

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
LOK SABHA**

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FERTILIZER MANUFACTURING UNITS  
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**Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of fertilizer manufacturing units in the Public, Private and Co-operative sectors in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the year-wise annual capacity utilisation of these units the last three years unit and State-wise and;
- (c) the decline in production and availability of fertilizers during the said period due to closure of the fertilizer production units in the country ?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT KUMAR JENA)

(a): The details of number of fertilizer plant producing Urea, DAP and Complex Fertilizers operating in the country in the Public, Private & Co-operative sector at present, State-wise are at Annexure- I

( b ): The year-wise annual capacity utilization of these units during last three years State-wise are at Annexure- II

( c ): Five Units of the Fertilizer Corporation of India Limited (FCIL) and three units of Hindustan Fertilizer Corporation Limited (HFCL) in the Public Sector are lying closed. The installed capacity of these closed units was approximately 2.28 Million Metric Ton.

In addition, one urea unit in the Private Sector viz. Duncan Industries Ltd. (DIL) Kanpur is currently closed due to financial constraints as reported by the company. Further, the urea unit of Fertilizers & Chemicals Travancore (FACT). Cochin has also been closed down.