

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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SEED VILLAGE SCHEME
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of seed villages created in the country as part of the Seed Village Scheme (SVS), State-wise including Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) the details of various seed processing plants in the country and their total seed processing capacity, State-wise; and
- (c) the details of the actual amount of seeds produced by these seed processing plants during the last three years, Statewise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARIQ ANWAR)

(a): The number of seed villages organized in the country as part of Seed Village Programme under the Central Sector Scheme 'Development and Strengthening of Infrastructure Facilities for Production and Distribution of Quality Seeds' is 83,588 during the year 2011-12 and 60,611 in 2012-13. The State-wise details are at Annexure-I.

(b) & (c): The State-wise details of number of seed processing plants, their total seed processing capacity and quantity of seeds produced during last three years are at Annexure-I.