

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 380
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH JULY, 2016

IMPORT OF PULSES AND EDIBLE OIL

380. SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of crude and refined edible oils and pulses imported during each of the last three years and the current year, country-wise;
- (b) whether a sharp increase in import of said commodities has been noticed recently;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the reason therefor;
- (d) whether there is a demand from the farmers to enhance the import duty on the said commodities; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Government thereto?

A N S W E R

MINISTER OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN)

(a): Madam, The details of crude edible oil, refined edible oils, and pulses imported during each of the last three years and current year, country wise is annexed at annexure I, II, & III respectively

(b) & (c): Yes, This was due to decrease in domestic production of oilseeds and pulses during last two years due to adverse climatic conditions.

(d): No representation has been received recent times from farmers to enhance import duty on vegetable oils & pulses by Government.

(e): Does not arise.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 380 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 19.07.2016 IN THE LOK SABHA

STATEMENT OF IMPORT OF CRUDE EDIBLE OIL-COUNTRY WISE

QTY IN TONNES

COUNTRY	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16*	2016-17 (APR TO MAY)*
AFGHANISTAN	948.00			
ARGENTINA	1091678.00	1726597.71	3024225.21	539468.50
AUSTRALIA	22.00	170.00	3.80	0.00
AUSTRIA	2.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
BANGLADESH PR	5145.49	2836.70	87.00	125.00
BELGIUM	0.00	20.02	0.13	22.00
BRAZIL	225743.00	440105.00	760548.00	105878.00
BULGARIA	0.00	3004.00	0.00	0.00
CANADA	1.80	7196.00	0.00	0.00
CHILE	0.00	1.30	0.00	0.00
CHINA P RP	39.87	23.43	28.41	4.56
COLOMBIA	0.00	2.50	0.92	0.00
CZECH REPUBLIC	0.00	2.59	8.10	0.00
DENMARK	63.75	121.45	137.13	0.00
FRANCE	48.34	150.44	35379.10	992.40
GERMANY	4.77	5.02	11.43	0.00
GHANA	0.00	80.00	1688.22	233.42
GREECE	167.79	31.77	35.24	10.19
HONG KONG	4.85	23.77	1.64	0.00
INDONESIA	3520051.73	4033261.52	3841963.18	293427.92
ISRAEL	0.02	0.00	1.63	0.00
ITALY	3342.20	3558.32	3110.73	618.03
JAPAN	4.09	3.56	3.53	1.50
KAZAKHSTAN	1200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
KOREA DP RP	0.00	0.30	0.00	0.00
KOREA RP	0.46	1.79	0.45	0.00
LEBANON	0.00	0.00	0.00	19.20
MALAYSIA	1664118.77	3023202.52	3415146.85	374529.60
MEXICO	0.00	5518.00	5581.00	1352.00
MOROCCO	0.00	17.30	6.60	0.00
NEPAL	142.00	609.13	200.95	0.00
NETHERLAND	0.00	2.50	647.94	3.04
NEW ZEALAND	0.18	0.00	0.87	0.48
PARAGUAY	2500.00	91697.00	135982.00	9500.00
PHILIPPINES	26142.00	30063.00	27193.00	5842.00
POLAND	0.57	0.90	0.00	0.00
PORTUGAL	82.50	22.27	68.03	21.07
ROMANIA	0.00	0.00	10250.00	0.00
RUSSIA	0.00	56050.00	6607.00	0.00
SAUDI ARAB	3000.00	5000.00	0.00	0.00
SINGAPORE	783.61	753.22	194.06	37.35
SOUTH AFRICA	0.66	0.00	0.05	0.00
SPAIN	5300.83	42812.71	36989.75	1150.70
SRI LANKA DSR	0.00	0.07	0.00	0.00
SWITZERLAND	0.90	0.01	2.00	0.00
TAIWAN	0.00	2.48	12.98	0.00
THAILAND	196697.28	90328.34	4999.47	0.00
TUNISIA	35.89	565.78	30.28	0.00
TURKEY	111.03	127.56	103.62	15.26
U ARAB EMTS	64840.27	236868.57	225819.11	66500.04
U K	1.71	3.86	3.80	19.04
U S A	24113.40	1155.37	1363.99	1509.39
UKRAINE	1074634.18	1728141.66	1489842.87	185529.00
UNSPECIFIED	1.33	0.00	17.00	0.00
VIETNAM SOC REP	4992.00	3975.00	19772.00	0.00
TOTAL	7915967.91	11534114.42	13048069.06	1586809.67

Source: Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics (DGCIS)

* Figures are provisional

ANNEXURE-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 380 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 19.07.2016 IN THE LOK SABHA

