

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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AGRICULTURAL CENSUS
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of agricultural census conducted by the Government so far;
- (b) the total amount spent on conducting such census; and
- (c) the total financial assistance provided by the Union Government to the State of Uttar Pradesh under the agricultural census conducted so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

- (a): Eight Agriculture Censuses have been conducted so far by the Government of India.
- (b): On the basis of available records, the Government of India has spent an amount of Rs.16891.60 lakhs during the period 1985-86 to 2009-10 on conducting Agriculture Censuses in the country.
- (c): The State of Uttar Pradesh was provided Grants-in- aid to the extent of Rs. 1709.89 lakhs during 1985-86 to 2009-10 for conducting Agriculture Censuses in the State.