

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

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EXPORT OF AGRI PRODUCTS  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the export of agricultural products is continuously increasing;
- (b) if so, the details for the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority has identified a number of specific sectors for promoting exports at the National level;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the targets fixed for the probable export of food products from these sectors, if any?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI ANAND SHARMA)

(a & b) Yes, Madam. The exports of agricultural and allied products during 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12 are Rs.64,699.25 crore, Rs.85,218.53 crore and Rs.1,41,120.01 crore respectively.

(c & d) Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) is mandated with the responsibility of export promotion and development of agricultural and processed food products which includes following scheduled products:

# Fruits, Vegetables and their Products.  
# Meat and Meat Products.  
# Poultry and Poultry Products.  
# Dairy Products  
# Confectionery, Biscuits and Bakery Products.  
# Honey, Jaggery and Sugar Products.  
# Cocoa and its products, chocolates of all kinds.  
# Alcoholic and Non-Alcoholic Beverages.  
# Cereal and Cereal Products.  
# Groundnuts, Peanuts and Walnuts.  
# Pickles, Papads and Chutneys.  
# Guar Gum.  
# Floriculture and Floriculture Products  
# Herbal and Medicinal Plants

It focuses on promotion of all its scheduled products.

(e) The internal targets fixed by APEDA for export of some of its important scheduled products are as under:-

Value: Rs. crores

Product Group      2012-13   2013-14   2014-15   2015-16   2016-17

Target   Target   Target   Target   Target

Floriculture & Seeds	745	895	1075	1290	1550
Fruits & Vegetables	6420	7705	9245	11095	13315
Processed Fruits and vegetables	4420	5300	6360	7630	9160
Livestock Products	17900	21480	25780	31000	37200
Other Processed Foods	28680	34415	41300	49560	59500
Cereals	36000	43200	51850	62200	74600

Total      94165   112995   135610   162775   195325

Source: APEDA, # Provisional