STATEMENT OF IMPORT OF REFINED EDIBLE OIL-COUNTRY WISE				
			QTY IN TONNES	
COUNTRY	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16*	2016-17 (APR TO MAY)*
ARGENTINA		11997.00	0.00	
AUSTRALIA		0.00	194.42	43.65
BELGIUM		3.24	0.00	0.00
CANADA	210.37	716.46	139.77	45.93
FRANCE	0.00	4.68	5.22	1.80
GERMANY	15.20	20.60	32.35	6.35
INDONESIA	1911200.00	897615.63	2147052.16	382569.60
IRAN	0.00	12630.00	0.00	0.00
JAPAN	0.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
KOREA RP	0.05	0.00	3.30	0.00
MALAYSIA	639851.95	271508.40	424444.65	127639.87
NETHERLAND	0.00	0.00	12.00	0.00
NIGERIA	0.40	0.00	0.00	0.00
SINGAPORE	0.60	0.00	0.54	0.00
SPAIN	0.00	0.00	264.54	0.00
TURKEY	17.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
U ARAB EMTS	21.00	2974.94	19084.66	62.40
U K	17.36	0.96	0.00	9.38
U S A	0.70	10.67	12.28	0.50
TOTAL	2551334.99	1197482.58	2591245.89	510379.48

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COUNTRY-WISE IMPORT OF PULSES:

QTY IN TONNES

COUNTRY	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17 (APR TO MAY)
AFGHANISTAN	12447.36	4355.14	15972.99	5001.83
ARGENTINA	4665.50	9055.73	20796.68	5207.09
AUSTRALIA	342310.98	332654.88	912306.18	25979.97
BENIN	0.00	0.00	37.00	70.00
BOLIVIA	0.00	0.00	190.00	0.00
BRAZIL	6853.00	603.44	9953.00	989.00
BULGARIA	0.00	0.00	565.00	117.72
CANADA	1504717.06	2195555.36	2510913.71	222925.20
CHINA P RP	49519.73	71105.91	68523.07	14084.00
COSTA RICA	0.00	110.00	0.00	0.00
COTE D' IVOIRE	18.46	19.94	210.79	371.00
CZECH REPUBLIC	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00
DIJIBOUTI	0.00	0.00	140.00	0.00
EGYPT A RP	88.00	0.00	985.00	96.00
ESTONIA	0.00	0.00	8407.00	16094.24
ETHIOPIA	17355.00	31027.73	51120.83	5323.00
FR GUIANA	0.00	0.00	0.00	261.94
FRANCE	23275.00	0.00	120780.12	33939.69
INDONESIA	42.00	2661.00	9477.26	0.00
IRAN	120.00	24.00	1273.60	0.00
ITALY	12.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
KAZAKHSTAN	386.00	0.00	3537.00	0.00
KENYA	36140.85	18082.40	52835.85	14360.60
KOREA RP	0.05	0.00	1.00	0.00
KYRGHZYSTAN	135.00	284.00	1085.00	66.00
LATVIA	0.00	0.00	1214.36	0.00
LITHUANIA	0.00	0.00	93260.70	21291.73
MADAGASCAR	5329.63	1917.00	6410.00	182.00
MALAWI	22428.00	46015.00	61092.20	1073.00
MALAYSIA	1007.81	312.00	24.00	120.00
MEXICO	910.00	8190.00	7479.00	0.00
MOLDOVA	0.00	2317.00	251.00	0.00
MOZAMBIQUE	78904.14	97068.27	78867.93	3725.70
MYANMAR	906484.18	931328.91	722040.05	129310.73
NEPAL	30.00	1047.03	0.00	270.00
NEW ZEALAND	0.00	0.00	0.00	20.00
NICARAGUA	44.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
PAKISTAN IR	3115.50	2688.50	803.50	0.00
PERU	427.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
POLAND	0.00	0.00	154.00	0.00
PORTUGAL	70.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
ROMANIA	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
RUSSIA	215619.81	236893.08	503490.34	101474.62
SINGAPORE	239.00	72.00	0.00	0.00
SOMALIA	196.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
SOUTH AFRICA	22.00	48.00	45.00	0.00
SRI LANKA DSR	529.00	738.00	43.00	0.00
SUDAN	0.00	17088.00	19430.45	23984.00
TANZANIA REP	181494.43	179992.89	136201.49	22635.79
THAILAND	352.00	1157.00	2516.05	312.00
TURKEY	221.00	2370.00	2141.64	0.00
U ARAB EMTS	216.00	167.18	27.00	171.00
U K	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.10
U S A	195846.26	312227.51	259079.10	41112.45
UGANDA	614.00	3008.00	9538.35	3878.00
UKRAINE	20314.06	62067.98	89248.36	8906.45
UNSPECIFIED	74.02	0.00	0.00	0.00
URUGUAY	0.00	0.00	0.00	72.00
UZBEKISTAN	10891.15	12473.40	15182.07	2000.40
VATICAN CITY	139.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
VENEZUELA	0.00	0.00	48.00	0.00
YEMEN REPubLC	0.00	115.00	0.00	0.00
TOTAL	3643705.41	4584841.27	5797698.67	705477.23

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