender, whichever is lower, is provided.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In addition, the respective state/UT has to provide at least 30% financial support. Balance cost is to be contributed by beneficiary. • Component B and Component C (IPS) of PM KUSUM scheme can also be implemented without State share of 30%. The Central Financial Assistance will continue to remain 30% and rest 70% will be borne by the farmer. 								
	<p>Component C (Feeder Level Solarisation)</p>	<p>For agriculture feeder solarization, CFA of Rs 1.05 Crore per MW (1.75 Cr. per MW for NER/ Hilly/ Islands) is provided. There is no mandatory requirement of financial support from participating State/UT. The feeder solarisation can be implemented in CAPEX or RESCO mode.</p>								
<p>d) New Solar Power Scheme (for Tribal and PVTG Habitations /Villages) under Pradhan Mantri Janjati Adivasi Nyaya Maha Abhiyan (PM JANMAN) and Dharti Aaba Janjatiya Gram Utkarsh Abhiyan (DA JGUA)</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="582 1243 1029 1288">Components</th> <th data-bbox="1037 1243 1364 1288">Central Share (100%)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="582 1288 1029 1411">Provision of 0.3 kW Solar off-grid system for 1 lakh Tribal and PVTG HHs</td> <td data-bbox="1037 1288 1364 1411">₹ 50,000 per HH or as per actual cost</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="582 1411 1029 1568">Solar street lighting and provision of lighting in 1500 MPCs of PVTG areas (<i>under PM JANMAN component only</i>)</td> <td data-bbox="1037 1411 1364 1568">₹ 1 lakh per MPC</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="582 1568 1029 1780">Solarisation of 2000 public institutions through off-grid solar systems (<i>under DA JGUA component only</i>)</td> <td data-bbox="1037 1568 1364 1780">₹ 1 lakh per kW with maximum solar PV capacity of 20 kW per public institution</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Components	Central Share (100%)	Provision of 0.3 kW Solar off-grid system for 1 lakh Tribal and PVTG HHs	₹ 50,000 per HH or as per actual cost	Solar street lighting and provision of lighting in 1500 MPCs of PVTG areas (<i>under PM JANMAN component only</i>)	₹ 1 lakh per MPC	Solarisation of 2000 public institutions through off-grid solar systems (<i>under DA JGUA component only</i>)	₹ 1 lakh per kW with maximum solar PV capacity of 20 kW per public institution
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Scheme / Programmes	Assistance provided to Rajasthan	
a) PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana Yojana for installing rooftop solar and providing free electricity up to 300 units every month for One Crore households.	District-wise details of CFA are given below.	
	Districts	CFA released (Amount in ₹ Crore)
	Ajmer	43.33
	Alwar	26.04
	Anoopgarh	2.60
	Balotra	3.93
	Banswara	6.90
	Baran	5.69
	Barmer	7.53
	Beawar	9.37
	Bharatpur	8.44
	Bhilwara	35.69
	Bikaner	42.62
	Bundi	6.12
	Chittorgarh	35.14
	Churu	27.39
	Dausa	9.97
	Deeg	1.14
	Dholpur	5.51
	Didwana Kuchaman	15.65
	Dudu	0.06
	Dungarpur	8.10
	Ganganagar	95.64
	Gangapurcity	1.15
	Hanumangarh	61.34
	Jaipur	217.81
	Jaipur Gramin	0.18
Jaisalmer	2.13	
Jalore	9.14	
Jhalawar	8.09	
Jhunjhunu	49.24	
Jodhpur	59.44	
Jodhpur Gramin	0.03	
Karauli	3.61	

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	Kekri	2.28										
	Khairthal-Tijara	1.25										
	Kota	36.45										
	Kotputli-Behror	7.31										
	Nagaur	13.78										
	Neem Ka Thana	1.65										
	Pali	20.27										
	Phalodi	1.55										
	Pratapgarh	8.01										
	Rajsamand	10.99										
	Salumbar	1.21										
	Sanchor	1.07										
	Sawai Madhopur	7.85										
	Shahpura	1.46										
	Sikar	63.58										
	Sirohi	9.81										
	Tonk	7.81										
	Udaipur	54.87										
	Total	1,060.19										
b) Solar Park Scheme	<p>As of 28.02.2026, under the Scheme for “Development of Solar Parks and Ultra Mega Solar Power Projects” a total CFA of ₹ 780.13 Crores has been released for Solar Parks in Rajasthan. District-wise details are as below.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="818 1361 1302 1603"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="826 1373 1134 1440">District</th> <th data-bbox="1142 1373 1294 1440">₹ in Crores</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="826 1451 1134 1491">Phalodi</td> <td data-bbox="1142 1451 1294 1491">424.84</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="826 1503 1134 1543">Phalodi and Jaisalmer*</td> <td data-bbox="1142 1503 1294 1543">138.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="826 1554 1134 1594">Jaisalmer</td> <td data-bbox="1142 1554 1294 1594">0.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="826 1606 1134 1646">Bikaner</td> <td data-bbox="1142 1606 1294 1646">216.79</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>* Park and transmission infrastructure are spread across two districts.</p>		District	₹ in Crores	Phalodi	424.84	Phalodi and Jaisalmer*	138.25	Jaisalmer	0.25	Bikaner	216.79
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agriculture pumps, and installation of solar power plants on farmer's land.	PM-KUSUM is a demand-driven scheme, and capacities are allocated based on the demand raised by the state and milestones achieved. The responsibility of beneficiary selection and implementation is of the State Implementing Agency (SIA).