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LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3893
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 22ND DECEMBER, 2015

NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY MISSION

3893. SHRI KIRTI VARDHAN SINGH:

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

- (a) whether National Food Security Mission (NFSM) has been extended in the 12th Five Year Plan period;
- (b) if so, the details of the components included in NFSM along with the targets fixed and achieved till date, crop-wise;
- (c) whether coarse cereals and commercial crops have been included under NFSM; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (SHRI MOHANBHAI KUNDARIA)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. National Food Security Mission (NFSM) has been continued in 12th Five Year Plan with target of additional production of 25 million tonnes of food grains comprising of 10 million tonnes of rice, 8 million tonnes of wheat, 4 million tonnes of pulses and 3 million tonnes of coarse cereals by the end of 12th Plan. The crop-wise annual target and achievement of production during 12th Plan are as given:

(million tonnes)

Crop		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15*
Rice	T	104.00	105.00	106.00
	A	105.24	106.65	104.80
Wheat	T	88.00	92.50	94.00
	A	93.51	95.85	88.94
Pulses	T	18.24	19.00	19.50
	A	18.34	19.25	17.20

T- Target A- Achievement
* 4th Advance Estimate

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(c) & (d): From year 2014-15, coarse cereals and commercial crops (jute, cotton, sugarcane) components have also been included under NFSM. The annual target and achievement of production of coarse cereals and commercial crops in 2014-15 are given below:

(million tonnes)

Crop		2014-15*
Coarse cereals	T	41.50
	A	41.75
Jute#	T	10.50
	A	10.93
Cotton##	T	35.00
	A	35.47
Sugarcane	T	345.00
	A	359.33

T- Target A- Achievement

* 4th Advance Estimate

million bales of 180 kg each

million bales of 170 kg each
