

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA**

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AVAILABILITY OF WATER FOR IRRIGATION
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number and the percentage of farmers of the country who are still dependent on monsoon for agriculture;
- (b) the steps taken to provide irrigation facilities to them during the Eleventh Plan Period and the success achieved; and
- (c) the plans and the proposed investment for the Twelfth Five Year Plan for development of irrigation facilities?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

- (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.