

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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INCREASE IN MILCH ANIMALS
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether an increase in the population of milch animals has been registered in the country during 2007- 2012;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the total population of milch animals during the above said years State-wise;
- (c) the details of the increase in the rate of milk production of milch animals during the above said years; and
- (d) the percentage of milk production during the above said period?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE (DR.SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN)

(a) & (b) Yes, the population of milch animals (In Milk + Dry) in cattle, buffalo and goat has increased in the country from 173.57 million in 2007 to 180.15 million in 2012. The State- wise milch animal population is enclosed at Annexure-I & II.

(c) The yieldrate of milk production of milch animals during 2007-08 to 2012-13 is given in the table below:

Years	Cattle		Buffalo		Goat
	Yield Rate (kg/day)	Yield Rate (kg/day)	Yield Rate (kg/day)	Yield Rate (kg/day)	Yield Rate (kg/day)
	Exotic/ Crossbred	Indigenous			
2007-08	6.47	2.11	4.41	0.39	
2008-09	6.71	2.17	3.94	0.40	
2009-10	6.80	2.20	4.53	0.39	
2010-11	6.63	2.22	4.44	0.40	
2011-12	6.97	2.27	4.71	0.42	
2012-13	7.02	2.36	4.80	0.43	

(d) The total estimated production of milk in the country during 2007-08 to 2012-13 is given in the table below:

Years	Total Milk Production (000 tonnes)	Cattle		% Share of milk production from Cattle	
		% Share of milk production from Exotic/ Crossbred Cattle	% Share of milk production from Indigenous Cattle	% Share of milk production from Buffalo	% Share of milk production from Goat
2007-08	107934	22.25	21.13	52.47	4.15
2008-09	12183	23.32	21.08	51.61	3.99
2009-10	116425	24.02	20.82	51.33	3.84
2010-11	121848	24.26	20.8	51.17	3.77
2011-12	127904	24.3	20.87	51.09	3.74
2012-13	132430	24.45	20.71	51.1	3.74