

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1424
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 3RD MAY, 2016

PRODUCTION OF SUGARCANE

1424. DR. MANOJ RAJORIA:

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

- (a) whether the production and productivity of sugarcane across the country including Rajasthan has increased during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) whether the farmers are imparted training to develop their skill in sugarcane cultivation to increase the production and productivity of sugarcane and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the quantum of funds given to States for promoting sugarcane farming and improving the conditions of sugarcane farmers during the said period, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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

(a) & (b): The production and productivity of sugarcane in the country has increased during 2012-13 to 2014-15 but the same has declined during 2015-16 on account of wide spread deficient rains in sub-tropical India. In Rajasthan, the production and productivity of sugarcane during 2012-13 to 2015-16 has followed a mixed trend. The State-wise details of production and productivity of sugarcane in the country from 2012-13 to 2015-16 are given in **Annexure-I**.

(c): To increase production and productivity of sugarcane in the country, Government of India is implementing since 2014-15 a Sugarcane Developmental Programme under the National Food Security Mission-Commercial Crops (NFSM-CC) in the states of Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Odisha, Punjab, Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Uttarakhand and Uttar Pradesh. Under this scheme, besides providing national and State level trainings, assistance is also provided for demonstration on inter-cropping and single bud technology of Sugarcane, demonstration on use of tissue culture seedlings/plantlets, strengthening/establishment of tissue culture and bio- agent laboratories, etc. With the approval of State level Sanctioning Committee under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary, States can also support Sugarcane Development Programme under Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojna (RKVY).

Total 2128 farmers from different parts of the country have been trained during last three years to develop their skill in sugarcane cultivation and increase its production and productivity in the country.

Further, to empower farmers with the latest knowledge / information on agriculture and train them for improving production and productivity of agricultural crops including sugarcane, the Government has adopted a multi-tiered extension strategy, which includes; (i) support to State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms; (ii) Mass Media Support to Agricultural Extension and Focused Publicity Campaigns; (iii) Agri-Clinic and Agri-Business Centres; (iv) Kisan Call Centres; (v) Information dissemination through Agriculture Fairs; and (vi) Kissan SMS Portal.

(d): State-wise details of funds allocated/released under the National Food Security Mission Commercial Crops (NFSM-CC)-Sugarcane for promotion of sugarcane cultivation and improving the conditions of sugarcane farmers during 2014-15 onwards are given in **Annexure-II**.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1424 due for reply on 03.05.2016

State-wise Production and Yield of Sugarcane during 2012-13 to 2015-16

STATES/UT	Production ('000 Tonnes)				Yield (Kg/hectare)			
	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16*	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16*
Andhra Pradesh	11993.0	12008.8	9987.0	9394.0	77374	78489	71849	77000
Assam	1028.2	1075.2	1099.1	1067.0	35613	36973	36760	36793
Bihar	12741.4	12881.8	14034.1	14951.5	50896	49916	55179	57938
Chhattisgarh	37.3	22.1	49.3	29.5	2763	2600	2665	2438
Gujarat	12690.0	12550.0	14330.0	13030.0	72102	72126	68894	70815
Haryana	7437.0	7499.0	7169.0	7915.1	73634	73520	73907	83317
Himachal Pradesh	42.0	35.7	37.6	28.4	22346	23175	23118	18216
Jharkhand	461.9	462.8	469.8	704.9	69042	69215	69500	69107
Karnataka	35732.0	37905.0	43776.0	36765.0	84075	90250	91200	85500
Kerala	165.7	221.5	148.5	114.8	95241	100235	97910	95000
Madhya Pradesh	2641.9	3173.7	4567.0	4716.1	44401	43415	41144	45788
Maharashtra	69648.1	76901.0	84699.0	77104.4	74650	82072	82232	78120
Odisha	952.4	936.5	722.9	567.1	65545	65905	71929	68495
Punjab	5919.0	6675.0	7039.0	7125.0	71313	75000	74883	75000
Rajasthan	401.8	362.9	408.9	432.1	73056	68989	73390	70411
Tamil Nadu	33919.2	32454.1	28092.8	25487.5	97688	103575	106788	105999
Telangana	3574.0	3376.2	3343.0	3866.2	87171	86569	87974	66658
Uttar Pradesh	132427.7	134688.6	133061.4	133758.0	59868	60453	62155	61668
Uttarakhand	6784.8	5939.8	6165.1	5976.0	61736	56971	60608	61608
West Bengal	1617.0	1945.0	2105.5	2380.0	100437	114273	118767	119000
Others	985.3	1027.1	1027.8	972.7	57375	56839	56504	58916
All India	341199.7	352141.8	362332.8	346385.3	68254	70522	71512	70051

* As per 2nd Advance Estimates.

State wise Allocation and Release of Central Funds under National Food Security Mission
Commercial Crops (NFSM-CC)-Sugarcane during 2014-15 to 2016-17

(Rs. In lakh)

S.No	STATE	2014-15		2015-16		2016-17
		NFSM-CC (Sugarcane) 100%		NFSM-CC(Sugarcane) 60:40		NFSM-CC (Sugarcane) 60:40
		Allocation(CS)	Released (CS)	Allocation(CS)	Released (CS)	Allocation(CS)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	12.8	9.6	20.60	10.99	12.11
2	TELANGANA	3.40	2.55	3.00	1.50	3.3
3	GUJARAT	16.20	12.15	14.00	0.00	15.38
4	HARYANA	20.80	15.60	18.00	9.00	19.76
5	KARNATAKA	30.80	23.09	26.98	13.50	29.67
6	MADHYA PRADESH	20.80	15.60	23.07	9.00	19.78
7	MAHARASHTRA	197.20	147.90	151.94	147.26	188.99
8	TAMIL NADU	30.80	30.80	27.08	26.99	29.65
9	UTTAR PRADESH	307.60	230.70	267.90	134.00	294.45
10	PUNJAB	20.80	15.60	18.00	13.50	19.76
11	UTTARAKHAND	20.80	15.60	18.00	13.50	19.8
12	BIHAR	88.10	66.08	65.40	56.91	84.06
13	ODISHA			20.00	10.00	21.99
	Total	770.10	585.27	673.97	446.15	758.7
