

1	2	3
3.	Technical Block and Control Tower	82%
4.	Transmitting Station	50%
5.	VOR Building	96%
6.	Operational Wall	100%
7.	Power House	100%
8.	Residential Quarters	100%
9.	Internal Roads and Car Park	25%

(c) The runway length is 6,000 feet which is suitable for operating Boeing-737 aircraft. The details of the landing

facilities proposed at the airport are as under :

Facility

Expected date of positioning

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| (i) Very High Frequency Omni Range (VOR) | December, 1987 |
| (ii) Non-Directional Beacon (NDB) | December, 1987 |
| (iii) Night Landing Facilities (viz. Runway lighting, Approach lighting, Precision Approach Path Indicator etc.) | April, 1988 |

(d) April, 1988.

Adverse effect of drought on Kharif

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the extent of damage caused to the kharif crops by unprecedented drought, State-wise;

(b) the steps taken to ensure that the rabi crops are not severely damaged; and

(c) the plans to save the crops from such droughts in future ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) A statement showing the cropped area affected during Kharif 1987 due to drought, statewide is given below.

(b) A detailed strategy for increasing production of rabi crops is being implemented.

(c) Apart from the efforts being made through on going Research and Development Programmes, a Centrally Sponsored National Watershed Development Programme for Rainfed Agriculture is being implemented with the primary objective to obtain stable production in inadequate rainfall areas.

Statement

Loss of crops due to drought in the monsoon period of 1987

S. No.	Name of the State	Cropped area affected (in lakh ha.)
1	2	3
1.	Andhra Pradesh	34.00
2.	Gujarat	71.00
3.	Haryana	13.97
4.	Himachal Pradesh	4.21
5.	Jammu & Kashmir	3.70
6.	Kerala	9.82
7.	Karnataka	37.80
8.	Maharashtra	17.28
9.	Madhya Pradesh	17.80
10.	Nagaland	0.68
11.	Orissa	23.77
12.	Rajasthan	108.53
13.	Punjab	4.96*
14.	Tamil Nadu	3.01
15.	Uttar Pradesh	102.28
16.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0.16
17.	Chandigarh	0.02
18.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.22
19.	Delhi	0.86
20.	Daman & Diu	0.02
21.	Pondicherry	0.11
Total		454.20

*Area unsown/