

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1054
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PRODUCTION OF CASH CROPS
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the production of cash crops in the country, State-wise during each of the last three years;
- (b) the details of financial assistance provided by Government under this scheme, State-wise during the said period so far for the current year; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Government to increase the production of cash crops in the country particularly, in the Ninth Five Year Plan?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

(SHRI SBPBK SATYANARAYANA RAO)

(a) The production of Cotton, Sugarcane Jute /Mesta and Tobacco in different States during last three years is given in Annexure I, II, III and IV ,respectively.

(b)& (c) To increase the production of above cash crops during Ninth Five Year Plan, three Centrally Sponsored Schemes are being implemented in various states viz. Intensive Cotton Development Programme (ICDP-Cotton) ,Sustainable Development of Sugarcane Based Cropping System (SUBACS) and Special Jute Development Programme (SJDP).

Under these Scheme, assistance is provided for the transfer of production technologies through field demonstration and farmers training as well as for the use of critical inputs such as seed, implements, contingencies, Assistance for water saving devices like drip in cotton and sugarcane schemes, moist- heat- seed treatment unit in sugarcane and construction of retting tanks in jute scheme are also being assisted.

The funds released from 1996-97 to 1999-2000 to different States for the implementation of schemes on Cotton, Sugarcane & Jute are given in Annexure V, VI & VII, respectively.

ANNEXURE-V

Statewise funds released under Intensive Cotton Development Programme during 1996-97 to 1999-2000

State	Rs in lakhs			
	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000 (till date)
Andhra Pradesh	152.00	100.00	103.00	207.97
Gujarat	53.00	92.00	56.00	52.98
Haryana	35.00	43.00	67.56	
Karnataka	25.00	37.50	55.00	121.17
Madhya Pradesh	25.00	56.00	40.00	59.56
Maharashtra	292.00	284.00	213.00	357.69
Orissa	23.00	45.00	18.00	48.05
Punjab	102.00	186.00	173.00	375.48
Rajasthan	237.00	196.00	129.00	30.00
Tamil Nadu	166.00	251.00	112.00	196.71
Uttar Pradesh	29.00	28.00	23.00	60.27

ANNEXURE-VII

Statewise funds released under Special Jute Development Programme during 1996- 1997 to 1999-2000.

Rs. In Lakh				
State	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000 (till date)
Andhra Pradesh	26.00	44.00	12.50	21.24
Assam	82.00	9.50	88.00	20.00
Bihar	2.00		6.47	
Meghalya	8.00	1.00	51.00	5.00
Orissa	52.00	66.00	68.00	33.49
Tripura	9.00	43.50		5.00
West Bengal	114.00	35.00	180.50	55.00
Uttar Pradesh	13.27	169.00		5.00

ANNEXURE-VI

Statewise funds released under Sustainable development of Sugarcane Based cropping System during 1996-97 to 1999-2000.

Rs. In Lakh

State	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000 (Released so far)
Andhra Pradesh	77.00		148.00	58.18
Assam		5.00		
Bihar	70.67		53.78	
Goa		3.00		
Gujarat	17.00	18.00	105.00	49.00
Haryana	25.00	75.00	71.00	33.00
Karnataka	50.00	100.00	127.00	60.31
Kerala	22.31	20.00	38.00	18.68
Madhya Pradesh	18.00	27.00	73.00	33.00
Maharashtra	299.70	348.50	580.00	271.63
Manipur	8.43	5.00	20.00	14.13
Mizoram		10.00	21.30	13.72
Nagaland	7.99	11.00	17.10	15.64
Orissa	18.00	40.00	27.00	33.00
Punjab	13.50		43.00	15.00
Rajasthan	10.00	12.00	69.00	24.00
Tamil Nadu	64.00	65.00	94.00	87.63
Trpura		3.00	5.00	
Uttar Pradesh	578.82	256.00	91.00	236.30
West Bengal		6.00	24.00	9.00
Pondicherry	17.99	15.00		3.00

Annexure-I

The Production of Cotton In major States during 1996-97 to 1998-99

STATE	Production (`000 bales of 170 kgs. Each)		
	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999
Andhra Pradesh	1878.4	1320.4	1486.6
Gujarat	2657.7	3180.0	3935.0
Haryana	1507.0	1129.0	873.0
Karnataka	932.0	721.0	855.0
Madhya Pradesh	424.2	508.9	426.3
Maharashtra	3143.3	1753.1	2618.9
Orissa	30.2	36.0	50.0
Punjab	1925.0	937.0	595.0
Rajasthan	1363.3	867.5	872.0
Tamil Nadu	329.9	358.0	429.5
Uttar Pradesh	7.3	8.3	5.8

Annexure-III

The production of Jute & Mesta in major States during 1996-1997 to 1998-1999

STATE Production (`000 bales of 180 kgs. Each)

	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999
Andhra Pradesh	699.0	562.0	545.0
Assam	829.8	933.1	712.8
Bihar	1640.0	1463.1	671.0
Maharashtra	46.0	45.8	43.2
Meghalaya	53.7	56.3	50.2
Orissa	232.1	261.8	166.6
Tripura	36.0	37.0	25.3
West Bengal	7572.7	7638.7	7462.6

Annexure-II

The Production of Sugarcane in major states during 1996-1997 to 1998-1999.

STATE Production (`000 tonnes)

	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999
Andhra Pradesh	15030.0	13955.0	16684.6
Assam	1490.3	1287.5	1223.6
Bihar	5842.5	4959.9	5218.8
Gujarat	11404.3	11836.2	13566.3
Haryana	9020.0	7550.0	6880.0
Karnataka	23374.4	28332.7	28454.0
Madhya Pradesh	1761.4	1631.7	1973.0
Maharashtra	41804.8	38174.3	47151.1
Orissa	1332.1	1144.0	1469.5
Punjab	11040.0	7150.0	6130.0
Rajasthan	1290.2	1158.7	1078.3
Tamil Nadu	25918.8	30183.6	46672.8
Uttar Pradesh	125348.4	129266.7	116302.8
West Bengal	1810.3	1825.7	2001.9

Annexure-IV

The Production of Tobacco in major states during 1996-97 to 1998-1999

STATE Production (`000 tonnes)

	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999
Andhra Pradesh	184.2	201.5	250.8
Gujarat	211.5	183.9	184.7
Karnataka	59.0	62.2	59.0
Maharashtra	10.8	12.0	7.7
Orissa	5.5	4.4	4.4
Tamil Nadu	17.6	11.9	9.7
Uttar Pradesh	105.5	136.2	163.0
West Bengal	9.1	6.1	6.7