

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY  
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1177**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 14<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER, 2022**

**EXPORT OF BROKEN AND PARBOILED RICE**

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Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of non-basmati and parboiled rice exports during the last three years, year, variety and country-wise;
- (b) whether it is true that non-basmati rice exports this year would touch 15 million tonnes despite 20% export duty and ban on shipment of broken rice and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it is true that many African countries are asking for broken and parboiled rice;
- (d) if so, the details of parboiled rice stocks in the country, State-wise; and
- (e) the steps being taken by the Ministry to export broken and parboiled rice to such countries?

**ANSWER**

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती अनुप्रिया पटेल)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

- (a) Rice is broadly divided into two categories i.e Basmati and Non-Basmati. Parboiled rice also comes under non-basmati rice category. The details of total non-basmati rice and parboiled rice exported during the last three years, year-wise, variety-wise and country-wise are given at Annexure-I.

- (b) The total non-basmati rice exported during April-October 2022 is 10.21 Million MT. However, export of non-basmati rice has registered a decline after prohibition on broken rice and imposition of export duty of 20% on other non-basmati rice except parboiled rice on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2022.
- (c) Yes, Sir. Requests for non-basmati rice including broken and parboiled rice from a few African countries have been received.
- (d) The State-wise details of parboiled rice stock in the country as per Food Corporation of India, are given at Annexure-II.
- (e) The Government of India has set up an Inter-Ministerial Committee (IMC) to review domestic prices, production, available stocks, production estimates, forecast etc., of essential agricultural commodities to safeguard the interest of the domestic farmers, industrial sector and consumers. The policy decision regarding export of these essential commodities is taken keeping in view the above-mentioned factors. The IMC periodically meets and inter-alia, recommends measures for export of prohibited items, if any, including rice to support the needs of neighbouring and vulnerable countries for their food security.

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**Annexure regard to in reply to Part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1177.**

**Annexure-I**

Commodity /Year	Qty in LMT; Values in USD Million					
	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
	Qty	Value	Qty	Value	Qty	Value
Total non-basmati rice	50.56	2031.25	131.49	4810.80	172.89	6133.63
Parboiled rice *	31.29	1215.15	61.75	2365.19	74.34	2764.69

\* Parboiled rice also comes under non-basmati rice category

Source: DGCIS

Qty in LMT; Values in USD Million						
Non-Basmati Rice						
COUNTRY	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
	Qty	Value	Qty	Value	Qty	Value
BANGLADESH PR	0.13	12.12	9.14	350.97	16.29	613.95
BENIN	5.35	195.90	12.31	442.97	15.27	531.39
CHINA P RP	0.02	0.78	3.32	103.70	16.33	496.65
NEPAL	6.81	245.30	13.33	405.26	14.01	461.49
COTE D' IVOIRE	2.94	107.70	7.32	260.30	9.32	322.65
SENEGAL	2.18	67.49	10.36	304.88	10.91	311.91
TOGO	3.03	107.90	7.80	283.02	8.44	293.99
GUINEA	3.27	120.41	6.10	224.50	6.73	243.81
VIETNAM SOC REP	0.00	0.78	2.93	90.15	7.08	231.10
MADAGASCAR	0.11	3.69	4.16	127.22	5.72	188.84
Other	26.72	1169.17	54.71	2217.82	62.80	2437.84
Total	50.56	2031.25	131.49	4810.80	172.89	6133.63

Source: DGCIS

Qty in LMT; Values in USD Million						
India's export of Parboiled Rice						
COUNTRY	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
	Qty	Value	Qty	Value	Qty	Value
BANGLADESH PR	0.06	2.42	7.86	294.97	14.85	556.11
BENIN	5.00	182.13	9.36	341.62	10.22	363.09
COTE D' IVOIRE	2.78	101.89	5.50	201.17	5.91	210.88
TOGO	2.63	94.11	5.46	202.35	5.83	207.23
GUINEA	2.70	99.81	4.41	164.60	4.89	176.55
SOMALIA	3.44	122.17	3.70	126.54	4.55	154.09
SRI LANKA DSR	0.03	1.34	0.01	0.95	3.43	137.94
LIBERIA	2.02	74.26	3.17	119.06	3.45	124.14
DJIBOUTI	1.66	60.66	2.12	76.66	2.37	83.32
SOUTH AFRICA	1.45	50.13	2.38	84.20	1.97	67.53
Others	9.51	426.23	17.77	753.06	16.87	683.82
Total	31.29	1215.15	61.75	2365.19	74.34	2764.69

Source: DGCIS

**Annexure regard to in reply to Part (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1177.**

**Annexure-II**

<b>Stock of Parboiled Rice as on 01.12.2022in different States</b>			
<b>(Qty. in MT)</b>			
<b>Region</b>	<b>Parboiled Rice Stock</b>		<b>Total Parboiled Rice</b>
	<b>FCI</b>	<b>State Agency</b>	
<b>East Zone</b>			
Bihar	229	0	229
Jharkhand	37417	0	37417
Odisha	63081	344336	407417
West Bengal	19690	147114	166804
East Zone Total	120417	491450	611867
<b>South Zone</b>			
Andhra Pradesh	2237	0	2237
Telangana	400015	0	400015
Karnataka	4986	0	4986
Kerala	89886	741	90627
Tamilnadu	289795	971000	1260795
South Zone Total	786919	971741	1758660
<b>West Zone</b>			
Chhattisgarh	20785	1398	22183
West Zone Total	20785	1398	22183
<b>All India Total</b>	<b>928121</b>	<b>1464589</b>	<b>2392710</b>

Source: FCI.

Note: Stocks of parboiled rice in States/Zone other than those mentioned in the table above are not available, as there is no consumption of parboiled rice in those states.

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