

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3261 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 07.08.2026

Availability and Accessibility of Fertilizers

3261. Shri Vishnu Datt Sharma:

Will the Minister of **Chemicals and Fertilizers** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has made any assessment regarding fertiliser availability and accessibility, under the Nutrient Based Subsidy (NBS), Urea Subsidy and One Nation One Fertilizer initiatives in Bundelkhand region, if so, the details thereof, district-wise, particularly Khajuraho Constituency;
- (b) whether the delays in fertiliser supply, inadequate storage and long travel distances to fertiliser outlets have affected farmers during the short Kharif and Rabi sowing windows, if so, the details thereof, district-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes a Bundelkhand Fertiliser Logistics Plan including block-level buffer stocks, advance seasonal allocation, strengthened rural distribution and promotion of balanced fertiliser use; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith timeline for its implementation?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS

(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

(a) to (e) Following steps are taken by the Government every season for ensuring timely and adequate availability of fertilizers in the country, including Bundelkhand region:

- (i) Before the commencement of each cropping season, Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (DA&FW), in consultation with all the State Governments, assesses the State-wise & month-wise requirement of fertilizers. On the basis of requirement projected by DA&FW, Department of Fertilizers (DoF) allocates adequate quantities of fertilizers to States by issuing monthly supply plan and continuously monitors the availability.
- (ii) The movement of all major subsidized fertilizers is monitored throughout the country by an on-line web-based monitoring system called Integrated Fertilizer Management System (iFMS).

- (iii) The gap between demand (requirement) and production for Urea & other fertilizers is met through imports. The import for the season is also finalized well in advance to ensure timely availability.
- (iv) The State Governments are regularly advised to coordinate with manufacturers and importers for streamlining the supplies through timely placement of indents.
- (v) Regular coordination is done with the Ministry of Railways for giving sufficient rakes, priority to fertilizers and for timely evacuation of rakes for States.
- (vi) The distribution of fertilizers within the State at district/block level is done by the concerned State government.

In view of above, the availability of fertilizers viz. Urea, DAP, MOP and NPKS has remained adequate in the Bundelkhand region in the Rabi 2025-26 season and during the ongoing Kharif 2026 season. The information regarding availability position of fertilizers in the Bundelkhand region during the ongoing Kharif 2026 season, as informed by State Governments of Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh, is placed at **Annexure**.

Further, the State Government of Madhya Pradesh has informed that they make arrangements for distribution of fertilizers through PACS, MARKFED, MP Agro and authorized private dealers. The distribution of fertilizers is also being monitored through the E-Vikas (Distribution and Agricultural Fertilizer Supply Solution) system, which provides for monitoring of fertilizer movement from the source/production point up to the retailer level and for distribution according to farmers' land and crop requirements. In respect of the Khajuraho Parliamentary Constituency, fertilizer availability is being monitored through the concerned district administration and agriculture/cooperative machinery.

Moreover, the State Governments of Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh have informed that at present, there is no separate proposal under consideration for a formally notified "Bundelkhand Fertilizer Logistics Plan" as a standalone scheme.

Annexure referred to in reply of parts (a) to (e) of Lok Sabha Un-starred question no. 3261 for answering on 07.08.2026

FERTILIZER AVAILABILITY POSITION IN BUNDELKHAND REGION OF UTTAR PRADESH DURING Rabi 2025-26

S NO	DISTRICT	UREA			DAP			NPK			MOP		
		AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE	AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE	AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE	AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE
1	Banda	19,956	3,922	16,035	5,717	2,219	3,498	3,464	649	2,815	90	23	68
2	Chitrakoot	15,278	3,654	11,624	4,948	2,703	2,246	2,007	458	1,550	69	5	64
3	Hamirpur	18,298	4,948	13,349	6,212	1,950	4,262	2,780	577	2,202	30	16	14
4	Jaunpur	56,306	23,692	32,614	12,687	5,347	7,340	8,563	1,470	7,093	2,619	128	2,491
5	Jhansi	24,840	6,628	18,212	14,227	6,455	7,772	2,659	455	2,204	31	-	31
6	Lalitpur	16,620	2,646	13,974	12,928	1,977	10,952	7,163	381	6,782	71	6	65
7	Mahoba	10,805	619	10,186	5,625	290	5,334	1,433	37	1,396	-	-	-
TOTAL		162,103	46,109	115,994	62,344	20,941	41,404	28,069	4,027	24,042	2,910	177	2,733

FERTILIZER AVAILABILITY POSITION IN BUNDELKHAND REGION OF MADHYA PRADESH DURING KHARIF 2026

S NO	DISTRICT	UREA			DAP			NPK			MOP		
		AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE	AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE	AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE	AVAILABILITY	SALE	CLOSING BALANCE
1	Chhatarpur	10,043	3,579	6,464	3,864	1,988	1,876	14,294	4,500	9,795	391	14	377
2	Tikamgarh	8,817	760	8,057	3,119	1,228	1,891	2,777	986	1,791	362	20	342
3	Datia	26,419	14,264	12,155	8,637	5,668	2,969	15,754	8,840	6,914	194	46	148
4	Damoh	15,644	11,149	4,495	8,960	7,714	1,246	7,839	4,526	3,314	345	35	310
5	Panna	15,257	8,871	6,385	4,991	3,768	1,223	9,557	3,506	6,052	99	25	74
6	Sagar	40,213	29,931	10,282	6,520	5,908	612	12,632	6,952	5,679	851	386	465
TOTAL		116,393	68,554	47,839	36,091	26,273	9,818	62,853	29,309	33,544	2,242	526	1,715