

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3711  
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PRODUCTION OF FERTILIZER PLANTS  
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**Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of fertilizer plants in public and private sectors in the country and their production capacity, plant/sector-wise;
- (b) whether the supply/production of various fertilizers in the country is not adequate to meet the demand of farmers
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the steps being taken by the Government to increase the production of fertilizers in the country
- (d) whether the Government has received any proposal from Rajasthan for augmenting the production capacity of Chambal Fertilizers and Chemicals Limited; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard ?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS (SHRI NIHAL CHAND)

- (a) : The details of fertilizer plant in Public, Cooperative and Private sectors in the country and production capacity plant-wise/sector-wise are at Annexe.
- (b): The requirement, production, imports and availability of urea, DAP, MOP & NPK for last year is as given below:-

(Figure in LMT)  
Product 2013-14  
Requirement Production Imports Availability  
OMIFCO Imports  
UREA 316.90 227.15 21.17 49.64 306.75  
DAP 109.86 36.11 32.46 72.64  
MOP 35.13 - - 21.27 23.32  
NPK 107.36 69.13 - 3.58 79.63

As can be seen to bridge the gap between requirement and production Imports are made.

- (c) : Government has notified New Investment Policy NIP 2012, for attracting new investment revamp/ brownfield Greenfield projects for increasing the production of urea .
- (d): Yes Madam, In response to notified to NIP 2012 the Department of Fertilizers has received an Ammonia Urea expansion project from Chambal Fertilizers & Chemicals Ltd.
- (e): The amendment to NIP 2012 is under consideration.