

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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DEVELOPMENT OF HORTICULTURE
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of financial assistance provided for development of tropical, temperate and arid zones and development of horticulture during 2000-2001, till date, state -wise;
- (b) the name of crops identified for tissue culture;
- (c) the role of tissue culture in production of horticultural crops; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to promote horticulture in each State particularly in Orissaduring year of the Ninth Five Year Plan?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

- (a): The State-wise details of assistance provided under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Integrated Development of Fruits during the year 2000-01 and till date is given in the statement at Annexure-I. The Scheme was subsumed under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Macro Management in Agriculture – Supplementation/Complementation of State Efforts through Work Plans with effect from October, 2000.
- (b): Banana and strawberry are major fruit crops identified for tissue culture propagation. Protocols are available for papaya, grape, citrus and pineapple for tissue culture propagation.
- (c): Tissue culture is used for large scale rapid multiplication of true to type disease free planting material.
- (d): The details of assistance provided to the Government of Orissa during the Ninth Five Year Plan for the development of fruits under the Scheme on Integrated Development of Fruits is given below:

Year	Assistance Provided (Rs. in Lakh)	Total for country To Govt. of Orissa
1997-98	1671.62	299.00
1998-99	1984.29	500.00
1999-2000	2149.59	635.11
2000-2001	515.00	30.44 (Till September, 2000)

Components of assistance in the Scheme are for production of planting material through establishment of nurseries, tissue culture units, area expansion with improved varieties, technology transfer, establishment of plant health clinics, disease forecasting units, leaf analysis laboratories and mechanization. As per the Work Plan for Orissa, an outlay of Rs.134.60 lakhs has been earmarked for the development of fruits during 2001-02.

Annexure-I

ASSISTANCE PROVIDED FOR DEVELOPMENT OF FRUITS

(Rs. in Lakh)

STATE Assistance 2000-01
Provided during till 2000-01

IX Plan

Andhra Pradesh	33.72	267.70
Arunachal Pradesh	11.68	128.39
Assam	8.66	33.66
Bihar	8.00	99.72
Goa	4.92	4.92
Gujarat	12.03	72.03
Haryana	17.32	167.12
Himachal Pradesh	18.21	84.90
Jammu & Kashmir	24.26	256.26
Karnataka	38.85	458.79
Kerala	23.70	408.39
Madhya Pradesh	16.57	367.57
Maharashtra	43.58	557.58
Manipur	20.28	277.28
Meghalaya	12.94	54.44
Mizoram	15.57	92.70
Nagaland	15.49	238.19
Orissa	30.44	1464.55
Punjab	29.45	93.53
Rajasthan	18.87	209.57
Sikkim	11.96	73.45
Tamil Nadu	31.11	442.14
Tripura	14.09	87.19
Uttar Pradesh	33.66	176.10
West Bengal	4.64	74.64

Sub Total (States) 500.00 6190.81

A&N Islands	2.57	32.56
Chandigarh	0.68	13.68
D&N Haveli	1.99	13.70
Delhi	0.95	0.95
Daman & Diu	2.23	17.73
Lakshadweep	2.53	36.52
Pondicherry	4.05	14.55
Sub Total UT	15.00	129.69

Total 515.00 6320.50